

**Town and County News.**

—Gress' gang of workmen rustled ice into forty refrigerator cars last night.

—Mrs. Mary Coslet, of this city, has been engaged to teach the Hershey school next year.

—The Turpie Bros. shipped fifty head of horses from Sutherland Tuesday to the St. Louis market.

—Two cars of C. E. excursionists will be attached to No. 4 to-night. Up to noon these were the only excursionists "in sight."

—Rev. Geo. Rader, who officiated here last spring as minister of the Christian church, has been selected as teacher of the school at Nichols.

—The Nichols ladies' aid society met Wednesday with Mrs. McCord and passed a delightful afternoon. The society will meet with Mrs. Chas. Toillion on July 28th.

—A letter received from W. W. Conklin, now of St. Louis, announces that Mrs. Conklin and children have gone to Minneapolis to spend the summer.

—The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a lawn social Tuesday evening, July 20th, at the residence of George Scharmann. Ice cream and cake will be served.

—Omaha has been selected as the place for holding the next convention of the Republican National League. Score a point for the energy of the Omaha republicans.

—County Clerk Burrit, who was appointed delegate to the trans-Mississippi congress at Salt Lake, found it impossible to attend, owing to pressing duties in his office.

—The Nichols ladies' aid society will hold a ten cent social at the school house on Friday evening July 23d. Lemonade, ice cream and cake will be served. The public is cordially invited.

—The members of the Cody Guard have been at work for a day or two arranging their accoutrements in the new armory. The new location is about double the size of the former room.

—Mrs. N. B. Spurrier, of Nichols has been marketing some very fine red raspberries in town for a week or two past. Mrs. Spurrier finds that small fruit does well in the Platte valley and is a paying crop.

—Forty-one men were employed the latter part of the week in constructing a wing dam at the head of the North Platte ditch. The construction of the dam provides plenty of water for the ditch, notwithstanding the low stage of the water in the river.

—The TRIBUNE believes a meeting should be called to ascertain the sentiment of our people in regard to the practicability of holding an irrigation fair this fall. If a fair is to be held the work of getting things in shape should not be unnecessarily delayed.

—The service in the Presbyterian church on next Sabbath evening will vary from the usual character, and consist of a people's gospel praise service. Subject, "Peace and Power." There will be a large choir and good singing. You are cordially invited to attend the service.

—Some few citizens are heeding the suggestion of the mayor in regard to cutting weeds in front of their premises. It is hoped that all will take sufficient pride in the appearance of their homes to have the streets thoroughly cleaned of the unsightly, obnoxious and rank growth of weeds.

—Two men from over near Wallace were in town last evening "looking" for Jim Daly—and they found him. Jim smashed them both at the same time, and in doing so broke a bone in his right hand. The two men had an old grudge against Daly and sought to settle it, but they ran up against a fighter.

**TIN WARE.**  
A large selection of Tin Ware of good quality at astonishing low prices. For sale by E. BLANKENBURG'S DEPT. STORE.

—The committee appointed by the shareholders and depositors to examine into the affairs of the North Platte National Bank, are not yet ready to make a report. The committee will probably hold a meeting and make a finding of their investigation and report this to a general meeting of the creditors and stockholders of the bank. This latter meeting will be held in a few days. It is learned that the present value of the assets of the bank as determined by the committee after thorough investigation is as follows: Notes \$14,483, real estate \$7,480, furniture and fixtures of bank including safe \$1,000, cash in hands of comptroller \$2,380.47, cash in hands of receiver \$147.89, total value of assets \$25,490.19. To offset this there are approved claims against the bank amounting to the sum of \$28,000.

**Would you like a new Chamber Suit of three pieces - - FOR TEN DOLLARS? - -**

I presume you would. We cannot sell you one for that money but you can purchase a good one for a little more money. We have the finest line of FURNITURE ever shown in the city. Call and see our new Couches and Lounges. We have something cheap in an extension table, and our dining room Chairs are the best made for the money.

**E. B. WARNER.**

ODD FELLOWS BLOCK.

**Rennie's Vast Stock of**

**Dry Goods, Shoes Coats and Millinery**

**at COST AND LESS.**

The chance of your life. I am positively going out of business. Those people owing this house will please call and make arrangements to settle their accounts, either in cash or note. We will sell no more goods on credit to any living person

**Beginning Monday, June 14th, 1897.**

Come and see for yourself. Eating the pudding is the proof thereof. All goods one-half price.

