

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## APRIL SALE at "THE LEADER."

Commencing Thursday, April 10th, and to Continue for the Balance of the Month.

Having made too heavy purchases for Spring we find ourselves with too many goods; so we must reduce the stock at the following low prices. No shoddy old goods, but everything new Spring and Summer Merchandise—the best money can obtain.

### Dry Goods Department.

9 quarters Unbleached Sheeting, regular price 25c, at 19c per yard.  
 9 quarters Bleached Sheeting, regular price 25½ cents, at 20c per yard.  
 10 quarters Bleached Sheeting, regular price 28½c at 22½c a yard.  
 22½ yards Unbleached Sheeting, yard wide, for \$1.00, regular price 6½c per yd.  
 Fast color Percales at 6c, 10c and 12½c per yard.  
 Standard Prints, fast colors, at 5c and 6c per yard.  
 Wash Goods—the latest weaves for this season, price 7c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c per yard.  
 India Linens, 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 25c, and 30c per yard.  
 Imported Plain Lawns, 25c and 50c per yard.  
 Silks, any style, 18 inch, 20 inch 27 inch and 36 inch  
 \$1.00 Taffeta Silks at 65c per yard.  
 \$2.00 quality Silks at \$1.48.

### Hosiery and Underwear Department.

Ladies' Summer Underwear from 5c up.  
 Hose for Ladies, fast black, seamless worth 20c per pair, at this sale 12½c per pair.  
 Children's Hose, ribbed, fast black, worth 20c, at this sale 12½c per pair, sizes 5½ to 9-1-2.  
 We are the exclusive agents for the Thomson Glove Fitting Corsets. Any style you wish, 50c up.

### Millinery Department.

By all means don't overlook this department. We have a Chicago trimmer and we have an enormous stock on hand. We are selling Hats 50 per cent cheaper than any other house this side of Omaha. Ladies' Trimmed Hats from \$1.00 up.

### Laces and Embroideries.

Velvet Ribbons, Silk and Satin Ribbons and Washable Ribbons will go at this sale at a large discount off.

### Dress Trimmings.

You can find any style you wish at from 5c to \$5.00 per yard.

### Dress Goods Department.

The late novelties for Suits, Skirts Waists. During this sale we will give all linings free with Dress from 25c per yard up.

### Ready-Made Goods Department.

Dress Skirts, Black Brocaded Worsted at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.  
 Golf Skirts, \$3.48, \$4, \$5 up to \$10.  
 Ladies Tailor-made Suits from \$4 75 up  
 Shirt Waists, any style, any color, from 50c up.  
 One lot of Silk Waists, assorted colors, broken sizes, worth up to \$6.50, your choice \$3.88.  
 Ladies' Wrappers, Kimonos, from 50c up.  
 Children's Wash Dresses, from 35c up.  
 Ladies' Muslin Underwear and Sun Bonnets. You will find a large assortment at the lowest prices.

### Carpets, Mattings, Linoleums

Oil Cloths, Lace Curtains, Bed Room Curtains—The largest assortment to select from in Western Nebraska, at prices from 20 cents per yard and up on Carpets. 10c and up on Mattings. Lace Curtains from 75 cents per pair up.

### Shoe Department

We are the only house in the city that sell the Popular Brands, the Queen Quality, the Hamilton-Brown and The University. All of these brands are the most popular and Best Wearing Shoes in the United States. Every pair of these Shoes are warranted to give good satisfaction or another pair will be replaced free. During this sale a pair of Hose will be given with each pair of Shoes from \$1.00 up.

### Clothing and Furnishing Dept.

We carry a very strong line of these goods. We offer men's suits spring styles, worth \$8.00 for \$5.00.  
 Children's two-piece suits from 75 cents up.  
 Space will not permit to mention all you can find in this large establishment. All we can say is competition in quality, quantity and low prices cut no figure with us. Get prices from other places and then see us. We will discount any prices here or at Omaha.  
 This is not merely newspaper talk. We have the goods to back it up. Our Double Store and large upper store room is filled with merchandise that we advertise.  
 The \$40 Drop Head Sewing Machine will be given away to the lucky name on the 17th of this month. With each 25 cent purchase we drop a coupon in the box.

