

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## Others...

◆ May have Led in times past,

## But We...

◆ Are in the race now and getting to the front in a way to cause a panic  
◆ It will pay you to see our goods  
◆ and get our prices before buying

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### Y. M. C. A. Notes

An addition of two good books to our library by Mr. B. W. Lambert this week, which is much appreciated.

The association loses two good workers in A. M. McNichol and P. A. LeFleur. Our good wishes go with these gentlemen. Mr. McNichol to Lincoln, Neb., and Mr. LeFleur to Minneapolis, Minn.

A men's class for the study of the bible will be organized in the rooms on Friday evening, September 20th. With pleasure we announce the teacher as B. L. Robinson.

"Destroyed by Prosperity" is the theme for the men's meeting next Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Rev. J. F. Seibert speaker.

We are patiently waiting for those new books to come, so as to open the library to the many that are after books daily, and think it will not be long.

### Oil Takes The Place of Coal.

A report has been forwarded to E. H. Harriman about the progress of converting Southern Pacific locomotives west of El Paso and Odgen into oil burners. Out of 790 locomotives on the lines mentioned 135 now use oil for fuel. Seventy-five of them are north of Bakersfield, ten between Yuma and El Paso and the remainder between Bakersfield, Los Angeles and Yuma. Between Yuma and El Paso locomotives are being changed to oil burners at the rate of two a week.

Steel tanks are being erected at various stations, so as to have on hand always a supply of oil for the locomotives. At Oakland a tank thirty feet high and ninety feet in diameter will shortly be built. It will have a capacity of 1,260,000 gallons. The present Oakland tank only holds 50,000 gallons. At Fresno Goshen and Mendota are small tanks. Bakersfield has four 50,000-gallon reservoirs. In the Kern oil fields the company has two steel reservoirs, each thirty feet high and ninety feet in diameter. In Los Angeles the company has a storage capacity of 2,000,000 gallons. Tanks thirty feet high and ninety feet in diameter are either already built or nearly constructed at El Paso, Lordsburg, Benson, Tucson, Gila Bend and Yuma.

### BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

A. F. Beeler has his new buildings on his farm west of Hershey about completed. He and his wife were at North Platte Tuesday purchasing furniture of E. B. Warner. Farmers in this locality are now husking new corn and feeding it to hogs.

We understand Ed. Ewell, of the Grand Island sugar factory, pronounces the beets in the vicinity of Hershey the finest he has seen anywhere this season.

Farmers in the valley have finished threshing and they all seem to be well pleased with the yield of grain.

Jas. McMichael has completed the carpenter work on the addition which Jas. Wilson is building to his farm residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gummere are rejoicing over the recent advent of a daughter into their home. Congratulations are now in order.

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Hook Hames,  
Burlap Fly Sheets,  
Leather Fly Nets,  
Cotton Fly Nets.

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Wm. Ware is still quite ill and is under the care of Dr. Dennis of the county seat.

H. Otten is talking some of purchasing a ranch in the hills for summer range and bringing the most of the stock on the range in the fall to his farm in the valley, where he has plenty of course feed for a number of head.

### STATE NEWS.

The people of Fremont are considerably tickled over the report that the Union Pacific will build a new depot at that place next spring. The town needs it.

The Kearney cotton mill was sold Tuesday to the Union Savings Bank and Trust Co., for seventy thousand dollars. This company held a mortgage on the plant.

A young lady at Bradshaw broke her engagement with her best fellow because he sold his steady old horse and bought a young, skittish one. How thoughtless of him.

Charles Fowian of Sargent was rumaging about the local printing office in the dark, when he pulled down an oil stove from a shelf. The stove struck him square in the face and blacked both eyes.

A recent ruling of the land department affects the status of the children of "squaw men" on the reservations in Nebraska. It has been decided that such children are the offspring of their father and therefore are not entitled to allotments of land.

During the thunder storm Tuesday afternoon lightning struck the church of God near Weissert and burned it to the ground. The structure was frame and will be hard to replace as there was no insurance and the crops there have been light for the past few years.

An eight-year-old son was taken from a family named Fender at Plattsmouth and turned over to a homefinding society at Omaha. The little fellow had been frightfully burned but received no attention from his parents and was suffering a living death. Kind hands rescued him and he will be given better treatment.



## We Have Led,

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Why? Because we do business strictly on the merits of our goods.

The Buyer who is after his money's worth of Furniture, quality and style will run against it in our show room. We have just a breathing spell before our fall line of goods arrive. During this time, we will unload at a great sacrifice. Below are a few of the many bargains.

\$15.00 solid Antique oak side board only.....\$11.00  
26.00 solid Antique oak side board only..... 18.00  
20.00 solid Golden oak side board only..... 13.75  
45.00 solid Antique oak buffet only..... 35.50  
18.00 combination book case and sec. Gold oak only.. 14.00  
15.00 combination book case and sec. Gold oak only 12.00  
12.00 Gold oak ladies' writing desk, only..... 9.75  
8.00 Gold oak ladies' writing desk, only..... 5.50  
25.00 Mahogany ladies' dressing table only..... 19.00  
6.00 Popular Kitchen cabinet..... 4.10  
24.00 Black ash bed room suite..... 18.00  
16.00 Antique oak upholstered rocker..... 8.00  
Your pocket book wont be M T after taking advantage of this sale.

**E. B. WARNER.**



Good Cheer.  
Have you had a kindness shown  
Pass it on,  
'Twas not given for you alone  
Pass it on,  
Let it travel down the years,  
Let it wipe another's tears,  
Till in heaven the deed appears,  
Pass it on.

