The Tribune.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1893.

—See Dr. Salisbury's card in this paper.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sprague entertained a party of friends on Thursday evening of last week.

—The rapid sales on those paper holders at James Belton's prove them to be very popular for presents.

—A boy baby put in his appearance at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. P. McDonald Sunday morning.

—The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold their annual chicken and waffle supper Friday evening, Dec. 15th.

—Just think! A doll 3 feet high for $1.00. See them at the Book Store.

—The Wallace Star states that Coroner-elect Calvert is very low with pneumonia at his home near Somerset.

—Clinton, the Jeweler, extends a cordial invitation to the general public to visit his store this week.

—District court adjourned Thursday until Monday of next week. The court docket is being pretty well cleaned up.

—"Marshall's Best" Minnesota flour, equal to the best. Try a sack; at Chas. McDonald's.

—Ned, the five-year-old son of W. J. Stuart, had his tongue badly lacerated last week by falling on a barb wire fence.

—The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Saturday at three o'clock p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Slack.

—Hector McLean, an old resident of the city, died on Thursday of last week from pneumonia, superinduced by la grippe.

—Claus Mylander, of Mylander precinct now visits North Platte on a bicycle though he owns quite a number of horses. He prefers the wheel to a buggy.

—One of those Bissell carpet sweepers at James Belton's would make a useful present.

—The exact amount of sugar turned out at the Grand Island factory the past season was 1,835,900 pounds, a decrease of 264,100 pounds from the output last year.

—Our former townsman S. P. Delatour has surveyed an irrigation ditch three miles long on his Deuel county ranch and will begin excavating early in the spring.

—For good Christmas presents go to Evans' Book Store.

—The many friends of Mrs. P. J. Gilman will be pleased to know that she is recovering from her attack of inflammatory rheumatism with which she has been afflicted for two months past.

—The subjects of sermons in Presbyterian church next Sabbath will be: morning, "The Ideal Christian." Evening, a sermon especially to the men of North Platte on "The Future Life."

—A variety of first class sewing machines can be had at very low prices at James Belton's.

—Following in the track of other enterprising papers, THE TRIBUNE will donate a year's subscription to every couple married in Lincoln county during the year 1894. This offer is made for the purpose of encouraging [illegible] in marriage.

—Department Commander Church, Adjutant Evans and we believe one or two others went up to Ogalalla this morning to attend a camp-fire given by the G. A. R. Post of that place. Mrs. Church also went up to inspec the Women's Relief Corps.

—At the beginning of the present year the Union Pacific company owned 117,560 acres of land in Lincoln county and since then has sold 15,560 acres, leaving a balance of 102,000 acres, which is offered for sale at an average of $3.75 per acre.

—Hanging lamps, stand lamps, vase lamps, at Chas. McDonald's.

—Rev. S. B. Barnitz, western secretary of home missions of the Lutheran church will preach at the Lutheran church in this city to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Members of the congregation and all others are invited to be present.

—Judge Holcomb on Friday last decided not to grant a new trial in the Walker murder case recently tried at Lexington. A motion in arrest of judgment has been filed, the affidavits accompanying the same reciting that Walker is now insane, and a jury will examine the prisoner as to his mental condition.

—James Belton can give you the lowest figures possible on pianos and organs.

—The board of trustees of the Lutheran church have been casting around for some time past for a minister, but so far have failed to secure one. This organization is quite strong in membership, have an excellent and commodious house in which to worship and it is hoped a pastor will soon be secured.

—Senator Manderson is using his influence toward securing the early payment of judgments obtained by Nebraskans in the court of claims under the Indian depredation law. W. M. Hinman of this city has a judgment of $1,000 under this law, which we believe is considerably less than the actual loss he suffered by reason of Indian raids.

—If you want anything in the holiday line that is nice and worth buying, go to the Book Store.

—Mrs. R. A. Folsom was in town yesterday soliciting subscriptions for the Tabitha Orphan Home of Lincoln. She has solicited in North Platte for several years past and has always found the people very liberal. Last year she received eighty-five dollars from our citizens, but this year the total was not quite so large.

—We have a nice line of China goods for holiday trade. Come and see them at Chas. McDonald's.

