

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## EASTER GIFTS and EASTER WEDDINGS.

Year by year the Easter gift becomes increasingly popular as a token of friendly esteem and affection, while Easter weddings succeeds the solemn Lenten season as day succeeds to night.

For wedding and for Easter gifts, therefore, fitting preparation has been made by us of numberless appropriate articles ranging from the daintiest of trifles to the most elaborate of special pieces.

Let us show a few of our choice articles.—Newest of the new.

**DIXON, The Jeweler.**

### TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Mrs. E. R. Plumer visited friends in Brady yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gibbs left last night for St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Samuelson leave tonight for their future home in Seattle.

C. L. Patterson came down from Denver Saturday morning and spent the day in town.

L. R. Ginther, who had been spending a few days in town, went to Chappell Sunday.

T. T. Keilher who had been in town for several days, returned to Cheyenne Sunday evening.

J. W. Payne arrived from Omaha Saturday with his forty horse power Overland car, a chauffeur making the trip with him.

Judge Grimes, Reporter Cary and Attorney Halligan went to Kimball Sunday, where a term of district court will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hershey, who recently sold their stock farm near Olathe, Kas., will remain in that town until the children finish school in June and will then go to California.

Mr. Robertson, who purchased the Conroy place at Pallas has shipped in his personal property and the family will arrive from Oconto this week, making the trip in their automobile.

On April 8th, 9th and 10th Mrs. W. H. Turpie and Miss Mary Guillaume will hold a sale of hand painted plates at Howe & Maloney's store. These plates will be sold at one dollar each.

At the Sunday morning service at the Lutheran church a class of eight were confirmed in the presence of a congregation that filled the seating capacity of the church. Following the service the class presented Rev. Seibert with a handsome bible.

See our display of diamonds this week.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

The Twenty-second annual ball of the North Platte fire department will be held at the skating rink next Monday evening. As it is the first dance following the Lenten season, it will undoubtedly be largely patronized. The committee in charge are confident that the ball will prove a pleasant event to every participant, at least they have made the arrangements with that end in view.



### A Better Finish Than the Natural Grain

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**Stone Drug Co.**

The Presbyterian aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. McDowall.

Seventy Knights of Columbus in a body attended mass at St. Patrick's church Sunday morning.

Mrs. James Flynn returned from Denver Sunday night. Mrs. Barker, whom she went to see, is somewhat improved.

A meeting of the Lincoln County Medical association will be held at the office of Dr. N. McCabe Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. Maggie Hall, who had been spending a couple of weeks with the Hilliker family in Denver, returned home Sunday night.

The Mack Cigar Co. did not rent rooms over McCabe's drug store as intended, but has leased the room south of the Star Bottling Works on Locust street.

C. C. Hansen has sold to Axtel Grandjean the southeast quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter and southwest quarter of southeast section 22-13-31, 280 acres, for \$5,800.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Hartman leave the early part of next week for a visit with relatives at Glens Falls, N. Y., and will also visit Washington, New York and other eastern cities. They will be absent about thirty days.

For Sale—Six room house at 402 W. Third; nice lawn, plenty shade, barn and outbuildings. Inquire of R. A. Garman at Star Livery Barn.

Mr. Burnham, who was to succeed John Gillings as clerk at the U. S. land office, writes that he does not care to accept the position. It is probable that Miss Tillie Blankenburg will be appointed to succeed Mr. Gillings.

"The Professor's Melody," which was recently presented at The Keith by high school students, will be presented at Maxwell by the same cast next Saturday evening under the auspices of the young people's christian society.

Ladies, our new line of Barettes are different from those other stores carry. Let us show you.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

F. Lawrence Walker, manager of the Chas. B. Hanford Co., which appears here April 23d, spent Friday in town making arrangements for that attraction. It is a coincidence that the appearance of the Shakespearean actor in North Platte occurs on the birth anniversary of the immortal Shakespeare. Mr. Hanford and company will present "The Winter's Tale," and is supported by a company of about thirty, including Miss Drofna.

The board of directors of the Chautauqua Association report that everything connected with the coming session is progressing satisfactorily. With the program complete, the tent accommodations secured, and the shareholders promptly paying the first payment on their stock, everything looks bright and the only thing needed to make the session a complete success will be the proper patronage of the public. This, it is believed, will be given.

Saloon men in North Platte don't like the idea of having to close their places of business at 8 p. m. as provided by the law passed Friday, yet they will, if the governor signs the bill, take matters philosophically and do the best they can under the reduced receipts which will necessarily follow early closing. At least two of the local saloon men believe that state wide prohibition is only two years off, and that they might as well begin to look up other business vocations.

W. V. Hoagland leaves tonight on a business trip to Omaha.

Dr. Bent, a physician of Hayes Center, was in town Friday and purchased a runabout automobile of Salisbury & Hinman.

C. H. Bostwick who has made his home in or near North Platte for several years, moved last week to a farm near Paxton.

Frank Conroy, who lately sold the former Murphy ranch at Pallas, left Saturday for Lomax, where he has purchased a farm.

