

Town and County News.

—Robert Arundale left for Lincoln this morning where he will interview legislators on matters which interest this section.

—The weather last night and this morning very forcibly reminds us that spring time has not yet come, gentle Annie, and that coal dealers are still doing business.

—W. H. McDonald and E. F. Seeberger left this morning for Lincoln where they will do some work favorable to the appropriation for the irrigation fair, and also speak a good word for North Platte as the proper location for the proposed state normal school.

—There will be a chicken and waffle supper in the vacant room south of Streitz's drug store on Tuesday evening, March 16th, under the auspices of the W. R. C., to defray the expenses of Memorial Day. Supper will be served from five o'clock until nine. Everybody is cordially invited to assist us in our noble work.

—Those who have enjoyed the other excellent concerts given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will be offered another treat May 17th at Lloyd's opera house by the Smalley Grand Concert Co. Pres't William R. Harper of the University of Chicago says of them: I was greatly delighted, as were all who made up the audience, and can commend the quartette most heartily to any one who may be lovers of good music."

—The Order of the Eastern Star at the close of its session last evening tendered a farewell social to Mrs. C. G. Hall who leaves the city in a week or so, and who has been an energetic and popular member of the order. As a token of the esteem in which she is held, the members presented Mrs. Hall with a set of very pretty hand-painted china plates.

—At the meeting of the Wild West wheel club Wednesday evening, the affairs of the organization were discussed, but no election of officers for the ensuing year was held. The meeting adjourned until this evening when another session will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The club is about one hundred dollars in debt, and means for liquidating will be suggested. Some form of an entertainment will be given at the close of Lent, probably another minstrel show. All members of the club should attend this evening's meeting.

J. H. Hershey has about 200 head of cattle and over 400 hogs to go on the market between April 1 and June 1 1897. A petition was in circulation last week to the North Platte Land and Water company praying for the retention of E. F. Seeberger as superintendent of that concern. All those who use water from that company's ditch signed the petition and it seemed to be the universal opinion that Mr. Seeberger's service was necessary to the most successful operation of the ditch. —Hershey Review.

—Observer Piercy is in receipt of a circular from the weather bureau giving data of the snow fall in Colorado during the past winter. This report shows that the snowfall in the section of mountain country drained by the South Platte river has been much heavier this winter than usual. We can therefore confidently expect an unusual volume of water in the South Platte river during the coming spring and early summer. This information will no doubt prove gratifying to owners of ditches taking water from the Platte river.

—Rev. Williams, of Lincoln, state secretary of the Baptist church, was in town yesterday investigating the trouble brought to the church by the smooth, oily-tongued and rascally Rev. Fisher. An investigation of the affairs shows that the local society is about \$350 in debt through Fisher's unwarranted action in having an addition built to the church, and furthermore that he collected and devoted to his personal use \$30 that had been subscribed to the building fund. Fisher left debts in town aggregating \$250, one hundred dollars of which was borrowed from a hard working laboring man, whose only security is a worthless scrap of paper. During his stay here Fisher treated his wife in a mean, despicable manner and boasted that he had married her solely for her pocket-book. A letter received from Fisher a few days ago disclosed the fact that he has located in Texas.

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N. B. Olds, Agent.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Davis start for Wellfleet to-day for a brief visit with relatives.

—The Lutheran ladies' society was entertained Wednesday afternoon in a very hospitable manner by Mrs. P. M. Sorenson.

—Fred Elliott, jr., has returned from his visit to Lincoln. While at the capitol city he took occasion to watch the proceedings of the legislative bodies.

—The ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church held a social yesterday afternoon at the Baldwin residence. Attendants report the affair as a very pleasant one.

—J. D. Wilson, of this city, is a cousin of James Wilson, the new secretary of agriculture. There is now no reason why our Mr. Wilson should not be well supplied with garden seeds.

—Four-strand Cowboy rope 12 1-2 cents a pound at The Wilcox Dept. Store.

—Colonel W. F. Cody has returned from his business trip to the Big Horn basin. The Colonel will remain in town for a week and then leave for Brooklyn, where the Wild West will open the show season.

—Hogs reached \$3.10 per hundred this week, which gave the feeder an opportunity to realize nearly thirty cents a bushel for his corn. It is unfortunate that the number of hogs in Lincoln county is not larger.

—One of the Pullman cars on train No. 2 yesterday morning was occupied by celestials, enroute from the flowery kingdom to Washington. They were big fellows and rather intelligent looking.

—Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold a dime social at the residence of Mrs. C. L. Williams March 18th. A program of music etc., has been arranged, and refreshments will be served. All are cordially invited.

