list with measles.

Blaucher Sunday last.

soon to attend school.

horses last week.

in the affray.

their wealth.

School closed in district 102 Wed

Eddie Wilson lost a team of

Cecil Tuell moved his stock of

goods to Dickens this week.

wedding for the near future.

clerk in the store Cecil Tuell.

spent a few days near the Platte.

neuralgia of the stomach.

ers, so the old adage goes.

ling a well for Mr. Nelson.

Chris Willerton called on A.

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- We are showing, without question, the best and most attractive collection of
- Shoes ever shown in this city, and as correct in style, and as good in qual-
- ity, as is shown in any other city, and at less prices than our bigger city
- brothers sell them. Ladies' fine Tan with cloth tops and leather tops from \$1.50 to \$4.00. Ladies' fine Black
- Shoes, cloth top and leather tops, from \$1.50 to \$4.00. Men's dress shoes in Black \$1.50 to \$5.00. Men's dress
- Tan Shoes \$2.00 to \$5.00. Boys', Youth's, Little Men's, Misses, Child's and Infant's Shoes in all the prevail-
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Trimmer in this department, cordially invites the ladies of North Platte and vicinity to attend this opening.

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Will Reject Intervention. New York, April 6 .- The Cuban ta, through its counsel, Horatio S. made an important statement day. It declared in the most unenivocal language that the Cuban proal government and the Cuban rmy would reject absolutely intervenby the United States unless it ould be preceded by a recognition of independence of the Cuban republic: that if the United States persisted in intervening without recognizing Cu-ban independence the Cuban government and military forces would refuse to co-operate; and that if the United States troops should be sent to Cuba upon the basis of intervention without ace, the Cuban army would,

hat this government, while declaring shall not direct him to

York Stock Market. ite sharping of the government's policy are intervention in Cuba dissipated remaining hopes of stock operators for a pesceable adjustment, and led to a selling at the opening. Declines, however, Gazette this afternoon process. were not violent, and did not exceed a point except in a few of the specialties and in Union Pacific preferred in the railroad list, which lost 11%.

ions in the market were business small. The level noon had fallen off to near wice for some stocks.

teaction In Stocks. one April 5.-The Wall

FORAKER FEARS A LAWSUIT. Expresses Belief United States May Bo

WASHINGTON, April 7 .- At the meet ing of the senate committee on foreign relations the question of Cuban bonds was raised. It was brought up by Senator Foraker, who said that he had heard it intimated that there was speculation in Cuban bonds behind his resolntion declaring for the recognition of

This, he said, was not true in any respect, and he added he had not known when the resolution was drawn that there were any Cuban bonds out. He had investigated the question since, however, and had lerrned that only \$75,000 of Cuban bonds had been sold This even, the senator said, in a sar-

ognize the independence of Cuba. It wished to invite the attention of the is mutually hoped by the two govern- committee and this was the question of nents that the Cubans will the United States having to assume the to his ashes. then become convinced that the responsibility of the payment, the in-

that such would be the case, but he believed the position strong enough under the international law to make New York Stock Market. ground for an international laws that York April 6.—The more defiground for an international lawsuit

LONDON, April 6.-The Pall Mail

munication with the queen regent, but his approaches to President McKin- he is a clean, capable man-and for nearly a week. were made indirectly. The Vat- yet his sponent received a maeople are sanguine of an armisThey appear to base their belief
exceful solution upon the fact
the supposed unpreparedness of
nited States for war will make spective stresses to two on centions in going to an prosting

MR. BRATT'S BIRD. THE "REFORM" BIRD

As it is To-day,



The Story of Tuesday.

	lsT wp	2D WD	3D WD	TAL,
For Mayor-				
John Bratt	91	213	92	396
P. H. Sullivan	100	46	48	194
Franklin Peale	16	26	23	65
For City Clerk—	100			
F. R. Ginn	115	210	97	422
G. S. Huffman	76	62	- 56	194
For City Treasurer—				1
John Sorsnson	139	231	113	483
For City engineer—			100	
C P. Ross	101	212	83	396
Paul Meyer		56	73	213
For Conncilmen—				
J. W. Alexander	101		1	101
M. C. Keith			436	95
W. R. Vernon		227		227
George Scharmann		45		45
L. B. Isenhart			98	98
James Downie			62	62
For Members of Board of Education-	15005			300
Robert Schuman	140	13/8	140	280
H. T. Rice		20 (8.04	101	179
	76		74	120
P. H. McEvoy	10	200	14	120

AFTER THE BATTLE.

Up to the hour of going to press to let go of a good thing.

the late Cheyney referred to in hold nearly everybody.

