

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

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## NEWS OF TOWN AND COUNTY.

Gus Huffman left Wednesday for a few days visit with friends at Bloomington, Neb.

Tuesday was a banner day for ticket sales at the depot, the total for the twenty-four hours amounting to \$658.

We handle all kinds of Milwaukee Sausages, the best manufactured. Come and see what we have.

### TRAMP, The Grocer.

Deputy Sheriff Lowell returned last night from Lincoln where he escorted Charles Hunter, who will serve a three years sentence in the penitentiary for forgery.

Cadet band benefit at the opera house picture show tonight. Fine pictures and good vaudeville stunt. Attend and thus give the boys needed financial encouragement.

Beginning December 1st the shop force went on an eight-hour day. This reduction is not relished by employes, as the checks have been none too large to meet the expense of winter living.

Rincker's Book Store is agent for the Victor and Edison Phonograph and records. Will duplicate any prices in the United States.

A two hundred ton compound engine of the mogul type passed through Wednesday to do service on the Moffat road. This is the first of several engines of that class that has been ordered for that road.

For Rent—My 8 room house on west Third street. Address Paul Goss, 333 No. 29th St., Lincoln, or see J. R. Ritner.

Leslie Hoagland, a young man well known in North Platte, has resigned the cashiership of the Farmer's Bank, of Gandy. We have not learned what Mr. Hoagland expects to do in the future.

Those indebted desiring to settle will find us at the old stand for the next 30 days. Harrington & Tobin.

E. R. Smith recently made a trip from Gandy to North Platte in his gasoline wagon in one hour and fifty-five minutes. Considering the nature of the country traveled, the run was a remarkably fast one.

Deputy United States Marshal Sammons came up from Kearney Wednesday and committed J. H. Edmisten to the county jail for a term of three months, following his recent sentence by the federal court at Omaha.

The normal temperature for December is twenty-eight degrees, the average precipitation is forty-nine one hundredths of an inch, and the coldest December day in thirty-four years was on the fourteenth of the month in 1901 when the temperature registered thirty below zero.

We don't overdraw it when we say we have the finest and biggest line of Queensware and Decorated China in town, and the prices are lower than ever before. Come in and inspect our stock. You will be pleased.

### TRAMP, The Grocer.

Register Evans, of the United States land office, recently received an inquiry as to whether there is in this district a tract of land suitable for a government rifle range. There is not, however, a suitable tract still remaining in the government's possession that is sufficiently near a railroad.

With eggs selling at thirty cents a dozen and the winter just setting in, it looks as though "ham and" will be procurable in mid-winter only by men who have phrethoric pocket-books. The barons who bought eggs last summer at ten cents a dozen and stored them, are certainly making a nice thing out of their investment.

Walter Scott, better known as "Death Valley Scotty", passed through Tuesday enroute to New York to interest capitalists in one of his mining schemes. Scott is the fellow who squandered a million in a few months, and during that time created a sensation in New York. He says he has sowed his wild oats.

We will have a complete line of up-to-date Christmas goods consisting of Skates, Sleds, Express Wagons, Carving Sets, Chafing Dishes, Silver Knives and Forks. A full line of Rochester Silver Plated Ware and a complete line of Aluminum Ware. We can supply the wants from the least to the full grown. WORKMAN & DERRYBERRY.

Fifty-one carloads of sugar beets were shipped from Sutherland this season. This represents only part of the crop raised in that section, as shipments were made from sidetracks more convenient to the beet fields. The growers are reported to be well satisfied with the returns, and a much larger acreage will probably be planted next year.

D. B. Carlisle, who lives three miles west of the experimental farm, will sell his stock and farm machinery at public auction on December 17th. He expects to remove to Oklahoma.

A mask ball, under the management of M. Van Brocklin and C. C. Cooper will be given at the Chas. Gerken barn in Medicine precinct on Christmas night. A basket supper will be served.

Roy Mecomber was fined five dollars and costs in the police court Wednesday morning on the charge of indulging in a fist encounter the evening before and of which he seemed to be the instigator.

