

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walmeth and children left Saturday on their journey to Germany.

Eighteen or twenty head of Jesse Long's cattle that were burned in last Wednesday's prairie fire have since died. This brings his total loss up to eighty-three head.

Horace Wingear, who had been a guest at the VonGoetz residence for several days, returned to his home in Lebanon, Kas., Sunday. Mr. Wingear is president of the Lebanon State Bank.

"Billy" Johnson, who travels for the State Journal Co., spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town. Mr. Johnson has been given this territory and we will frequently see him in the future.

The Robert Mack Cigar Co. are twenty thousand cigars behind on their local orders and three or four additional makers are expected to arrive this week. Larger quarters for the factory will be secured in the near future.

Farmers, bring your cream to the Beatrice Creamery Co's receiving station. They will test your cream and pay cash on delivery. Station first door west of Simon Bros. tin shop on west Sixth street.

A boxing contest between Jack O'Leary, of Grand Island, and Fad Thompson, of this city, is billed for the opera house for next Saturday evening. The go will be for ten rounds, and will be preceded by preliminaries. Fifty cents admission will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne and daughter Grace and Miss Langford came down from North Platte in their Oakland touring car and visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Folk. Mr. Payne contemplates taking a trip in his auto to Muscatine, Iowa, in the near future.—Brady Vindicator.

Mrs. Hall, state worker for the C. W. B. M., will address the ladies of the church at Mrs. A. C. Jacobs' Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 4 p. m. We trust the women, whether members of the auxiliary or not, will rest from home duties long enough to come and hear Sister Hall for she has a helpful, interesting message for us.

SECRETARY.

Mrs. John Houk, whose home is nine miles south of Paxton, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Ross, in this city early Friday morning. Death came after an illness of three days. Funeral services were held at the Ross residence Friday evening conducted by Rev. Favoright of the Baptist church and the remains were taken to Cozad Saturday morning for interment. Besides a large number of friends who mourn her sad death Mrs. Houk leaves a husband and infant daughter, a father, mother and six sisters.

The high school cadet entertainment Friday evening was well attended, and the spectators were well entertained with military drills and by the presentation of a play that was well carried out. In the drill for the Dixon medal Ernest Casey won, though it came to him after a close contest with Francis Flynn. The characters in the military play were well sustained, and in one of the scenes the G. A. R. cannon formed part of the equipment of the camp. The boys band furnished a number of selections.

Chas Stamp returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Omaha.

Attorneys Wilcox and Muldoon went to Gandy yesterday to attend district court.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rasmussen, of Ogalala, were visitors in town Sunday and yesterday.

Lawrence Monahan, a former North Platte boy, has purchased the Oshkosh harness shop.

Miss Nora Gorham, of Grand Island, is the guest of Miss Mabel Jeffers, having arrived Sunday evening.

A forty-hour devotional service began at St. Patrick's church Sunday forenoon and will conclude this evening.

Lee Grimes, who has been doing engineering work for the Union Pacific in Kansas for a month, spent Sunday in town.

Frank Murray, of Denver, is spending this week in town and vicinity hosting business for the commission firm of which he is a member.

The spirit of "brighten up" has taken to Omaha last night to attend the state council of the Knights of Columbus.

Bratt & Goodman report the sale of the J. B. Nelling property on west Seventh street to Julius Pizer for \$1,275.

For Sale—My driving horse. E. A. Garlich.

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The Lutheran aid society postponed from last week because of the death of Mrs. Sandall will meet Thursday with Mrs. Fred Huxoll.

The house occupied by A. S. Coates has been moved to another lot and Mr. Coates will at once begin the erection of a residence upon the site.

Judge and Mrs. J. S. Hoagland arrived home Sunday evening from Excelsior Springs, Mo., after a month's stay, which proved quite beneficial to both.

The Star bottling works has ordered a new bottle washer that will insure absolute sanitary work. The washer is automatic and it requires eight minutes for a bottle to go through the machine.

The Meston steam laundry is now located in its new brick building on west Front street. The building was erected especially for laundry purposes and is certainly well arranged.

The wrestling match on May 22d between Gotch and Pearson promises to be the best sporting event North Platte has ever had. It is believed Pearson will put up a better try with Gotch than Wassum did with Farmer Buras.

It may seem to be "buttin' in" to some other fellow's business, but isn't that lot on the corner of Fifth and Locust an eyesore? It wouldn't be so bad, probably, if it wasn't located so near the center of the business section.

There has been filed in the office of the county clerk articles of incorporations of the Platte Valley Cattle Co., with a capital stock of \$300,000. The incorporators are A. J. Blair, J. B. Huenink and Geo. A. West, and the principal place of doing business is Gothenburg.

