

Local News in Brief.

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

A restaurant has been opened in the frame building on Locust street lately vacated by John Neary.

Mrs. Fanny Brooks, son Frank and Mrs. D. A. Brown moved to the Krong farm in Nichols precinct yesterday.

Painting and Papering neatly done. Work guaranteed.
ROY SHAFER.

John Neary, the old reliable shoemaker, has moved his shop to the Douglas building on Front street, just west of McDonald's bank.

Owing to the absence of the rector, there will be no early morning or evening service at the Episcopal church next Sunday. Lay service will, however, be held at 10:30 in the morning.

J. R. VanBaskirk of Alliance, who is understood to be a "dark horse" in the race for the republican congressional nomination, spent yesterday in town getting acquainted with some of our people.

There will be preaching services at McNeel school house, northwest of town, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and at the Mylander school house at 4 o'clock p. m.

E. L. CHAMBERLAIN.

August Molzer, of Wilbur, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cary. Mr. Molzer is a finished violinist and will render a selection or two at the musical at the Hershey residence on Tuesday evening of next week.

Messrs. Streitz, Davis, Turpie and others are planning the construction of a telephone line from this city to the Streitz farm southeast of town with connections with all farm houses between the two points.

E. R. Smith, of Gandy, has been in town for a couple of days this week soliciting subscriptions for the proposed telephone line between Gandy and North Platte. He succeeded in securing over four hundred dollars.

M. C. Harrington is having a fine brick barn erected on his residence property on east Sixth street. It will be of sufficient size to accommodate a dozen head of horses, will have a vitrified brick floor and will be lighted by electricity.

For Sale or Trade—A Percheron stallion, weight between 1500 and 1600. Will sell or trade for young cattle.
JOHN McCULLOUGH,
Maxwell, Neb.

Rev. J. D. Patis left Wednesday night for Sacramento to visit his son. Rev. Patis has been offered a pulpit at Oakland, but when he left here he was not certain that he would accept.

At the meeting of the city council all claims on file against the city were ordered paid and other business pertaining to closing the fiscal year was transacted. Mr. Colby, who proposes to put in a gas plant, presented for approval, through his attorneys Beeler & Maldon, a descriptive plat showing the streets on which he desires to lay the mains.

The mean temperature for the month of May is 59 degrees, the warmest May on record being that of last year, and the coldest May in 1892. The highest May temperature recorded is 92 degrees. The average date of the last killing frost is May 9th. The average rainfall for the month is 2.55 inches, the driest May being that of 1894 and the wettest that of 1888. On May 22, 1877, the wind attained a velocity of eighty-four miles per hour. These figures are obtained from data furnished by Observer Piercy.

\$5,000 To Loan.
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Shirt Waists
—SPRING 1902—
Have Arrived. Price
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Store open evenings until 8 o'clock.

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MEN'S FASHIONABLE READY-TO-WEAR CLOTHES

If you want your apparel to be distinctive and original, up-to-date in style of tailoring and fit, come to us. Don't throw your money away on poorly made clothing, it is not cheap at any price. We can show you far better values for the money than any other house in town. Our methods of doing business for cash is the cause of it. Pay us a visit, if only to look.

Men's Suits—Newest Spring Styles—\$7.50 to \$20.00.
Star Clothing House.

Make Arrangements to Build.

At the congregational meeting held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening the proposition to erect a new church was discussed and a committee of six appointed to secure plans for a building, solicit subscriptions and transact other business of a preparatory nature.

The cost of the building was discussed at some length, and finally eight thousand dollars was decided upon, but it is probable that sum will be exceeded before the church is completed.

The site selected is the lot on west Fourth street just east of the Baldwin residence.

Tom Hughes, who recently returned from Pocatello, tells us that Frank Carrigan, son of Mike Carrigan, a former employe of the North Platte shops, was instantly killed a few weeks ago while firing on an engine. He leaned out of the gang way while the train was in motion and was struck on the head by a bridge post.

Tomorrow a number of stock-growers of Keith, McPherson, Logan and Lincoln counties will meet at Sutherland and organize an association, the object of which will be for mutual advantages and benefits.

