

tering the military evolutions. The ground is especially well suited for drilling.

-A meeting of the officers of the fire department will be held at the Second ward house this evening All officers are requested to be present, as important business will come up for consideration.

-The Chicago weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Local showers to-night; Wednesday probably showers. The muximum tem perature vesterday at North Platte was 81, minimum in past 24 hours 62, at 7 a. m. 62; precipitations .01 of an inch. For the same time and period one year ago the maximum temperature was 92, minimum 70 at 7 a.m. 72; precipitation none. Valentine had a rainfall of 1.42 inches last night

League. -George Dillard returned Saturday morning from Grand Junction. Colo., where he spent a week with H. R. Ottman. He also visited the farm of Jim Jackson and found him improving.

and H. J. Roth busily engaged in picking and packing fruit. Mr. Jackson will sell over \$2,000 worth typhoid malaria, is now on the road of fruit this season. Will Briggs is

also marketing fruit from his ten acre farm. Mr. Ottman's twenty acre orchard will begin bringing him returns next year. He was offered \$5,000 cash for his place. The former North Platte people at Grand Junction are well pleased with the country and with the success they have had with fruit. Mr. Jackson

would like to have more North Platte people locate in that section.

-Among the resolutions passed by the Epworth League convention was the following: Whereas, We realize the labors of the local committee of North Placte baving charge of the arrangements in all departments for this convention. Resolved, That we tender Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Robinson, Rev. C. C. Snaveley and all other committees work well done; and to the citizens committees and entertained the del- foreign views. egates and visitors from abroad with such uniform courtesy and

Bill hook and ladder company last for the populist nomination for structions to draft an ordinance kindness at their homes and elseevening a resolution was adopted county treasurer, and is firm in the levying an occupation tax upon where, we feel that our thanks are endorsing the Field alarm system belief that he can knock Holcomb such companies. due, and they are hereby tendered. and recommending its use by the and Orr out of the convention with The bills of Claude Weingand,

and \$10 Blankets for \$5.00. Fall will soon be here and you will need these goods. You can never again buy them so cheap.

RENNIE'S CLOSING SALE.

- Rev. Beecher held Episcopal -John Lambert, of Grand Island. the former engineer, has been a services at Lodge Pole Sunday visitor in town for a day or two. evening.

-WANTED.-A competent girl to do general housework. Apply at journed Saturday, having completed JOHN BRATT. the business on hand. -Harry Fikes is taking a lay-off -Rev. Leonard returned to Lin-

coln Sunday night, taking with him this week and Tom Birney is handling the 1205 in the yards. the two sons of Will Leonard. -Eugene Delany, the Maxwell -John Harden has leased the old VanDoran blacksmith shop oppocarpenter, has been visiting North Platte friends for a day or two. site the court house and will in a

residence.

-Rev. D. Z. Foulk goes to Lin- few days be ready to do blacksmith- and with Salina. coln next week to be present at the ing of all kinds. orgnization of a state Luther

-T. Fulton Gantt is still confined to the house with an attack of cardiac asthma, but is gradually

visitors to the Epworth convention left for their homes yesterday after--Mrs. Carl Johnson, who has noon. Those who came overland been sick tor some time with were the last to leave.

-Crops in southeastern Pennsy to recovery. vania are evidently good this year. -Thos. McGlone had a piece o Rev. Foulk has received word that steel removed from his eye at an twenty-seven acres of land on his Omaha hospital Friday and has refarm yielded an even thousand turned to work in the Union Pacific bushels of wheat. boiler shops.

-Rev. Haley, the new priest of -The trial of Dr. Thorpe, St. Patrick's church, arrived charged with practicing medicine town Saturday and held his first without complying with the statservices Sunday. The parishicners utes, will be heard in Judge Ray's were highly pleased with the revcourt to-morrrow erend gentleman's first services.

-The extreme heat of last week together with the smoke and gas caused a number of the employes of the round house to temporarily suspend work, some of whom were down from the McPherson county at once bring suit. quite sick for a few day. ranch to-day to see the youngster.

