

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

The reserved seat sale for the play "A Modern Woodman", is now open at Clinton's Jewelry store.

A dainty Christmas package of perfume makes a pleasing Christmas gift. For sale at Schiller & Co.

The semi-annual apportionment of school money has been declared by State Supt. McBrien. Lincoln county's share is \$3,204.19.

The Gothenburg Independent says there is an deposit in the banks of Dawson county \$2,325,000. That's a showing that tells the story of the prosperity of the farmers of that county.

Fur trimmed Felt Slippers for ladies and children. A very nice Christmas present. SMALL, the Big Shoe Man.

It was reported that eighty thousand tons of coal would be stored at this terminal, and that it would be made a base of supply for Julesburg and Lexington, but so far only about 2,500 tons have been unloaded.

Better buy your seats early for the play, "A Modern Woodman", by thirty local people, directed by the author, under the auspices of the local camp M. W. A. at the Keith theatre Wednesday night, December 16th.

The Lutheran ladies' aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Seibert at the parsonage. Members are requested to come early because of some sewing incident to Christmas.

The Y. M. C. A. will be given a benefit at the opera house picture show next Thursday evening. It is believed that citizens will readily purchase tickets and thus swell the association's share of the receipts.

See the fine line of Christmas china at Rincker's book store.

A new line of alligator bags at special prices at Dixon's this week. Also cameo hat pins and brooches. They are nifty.

An incipient blaze was discovered in the Judge Hoagland residence Saturday morning in a closet adjoining the kitchen, and while an alarm was turned in, the flames were easily extinguished by members of the household.

Holiday and decorative boxes of stationery at prices to suit all purses. SCHILLER & CO.

Misses Nellie and May Hanlin were hostesses at the Friday evening meeting of the N. T. E. club and proved capable and pleasant entertainers. The prizes were won by Miss Ethel Donegan and K. M. Sturtevant. Enjoyable refreshments were served at the close.

Gent's card cases and purses, high class goods, at Schiller & Co.

The Brady Vindicator says: Geo. B. Scott reports that over 1,800 head of cattle have been dipped at the vat and that over that number have been engaged ahead. It appears as though almost everyone wishes to dip cattle which are not in the feed lots.

Members of the local of Knights of Columbus went to Grand Island Sunday morning to attend the initiation of a class. Among the number going were: Leo Tobin, F. T. Redmond, Ed. Kellher, Will Connelly, Frank McGovern, Fred Frye, Dick McGraw and Jesse Berry.

The Altar Society of St. Patrick's church met at the home of Mrs. J. I. Smith Friday afternoon and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Charles Martini; Vice-President, Mrs. Clyde Cook; Secretary, Mrs. George Tekulve.

Men's tan and black House Slippers Warm and comfortable. SMALL, the Big Shoe Man.

About one thousand warrants, for payment of claims against the county, were drawn by the county clerk last week, and will be ready for delivery this week. These warrants range in sums from one dollar to several hundred dollars each.

Make the most of your money. Buy your gifts where you can get the best goods at the least possible prices. We can save you dollars. Dixon, The Jeweler.

Loren Sturges has sold his 160-acre farm in Hinman precinct to a local resident for sixty dollars per acre. About a year ago Mr. Sturges bought the place of George Wilson for forty dollars per acre. The tract is all under cultivation, with forty acres in alfalfa. The sale was made through the Payne Investment Co.

Considerable surprise was created in town Saturday by the announcement in the Omaha papers that Mrs. W. E. McKeen had filed a petition for divorce from her husband on the grounds of extreme cruelty. While residents of North Platte Mr. and Mrs. McKeen seemed to live very happily together. They were married in 1893.

The big home talent play, "A Modern Woodman", takes place at the Keith Theatre tomorrow night and a crowded house is expected.