A good sized audience was present Wednesday evening at the Cutter-Mack entertainment, the third number of the high school lecture course. Both men proved to be excellent in their respective lines.

Prof. Leonhart, the piano tuner, is in town and will remain in this vicinity for a couple of weeks. Mr. Leonhart is also in a position to sell you a good piano at a less price than you can secure from any other dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover and son, of Jacksonville, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dill. Mr. Hoover, who is a brother of Mrs. Dill, is a machinist by vocation, and thirty-nine years ago worked in the Omaha shops.

The Burke-Votaw-Murray Commission Co., of Denver, have shipped fifteen hundred head of sheep to the local stock yards where they will be fed corn and hay for sixty or ninety days, and then forwarded to market.

Herman LeDioyt expects to move into his new house on the corner of Sixth and Willow the latter part of next week. This residence is one of the finest in town and will certainly make Mr. LeDioyt and his family a comfortable home.

Usually the approach of Christmas is productive of hymeneal ventures, but this season seems to be proving an exception. So far as known, only two weddings will transpire between now and January 1st in which North Platte people are directly interested.

The Payne Investment Co. escorted a half dozen or more prospective land buyers to Lewellen Wednesday. Among the number was John Mullen, traveling passenger agent for the Northwestern, who invested in a tract of land in that section.

Don't overlook an Eastman kodak when looking for Christmas gifts. They will be appreciated by any one to whom they are given.

Walter Ellis, a well known actor and theatrical director, is in town and has made arrangements with the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors to put on a play in about two weeks. Mr. Ellis promises the people of North Platte an excellent production.

Chafing Dishes, Leather Goods, Hair Combs, Fountain Pens, Cut Glass, Watches, Diamonds and the finest line of jewelry ever displayed in our city. Call early and get the best selection.

### DIXON, The Jeweler.

Edward Mahoney, traveling passenger agent for the Milwaukee, W. D. Clifton, traveling freight agent for the Union Pacific and John Mellen, traffic ambassador for the Northwestern, were in town Wednesday. We acknowledge a pleasant call from the two first mentioned.

Rev. F. C. Taylor, of Central City, Neb., will deliver an address at the Episcopal church this evening on Alaska. Mr. Taylor, who is a very entertaining speaker, was for a number of years a missionary in Alaska. A very cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend this service.

Diamonds for Christmas are a safe investment, as well as an always acceptable gift. We are offering this season some exceptional values in fine diamonds. Let us show you we can save you money. DIXON, The Jeweler.

Business at the county offices, or at least such as would prove of interest to our readers, has been quiet this week. At the clerk's office few transfers of real estate have been recorded, in Judge Elder's court the principal business has been probate matters, no new cases have been filed in the district court, and in the treasurer's office the issuance of personal tax receipts has been about the only business transacted. Usually the court house is productive of a good many news items for the reporters, but not so this week.

### 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, \$3,500.

Six room cottage with corner lot, \$2,500.

Five room cottage, \$1,800.

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

The beautiful Cryderman home on West 6th st., partly furnished, \$5000.

O. H. THOLECKE.

## Personal Mention.

Dick Schleas, of Omaha, is a guest at the Sam Richards residence.

S. P. Delatour, of Deuel county, was in town yesterday transacting business. Sam Richards will return tonight from a business trip to Omaha and Chicago.

Mrs. Will Jeffers, of Ogden, is visiting her parents, having arrived Tuesday night.

John Burke, of Denver, was in town yesterday, having brought down two cars of sheep from Colorado.

Vern Langford, who has been employed in the east for a couple of years past, is in town visiting his mother and sisters.

O. W. Gamble, of Wayne, arrived in town yesterday and will remain for a few days looking after his real estate interests.

Rev. Powell, late of Sutherland, was in town Wednesday enroute to West Point, Neb., where he will accept the pastorate of a Lutheran church.