### Epiphany the Mecca.

Probably no town of its size in the west has sent as many patients to Father Kroeger, the healer at Epiphany, S. D., as has North Platte. The number up to date is not far short of one hundred. One incentive to journey to that Mecca is the apparent wonderful change wrought upon Pat Norris, who when he left here was about as near a corpse as a man can be and still breathe, and who is now in a condition that warrants his return to his duties as engineer. Another incentive is the extremely low prices charged by Father Kroeger, whose fee for examination and prescriptions is from three to five dollars. And then again the fact that transportation can be secured as far as Omaha by many is another consideration. Many of those who have made the trip have chronic diseases, while others have complaints ranging from a little gas on the stomach to threatened attacks of appendicitis. We all have physical trouble more or less severe, the only difference is that some of us magnify our troubles and allow ourselves to get more or less in a state verging on hypochondria, while others bear their complaints with patience and do not worry. The former do not rest easy until they visit some new found healer, and the mere examination breaks the power of hypochondria and the patient would naturally improve even if no medicines were taken.  
 In this connection, stories—we don't vouch for their truthfulness—are told of two North Platte people. One was a child who was somewhat weak and puny and after examination Father Kroeger told the father that any old woman in North Platte could have diagnosed the boy's complaint—it was worms and twenty-five cents worth of medicine would cure him. The other story was that of a woman who thought she had about all the ills mankind was heir to. Father Kroeger examined her and told her to return to North Platte and take more exercise in the shape of work—laziness was one of her chief troubles.  
 THE TRIBUNE would not for the world, however, discourage any one from making a trip to Epiphany. If you feel badly, go. The trip will do you good, even if Father Kroeger can not help you.  
 The exodus from Lincoln county to Oregon and Washington which was expected this month has not yet materialized to any great extent. At one time, judging from the inquiries made relative to rates, it was thought that at least one hundred county residents would leave for those states, but up to date less than one-fifth of that number have gone.  
 The Great Dismal Swamp of Virginia is a breeding ground of malaria germs. So is low, wet or marshy ground everywhere. These germs cause weakness, chills and fever, aches in the bones and muscles, and may induce dangerous maladies. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malarial troubles. They will surely prevent typhoid. "We tried many remedies for malaria and stomach and liver troubles," writes John Charleston, of Byesville, Ohio, "but never found anything as good as Electric Bitters." Try them. Only 50c and A. F. Streitz guarantees satisfaction.

### About a Wrong Notion That Some People Harbor.

Notions, you may imagine, are too insignificant to count the cost of. Can't save much on them. No? Then, be good enough to test it on the following, in our mutual interests:—  
 Thread per spool..... .04  
 Corticelli 50 yd Sewing Silk per spool..... .04  
 Corticelli 100 yd Sewing Silk per spool..... .08  
 Cotton Tape per roll..... .01  
 Hays' Waterproof Skirt Binding per yd..... .08  
 S. H. & M. Skirt Bindings per yd..... .08  
 7-inch Horn Combs, Nickel plated back, each..... .08  
 Vaseline, Genuine Blue Label, per bottle..... .05  
 Flannel Covered Water Bottles each..... \$1.00  
 2-qt Fountain Syringes (quality guaranteed) each..... .75  
 24 Darning Needles..... .05  
 36 Sheets Writing Paper..... .05  
 6 Slate Pencils..... .01  
 Thimbles Nickel plated each..... .01  
 Ladies Sun Bonnets each..... .20  
 Curling Irons each..... .04  
 Hair Pins per bunch..... .01  
 White or Slate Sheet Wadding 3 sheets for..... .10  
 Crochet Hooks each..... .02  
 Knitting Needles per set..... .03  
 Shetland Floss per skein..... .08

Store open evenings until eight o'clock.

### Wilcox Department Store.



**THE HANG OF THE THING**  
 has a great deal to do with what is called style in fine tailoring and the hang of a fine Prince Albert, cut-away or sack coat, as well as the fit and finish, is always perfect when made by an artistic tailor. When a man wants to look swell and correctly dressed he never fails to be fitted for his coat and trousers. Cleaning and repairing a specialty.

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**I. A. FORT**  
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**LANDS.**  
 He has 200,000 acres of U. P. R. R. lands which will be sold on 10 years, time at a low price per acre.  
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 Excellent fit guaranteed to all suits made.

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## THE LEADER

J. PIZER, Proprietor.

### Unice Sam's Growing Roll.

From the latest official report of the treasury, it is evident that the sources of government surplus revenue will not be entirely closed by the repeal of the war taxes. The customs receipts for the nine months of this fiscal year amount \$190,132,000, which is \$10,000,000 more than the receipts for the same period of last year, and \$40,000,000 more than for the nine months of the fiscal year 1898-9. With the increase of the revenues from customs there is at the same time a considerable reduction of expenditures for the army in the Philippines and Cuba.—Philadelphia Record.

