

CITY NEWS.

—Everybody should turn out to-morrow evening and hear Butterworth's speech at the opera house.

—Bill Green passed east Wednesday morning in charge of his secretary, who went to Sidney after him.

—Rev. Geo. A. Beecher returned this morning from Sidney, where he held Episcopal services last evening.

—Miss Decker, who will have charge of Rennie's millinery department, came in from the east last night.

—Major Scharmann has been selected as marshal of the republican parade to be held to-morrow evening.

—Mrs. G. W. Ferrall of Chicago came in on No. 1 yesterday and is visiting the family of her nephew J. E. Baker.

—Perry Sitton has secured a concession on the fair grounds and will run an oyster parlor. He will erect a building 22x32 feet.

—Lewis H. Baker, of this city, has been granted a pension as a survivor of the Mexican war.

—J. Q. Feltz, pop candidate for senator, came down from Ogalalla this morning and will go to Gandy to-morrow to hold a meeting.

—In the half mile bicycle race for boys at the Kearney meet yesterday afternoon, George Crick of this city won first prize and Joe Baskin second.

—T. A. Hedendahl, of the U. P. air-brake department, who had been investigating the air apparatus at the sand-house, returned east this morning.

—Walter Hoagland went to Kearney this morning for the purpose of securing a couple of hundred torches for use in to-morrow evening's parade.

—A Mr. Atkinson, residing near Cozad, is in town to-day, having come here for the purpose of looking over the Osgood ranch with a view of renting it.

—Prof. Disraeli came down from Denver this morning. Having been unsuccessful in his late attempt to secure a wife in Denver, he may renew his efforts in this city.

—"The Defaulter" has been booked for the evening of October 3d. It will be presented by one of Carter's companies, which is a guarantee that it will be first-class.

—Messrs. Zinn and Evans, two firemen from the Fourth district, were in town yesterday taking an examination. They went to Omaha last evening for further examination.

—The social of the Christian Endeavor Society at the Warner residence Tuesday evening was largely attended. A musical and literary programme was rendered, after which watermelons were served.

—The ladies' aid society of the M. E. church was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. G. W. Dillard. Mrs. M. K. Barnum is entertaining the members of the Episcopal guild this afternoon.

—Hon. W. P. McCreary spoke to a large audience at the court house last evening and made many strong points in favor of sound money. He is a plain, practical talker and understands the money question thoroughly. His remarks were well received.

—Hon. A. C. Fish, who is sent out by the republican national committee, will speak at Sutherland on Oct. 5th, Hershey Oct. 6th, North Platte Oct. 7th, Maxwell Oct. 8th, and Brady Oct. 9th. At Sutherland and Maxwell Mr. Fish will be assisted by W. T. Wilcox.

—The Daughters of the King entertained the young people of the Episcopal parish and a number of others at the guild house last evening. The programme consisted of pantomimes and games, after which refreshments were served. It is said to have been a very pleasant occasion for all attendants.

—The state central committee of sound money democrats will hold a meeting at Omaha on October 1st for the purpose of considering the advisability of putting a state ticket in the field. Milton Doolittle, and perhaps others, of this city will attend the meeting.

—A. F. Parsons will speak at a gathering of free silverites at the court house this evening. The silverites are becoming much alarmed over the number of former 16 to 1 men in this city who are becoming members of the sound money party, and will make strenuous efforts to stem the tide. But they can't do it.

—The Chicago forecasts for to-day is: Fair to-night and probably light frost. Saturday fair westerly variable winds. The maximum temperature yesterday at North Platte was 76 degrees; minimum in past 24 hours 49 degrees. Precipitation .09 of an inch. For the same period and time one year ago, the maximum temperature was 83 degrees, minimum temperature 46 degrees, at 7 a. m. 47 degrees, precipitation none.

—Mrs. H. S. Boal went to Omaha to-day for a brief visit.

—Chas. McDonald, of Chicago, is the guest of H. J. Clark.

—Booth's superior canned oysters are kept constantly in stock at Marti's.

—H. M. Grimes returned last evening from the eastern part of the state.

—Mrs H. J. Clark, who has been visiting relatives in the east, is expected home in a day or two.

—E. B. Warner shipped a casket to Ogalalla yesterday but it was not learned who had died.

—J. H. Hershey and W. A. Paxton will feed about 300 head of cattle on the ranch at Hershey this winter.

—W. M. Baskin will furnish meat for the employes of the Cody show during the stay of the latter in the city. It will require two good-sized beeves.