Stock Cattle For Sale.
100 head of cattle, all ages and both sex. Will sell in bunches to suit purchaser.
BRATT, BURKE & GOODMAN.

R. A. Douglas Dead.

Robert A. Douglas, whose sickness was noted in these columns Tuesday, died that evening a few minutes before seven o'clock. The body was removed to Warner's undertaking rooms, embalmed, and will remain there until the arrival of his brother from Florida, who is expected this evening.

The deceased came to this city from Patterson, N. J., in 1873. Being an industrious young man he accepted such work as he could get and after a few year's residence was selected as deputy to Sheriff Struthers. In 1881 he opened a second hand store on Front street, in which business he accumulated considerable money, and at the time of death owned the two-story building on west Front, the frame building west of McDonald's bank, 160 acres of fine land five miles west of town, and is supposed to have had considerable cash.

Bob Douglas had a large acquaintance and held the good-will of all until he began making himself his worst enemy—a victim of strong drink. But he had, notwithstanding this fault, many good traits, and his familiar figure will be missed on the streets and his death is regretted by many.

Talk about clean walls, everybody can have them all the time at very little expense with Wall Paper only 5 cents a double roll. Newton has it at that price.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. J. P. Dullard of Sidney, was a North Platte visitor yesterday.

W. T. Wilcox returned yesterday from Omaha.

Judge Hoagland went to Lincoln on legal business yesterday.

Joe McGraw returned Wednesday from a short stay in Cheyenne.

Mrs. Joseph Mooney returned yesterday from a trip to Epiphany, S. D.

Mrs. Sheldon, of Troy, N. Y., is the guest of her sister Mrs. M. M. Spicer.

Miss Julia Nolan of Wood River is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Smith.

Mrs. Jas. Shea leaves in a few days for West Virginia, where she will spend the summer.

The Misses Robb of Cozad have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. McCarty for several days.

Butler Buchanan returned Wednesday from Omaha, where he had been receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Murphy, who left Sunday night to consult Father Kroeger, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Jerry Cronin and daughter returned yesterday from a consultation with Father Kroeger in South Dakota.

Mrs. J. B. Nelling, who had been visiting North Platte friends for a week, went to Omaha yesterday morning.

Miss Ella Mark, state commander of the Ladies of the Maccabees, went east yesterday after spending a day with the local hive.

Mrs. H. N. Smith, who has been spending this week at Epiphany, S. D., will remain there a few days longer taking treatment of Father Kroeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell Karth came up from Lincoln yesterday, having been called here by the serious illness of Mrs. George Harr, sister of Mrs. Karth.

Oscar Smith, employed with the B. & M. at Alliance, has been spending this week with his parents. He will return to Alliance tomorrow.

Rev. Geo. A. Beecher left yesterday for Chicago, having been summoned there by the illness of a nephew. At the time of leaving he did not know just how long he would be absent.

Stolen Property Identified.

The two men who were arrested Monday by Marshal Huntington for trying to dispose of what was supposed to be stolen watches and whisky are now known to be guilty of burglary at Cheyenne. A letter received from T. T. Keliher of that city states that a house was broken into and two watches stolen, the description of which tallies exactly with those found in the possession of the two men.

Arrest Three Crooks.

Marshal Huntington received word Tuesday that the jewelry store of Will Loomis—a former North Platte man—at Rawlins had been burglarized, and the request was made that he keep a watch for suspicious looking fellows.

In accordance with this request Marshal Huntington and Watchman Robinson rounded up the hoboes in the railroad yards and found three who were carrying valises. Upon searching the "grips" they were found to be full of all kinds of jewelry answering the description of that stolen from Loomis. The three fellows were at once placed under arrest and will be held until an officer arrives to take them to Rawlins.

House Cleaning

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You Need Carpets,

Our sample line is larger than any other in the city.

We Will

Save You Money

If you will leave us your order.

Wilcox Department Store.

OUR NEW LINE OF FURNITURE

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.

J. B. Hantley, inspector of bridges, was here on official business Wednesday.

J. J. Elliott has resigned as yardmaster at Sidney and is succeeded by F. E. Winkleman.

George Huntington accepted a position in the U. P. shops yesterday as boilermaker's helper.

