

**Local News in Brief.**

**DR. F. W. MILLER, GRADUATE DENTIST.**  
Office over Streitz's Drug Store.

Commercial Fertilizer for Lawns at City Pharmacy, Dr. Longley.

Rev. J. F. Seibert held Lutheran services at Paxton Tuesday evening.

C. S. Clinton and son Charley visited relatives in Lexington Wednesday.

W. V. Hoagland returned Wednesday night from a professional trip to Lincoln.

A. F. Parsons will move April 1st to the D. C. Congdon house on west Fourth street.

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

Mrs. C. J. Perkins and Mrs. John Oswald go to Omaha tonight to visit friends for a few days.

Trainmen coming down from Cheyenne yesterday reported six inches of snow on the level.

Baptist church, March 23d. Subjects: morning, "Growing," evening, "Try It." You are invited.

Rev. Geo. A. Beecher returned Wednesday from Lexington, where he devoted two days to church work.

C. J. Perkins has purchased the George Friberg property on east Sixth street for a consideration of eight hundred dollars.

Jas. Hart expects his wife and daughter in a few days. They will reside in the Lee Wood house on west Third street.

Carrie Nation created but little stir in Kearney Tuesday. She conducted herself very peaceably while visiting the saloons.

Mrs. Viola Smith returned yesterday from a trip west in the interests of the North Platte cigar manufacturing company.

Mrs. H. S. Crockett left Tuesday night for Ellie, Kas., where her husband is employed as an engineer on the Kansas Pacific.

The electric light company is furnishing power for thirteen hundred incandescent lights, and the patronage is daily increasing.

A. I. Henderson returned Tuesday night from Omaha with his family and will live in the Peterson house in the Third ward.

J. M. Dwyer, late of Nichols precinct, who had been making his home in this city for a couple of weeks, went to Omaha yesterday.

Glade, the Grand Island ball player, will go to Kansas and take charge of a flouring mill. He will therefore not play ball in North Platte this season.

Miss Lula Salisbury was elected to take the place of Miss Thea Hansen at the Baker school, who in turn will succeed Miss Kocken in the city schools.

An Omaha seed man was driven over to the south part of the county Wednesday, where he will make efforts to induce farmers to increase the acreage devoted to the raising of melon, cucumber and other seeds.

Sam Dikeman has built a small house on the running gear of a wagon and placed therein a gasoline engine and walking beam. He will haul this power from one to another of the three wells on his ranch, attach the walking beam to the pump and starting the engine, let it run until the reservoirs which he has constructed are filled. He will use the engine only when there is insufficient wind to keep the windmills running. This is quite a scheme and will solve the water problem for Mr. Dikeman.

**Men's Shoes.**

Men's Fine Shoes per pair, \$1.25  
Men's Fine Shoes per pair, 1.40  
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Men's Fine Shoes per pair, 2.00  
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For Easter.**

Bring Your Head to the

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and let us fit it to one of our new Hats for Easter. We have just received from our eastern manufacturers a large variety of the latest and most up to date shapes in Hats for Men and Boys, such as the Panama, Pan American, Pan Tourist in all the latest and most desirable colorings. We also carry in stock a complete line of Cow Boy Hats, G. A. R. Hats, newest shapes in Derbys and every variety and shape in Jno. B Stetson Hats.

**Our Stock Larger than the Largest  
Our Prices Lower than the Lowest,  
Good Treatment Awaits You.  
Come in and See Us.**

**Star Clothing House.**

**City Election April 1st.**  
It was stated in these columns in Tuesday's issue that the city election would be held April 8th. It should have read April 1st.

Pupils of the high school will give an entertainment at the auditorium this evening that will deserve a large audience.

F. J. Dentler returned this morning from Ogden, where he went to take treatment for rheumatism. He found the weather so wintry that he concluded not to stay.

Wm. Robb, a stockman living near Lexington transacted business in town yesterday and met a number of old acquaintances. Mr. Robb located in Dawson county just thirty years ago.

F. T. and Jas. Redmond were called to Alliance Wednesday night, their sister having suddenly grown worse and is now again in a critical condition.

Go to Doc Sizemore's Barber Shop. Their method of caring for the face is wonderful. Only 10c.

Will Bock, formerly of this city, but now of Omaha, has composed the music for a new song entitled "The Proudest Boy in Town," the words for which were written by Ed Cogley. This song bids fair to rival in popularity "My Home Girl," which was also one of Bock and Cogley's productions.

New samples for spring and summer suits from Fred Kaufman, the American Tailor, of Chicago, are here. Come in and see them.

