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## WE WISH TO SAY TO THE READERS OF THIS PAPER:

OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

A full line of special Mackintoshes for men, ladies and children at about one-half the price asked by agents of eastern houses. We have a fine line of Clothing, Overcoats, men's, youths' and children's suits at prices very low, quality of goods considered.

Largest Assortment of Underwear in the City.

Beautiful line of Dress Goods, Trimmings to match. Ladies' Capes and Jackets will be in next week. New styles, new goods. All goods marked on the percentage plan; one price to all—a small profit to us on everything we sell. Don't fail to look us over before buying. All goods go for CASH; no bad debts to pay.

**THE HUB,**  
W. T. BANKS, Prop.

### U. P. TIME TABLE.

GOING EAST—CENTRAL TIME.  
No. 2—Fast Mail..... 8:45 a. m.  
No. 4—Atlantic Express..... 11:40 p. m.  
GOING WEST—MOUNTAIN TIME.  
No. 1—Limited..... 3:55 p. m.  
No. 3—Fast Mail..... 11:20 p. m.  
No. 23—Freight..... 7:35 a. m.  
No. 19—Freight..... 1:40 p. m.  
N. B. Olds, Agent.

### F. DENNIS, M. D.,

HOMOEOPATHIST,  
Over First National Bank,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

### WILCOX & HALLIGAN,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.  
Office over North Platte National Bank.

### D. R. N. F. DONALDSON,

Assistant Surgeon Union Pacific R.R. and  
Member of Pension Board,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.  
Office over Straits' Drug Store.

### E. NORTHRUP,

DENTIST,  
Room No. 6, Ottenstein Building,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

### FRENCH & BALDWIN,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.  
Office over N. P. Nat. Bank.

### T. C. PATTERSON,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
Office First National Bank Bldg.,  
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

### D. M. HOGSETT,

+ Contractor and Builder, +  
AND AGENT FOR  
ECLIPSE and FAIRBANKS  
WINDMILLS.  
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

### SMOKERS

In search of a good cigar  
will always find it at J.  
F. Schmalzried's. Try  
them and judge.

## You Need \* \* ICE.

We have it—have plenty of it  
and can furnish you any quantity  
desired. Our ice is good—none  
better—and we make prompt deliv-  
eries.

We solicit your trade, feeling we  
can please you.

**Kellner & Frazier.**

### HYGIEA CORSETS.

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AND PLENTY. Readily.



AGENTS WANTED.  
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ticulars write the Manufacturers,  
WESTERN CORSET CO., St. Louis, Mo.

### Shakespeare and Golf.

It is said that Shakespeare's works  
abound in the most direct and explicit  
references to the game of golf, several  
of which have been collected in Miss  
Wood's recent volume of "Quotations  
For Occasions."  
In "Much Ado About Nothing" is an  
unmistakable allusion to a characteristic  
St. Andrew's gesture in the words, "I  
know you by the wagging of your  
head," while in "Titus Andronicus" is  
encountered the pertinent query, "What  
subtle hole is this?" In "Richard III,"  
again, one meets the line, "Pat in their  
hands the bruising irons of wrath," and  
in "Henry VI" (part I) the statement  
"I'll call for clubs."  
Falstaff's ruling passion was evident-  
ly golf, for on his deathbed he "balded  
35 green fields," and there were certain-  
ly links on Prospero's island, else why  
the question "Why hath the queen sum-  
moned me hither to this short grass'd  
green?" Some commentators prefer the  
reading, "To tee or not to tee, that is  
the question." But apart from this dis-  
puted passage in "Hamlet" there is a  
reference to the fault of "striking too  
short."

### Better Than Wealth.

It is a laudable ambition which  
prompts any person to earn and to save  
a portion of the earnings. The founda-  
tions of most if not all of the colossal  
fortunes of the rich people in the world  
lie in that way. But there are better things in the world than  
wealth. Good health is one of them.  
We are quite apt to envy the possessor  
of great wealth, but far more is to be  
envied the man or woman with robust  
health, unwavering courage and the  
disposition to go through life with a  
song and a smile. The happiest people  
in the world are those who work and  
work cheerfully.—Housewife.