M. V. Gray has laid the foundation for a new residence in Miller's addition that will cost complete about five thousand dollars.

A wrestling contest between Oscar Wassam of St. Louis and Carl Madison, state champion of Minnesota, is announced for tomorrow evening at the skating rink.

Remember, every 25 cent cash purchase entitles you to a ticket on the clock in our window, which would be an ornament in any home.

SCHATZ & CLABAUGH.

The county commissioners convened in session yesterday and spent the day in auditing and allowing claims and looking up road matters. They will remain in session several days.

N. E. Workman, who has been suffering from inflammatory rheumatism is reported to be improving, and hopes to be able to be at his place of business in a few days.

Mrs. James Ware, son Paxton and daughter Margaret were up from the Pawnee ranch yesterday. They expect to remove to Blair in the near future, probably some time next week.

Increased business has called for increased room at the Pass greenhouse, and the foundation is being laid for a sixty-foot addition. We are glad to see the people appreciate the efforts of Messrs. Pass to supply them with a good quality of flowers.

The Dixie Quintette, which will appear at the Keith theatre April 14th, come highly recommended as vocalists and artists on string instruments. The program includes all the old melodies that are so popular and which one never wearies of hearing.

The board of health has concluded that cleaning up time has arrived and elsewhere publishes a notice to property owners. Really such a notice should not be necessary, for every man should take sufficient pride in his premises to willingly remove the refuse which accumulates during the winter months.

Mrs. Wm. Eves, of Hershey, has recently returned from a visit with her son George and family at Stockton, Cal.

Chas. W. Baskins, who has been suffering with sciatica rheumatism for several weeks, has gone to Excelsior Springs to try the efficacy of the water.

James Belton is planning to erect a two story cement addition to the building occupied by Howe & Maloney. That firm is crowded for room and will use the new addition for storage purposes.

J. Q. Wilcox has purchased the J. B. Jeter residence on west Fifth street for a consideration of \$6,000. Mr. Jeter and family expect to remove to California following the close of school.

Having made a new lease with the government for the postoffice room, the Odd Fellows will now proceed to re-paper and repaint the room, an improvement that has been needed for some time.

John LeMasters has let the contract to John Hinman for the erection of his two story building on Sixth street and work will begin at once. The building will be of cement block with pressed brick front.

A class of twelve men were initiated into the Rebekah degree lodge Friday evening, and the attendance of members was greater than the seating capacity of the hall. Following the ceremonies refreshments were served. The Rebekah lodge has a membership that nearly reaches the 200 mark—189 to be exact.

The service at the Episcopal church next Sunday morning will be of more than usual interest because of the presence of Bishop Graves, who will hold confirmation service. The evening will be devoted to a missionary service by the Sunday school.

Mrs. Wm Edwards and daughter, who had been visiting North Platte friends, returned to Grand Island Sunday night. It was Mrs. Edwards' intention to purchase the M. B. Cryderman property on Sixth street, but satisfactory arrangements could not be made.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Yates, of Sutherland, spent Sunday in town with relatives. Mr. Yates is secretary of the Sutherland Auto Co., which is handling the Ford cars. He says that so far the company has sold nine of the cars. The four-passenger pattern of these cars cost \$850 at the Detroit factory.

### For Rent.

New seven room house with bath, six blocks from bank. Second ward. Inquire at 723 West 6th St.

CON WALKER.

## What are Your Groceries Costing You?

Look over your pass book and see the difference you are paying. It pays to pay cash.

- Cane Granulated Sugar, 17 pounds ..... \$1.00
- Tulip Patent Flour, per sack ..... 1.45
- Gothenburg Patent Flour, per sack ..... 1.45
- Gothenburg O. K. Flour, per sack ..... 1.40