Judge S. B. Syder, of the superior court at Council Bluffs, was in town this week and closed a deal with O. H. Tholecke for a tract of Keith county land.

Mrs. Wm. Eves came down from Hershey Wednesday and left the same day for a visit with her son George at Stockton, Cal., going via Denver and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Park, of Sterling, Colo., visited relatives in town Wednesday while enroute home from Omaha, where they spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Park's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Streitz and son Ferdinand leave the early part of next week for Washington D. C., where they will visit their daughter Ruth and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stewart for six or eight weeks.

Rev. J. F. Seibert went to Omaha Wednesday night to attend the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the first Lutheran church in Nebraska. Mr. Seibert will deliver an address on that occasion, having been assigned the subject of "Fifty Years of Lutherism in Nebraska."

## Society Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Weingand entertained the members of the Lutheran choir, their husbands and close friends, together with the pastor and his wife—about twenty—Tuesday evening. Various games were introduced for the amusement of the guests, and refreshments, which were much enjoyed, were served at the close. The affair proved a most agreeable one.

Miss Sarah Richards was the recipient of a surprise party Wednesday evening on the occasion of her thirtieth birth anniversary, eighteen or twenty of her young friends composing the invading party. The evening was devoted to various amusements and every one had a jolly time. Enjoyable refreshments were served.

## Railroad Notes.

Elmer Owens is off duty on account of a carbuncle on his left arm.

Wm. Hyland, a veteran conductor on the mountain districts of the Union Pacific, died at his home in Laramie Monday.

Twelve cars of lumber for the new ice houses have been received and unloaded, and a half dozen more cars are expected in a few days.

Messrs. Dean, Gutherless, Hupfer and Guzman, who spent a day or two this week hunting geese at Oshkosh, found the fowl rather scarce at that particular time.

Ralph Starkey and Geo. Winkowitch left this morning for Lewellen where they will hunt geese for a few days. Starkey was up in that section a few days ago and bagged nine in one day.

The Union Pacific is storing a considerable quantity of coal at this point. Owing to the rush of traffic last summer the customary stock of coal was not stored at this terminal, and a surplus is now being unloaded for use in case of a snow blockade on the mountain districts.

Foreman Murphy, of the Union Pacific bridge and building department, is a firm believer in the good results of advertising. He requested the writer to insert a few lines stating that carpenters and laborers could secure work on the new ice house, and since then he has been overwhelmed with applicants.

Freight traffic on the Union Pacific is reported to be fairly active for this season of the year and the crews are making good mileage. It is said that the company has secured a big transportation contract that will help out business very much during the next month.

## City Council Proceedings.

Council, Chamber, Dec. 2, 1908. Council met in adjourned session with all members present, except Mayor McCabe, who was out of the city.

The monthly report of the city treasurer was read, which showed a balance in the treasury of \$3,277.33 November 30th, 1908.

A demand from the county for the refund of sewer taxes paid on the jail property was referred to the city attorney.

The back part of the Mrs. Ellen Murphy property was selected on which to place the First ward hose house, in place of where it is now, as Mr. Burney has purchased the lot where it now stands and desires its removal.

The street committee was instructed to order ten more paper baskets for the business part of the city.

The water works ordinance that is now before the council, the same being introduced last meeting by Attorney J. G. Beeler, was read the second time.

An electric light was ordered placed on the corner of Seventh and Locust street. The electric light company was also ordered to place the arc light that is now on the railway crossing on Locust street, and on the west side of the pole, the pole being on the west side of the crossing causing a large shadow on the crossing, on the east side of the pole so as to eliminate this shadow.

Upon motion city attorney was instructed to draw an ordinance amending the lunch wagon ordinance so as to read \$60.00 per year, payable quarterly instead of \$100.00 per year payable semi-annually. This was done as it was found that the \$60.00 per year is the customary charge in other towns of this size.

All claims against the city, except one, were allowed.

The following city firemen were granted certificates of service, as they had served the required five years in the fire department; Thos. Golden, Ralph Smith, Charles J. Pass, Albert Stageman and James Golden.

