

Local News in Brief.

Sizemore's Barber Shop—Union Prices for Shaving.
John C. Raynor writes that he is now employed by the Union Pacific at Cheyenne and that he will remain there permanently.

A letter received in the city Wednesday from Mrs. L. E. Wood at Hilyard, Wash., stated that her youngest child was seriously ill with pneumonia.

Last Tuesday Engineer Hollenbeck with engine 1848 pulled train No. 102 from Grand Island to Omaha—153 miles—in 151 minutes. The fastest time on record between the two points is 143 minutes.

A. A. Tryon, late of New York, arrived in town Wednesday and is the guest of H. H. Balsey. These two gentlemen will leave next week for Cheyenne where they will open a marble yard.

Misses W. C. Reynolds and F. L. Mooney, who so acceptably entertained a number of ladies Wednesday afternoon, will be hostesses again this evening, at which the guests will be largely young unmarried ladies.

There are show windows along Dewey street that are certainly very creditable to the merchants who have had them arranged. These displays are evidence that North Platte merchants are progressive and wide-awake.

Rev. J. R. Palmer of Plainview, Neb., is in town, having been called here by the illness of his daughter Mrs. Stahlnecker of the Third ward, who is suffering from pneumonia following a siege of typhoid fever.

Ivan Tillman and Ida J. Anderson were united in marriage Tuesday evening by Rev. J. F. Seibert. Mr. Tillman has been living on one of the W. L. Park farms near Nichols and the bride has made North Platte her home for several years.

If you have no other church home you are cordially invited to worship with the Presbyterians next Sabbath at all the services. Public worship at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor society at 6:30 p. m.

My house for sale or rent at once.
MRS. W. H. BROACH.

The Catholic choir is rehearsing Fiske's high mass in F, a work that covers eighty pages and with the service connected will require two hours to render. This mass will be sung on Christmas, and in its preparation the choir is being instructed by Prof. Leonhardt.

The very latest thing are the beautifully colored Fire or Light Screens at Doolittle's. Do you want to be up to date? Buy one.

Have your clothes made by Fred Kauffman, the American Tailor, Chicago, through local agent, A. P. Carlson, North Platte, Neb.

Twenty-eight ladies were pleasantly entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. W. C. Reynolds and Mrs. F. L. Mooney at the home of the former. The rooms were prettily decorated with smilax and cut flowers. A word contest, which proved both interesting and amusing, formed one of the entertaining features. Refreshments were served on seven daintily laid tables and the seats at the tables were designated by uncompleted sentences written on slips of paper. The function was very nicely conducted and proved very enjoyable to the guests.

You hear a great deal nowadays about Santa Claus' headquarters. His OFFICIAL headquarters are at Doolittle's. There he has taken possession of an entire room with his display of Toys. When you come in to Doolittle's ask for the Toy Room.

W. L. Richards is in receipt of another communication from the secretary of the Cheyenne baseball club in which the latter again urges the formation of a league composed of that city, North Platte, Kearney, Minden and Grand Island. The secretary is very anxious to know if the local association will take favorable action in the matter. As the officers have not yet started out to sell stock for the association and therefore do not know "where they are at" no definite answer can be given the Cheyenne association.

W. D. Hover, Embalmer, Howe's Furniture Store. Night call Telephone 90.

Christmas Preparations

Gifts Men Want.

- Elegant House Jackets,
- Silk Umbrellas,
- New Fancy Vests,
- Fine Linen Handkerchiefs,
- Longley or Stetson Hats,
- Rich Neckwear,
- Kennedy's Kid Gloves,
- Silk Suspenders,
- Elgin, Wilson Bros., Gold & Silver Shirts
- Mufflers and Silk Handkerchiefs,
- Sweaters for Man or Boy.

Don't leave your Christmas shopping until the crush and jam of the last day.



Teachers will Talk and Boys Will Talk

When their Clothing has been bought of us. The Boy's School Suits are the best made at

\$5.00

The Children's Suits never rip—they are

\$2.50

Examine the stock before you purchase elsewhere. Ages 3 to 16 years.

Lasting Goodness is Our Stronghold.

Do you ever consider anything more than the appearance of a Suit? Stronghold Suits today—

\$10, \$12, \$13.50, \$15.00

For Men and Young Men.

Money Saved is Money Earned

By purchasing our 3-piece Suits for Boys, 7 to 16 years, at

\$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 and \$6.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

12 to 20 years.

\$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7, \$7.50, 8.00, 9.00

A worthy Christmas Present and a needy one at any time.

OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS, REEFERS AND TOP COATS.



CUSHION SHOE.