—There will be a special meeting of the Alumni Association at the office of the county superintendent to-morrow evening, March 13th, at 8 o'clock. Business of special importance will come before the meeting. By order of the president.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hershey were in town yesterday for the purpose of either purchasing or renting a residence property, but we did not learn whether they were successful. They expect to remove to town some time during the coming spring.

Sweat Pads 20 cents each at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—The revival meetings conducted by the Christian church society, have been transferred to the room lately vacated by E. B. Warner. The building occupied by the society proved too small to accommodate the audiences which assembled.

—Two farmers named James, who reside in Logan county, were brought down this week and placed in the county jail for safe keeping. They are charged with having cut trees on another fellow's timber claim in order to keep from suffering from the cold blasts of winter.

—The Grand Army post has appointed a committee to arrange for an entertainment to be given on the evening of April 9th, the thirty-second anniversary of General Lee's surrender to General Grant. Among the features of the entertainment will be a superb tableau representing that memorable occasion.

—In nominating Messrs. Tracy and Donehower for councilmen in the Second ward the demo-pops establish beyond doubt the fact that if you want good, honest men for city officials you must go into the republican ranks to find them. How gallant this action of the demo-pops must be to Editor Cheney, who is most bitter in his denunciation of republicans of North Platte.

—The weather forecasts: Fair and cold to-night. Saturday fair with rising temperature. The maximum temperature yesterday at North Platte was 34, minimum in past 24 hours 7, precipitation 00. For the same period and time one year ago the maximum temperature was 24, minimum 12 at 7 a. m. 17 and precipitation .02 of an inch. In Galveston Texas the temperature this morning was 70 while in Amarillo in the northern part of Texas it was down to 18.

—Swan Starke, who built the woman's building on the fair grounds, came down from Lodge yesterday. He was here for the purpose of figuring on a contract to furnish building stone for a residence which Supt. Park contemplates erecting on his land adjoining the city on the southeast. A two-story residence built of Lodge Pole stone would certainly present a very handsome appearance.

—The firm of Kellner & Lloyd, which has been heretofore in existence, is dissolved by mutual consent.

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A beautiful line of Engravings, Artist's Etchings, Imitation Pastels and Water-Color Pictures just received and will be sold at remarkably low prices and framed to suit you.

++ BARGAINS IN FURNITURE. ++

This month we wish to make room for our immense spring stock.

ODD FELLOWS BLOCK. **E. B. WARNER.**

RENNIE'S.

BEGINNING TO-DAY WE WILL GIVE YOU

A Grand Special Sale.

50 new dress patterns at prices from \$5 to \$10. These are silk and wool, and not two alike.

50-cent all wool 40-inch novelties at 35 cts. per yard.

50-cent all wool Serge at 35 cts.

35-cent Cashmeres 38 inch wide, all colors, at 25 cts.

25-cent goods at 12 1/2 cts.

We have just opened 50 pieces of French Gingham that go at 12 1/2 cts.

1 yard wide 15-cent Picterines at 12 1/2 cts.

We have also opened the largest and finest line of Dimities, White Goods, Percales, Ducks, and Satens ever shown in the city. We have also opened up a full line of Dress Trimmings, Belts, Laces, Gimps, Brushes, etc. We have also just opened 500 yards of Summer Silks, worth 50 cents the world over, that we have put on sale at 35 cts.

In our Shoe Department we are going to give you a special reduction of 25 per cent on all our men's, ladies' and children's shoes. We have also the largest line of Moquet, Body and Tapestry Brussels ever brought to the city. Also a full line of Ingrain Carpets. Call and examine these goods at

RENNIE'S.

—H. Otten yesterday boxed up and stored away the stock of goods which he had in the Hinman block on Front street.

—Guy Laing has made arrangements to post at his place of business bulletins of the Corbett-Fitzsimon fight.

—Milton Doolittle returned Wednesday night from Omaha, where he attended a meeting of the state board of agriculture.

—The Woman's Relief Corps will serve a supper in the room south of Streitz's drug store on Tuesday evening of next week, to which the public is cordially invited.

—Smoke Wright's Royal Sports and Havana Rose 5-cent cigar.

—A special train of several cars having on board sporting men bound for the fight at Carson, Nev., will pass through this city Sunday evening as first section of train No. 1.

—Several citizens of Sidney have requested Prof. Garlich to visit that place and drill a number of vocalists for a concert. If he concludes to do so he will have his juvenile orchestra take part in the programme.

—For rent or sale—Land under the Farmer's & Merchants' ditch. Apply to D. W. BAKER.

—On Wednesday Warren Lloyd received a telegram announcing the death, at Cleveland, of Lloyd Donahue, who left this city one week ago yesterday. The deceased was very low with consumption when he left for his home.