-Every day or two V. VonGoetz -If the walking continues good state firemen's association to the receives a postal card from his wife Messrs. Graves, Vollmer, McNa- local fire department was read to and daughter Ida, who are visiting mara, Woodhurst and Bare will the conncil, in which he stated that in Austria. On each of these cards probably go to Wyoming about the the supreme court had rendered a our heartfelt thanks for faithful is a colored photograph of some important or historic building or place. mountain trout to jump out on the which authorizes the levying of an of North Platte who have so kindly Mr. VonGoetz is saving these cards banks of the Little Laramie river. responded to the requests of the and will have quite a collection of

ett precinct to-day and made this -At a meeting of the Buffalo office a call. Ashley is a candidate ferred to the city attorney with in-

--Ashley Peters is in from Crock-

Miss Kate Gibbs, of St. Louis is the guest of her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. E. B. Gibbs, having arrived It will compare tavorably with any Friday night. She is accompanied field in the irrigated section. by her nephew, Master Will Harris. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hastings, of

in a fairly rapid manner at Her-Aurora, Neb., are the guests of their son L. E. in this city. Mr. shipping out two carloads last Hastings is an old newspaper man. evening.

-The county commissioners ad- having for many years owned and conducted the Republican at cent cigar. Aurora.

> C. E. Barber, now headmaster of St. John's military school at Salina Kansas, arrived in town Saturday evening, and was warmly welcomed by his large number of friends. He part of this month. is well pleased with his position

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The city council held a regular -Bishop Graves, of this missionmeeting last night, the mayor and ary jurisdiction, who has been attending the Lambeth convention in five of the six councilmen being present. England, sails for home this week.

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The herder bond of W. M. Salis -The last of the delegates and bury, with M. C. Harrington as surety, was read and accepted. A communication was read from D. V. Morrison, L. B. Isenhart and other Third ward residents asking

> permission to construct culverts under Tenth and Eleventh streets for the purpase of carrying water for irrigating purposes. The re-

> juest was granted. The committee to which had been referred the auditing of the books

A letter from the president of the

allowed. The bill of W. R. Morgan

for killing six dogs was laid over

The clerk was instructed to ad-

vertise for bids for furnishing the

city with lumber, stone, tiling and

also for doing the city publishing.

\$790 be drawn in favor of the water-

works company for hydrant rental.

This precipitated a general discus-

statement of the condition of the

pay the water company any money

until the suit was decided.

horse.

sion and the city attorney made

for the lack of funds.

of the street commissioner reported seems determined to get in his work that they had compared the books on the young birds before they get with the receipt stubs and found wild and wary. that they correspond.

-The boys' club of the Episcopa A communication was read from church will give an athletic exhibi--A girl baby was born Saturday | Harrington & Tobin in which they tion on the rectory grounds on night to Mrs. Nate E. Trego, who stated that if their bill for lamp Thursday evening of next week. has been stopping in town for a few chimneys was not allowed at the There will be running and jumping days. The genial Nate is expected meeting on August 3d they would contests, games of tennis, putting the shot, and other features.

this month.

prices at Jos. Hershey's.

-Cozad had the largest representation at the Epworth League

convention, its delegation numbering torty-two. Lexington came next with a delegation of forty. a larger membership than any other occupation tax on insurance comin the conference.

panies doing business in second -The drill by Captain Hamilclass cities. The matter was reton's young lady cadets Saturday evening was witnessed by a crowd the affairs of the Mutual Building Louis (Nickel Plate) railways. that packed the corners at the and Loan Association. He ex- tion call on N. B. OLDS. Agent. intersection of Spruce and Sixth pressed surprise at the prosperity streets. The cadets went through of the association, especially in the movements without a break and respect to the small amount of were loudly applauded. delinquents, the low expense ac-\$101.75 for boarding prisoners were

-Alfred Samelson, of Mylander Voorhees Lucas as members of the precinct, is said to have one of, the North Platte pension examining best fields of corn in the county.