Supt. Baxter went through on No. 5 yesterday morning and was joined here by Asst. Supt. Ware.

W. H. Ryan went to Laramie last night to visit his daughter for a few days while his engine is undergoing repairs.

John Lomergan re-entered the service of the Union Pacific as a yesterday machinist. For several months past he had been employed at Alliance.

Fred Woolman, for many years a round house employe, has quit and left yesterday for Washington. He expects to purchase timber land near Seattle.

Fifty-seven dagoes came in from Chicago Tuesday night and the following day were located in bunk cars and sent to the west end of the Nebraska division.

L. P. Krong, section foreman at Brule, was in town yesterday having Dr. McCabe make an examination of his throat, which has been troubling him for some time.

F. C. Short came up from Gibbon yesterday and entered the service of the U. P. company. Mr. Short is a ball player and will probably catch for the Union Pacific team.

E. W. Rich, of the U. P. legal department, was in town yesterday and settled the damage case which Mrs. Post had instituted against the company, paying her \$450 for the lots on which her house is situated. Mrs. Post will purchase lots elsewhere and move her house thereto.

Messrs. McElroy, Smith, Crotty and Davis, four mechanics who had been working in the shops for a month, quit work Wednesday and left for the east. As each drew checks of about ninety dollars for the month's work, it is evident that they could not make complaint of the wages paid in these shops.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

May 1st. Does your Y. M. C. A. ticket expire today? If so, renew promptly.

A good place to go next Sunday at 3:30 p. m. is the gospel meeting in the rooms. All men invited.

We were delighted with the way our ball team played last Wednesday. Clay Vroman, one of our number, received a severe bruise under the eye while playing and was compelled to leave the field. We are thankful that it was not his eye.

We do not have to have one! A Get-one club to keep up the membership. Without any special effort the membership has increased twenty-seven men in thirty days. The membership has reached 404. Thanks to the members and friends who helped bring this about. And now we can and should have 425 by May 31st. Just keep it up fellows. It costs nothing to speak a few words to friends about it.

ATTENTION!

John Gund's Brewery, La Crosse, Wis.

The Peerless and Extra-Pale Beer is its purity of materials and careful making. Peerless and Extra-Pale is brewed to suit the taste of the most exacting user, that it does is thoroughly proven by its steadily increasing sales. There is no exaggeration in the statement that this Beer is the finest in taste, the purest and healthiest Beer in the United States of America. You will never feel a bad taste in your mouth in the morning nor drowsy or sleepy, always jolly and ready to transact and attend to business.

Please send your order for case of quarts or pints to
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So we in our products try to excell.

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Cane Granulated Sugar 18 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.	.22
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	.08
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
Large Lemons per dozen	20c
Gold Dust Washing Powder 4-lb box	.18
Stock Salt, 100-lb sack	.60
Sulphurized stock salt 50-lb blocks	.50
Regular 30c Brooms	25c
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.

Orders taken for Alfalfa, German Millet, Cane and all kinds of Field Seeds.

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Womens' Oxfords and Slippers.

Women's Slippers and Oxfords for dancing or street wear, are shown here in pleasing variety. Late styles that are comfortable and pretty.

Strap Slippers
Light weight, thin sole, Kid Slippers, with one strap, that buttons over instep, strap ornamentals with black satin bows and jet or metal buckles at—\$1.35 and—**\$1.25**

Strap Slippers
Pretty, dainty, thin soled Kid Slippers, with three bar strap, fastening over instep with three buttons at—**\$1.50**

Kid Oxfords
Very fine Kid Lace Oxfords with light turn soles, pretty too shapes, tipped with patent leather. Dull or bright kid tops; Cuban heels, all sizes and widths **\$2.50**

Kid Oxfords
Neat styled, snug fitting Kid Oxfords with flexible soles; neat round toes, kid and patent leather tips; lace or button fastenings—\$2.00, \$1.75 and—**\$1.60**

Colonial Oxfords
The most popular low shoe style of the season. Pretty ones here, in fine kid and patent kid; plain toes; Cuban heels, at **\$1.00** and—**\$2.50**

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