

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## NEWS OF TOWN AND COUNTY.

The county commissioners spent Wednesday at Sutherland viewing roads and bridges.

Union Pacific Storekeeper Weller has tendered his resignation and will be relieved in a few days.

Sam Bowers, who was arrested on the charge of making a false affidavit to get on the U. S. pension rolls, secured the necessary bond Wednesday and was released from jail.

Wanted—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. T. Field.

"The Missouri Girl" was presented at the Keith Wednesday evening to an averaged sized audience. Part of the play was very good, and other parts were very tiresome.

State Game Warden Carter, of Lincoln, has been visiting relatives and friends in town for a few days. The change in the governorship will probably leave George out in the cold.

Miss Tillie Blankenburg has decided not to accept either of the governmental positions offered her, and will remain in town, where her services as stenographer are constantly in demand.

George Nunn, who put on the Elks' Minstrels last week, is in Kearney doing the same stunt. The Kearney Hub says that Fred Garlow, of this city, will take part in the Kearney production.

Material for the new Union Pacific three-section ice house has begun to arrive, and Foreman Murphy with a force of thirty-five men will begin construction work in a few days. This new house will have a capacity of nine thousand tons.

Joe Tridle was down from Sutherland Tuesday soliciting funds to assist in paying the premiums offered for exhibits at the Sutherland corn show, which opened today and continues tomorrow. He received subscriptions amounting to fifty-two dollars.

Grace Hayes Lambert, the heroine in "The Girl and The Stampede," is said to be a very clever actress, and is the possessor of a pleasing voice and personality. This play will be presented at The Keith Wednesday evening of next week.

"The Sunny Side of Broadway," which is the bill at the Keith tomorrow evening, is conceded to be one of the most elaborate attractions of its kind on the stage. It is a musical comedy in two acts, and the songs are the newest of the new. Murray and Mack, the Irish comedians, are of course a big feature of the show.

Attorneys for Trustee Tabor yesterday filed a plea of jurisdiction in the North Platte federal court asking that the case of the Union Pacific against the Trustee be dismissed because the amount involved is not \$2,000. This is the case wherein the Union Pacific seeks to recover possession of the outer 100 feet of the right-of-way it claims.

Mrs. Ralph Platte, who has figured so prominently in the daily papers of late in connection with army officer Tucker, was formerly Miss Myrtle Fry, who with Miss Watkins, opened a hospital in the Third ward of this city some eight or nine years ago. At that time Miss Fry was inclined to be a little too liberal in her social conduct, and this so disgusted Miss Watkins that the hospital was closed. Since then her career has been somewhat along the line of an adventuress.

There is a pretty romance connected with "The Girl and The Stampede." Bess Crabtree, the heroine, is heiress to an old English legacy, with the proviso that she must marry her cousin, Arthur Harrington, on reaching her maturity; otherwise the fortune goes to charity. Bess being opposed to the marriage, a scheming uncle fearing to lose the fortune by Bess marrying some one else, succeeds in isolating the family on an interior western ranch in Wyoming, where Bess meets Cal Blair, a typical cowboy, who saves her life from a herd of stampeding cattle. A friendship springs up which ripens into love, not to be shaken even when Cal Blair has been accused of cattle rustling, for she, by a clever ruse, deludes the sheriff's posse and assists Cal to make his escape. But being compelled to marry her cousin to save her father from ruin, the wedding day is set and the ceremony is about to take place when suddenly Cal Blair appears. On seeing her cowboy sweetheart the old love sprang up anew, and without a moment's warning she elopes with Blair, pursued by an infuriated uncle, angry father and a rejected bridegroom to a neighboring ranch, where old Squire Wilson, Justice of the Peace, performs the ceremony. The play throughout is very intense and exciting, with some of the most laughable characters ever produced. At the Keith Tuesday evening, November 17th.

Keith Theatre,  
C. H. STAMP, Manager.

Tuesday,  
November 17th

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THE FAMOUS  
MONTANA

Cow-  
Girl  
Band

Street Parade  
At 4:30 P. M.

This is Friday, the 13th. If things don't "hitch" well today you know the reason.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Savin Tuesday and deposited a girl, much to the joy of the parents.

The government has asked for a deed to the Woodhurst lots and it has been sent to Washington. Major Woodhurst had owned the lots for thirty-eight years.