—Charles Burke, of Denver, was in town yesterday while enroute on a business trip to Omaha. He will return Saturday and stop over a day or two.

—Coroner Donaldson went to Maxwell last evening to replevin from the sheriff some hay which the latter official had attached as the property of Louis Tift.

—Fred'k Baker yesterday officially declared his intention of renouncing allegiance to Queen Victoria and will become a full fledged citizen of the United States.

—While adjusting the rigging of a schooner on Kellner's lake Wednesday, J. B. McDonald fell overboard. He was promptly rescued by the life-saving crew.

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And we are ready to put your clock in first class order for very little money. Leave word at the store and we will send for clock, repair it and return it to your home without any bother to you. All work guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.

HARRY DIXON,
Jeweler and Optician.
Three doors south of McDonald's Bank.

—Ten carpenters have been employed at the fair grounds this week. Sixteen stock pens have been built, the quarter stretch fenced, and the work of putting the roof on the woman's building will be practically completed to-day. Supt. Dillard is now giving the fair his entire time and attention and is making things hump.

—A dispatch received to-day announced the death of John Enlow at the ranch in Cherry county at three o'clock this morning. He had been sick for two or three weeks. The deceased was well known to many North Platte people, especially the older residents, who will regret to learn of his death.

—H. S. Keith received a letter yesterday from the general superintendent of the B. & M. eating houses offering him a position as manager of a house; either at Holdrege or McCook. Mr. Keith will accept the position and leaves Sunday to report at Holdrege. Mrs. K. will remain in town until Mr. K. becomes located. This removes from North Platte most estimable and popular people, and will cause general regret. That success may attend them in the future is the wish of all.

—John Beyerley was "held up" in his room in the Ormsby block last evening at seven o'clock and forced to disgorge a silver dollar and his watch. Beyerley went to his room for the purpose of changing his clothes. He stepped to the closet to get his dress suit, and inside he was confronted by a fellow who poked a revolver in his face. "Have you any money?" asked the burglar. "Just a dollar," said Beyerley. "Well hand it over; I'll take that watch, too." The victim of the hold-up promptly handed over the money and the time-piece. Then the bold, bad man edged out of the closet, closed the door and locked Beyerley inside, and made his escape, taking with him a pair of patent leather shoes. Beyerley attracted the attention of the people in the room below and he was released. The officers were informed of the occurrence and Sheriff Miller and Policeman Davis started out on a search, but up to noon had not found him. At 7:30 last evening a fellow called at Lock's livery stable and hired a horse and buggy for the purpose, he said, of going out to Max Beer's ranch to get a trunk. Up to noon he had not returned, and as his description tallies with the fellow who held up Beyerley, it is quite likely he is the same fellow. Sheriff Miller offers a reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of the thief.

The X Ray
Is all right, but the X dollar bill will buy more Furniture now than ever before. We have an elegant line of

PICTURE AND ROOM MOULDING.
Now is the time to have your chairs and couches upholstered. Bring them in and we will give you good work at reasonable prices.

E. B. WARNER,
(UNDERTAKER.)

Millinery
Elegant Stock Now Open
at RENNIE'S,

MISS DECKER IN CHARGE.

All Ladies invited to call and examine our Line.
Special Opening Oct. 1, 2 and 3,
AT * RENNIE'S.

—A. H. Davis is in Fremont this week on legal business.

—M. C. Keith transacted business in Omaha this week.

—John J. Halligan transacted legal business in Lincoln this week.

—Arthur Rush attended the bicycle races at Kearney yesterday.

—Wanted, a good girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. G. A. Laing.

—B. Buchanan has improved his residence by the addition of porches thereto.

—Isaac Dillon left yesterday morning for the D. & C. ranch in northeastern Wyoming.

—The Wednesday gale blew down the bill boards at Fifth and Spruce and caused Jim McMichael considerable extra work.

—Hank Chestnut, one of the old time cowboys of western Nebraska but now living in Keith county, visited North Platte friends yesterday.

—Law Clark went to Cheyenne this week to run an engine on the Fourth district. Jack Stuart, who had been running on that district has returned home.

—Prof. Garlich and his juvenile orchestra went to Sutherland this afternoon to take part in a concert to be given by the ladies' auxiliary of the Irrigation Fair.

—Mrs. Laura Smith leaves to-night for Chicago, where her husband is employed. Mrs. Smith was tendered a surprise party by a number of her friends last evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Casey, who have been living at Albina, Oregon, for several years, returned to the city this week and will make their future home here.

—M. K. Barnum, superintendent of the poultry exhibit, says there have been a number of entries in his department, the greater part of which have been made by North Platte parties.