Note this—Positively out of business. No ifs or ands about it.

**H. C. RENNIE.**

**ELEGANT LINE OF**

**SOFT BOSOM SHIRTS**

Await your inspection. Notice Front Street window for new and up-to-date wear....

**Star Clothing House,**

WEBER & VOLLMER.

—S. G. Deible was in from Myrtle yesterday, and reports crops fairly good.

A new sidewalk is being laid in front of the Miltonberger grocery store, the old one having been condemned.

—W. A. Gregg was down from Cox precinct yesterday and reported crops in pretty fair condition in that section.

—H. W. Hill has leased the Belton building south of Baskin's meat market and will remove his printing office thereto.

—The ladies of the St. Patrick's church held a dime social last evening at the residence of J. I. Smith, a large crowd being present.

—At Lincoln Wednesday William Neville, of this city, was elected president of the state board of directors of the Transmississippi exposition.

—Thirty-five employees of the Kearney cotton mill passed through on No. 3 Wednesday night enroute to Denver, where they have secured employment.

—W. C. Ritner returned yesterday from the Little Laramie in Wyoming with thirty head of American horses, which he has placed on his ranch northwest of town.

—Mrs. John Scharmann, who was so seriously burned one month ago yesterday, remains in a critical condition and suffers excruciating pain. It is said she has given up hope of recovery.

—Rev. Verner on Tuesday evening united in marriage W. E. Coates and Miss Sabra Halloway, both of Paxton, the ceremony occurring at the residence of C. C. Coates. Quite a number of guests were present.

—Four additional men were added to the ice gang Wednesday, among the number being J. B. Fuller, a member of the Kearney military band. Mr. Fuller will probably play in the Gordon band during his stay here.

—Eli Etchison was down from Fairview precinct yesterday and said his 200 acres of crops had been killed by the dry weather. He will not attempt to farm in that precinct in the future but will devote his time to stockraising.

—The attention of the street commissioner is called to the condition of the sidewalk in front of the B. I. Hinman house on west Fifth street. This is to be considered fair warning in case an accident occurs to any one through the dilapidated condition of that walk.

**MASON JARS.**

1 pint fruit jars ..... 45c a dozen.  
1 quart fruit jars ..... 55c a dozen.  
1-2 gallon fruit jars ..... 75c a dozen.  
at the **WILCOX DEPT. STORE.**

—Cheyney, Buchanan, Orr & Co., sole owners of the North Platte populist ring, attempted to hold a meeting of the people's party club last Saturday evening but the members failed to obey the call of the self-constituted whip-crackers, and the meeting was very slimly attended.

—The Payton company has been drawing good-sized crowds, for hot weather, at Lloyd's this week, and continue to please the audience. A matinee will be given to-morrow afternoon and the company will conclude their engagement to-morrow evening. They go from here to Hastings.

—Tuesday night eighty-seven refrigerator cars were iced at this station. This was the heaviest night's work so far this season.

—Buggies, road and spring wagon and surreys, a fine assortment at low prices at Jos. Hershey's.

—The trees in the court house yard have attained such a rank growth that it has been necessary to cut down a number of them.

—The county clerk yesterday received a number of copies of the 1897 statutes, and is distributing them among the officials of the county.

—Several couples of friends assisted Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fowler Tuesday evening in celebrating the fourth anniversary of their marriage.

—Eight or ten couples of young folks held a picnic at Lamplugh's lake Wednesday evening, and succeeded in passing several hours in a very enjoyable manner.

—Matt Hook, an old-time resident of this city, but of late living in Oklahoma, has been in town this week. He will probably return to Lincoln county to remain permanently.

—The members of the Episcopal choir, accompanied by a few relatives, held a picnic at Lamplugh's lake yesterday afternoon. The occasion proved a jolly one for the crowd.

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

—Doctors Thorpe and Paul have been placed under bonds to appear at a hearing on Monday next to answer to the charge of practicing medicine without duly registering, as required by law.

—Ed Discoll, Chas. Trinsley and Geo. Rodden were up before Judge Davis Wednesday on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. The former was given fifteen days on the streets and the two latter five days each.