With a deficiency of two inches of precipitation in April and none so far this month, the ground is becoming rather dry and pastures are slow in starting. This dry weather, together with the winds of the past two weeks, has been somewhat disastrous to small grain, not only in this county, but in the central part of the state as well.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Sandall was held from the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large congregation, who had assembled to pay their last respects to this good and beloved woman. The interment took place yesterday morning, the body being held until the arrival of Miss Samelson from Seattle.

In speaking of the damage done in the vicinity of Brady by the prairie fire last Wednesday, the Vindicator says: A. E. Marlatt and Harry Schrivers together have over 30 head of cattle burned, some of them now dead, a number of them will have to be shot, and the balance will not amount to much. Mr. Hoekings lost everything but his house, his horses were all burned and most of his cattle, and even his hogs, chickens, etc. Rev. James Romaine lost part of his outbuildings and some cattle. Chris Hansen had his horses all burned and disfigured. All of those who were in the fire district lost in the way of hay, feed and fences.

Boys Unitarian Hall.

The Baptist church society has purchased of Mrs. Geo. W. Vroman the property on the corner of Fourth and Locust, known as Unitarian hall, for a consideration of three thousand dollars. It is the intention of the society to eventually sell its property on the corner of Locust and Fifth and erect a new church on the site recently acquired.

To Maxwell and Brady Readers:—Do you know that we represent the Nebraska Central Building & Loan Association of Lincoln, Nebraska, and that if you wish to build or improve your property that you cannot get cheaper money than they can furnish you, the same to be paid back in small monthly payments. Call on us when in town or write us and we will be glad to explain their proposition to you. TEMPLE REAL ESTATE & INS. AGENCY, 1 & 2 McDonald Block, North Platte, Neb.

Carl Abrahamson spent Sunday with relatives in Kearney.

C. T. Robison has well under way a new residence in the Third ward.

Mrs. Goltry, of the Bee Hive store, left Sunday for a visit in Blair, Neb.

Major Woodhurst is having an addition built to his residence in the Third ward.

James Rivette has sold to E. W. Cosgrove for \$1,000 the southeast quarter of section 12-9-25.

The Episcopal guild will hold a social at the home of Mrs. George M. Graham Thursday afternoon.

W. C. Hutchins has purchased the property at 315 south Walnut street for a consideration of \$700.

John Bratt will remodel the interior of his residence on west Fourth street and also put in a heating plant.

Miss Alice Rannie returned Sunday from a visit in Lincoln and other points in the east part of the state.

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## FIRE SALE!

Largest stock of House Furnishings in Western Nebraska at Phenominal Low Prices. The insurance company paid the loss and the public gets the benefit . . . . .

- Bed Room Suits
- Iron Beds
- Brass Beds
- Child's Beds
- Sanitary Couches
- Bed Springs
- Mattresses
- Odd Dressers
- Chiffoniers
- Commodes
- Couch Covers
- Side Boards
- Buffets
- China Closets
- Dining Tables
- Parlor Tables
- Kitchen Tables
- Dining Chairs
- Kitchen Chairs
- Parlor Chairs
- Bed Room Chairs
- Kitchen Cupboards
- Kitchen Cabinets
- Ward Robes
- Refrigerators
- Sectional and Combination
- Book Cases
- Pianos, Organs
- Sewing Machines
- Couches

On April 26th our store took fire in the store room in the rear, but was soon extinguished. The fire did not reach our display room but it was filled with smoke, giving everything an odor and blackening up the walls, ceiling, etc. There is no damage to goods to be sold during this sale by either water or fire. Our building must be remodeled and we must reduce our immense stock, therefore we have decided to hold the largest, grandest and lowest priced sale on House Furnishings in western Nebraska. Our stock of Rugs and Floor Coverings was never more complete and must be sold at a great sacrifice.

The Greatest Cash Sale ever held in this County on Household Goods. Don't forget the date, Thursday, May 13, 1909, at 8 A. M.

- Leather Rockers
- Settees and Parlor Suits
- Davenport
- Go Carts
- Pictures
- Carpets
- Rugs
- Linoleum
- Oil Cloth
- Window Shades
- Mirrors
- Hall Racks
- Music and Magazine Racks
- Wall Pockets
- Picture and Room Mouldings
- Pedestals
- Tabourettes
- Easles and Screens
- Carpet Sweepers
- Cocoa Mats
- Plate Racks
- Clock Shelves
- Hall Trees
- Clothes Driers
- Ironing Boards
- Turkish Rockers
- Leather Upholstered Goods

This sale commences at 8 A. M.

Thursday, May 13th, 1909,

and continues until Thursday, May 27. Every article in the house will be marked in plain figures at strictly cash prices. Everybody come. Tell your neighbors.

## HOWE & MALONEY,

413-415 North Dewey Street, North Platte, Neb.

### RAILROAD NEWS.

Tom McGovern has been transacting business in Omaha for a few days past.

Dick Williams went to Denver yesterday to receive from the Knights of Pythias lodge a veteran's jewel marking Mr. Williams membership in that order for twenty-five years.