A. P. CARLSON, Agent.

District court, Judge Grimes presiding, convened yesterday forenoon, for the purpose of hearing the Chambers divorce case and two or three other divorce proceedings.

Mrs. R. N. Harvey, of Denver, accompanied by her daughter and a sister, arrived in town Wednesday and will remain here for the benefit of Mrs. Harvey's health.

The Wilcox Department Store filled a big order for goods from a Wyoming mining company Wednesday, among which were thirty cases of canned goods, and other groceries in proportionate quantities.

The annual meeting of the building and loan association will be held at the court house tomorrow evening. Nine directors for the ensuing year will be elected, and the annual statement distributed to share holders.

Will Finney and Miss Georgia Carson were married Wednesday at the Steele residence by Rev. Wimberly. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. George Hatfield, and has lived in the city since early childhood. Mr. Finney has also long been a resident of town.

The Retz-Reichard recital at the opera house Wednesday evening, April 21, will be a treat for lovers of music and humor. Miss Reichard is a finished violinist, Miss Retz an excellent reader and vocalist, and A. L. Bixby is one of the brightest humorists on the platform. The admission will be 35 cents, reserved seats 50 cents. The net proceeds go to the ball club.

**Shoes for Easter.**

It is wonderful how much a stylish, perfect fitting pair of Shoes will add to the appearance of the dress; helps the already worn, completes the new.

You'll want new Shoes pretty soon, for the spring weather is apparently here to stay, so why not get them before Easter.

Just from the factory, Shoes and Oxfords for both men and women, are here in plenty; natty, perfect fitting styles, best of quality.

Women's Oxfords \$1.25 to \$3.50  
Women's Shoes... \$1.65 to \$4.50  
Men's Oxfords... \$3.00 to \$4.00  
Men's Shoes... \$1.50 to \$5.00



GEO. M. GRAHAM, Mgr.

A good chance to get a Bicycle for 25 cents at Clinton's tomorrow.

W. H. C. Woodhurst made a business trip to Sutherland today.

Seeberger & Co. shipped a car of hogs west from this station yesterday.

Chris Rossow will leave for Montana about April 12th to make his future home.

A brick walk is being laid in front of the property occupied by Sam Van Doran on west Fourth street.

Mrs. M. H. Kelly has been in Cheyenne for a few days past, having been called there by the illness of her son Charley.

Painting and Papering neatly done. Work guaranteed.

ROY SHAFFER.

Those who attend the Elias Day entertainment at the opera house next Monday evening are assured about two hours refined amusement. As an impersonator of unique characters Mr. Day has no superiors.

The Bicycle, Gent's Watch and large Vase are still in the Grab Sale at Clinton's.

While riding near Nichols Wednesday Frank Dymond was thrown from his horse inflicting a wound two or three inches long on his forehead. He was rendered unconscious by the fall, but was assisted to the section house where the wound was dressed.

B. P. Parker, formerly day engineer at the water plant, but now firing an engine out of Rawlins, is spending a day or two in town while enroute to Iowa. His wife, who had been spending the winter in South Dakota, arrived here a few days ago and will remain until Mr. Parker returns, when they will go to Rawlins to reside.

Wanted—Fresh milch cows. Good shorthorns. Will pay good prices. J. V. ROBINSON, Supt.

The citizen's ticket nominated Tuesday evening is today on the verge of a general collapse and at this writing there is some doubt as to whether the names of the candidates will appear on the ballots. In order to so appear, a petition nominating each candidate must be filed with the city clerk before to-day closes, and as yet little effort has been made in this direction.

**Alfalfa, Cane and Millet Seeds for sale by Jos. Hershey, North Platte, Nebraska.**

H. S. Ridgley went to Brady yesterday to prosecute parties charged with stealing coal from the Union Pacific, but concluded to dismiss the cases in the justice court there and begin action before the county judge here. No matter how clear the evidence may be, it is hard to secure a conviction against coal rustlers in any of the small towns along the Union Pacific.

For sale—Two fresh milch cows Apply at this office.

The twelve year old daughter of Ed Rima, of Well precinct, this county, was drowned in the Platte river at Schuyler Wednesday, as was also her aunt, with whom she had been making her home. The two were in a buggy and while driving across the bridge over the river the team became frightened and backed off into the channel, the woman and child falling into six feet of swift, ice-laden water.

**Murphy's Varnishes.**

No. 1 Coach Varnish per gal \$1.90  
Coach Varnish per gal 1.60  
Furniture Varnish per gal 1.20  
No. 57 Light Hard Oil Finish per gal 1.40  
Liquid Wood Filler per gal 1.10  
No. 46 Dry Japan per gal 1.10  
Transparent Floor Varnish per gal 2.15  
Transparent Wood Finish, Interior per gal 2.15

The above in Gallon Cans and price is for unbroken packages only.