BUY HIM A PAIR..

\$5.00

W. L. Douglas \$3.50 and \$3.00 Shoes.

Weber Bros. \$1.50, \$2. and \$2.50.

Star Clothing House
ONE PRICE & PLAIN FIGURES WAWOLLMER

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the Presbyterian church on the first Sabbath in January. Special preparatory services will be announced later.

Tickets for the choral class concert, which will be given at the Methodist church on the evening of December 27th, will be placed in the hands of the committee for sale next Monday evening and it is hoped that the sales will be large. This choral class has been instrumental in awakening renewed interest in vocal music among the citizens, and this will result in better music in several churches, as many of the choral class pupils are members of the choirs. Knowing the ability of those who will take the leading parts in the concert program we have no hesitancy in saying that it will be rendered in a manner that will fully satisfy the audience.

District court has been steadily grinding this week, and while the docket has been cleared of upwards of a hundred cases, it is likely that the term will be extended into the early part of next week.

Doolittle's Bargain China Counter is still on. A great opportunity to make Christmas gifts with little expenditure. County Treasurer Scharmann yesterday paid off a one thousand dollar county funding bond. These funding bonds were issued in 1887 in the sum of twenty thousand dollars, four thousand dollars to be paid in 1901 and four thousand dollars each succeeding year until all were paid. The first four bonds of one thousand dollars each were due last July, but only three of the bonds showed up. The holder of the fourth one has therefore been out the interest on one thousand dollars since last July.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. J. H. Stubbs returned yesterday from a brief visit in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Healey went to Omaha Wednesday night to visit for a few days.

Mrs. Anna Gray Clark of Ogalalla spent Tuesday in town as the guest of Miss Thoelecke.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crockett will move to Cheyenne and make their home with their son John.

Mrs. H. J. Wells has gone to Independence, Col., to join her husband, who is firing on a road.

Mrs. S. C. Mecomber is been spending a few days in Omaha, having gone down Wednesday.

Mrs. L. H. Hastings and son left yesterday morning for South Omaha, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Warren Davis for a few days.

Tax Agent Swingley of the Union Pacific transacted business in town yesterday. Mr. Swingley covers the territory between Omaha and Salt Lake.

Mrs. O. W. Sizemore has been spending this week at the home of her father Simon White, south of Hershey, helping to take care of a sister who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia following typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hammond left Tuesday night for Fresno, Cal., where they expect to permanently locate. They had spent some time in that country and were so well pleased with it that they think it an excellent place for a permanent home.

The ladies' guild held a ten cent social this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Cunningham.

Books, books, books. All the latest Novels, beautifully bound Gift Books, Books for boys and girls, Expensive Illustrated Books, Books in endless variety at Doolittle's.

In the district court Wednesday Mrs. Wm. Diedrich was granted a divorce from her husband, but was denied the alimony she asked. Diedrich will take the case to the supreme court in hope of securing a reversal of the verdict of the lower court.

Strayed Cattle.

Strayed from the Lindsay ranch eight miles north of town Tuesday evening, one old Jersey cow, two red half breed Jersey heifers, coming three years, and one black Poll Angus heifer, coming two years. Tag on left ear of each, branded C. L. B. Finder will leave at Stebbins stable and receive suitable reward.

C. L. BOWEN.

Baptist church Dec. 15th. Subjects: Morning, "How to Build the Wall." Evening, "The Lost Coin." You are invited.

Isaac Dillon & Son reached Bennington, Ind. Ter., with their grading outfit last Saturday and are now at work there on a railroad contract. Mr. Dillon writes that it is a great country and plenty of good hunting.

The fall of snow Wednesday, which nicely covered the ground, was gladly hailed after such a protracted period of extremely dry weather. This snowfall was considerably heavier in the central part of the state than in this section.

Among THE TRIBUNE callers this week was A. T. Geyer, of Brady, who for several years has been engaged in the real estate and insurance business at that point. He says the volume of business at Brady is constantly expanding and that for its size it is a thriving business point.

No such line of Leather Goods kept anywhere as at Doolittle's. Pocket Books, Pass Books, Bill Books, Writing Companions, Music Rolls, etc.

Increased advertising patronage has made it necessary to issue additional pages of THE TRIBUNE. Never in the history of the city has merchants had a more complete line of goods suitable for the holiday trade, and their enterprise in bringing these large stocks to town should be rewarded by a large patronage. This they will undoubtedly receive.