A letter received by P. J. Gilman Wednesday from his son Alfred, who is a missionary in China, announced the death of the latter's eldest child, a boy about three years old. Death was due to some intestinal poisoning after an illness of about twelve hours.

Henry Yost was the recipient of a surprise party Monday evening from his children and grand-children on the occasion of his seventy-fourth birthday anniversary. The guests numbered twenty-seven and it was certainly a gathering that all enjoyed.

#### Kinkaid's Plurality.

In a letter to The Tribune, Congressman Kinkaid writes: With all the counties in this district heard from, it appears that I have a majority of 2,500 (over Westover) votes, which relatively considered is the best run I have ever made for congress. Please express my heartfelt thanks to my supporters for the good vote given me.

#### Will Organize Relief Society.

St. Patrick's Council No. 1211, Knights of Columbus, will organize a sick and indemnity association, the membership to be confined to members of the council, but it is not obligatory upon knights to become members of the association.

The by-laws, which have not yet been adopted, provide for a sick or disability benefit of five dollars per week.

#### Applicants for Supreme Judge.

Among those who have filed their applications for appointment as supreme judge, as provided by the constitutional amendment adopted at the recent election, are Judge H. M. Grimes and Judge J. S. Hoagland, of this city. The power of appointment lies with Governor Sheldon. There are about twenty applicants for the four positions. The west part of the state should be recognized by the selection of one of the two North Platte applicants.

#### May Open Bank.

M. Dowling, of Omaha, spent Tuesday in town, his visit here being to look over the ground and feel the sentiment of our business men in regard to the opening of a new bank. Mr. Dowling expressed himself as pleased with the town and the business conditions, and it is probable that the institution will be established. If the legislature passes a bank deposit guarantee law, the Dowling bank will be under a state charter, if the law is not passed the institution will probably be a national bank.

Mr. Dowling is interested in a number of banks in the state, and if one is opened here it will probably be in charge of his son.

#### For Sale.

1 new Holland Feed Grinder for power, 1 double set Driving Harness. Inquire of Dieky Bros.

#### Eleven Killed in Wreck.

The little station of Borie, west of Cheyenne, was the scene Tuesday evening of one of the most disastrous and horrible wrecks that has occurred on the Union Pacific, six train men and five Japanese laborers losing their lives, and three trainmen badly injured and bruised. Among the latter is Joe Clinton, a former North Platte boy, who was engineer of the construction train.

The collision was due to a freight, heavily laden with coal, getting beyond control of the engine, and tearing down the track struck the caboose and engine that was just leaving Borie for Cheyenne. The impact was so great as to completely wreck the engines and almost the entire train and strew the wreckage for a distance of several hundred yards. To add to the horror of the collision, the wreckage caught fire and some of the victims were burned beyond recognition. The engineer, fireman, conductor and two brakemen of the runaway train were killed or cremated, and the Japs were in the caboose when it was struck.

The train was under control of the engine two stations back, and the engineer slowed down his train. Leaving that station the train started to gain speed as it journeyed east until Conductor McCormick noticed the increased speed and from the caboose signaled the train men to apply the hand brakes. This was done but it had no perceptible effect on the train which continued to gain speed until it struck the work train at Borie which is the junction point of the new Borie cut off from the main line.

Relief trains were hastened to the scene of the wreck and the injured were removed as quickly as possible to the Union Pacific hospital at Cheyenne.

#### Foot Ball Tomorrow.

A game of foot ball will be played tomorrow on the field on the north side of the track at three o'clock between the Kearney Military Academy and the local high school teams. The K. M. A. is a strong team. It defeated the local team on the Kearney field a couple of weeks ago by a score of five to nothing and the following week played a nothing to nothing game with Grand Island high school team. It is therefore expected that the game tomorrow afternoon will be an excellent one, and one that is deserving of a large attendance.

The North Platte high school foot ball team will take a trip next Wednesday, playing the Kearney high school eleven that afternoon and the Grand Island high school team the following afternoon. This will be the first game North Platte has played with Grand Island for eight years ago. That long ago some bad blood was engendered, and not until this season did the atmosphere clarify to make a game possible.

#### Bargains in City Property.

Beautifully located eight room cottage, strictly modern, shade, and only two blocks from postoffice, \$3000.

One of the finest residences on Dewey street, just complete, two lots, \$3,600.

Six room cottage with corner lot, \$2,800.

Five room cottage, \$1,800.

Good four room house with barn and two lots; snap at \$1,100.