The Buchanan Company, the new grocery house, was formally opened Saturday and received a generous patronage. The store presents a very attractive appearance with its renovated fixtures and bright new stock of everything in the grocery and provision line. By carrying a stock of the best goods, selling at living profits and according courteous treatment to all, the new firm hopes to merit a fair share of the patronage of the public.

## Blankets! Blankets!

There are still a few of those durable 5A horse blankets left, which will be sold at a sacrifice. Come early and get your pick while they last. E. Blankenburg's Harness & Hardware Store.

The C. F. Eddings Co. will begin the erection about January 1st of a new building at the yards in which to store sash, doors and other finished products.

Buy him a Gillette razor; it will trouble the investment every 90 days. We have all styles. Dixon, The Jeweler.

Contractor Huntington says he is figuring on several houses which will be erected early next spring. This indicates that building operations will be lively next year.

A new fabric, Exelda, for handkerchiefs. We have them as soft as Japanese silk. In all initials, also in a pure linen. THE HUB CLOTHING DEPT.

The Baptist church Sunday evening was the scene of an encouraging revival meeting, eight persons—five women and three men—coming forward. The church was crowded with attendants.

Don't overlook our line of decorated china when looking for Christmas gifts. Nothing makes a finer or more appreciative present.

## RINCKER'S BOOK STORE.

County Clerk Elliott was elected secretary of the state association of county clerks at the meeting held at Hastings last week, an honor that came to Frank unsolicited.

Brandegan Kincaid & Co's Clothing speaks for themselves. They are stylish, well tailored and guaranteed to keep their shape. They are sold at reasonable prices at The Hub Clothing Dept.

"A Modern Woodman" will be the attraction at the Keith tomorrow evening and the advance sale of seats indicate a big audience. Mr. Ellis, the director, assures the public that the play will be well rendered.

We handle all kinds of Milwaukee Sausages, the best manufactured. Come and see what we have.

## TRAMP, The Grocer.

J. H. McConnell, of Hinman precinct, sold a horse to Maurice Fowler Friday for one hundred and eighty dollars. The animal was of the draft breed and weighed about fifteen hundred pounds.

Palmer's Perfumes and Sachet Powders. There are none better.

SCHILLER & CO., Exclusive Agents.

Simons Bros. have put in a hot air heating plant for H. F. Doebke, living north of the river, and one for a farmer living on the Garfield table. These plants are said to work very satisfactory.

Crop conditions around Vroman, in the east part of this county, are fine. John Hagan has 110 acres of winter wheat that is exceptionally fine, while another farmer named Farnstrom had corn that yielded fifty bushels to the acre.

For Sale—A No. 6 Radiant Home base burner; used but a short time. Inquire of P. A. Norton.

The Tribune is in receipt of two publications—The Pine Tree Magazine and Around the World on a Battleship—which were published aboard the U. S. S. Maine, by Burton W. Lambert who is chief machinist's mate on that vessel. Both are very interesting publications, especially Around the World on a Battleship.

Boys' and Children's Clothing and Overcoats, well tailored, in knickerbocker or knee pants; an entire new line at the right price, at The Hub Clothing Dept.

The Christmas Stamp has arrived in North Platte. The other name for it is The Red Cross Stamp. This stamp is just beginning to be known in the West but in the East it has been the rage for some time. The stamp is used in decorating letters and packages and carries the Christmas greeting. It is one of the most dainty and effective stimulants of the Christmas spirit ever gotten out and has the saving grace that besides carrying the message of "Peace on Earth" every cent taken for the stamp goes to help in the fight against tuberculosis. Everyone should use these stamps on their letters and packages from now till Christmas and help the good cause along. The stamps are now on sale at the Stone Drug Co., Schiller & Co., Rincker's book store, Dixon's, Clinton's and McDonnell & Graves.