—Candidates nominated by the reform club are this week circulating their petitions of nomination. Not having been a party at the last fall election, the reform party can only get their names of its nominees on the ticket by the petition mode.

Poultry Netting 1-2 cents a square foot at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—J. C. Federhoof who recently purchased 320 acres of land just west of town, has just invested in a large number of hogs and is erecting some twelve or fifteen breeding pens. Mr. Federhoof has also a number of cattle which he will place on the farm.

—The case of the Emerson seed company against Samuel Rhodes, for the recovery of money due the seed and feed, was finished in Judge Ray's court yesterday after being on trial four days. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant.

—Those harbingers of spring, the hobses, have made their appearance in liberal numbers. Wednesday night the police corralled sixteen or eighteen, some of whom were given lodging in jail over night and drilled out of town the following morning.

Hame straps 10 cents each at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—An old and infirm woman in destitute circumstances came in on No. 4 Wednesday night and spent the night on the benches of the waiting room. Yesterday she was reported to poormaster Sullivan, who furnished her food and last night purchased her a ticket for Lexington. The Dawson county officials will probably forward her to the next county seat.

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MERCHANT TAILOR,
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IMPORTED BOOTH SUITINGS FROM \$24 to \$45.

Imported Dress Suitings FROM \$28 to \$70.

Goods guaranteed and perfect fit. Give us a trial.

—E. B. Warner transacted business Lincoln for a day or two this week.

—Will Daly, of Bloomington, Ill., is visiting his brother James Daly of this city.

—J. A. Seaton, of Wallace, who is a senate employe at Lincoln, was in town Wednesday.

A full line of Horse Collars at Wilcox Dept. Store.

—Dr. Aley, of Lincoln, may be consulted at the Hotel Neville, at North Platte. Wednesday, March 17th.

—Max Einstein, who had been in the east for two weeks purchasing goods, returned home Tuesday night.

—Judge Ray on Wednesday united in marriage John Donaldson and Miss Cora McDonald, both of Kem precinct.

—Mrs. H. S. Boal came in from Slack, Wyo., last evening and will visit her mother and friends for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Turner are visiting relatives in town while enroute to Denver, where they will make their future home.

—Mrs. W. J. Roche and Mrs. J. B. Nelling went to Shelton Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Sutter, sister of Mrs. Roche.

—Will Meyers was up before Justice Sullivan Wednesday on the charge of stealing company coal. He was fined three dollars and ordered to make restitution of the coal.

—Black-leg is affecting cattle in Mylander precinct and several animals have died during the past week. Among those who have lost cattle from this disease is Claus Mylander.

WILL VOTE FOR EVANS.

EDITOR TRIBUNE:—As a taxpayer I hear remarks on the streets as to who should and who should not be marshal of the city of North Platte; that the election of John Evans means Dell Huntington for marshal, and the election of Day means the appointment of Buzza or Morgan, while some of those high in the pretended reform movement are coaching our own and only Robert Arundale. By way of explanation let me say that Mr. Arundale is the man who succeeded in having old honest L. H. Baker, an old soldier of the Mexican war, removed from the position of janitor of the court house in order to prepare a place for himself. Arundale is a man so well versed in the history of our country that he did not know whether the field and stars were at the bottom or top of the American flag, but concluded that the stars should be at the bottom and so hoisted the flag upside down.

Now I think the marshalship is a secondary consideration and that the mayor should be first, for the reason that the electors use their judgment in the selection of a mayor, and he selects his marshal subject to the confirmation of his appointment by the city council. We all know John E. Evans, and know that he is a good conservative business man; one whose word is as good as that of any man in North Platte, and after hearing statements as to what he would do, I took the liberty to ask him who he would appoint as marshal. Now mark the reply which Mr. Evans made: "I do not know; no one has asked for the appointment. I have made no promises to any one, except the public promises I made to the convention which nominated me. All through life it has been my rule to make no promises that I was not fully able and prepared to carry out. If elected I will take pleasure in consulting with the people of the city as to their wishes in all matter pertaining to the best interests of the city and this will be done irrespective of what any one may say. Until elected I shall make no further promises, other than those I made to the convention which nominated me."

As a consequence I am for Evans for mayor simply from a business standpoint.

TAXPAYER.

—New and second-hand wagons for sale. **JOS. HERSHEY.**

—Matt Clair who had his leg broken last Tuesday is reported as resting quite easy.

—Pearl Arbus is this week assisting in Broach's photograph gallery and picking up some pointers on photography.

—Dr. Duncan was called yesterday to attend a patient living north of Hershey. His drive against the wind was anything but pleasant.