### A Protest.

"Klondike! Klondike!" Fortunes every-  
where!  
That Borer Bory Alice has bewitched us, I  
declare,  
And they're leavin' farm and fam'ly fer to try  
their luck afar.  
But, I tell you, they won't catch me under  
neath no polar star,  
For what's the good of metal where the prices  
are so high?  
You that have to pay a fortune for a piece of  
apple pie?  
You'll dream about the generous boughs, with  
fruit so luscious low,  
And find only disappointment in its yellow,  
mocking glow.  
You may fondle it and pet it,  
Yet wither and drop you may wet it,  
For it's no good till you get it  
Where the corn and melons grow.  
"Klondike! Klondike!" Is the treasure  
there?  
Brighter than the western tints that make the  
twilight fair?  
If you had all the dollars that kin grow  
'twixt earth and sky,  
You couldn't do no more than laugh and weep  
and hope and die.  
You seek your health and conscience in a way  
that's sad to see,  
Jes' for points in searchin' out and sayin', "That  
belongs to me."  
You can't enjoy but jes' so much, as through  
the world you go,  
And the honest, willin' worker never finds his  
spirits low.  
Gold—such doubts and fears beset it  
That yer likely to regret it,  
For it's no good till you get it  
Where the corn and melons grow.  
—Washington Star.

### Human Foolishness.

Man's life is full of blows to pride.  
His schemes are true wisdom lack.  
He sallies forth on many a ride  
And walks the whole way back.  
—Chicago Record.

### Where He Met Her.

He—When I first met my wife, I thought  
she was one of the most economical wom-  
en in the matter of clothes I had ever  
known.  
She—You met her at the seashore, I be-  
lieve?—Yonkers Statesman.

### His Bonanza.

Upon the frozen Klondike he  
Refused to risk his neck,  
But received returning miners with  
A short card poker deck.  
—Omaha World-Herald.

### Bonbons.

Some bonbons brought I to my dear,  
I thought by this to surely please her,  
For to my mind this thing seemed clear—  
Withholding sweets from sweet will tease her.  
But, ah, alas, for manners odd!  
I find that I am out of fashion.  
The modern miss wants solid gold  
Or something she can raise the cash on.  
For thus my sweet did answer me,  
"Your bonbons I shall gladly eat, sir,  
But if you'd change them with a 'd'  
To bonbons they would seem more sweet,  
sir."  
—Town Topics.

### Republican County Convention.

The republican convention of  
Lincoln county is hereby called to  
meet at the court house, in the  
city of North Platte, Neb., on Sat-  
urday, October 9th, 1897, at 10  
o'clock a. m., for the purpose of  
nominating candidates for the fol-  
lowing county officers, to-wit:  
Sheriff, treasurer, clerk, judge,  
superintendent of public instruction,  
surveyor, coroner, and com-  
missioner for the first district and  
transact such other business as may  
come before the convention.

The representation in said con-  
vention will be one delegate at  
large for each precinct and one dele-  
gate for each twenty votes or ma-  
jor fraction thereof cast for Hon. J.  
H. MacColl for governor at Novem-  
ber election 1896.

The following is the number of  
delegates to which the various pre-  
cincts are entitled:

PRECINCT.	NO. DELEGATES
North Platte No. 1.....	5
North Platte No. 2.....	10
North Platte No. 3.....	5
Antelope.....	2
Birdwood.....	1
Brady.....	2
Buchanan.....	2
Cottonwood.....	2
Cox.....	1
Deer Creek.....	2
Dickens.....	2
Fairview.....	1
Fox Creek.....	2
Garfield.....	1
Gaslin.....	2
Hall.....	1
Hinman.....	3
Hooker.....	2
Kem.....	2
Lemon.....	2
Maxwell.....	2
Medicine.....	2
Miller.....	3
Myrtle.....	1
Nichols.....	3
O'Fallons.....	3
Osgood.....	2
Peckham.....	2
Plant.....	2
Ritner.....	1
Sellers.....	1
Somerseset.....	2
Sunshine.....	1
Table.....	1
Vroman.....	1
Walker.....	2
Wallace.....	4
Well.....	1
Whittier.....	2
Willow.....	2
Total.....	89

It is recommended that the pre-  
cinct committeemen call the cau-  
ses for Saturday, October 2d, and  
at such primaries precinct tickets  
be nominated.  
Dated Sept. 18th, 1897.  
GEO. E. FRENCH,  
Chairman.  
GEO. E. PROSSER,  
Secretary.

