

**Local News in Brief.**

Henry Waltemath has been confined to the house for several days with inflammatory rheumatism in the right foot.

The Woman's Relief Corps will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Orrin Brown Wednesday afternoon, Feb'y 27th.

Joe Landgraf, Jr., is now the owner of 160 acres of land, having made final proof upon his claim southwest of town yesterday.

Several men are at present breaking a number of bronchos which will be sent east for use in the Wild West show. The bronchos are sufficiently wild to create a little amusement for spectators.

Geo. C. Granger, painter, paper hanger and decorator. Carriage and sign painting. Estimates cheerfully furnished. All work guaranteed. Inquire corner of Sixth and Locust, up stairs.

Efforts are being made to have a rural free delivery mail route established from Brady through Gaslin and Peckham precincts. The section is thickly populated and is entitled to this service.

John Combs purchased of Pete Karn of Logan county yesterday two hogs that weighed 1350 pounds, and paying \$61.65 for them. These are thought to be about the largest hogs ever sold on the local market.

Hahler, the meat market man, put his private electric light plant in operation Saturday night. He uses sixteen 16-candle power lights, which illuminates the market very nicely. The power for generating the current is furnished by a gasoline engine.

The Y. M. C. A. has prepared a very nice musical and literary program for the social to be held at the rooms next Thursday evening. We hope to see the rooms crowded and trust that the receipts, which will go to the piano fund, will be sufficiently large to cause the committee feel glad.

Pillsbury Minneapolis Flour, the highest grade flour made. We have just received a carload.

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Round and Half Round Stock Tanks, all sizes, for sale by Jos. Hershey.

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Look beneath the surface; let not the several qualities of a thing nor its worth escape thee.

**The Suits We Sell**

will bear the closest scrutiny of an expert custom tailor. We sell these garments with the perfect confidence born of the knowledge that the cloths are dependable, the workmanship reliable, the fit absolutely perfect, the styles correct and the whole general appearance such as to please the most exacting customer.

Prices the lowest for the best.

**\$5 to \$15.**

**STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.**

W. A. VOLLMER, Proprietor.

One Price and Plain Figures.

Two members of the Salvation Army went to Myrtle yesterday morning to hold meetings and will probably go from there to Gandy.

The game bill introduced by Representative Evans has been made a special order for consideration by the house on next Thursday afternoon.

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**Program of Teachers' Meeting.**

Programme of the meeting of the county teachers' association, to be held at the high school auditorium North Platte, Saturday, March 9, 1901.

AFTERNOON—1:30.

Music.....  
Invocation.....Rev. G. A. Beecher.  
Music.....

I. The school—

a What is good order and how it is secured?

Paper.....Neleye Hartman

Paper.....R. S. Ericson

b The Daily Program.—

Paper.....Francis McNamara

Paper.....Kate Gillman

c Wasted Time.—

Paper.....Josephine Goodman

d Object of the Recitation—

Paper.....W. A. Getty

e Mistakes of Omission.—

Paper.....Ellen McCullough

Paper.....Ivy Broach

Music—Song.....By

some of Miss Sorenson's pupils

Paper—The necessity of Teaching Phonics in the Lower

Grades.....Lucy Sullivan

Paper—Word Study.....Jennie Ware

Music—Instrumental Solo.....

.....Miss Burke

Paper—The Value of Illustrative Work in Arithmetic.....

.....O. W. Neale

PATRON'S MEETING—8 P. M.

Music—Instrumental Solo.....

.....Miss Jessie Bratt

Lecture—The Home, School and Nation.....Rev. Wimberly

Music...Song by Mrs. Hershey

Mrs. W. H. McDonald,

Mrs. Cary, Miss Irene Hart-

man and Miss Carrie Belton

Paper—What is the True Measure of a Teacher.....

.....Mrs. John Halligan

Music.....Mandolin Club

Greeley Potatoes, the finest grown, at Harrington & Tobin's.

**Women's Dress Shoes.**

A variety of styles in light weight Dress Shoes is here for you to choose from. Shoes carefully made from smooth, well finished black Kid skin, with flexible soles. New toe shapes and tips,

latest trimming ideas; new dull finished tops, the new Cuban heel; all these features are to be found in the lines that have but recently arrived.

**\$3.00**  
**\$3.25**  
**\$3.50**

**YELLOW FRONT SHOE STORE,**

GEORGE M. GRAHAM, Mgr.

3 doors south P. O. North Platte, Neb.

**PEOPLE AND EVENTS**

Will Sullivan spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Kearney.

Mrs. C. O. Wilcox spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Quinn have returned to town after a protracted visit in Iowa.

O. K. Peck went to Omaha Sunday night, where he will visit for a week or ten days.

Maurice Fowler expects to leave in a few days for a visit with relatives in Iowa.

H. J. Roth spent Sunday in Omaha with his wife, who continues to improve.

W. C. Elder went to Lincoln last night to do a little work in clearing up the senatorial situation.

Miss Ethel Evans is expected home tonight from an extended stay in the northern part of the state.

Miss Myrtle Scharmann returned Saturday from a visit with her brother George and family at Kearney.

W. C. Blackmore of Sutherland and E. F. Seeberger of Hershey were the guests of North Platte friends Sunday.

Miss Justina Ottman who had been visiting her parents for several days returned to Julesburg Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Wilson and son left last night for Leadville, Col., where Mr. W. is employed as foreman of the coal shutes.

W. R. Lesser special agent of the United States land office, spent yesterday in town transacting business at the local office.