—Geo E. French and Mrs. B. H. Edmonds were married Saturday morning last at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. M Oberst, and left on No 2 for a short wedding trip. The groom is one of our most successful and well known lawyers and the bride a lady of high social standing, though only a resident of the city for a year or two. They are a very worthy couple and THE TRIBUNE is pleased to unite with friends in extending to them its most hearty and best wishes for the future. Mr. and Mrs. French will at once go to housekeeping in the former's residence in the west part of town.

—St. Peter dropped down at the home of John Delay Friday and left a fine boy baby.

—Buffalo Bill's pet deer escaped from the corrall last Sunday, but was subsequently captured.

—A mental photograph social will be held at the Iddings' residence to-morrow evening. Admission ten cents.

—The Modern Woodmen will elect officers for the ensuing term at the regular meeting on Wednesday evening of next week.

—Have you seen those 3 foot dolls for $1.00 at The Book Store?

—As usual the Sunday-schools of the city are preparing for Christmas exercises and the little folks will have a happy time of it.

—A woman loaded to the guards with whiskey and carrying quite a swag of silver caused a ripple of excitement on the streets Monday evening.

—Elkhorn Lodge No. 28, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, will hold its annual ball at Lloyd's opera house on the evening of the 29th inst.

—Morris Fowler and W. E. Snelling have formed a partnership and opened a second-hand store and auction room in the Lamplugh building on east Sixth street.

—The I. O. G. T. will hold an oyster supper and social at the store room lately vacated by L. Thoelecke, on Saturday evening, Dec. 16th. Everybody invited.

—A lot of new centre tables just opened at James Belton's.

—THE TRIBUNE was pleased to see Chief of the Fire Department Weeks on the streets yesterday. He had a hard tussle with the grim monster, but came out victor.

—THE TRIBUNE is not "guessing" on the democrats who will be appointed to fill the local land office; it simply republishes some guesses made by the other fellows.

—Buy your groceries of Chas. McDonald. You can save money.

—Wm. Coleman, who for the past five years has been engineer at the Kearney waterworks, has acceptrd a position of head engineer with the North Platte water company.

—Owners of poultry complain that raids are being made on their flocks. Some persons not having the proper fear of God or man are evidently fixing themselves for a Christmas dinner.

—C. P. Dick returned yesterday morning from a trip up the road in the interest of the irrigation convention. He reports that all towns along the Union Pacific in Nebraska will send delegations.

—DOLLS.—We have the largest assortment of dolls in western Nebraska at Evans' Book Store.

—We understand Perry Hill has purchased the right to sell in Lincoln and Logan counties the oil attachments for stoves recently exhibited in the Holteen store room, for which, it is said he paid six hundred dollars.

—You can find Christmas presents at Clinton's ranging in price from fifty cents to fifty dollars. The variety of articles is almost limitless, and the important part is that they are of late design and quality in price.

—Dr. Somers, successor to Dr. Hingston.

—The Episcopal fair and supper announced for Tuesday evening of next week has been somewhat disarranged by the irrigationists concluding to hold a meeting at the opera house on that evening. The ladies will, however, give a supper on next Tuesday evening in the room vacated by Newton, and on Wednesday evening, Dec. 20th, will hold a fair and dance at Lloyd's opera house.

—Several crates of new goods were received by Clinton, the Jeweler, yesterday and they are now on exhibition at his store. A number of articles are the finest we have seen exhibited in town, and well worth seeing, even though you have no intention of buying.

—On Friday evening of this week the North Platte Fire Department will hold its sixth annual ball at Lloyd's opera house. If there is one organization or society which deserves the liberal financial support of our citizens, it is the fire department, and THE TRIBUNE believes that this is generally recognized. The members of the department practically receive no compensation for their heroic work during fires, and the time they devote to the good of the organization. Their interest never lags, and they respond with alacrity to all fire alarms no matter how pressing their work may be at that particular time. They are, therefore, entitled to the hearty support of our people, not only by words of commendation, but in a financial way when opportunities are presented, such, for instance as the coming ball. Many men do not dance, and do not care to go as spectators to a dance, but they should be glad to contribute their mite in the purchase of a ticket and thus help along an organization whose worthiness cannot be questioned. If the ball does not net the boys at least one hundred dollars THE TRIBUNE will conclude that our citizens do not properly appreciate their efficient fire department. Let everyone make it a point to purchase either dance or spectator tickets.

—Glass ware, water sets, at Charles McDonald's for holiday trade.