Crochet Cotton 3 spools for 10 cents at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—The Union Pacific engine and train men received their pay checks yesterday. For the short month of February a majority of the checks were for nice sums.

—The city merchants received very large invoices of spring goods this week, and for several days the sidewalks were well-filled with large and small boxes.

You would call a man

A FOOL

if you saw him throwing his money away.

You can avoid living in a glass house while throwing stones at the other party by trading with us.

We Sell

Thread, 3 spools for 10c, a saving of 25 per cent.	
Elastic cord, 1c per yd.	150 " "
6 slate pencils for 1c.	100 " "
Vaseline, 5c a bottle.	100 " "
Sewing machine oil 5c.	100 " "
Liquid stove polish 10c.	50 " "
Breast snaps, 5c each.	50 " "
Line snaps 2c and 3c.	66 " "
Swivel snaps 5 cts.	25 " "
Queen City hats \$2.00.	50 " "
7-inch Plates 35c a set.	44 " "
Overalls, 65 cents.	15 " "

(the ones others get 75 cents for.)

Handled tea cups and saucers 42 cents a set, a saving of 29 per cent.

These are just a few of the many items we can save you one.

The Wilcox Dept Store,
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

GRAMAPHONE CONCERT

A concert, in which a Berliner gramophone will figure as the principal, will be given by the Dorcas Girls some evening next week, the exact date not being definitely fixed. This instrument produces very distinct tones and can be plainly heard in the largest halls. The program to be rendered by the instrument is as follows:

PART FIRST.

Piano Solo.....Princess Bonnie Waltz.
Song—Tenor Solo.....Tramp, Tramp, Tramp.
By Geo. J. Gaskin.

Banjo Solo.....Titus March.
Song—Bartitone Solo.....Starlight, Starbright.
By J. W. Myers.

Recitation.....Imitation of a Street Fakir.
By Geo. Graham.

Male Quartette—Medley.....Mary Ann.
Song—Plantation Shout, Bye-Bye, Ma Honey
By Billy Golden.

Cornet Duett.....Short and Sweet.
Song.....La Marsellaise.
By Sig. F. A. Giannini.

PART SECOND.

Banjo Solo.....Medley of Higs and Reels.
Song—Tenor Solo.....Down in Poverty Row.
By Geo. J. Gaskin.

Male Quartette—Negro Shout.....Blind Tom.
Recitation—Poem by E. Field.....Departure.
Drum and Pipe (Descriptive).....Spirit of '78
Song—Bartitone Solo.....I Want Yer, Ma Honey
By Dan. W. Quinn.

Recitation.....Slide Show Oration
By Geo. Graham.

Song (M. Farina's Great Success) French
Laughing Song.
Song—Bartitone Solo.....Say Au Revoir, But Not Good-bye.
By J. W. Myers.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post office at North Platte, Neb., for the week ending March 12, 1897.

GENTLEMEN.

Burtinghan, Arthur Harris, G G
Burris, W H Johnson, Chas
Bradley, L L Kilmer, Albert
Bangcoffs, John Meschan, Leonides
Emory, J T Sharp, M E
Ballard, L E Smith, E M

LADIES.

Palmer, Mrs Nellie
Persons calling for above will please say advertised." M. W. CLARK, Postmaster.

Maccaliné will cure any case of itching piles. It has never failed. It affords instant relief, and a cure in due time. Price 25 and 50 cents. Made by Foste Manufacturing Co. and sold by A. F. Streitz.

WANTED—1,000 bushels of wheat for seed and 1,000 bushels of oats for seed. Will pay 5 cents above the market price if turned in on accounts or in trade.

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For Sale!

320 acres of land three miles west of the city and under the Suburban Irrigation Ditch. Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers at low prices and on easy terms. Apply to or address, GUS CHAMBERLAIN, North Platte, Neb.

SACRIFICE SALE.

320 acres A No. 1 Fenced Land near Sutherland, Neb. Address Box 208, North Platte, Neb.

NOTICE.

All hunters are hereby notified that hunting is prohibited on our lands at the head of White Horse creek. Our friends are kindly requested not to ask us for hunting privileges, for we will be compelled to refuse them. A. STENWALT, GREGOR SCHATZ.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., March 9th, 1897.
Notice is hereby given that Robert J. Meadlo has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at his office in North Platte, Neb., on Saturday the 17th day of April, 1897, on timber culture application No. 12,180, for the northeast quarter of section No. 6, in township No. 19 north, range No. 29 west. He names as witnesses John E. Fuller, Henry D. Phillips, Adam E. Moore and Joseph Cummings, all of Myrtle, Nebraska.
JOHN F. HINMAN, Register.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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 or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

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