-The rainfall at this point Sunday night amounted to one and four -New wheat is being marketed one-hundredth inches. The rain was, apparently, quite general over shey, the elevator at that-place the country and came at an opportune time, as in some sections the corn had began to suffer from want

-Smoke Wright's Havanna Rose of moisture.

Miss Josie Day, of North Platte, -The Buckworth house recently was visiting friends in this city the ourchased by J. H. Hershey is being fore part of the week. She has repainted, repapered and otherwise been employed by the school board mproved. Mr. Hershey and family to teach the primary department will occupy the house the latter of the schools for the ensuing year.

-Ogalalla News. -Will Ginn, of Perry, Iowa, is re----McCormick Binders and Mowers at newing acquaintances with friends Jos. Hershey's.

in town. Notwithstanding he is -The funeral of Mrs. E. F. Seeshort" two arms and a leg. he berger Friday afternoon was very largely attended by friends, the cortege to the cemetery

being John E. Evans left this morning among the largest ever seen in for Lincoln and Omaha. Mr. Evans North Platte. The funeral service is making arrangements to attend of the Eastern Star chapter was the national encampment of the beautitul and impressive. Grand Army which will be held in

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. McCarthy of North Platte, have decided to make Cozad their home removing from North Platte here. Mr. Mc. Carthy is spending his summer va-

cation here, expecting however, to -Young prairie chickens are return to his engine in the early being indiscriminately slaughtered. not only by residents of town but fall.-Cozad Tribune.

by farmers as well. Every hunter -The populist county central committee held a meeting Saturday afternoon and selected August 28th as the date for holding the county convention to elect delegates to the state convention and nominate a county ticket. The attendance was not very large and an effort was made by Tim T. Kelther and others to have two conventions held, but the majority were in favor of hav-

15th to spend a week in inducing decision sustaining the statute The league at the latter place has 1-2 gallon fruit jars 75c a dozen.

> -F. A. Reynolds, state bank examiner, was in town yesterday, and Route," Union Pacific. Chicago & made the annual examination of Northwestern and N. Y. C. & Si.

"A pretty story that I should take his shirts!" exclaimed the irate culprit. But when he was searched, a moment later it was revealed that he was at the mo ment arrayed in the whole six, one over the other. The good justice was shocked. "What a villain!" he exclaimed. Then he added reproachfully: "Why didn't you tell me you were a villain? Why didn't you save the time of the court, the spectators and the witnesses by owning up you were a villain in the first

place?' A few years later a constable of the same town made a remark worthy of Dogberry himself. A knot of little boys had been hanging about the entrance to the town hall before a public meeting. As the officer came in sight all ran away but one, and to this lone youngster he addressed his orders in a tone of mingled dignity and wrath.

"Disperge," he commanded, "disperge, I say! We can't have no burlash

The awed youth did not disperse, but he moved on .- Youth's Companion.

A Pigeon Race.

In France pigeons are regarded as valuable messengers in case of war, and recently the French ministry of war offered a prize for the winner of a pigeon race from Perigueax to Paris, 260 miles. No less than 2,746 birds were entered in the contest. The winner made the distance in 7 hours 34 minutes, au average of over 34 miles an hour.

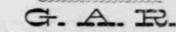
The Wrong Jam.

Haskell-What's Bobby crying for? Mrs. Haskell-Oh, the poor boy caught his finger in the pantry door. Haskell-H'm! He evidently didn't get the jam he was looking for that time .- Pick Me Up.

NEW ROUTE

Commencing Sunday, June 13th, the NION PACIFIC will inaugurate through, tourist car service to Portland, Oregon and Washington points via Union Pac fic and Southern Pacific Ry's, thereby giving passengers the benefit of two tourist routes via Ogden to Port-

This route will take them up through the beauuiful Sacremento Valley, disclosing all the notable features along the Shasta Route, from Sacremento. For rates, time tables and full infor-N. B. OLDS. Agent.