—The irrigation meeting at the court house Monday evening, which was really an open meeting of the Business Men's Association, was certainly an interesting one, and while the audience present was fair in size it was not as large as the importance of the matters discussed demanded. In the absence of President Hammond, who was sick, M. C. Harrington occupied the chair and stated the object of the meeting, namely, the advancement of theories on the subject of irrigation and the perfecting of arrangements for the state irrigation convention to be held in this city commencing on Tuesday of next week. Judge Hoagland was the first gentleman called on for a speech. The Judge was not a practical irrigationist, but it must be apparent to all that the rainfall in this section was not sufficient to produce successive crops, and that irrigation was the proper thing. In the ditch west of town we had a practical demonstration of the benefits of irrigation. He was followed by Mr Wilcox, who, while not discourraging a general irrigation of the west, spoke at length on the practicability of constructing ditches to irrigate the bottom lands on the north and south sides of the river. The completion of such ditches would probably cause a heavy evaporation of water and undoubtedly result in increased precipitation of moisture. Mr. Fort, who has labored so earnestly for the success of the coming state convention, was called to the floor and gave reports of the work he had performed and named the distinguished gentlemen who would be present and address the convention. From reports he had received, he was assured that at least two hundred delegates would be present, and that the number might reach three hundred and fifty. Rev. Irwin, Mayor Warner, and Messrs. Park, Grimes, Rhea and Iddings made practical remarks on the subject and believed that it was the duty of every citizen to take an earnest interest in the convention and make it a success. It was the sense of the meeting that the hotels could not properly accommodate all the delegates, and it was requested that citizens entertain as many delegates as possible. This proposition was well received and those present at the meeting agreed to take care of about thirty. It was requested that all citizens who can entertain delegates leave their name with T. M. Clark, secretary of the Business Men's Association. It was decided to hold the convention at Lloyd's opera house, thus insuring accommodations for all who wish to attend. The reception committee was increased to ten in number, and after the transaction of some other minor business the meeting adjourned.

(December 12th, 1893.)

A RED LETTER DAY.

We received this morning the finest line of Silverware that has ever been in the city, consisting of Tea Sets, Waiters, Water Sets, Cake Baskets, Nut Bowls, Jewel Cases, Soap Boxes and novelties of all kinds for ladies, gentlemen, children and everbody. Our Holiday trade has been better than last year because we have a larger and finer stock than ever before. Would be pleased to have you call and see our new goods. All articles engraved (not scratched) free of charge.

CLINTON, THE JEWELER.

THIRD WARD LOCAL EVENTS.

COLLECTED BY ALIBI

Mrs. F. L. Lawrence was sick a few days and required the assistance of a doctor.

Hugh Bird is hauling dirt and filling in his lot while business on the road does not take him away.

Franklin Peale has offered to lease one of several of his lots to the military company for a site for an armory.

The ladies of the Baptist church gave a supper and sociable at the residence of Mrs. A. R. Bonner last evening.

Mrs. Maggie Quirk, of Green River, Wyo., returned to her home Monday evening, after spending two weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffers.

Mrs. L. B. Darling and daughter Mrs. T. E. Morrison, will go to Omaha tomorrow. The former will return in a few days while the latter will spend the holidays with friends in Omaha.

A continuous progressive carpet rag sewing society is making the rounds of a few neighbors and preparing rags for a carpet. One of the participants says it is also a sort of a progressive talking match.

[illegible] with the Water Works Company, went to Kearney Monday to work for Supt. Wilson of the city water company of that place. Mr. Yost is a promising young man and he will be under good tutorship in his new home.

A horse belonging to R. A. Wilson, county clerk of McPherson county, was driven to town on Saturday by a Mr. Harrison, but it took sick on the way and died a few hours after reaching town in Jordan's barn. Horses are cheap, yet the loss of a good one is felt by its owner.

The Wild West Hose Company held its annual election last Thursday evening and the following officers were elected for the coming year: Foreman, Oliver G. Sayre; 1st asst. foreman, Ernest F Tramp; 2nd asst. foreman, G. Charles Yost; secretary, H. O. Evans; treasurer, V. VonGoetz. Mr. VonGoetz was reelected to the position he has held since the organization of the company. The retiring foreman and secretary David Scott and Colonel Owens have more than served their allotted time and they will resign and give way to others.

