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### Harry Ward's Magnificent Minstrels.

The one big theatrical event of the season will be the forthcoming appearance of Harry Ward's Magnificent Minstrels at the opera house next Friday evening, which is one of the greatest companies ever organized, presenting an excellent program. It is a fact that minstrelsy has become an art, and every member of this company is an artist, and the names of all the great ones are embraced in the register, which includes such well known artists as Harry Ward, Mullen and Vonder, Billy Gorman, Casad Bros., The Great Newton, Decker & Rasch, the rag-time comedians, Tommy Crockett, Earl Taylor, the marvelous Briggs and thirty others of equal merit. The entire company will be seen on the streets in the finest parade ever attempted by a traveling organization the day and date of the performance.

### Nebraska News.

Lexington has a floating indebtedness of \$13,439.15 and a bonded indebtedness of \$22,000. The finances of the municipality are in bad shape.

Kearney citizens have subscribed four hundred and fifty dollars for maintaining its ball club this season, and the soliciting committee has not finished its rounds.

Seven inches of moisture has fallen in the neighborhood of Cambridge during the present month, and the prospects for good crops were never better in that part of the state. The average fall of the month is six inches, an unprecedented occurrence.

The St. George Cattle Co. purchased two sections of W. J. Maneely Wednesday, making twenty six sections that the company now owns in township 13 and 14, range 51 about seven miles west of Sidney. This will be used as a summer range and 2,000 head of steers will be placed thereon about June 1st.—Sidney Telegraph.

Gov. Dietrich has appointed H. O. Smith, of this city, under secretary of the state board of irrigation for district No. 1. This position has been held for the past two years by E. D. Johnson, also of this city. Mr. Smith is well qualified for the position, being a civil engineer and by long experience thoroughly posted as to irrigation.—Lexington Pioneer.

A Cheyenne dispatch states that Jack Edwards, of Kimball county, one of the largest owners of sheep in the west, lost 6,000 head of sheep out of a band of 14,000 during the last snowstorm. The same authority states that the Swan Land and Cattle Co., of Wyoming has lost over 3,000 head of cattle during the past ten days, representing a loss of over \$100,000.

### Prospects for a Bumper Crop.

It has been a long time since the prospects for a bumper crop in Nebraska was as good as it is now. The soil is wet down to an unusual depth even at seeding time and with the assurance of an average rainfall during the rainy season a crop failure is a remote possibility. The state is already in good condition financially and in a general way, and one of those old fashioned "bumper" years will make the state one of the most prosperous between the two oceans.—Kearney Hub.

### School Laws of Nebraska.

The Kearney Hub prints the following relative to the new school laws passed by the recent session of the legislature:

First—We have a good high school law, which obviates the defect of the old one in imposing a general tax and imposes it upon the district which sends pupils to any high school district, the district levy being made in the usual manner. No high school is compelled to take non-resident pupils unless it has been so voted at the June meeting, and smaller high schools are not compelled to take them unless they choose.

Second—One of the best school laws we have ever had is that which debars any member of any

school board from voting to employ a relative as a teacher, even though the relationship is distant to the fourth degree. Superintendents have been given a great deal of trouble with indifferent teachers in the past by school officers employing relatives.

Third—The traveling library law is important. Under its provisions books may be sent from one school district to another and kept in circulation, each district having a new supply at regular intervals.

Fourth—The rural high school law is deserving of mention. It enables several country districts to consolidate for high school purposes and maintain a graded school.

Fifth—An important change has been made in the study of history, removing it from the second grade and putting it in the third grade. In the second grade a study of the elements of agriculture will hereafter be compelled to pass examination in that branch.

Sixth—Here's one for teachers. It compels every teacher to attend a teachers' institute each year in the county where employed. Heretofore they could attend in some other county and ask credit for it from their local superintendent.

### SUTHERLAND SAYINGS.

George Beverage, S. A. Hultman, John and Joseph Weir represented Sutherland at North Platte.

E. L. Constable started for New Mexico on Tuesday. He took charge of a load of hogs for Shoup Bros, as far as Denver.

Ed. Hostetter and Ed Yates took a few days lay-off and are making life a serious matter for the wild ducks.

Messrs. Keller and Saunders of Grant were in town on Thursday.

A. Robb returned from Omaha Friday.

Green grass and "bums" are putting in their regular spring appearance. We welcome the grass but could spare the other.