BUFFALO, N. Y., AUG, 23d-28th, For the Annual Encampment of the G. A. R., at Buffalo, N. Y., in August, the UNION PACIFIC will make the greatly reduced rate from North Platte of \$31.60 for the round trip. Be sure your ticket reads via the "Official Grand Army

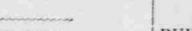
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1 pint fruit jars 45c a dozen. at the WILCOX DEPT. STORE.

MASON JARS.

seems to enjoy good health and is

Buffalo, N. Y., the latter part o

-Buggies, road and spring wago

and surreys. A fine assortment at lo

about as lively as the rest of us.

-The monthly weather summary city. The fire laddies in all the ease, notwithstanding the existence \$36.55 for oil, and Jacob Miller, issued by Observer Piercy shows other companies speak very favora- of the court house ring. the mean temperature last month bly of Mr. Field's system, and -Thos. J. Matthews, the U.S. to have been 74, the highest being when the fire department endorses land office examiner, who has been 103 and the lowest 51, a range of it there is no question but that it in the city for a couple of weeks 52 degrees during the month. The is a good thing.

looking up homestead and timber accumulated excess of mean daily -THE TRIBUNE is not by any claims which have been abandoned. temperature since Jan. 1st amounts means a "booster" for the water- by the entrymen, has found over to 273 degrees. During July the works company, but in fairness it fifty claims which he will recomwind traveled 6,583 miles, the highis ready to give the company credit mend to be cancelled, and thinks est velocity being 48 miles per hour for being generous to its patrons that he will find as many more beon the 8th. The precipitation last and furnishing the city-with few fore he completes his work. When month was 1.86 inches, or three. exceptions--with excellent service. through with this district he will quarters of an inch less than the As to the suit pending between the visit the Alliance, Broken Bow and city and the company there are Sidney districts and pursue a simiaverage for July for the past twenty-three years. In July last year points of law involved which of lar course. Mr. Mathews thinks it the rainfall was 1.86. The accu-course the courts must decide, will require about ten months to did not think it best for the city to the Star clothing house thereto on while here in Lincoln county the mulated deficiency in rainfall since though it is generally believed by complete the work in the several Jan. 1st is 4.81 inches; that is we those who have investigated the districts. He will recommend that have had 4.81 inches less so far this matter that the city will buy no the interior department cancel the year than the average for the same Christmas presents with the money enteries, and if such is done the period during the past twenty- it recovers from the water com- land effected will be subject to res team. Haud-turned shoes \$2.00 per the room will be a little small it is liberately robbing the tax-payers pany, entry.

-Wanted:-Exclusive agent in count and the few foreclosures. He this city and county. High Art Bi- instanced several railroad towns cycle Co., Omaha. where there were good associations

but gave his opinion that North -At the meeting of the stock-Platte's association led them all. holders and depositors of the North -Markwood Holmes, editor of Platte National Bank Saturday the Clipper-Citizen at Lexington, afternoon, the committee appointed Evans moved that a warrant for the week before reported progress which is a strong populist paper, with the matters in hand, and asked tells us that the populist commisfor further time in which to report. sioners of Dawson county awarded Another meeting will be held on him the publishing at ONE-SIXTH Saturday afternoon next. LEGAL RATE. Down in Dawson

-Weber & Volimer have rented county the populist commissioners suit now pending between the city the Foley building south of the believe in transacting the business and the waterworks company. He McDonald block and will remove of the county on business principles September 1st. The partition he- populist commissioners reject hids tween the rooms will torn out, and for the county publishing and once. I make a specialty of examinother improvements made. This is award the contract to their pet ing the eyes and fitting glasses. -HORSE-SHOEING-\$2.50 for an excellent location, and though paper at full legal rates, thus de-

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are worth more to him or her than any other organ. They are as dear as life itself. They must be preserved. The first sign of disease or defect must be attended to. good optician should be seen at All work guaranteed.

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