The publication of the minutes of Buffalo Bill Hook and Ladder Company last week has caused considerable comment. The hose company responsible for the turning of the water upon Mr. Woodhurst was the team from this ward. When Mr. Woodhurst appeared in a second story window and gave the information that there was no fire there, a bystander yelled, "turn the water on him" and the water was turned on the impulse of the moment without any malicious intent, while to some members of the company the identity of the man in the window was unknown. A member of the W. W. Hose Co. said that the H. & L. Co. could doubtless put anything on its minutes that it saw fit to approve but the minutes of last week should not have been published. In my mind there was nothing wrong intended and if the incident was the cause of any enmity to arise between the companies it should be dispelled. One thing, however, and I am not speaking of any particular fire, will always remain a part of our fire department so long as our city is not large enough to support a paid department and that is that there are too many bosses among outsiders at every fire.

Five Dollars Reward.

I will give the above reward for the detection and conviction of the thief or thieves who hauled away a lot of fence boards, posts, etc., from my farm within the last few days. CHAS. MCDONALD.

To The Public.

The story concerning George T. Buzza defrauding me of my money, or even one cent of it, is a falsehood, and the party or parties who manufactured that lie did so without any foundations to build upon and are devoid of principle and honor. It probably originated from some of the citizens I could mention who were very anxious to borrow money from me, without securing same, who reside on the north side of town, or possibly it came from some of the electric messengers on the block on which I live. Mr. Buzza is one of my best and most valued friends and my officious neighbors and relatives will oblige me by leaving my affairs strictly alone hereafter.

MRS. EVA OWENS.

PEREGRINATING PEOPLE.

Frank E. Clark came in from Omaha Monday night.

H. M. Grimes transacted legal business in Ogalalla Monday.

A. S. Baldwin was an Omaha visitor the early part of the week.

Mrs. N. F. Donaldson leaves to-night for a brief visit with friends in Omaha.

Mrs. H. L. Wilcox, of Saratoga, Wyo., is a guest of her sister, Mr. L. H. Balser.

I. M. Clark has been the guest of his brother Frank at Wellfleet for several days past.

W. J. Stuart left last night for York, Neb, on business connected with the Masonic order.

Mrs. W. F. Cody and daughter arrived home from La Crosse, Wis., Monday night. The Colonel is in New York this week.

Mrs. J. H. Hershey was in town yesterday having come down the previous day to attend the meeting of the Early Hour Club.

Mrs. McKinney, of Ogalalla, and Mrs. R. A. Miller, of Sidney, have been the guests of Mrs. C. E. Norton for several days past.

C. L. Lundstrom, clerk at Longley's, was called to Holdrege last week by the serious illness of his mother. He returned to the city Monday.

T. C. Patterson and Chas. Stamp are in Lincoln this week attending the convention of the state league of local building and loan associations.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fikes left last night for Omaha, having received a telegram yesterday that Mr. Snell, a brother of Mrs. Fikes, had died rather suddenly.

E. F. Rideout, Chas. Hendy and John Dick attended the Y. M. C. A. state convention held at Fremont the latter part of the week. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Foley, of Sioux Falls, S. D., visited North Platte friends for several days the latter part of the week. They are very much pleased with their present home, and Mr. Foley has been very successful in his business enterprises.

—Platte Brand of canned fruits and vegetables, equal to any on the market at Chas. McDonald's.

School Notes.

School will close Friday, Dec. 22, for a vacation of two weeks.

Miss Forsythe is able to teach after sickness of one week.

Some repairing has been done in the central building.

A few absences have occurred on account of sickness.

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Quite a number were dismissed Friday afternoon.

Some of the heating apparatus have been recently improved and repaired in the different buildings.

The holidays allowed during Thanksgiving were enjoyed by many and all returned seemingly refreshed.

A class in chemistry has recently been formed consisting of a few of the senior class. The text book is supplemented with work in the laboratory.

The intermediate and grammar departments have added much to the appearance of their rooms by the purchase of pictures of Lincoln and Washington.

The mock trial which was to have been rendered Friday afternoon was necessarily delayed by the absence of two of the participants. The parts are assigned as follows: Judge, Clifford Besack; clerk of the court, Ernest McGrew; sheriff, John Dick; attorneys, Chas. Hendy, Frank Edmonds, Fred Elliott and Hilliard Ridgely. The following is a synopsis of the trial: Opening of the court by the judge introducing the case on the docket, swearing in of the witnesses, pleas by the attorneys, judge's address to the jury, decision of the jury and announcement of the verdict. The trial will be given Friday p. m., Dec. 15th. F. L. M.