Harrington & Tobin have an office in the Keith Theatre. All desiring to sell Hay and Grain will find us there. Room 5, Telephone 250.

## Loudon Stock Sold.

The Loudon stock of groceries, in the room south of the postoffice, was sold at public auction Tuesday afternoon by Trustee Davis to Perry and Frank Buchanan for \$1,800. It is the intention of the Buchanan brothers to restock the store and conduct an up-to-date grocery. Both have had experience in this line of business and we predict for them a successful business career. The store will be re-opened for business as soon as the new stock is received and shelved.

## For Sale.

Pure bred Duroc-Jersey boars. Good bone and shape. Also pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock and Buff Orpington Cockerels. Will take grain in trade. Call on or address Blankenburg Bros., North Platte, Neb.

## FOR SALE.

At the Experimental Sub-Station. Some choice Duroc-Jersey Boars at \$15 each. Twenty-five head of yearling steers and heifers; nearly all of these are Aberdeen-Angus grades. Brome grass seed of the crop of 1908 at 10 cents per pound. Kherson oats for seed at 60 cents per bushel. There is no more winter wheat for sale. W. P. SNYDER, Supt.

## ESTRAY NOTICE.

Taken up on my premises situated on the north east quarter of section 34, township 15, north of range 39, Lincoln county, Nebraska, the following described animal to wit:—One light red bull about 18 months old, weight about 500 pounds, no brand visible. Said estray was taken up about the middle of June, 1908. MAURICE BREEN.

## Seven Years of Proof.

"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. Its timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Stone's drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Barb wire for sale at Hershey's, corner Fifth and Locust St. Phone 15.

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All of the assets of the association being invested in first mortgages on improved real estate in the City of North Platte and the association being operated under the supervision of the State Banking Board, there can be no safer investment.

T. C. PATTERSON, President; SAMUEL GOOZEE, Secretary; E. S. DAVIS, Asst. Secretary.

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A. M. Lock.

## Estray Notice.

Taken up, seven calves, two heifers and five steers, five and one-half miles east of Hershey, ten and one quarter miles west of North Platte. Parties owning same can have them by proving property, paying cost of notice and their keeping. DALLAS WILLS.

## Five Hundred Dollars

Buy the northeast quarter of section 10, Twp. 11, Range 34. No terms. Will mail deed to any bank desired. S. E. Donahue, P. O. Box 662, Seattle, Wash.

## NOTICE.

To the persons who have made application for county bounty on coyotes. As the state legislature convenes soon and it has the power to appropriate money for the payment of state bounty on coyotes, etc., Your attention is called to this matter that you may file claim with the Secretary of State for bounty if you wish to do so. F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.

## Notice to the Public.

All parties are warned against throwing ashes in the street ditches. No objections to depositing them in middle of street or in alleys. W. B. SALISBURY, Street Commissioner.

## A RARE BARGAIN If Taken Soon.

An eight acre lot adjoining the town of Sutherland and about forty rods from the town school. Four room house and new barn on land. Four acres in 20-year-old locust grove, would cut \$500 worth of posts; 2 1/2 acres in alfalfa; four acres fenced with hog tight wire, and other improvements. Will take \$2,800. Address Box 24, Sutherland, Neb.

## For Sale.

Fine Imported Percheron and Shire Stallions for sale, or to trade for other stock. All young and sure breeders. Address Will G. Galaway, McCool, Neb.

## LADIES' CLOAKS

## AND SUITS.

The ladies of North Platte and vicinity are fast learning that they can be well dressed and that their clothing will have that stylish look if bought from our Ready to Wear Department. They are finding that this class of goods bought from us cost no more than if bought elsewhere, while we give them far better values in workmanship and style and all those little touches that every woman realizes make her appear better dressed than her neighbor. The time to buy winter suits and cloaks is in the fall when you can get some benefit from wearing them. Our line is still complete.

Wilcox Department Store