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Mrs. A. B. Yates, of Sutherland, was the guest of relatives in town last week.

First class second hand Organ to trade for a good milch cow.  
**WORKMAN & DERRYBERRY.**

The building and loan directors held a special meeting the early part of the week and approved and granted loans to two applicants.

The annual dance of the city firemen will be held April 12th and not March 12th, as has been stated from certain sources. The dance occurs the Monday evening following Easter.

Yesterday was the most quiet day North Platte has experienced in months. Scarcely a half dozen people were visible at one time on Dewey street from one to five o'clock.

Sam Richards has been spending this week in Lexington conducting an auction at the Banks & Richards store and appearing in the district court in a case in which he is interested.

We notice by the Cheyenne Tribune that O. M. Robertson, a former chief clerk in the district foreman's office, has let the contract for the erection of a dwelling in Cheyenne.

Corn is selling for fifty-three to fifty five cents per bushel in the local market, a carload selling at the latter price Tuesday. As a result of the high price more corn is being marketed in this city at present than for several years past.

Additional equipment has been ordered for the Star Bottling Works in anticipation of increased business. By furnishing a superior line of goods to his patrons, Mr. Porter built up a big trade last season, and confidently expects a large increase this year.

Given away for a short time only at Lamb's, North Side, a full size can of Calumet Baking Powder with the purchase of a sack of flour.

In criticizing the action of Chairman Elder and Chairman McDonald in calling mass conventions to nominate city officers, one faction says it is a scheme in the interests of the waterworks, while another faction says such conventions will easily be controlled by the municipal ownership advocates. And there you are—some fellows are always suspicious of the other fellows, and are therefore never satisfied.

For Sale—Residence Property. Nine room house, good lawn, sidewalks, fences, good barn and other out buildings. All new. Splendid home. Inquire of L. C. Swan or call at 7:20 W. 2nd St.



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**Stone Drug Co.**

Andrew Weinberger, of Omaha, is visiting relatives in town, having arrived the early part of the week.

Maurice Guillaume has accepted a position with the Rush Mercantile Co., assuming his duties yesterday.

Your furniture needs varnishing and repairing before house cleaning. See P. M. Sorenson, shop 107 E. 5th St.

Chas. Whyman, late night baggage-man, loaded his household goods yesterday, and leaves today for Brule.

Wanted pure bred white Plymouth rock cockerel. Address L. Macey, North Platte.

Rural route carrier Sturges is confined to the house by la grippe, but the substitute, Mrs. Sturges, successfully made the route in the storm yesterday.

Snow began falling yesterday morning and continued at intervals throughout the day, thus giving moisture that will make crops more reasonably certain this season.

Wanted—First class woman cook. Inquire at the Enterprise Bakery.

Supt. Tout, of the city schools, goes to Sidney tonight where he will officiate as judge in a declamatory contest between the high schools of that place and Alliance.

Ladies' fancy and plain lisle and silk hosiery. New line just in at Wilcox Department Store.

Perry Carson, Billy Hatfield and Jimmie Weeks spent Wednesday hunting in the vicinity of Paxton. They returned with twenty-five ducks and two geese. The other two boys commend Billy as a retriever.

Dr. C. M. Headrick, specialist, will visit North Platte, Wednesday March 17th, Pacific hotel. Consultation free.

Mr. Forbes, who recently worked for Workman & Derryberry, has returned from Lincoln and will again make North Platte his home. He has moved into the house adjoining the home of Rev. Swan.

The attention of the public is invited to the new line of stationery at Rinker's Book Store.

E. T. Tramp has purchased four lots at Keystone, on the North river branch, and if business conditions in that section warrant, will erect a cement block building this summer and establish a branch house.

George don't forget to get one of those model Shirts, only \$1.00 at WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

The high school basket ball team, accompanied by Principal Ringer, journeyed to Sidney Saturday and met defeat at the hands of the high school team of that town. The score was, however, close and the game throughout a rattling good one.

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All regular services in the Christian church next Lord's day. The bible school convenes at 10 a. m. The attendance in the bible school is increasing and the interest growing. All are urged to attend this service. The pastor is also anxious that each member of the church be present at the morning service. Special attention will be given to the need of the work. Preaching in the evening at 7:30. All invited to come. L. C. SWAN.

**It Saved His Leg.**

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis., "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruption, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Gums and Piles. 25c at Stone Drug Store.

**U. P. Gives Up Coal Lands.**

A settlement has been effected by the secretary of the interior of the government suit against the Union Pacific company involving coal lands in Wyoming estimated as worth \$1,500,000. This land is said to have been acquired by the company through what is known as "dummy entries".

The land involved aggregated 4,560 acres and after numerous conferences the company decided not to defend the suit but reconveyed the land to the government and also paid nearly \$33,000 for the coal mined therefrom.

The company has discontinued mining from the land, which has been withdrawn from entry until June 1 next. Besides reconveying the land and paying trespass damages, the company loses the \$91,200 paid for the lands.

This is one of the cases included in former Secretary Garfield's letter to congress, showing lands worth over \$100,000,000 under investigation or in litigation.

**For Sale.**

One side board, extension table, six dining chairs, one child's folding bed, one child's high chair. Mrs. C. M. Newton, 615 west 4th street.

Mogul Coffee is the best. Ask your Grocer.

The Rev. Wm. J. Davidson, D. D., Chancellor of Nebraska Wesleyan University, will preach both morning and evening in the Methodist Episcopal church on March 14th. All are invited to come and hear this masterful speaker.

For Rent—Eight room house with modern improvements. Inquire of E. A. Cary.

Saloons or no saloons will be the issue in the city election at Lexington.

Mogul Coffee in the morning makes you feel good all day.

**For Sale.**

100 head of cows, steers and heifers. Can be seen at the former Sturges ranch 8 miles northwest of North Platte. ALEX BROWN.

**The County Option Bill.**

Lincoln Star: Temperance people of Nebraska who helped last fall to defeat George Sheldon and a majority of the republican candidates for the state legislature, received their reward Tuesday afternoon when the democratic members of the senate put to death that county option measure for which the temperance forces had long worked and prayed.

These good folks know more about the game of politics than they did before that notable session of Tuesday afternoon. Senator Myers, of Rock county, told them a few things, and they had no difficulty in observing others when the representatives of the party which Elmer Thomas and others of his organization had helped to put in power voted against the bill.

Every republican senator save two voted for the county option bill. Every vote against the measure save two was cast by a democrat, and those confident members of the majority, of whom the galleries expected much last fall when they assisted in defeating Sheldon and his running mates, sat there silent and smiling while the supporters of the bill talked against time and prefaced the slaughter with their elegant words.

How good are the memories of these county option people? Two years from now, when this question is an issue again, will they forget the things that happened on that March Tuesday afternoon when the democrats stuck the knife into the measure? And two years from now at the last moment, in the time when the roorback is born and red lights flash in the pan, will they again turn toward the democratic party which has just fooled them once and which will as easily and jovially fool them again if it can?

**Estrayed.**

Estrayed from my farm ten miles northwest of town on March 7th, four cows—one dark red, one light red with horn broken off, one light brindle, heavy with calf, and dark brindle with horn off; no brands. A reasonable reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery. Leave word at the Tramp grocery or address J. N. Carlisle, North Platte.



A Boquet of American Beauties in "A Knight for a Day," which will be presented at the Keith

Theatre, this (Friday) evening.

Even the young folks can remember when all soda crackers were bought from an open box or barrel. At that time they were only used because there was nothing better. But now the perfected soda crackers

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