Shop and Road Notes.

Emil Erickson returned last week from a visit with his sister a Chappell.

Fred Westenfeld, who has been sick since the latter part of October, managed to get out for a little fresh air Friday.

Trains No. 4 and 2 Monday were about twelve hours late owing to a rather bad wreck near Evanston the night before.

Dad Cruzen received one of the Stannard & White cab seats the other day, and like all others who use them, he is well satisfied.

Engine 716 is being rebuilt in the round-house for want of room in the back shop. There are now six engines on the blocks in that shop.

Engine 709 proved a little light for trains 2 and 7 and is now in the shop with a broken frame. The 689 has taken her place on the run.

The bridge and building gang is putting up new smoke jacks on the round-house, a majority of the old ones having rusted off just above the roof.

Robert Shuman is again on duty, having about recovered from his recent injuries. Fred Barraclough, who was off ten days on account of sickness has also returned to work.

Fred Sandall, who has been suffering for several months with a disease which seems to have baffled the local physicians, was taken to the U. P. hospital at Omaha Saturday for treatment.

In speaking of Union Pacific matters the other day president Clark said that the earnings for November would show a considerable falling off, and that the depression of the silver industry had caused serious loss to the road.

The latest wrinkle on an engine is a small bull's eye lantern on the fire box door of the 839. This is for the purpose of throwing light on the pit of the tank, and will prove quite a convenience for the fireman. It is one of Jack Sullivan's "inventions."

[illegible] Times Reviewed.

[illegible] kindness of W. J. Pat[illegible] been permitted to peruse [illegible] of one of the first papers [illegible] this city, namely the Platte [illegible]ndent, bearing the date of [illegible] 1870. It was a six column [illegible] by Eberhart & Mobley [illegible] subscription price was three [illegible]num, strictly in advance. [illegible] the paper is rather dim, [illegible] fact, the editors say, that the [illegible] was partly destroyed [illegible] carlessness of the "devil" in [illegible] too near the fire. The read[illegible] contained in this number [illegible]pally of telegraphic news, [illegible] one column being devoted to [illegible]. Among the latter are [illegible] of cases held before Justice [illegible] C. Landgraber was [illegible] the court for resisting an [illegible] but the case was dismissed; Jack [illegible] and Charley Clark were charged [illegible] of mules at McPherson [illegible], but were discharged; Francis [illegible] up twice before His Honor [illegible] and was fined five dollars [illegible] on each occasion; Mart Bow[illegible] made an assault on Ben Hol[illegible] a deadly weapon and was fined [illegible] dollars and costs; George Gilmete [illegible] five dollars and costs for petty [illegible]. As the above were the cases [illegible] justice's court for one week, it is [illegible] that "times" were pretty lively [illegible] North Platte at that time. Mrs. C. J. [illegible] was superintendent of the Sun[illegible], and in appreciation of her [illegible] work the citizens had presented [illegible] with a handsome silver basket, Miss [illegible] Keith making the presentation [illegible]. An entertainment at the court [illegible] by "parents, teachers and children" is highly complimented by the [illegible]. Another item speaks of the [illegible] of passengers to cross the Mis[illegible] river on account of moving ice.

The advertising columns of the Independent were well filled. R. J. Wyman was then running a news depot, McLucas & Dick a drug store, B. I. Hinman and [illegible] B. Bacon were practicing law, Peniston & Miller were conducting a general merchandise store, J. Collar and Isaac [illegible] supplied the citizens with clothing, Otto Uhlic sold dry goods and groceries, Perry & Rowland furnished the inhabitants with "wet goods," and [illegible] hotels, the Mechanic's Eating House, the St. Nicholas House, the U. P. [illegible] Hotel and the North Platte [illegible] were managed respectively by C. [illegible], A. Struthers, Keith & Barton and [illegible] Landgraber.

[illegible] particular copy of the Independent has quite a history. In January, [illegible] W. J. Patterson sent it to his [illegible] David, who then lived in Belfast, [illegible], and when the latter came to [illegible] country in 1876 he brought it back with him, having thus twice crossed the [illegible].