**You Need Tools**

**WE HAVE THEM.**

- Hay Forks, Header Forks, Barley Forks, Vises, Forges,
- Drills, Braces, Bits, Hammers,
- Saws, Grindstones, Pulleys, Rope, Machine Oil,
- Oil Cans, Lace Leather, Fly Sheets, Collar Pads,
- Collars, Harness, Hames, Hame Straps, Snaps, Bale Ties.

In fact you can find just what you want and at prices that save you money, at

**The Wilcox Department Store,**

North Platte, Nebraska.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

H. S. Ridgeley went to Lincoln yesterday morning.

R. L. Graves went down to Omaha last night.

Mrs. W. F. Marsh is home from a brief visit in California.

Miss Minnie Sorenson went down to Farnam Wednesday.

Mrs. J. J. Halligan visited friends in Ogalalla the early part of the week.

Abe Armstrong returned last night from a visit in the east part of the state.

Mrs. W. J. Swartz and Miss Maud Willis returned to Lexington Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Edward Seyterth left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives in Schuyler.

Mrs. Milton Doolittle and son returned Tuesday night from their visit at Onarga, Ill.

Mrs. Sanford Hartman and youngest daughter are visiting Rev. Hardaway and family at Ord.

Fred Baker went to South Omaha this morning to visit his father, who is employed there as an accountant.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Buzza went to Grand Island Wednesday, being called there by the sickness of Mr. B's sister.

Mrs. Anna Gutschall, of Denver, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kinkade, living southwest of town.

F. L. Kimball left Wednesday night for Cheyenne where he will assume the duties of brakeman on the Fourth district.

Mrs. Jennie Crisswell and daughter Florence returned Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives near Sutherland.

Miss Sophia and John Grau, of Omaha, arrived in town Wednesday night for a visit with their brother Fred Grau and family.

Judge Neyille spent several days in Omaha this week attending a meeting of the Transmississippi exposition commissioners.

Miss Davis, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Norman Wilson, leaves for Sidney this evening to visit Mrs. C. P. Davis.

E. B. Gibbs went to Omaha yesterday to meet his daughter Mrs. Fred Lathrop, of Chicago. They will arrive in town to-night.

Mrs. M. E. Watts, daughter Miss Mame and Miss Ada Kocken left last night on a pleasure trip to Denver and other Colorado towns.

President Wolfenbarger, of the Nebraska Irrigation association, spent Wednesday in town looking after matters pertaining to the next annual convention.

Mr. Sloat of Kearney, is visiting his daughter Mrs. George Norval. Twenty-five years ago Mr. Sloat twisted brakes on the U. P. for G. R. Hammond, who was then running a train.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Grimes and son Lee left this morning for Sheridan, Wyo., where they will visit relatives for a time and then in company with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilcox will make a trip through Yellowstone Park. They expect to be absent six or eight weeks.

Advertised Letters.  
List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post office at North Platte, Neb., for the week ending July 10th 1897.

GENTLEMEN.  
Burterbaugh, Fred Harris, John Gordon, L. G. Robertson, R. H. CAMPBELL, Mrs. J. L. Hawkins Sarah Lynch, Miss Nellie  
Persons calling for above will please say advertised. M. W. CLAIR, Postmaster.

**A CUP FOR BABY.**



A pretty mug is liked by the baby. Lasts forever and is ever clean and wholesome. We have many pretty designs. Jewelry is our line and we have everything fine and new in it. The latest novelties, watches, rings, button sets, long watch chains, etc.

**CLINTON,**  
Jeweler and Optician.

**NEW ROUTE.**

Commencing Sunday, June 13th, the UNION PACIFIC will inaugurate through, tourist car service to Portland, Oregon and Washington points via Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Rys., thereby giving passengers the benefit of two tourist routes via Ogden to Portland.

This route will take them up through the beautiful Sacramento Valley, disclosing all the notable features along the Shasta Route, from Sacramento.

For rates, time tables and full information, call on N. B. Olds, Agent.

**STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.**

LUCAS COUNTY.  
Frank J. Cheyney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheyney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials.

F. J. CHEYNEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. 3

**Lloyd's Opera House**

**To-night**

**PAYTON GOMDEDE COMPANY**

In that great American play

**- The Octoroon. -**

Admission 15, 25 and 35

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You can buy it (and get your money back if you don't like it) at

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