

The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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SANTA CLAUS at THE FAIR STORE.

Santa Claus will make his home at The Fair Store. We have loads of goods and are prepared for him. The great display and sale of Holiday Goods is now on. Our entire store has been rearranged to accommodate this grand assortment of Toys, consisting of

Doll Heads, Sleeping Dolls, Dolls that Don't Sleep, Bisque Dolls, Jointed Dolls and Kid Dolls, Hundreds of Boys' Iron Safes, Combination Safes and Banks, Cash Registers, and Iron Toys of Every Description

A Showing of Finer Goods for Older People.

Fine Plush and Celluloid Toilet Cases, Work Boxes, Albums, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Jewel Cases, Shavings Sets, etc.

We have the best display of Opal Ware ever brought to this city. We have this ware in sets and odd pieces. Be sure and see this elegant display.

An elegant line of fine Dress Goods, Jackets, and Capes, which are always appropriate for X-mas presents. Fine Shoes, and Slippers for ladies and gentlemen. Mufflers and Handkerchiefs. The finest line of Neckwear in North Platte. Come early.

THE FAIR.

BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

Chris Hearson sold O. L. Mudd on the Paxton ranch 800 bushels of shelled corn the other day at thirty-two cent per bushel.

M. Mickelson at Hershey has his store well filled with fall and winter goods.

Between twenty and thirty new members were initiated into the secrets of the Loyal Mystic Legion lodge at Hershey on Saturday evening after which all indulged in an oyster supper to which all did ample justice.

Grant Bare departed for Columbus, Ohio, on No. 2 Sunday evening being called there by the illness of his father who recently had an operation performed for a cancer and recovery is considered doubtful.

J. G. Feecken is harvesting his sugar beet crop and loading them on the cars at Nichols for shipment to Grand Island.

A passing engine set a fire just west of Spuds on Saturday of last week which burned over quite an acreage of land and only for timely aid would have consumed a large amount of hay in the stack.

O. W. Sullivan of Nichols sold Seeberger & Co. of Hershey a car of hay on the track at Nichols on Friday last week.

N. B. Spurrier sold the corn stalks that he purchased on the W. O. Thomson farm to W. A. Paxton who has a large herd of young cattle pastured there at this time.

Miss Jennie Ware, who is teaching at the county seat, attended the box sociable at Hershey Friday evening.

Rev. Evans has, we are pleased to note, about recovered from his recent illness.

The Nichols school was in session last Saturday to make up for

the Friday after Thanksgiving when there was no school.

The box sociable held at the hall at Hershey for the benefit of Rev. Gilpin last Friday evening was well patronized and all present enjoyed the occasion. About \$23 in ready cash was realized from the affair.

F. C. Calloway is at this time putting some much needed repairs upon some of the old canal company's residences in the valley.

The Hershey merchants all have a fine display of X-mas goods in their store windows.

Mrs. John Abbott and little son of Carbon, Wyoming, were the guests of Mrs. Mickelson at Hershey lately.

L. E. Jones and wife are contemplating a visit at Mr. Jones' former home in Illinois in the near future.

Several car loads of baled hay have lately been shipped to the Chicago market from Nichols.

A. A. Leister has sufficiently recovered from his recent accident so as to be able to do some light work in his blacksmith shop.

J. C. Gyger and H. E. Lindstrom have returned from a business trip to Julesburg and vicinity.

R. W. Calhoun is at this time at his brother's home in McPherson county.

Seeberger & Co. have purchased the J. G. Feecken hay on the track at Nichols.

Art Connors purchased the Edminston bay press the other day and is at the present time baling hay for John Conway west of Sutherland.

Mrs. E. C. Hitch of Hastings, met her husband at Hershey last Saturday evening where she attended the Royal Mystic Legion.

MYRTLE NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Null are the proud parents of a girl baby, born November 29th.

The neighbors and friends of H. D. Phillips gave him a surprise party Thanksgiving evening, and all present report an enjoyable time. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

Mr. Catterson of Nesbit, was in our midst Wednesday.

A number of our young people received invitations to a party at Albert Mains, of Nesbit, last week.

R. J. Menzie, Bert Menzie and Miss Jessie Waite have been on the sick list but are now convalescing.

Mrs. F. J. Hogeboom and Miss Lizzie Graf, of Gandy, were guests at the A. E. Moore residence last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gambrel expect to spend the holiday season at Omaha.

A gentleman from Gandy was selling beef in our community Friday.

Mrs. Cora Fuller and Miss Anne Flynn went into North Platte Friday evening to do their holiday shopping.

The Myrtle branch of I. S. S. will have a fireplace and Old Santa Claus will come down the chimney and fill the stockings of Junior members of the branch Christmas Eve at Pleasant Valley school house.

While out hunting Friday Christ Schmeckle, of Lexington, killed a wild cat that weighed thirty pounds. These animals must be getting numerous as a man killed one at Smithfield one day last week.

Barb wire and staples for sale by J. S. Hunsley.

Miscellaneous Railroad News.

A fast mail train on the "Q" made the run from Chicago to Galesburg in 157 minutes of elapsed time, the distance being 162 miles. Of the elapsed time nine minutes were occasioned by stops in the yards in Chicago and at Mendota for oil and water, reducing the net running time to 148 minutes, or sixty-six miles per hour.

The Bee says that the Union Pacific operating officials are by no means discouraged with the performances of the new compound consolidated passenger engines which have just been received and made their initial trips last week. It is true that the engines have not come up to expectations in the point of running time, but this is accounted for in the fact that they are new and have not yet settled down to the point from which the best service can be expected.

The Burlington is having distributed over its entire system a new book of rules. Each employe is charged with fifty cents and on leaving the service, unless the book is returned, it is kept out of his last pay check. An important thing is the printing for the first time in book of rules of the rule against the use of intoxicant liquors and frequenting of saloons at all times and the use of tobacco while on duty. While these rules have been generally understood by all railroad men yet special emphasis has not heretofore been given.

E. M. Bird shipped 178 head of two and three-year-old steers last Tuesday to South Omaha. They were on the market Thursday and sold for \$6,000. Doc is getting his share of prosperity.—Gothenburg Independent.

"A Brass Monkey."

Mazie Trumbull, the beautiful little soubrette who made a big hit in prominent New York production two years ago, is making great success this season in Charles H. Hoyt's revival of his most successful farce comedy "A Brass Monkey". She is playing the part of "Baggage" the daughter of the village Jonah. This piece will be presented in this city at Lloyd's opera house next Saturday evening for the first time. It is one of the most meritorious and important productions to be seen here this season, and Miss Trumbull's success in the part of "Baggage" will prove of more than passing interest to theatre patrons who delight in pure fun.

Interviewed by a Bee correspondent Judge Kinkaid says: "The heavy change from populism to republicanism in the Sixth district, is not a temporary shift. The moving issue in the district was prosperity in the live stock industry. The existence of this prosperity refuted the arguments of Mr. Bryan and caused former populists to lose faith in his theories and sever connections with his party. I believe existing conditions warrant the assertion that the Big Sixth may be regarded as reliably republican for the future."

The Brady Review says that Maxwell school No. 1 is indefinitely closed owing to the report that there is small-pox on the south side of the river.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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H. S. RIDGELY,
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Office in Minneman Block, Dewey street,
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Sheep for Sale.

Thirty-three head of black face bucks. Can be seen at my ranch seven miles east of town; three miles north of Gannett.

G. A. KOCKEN.