ANOTHER OLD PAPER.

J. D. Sheafer has kindly permitted us [illegible] over a copy of the Lincoln County [illegible] bearing the date of Oct. [illegible] and published by Col. J. B. [illegible] and Capt. W. L. Park. The [illegible] presents a much more modern [illegible] than the Independent and [illegible] a lot of local news. It [illegible] envelope, deer and buffalo [illegible] well in this section, and [illegible] in the last issue toward the erection of [illegible] hall. This issue was published just after the fall election and one item says: "The front doors of nearly all the saloons were closed part of Tuesday, election day, but free drinks were obtainable 'around the corner.'" Personal mention is made of Alex. Adams' return from the east greatly improved in health; Alex. Stewart leaving for St. Louis to attend the B. of L. E. convention as delegate from Division 88, (which is still in existence); and an accident which befell D. E. McGuire, a soldier of Company M., then stationed at the barracks in the west part of town. Mention is made of a fire which destroyed four hundred cords of wood for the U. P. company, and during the confusion Pat O'Hare and engineer Winklepeck lost their watches and Jim Reynolds had his ruined by having water and sand thrown on him. Prof. O. D. Conterno was then leader of the North Platte Band and that organization had given a grand ball, which was pronounced a great success by the paper.

The Advertiser was a red-hot republican paper, and in closing its article on the county election it says: "Right nobly did the voters of Lincoln county do their duty at the late election. Always the strong hold of democracy and corruption, which go hand in hand, it was thought impossible to wrest the county from the iron grip of the corruptionists. But three years ago there was said to be but five republicans in the county, and one year ago there were three democrats to one republican. But steadily and rapidly the people have become enlightened and truth and justice prevails, notwithstanding the lies, slanders and vituperation resorted to by the Liberals." In this election Col. Cody was running for the legislature and Guy Barton for senator, the former carrying the county by a majority of ten and the latter by fifty-three.

At the date of the paper T. C. Patterson was postmaster and had a news stand and James Belton was county clerk; the latter also dealing in hardware and furniture. J. E. Kramph, father of Harry and Miss Anna, conducted a dry goods store in the building now occupied by P. J. Gilman; A. J. Miller and Otto Uhlic were in the same business; Dr. W. F. Carver, the now noted crack-shot, was practicing dentistry, A. B. Warner had a lumber yard at the corner of Sixth and Spruce, and A. P. Carlson was the leading merchant tailor. William Woodhurst filled the office of sheriff and also deputy United States Marshal. Dr. Longley, Franklin Peale and Theo. Eirdam had their cards in the paper and were in the same business as at present. Robt. Rowland and Mike Fillion were running saloons and Lew Baker was proprietor of the North Platte House, "meals 50 cents."

The Advertiser demands that the boundary of the U. S. land district be changed, as settlers were compelled to come 200 miles to North Platte to make homestead entries; and also remarks that settlers from the eastern states were rapidly filling up the county.

—There are thirteen kinds of lounges to select from at James Belton's.

—Edmund H. Perry, the fifteen year old boy of Bloomfield, N. J., who has made some important discoveries in electricity, and overcome faulty points where old and experienced men had failed, is a full cousin of Cashier McNamara, of the First National Bank. Young Perry is gaining a national reputation as an electrician.

—Deputy Sheriff Seaton and several other Wallaceites transacted business in town the latter part of the week.

RENNIE OUT OF BUSINESS.

Do not draw your money out of the banks and put it in an old stove or in the back yard or where thieves break through and steal. Come to Rennie's and buy your winter Dry Goods, Carpets and Shoes at less than cost. Seventy-five cents on the Dollar.

RENNIE OUT OF BUSINESS.

turn for the worst about Wednesday and Dr. Eves, of North Platte, was called in for consultation. He has improved a little since that but is having quite a serious time.

Fred Dachtler has purchased the lot lying south across the street from the church and expects to build a home in the near future. This is one of the prettiest spots in the town and the wonder is that it was not bought long ago.

John Conway is building a shed on the ranch west of town for storing baled hay. He has baled a pile of hay this fall and expects to keep it till markets are better. CITIZEN.

Nichol Nuggets.

DECEMBER 12th, 1893.

Christmas one week from next Monday.

Beautiful weather still prevails.

A number of grangers in this locality are having their corn shelled. The yield is very good.