## BUCHANAN COMPANY.

Damage Case Dismissed. The damage case of Fireman Finn against Engineers Reynolds, filed in the Omaha courts about two years ago, was dismissed last week and the costs taxed to the plaintiff. The case grew out of an accident which happened at Gannett, and in which Finn was seriously injured. He made a settlement with the company and then brought a damage suit against Engineer Reynolds for five thousand dollars.

## Marked For Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bac, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Stone's drug store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

## PEOPLE AND EVENTS.

Jake Richards, of Gothenburg, was the guest yesterday of his brother Sam.

Mrs. J. A. Gahagen, of Gibbon, spent the latter part of last week with friends in town.

D. M. Tatum and family, who moved to Texas two or three years ago, will return to North Platte this week.

Mrs. Helen White arrived Saturday night from her European trip, which proved very pleasant and interesting.

James Adams, a former North Platte resident, but of late years living in Colorado, is in town visiting friends.

George Finn was a visitor in Omaha the latter part of last week, going down, he said, to take a look at the corn show.

Guy Congdon and wife will arrive from the west this week to spend the holidays with his parents. It has been two years since Guy has been in North Platte.

J. W. VanDerhoof, who had been at Hot Springs, Ark., for seven weeks taking treatment for rheumatism, returned home yesterday morning. He returns minus rheumatic pains and feeling greatly improved in all particulars.

Mrs. John McCullough, of Maxwell, visited friends and transacted business in town yesterday. Mrs. McCullough is one of the pioneers of Lincoln county, having arrived in North Platte forty-one years ago, and for forty years has been a resident of Maxwell.

Ray and Harold Keith, sons of H. S. Keith, a former North Platte business man, arrived in town Friday for a visit with friends, Harold leaving for Chadron the following day while Ray will remain part of this week while enroute to Denver for his health.

Miss Grace Leonhardt, of Shelton, spent Sunday and yesterday visiting her father, who has been in town for a week. Miss Leonhardt is a finished musician, both as a pianist and vocalist, and recently declined an offer of \$100 per month and expenses to go on the stage.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Robinson returned the latter part of last week from Beatrice, where they were called by the illness and death of Mrs. Robinson's sister. The deceased was a Nebraska pioneer, locating with the family in Gage county in 1860. Death followed an operation performed a year ago, when a kidney was removed.

Silk mufflers and scarfs; nothing nicer than these for a Christmas gift. THE HUB CLOTHING DEPT.

## Railroad Notes.

Vice-President Hoffmaster, of the North Platte Co., spent the latter part of last week in town on business connected with the plant.

D. H. Frederiek has been appointed district foreman of the block signal system with headquarters in this city. He will move his family down from Sidney in a few days.

C. F. Perry will have charge of the ice harvest on the Union Pacific lake, and has everything in readiness for cutting as soon as the weather turns cold enough to make ice of the required thickness.

J. E. Stenvall, now section foreman at Big Springs, has purchased one of the M. C. Rogers' houses in the Third ward as an investment, and has also purchased a lot in the Trustee's addition. Mr. Stenvall has faith in North Platte's future.

M. F. Hosler has secured a lease of two lots from the Union Pacific company near Locust street and will at once erect an ice house of six hundred tons capacity which he will fill from the company ice lake. Mr. Hosler has control of the local supply of ice taken from the lake.



## Stormy Weather Coming

pretty soon. The season for wet walking, wet feet, and pneumonia. That is, if you are not provided with stormy weather footwear. Be wise and secure a pair of our

Water and Weather Proof Shoes. . . . Prices: \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$6.00.

SMALL, The Big Shoe Man. 521 Dewey Street.

## Picture Show Will Close.

The opera house picture show will close next Saturday evening, Dr. F. W. Miller, the lessee of the house, having sub-leased it to a man from Central City who will conduct a skating rink. Dr. Miller has put considerable energy into the picture show business, and has given the public the best possible attractions, yet the financial returns do not justify the Doctor in further continuing the show.

9-15 Bale Ties at \$1.12 1/2 per bundle. GINN & WHITE.