Bill Elder moved into the Third ward about ninety days ago. Last Tuesday the ward gave a rattling big and largely increased republican majority. What about it? business there will be a report by

hart won out in great shape ward securing the property for the last Tuesday in their respective state for school purposes. wards, although the odds were are entitled to be called General.

that Mr. Parson's speech at Keith's hall the evening before election was the last straw to break the camel's back. Mr. Parson is a rabid silver man, but in the light of recent events he must conclude that silence is golden.

The result of Tuesday's election in North Platte is only a forerunner of what will happen in the county this fall. You might as at the church Sunday evening. better to wear a button hole bou- Mr. Beatty accompanied them, quet than to put on sackcloth and

Whatever Cheyney, late editor of tions were old and not of the best. men who took part. The only were \$9.65. thing lacking to make the affair a complete success was the oversight his homestead. in not having the band play a funeraldirge the morning Joseph What- day. ever left for Washington. Peace

per become convinced that the responsibility of the payment, the inper for which they have been fightgrall these years—independence—can
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The meeting was tolerably well attended.

The meeting was tolerably well attended. ulists nominated him just to show him how little water he draws, and around this vicinity. he probably believes it. The result

> nomination in the future. Some of our good populist Gazette this afternoon publishes the friends now claim that they voted the Woodman building.

today is the scene of the utmost activity. Distinguished personages are compared and going and telegrams are pouring in. The hopes of a solution of the interest activity of the interest activity. Sullivan, and that this accounts for Peale's light vote. This may in the hopes of a solution of the interest activity. Sullivan, and that this accounts for Peale's light vote. This may interest activity of the interest activity. Sullivan, and that this accounts for Peale's light vote. This may be interested activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to down the interest activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity of the interest activity of the interest activity. It is accounted to activity of the interest activity of the inte Spanish American difficulty through the pope have been received. The pope is in direct comthe pope is in direct comthe pope is in direct comthe pope is in direct comthey should not have done so, for

against them on the start. Each is extended to everybody interested in education to be present. Re-

MINNIE CHASE, Sec'y,

NEWS FROM THE COUNTRY PRECINCTS.

evening was well attended but the The voters of North Platte on audience was somewhat disappoint-Tuesday last tendered Joseph | ed. Most of Miss Tillotson's selecthe populist organ, a very tender Many too had difficulty in hearing farewell function. It was almost a either on account of the building

world his own way. He has the

Monday evening. Wm. Baily moved Wednesday to

Prayer meeting at school

Western Nebraska Educational Asso-

paper was a darn elastic thing last mittee. In addition to the regular Tuesday. It was big enough to programme of educational subjects

WASHINGTON, April 5 .- The two forein Washington yesterday were the resident's message and European in-Well, draw your own conclusions. at North Platte on the Fort Sidney form in the courts of Europe according John Alexander and Lem Isen- Military Reservation looking to- to the advices received at foreign embassies here, though no proffer has been made to the United States. Regarding expected by the administration that the

ing strychnine.

Notwithstanding the many reports of

European mediation they assumed their

first tangible form yesterday afternoon

when at least two of the foreign estab-

lishments in Washington received in-

basis on which they could make a joint

proposition for mediation. It is evi-

dent that there is not a common under-

probably would act with the others.

What common ground the powers are

seeking to reach can only be conjec-

ground for the belief that it will not be

Mee s the Santa Fe's Cut.

CHICAGO, April 5 .- Notice was given

formation that an exchange of notes

It is now generally conceded duced rates on the railroad.

BRADY ISLAND. There will be an Easter service

The entertainment of Friday it, but it has developed that the British

unanimous expression by the 700 or her voice. The gross receipts regarded with favor by the United

F. George shelled corn on Fri-

Walter Eavy seems to have the

P. S. Shields, Phil Hespier, H.

from hankering for the sheriff Woodmen lodge at Gothenburg on

Angier West is engaged in the family of J. H. Giffin. Irving Murphy has been unwell

tendent, visited our schools Thurs-

there will be an oratorical contest between the North Platte, Ogalalla and Sidney schools. Also a lecture by Chancellor McDowell of the Colorado university. As unfinished

A general and cordial invitation message will be sent to congress on

well prepare for the tidal wave by Beatty and Murphy shipped

joining the republican party. It is stock first of the week to Omaha, France and Austria were most active care to say is that the insurgents are

government is also taking part in the exchange, and that in case of concerted action by the powers Great Britain tured. The Spanish government seems to be hopeful of results from this movement and this inspired additional

Mr. Long is building a house on

Chicago. The Santa Fe gave potice Saturday the last district teach- some time ago that it would put into