General Headquarters, 96 Fifth Ave., New York City.  
Nebraska State Division, Myrtle, Neb.  
Colors, Yellow and White.  
Flower, Coreopsis.  
Song, "Scatter Sunshine."

All letters, packages or inquiries concerning Sunshine work should be addressed to Mrs. Anna E. Moore, Myrtle, Neb., and notices for publication should reach us not later than Wednesday.

### INTERNATIONAL AND STATE DAY.

Coming! Coming! Nebraska division will observe "International and State Day," September nineteenth, from two to four o'clock, at A. E. Moore's. A silk quilt made by Nebraska Sunshiners will be sold and the ladies will serve ice cream and cake. Everyone should buy a ticket on the quilt and thus help to keep sunshine glowing in New York City and Nebraska. Drawing contest closes at four o'clock Sept. 19th. Price of tickets ten cents. All orders should be addressed to Mrs. Anna E. Moore, Myrtle, Neb.

### NEBRASKA'S SUNSHINE SERMON.

Rev. Douglas of the Congregational church of Albion as initiation fees delivered the first Sunshine sermon preached in Nebraska Sunday. The choir of the church rendered Sunshine music, the Junior members decorated the church for the occasion, and several members owning typewriters copied the sermon, so that those unable to attend could enjoy reading it. Several other ministers in the state will follow Rev. Douglas' example. There is not a church but ought to have a Sunshine Branch, for the organization was calculated to be helpful to all denominations. If the Methodists have a branch the work makes them better. If Episcopalians join they will find their church dearer than ever. If Baptists become Sunshiners they find themselves more enthusiastic Baptists than ever. If Presbyterians fall into line their church will be all the stronger.

Arberville branch, Mrs. Jennie Wilcox of Bradshaw president, sent thirty-five cents to the state fund as dues for August.

Maxwell branch has started a Twentieth Century quilt. Maxwell members are never idle.

Tecumseh Band No. 1. Mrs. E. M. Vickroy president, sends in interesting reports for August. In order to keep the necessary postage in the treasury for mailing out good cheer each member contributes five cents a month. Handkerchiefs were sent to general headquarters for the bazaar and silk pieces taken to a little girl who is recovering from a severe illness.

Another branch is being organized at Talmadge.

Members of the Myrtle division have been hunting for stray pennies to fill the little ice boxes sent out from headquarters. The pennies are to be used exclusively for the Babies ice fund. When the boxes are full a social gathering is called and a guess made as to the amount of pennies in the box, by each one, a prize being given the one guessing the correct number of pennies. This social event is called "Smash Day." The proceeds are sent to New York City and the little ones who live in crowded tenement houses are made happy by a glass of cool water that our mites have helped to buy for them.

Mrs. A. E. Pease, Zola, Violet and Claude Wilson paid their dues for the month by passing on cards. Sunshine is taking root nicely at Rangoon, India. The president writes that India is a dreadful country to live in, for you do not know what minute the house will come in, with the terrible rains and wind storms. Is it any wonder that a society whose motto is simply "Be Kind" and whose aim is to find out every nice way to do things that will make people happier has reached India?

**We Still Sell  
Tomatoes  
at 10 Cents  
a Can.**

We Also Sell—

Walter Bakers' Cocoa 1/2 lb cans.....	25
Sage, 1/2 lb pkg.....	04
Hops, 1/2 lb pkg.....	04
Chipped Beef, Rex brand, 1/2 lb can.....	10
Chipped Beef, Libby & McNeill's, 1/2 lb can 13c, 2 cans.....	25
Veal Loaf, 1/2 lb can.....	10
Veal Loaf 1 lb can.....	20
Kipped Herring per can.....	20
Lard, 3 lb pail.....	35
Lard, 5 lb pail.....	55
Lemons per doz.....	25
K. C. Baking Powder, 10-oz. can.....	08
K. C. Baking Powder, 25-oz. can.....	20
K. C. Baking Powder, 50-oz. can.....	35
K. C. Baking Powder, 80-oz. can.....	55
Snider's Catsup, 1-2 pint bottle.....	14
Snider's Catsup, 1 pint bottle.....	23
Kingsford's Silver Gloss Starch.....	08
Kingsford's Corn Starch.....	08
Lewis' Lye per can.....	08
Merry War Lye per can.....	07
Yeast Foam 2 pkgs.....	05
On Time Yeast 2 pkgs.....	05
Arbuckle's Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
Lion Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
XXXX Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
Searchlight Matches per box.....	04
Pearline per pkg.....	04
Sapolo per pkg 9c, 3 for.....	25
Soda, Schilling's Best per pkg.....	08
Soda, Arm & Hammer per pkg.....	08
Soda, Dwight's, per pkg.....	08
Gold Dust, 4-lb pkg.....	18
Granulated Sugar 15 lbs for 1.00.....	1.00
Rock Salt per hundred.....	80
Salt 140-lb Sack.....	95
Table Salt 2 sacks.....	05
Cheese best full cream per pound.....	15
Kerosene Oil per gal.....	19
Horse Shoe Tobacco per plug.....	45
Star Tobacco per plug.....	45
Standard Navy Tobacco per plug.....	35
Battle Ax Tobacco per plug.....	35
J. T. Tobacco per plug.....	35
Duke's Mixture per lb.....	25
Gothenburg Best Patent Flour per sack.....	\$1.10
Snow Flake Patent Flour per sack.....	\$1.00
Red Seal Patent Flour per sack.....	1.10
Jewel Patent Flour per sack.....	1.00
Corn Meal, 25 lb sack.....	35

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