

Local News in Brief.

DR. F. W. MILLER, GRADUATE DENTIST.
Office over Straits' Drug Store.
John Singleton has been granted a government pension of six dollars per month.

The North Platte contingent at the W. N. E. A. at Ogalalla returned home Saturday night.

The annual commencement exercises of the North Platte high school will be held at the opera house on the evening of May 27th.

Sam Morant is getting his cattle, which he has had out in different places, together preparatory to taking them to the Birdwood range.

Chas. B. Hanford and Miss Helen Grantley, supported by a strong company, will present "The Taming of the Shrew" at the opera house on the evening of May 9th.

W. C. Cole, the hog buyer of Nichols precinct, has had telephone connection made with his farm residence for the benefit of those who desire to get daily hog prices.

Seven cars of cattle were received from Alexandria, Neb., Sunday and will be placed on the range a dozen miles south of town. They were shipped by Carl Broeder and E. Sprigg.

"A Hoosier Daisy" drew a good-sized audience at the opera house Saturday evening. The play is a fairly good one, but did not come up to the expectations of some of the audience.

The high school baseball team received its new suits yesterday from Chicago. The uniforms consist of maroon shirts and pants and white caps and stockings. The team, arrayed in the new suits, presents a very natty appearance.

The local G. A. R. post has secured Rev. Dr. Bradford to deliver an address in this city on Memorial Day. Dr. Bradford is one of the most eloquent speakers in the west, and will make an address that will be deserving of a large audience.

Ben Layton living in the east part of the county brought in the scalps of thirty-six coyotes last Friday that he had killed, and for which he received thirty-six dollars bounty. Lincoln county is paying out on average of one hundred dollars per month for coyote scalps.

Quite a number of farmers in the section tributary to the city have invested in hand cream separators and they claim that they make money by this investment. One man tells us that since using the separator his butter product, under similar conditions, is two pounds per churning greater than under the old system of gathering cream.

Mrs. Jesse Osterhout and family desire to express their thanks to the members of the G. A. R. and I. O. O. F. societies and all friends who so kindly gave their help and sympathy during the illness and death of their dear husband and father Jesse Osterhout. May God's blessing reward them for their services.

In the county court yesterday the case of Waldo against Harrington & Tobin was heard. The defendants owed the plaintiff thirty five dollars for rent of the Farrington Hotel and this they offered to pay, but Waldo claimed that when they took charge of the hotel they assumed a debt of about one hundred dollars which was due from Danbaum. This latter claim, being unfair and unjust and one in which Harrington & Tobin was in no way responsible, they refused to pay. Judge Baldwin gave Waldo a decision for the amount due from Harrington & Tobin, but held that they were in no way responsible for the amount due from Danbaum.

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\$15.00 Suits

There is a difference of Five Dollars between what you **\$10.00** have to pay and what you ought to pay. How, when, where and why we got hold of them isn't of interest of you, the price is. Shall be pleased to show them to you today.

Star Clothing House.

Julius Essig was up from Maxwell yesterday.

Las. Rannie has been off duty for several days owing to an attack of lumbago.

C. W. Burklund and Will Coker of Sutherland were in town on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McIvane will attend the grand lodge of the Eastern Star at Grand Island this week.

Cy Fox, who was down from Garfield yesterday, says small grain in that section is looking nice, although the cut worms are doing some damage. The acreage planted to corn in that part of the country will be large.

Geo. L. Carter, who represented North Platte in the shooting contests at Omaha last week, did not make winning scores, but he averaged up better than two-thirds of the shooters. On Thursday he broke 159 blue rocks out of a possible 170, and in the contest for the Nebraska championship his score was two below the winner.

The remains of Mrs. Andrew Struthers, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Robeson, at Ogden the latter part of last week, were brought to this city Sunday night and the funeral held at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. Attending the funeral were Mrs. Maggie Robeson of Ogden, Mrs. Mary Edwards of Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. A. Struthers of Sidney.

Levi Duke has been awarded the contract for repainting the exterior of the Episcopal church.

Rev. Geo. A. Beecher received a telegram Sunday announcing that a nephew in Chicago, who had been placed in a hospital, had been given up by the physicians. Should death occur Rev. Beecher will go to Chicago.

Painting and Papering neatly done. Work guaranteed.

ROY SHAFFER.

Two hoboes, who offered for sale a half dozen bottles of whisky, were run in by Marshal Huntington yesterday. A search of their persons revealed two watches, a pair of lady's slippers and other articles which are supposed to have been stolen. The men are being held pending word from towns in the west, they having come from that way.

The last issue of the Gandy Pioneer says: "John Polzkill, John Beckius, Geo. Kramer, Many Kramer, John Tortel and Peter Karn were in Callaway last Friday with hogs. For the best they received \$6.40 per hundred weight. Their total sales were about \$700. All of these parties live five or six miles west of Gandy. Mr. A. C. Kirby was there to receive and ship the hogs."

Stock Cattle For Sale.

100 head of cattle, all ages and both sex. Will sell in bunches to suit purchaser.

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Womens' Oxfords and Slippers.



Women's Slippers and Oxfords for dancing or street wear, are shown here in pleasing variety. Late styles that are comfortable and pretty.

Strap Slippers

Light weight, thin sole, Kid Slippers, with one strap that buttons over instep, strap ornaments with black satin bow and jet or metal buckle at—
\$1.25

Strap Slippers

Pretty, dainty, thin soled Kid Slippers, with three bar strap, fastening over instep with three buttons at—
\$1.50

Kid Oxfords

Very fine Kid Lace Oxfords with light turn sole, pretty toe shapes, tipped with patent leather. Dull or bright kid tops; Cuban heels, all sizes and widths
\$2.50

Kid Oxfords

Neat styled, easy fitting Kid Oxfords with flexible soles; neat round toes, kid and patent leather tips; lace or button fastenings—\$2.00 \$1.75 and—
\$1.60

Colonial Oxfords

The most popular low shoe style of the season. Pretty ones here, in fine kid and patent kid; plain toes; Cuban heels, at \$4.00 and—
\$2.50

GEO. M. GRAHAM, Manager. **YELLOW FRONT SHOE STORE** North Platte, Nebraska.