There is quite a little sickness

all points of western territory. will probably discourage George Powers and P. Waterbury attended Child Kills His Sister. PINE OAK, Ia., April 5.-Lena, a 12-

year-old daughter of Robert Erwin of this city, was shot and fatally wounded following from Rome: The vatican for John Bratt in order to down look a little suspicious around the turned from a hunting trip and laid the

gun where the child secured it, discharging the full load into his sister's head and inflicting wounds from which Miss Nugent was down Saturday she died a short time afterward. Woman Mormon Missionary,

DEWEYVILLE, Utah, April 5 .- Miss Lettie Dewey of this place has been called by the Mormon church authorities to go on a mission to England and Miss Thoelecke. county superin- like the elders, will travel "without purse or scrip." Although there are 1,300 Mormon missionaries in the field, Dewey has the distinction of first woman ever called.

uril 5.—Now that the

Freddie Griffiths is on the sick POWERS' PEACE NOTE.

Foreign Diplomats In Washington Would Avert a Conflict.

CALL ON THE PRESIDENT.

Bessie McDonald goes to Curtis Ethel Griffiths had a runaway President McKinley in Reply Inti-Saturday, but was not much hurt mates That Present Conditions Are Intolerable.

WASHINGTON, April 7.-The repre-A Mr. Dowell northwest of here scutatives of the six powers of Europe seeking to avert war between Spain and passed from time to eternity a few the United States called on President days ago quite suddenly. No par-McKinley at noon today. The governments of Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria, Russia and Italy were Dame Rumor has slated another represented. Sir Julian Panncefote, the British ambassador, was the first to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jolliff moves arrive, followed by Ambassador von to Dickeus to help keep house and Holeben of Germany. Within a few minutes all the ambassadors had been ushered into the blue room, and Presi-W. A. Latimer is around among dent McKinley immediately left his ofthe patrons of Kem ascertaining

fice and went down to meet them. Sir Julian Pauncefote, as representa-W. J. Jones and Geo. Griffiths tive of the powers, presented the fol-

"The undersigned representatives of Germany, Austria, Hungary, France, Mr. Nelson just from Curtis will have 365 head of cattle arrive this Great Britain, Italy and Russia, duly authorized in that behalf, address in the name of their respective govern-Mrs. Wm. Jolliff is suffering from ments, a pressing appeal to the feel-ings of humanity and moderation of April showers brings May flowthe president and of the American people in their existing differences with Spain. They earnestly hope that furth-A well digger from Curtis is driler negotiations will lead to an agreement which, while securing the main-tenance of peace, will afford all neces-Will Jolliff was a Dickens visitor Griffiths made a trip to the hub ment of order in Cuba. The powers do not doubt that the humanitarian and purely disinterested character of this Mrs. Nelli-Latta was tried in representation will be fully recognized

he county court at Nebraska City and apprepiated by the American na upon the charge of the unlawful tion President McKinley's Reply. sale of liquor. Mrs. Laita until re-President McKinley replied as folcently conducted a drug store in lows: "The government of the United States recognizes the good will which Unadilla and the complaint against has primpted the friendly communicaher was filed by the prohibition tion and shares the hope therein exleague of that place. She was bound pressed, that the outcome of the situaover to await the action of the dis- tion in Cuba may be the maintenance of peace between the United States and On last Wednesday the little vil- antees for the re-establishment of order the voters of North Platte were The sixth annual meeting of the lage of Dixon was terribly shocked in the island, so terminating the chronic still casting their ballots for the W. N. E. A. will convene at Sidney, by the suicide of Cora Coleman re- condition of disturbance there which so deeply injures the interests and menrepublican ticket. They don't like Nebraska, on April 22, and 23, siding north of the town. It seems aces the tranquillity of the American Every arrangement necessary for that the young lady had faild in ex- nation by the character and conse-That republican "ring" to which the complete success of this ses- amination at both Ponca and quences of the struggle thus kept up at sion of the association will be made Wayne to procure a teachers' certi- our doors, besides shocking its sentieach paragraph of his late valuable by the officers and executive com- ficate and for this reason became ment of humanity. The government despondent and ended all by tak. of the United States appreciates the

indefinite prolongation of which has The powers of Europe have brought to bear all their influence on the government of Spain, and are still actively at work seeking by the wisest and most politic course necessary in view of the circumstances of the two great nations the first it can be stated that it is fully involved, to bring peace out of the gathering war clouds. All the capitals or Europe have been in communication to this end, a fact evidenced by the assemblage at the British embassy in this city yesterday of the representatives of the six great powers of Europe, who were made mutually acquainted with what had been done abroad, and the desire of those who accredited them

progress with a view to arriving at a in accord here. WASHINGTON, April 7 .- Thomas Estrada Palma, delegate of the provisional government of Cuba, when asked standing reached, as the ambassa lors and ministers at Washington have re- this morning if he had any comments ceived no instructions. Their only in-formation thus far is that the notes are passing by telegraph between the capi-Rubens, counsel of the Cuban junta, tals. It had been understood that dictated the following reply: "All I struggling for absolute indene that Great Britain had held aloof from They have made tremendous sacrifices for this purpose. They consider them-selves already emancipated from Span-ish rule, therefore they will resist all efforts to make them pay anew allegiance to the sovereignty of Spain."