The pork market is not very encouraging to the farmers who are feeding hogs.

Ben and George Gibbons are baling and loading hay for J. H. Hershey.

A large dark bay blind mule is boarding around in this vicinity at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown visited at the Platte Saturday last.

C. S. Trovillo had the misfortune to lose a fine milch cow by death a few days since.

Oscar Sullivan is having a tussle with the grippe these days.

A few immigrant wagons have passed down the line within the past few days.

It is stated that Will Brooks will indulge quite extensively in the poultry business next season as he is now the proud possesser of a couple of fine young turkey gobblers.

The Hershey people will have their Christmas tree in the hall on Saturday night, Dec. 23d, instead of in the Sisson school house. A bright idea.

T. C. Brown made a business trip to the ranch the first of this week.

One week more and then the pupils of this district will enjoy a two weeks' vacation during the holidays.

The K. O. T. M. dance at Hershey on Friday night was well patronized by a quiet and orderly crowd, who enjoyed a pleasant time. About forty numbers were sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fowler and Miss Pinkie Jones, of North Platte, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Trovillo the last of the week and while here attended the dance at Hershey Friday night.

A few parties from the hills came down into the valley last week and purchased from ten to twenty bushels of potatoes each from different farmers at fifty cents per bushel. It is thought that the pending Wilson bill is the cause of the boom in the "spud" market.

A. B. Goodwin's new residence is about ready for occupancy.

The main ditch east of the Nichols school house has been repaired to some extent lately.

Mr. Roberts is again munipulating the keys at Hershey while agent Smith is visiting up the line.

Bad colds are still raging to a considerable extent among the people in this neighborhood.

We understand that the literary society at the Sisson school house is in full blast.

A number of North Platte people took in the dance at Hershey Friday night.

The ditch company are erecting their new residences this season 16x32 instead of 16x24 as heretofore.

It is said that J. H. Ellison has the finest lot of potatoes in his cave that there is in this section.

W. F. Gibbons has been supplying this country with buckwheat flour of late.

We have been informed within the past few days that the ditch company will soon begin the erection of a new residence on section 17 in Hinman precinct, to be occupied by I. N. Ball the coming season.

A few loads of corn from this locality were taken to market the past week, for which thirty-two cents per bushel were received. PAT.

A "Trust" Which is Popular.

There is a great deal of indignation felt against trusts. The Sugar Trust, the Standard Oil Trust, the Welsh Tin Plate Trust, the English Salt Trust, and other combinations of the kind, are vigorously denounced, and it is a subject of controversy whether there are more trusts in England than America, and whether protection or free trade fosters them But there is one form of trust against which no one has anything to say. That is the trust the public reposes in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

AT OTTEN'S.

1,000 Pairs of Shoes at one-half price. A large assortment of ladies', children's, men's and boys' shoes. They are odds and ends. We need the room. They are now on our bargain counter.

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Look them over and save one-half your money. Don't delay; come early.

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Free For Farmers.

A fine photographic view of the world's fair, 8 x 10 inches in size, the work of the official photographer of the United States government, and accompanied by a graphic, interesting and authentic description, will be sent free by the Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean to any farmer who will send stamp for postage. Address, "Librarian," Inter Ocean.

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To The Farmers of Lincoln County.

GENTLEMEN:—The officers and members of the North Platte Local Irrigation Association very earnestly desire your attendance at the state irrigation convention that will be held in this city on Dec. 19th. The object of the meeting will be for the direct advancement of your interests. You are the individuals and your avocation will be the first to receive the benefits that will come from the united action of this combination of organizations. You can do more toward enhancing your financial interest by giving this movement your moral aid and support than you can by laboring for several days and perhaps years in the field. We are working to obtain for you something that you have a natural and legal right to claim, and something that is yours, namely, national and state appropriation and aid in various forms for the purpose of a more thorough and better system of agricultural development. This association is not, and does not, propose to become a corporation in any meaning of that term. We want your aid, we want your help and we want your moral support; therefore be with us on the 19th! Let the people from other states see that we are in earnest and that we mean business, and they will go back to their homes with hearts full of encouragement far the work they have taken up. Come and obtain the education that you will receive from hearing the distinguished and learned gentlemen from abroad address the people of Nebraska on this question that is of so much importance to us all; come, we will give you a warm welcome, and we will endeavor to make your stay with us pleasant and profitable. Come because it is your first and foremost interest to do so; come and help those that are trying to help you.