Tom Burch, who lives in McPherson county, was arrested Wednesday on the charge of stealing a set of harness from the Cody ranch and placed in jail. Burch had spent Tuesday evening at the ranch and the following morning the harness were missing. Burch was suspected and Sheriff Keliher notified. It was ascertained that Burch had started for McPherson county and Deputy Ledgerwood was sent in pursuit, who overhauled him at the Walker school house. The harness were found in the wagon but Burch maintained that he had purchased them from a man on the streets. Burch had been sent to town from Lemley for fifteen gallons of oysters and two boxes of crackers which were to be used at a banquet to be given at Lemley last night. The oysters and crackers had been purchased of the Wilcox Dept. Store, and when Burch was placed under arrest that firm hired a special messenger to take the goods to Lemley, preferring to do this rather than disappoint those who would assemble to partake of the oyster supper.

Chase & Sanborn Coffee.

OCCASIONALLY you meet a man who says he "can't afford Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Coffee." Now, as a rule, the poorer a man is the less he can afford to do without. If any one needs the invigoration of this famous food-drink it is the laboring man and the mechanic. Don't let us confuse terms. Cost is what you pay; value is what you receive. When value is in itself a source of still greater income, you can't afford not to afford it. Think it over!

RICHELIEU GOODS

- We have just received a fresh line of RICHELIEU GOODS and they are sold at the following prices. No better goods on the market than Richelieu.
- Richelieu Small Early June Peas 2 cans for..... 35c
 - Richelieu Sweet Wrinkled Peas per can..... 15c
 - Richelieu Superfine Sifted Peas per can..... 20c
 - Richelieu White Morrowfat Peas per can..... 15c
 - Richelieu Sugar Corn pr can..... 15c
 - Richelieu Lima Beans, 2 cans..... 35c
 - Richelieu White Wax Beans 2 cans for..... 35c
 - Richelieu choice Stringless Beans per can..... 20c
 - Richelieu Strawberry Beets 2 cans for..... 35c
 - Richelieu Succotash 2 cans..... 35c
 - Richelieu Mammoth Tomatoes, 2 cans for..... 35c
 - Richelieu 1-lb White Asparagus Tips, per can..... 30c
 - Richelieu 2 1/2-lb Ex. White Asparagus per can..... 35c
 - Richelieu 2-lb Sliced Pineapple per can..... 25c
 - Richelieu 2-lb Extra Preserved Strawberries, can..... 25c
 - Richelieu 1-lb Christmas Plum Pudding..... 30c
 - Richelieu Christmas Plum Pudding, 2 pounds..... 50
 - Richelieu 10-oz Selected Queen Olives per bottle..... 35c
 - Richelieu 16-ounce Selected Queen Olives per bottle..... 50c

We have numerous other articles bearing this label, such as Mince Meat, Seeded Raisins, Catsup and Salad Dressing. A complete line of Dried Fruit Boiled Cider for Mince Meat, Maple Syrup, Pancake Flour, prepared Buckwheat Flour, which is a sufficient guarantee that they are the finest produced.

Harrington & Tobin.

Slipper Time . . .

Comes With

Christmas Time

Have you man relative or friend whose comfort is your pleasure? Buy him Slippers. They'll afford him home comfort every day in the year—such Slippers as you'll get here—soft, easy and durable.

- Felt Slippers with felt soles—warm lined, at..... \$.75
- Embroidered velvet Slippers leather soles—patent leather backs..... .75
- Kid and Embroidered velvet Slippers, Everette style, at..... 1.25
- Fine kid Slippers in tan and black—turn soles—kid lined, at..... 1.50
- Tan seal leather Slippers—Opera style—turn soles—Chamois lined, at..... 2.00

Women's Warm Shoes and Slippers

- Felt Slippers with felt soles..... \$.60
- Fur trimmed—kid foxed—high front and back—Romeo's..... 1.50
- Felt Romeo's with flexible leather soles—warm and easy..... 1.50
- Felt lace Shoes—red lined—leather soles..... 1.25
- Felt lace and button Shoes—red lined—at..... 1.50
- Felt button, warm lined Shoes, leather soles..... 1.75

Overtights and Leggings

- Women's 10 button, black Overtights, at 75c and..... \$.50
- Men's 10 button, black Overtights, at..... .90
- Women's long Jersey Leggings, at..... 1.50
- Misses long Jersey Legging, at..... 1.25
- Child's long Jersey Leggings, at..... 1.00
- Little Boys' Corduroy and Canvas Leggings, at \$1.00 and..... .90

Infants Soft Soles

- Pink, Blue, White and Black..... 50c

Yellow Front Shoe Store

See M. Graham, Mgr. Three Doors South of P. O. North Platte, Neb.

Slipper Soles

- Men's..... 35c
- Women's..... 25c
- Misses and Child's..... 20c