During one month 3,200 tickets were sold at the local office, and then the passenger department addressed a letter to the station agent inquiring as to why so many people paid their fare on the trains.

Since the construction of the North River branch into Oshkosh that station has sent out seventy-nine cars of cattle, forty cars of hogs, twenty-four cars of hay, five of corn, twelve of rye and three of wheat.

The tracklayers on the North River branch have not reached Broadwater, a station thirty two miles west of Oshkosh and fourteen miles east of Northport. The track will be laid into Northport by the first of June.

Chas. J. McNamara, a former North Platte boy, who has been employed as assistant engineer of permanent building work on the Wyoming division under Chief Engineer Warf, has been transferred to Omaha, where he will accept a position in the chief engineer's office. The change was made because Mrs. McNamara could not stand the Cheyenne climate.

To Our Fellow Citizens.

We are better fitted to supply your spring and summer suit. Why? Because we have the only absolutely fresh, new, stock of clothing in town. Every suit guaranteed.

SCHATZ & CLAUBAUGH.

Will Elect Officers Tonight.

The meeting of Platte Valley lodge this evening is the annual election of officers. All good Masons are expected to be present.

For Sale or Trade.

The Pritchard residence, a handsome new two story residence, 8 rooms, toilet and bath, located four blocks southwest from court house. We can make low price on this property, easy terms. Will accept of smaller house as part payment.

HUUMANAN & PATTERSON.

### Pathfinder Car Arrives.

The Pathfinder car for the Glidden auto tour from Detroit to Denver reached North Platte at 10:30 yesterday, having made the run from Gothenburg during the morning. Accompanying the Pathfinder was a pilot car from the Denver Motor Club, which met the Pathfinder at Dennison Iowa. In the Pathfinder car was Dal H. Lewis, of Buffalo, N. Y., secretary of the touring board of the American Auto Association, W. A. Krohn, the official photographer, and George Meininger, driver, while the personnel of the pilot car party was C. F. Allen treasurer and R. W. Spangler manager of the Denver Motor Club and L. W. Slater driver. The party ran to Julesburg yesterday afternoon, will make La Salle tonight and reach Denver at noon tomorrow where they will be given a hearty reception by the auto club.

The cars in the Glidden tour, estimated from seventy-five to one hundred, and averaging three persons to a car, will leave Detroit July 12th, and stopping enroute two days at Minneapolis will reach North Platte on July 24th. No stops of any length will be made during the day, the party taking the noon-day lunch in the car without stop but not traveling during the night. Cars stopping for repairs will be penalized a certain number of points, the points varying with the amount of repairs. The run from Detroit to Denver in the schedule time will require an average daily run of 150 miles, and from this it will be seen that the trip is not to be of a record breaking nature.

The Pathfinder is a thirty horse E. M. F. car and the pilot car a thirty Studebaker. The latter car will also act as pilot from Denver to Kansas City.

Local automobilists will make arrangements to give the Glidden tour cars a hearty reception.

While in town yesterday Mr. Lewis made a contract with Joe Fillion for one thousand gallons of gasoline.

### Won't Slight a Good Friend.

"If ever I need a cough medicine again I know what to get," declares Mrs. A. L. Alley of Beale, Me., "for, after using ten bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and seeing its excellent results in my own family and others, I am convinced it is the best medicine made for Coughs, Colds and lung trouble." Every one who tries it feels just that way. Relief is felt at once and its quick cure surprises you. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Hemorrhage, Croup, LaGrippe, Sore Throat, pain in chest or lungs its supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Stone Drug Co.

### Notice of Amended Articles of Incorporation.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the stockholders of the North Platte Telephone Company held April 6th, 1909, Article IV of the Articles of Incorporation was amended so as to read as follows:

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The authorized capital stock of said corporation shall be the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), which shall be divided into shares of \$100.00 each, and each share shall represent and be entitled to one vote at all meetings of the stockholders and may be voted by the owner or by proxy. Said capital stock may be increased from time to time as the business may require by a two-thirds vote of all the stock existing at the date of voting. Said increase of capital stock to be subscribed and paid as required by the Board of Directors. Signed April 6th, 1909.

NORTH PLATTE TELEPHONE COMPANY. By ALFRED E. GRANTHAM, President.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Lena Peterson, deceased.

In the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, May 10th, 1909.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before the County Judge of Lincoln County, Nebraska, at the county court room, in said county, on the 10th day of June, 1909, and on the 10th day of November, 1909, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate from the 1st day of April, 1909. This notice to be published in the North Platte Tribune, for eight successive weeks prior to June 10th, 1909.


W. E. STORM, County Judge.

## WALK-OVER SHOES

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of near milk, almost meat, and not quite leather, you're not always sure of what you are getting for your money. You may get quality and you may not. So far as shoes are concerned, you can do away with all uncertainty by buying WALK-OVERS.

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Patent Blucher Oxford,  
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