### KEM PRECINCT.

Jack Frost made a call in these  
parts Thursday night, but did no  
mischiefs.

H. C. Welch made a business trip  
to the county capital last week.

John Chapin, of North Platte,  
was in this vicinity Friday.

Geo. Rhoades and Alex Green  
made a fly trip to the hub Thurs-  
day.

Wild geese are making their  
flight south for winter.

The sand hill crane are visiting  
these parts again.

D. E. Jolliff was a Dickens visitor  
Friday.

Several from here attended the  
Free Methodist meeting Sunday  
evening at Little Medicine.

### City Council Proceedings.

The city council held a brief ses-  
sion last evening, the mayor and  
all councilmen but Schatz being  
present.

A communication from the First  
ward hose company stated that H.  
G. Atkinson was entitled to a cer-  
tificate of fireman's service.

Bills were allowed as follows:  
H. O. Evans, salary, \$12.50; M. Mc-  
Namara, salary for August, \$50.00;  
J. no. Lemasters, repairs, \$1.00.

Thomson moved that the city at-  
torney be instructed to defend the  
marshal in his suit against the  
city. Thomson and Cunningham  
voted aye, Scott, Evans and Tracy  
nay, and the mayor declared the  
motion lost. This raised Thom-  
son's ire, and he proceeded to un-  
burden himself, but in his dis-  
cussion he was ably met by Mr.  
Tracy. Quite a wordy war pre-  
vailed for some time.

Scott moved that the scavenger  
ordinance be read the first time,  
and the motion prevailed. Then  
Thomson wanted to adjourn and go  
home, but the others were not so  
weary as he, and his motion was  
lost.

A motion to suspend the rules  
and read the ordinance a second  
time was lost.

Thomson moved that the city at-  
torney be instructed to draft a fire  
alarm ordinance under the direc-  
tion of G. T. Field, and report at  
the next regular meeting. The  
motion prevailed, and the council  
adjourned.

### BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

Gentle showers the past week.  
Farmers all busy with their fall  
work.

The Baptist Association held at  
Hershey Sept. 10th, 11th and 12th,  
was well attended and a very en-  
joyable association throughout.  
The ministers present were Revs.  
Evans, Eads of Gering, Keeley  
financial agent for Grand Island  
college, and Williams of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, near Her-  
shey are rejoicing over the arrival  
of a little daughter at their home  
Wednesday.

The school building at Hershey  
is having an anteroom and a bell  
added to it.

Mrs. Frank Cook left Friday  
night for Denver, having received a  
telegram from that place that her  
mother was seriously ill.

The ladies' aid society of Nichols  
bought three nice hanging lamps  
for the school house. The lamps  
are quite an aid. This same society  
met at Mrs. Spurrier's Wednesday  
and made an album quilt which  
they presented to Mrs. Ernest  
Givens to take with her to her new  
home, Rocky Ford, Colo.

A number of the valley people at-  
tended the Maccabee supper Thurs-  
day evening at North Platte.

Mrs. Kate Funkhouser is re-  
ported to be quite ill with erysipelas.

Mr. Randall and Mr. Rudolph, of  
the Platte Valley district, expect to  
start in about two weeks with their  
families by wagon to Georgia to  
make it their future home.

Rev. Coslet preached his last ser-  
mon before conference at Nichols  
Sunday morning, and at Hershey  
in the evening. He goes this week  
to Lexington to attend the annual  
conference.

Rev. Rader will deliver a lecture  
at Sutherland Saturday evening,  
Sept. 25th.

Miss McWilliams and Mrs. Ditto  
visited near Sutherland Sunday  
with Mrs. Ditto's parents.

Walter Harris, of Wisner, mar-  
keted a car of cattle at South Omaha  
which were as fine a bunch as has  
been seen there for many a day.  
They were yearlings some of them  
under that age, and they averaged  
830 pounds.



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to the cheap brands.  
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### EVENTS IN NEBRASKA.

The trial of Eugene Moore for  
embezzling state funds as auditor  
will come up in the Lancaster  
county court this week.