U. H. TRULLINGER.

#### ABOUT PEOPLE

Wm. Coleman was a visitor in Cheyenne yesterday.

W. C. Elder transacted business in Kearney yesterday.

Frank Mooney spent yesterday with relatives in Lexington.

John William Rowland returned yesterday from a week's visit with friends at Grand Island.

Chas. Johnson, of the racket store, has been in Omaha for a couple of days purchasing holiday goods.

Miss Celia Quirk, of Green River, Wyo., is a guest of relatives in town, having arrived yesterday.

E. D. Owens and family, who had been spending the past year at Delta, Col., returned to town this week.

O. E. Elder leaves tomorrow for Medicine precinct where he will devote a few days to hunting quail, which are said to be numerous in that section.

Alfred Seannell and his friend Mr. Maloney, who were guests at the A. B. Hoagland home for a few days, left yesterday for Los Angeles, where they expect to locate.

C. S. Clinton was called to Cheyenne Wednesday evening by the condition of his brother J. C. Clinton, who was burned and scalded in the wreck at Borie Tuesday night.

Sam Richards returned yesterday from Omaha, where he had been transacting business for a few days. While in that city he contracted rheumatism and was not able to be at his place of business yesterday.

Edward B. Linnen, an inspector from the interior department at Washington, spent several days in town this week checking up the local land office. At the conclusion of the work he complimented the local officers upon the first-class condition in which he found the books and records of the office.

Will North Platte be short of ice next season? This is a question that is being asked, and the inquiry arises from the fact that with John Frazier out of business the capacity of the remaining houses—though all are filled—will be insufficient to meet the demands of the city. O. E. Weil is taking the safe side by having erected a house of 200-ton capacity in which he will store sufficient ice for his own needs.

That chair—Let me fix it.  
P. M. SORENSON.

Lincoln parties have been in town for several days looking over the Harrington & Tobin stock with a view of purchasing. Up to today, however, no definite move has been made. This firm has concluded to dispose of its interests here in order to concentrate its business in Denver.

#### New Line of Business Opens.

We have just secured the agency for the New York Life Insurance Company, the old reliable in this line. If you are not carrying life insurance, or if you are carrying some and wish to increase the same, call and have us explain the many good forms of policies that this company issues.

TEMPLE REAL ESTATE & INSURANCE AGENCY.

#### For Sale.

Thirty-three head of high grade Herford yearlings. Apply to or address A. B. Gregg, North Platte, Neb.

#### Puckarus Island.

Sam Warnock marketed hogs at Maxwell last week.

Harry Mayfield and wife, of Gothenburg, were visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rose this week.

Farmers in this vicinity have commenced to crib their corn.

F. M. Drake and E. Hostetter each lost a spring colt recently with day and temper.

John K. Ohren and wife attended the birthday party of the latter's sister in Morant canyon last Saturday night and report a fine time.

Mrs. C. O. Bockus departed for her home at Sabetha, Kansas, Sunday morning accompanied by her father T. F. Shires, of Kimball, Neb.

The box social Saturday night given by Mrs. Bertha Livingston on the Island was well attended and the program well rendered. For some unknown cause J. L. Lewis was absent but the other two members of the board was present to help bid the boxes and make things interesting along that line. The proceeds amounted to \$30.20 which will be used for the benefit of the school in Dist. 117.

#### Best the world Affords.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil, ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved us many a doctor bill," says A. F. Hardy, of East Wilton, Maine. 25c. at Stone's drug store.

#### Myrtle News.

Raleigh Reynolds was a business visitor at North Platte this week.

Miss Pearl Bakewell and Irwin Gibbs

were married Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at high noon the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's parents in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends. Pearl has grown to womanhood in this vicinity and is loved by all who know her for her loving and sweet disposition. Mr. Gibbs is a prosperous farmer and is noted for his sterling qualities. Congratulations and best wishes are extended to these young people by a host of friends.

Z. A. Russel has been hauling material for a new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Neale, of Ogden, Iowa, arrived for a visit with his brother A. J. Neale and family.

Miss Maude Thompson spent a few days at home, returning Sunday.

Miss Lillie Bakewell, of Lincoln, and Agnes, of North Platte, came home to be present at the wedding of their sister Pearl.

The supper at Mrs. Hydaon's was a success in every way, the ladies clearing \$21.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jensen of North Platte visited E. C. Allison the latter part of the week.

#### How is your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market to-day." This great tonic and alterative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Stone's drug store.

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