—Dick Kellner says that his lake will produce 17,800 tons of ice at each cutting, figuring the thickness at twelve inches. Dick is thus prepared to more than supply the local demand. It is his intention to build an ice house, fill it this winter and run a wagon next summer.

—Dr. Paul and J. H. Turpie returned Wednesday from Keith county with 160 head of thoroughbred cattle which they placed on the Turpie ranch southeast of town. Hank Chestnut, who accompanied the boys, says that they are rapidly gaining an enviable reputation as broncho riders and that they can "cut out" cattle with the best of them.

—It is said that Co. B. Second regiment N. G., of Ord will march across the country to this city and attend the fair and reunion. This company will, together with Co. E. of this city participate in the sham battle to be given during the week. For this event Co. E. has been furnished with one thousand rounds of blank cartridges.

—This is an age of sensations. In the amusement world the greatest sensation is Buffalo Bill's Wild West and congress of rough riders of the world. It is at once novel, curious and quaint. It is tremendous in size and entirely unlike any other form of entertainment. There is no sham or false pretense about it. It does not need to advertise anything it does not exhibit. It will be here on Monday Oct. 12th.

Novelties in Silver.
Leather Belts with Silver Buckles, the latest, Ladies' Shirt Waist Sets, Buttons and Link Cuff Buttons, Hat Pins, Book Marks, Souvenir Spoons, Watch Guards, etc. Also a complete line of Harps.

CLINTON, The Jeweler.
Three doors south of old stand.

—Wanted to buy—Five or six good milch cows. Inquire at this office.

—R. L. Graves returned Wednesday night from his trip in the south.

—Attorney Wilcox transacted legal business in Brady Island yesterday.

—Best line of gloves and mittens in town at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—I. E. VanDoran came in from Leadville yesterday morning on a visit to his family.

—Mrs. C. L. Black and son George went east on yesterday morning's train.

—Cal Diamond visited relatives in the city and interviewed our business men yesterday.

—A number of members of the I. O. R. M. will have an outing at Struther's grove next Sunday.

—Underwear all kinds at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright have returned from Sioux City and will make North Platte their future home.

—The street commissioner is this week having three blocks graded on Pine street between Front and Fourth.

—The speech of W. T. Wilcox before the republican club Tuesday evening was a masterly one and was cheered to the echo.

—Flue stops 5c at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—The Cody Guard will give the first of its series of monthly dances on Wednesday evening of next week. It will no doubt be a very pleasant event to all who attend.

—Express agent McGovern says that he now stands on a gold basis. The gravel recently filled in around the depot contains four dollars worth of gold to the ton.

—Store pipe 15c a joint, elbows 10c at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—D. M. Hosford, a former resident of Plant precinct, and a brother of Miss Mary Hosford, was married at Cleveland on the 10th inst. to Miss Erlena Johnson Beckman.

—The Modera Woodmen of America and Royal Neighbors of America will have their fifth Wednesday social on Sept. 30th 1896. All neighbors and their families are cordially invited.

—E. B. Warner, Dentist, office in Hinman block, up stairs Spruce st.

—P. W. Sitton came home from St. Louis the early part of the week. The shops in which he was employed worked but thirty hours per week, and the financial result was too meagre to suit him.

—A young son of Dave Scott was kicked in the face Wednesday evening by a horse belonging to Chris Johnson. The child's cheek and nose was badly lacerated but we believe no bones were broken.

—Perry Sitton tells us that Walter Conklin is now a very ardent McKinley supporter. W. W. Conklin is also talking sound money. Both were staunch democrats when residents of this city.

—The Wilcox Dept. Store will order you barb wire for \$2.85 a hundred delivered in North Platte.

—Charley Mallatte, living on the north side of the river, has picked 700 water melons, which he will store in this city until the Irrigation Fair and then attempt to sell them. He has stored them at Mil-tonberger's grocery.

—The New England dinner served by the ladies of the Irrigation Fair Tuesday evening was a most excellent one and netted the ladies about \$34. On the following day they served a ten-cent lunch and realized eight or ten dollars.

—Ax handles 9c at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—J. W. Woodry has been at work for several days gathering up and cleaning torches for the republican parade Saturday evening. Four years ago the republicans owned 300 or 400 torches, but the number has dwindled down to less than one hundred.

—H. E. Curtiss, formerly book-keeper for Geo. T. Field, but now located at Sheffield, Ill., in a letter to THE TRIBUNE says: "My personal friend Bryan has been in Sheffield and made a speech. Poor Billy. McKinley will get most all the votes east of the Mississippi river."