The people of Lincoln can now  
talk with the people of New York  
by telephone. The charges are  
\$10.50 for a five-minute talk.

The Gothenburg Times has been  
purchased by J. H. Donahue, who  
will remove the plant to Lexington  
and start another populist paper.

The West Point school board has  
appropriated \$75 to make an ex-  
hibit of the work of the city schools  
at the Trans-Mississippi ex-  
position.

The populists and democrats of  
Buffalo county held their conven-  
tion Saturday. An effort was made  
to secure fusion, but it failed, and  
each party put a ticket in the field.

A cloud of grasshoppers passed  
over Lincoln Saturday, and were  
so dense as to obstruct the sun.  
There is much prophesying as to  
what this cloud of insects indi-  
cated.

Thirty-three divorce cases are  
docketed for trial in the Lancaster  
county district court next week. A  
wave of domestic infelicity seems  
to have struck in the vicinity of the  
state house.

Mildred Carnahan, a sixteen-  
year-old York school girl ran away  
from school and home to marry a  
dashing and worthless photog-  
rapher, who skipped the town owing  
everybody who would trust him.

W. L. Stange of Wisner had a  
strange experience at Emerson.  
He was in that neighborhood col-  
lecting and his team ran away,  
scattering a parcel of notes which  
the wind blew in forty directions.  
Some of the valuable papers were  
not recovered.

Everything is coming Nebraska's  
way this year. Fred Lewis, a young  
farmer of Madison county, started  
east to get married. In Chicago he  
got into the wrong pew on the  
"levee" and was robbed of \$400. He  
had but \$5 left. He resolved to go  
against the tiger. If he won he  
would journey eastward and try  
the marriage lottery. If he lost  
his last V he would kill himself.

He won \$1700 and went on his way  
rejoicing, and there was revelry in  
the old town where his affianced  
lived. There is no use denying  
that Nebraska farmers are in great  
luck this year.

Rena Kocer, a twelve year old  
girl living near Gordon, last Sun-  
day roped a large grey wolf near  
her father's ranch on Stinking  
Water. She was riding a horse  
bareback when she saw the wolf  
and chased it about six miles.  
When she finally chased it down  
the animal showed fight and she  
dextrously threw her lasso over its  
head and dragged it for some dis-  
tance, holding on to the rope with  
her bare hands. Her brothers came  
to her rescue and tied the rope to  
their saddle horn and dragged the  
wolf until her father came with a  
rifle and shot it. It was a large  
specimen and measured six feet six  
inches from point of nose to tip of  
tail.

Judge Sullivan is said to have  
made several well sounding Fourth  
of July orations which were carefully  
furnished at the time in manuscript  
copy to the local newspapers and  
may be expected to be trotted out  
now for campaign purposes. What  
the fusion nominee for supreme  
justice may have said at pleasure  
picnics or town meeting celebra-  
tions, however, on the question of  
corporation rule and the dangers  
of plutocratic society must be con-  
trasted with what Mr. Sullivan has  
done for corporation managers.  
When Mr. Sullivan was in the leg-  
islature the railroads always knew  
where to find him, and they did  
not have to look in the anti-monop-  
oly camp for him either.—Omaha  
Bee.

### COUNTY NEWS.

J. P. Aldrich, who for a dozen  
years has lived at Vroman, left last  
Thursday for Dalles, Oregon, where  
he will make his future home.

The new barn on Fred George's  
farm on Brady island, was the  
scene of a pleasant party and dance  
on Friday evening of last week,  
about seventy-five young people at-  
tending.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas,  
who live ten miles south of Wallace,  
celebrated their golden wedding on  
Tuesday of last week. Mrs. J. G.  
Beeler, of North Platte, is a daugh-  
ter of the couple and was present  
at the anniversary.

## THE GRAND FALL OPENING AT THE The Boston Store.

During the past two weeks we have been busy remodeling our store and placing our large stock on the shelves and counters. We are now ready for business, and we extend a cordial invitation to the public to come and visit our store, which is a credit to North Platte as well as ourselves. Every department is filled with the choicest goods money can buy. We bought our goods for spot cash before the advance in tariff, therefore will give the public the benefit which no competitor can touch.