Comedy Scene from Mr. Chas. B. Hanford's Production of "The Taming of The Shrew." At Lloyd's Opera House Friday Evening, May 9th.

North Platte Honored.

At the business meeting of the Western Nebraska Educational Association held at Ogalalla Saturday afternoon, North Platte was selected as the place of holding the next session of the association. J. C. Orr was elected president and Miss Eunice Babbitt secretary of the association for the coming year.

Base Ball Tomorrow.

The game of ball between the Union Pacific and Y. M. C. A. teams, which was twice postponed on account of bad weather, will be played at the Dillon athletic park tomorrow afternoon beginning at 3.30. The forced postponement of the game has resulted in giving the teams additional time for practice, and a very interesting game may be expected.

A North Platte Boy Honored.

Arthur Straborn, of this city, who for a year past has been employed in the east part of the state, has been selected by the U. S. government to make analysis of the soil at Goldsboro, N. C. Mr. Straborn left for Washington, D. C., the latter part of last week to receive his instructions, and from there will go to Goldsboro. The position at the latter place may be only temporary, but further service with the government is practically assured.

Numbering Houses.

Six or eight years ago the city council passed an ordinance ordering all business houses and residences to be numbered. This work was taken up by a party, but little was done. R. H. Langford has now taken up the work and is making a canvass of the city. He carries with him a sample of the number plates which he sells, the strong point of which, in addition to its beauty, is that it can be read as easily by night as by day.

We believe residents will take kindly to having their houses numbered, for by this means a stranger can be intelligently directed to any house which he desires to find—or he can easily find the place himself. The expense of the number plates is slight.

In connection with house numbering, we understand Mr. Langford will probably issue a city directory.

Mrs. Kate Connelly has gone to Cheyenne, where she expects to make her future home.

Talk about clean walls, everybody can have them all the time at very little expense with Wall Paper only 5 cents a double roll. Newton has it at that price.

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You Need Carpets.

Our sample line is larger than any other in the city.

We Will

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Is now ready for your inspection. Everything needed for furnishing a house complete will be found at our store. Furniture for the kitchen, dining room, bed room and parlor in profusion. See our carpet samples.

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THE BIG STORE.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Chas. Ware went east yesterday morning.

Mrs. O. W. Neale returned yesterday from her visit in Colorado.

Mrs. W. J. Patterson will leave this week for a visit with her sons in the west.

Will Jeffers, his mother and his sister Mrs. C. F. Whalen returned from South Dakota Sunday evening.

Mrs. Frank Simpson and children left Saturday morning for Denver, where Mr. Simpson is working.

Irving Crane, late clerk at Streitz's drug store, left yesterday for Cheyenne, accompanied by his wife, where he has secured a position.

Mrs. G. W. Finn will attend the grand lodge of the Eastern Star at Grand Island this week and from there will go to Kansas City to visit her mother.

Mrs. Henry Markel and Mrs. J. Walzenbach, of Omaha, came up Sunday and will remain until after the May Party. The ladies are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fikes.

W. E. Price, arrayed in a new suit so bright in color that it made the blue sky look yellow, went to Cheyenne Saturday morning, where we understand he will work for the Union Pacific company.

Fred Giun and family went to the Chestnut ranch Saturday afternoon, where Mrs. G. and the children will remain while Mr. G goes to Perry, Iowa, to be present at the final settlement of mother's estate.

A Musical Romance.

One feature of the Y. M. C. A. entertainment to be given at the K. P. hall on May 24th, will be a musical romance, which will no doubt prove very interesting. In addition to this romance, several musical numbers, vocal and instrumental, will be rendered, and at the close of the program the ladies' auxiliary will serve ice cream and cake.

Alfalfa, Cane and Millet Seeds for sale by Jos. Hershey, North Platte, Nebraska.

We Excel

As Dewey at Manila his par did well, So we in our products try to excel.

That this principle is appreciated by the purchasing public is proven by the liberal patronage accorded us. These cash prices do the work:

Cane Granulated Sugar 18 lbs.	\$1.00
Cozad Morning Glory Patent Flour per sack	1.05
Cozad Valley Patent Flour per sack	.95
North Platte Patent Flour per sack	1.05
Kerosene Oil per gal.	.15
Best Gasoline per gal.	.22
Arm & Hammer Soda per lb.	.08
Cow Brand Soda per lb.	.08
Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch per lb.	.08
Kingsford Corn Starch per lb.	.08
Standard Sweet Corn per can	.08
Standard Vinegar 45 grain per gal.	.20
45 grain White Wine Vinegar per gal.	.25
H. J. Heinz Co. Best Cider Vinegar per gal.	.35
Large Lemons per dozen	20c
Gold Dust Washing Powder 4-lb box	.18
Stock Salt, 100-lb sack	.60
Sulphurized stock salt 50-lb blocks	.50
Regular 30c Brooms	25c
Eastern standard tomatoes per can	.13
Regular 35c M. & J. Coffee per lb.	.32
Regular 30c M. & J. Coffee per lb.	.27
Regular 25c M. & J. Coffee per lb.	.22
Regular 20c M. & J. Coffee per lb.	.18
Regular 50c Sun Cured Japan Tea per lb.	.45
Regular 40c Sun Cured Japan Tea per lb.	.35
Large pkg Vegetable Seeds	.04
Large pkg Flower Seeds	.04

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