

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

EIGHTEENTH YEAR.

NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA, JUNE 27, 1902.

NO. 45



## Baby Carriages.

We have just received a large line of Baby Carriages, which have such a wide range in price that we can suit anybody's pocket book. An inspection of these carriages is invited.

## Gasoline Stoves.

We are handling the Standard Single Generator Gasoline and Kerosene Stoves and have a large stock of them ranging in price from three dollars to twenty-seven dollars. One of these stoves burns either gasoline or kerosene, just as you choose. We will be glad to show the merits of these stoves to intending purchasers.

Of course we still sell Furniture, Matting, Wall Paper and Picture Moulding, and have gained the reputation of selling goods a shade lower than other dealers.

## Howe's Furniture Store.

JOHN BRATT. E. R. GOODMAN.  
**JOHN BRATT & CO.,**  
**Real Estate, Loans and Insurance**  
 Idle Money Invested in Gilt Edged Securities  
 NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.  
 Reference—Any Bank in Nebraska.

**THE Five Cent Cigar IN BEST TOWN AT SCHMALZRIED'S.**

**North Platte Flour**  
 Manufactured by North Platte Roller Mills  
 Used by economical housewives in fifty towns in Nebraska and Wyoming and pronounced the equal of any flour manufactured in Nebraska.  
 A Trial Sack will Convince you of its Merit  
**North Platte Roller Mills**  
 C. F. IDDINGS

**The Climate**  
 Of Western Nebraska is hard on paint and it is almost money burned to use an inferior quality when painting your house. The best paint is by far the cheapest in the end.  
**Sherwin & Williams Paints**  
 Have been sold by us for many years, and they have given universal satisfaction—time tried and not found wanting. We have a full stock on hand for the spring trade. If you have used it you will buy it again; if you have not used it, try it.  
**A F STREITZ, Druggist**

**JOS. HERSHEY**  
 Farm Implements, Wagons, Buggies, Wind Mills, Pumps, Pipes and Fittings and Tanks, Barb Wire.  
 Bale Ties, Lightening Hay Press & Repairs  
 Locust St. NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Messrs. Coldwell and Wolfe will meet all men interested in Christian work at 9 o'clock this evening in the rooms.

Tomorrow there will be a social sing to which ladies and gentlemen are invited to get acquainted with Messrs. Coldwell and Wolfe. The rooms should be full of men at 3:30 p. m. next Sunday to hear these gentlemen. They come to do men good. They will give special talks to men each evening next week in the rooms at 8 o'clock. All men are cordially invited.

The bath room has been treated to a thorough cleaning, the walls are covered with attractive paper and the place seems to invite one to take a bath.

We are working to have a membership of 425 by June 30th. Get one, fellows.

We have plenty of room for new members, so many of our boys were let out at the shops and have gone away to use their tickets at other places. Members will do well to bring in a friend and have them join before June 30th.

Large numbers of men visit the rooms each day.

Flowers for the rooms will be very acceptable at any time, they help to make the rooms attractive.

### Free Delivery on Star Routes.

As many inquiries are made to Postmaster Thomson relative to free delivery of mail on the two star routes out of North Platte, the following rules relative thereto may be of interest to people:

In addition to carrying the mails to the various post-offices on the star routes covered by this advertisement, the carrier on each route (except where otherwise specifically stated) will be also required to deliver mail into all boxes and hang small bags or satchels containing mail on cranes or posts that may be erected along the route under the following conditions:

Any person living on or near any star route herein described, and not within the corporate limits of any town or within 80 rods of any postoffice, who desires his mail deposited at a given point on the line of the route by the carrier on said route may provide and erect a suitable box or crane on the roadside, located in such manner as to be reached as conveniently as practicable by the carrier without dismounting from the vehicle or horse and such person shall file with the postmaster at the postoffice to which his mail is addressed (which shall be one of the two post-offices on the route on either side of and next to the box or crane) a request in writing for the delivery of his mail to the carrier on the route for deposit at the designated point, at the risk of the addressee. The small bag or satchel above described, as well as the box or crane, must be provided by the person for whose use it is intended without expense to the Department.