- 3-lb pail Swift's Silver Leaf lard... .40
- 5-lb pail Swift's Silver Leaf lard... .65
- 5-lb pail Swift's Premium lard... .70
- Perrie Viasu Maple Syrup per gal. 1.25
- Corn Syrup 10-lb pail... .40
- Lewis Lye per box... .08
- Diamond C Soap, 8 bars... .25
- Pearl White Soap, 7 bars... .25
- Gold Dust, 4lb pkg... .22
- Paddle Bluing 10c size... .07
- Paddle Bluing 5c size... .04
- Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch per pkg... .08
- Kingsfords Corn Starch per pkg... .08
- Best Gloss Starch per pkg... .05
- Best Corn Starch per pkg... .05
- Sapolio per pkg 9c, 3 for... .25
- Ammonia per bottle... .09
- Seeded Raisins 12-oz pkg... .08
- 16-oz Seeded Raisins, per pkg... .10
- Currants 12-oz pkg... .10
- Bulk Raisins, large, per lb... .08
- Cocoanut, the best, 1-lb pkg... .15
- Cox's Gelatine 13c, 2 pkgs... .25
- Knox Gelatine 13c, 2 pkgs... .25
- Royal Baking Powder 1-lb can... .45
- Dr. Price's Baking Powder 1-lb can... .45
- 10-oz can K. C. Baking Powder... .08
- 15-oz can K. C. Baking Powder... .13
- 25-oz K. C. Baking Powder... .20
- 5-lb can K C Baking Powder... .80
- Pumpkin, per doz \$1.10, per can... .10
- Hominy, per doz \$1.10, per can... .10
- Kraut, per doz \$1.10, per can... .10
- Sliced peaches (in heavy syrup) per can... .20
- Standard Corn, per case 1.60 per can... .08
- Standard Tomatoes, per case 2.25, per can... .10
- Soaked Peas, per case 1.40, per can... .06
- Fresh Peas, per doz 1.10, per can... .10
- Cove Oysters large can, 8 oz... .15
- Cove Oysters small can, 4 oz... .08
- Sugar Cured Bacon, per lb... .16
- Salt, best grade, per 100 lb... .75
- Soda Crackers wooden boxes per pound... .06
- Oyster crackers wooden boxes per pound... .06
- Full Cream Cheese per lb... .20
- Shredded Wheat Biscuits, 13c per pkg, 2 for... .25
- Sugar Nuts, per pkg 13c, 2 for... .25
- Mothers' Oats, large size, per pkg... .25
- Duke's Mixture tobacco 16-oz pkg... .35
- Horse Shoe Tobacco per pound... .45
- Yankee Girl Tobacco 18 oz plug... .35
- Kerosene oil per gallon... .15

Cash counts. Buying groceries or any other kind of goods on time costs you greater interest than any bank in the country would charge you. Then it saves that dispute about your account. If you don't believe it give it a trial.

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EVERYBODY will be wanting Oxfords and Ties during the next few months and we suggest that you make an early selection while the lines of widths and sizes are full and there is such a choice variety of styles from which to make your selection

### MEN'S SHOES.

Oxfords, Ties and Pumps in new Spring Models, black or tan.. \$2 to \$6

### WOMEN'S SHOES.

Oxfords in tie or button style. Ribbon Ties, new ankle strap Pumps \$2 to \$5

Our low cut shoes are correctly made and, if we do the fitting, there will be no slipping at the heel or gaping.

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FOLEY BLOCK, DEWEY STREET.

### RAILROAD NOTES.

The "Katy" road has issued a bulletin to the effect that any employe who gets his check cashed at a saloon will be discharged.

The Cheyenne Tribune states that a force of men is now engaged in removing the snow from the gravel pits at Buford and it is expected that they will be reopened about April 20th. The ballast for the double track from Watson's Ranch to North Platte will be taken from the Buford pits.

On train No. 3, which was wrecked at Castle Rock, Wyo., last Wednesday were Asst. Supt. W. M. Jeffers, J. Q. Mathews of the board of examiners and H. C. Blickensderfer, but fortunately none of them were injured in any way. Supt. Whitney personally thanked these three men, so well known in North Platte, who took charge of the rescue work and literally drove the passengers out of the three coaches which subsequently burned.

After years of experimenting with sparks arresters the Union Pacific Railroad company has finally solved the problem in the form of the Lignite Bonnet, better known as the "Merry Widow Stack," which entirely eliminates the throwing of sparks and fire from the stacks on locomotives burning the Hanna No. 2 coal (being almost semi-lignite.) The invention has been on test for the past sixty days on several locomotives, and is considered by railroad experts a complete success. The bonnet is the invention of Master Mechanic Niland and Foreman McCabe of the Cheyenne shops.

Bulletins have been posted by the Union Pacific calling attention of train men to the marking of defective air brakes on cars, and requiring all to be marked plainly, with the exact place where the brakes were discovered to be out of order. It is also ordered that where a slow signal shall be placed shall be at least a quarter of a mile from the track where work is being done. These are but two of the recent regulations that the U. P. management is insisting upon for the protection of its property and the life and limb of its passengers.

### For Sale.

I have just listed two of the best 80 acre tracts between the rivers six miles from North Platte, both well improved with permanent water right fully paid up. Good terms. These homes should sell at once to home people. Call and see me.

O. E. ELDER.

### Cream Wanted.

We buy cream for the David Cole Creamery Co., of Omaha, and pay the highest market price. Deliveries accepted at any time. Prompt remittance every week.

THE TRAMP GROCERY.

North Platte feels somewhat slighted because it failed to get a representative on the state normal board. Friends of J. J. Halligan urged the powers that be that he be appointed a member of the board, but as usual western Nebraska, which seldom gets recognition, was turned down.

### Notice to Citizens.

Notice is hereby given that all persons must at once begin removing refuse matter from yards and alleys. Failure to do this will result in the work being done by the city at the expense of the lot owner.

By order of the BOARD OF HEALTH.

## Junior Suits For MISSES and SMALL WOMEN



Style 2275 made from dull green shade of fancy suiting. Collar trimmed with ribbed silk, cuffs and collar trimmed with fancy metal buttons and gilt soutache braid. Skirt is made in latest style.

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