—Ice Wool shawls, Tam O'Shan-ters, and Infants, knit saques at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—Howard Case was brought in from the Birdwood Wednesday by Sheriff Miller and lodged in jail. Case was in jail in Cherry county awaiting trial for cattle stealing, but managed to escape. The Cherry county officers have been notified of Case's arrest and they will come after him.

—Dr. J. P. Dullard, of Wood River, formerly of this city, was a Bryan man until he heard him speak at Madison Square Garden in New York and that satisfied the Doctor. He is now talking for McKinley in a most enthusiastic way. The Doctor returned the early part of the week from his trip in the east.

—Sweat pads, 20c at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—The request of Mayor Baker that property owners clean the street and alley abutting their property before October 4th should be generally heeded. A couple of hours work on the part of each property owner would make a wonderful difference in the appearance of the streets and alleys, especially the latter.

—David Frazer, a transcontinental trotter en route from Aberdeen, Wash., to Boston, Mass., passed through the city Wednesday. In a note left at this office he says: "Left Aberdeen July 14th and am due in Boston November 15th. I am paying my own way, but not begging, and writing up the country for the Aberdeen Record."

—For sale—125 head of one and two year old steers, and fifty head of cows and calves and dry cows. This stock will be in North Platte October 1st. Inquire of J. R. Bangs.

—Abe Patton, formerly of Dickens, this county, is suspected of having killed the city marshal at Table Rock last Monday. Patton was sent to the Norfolk asylum from this county October 21st, 1893, having been found insane by the board of insanity. He subsequently escaped from that institution and turned up at Washington, D. C., where he was jailed for a time. He was next heard from in Paulding county, Ohio, where he became a burden to the people and an officer of that county escorted him to the Norfolk asylum from which he again escaped. Since his last escape he has not been heard from. The description given of the murderer of the marshal does not agree in all points with Patton.

—Guaranteed quality ladies' kid gloves at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—The North Platte Gun Club has issued programmes for the tournament to be held during the fair. The first shoot will be held Monday morning, Oct. 12th, the first event being a prize shoot limited to members of the club. The second event will be the open competition for the Buffalo Bill silver cup, and the third an open sweepstake for five live birds. Tuesday morning the programme will consist of two events, a prize shoot at twenty blue rocks, and a sweepstake for seven live birds; in the afternoon sweepstakes for ten blue rocks and sweepstakes for twenty-five blue rocks. Wednesday morning there will be two events; ten blue rock sweepstakes and sweepstakes for ten live birds. Wednesday afternoon sweepstakes will be made up to suit the crowd. The articles for the prize shoots will be on exhibition the early part of next week.

—NOTICE—All members of Tate Lodge, A. O. U. W., are requested to be present at the next regular meeting on Monday, Sept. 28th, to consider important business. By order of Master Workman S. FRIEND.

TENTS!
Parties or societies wishing to rent tents during the fair and reunion should inquire of F. Peale, North Platte, before Oct. 1st.

NOTICE.
Property owners are earnestly requested to clean the street and alley adjoining their property by October 4th.
D. W. BAKER, Mayor.
Dated Sept. 24th.

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We sell you : : : :
Best Black Powder for 30 cents a pound: saving of 33 1/2 per cent.
12 gauge loaded shells for 39 and 40 cents a box: a saving of 25 per cent.
10 gauge loaded shells for 42 and 45 cents a box, a saving of 13 per cent.
12 gauge Black Edge Wads 17 cents a box, a saving of 47 per cent.
10 gauge Black Edge Wads 18 cents, a saving of 39 per cent.
12 gauge Cardboard Wads 6 cents a box, a saving of 66 per cent.
10 gauge Cardboard Wads 7 cents a box, a saving of 42 per cent.
No. 2 Primers 35 cents a box, a saving of 42 per cent.
Gun Caps 5 cents a box, a saving of 100 per cent.
Shot 7 1/2 cents a lb., a saving of 11 per cent.

We have the largest line of Underwear, Gloves and Mittens, Blankets, Yarn, Tinware, Lamps and Glassware in North Platte at prices lower than any store in North Platte. Everything spot cash and one price to all.

THE WILCOX DEPT. STORE,
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

FALL OPENING FOR 1896.
THE BOSTON STORE.