W. C. Reynolds expects to leave tomorrow for a visit with his father in Illinois, and to look after business interests he has in that state.

Mrs. Pat O'Brien, wife of the well known conductor, came up from Council Bluffs Sunday and will visit friends for a day or two.

Judge Grimes, Court Reporter Cary, W. V. and J. S. Hoagland and W. T. Wilcox are in Gandy attending the session of district court.

Mrs. Flora Kitzmiller arrived from Des Moines Friday afternoon and will spend several weeks here as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Cynthia Wilcox.

Walker Hainline returned to the city Sunday after spending several months at Honolulu, Hawaii. He was not very favorable impressed with those islands and returns for the purpose of engaging in the steam laundry business with his father at Grand Island.

**We Sell Notions**

**You Buy Them.**

- J. & P. Coats Thread per spool .04
- Peerless Carpet Warp, White per lb. on spools .20
- Peerless Carpet Warp, Colored, per lb. on spools .22
- Corticelli 50-yds Sewing Silk per spool .04
- Corticelli 100-yds Sewing Silk per spool .08
- Corticelli 10-yds Button Hole Twist per spool .02
- 35 sheets Writing Paper .05
- Envelopes per bunch .03
- Envelopes per bunch .05
- Slate Pencils 6 for .01
- Lead Pencils, Nickel Cap, inserted rubber each .01
- Indelible Lead Pencils each .05
- Crochet Hooks each .02
- Knitting Needles per set .03
- Machine Needles per paper .05
- Vaseline per bottle .05
- Aluminum Thimbles each .01
- Brass Thimbles each .01
- Hat Pins per doz .05
- 8-inch Metal Back Horn Comb each .08
- Elastic Cord per yd .01
- H. B. Embroidery Cotton per spool .02
- Darning Cotton 2 spools for .05
- Dress Stays per set .06
- White Cotton Tape per roll .01
- No Twist India Tape, all sizes, per roll .03
- 2-quart Fountain Syringe, guaranteed, each .75
- Flannel Covered Water Bottle each \$1.00
- 2-quart Combination Syringe and Water Bottle, guaranteed, each \$1.25

Wilcox Department Store.



**We Point with Pride**

to our designs in bedroom, parlor and dining room furniture. But designs, exquisite as they may be, are not the only requisite in good furniture. We claim for our stock seasoned materials, thorough workmanship and more than moderate prices.

**E. B. WARNER.**

The stockmen of Dawes Sheridan and Box Butte counties are agitating a scheme to consolidate into one the three counties, with one county seat and one set of county officers. They claim it would prove an annual saving to the taxpayers of \$200,000, and reduce the land tax from \$5 a quarter section to \$1.50, and that the land would thereby become profitable for grazing purposes and reduce their average state tax.

They have a unique way of doing things in Kearney, as per the New Era-Standard, which says:—The other night in the northwest part of town a family washing was stolen. In the morning it was discovered that the thief made tracks in the snow and they led to a neighbor's house. Through the Daily Hub the thief was warned and notified, under threat of arrest, to return the washing. The clothing was returned but it was neatly ironed.

Barb wire and staples for sale by Jos. Hershey.

**Legal Notice.**

The defendants Herman Otto, Otto his wife first and real name unknown, and John Doe true name unknown, will take notice that on the 10th day of December, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northwest quarter of section 17, in township 16, north of range 25, west of sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1894 in the sum of \$14 67; for the year 1895 in the sum of 13 27; for the year 1896 in the sum of 16 16; for the year 1897 in the sum of 11 54; for the year 1898 in the sum of 5 66; for the year 1899 in the sum of 7 47; amounting in the total sum of \$68 67; with interest on \$50.87 at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 1st day of November, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid.

Plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises.

You and each of you defendants are required to answer said petition, or before Monday, the 25th day of March, 1901.

THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A Corporation.  
124 By H. S. Ridgley, its Attorney.

**Legal Notice.**

The defendants the unknown heirs of Richard Goddard deceased, whose first and real names and whose residences are unknown to this plaintiff will take notice that on the 10th day of July 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northeast quarter of section 23, in township 9, north of range 34, west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1895 in the sum of \$9.52; for the year 1896 in the sum of 30 10; for the year 1897 in the sum of 11 19; for the year 1898 in the sum of 5 57; for the year 1899 in the sum of 6 14; amounting in the total sum of \$72 52; with interest on \$56 98 at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 1st day of May, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid.

Plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants are required to answer said petition or before Monday, the 25th day of March 1901.

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**The Fair Removal Sale. The Fair**

We have rented the Ross building and expect to take possession March 15th and in order to reduce the stock and make room for new spring and summer goods we have decided to make a removal sale of all goods in the store.

It will pay you to investigate this sale as we will quote prices that will make the goods move.

This sale will commence at once and continue until the 10th of March. Remember you can buy goods from twenty-five to fifty per cent less than ever sold in this city before.

Do not wait too long. First come first served. Come early and get your choice.

**THE FAIR.**

**THE Five Cent Cigar IN BEST TOWN AT SCHMALZRIED'S.**

**Fine Perfumes and Soaps.**

We are showing an exceptionally fine line of Perfumes and Soaps, two articles which are household necessities.

We carry Perfumes in bulk as well as in ounce bottles—one is just as choice as the other.

Fine Soaps in boxes of three cakes, ranging from 15 to 50 cents per box.

**A. F. Streitz, druggist.**