### INVESTIGATE

#### DRY GOODS DEPT.

50 pieces all wool Ladies' Cloth, newest shades, greens, plums, tans, grays and blacks, 38 inches wide, with all trimmings complete for \$3.15 for the pattern.  
35 pieces novelty goods in all designs, the latest shades, 40 inches wide, all wool, with all trimmings complete for \$4.20 per pattern.  
56-inch Imported Serges, all colors, at 58 cts. per yard, others ask \$1.00.  
50-inch all wool Silk Finish Henrietta at 48 cts., others ask 85 cents.  
Henriettes, in all colors, 36-inch wide, at 25 cents, worth 40 cents.

#### DOMESTICS.

The best print on earth at 5 cents per yard. One case dark Outing Flannel at 5c per yard, others ask 10c.  
Cotton Flannel at 5, 6, 8 and 12 1/2 cts. per yard, bleached and unbleached, worth 3 cents per yard more.  
Cotton bats, good ones, at 5c per roll.

**Blankets and Comforters.**  
Thousands of pairs in all grades, from 43 cents a pair and up.

#### LINENS.

20 pieces Turkey Red Damask, fast colors at 23 cents per yard, worth 40 cts. One case pure linen Crash toweling at 6 cents per yard, worth 10 cents.  
Fifty bedspreads at 75c, worth \$1.25.  
50 Chenille spreads at 75 cents, worth \$1.25.  
Twenty-five Chenille curtains at \$2.15 a pair, worth \$3.50. Fifty large size rugs at \$2.15, worth \$2.75.

#### NOTIONS.

Crocheting silk, all colors, 10c a spool. 100-yard black sewing silk 4c a spool. Hair brushes, good ones, at 10 cents. Horse brushes 10 cents, scrubbing brushes 10 cents, tooth brushes 5 cents. Corset clasps, all colors, 5 cents; combs, good ones, at 5 cents. Tablets, writing paper, pencils and slates at your own price.

#### Handkerchiefs

at one, two, four, eight, ten, twelve and fifteen cents, worth double the money.

#### Yarn Dept.

German knitting, Saxony zephyrs.

**SPECIAL FOR THIS MONTH.**—With every \$3 worth of goods purchased at our store a set of tea spoons given away; with every \$5 purchase a set of table spoons. Yours for great bargains.

## The Boston Store, J. Pizer, Prop.

Ottenstein Block. Largest in quantity, best in quality. Lowest in Prices.  
The Golden Eagle Clothing House is in the north room of the Boston Store.

### OUR

## MEN'S SHOES

AT \$1.50, \$1.75 AND \$2

are selected with as much care as our higher grade shoes are. Every detail is looked after. They FIT as well, LOOK as well, and WEAR as well as the price we ask for them will buy at any place in America. To "clinch" the argument, let us sell you a pair.

### YELLOW FRONT SHOE STORE.

DECATUR & BEEGLE,

GEO. M. GRAHAM, Manager

### FOR SALE.

Some of the best located busi-  
ness and dwelling properties in the  
city which I offer for sale at a low  
figure. For the next thirty days I  
will be in North Platte and can be  
seen personally by any who desires  
to secure cheap property.

I offer for sale for the next thirty  
days a well located dwelling house  
of eight rooms, fine shade, city  
water, at an extremely low figure.  
C. F. ORMSBY.

### Ballard's Snow Liniment.

Mrs. Hamilton, Cambridge, Ill., says  
I had the rheumatism so bad I could  
not raise my hand to my head. Ballard's  
Snow Liniment has entirely cured me.  
I take pleasure in informing my neigh-  
bors and friends what it has done for  
me. Chas. Handley, clerk for Lay &  
Lyman, Kewanee, Ill., advises us Snow  
Liniment cured him of rheumatism.  
Why not try it? It will surely do you  
good. It cures all inflammation, wounds,  
sores, cuts, sprains, etc. Price 50 cents.  
Sold by The North Platte Pharmacy,  
J. E. Bush, Mgr.

All you guess about difficultly in sell-  
ing Stark Trees may be wrong. If you  
wish to know the truth, drop postal to  
Stark Nursery, Louisiana, Mo., or Rock  
port, Ill. Name references. Cash pay  
to salesman each week the year round.  
Outfit free—takes no money to try the  
work. Also want CLUB MAKERS—get  
their trees free.

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