DeVoes Mixed Paints per gal \$1.60  
Linseed Oil 75

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Is now ready for your inspection. Everything needed for furnishing a house complete will be found at our store. Furniture for the kitchen, dining room, bed room and parlor in profusion. See our carpet samples.

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**THE BIG STORE.**

**RAILROAD NOTES.**

Wm. Stack, of Cheyenne, is transacting business in town.

M. K. Barnum transacted business in his official capacity in town yesterday.

Among the possibilities of the near future is a material increase in the boiler shop force and with the increase would follow the making of locomotive fire boxes.

Four engines are now in the shops for general overhauling, two of the 1800 simple class from the Colorado division, and two of the 1700 class from the Central Pacific. The two latter when repaired will go into service on the Nebraska division.

Frank Simpson returned Tuesday from a trip which extended through Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas to Southern California, thence back to Arkansas and then home. The object of the trip was to secure work as fireman or engineer, but in that southern country he found five men awaiting each job. He will remain here a short time and then make another tour.

A sand blast is now used in cleaning crown bars of the accumulated alkali, and it does the work very effectively. Heretofore it has cost from two to three hundred dollars to do this work but with the blast one man can do the work in three or four days. The credit of suggesting this mode of cleaning the bars is due Division Foreman Stubbs. The sand blast is also used for removing old paint from driving wheels, etc.

Yesterday while the water pressure, with which boilers are tested prior to leaving the shops, was being applied to the boiler of engine 1811, a crack of about eight inches in length occurred. The water pressure test is supposed to be one-fourth greater than the steam pressure carried, out in this instance the breach occurred before the maximum pressure had been reached. It is perhaps fortunate that this defect was found before the engine, which came here from Denver for repairs, was sent out on the road.

**Public Notice.**

Arrangements have been made to receive separator cream at the skimming station at North Platte. The price for the last half of March is 24 cents per pound for butter fat. For particulars see Frank Tuffs, our agent here. Also agent for the De Laval cream separator. BEATRICE CREAMERY CO.

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**Church Announcements.**  
Next Sunday being Palm Sunday exercises appropriate of the day will be held at several of the city churches.

Bishop Anson R. Graves will make an official visit to the city next Sunday and preach both morning and evening. At the latter service a class of a dozen or more will be confirmed by the Bishop. Several special numbers will be rendered by the choir.

On Easter Sabbath, at the Presbyterian church, an opportunity will be given for entering the door of the church either by profession of faith or by letter. Special services appropriate to the occasion will be held. The Sabbath following (April 6th) will be Communion Sabbath. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in connection with the morning service. Regular services may be expected next Sabbath, to which all are invited.

**We Excel**

As Dewey at Manila his part did well,  
So we in our products try to excel.

That this principle is appreciated by the purchasing public is proven by the liberal patronage accorded us. These cash prices do the work:

Cane Granulated Sugar 19 lbs. \$1.00  
Cozad Morning Glory Patent Flour per sack 1.05  
Cozad Valley Patent Flour per sack .95  
North Platte Patent Flour per sack 1.05  
Kerosene Oil per gal. .15  
Best Gasoline per gal. .20  
Arm & Hammer Soda per lb .08  
Cow Brand Soda per lb. .08  
Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch per lb. .08  
Kingsford Corn Starch per lb. .08  
Standard Sweet Corn per can Standard Vinegar 45 grain per gal. .20  
45 grain White Wine Vinegar per gal. .25  
H. J. Heinz Co. Best Cider Vinegar per gal. .35  
Best New Sweet Cider per gal. .35  
Gold Dust Washing Powder 4-lb box. .18  
Stock Salt, 100-lb sack. .60  
Sulphurized stock salt 50-lb blocks. .50  
Fancy white potatoes per bu Eastern standard tomatoes per can. .13  
Regular 35c M. & J. Coffee per lb. .32  
Regular 30c M. & J. Coffee per lb. .27  
Regular 25c M. & J. Coffee per lb. .22  
Regular 20c M. & J. Coffee per lb. .18  
Regular 50c Sun Cured Japan Tea per lb. .45  
Regular 40c Sun Cured Japan Tea per lb. .35

Large pkg Vegetable Seeds .04  
Large pkg Flower Seeds. .04

We have now on sale a very complete line of fresh bulk Garden Seeds, also fancy, Blue Grass, White Clover and Onion Sets.  
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