Rain and sweat have no effect on harness treated with Fureka Harness Oil. It resists the damp, keeps the leather soft and pliable, stiffens, does not crack, no rough surface to chafe and chafe. The harness not only keeps looking like new, but wears twice as long as the one of Fureka Harness Oil.

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### NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Rev. J. W. Hill has resigned the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Lexington and accepted a call from Avoca, Iowa.  
 The Ogallala News attained its eighteenth year last week. Anna Gray Clark, the publisher, is making the News a very readable paper.  
 The cold, late, backward spring has developed the glow worm by the millions, so the farmers report. Those who have rolled their wheat and rye with a heavy roller, and especially in the alfalfa fields, report good results in exterminating them.—Gothenburg Independent.  
 Dr. G. A. Fix, Gering's female physician, was called to her door the other day by a hobo who asked if she "would be so kind as to ask the doctor if he had an old pair of pants to give away." "I am the doctor," said Miss Fix. "Holy smoke!" yelled the tramp, and fled.  
 Five petitions have been signed up complete for saloons in Gothenburg and you can bet your bottom dollar that if saloons have anything to do with drawing business Gothenburg will be a hustling town this year. Hereafter the hog and egg market will not have to be considered.—Gothenburg Independent.  
 F. N. Troy, of Gering, who had eleven head of horses stolen from his ranch south of Gering, March 18th, has the probable thief, J. Keller, in jail at Sidney, and has recovered ten of them. He found his head at Sidney, three in South Omaha, one at Lathrop, Mo., one at Alliance, and the eleventh one located at Denver.

**A Nearly Fatal Runaway**  
 Started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill., which defied doctors and all remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Just as good for Boils, Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25 cents at A. Streitz's drug store.

### BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

Owing to the recent moist weather water will not be turned into the old irrigation canal tomorrow as was anticipated.  
 A. F. Parsons of North Platte, occupied the pulpit in the M. E. church at Hershey Sunday evening for Rev. W. J. Crusen, who is conducting a series of revival meetings at the Mylander school house.  
 Grass throughout the county is about three weeks ahead this spring of what it has been for several years previous.  
 Howard Miles of Paxton has his hotel at that place about all moved down to Hershey where he will reconstruct it and have it in order to receive guests in the near future. This hotel will supply a long felt need in that place.  
 M. B. Cryderman of North Platte conveyed a number of members of the Loyal Mystic Legion order of that city to Hershey on Friday evening last in his carry-all, where they assisted in the initiation of a couple of new members into the order at that place. After the ceremonies were over a bountiful supper was spread to which all did ample justice. The guests returned to their respective homes highly elated over the manner in which they were entertained.  
 Bert Fletcher formerly a resident of this vicinity, but who is at the present time selling patent medicines from a wagon throughout this section of the country, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Trevillo recently.  
 The earth in this community was moistened in fine shape by a snow which prevailed on Sunday and Monday. The weather was warm and the snow melted as fast as it fell. Crops of all kinds as well as pastures are on the boom.  
 John Eshleman and J. V. Robinson both marketed shelled corn at the county capital last week at sixty-five cents per bushel.  
 Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Graham, of

Winterset, Iowa, were the guests of D. H. and O. H. Eyerly and families last week.  
 Mrs. Ogier of the county seat is the guest of Mrs. N. B. Spurrier at this time.  
 Mr. Stone's new residence at Hershey is fast nearing completion.  
 Sam Funkhouser and crew have completed the work on the headgates of the old canal and are at this time working on the canal farther down the line.  
 J. K. Eshleman is invoicing the property in Nichols precinct at one-fifth its actual cash value at the present time.  
 James Clemmons is to badly afflicted with rheumatism at this time that he has to use crutches in order to navigate.  
 D. T. Davis father of Mrs. Mary Spurrier of Nichols, is the guest of Nicholas Ogier, an old comrade and friend at North Platte.  
 Seeberger & Co. have been shipping baled hay west from Hershey lately.  
 G. A. Stapleton baled a couple cars of alfalfa hay for N. B. Spurrier last week. One car was sold to C. F. Scharmann of North Platte and the other car was shipped to Kansas City.  
 The patrons of the Nichols creamery are being paid for their March cream today.

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

### Barb Wire

Baker's Perfect Barb Wire, Painted, per hundred \$3.80.  
 Baker's Perfect Barb Wire, galvanized per hundred \$4.10

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