I. A. FORT, President; JOHN HAWLEY, Secretary; A. D. BUCKWORTH, Chairman Executive Committee.

Sutherand News.

DECEMBER 11TH, 1893.

Will Coker was a North Platte visitor Friday.

Ed. Searle, of Ogalalla, was on our streets Saturday.

Rev. Hatch, of Grand Island, held protracted meetings in the new church on Monday and Tuesday. He was called home and had to postpone the rest of the meetings to some future time.

Notices of the irrigation meeting at North Platte Dec. 19th are posted all over town and many of our citizens expect to be in attendance. Lets have a rousing delegation from here and help a good cause along.

W. W. Yates has sold his cattle to John Conway and they were delivered at the stock yards here on Sunday.

Mr. Lock and Elmer Coates Sundayed at Wallace. G. C. White and wife and C. A. Holtry spent the day at North Platte, many of our people were in the country, and Sutherland was nearly deserted.

Jas. Ditto is plastering Mr. Holtry's new residence in the east part of town.

John Noehrn and family have moved into their new house and feel very comfortable.

On Saturday morning the water flowed down the South river and our sportsmen are happy.

Geo. C. White has purchased a part of the Whiteside lot and will build a residence some time in the immediate future.

Christ Lundburg shipped in a car of corn from Kearney the last of the week.

Geo. McLaughlin, who has been sick since he returned from Chicago, took a

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post office at North Platte, Neb., for the week ending December 13, 1893.

GENTLEMEN.

Clark, R J — Gundersen, C T
Dougherty, J P — Patterson, Gale H

LADIES.

Mrs Jane Smith

Held for postage—Miss Lizzie Rae, Brainerd, Minn; Wm T omson, Grand Junction, Colo; Golden Fleece Mining Co, Lake City, Colo.

Persons calling for above will please say "advertised." C. L. WOOD, Postmaster

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this head will be charged 1 cent per word each insertion, but nothing accepted for less than 10cts

Dancing Lessons.

Children's class will be every Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock. Ladies and gentlemen on Tuesday evening of each week from 8 until 9 o'clock.

TERMS:

For ladies, gentlemen and children, $3 per term; 12 lessons in a term.

PRIVATE LESSONS.

Private lessons will be given at any hour suitable to the pupil.

All classes meet at Keith's hall.

MISS FARNSWORTH, Teacher.

—Holiday Goods, Pictures in Photo Gravure and Oleo-Graphs, with or without frames, at Peale's.

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES at the original North Side Grocery Store. Also Feed of all kinds and Fresh Country Produce. Give me a call. V. VON GOETZ

H. OTTEN, BOOTS AND SHOES.

—Use North Platte patent flour. Every sack guaranteed. If not satisfactory in every instance money will be refunded. For sale by all dealers.

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Studebaker Wagons at Hershey & Co's.

THE ORIGINAL NORTH SIDE Grocery Store is the place to buy groceries cheap. I take special pains to keep nice fresh country produce and will not sell anything in this line unless I can recommend it. V. VON GOETZ.

—Christmas is coming and you will need one of Daggett's Roasting Pans. They are used by over 200 ladies in North Platte, any of whom are ready to recommend it. For sale by Wm. Munson.

SCHMALZRIED DOES NOT HAVE any Nebraska tobacco cigars, but he does have some of the best in the city; also a full line of manufactured tobacco and smokers' articles.

SUFFERING WOMEN WILL ASK their druggist for Dr. Mands Herrold's Tonic Suppositories. Sold by A. F. Streitz, druggist, North Platte, Neb.

Platte Valley Lodge No. 18, I. O. G. T.,

Meets every THURSDAY EVENING at 7:30 in First National Bank Hall. UNITE WITH US.

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WANTED—A LIVE MAN TO REPresent our business in this place. Previous experience not necessary to right man. Inclose letters of reference and stamp with application. Plymouth Rock Pants Co., 408 N. 16th St., Omaha.

—Have you houses for rent? If so, list them with T. C. Patterson and you will secure tenants.

—Dr. Salisbury, the painless dentist, may be found at Dr. Longley's office on the third Monday and the following Tuesday of each month, and will extend his visit as much longer as business justifies.

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