Texas Joins the Flying Squadron. FORT MONROE, Va., April 7 .- The battleship Texas steamed into Hampton Roads this morning at 7:30 o'clock and at 8 o'clock dropped anchor with the flying squadron off Fort Monroe. She is fully painted the lead war color and is in the best of condition. The Massachusetts will be down from Newport News either tonight or early tomorrow, by the Alton and Milwankee and St. Paul roads that they would meet the Santa Fe's cut in rates on packing house and the squadron will then be ready for any emergency. Commodore Schley has not as yet received any definite orproducts from Missouri river points to ders from Washington.

Lee to Leave Saturday. effect April 8 a rate of 1016 cents on this class of freight between the points Secretary Day, after a conference with named on the ground that some of its the president this morning, said he excompetitors were making that rate secretly. The Milwaukee and St. Paul Cuba by Saterday. He aid the Ameriwill carry the aut to Sioux City; cans on the island were being gotton then it will practically be effective from off rapidly, and about Saturday, he be lieved, the situation would permit General Lee to vacate his post and return to the United States.

WASHINGTON, April 7 .- The Spanish minister has received a telegram from the governor general of Cuba to the eflast evening by her little 5-year-old feet that all ramors of impending treu-brother. An older brother had just re-ble in Havana are absolutely false. No Meeting of Senate Committee. WASHINGTON, April 7 .- The senate

committee on foreign relations did not meet today. This is the first day since the message of the president relative to the Maine was received that the committee or subcommittee has not been in session considering some phase of the

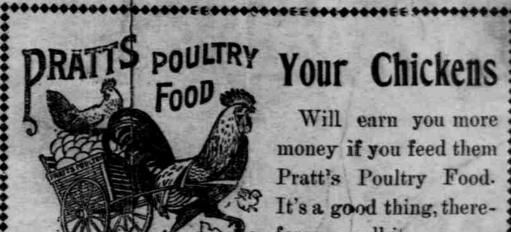
SPARKS FROM THE WIRES. The wheat yield of Victoria colony stimated at 10,400,000 bushels.

Millinery For Easter.

There is no question but that our trimmer-Miss McGrew-has on display for the inspection of the ladies of North Platte and vicinity the most stylish creations of millinery ever shown in our store. We are confident that our line of Hats will please the ladies and we are anxious that they call, knowing full well that the prices will prove as satisfactory as the designs are pretty.

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Parcel l'ost System CHICAGO, April 7 .- The National Parcel Post league is the name of an organization formed at a meeting of representatives of several Chicago busin houses at the Sherman house. The object of the league is to induce the government to introduce a system of transportation of small packages through the mails after the manner of the parcel post systems of Europe. It is claimed the high rates in this country practically GREAT give the express companies a monopolof the business and the added claim in set up that if properly conducted the new departure would be a source of

revenue to the government. CHICAGO, April 7 .- The carpenters strike which began Monday came to a large contractors signed the union carliarge contractors signed the union carliarge contractors. This is a victory for the strikers. The strike caused 5,000 union carpenters to quit work. The agreement signed is practically the same as the one previously in force, except for the provision for a weekly pay day, Saturday half holiday during the summer months and a more stringent enforcement of the 37% cent an

hour wage scale. Farm Lands Inundated. Springfield, O., April 7. - Word Our Ten-Cent Cigars are the reached this city yesterday afternoon that 400 feet of the waste way of the reservoir at Lewiston, Logan county, had given away under the pressure of flood water and that thousands of acres of farm lands were inundated. Many small buildings and barns were carried away and much damage done to fences and wheat crops. No lives were lost, but the loss to property is estimated at

Protest Against Beer Tax. WASHINGTON, April 7.—A delegation representing the United States Brewers' association appeared before the ways and means committee of the house and protested against the proposed increase of the tax on beer to meet war

Holcomb Offers Militia.

Lincoln, Neb., April 7.—Last night
Governor Holcomb sent a telegram to
the president tendering the services, in case of war, of the fall strength of the or \$35 per section, for pasture land state militia, which he states can be made ready for movement on short

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