It shall be the duty of the postmaster at every such post-office, upon a written order from any person living on or near the star route, to deliver to the proper mail carrier for that route any mail matter—placing in the respective satchels, where such are used, the mail for the persons to whom such satchels belong—with instructions as to the proper mail box or crane at which said mail matter shall be deposited, but registered mail shall not be so delivered unless expressly requested by the addressee in his written order. No mail matter so delivered to a carrier shall be carried past another post-office on the route before being deposited into a mail box hung on a crane or post.

The carrier on the star route will be required to receive from any postmaster on the route any mail matter or private mail satchel that may be entrusted to him, outside of the usual mail bag, and shall carry such mail matter or private mail satchel to and deposit it into the proper mail box or hang it on the proper mail crane placed on the line of the route for this purpose, such service by the carrier to be without charge to the addressee.

### MYRTLE NEWS.

Miss Lizzie Graf of Gandy spent several days with the family of A. E. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen of Whittier attended Children's Day exercises at Myrtle school house Sunday.

W. S. Ross has had a little more lip than usual lately. While assisting Mr. Moran in putting down a well some portion of the machinery slipped, striking Mr. Ross about the mouth.

Children's Day exercises were held at Myrtle school house Sunday morning. The program of songs and recitations was well rendered. After the exercises both old and young enjoyed a basket dinner.

The rains of the last week have been heavy and everything looks promising. Some of our farmers report having new potatoes to use and those having in a large acreage will no doubt harvest a good crop this fall. Corn and rye are looking good.

A light frost caught the weeds in the lowlands. Nothing else suffered from Jack Frost's visit.

The Myrtleites will celebrate the Fourth at Myrtle school house.

### DICKENS DOINGS.

J. R. Cosselman was out from North Platte the first of the week on business.

Mr. McKinnis brought in some fine registered cattle from Red Cloud, Neb., Saturday which he will take to his land north of town.

The Dickens Sunday school changed its time of meeting Sunday. It formerly met at 3 o'clock p. m. but now it will meet at 11 o'clock a. m. Remember the change.

Gus Latimer made a business trip to Wellfleet Saturday.

This section of the county was visited by a light frost Tuesday night which nipped the corn and garden truck a little but not enough to do any great damage.

Mr. Swickley of Lexington was in these parts Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hublitz of North Platte were visiting with their daughter Mrs. B. D. Baker the first of the week.

Cecil Tuell made his weekly trip to the county seat Tuesday returning Wednesday.

Miss Gertrude Latimer returned a few days ago from near Echo where she had been visiting her sister Mrs. Rafferty.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

June 23, 1902  
 Board met pursuant to adjournment, present full board and county clerk. Board continued work as a board of equalization.

Buchanan precinct corrected on cattle from ten per cent lower to assessed value.

Gaslin precinct corrected on horses from ten per cent lower to assessed value.

Dickens precinct corrected on cattle from fifteen per cent lower to assessed value.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

June 24, 1902  
 Board met pursuant to adjournment, present full board and county clerk.

Board continued work as a board of equalization.

Miller precinct corrected from a reduction of twenty per cent on cattle to actual assessment.

Sellers precinct corrected on horses from fifteen to twenty per cent raise.

Sutherland precinct corrected on cattle from forty to twenty per cent raise.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

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

**WHY?**  
 Does Every Month SHOW Increased Business In Our SHOE DEPARTMENT.  
 Because our Shoes give the wear they should and are sold for what they are worth.

**WE SELL**

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| Ladies good serviceable Kid Shoes per pair.....              | \$1.50 |
| Ladies Fine Kid Shoes per pair.....                          | 2.00   |
| Misses Shoes, good quality, sizes 11½ to 2, per pair.....    | 1.35   |
| Misses Shoes, Patent Leather, sizes 11½ to 2, per pair.....  | 1.35   |
| Childrens Shoes, good quality, sizes 8½ to 11, per pair..... | 1.10   |
| Childrens Patent Leather Shoes, size 8½ to 11, per pair..... | 1.10   |
| Childs Fine Shoes, size 5 to 8, per pair.....                | .85    |
| Childs Kid Shoes, size 5 to 8, per pair.....                 | .50    |
| Mens Fine Shoes per pair.....                                | 1.25   |
| Mens Fine Shoes per pair \$2.00 to.....                      | 3.50   |
| Boys Shoes \$1.25 to.....                                    | 2.00   |

We guarantee the satisfactory wear of every Shoe we sell.