## Deeds Filed.

The following conveyances of real estate have been filed in the county clerk's office during the past week:

Wm. Hawley to W. F. Smith and others lots 2, 3 and 4, section 31-14-33, 135.40 acres, \$5,415.00.

Leroy Proy to W. R. Nixon, the southeast quarter of section 14-15-29, \$2,000.

Francis Carpenter to O. H. Eyerly, lot 3, block 2, Herashey, \$1,500.

Louisa D. Smith to G. G. Smith, north half and southeast quarter section 35-15-29, \$1,600.

E. G. Malone to F. T. Walker, one-third interest in the west half of the west half of section 16, and the east half of section 17.13-30, 480 acres, \$1,686.66, subject to encumbrance of \$10,000.

Fred Pierson to W. J. Scott, southeast quarter section 24-13-34, \$2,400.

Edward Bouton to Charlie Meyers section 23-16-28, \$2,240.

## UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men and Women Unanimous About It. Many women weep and wall and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded. Many men incline to profanity because the flies bite through the thin thatch on their craniums. It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes, to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market. This is the new scalp germicide and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction. Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as to its worth. Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes—50 cents and \$1.00. McDonnell & Graves, Special Agents.

## Engineers Remember McKeen.

W. R. McKeen, jr., formerly superintendent of motive power of the Union Pacific railroad, but who resigned to become president of the new motor car company, was yesterday presented with a set of resolutions by representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers expressing their regret that he has severed his connection with the company in his former capacity. The resolutions, which were handsomely engraved, were presented to Mr. McKeen by A. L. Konold, chairman of the board of adjustment.—Omaha Bee.

Men's Mocha and kid, silk and wool lined gloves and mittens. Just the thing to get your best follow. THE HUB CLOTHING DEPT.

## Kerson Oats for Sale.

Genuine and pure Kerson seed oats for sale. Price 50 cents per bushel. Call on or address Harry Shaner, two miles east of Bignell.

## FOR SALE.

At the Experimental Sub-Station. Some choice Duroc-Jersey Boars at \$15 each. Twenty-five head of yearling steers and heifers; nearly all of these are Aberdeen-Angus grades. Brome grass seed of the crop of 1908 at 10 cents per pound. Kheron oats for seed at 60 cents per bushel. There is no more winter wheat for sale. W. P. SNYDER, Supt.

## Where the Shoe Pinches.

Why do you insure your house, and furniture, and stable, against fire?

Because if you don't, and they burn up, the loss will fall on you.

Why do you neglect to insure your life?

Because if you die—and you will die some day—the loss will not fall on you but on somebody else—your wife or daughter, or aged mother, or invalid sister or some other defenceless dependent.

You haven't viewed the question in this way? Then think it over, and drop a card to the undersigned.

## EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES "STRONGEST IN THE WORLD"

PAUL MORTON, President H. P. NEELY, Manager, Omaha, Neb.

W. H. McDonald, Local Representative, North Platte, Nebraska.

## CHRISTMAS SILK SALE

at The Leader.

5000 Yards of Silks in fancy checks and stripes, plain, in all shades, 36-inch guaranteed Black Taffeta included, worth up to \$1.50 per yard, at

## Ninety-Eight Cents per yard.

If you wish to buy a useful Christmas Gift for your wife, daughter, mother or sweetheart nothing more suitable or useful can be found, as they will appreciate a Waist or Dress made from this material.

## THE LEADER,

JULIUS PIZER, Proprietor.

## Christmas Cloak, Suit and Fur Sale

at THE LEADER.

We have just received a large consignment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks, the latest and finest that have been shown this season. We place them on sale and will guarantee to save you from twenty-five to fifty cents on every dollar you invest. Any one wishing to buy a cloak or suit or set of furs for a Christmas gift should call early and get the advantage of a full stock.

## THE LEADER,

JULIUS PIZER, Proprietor.