The cold weather is setting in and everybody is looking for warm wearing apparel. The Boston Store has a large stock on hand and is in position to supply everybody, old and young, small and large. Now until after the Irrigation Fair we will sell goods at such prices as will compel all to buy. We have too many goods on hand and we must reduce the stock. We cannot mention all goods in stock but we will make a clean sweep of everything in the house. Here are some of our prices:

Duck dress goods in all colors at 10 cents per yard. The very best 25-cent feather ticking at 16 cents per yard. Ten-cent outing flannel at 5 cents. The best quality oil cloth at 15 cents per yard. Fifteen-cent satines at 10 cents per yard. Yard-wide Russian fleeces dress goods, regular price 15 cents, at 10 cents per yard. German knitting yarn in all colors at 7 cents per skein. Best quality Spanish yarns at 85 cents per pound. Ten-cent linen toweling at 7 cents per yard. Elder Down in plain colors 50-cent quality at 32 1/2 cents per yard. Ladies' all-wool skirt patterns, regular price \$1.25, at this sale 78 cents. Knitted skirts worth \$1.25, for 75 cents. Ten-cent shaker flannel at 6 cents. Eight-cent Canton flannel at 5 cents. Ten-cent Canton flannel at 8 cents. 12 1/2-cent Canton flannel at 9 1/2 cents. All-wool red flannel at 25 cents per yard, 50-cent quality red flannel at 35 cents. Sixty-inch unbleached table linen at 25 cents per yard. Yard-wide new novelty dress goods at 10 cents, regular price 20 cents. How is this? 46-inch all-wool silk finish Henrietta in all colors, regular price \$1.00, at this sale for 58 cents. We still keep our grand offer on our Henrietta, serge and ladies' cloth as follows: The dress pattern in serge or Henrietta with all trimmings complete for \$2.65. In all wool ladies' cloth we furnish the dress pattern with trimmings complete for \$2.18. This is regular 50-cent per yard goods.

CORSETS. Our 75-cent high bust corsets for 48 cents; Dr. Warner's Corset-line at 35 cents; Ball's at 35 cents; Jackson corset waists at 35 cents. Foster kid gloves in all colors at 38 cents. Gannetts at 38 cents. Real Moko ladies' gauntlet gloves at 81.25.

HOSIERY. All sizes in Misses and children's fleeces lined hose at 15 cents. Ladies', per pair. Ladies and children's underwear, ladies' ribbed vests worth 50 cents at 25 cents, ladies' union suits from 65 cents up. Children's underwear from 5 cents up.

Men's double-breasted suits 88 cents per suit; men's fleeces lined underwear from 50 cents up.

BLANKETS. We have 1000 pair of them. We bought them at 50 cents on the dollar, and will give the public the benefit. 11-4 Blankets for 59 cents. All wool five-dollar grey blankets for \$2.98. All wool California blankets, the finest made worth \$10 at this sale for \$6.75. All wool California red blankets, regular price \$8.00, for this sale \$5.25. Another lot of grey woolen blankets for \$1.85, worth \$3.00.

CAPEES AND JACKETS. We make a great offer on these goods. \$1.45, the trimmings alone are worth more; another lot of children's cloaks for \$1.38. We offer children's silk bonnets from 25 cents up.

SHOES. Ladies' fine dongola \$2.00 shoes at this sale for 1.25. Ladies' genuine calf skin shoes, regular price 2.25, at this sale for 1.40. Ladies' good oil grain shoes for 98 cents. All our ladies' 3.00, 3.50 and 4.00 shoes at this sale for 2.65. Children's school shoes. We are the only store in the city that carries Henderson's Red School House Shoes, with brands as follows: Bright grains, genuine goat, crackless animal calf, dongola box calf and kangaroo. These are the strongest lines of children's school shoes made. Every pair is guaranteed by the maker as well as by us. They don't cost any more than cheap makes. Henderson's and M. D. Well's railroad and farmers shoes, regular price 3.25, at this sale for 2.50. Men's shoes at 1.25 that cannot be beat. Boys' lace and congress oil grain, bright grain and calf, Henderson's make, sizes from 12 1/2 to 6, from 1.25 up to 1.75. We make a special price on men's boots in all grades.

SPECIAL PRICES given to hotels and restaurants for supplies during the Fair.

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The Boston Store,
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During this sale with every Five Dollar purchase you can have your choice of a calico dress pattern or a pair of linen towels FREE.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.
190 acres adjoining and half mile from center of city of North Platte. All under canals; irrigable; large crops; best located. Can be laid out as an addition to the city in blocks and lots, or into 2 1/2 and 5 acre plats and sold to large profit. Will sell whole or one-half interest in same. For particulars address Fredk. Baker, or box 54, North Platte, Neb.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction of money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.
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