Store open evenings until 8:00 o'clock.

**Wilcox Department Store**

**SUNSHINE**  
 Western Nebraska News of the INTERNATIONAL SUNSHINE SOCIETY

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

All communications for this department should be addressed to Mrs. Anna E. Moore, state president, Myrtle, Neb.

**BRANCH REPORTS.**  
 Tryon branch, Mrs. Geo. A. Dolph, sent a box of sunny greetings, also Mrs. M. H. Winters contributed reading matter to the state office for further distribution. The many little acts of kindness done by this branch help to brighten the lives of many in their neighborhood.  
 Maxwell branch, Miss Cozetta Hall, president, contributes \$1 to Lincoln county's wheel chair fund. No regular meeting will be held for about two months. Each member will do what they can to add to another's happiness and a good report will be the result the first of September.  
 North Platte branch No. 3, Mrs. Mary J. Neary, president, is still busy gathering stray pennies for the wheel chair fund.  
 Myrtle branch No. 1, Mrs. Anna E. Moore, president, received contributions of clothing from Miss Lizzie Graf, Gandy, Cards and Indian relics contributed by members were sent to members in New York state. Writing paper sent to a "shut-in" in Brooklyn. Literature passed on to North Platte branch No. 1 and Myrtle branch No. 2. Hair ribbons was sent to Mother Jewels home at York. Flowers to the W. R. C. of North Platte. Picture cards, magazines, etc. to children in neighborhood. Zola and Violet Wilson contributed three scrap books as their months dues. Mrs. Schlitz and family sent flowers to Mrs. Balcom, of Nesbitt and Miss Tallman, of Tecumseh.  
 Money received for the wheel chair fund by the state president as follows: Maxwell branch \$1, Mrs. Jas. Hudson 50c, T. R. H. 50c, Mrs. D. McNicol 25 cents.

**HERE AND THERE.**  
 One hundred and seven members were enrolled from Grand Island during the month. This is the largest branch in Nebraska, Miss Jessie McCasland is the regent. As their year's dues a 25 pound box containing books, cards, and dolls was sent to the state office.  
 The pupils of Columbus High school have become interested in Sunshine work, and sent good cheer in the form of magazines and books to the Home of the Friendless at Lincoln.

**REQUESTS.**  
 The state president has received a request for a hat suitable for a middle aged lady. Should any one have this particular kind of sunshine to pass on will they kindly communicate with Mrs. Anna E. Moore, Myrtle, Neb.  
 Mrs. C. Schlitz, Nesbit, Neb., would be pleased to receive patterns of animals so that she can while away the lonely hours by making up stray pieces of cloth into articles that will give pleasure to others. She will return patterns to owner if desired.

**PROMINENT IOWA RAILROAD MAN CURED BY MATT J. JOHNSON'S 6088**  
 Cures all kinds of Rheumatism and Liver Complaint. Cures all kinds of Blood Trouble and Chronic Constipation.  
 (SIXTY EIGHTY-EIGHT.)  
 Illinois Central Railroad Company,  
 Office of Gen. Gen. Pass. Agt., Dubuque, Ia., Feb. 1, 1901.  
 Matt J. Johnson Co., St. Paul, Minn.  
 Gentlemen—Your great Blood and Rheumatic Cure, 6088, is the best remedy I have ever used, and I may say that it is the only one of many that has been of permanent benefit.  
 Yours truly,  
 J. F. MERRICK, Asst. G. P. A.  
**A FREE TRIAL.** We guarantee 6088, to be free from all opiates, salicylates, iron, cocaine, morphia, and all poisonous drugs. On taking half a bottle you are not satisfied, return the bottle and your money will be refunded, if bottles from our authorized agents.  
 For Sale and Guaranteed Only By  
**A. F. STREITZ.**