The book social for the benefit of the school library was held at the hall on Friday evening and was well attended and about \$11 taken in to be used in purchasing new books. Miss Iva Nielson won the guessing prize which was a copy of Longfellow's poems.

The assessor is making a round-up of the village merchants and it is said stocks of goods depreciated in value at a rapid rate for a few hours.

W. C. Blackmore and Chas. Purnell attended the K. P. banquet at North Platte Friday night.

Abe Johnson expects to start for Valentine on Monday.

Mrs. C. Hostetter is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. John Reed.

C. F. Iddings of the county seat was in town Friday.

Joshua Cox is erecting a neat picket fence around his residence. Its a good thing, push it along.

James Staple shelled corn for E. A. Crosby on Saturday.

Alex Neilson and Sam'l Anderson will plant several acres of sugar beets for the Grand Island factory.

A party from Denver representing a magazine called Western Resources, has been in town writing up a boom edition. So far very little interest has been manifested by our citizens and the gentleman is not likely to make a fortune out of it.

Mrs. W. C. Blackmore and Maude Hoover visited with friends in North Platte on Friday.

### BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

Several parties from this locality transacted business at the county seat on Saturday. It was the first day in some time that the highways were fit for traveling with any comfort.

O. W. Rich the teacher at Nichols, G. E. Turner the one at O'Fallons and Roy Ericsson at the Platte Valley, were all county capital visitors on Saturday.

Arbor Day was generally observed by the schools and people up in this section of the county.

Ace Snow and wife, who engaged to J. M. Dwyer about two months

or more ago to assist him on his farm the coming year, for some reason returned to their former home at York the first of this week. Seeberger & Co. at Hershey will ship a car of hogs west from that place within a couple of days.

Harry Page of Denver, son of J. H. Page well known to many citizens in the valley, is the guest of E. F. Seeberger at Hershey.

Mrs. A. M. Stoddard of Spuds is slowly recovering from her recent sick spell.

G. L. Mudd and wife of the Paxton ranch, were down to North Platte the latter part of last week where Mr. Mudd purchased a team of horses and a wagon at the Keith auction sale.

D. M. Leypoldt delivered four head of mules at the county metropolis last Saturday that he had sold to Tom Ireland of Moorefield.

W. C. Cole purchased a car load of stock hogs over on the north side last week and had them delivered at North Platte Saturday from where he shipped them to Spuds and from there drove them over to his farm near by. He will put them in the yard with a couple of car loads of cattle that he is fattening.

J. M. Dwyer delivered the team of horses that he recently sold to Lee Newport at the county seat on Saturday.

Dorsey Leypoldt is moving into the Porter residence that he recently purchased in Hershey. Friend Carpenter who resided in it is moving into the McKellip residence vacated by Mr. Leypoldt.

A car load of hogs recently shipped from the Paxton ranch near Hershey brought nearly \$1,200 on the South Omaha market.

Quite an acreage of early potatoes have been planted in this locality during the past week.

Fruit of all kinds survived the winter much better than was expected. It is coming out all right.

H. Null of Myrtle, was over to A. M. Stoddard's one day last week after a load of seed wheat that he will put in on Mr. Stoddard's farm in that vicinity.

N. B. Spurrier will put in about eighty acres of alfalfa on his farm just north of Nichols this spring.

W. R. Brooks and wife of Nichols visited relatives at the county seat Monday.

L. E. Jones delivered a fat cow to Butcher Baskin at North Platte Monday.

R. W. Calhoun departed for McPherson county on business yesterday.

Mrs. C. Wetzel has been visiting at North Platte for several days lately.

## Forewarned, Forearmed.

The liability to disease is greatly lessened when the blood is in good condition, and the circulation healthy and vigorous. For then all refuse matter is promptly carried out of the system; otherwise it would rapidly accumulate—fermentation would take place, the blood become polluted and the constitution so weakened that a simple malady might result seriously.

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Sulpher Matches per box. . . . .01  
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Pearline per pkg. . . . .04  
4lb pkg Gold Dust. . . . .18  
Kingsfords Silver Gloss  
Starch per pkg. . . . .08  
Kingsfords Corn Starch  
per pkg. . . . .08  
Corn Starch per pkg. . . . .05  
Argo Gloss Starch per pkg. . . . .05  
Dr. Prices Vanilla per bottle. . . . .15  
1-lb pkg Dukes Mixture To-  
bacco . . . . .35  
1-lb pkg Old Style Tobacco . . . . .30  
Horse Shoe Tobacco per plug. . . . .45  
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