

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune

TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR.

NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA, MAY 5, 1911.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Buy your ice cream at Dickey's tomorrow.

George Schatz has installed a new soda fountain in his Front street cigar store.

May 25th has been selected as the date for the Junior-Senior banquet, the place not having been decided.

The Junior Class will have charge of Dickey's ice cream parlors next Saturday. They invite you to come and spend part of your money.

Twenty-one head of fat cattle which Henry Schriber had purchased of Mr. Brosius, of Logan county, were brought to town Wednesday and turned over to the purchaser.

The state league base ball season will open at Kearney next Friday when Hastings will try conclusions with the Kearneyites. Several locals fans will attend the game.

The Junior Class will hold an exchange at Ginn, White and Schatz's Saturday, May 6th. The usual good cakes, pies, bread and home made candy will be on sale.

Will Hendy went over to Gandy the early part of the week in a Ford car, sold the car to Dan Fowles and hired a car to bring him home. He has another carload of Fords on the way.

Clark LeDoyt, who was to have represented the local high school in the state declamatory contest at Aurora this evening, could not attend by reason of sickness, he having been confined to the house for the past ten days.

"The Second in Command," a military play, will be presented at the Keith on the evening of May 16th by a cast composed of a dozen high school students. Rehearsals have been in progress for a couple of weeks, and a splendid presentation is predicted.

Julius Pizer has secured a long time lease on the two rooms he occupies as well as on the room formerly occupied by Small. The lease calls for a number of improvements including steel ceilings and a heating plant, and Mr. Pizer will put in new fixtures. These improvements will be made in July.

The city will for the present dispense with a regular night policeman and the work will be done by Merchant Policeman Trout, the city and the merchants jointly paying his salary. The salary of Peace Officer Bowen, of the Third ward, has been increased ten dollars per month.

Under a suspension of rules the city council passed ordinances providing for two new ward districts, one composed of blocks one, eight nine and sixteen in Peniston's addition, the other an extension of District N. The ordinances are published elsewhere in these columns.

The "Pure as Snow" club held a meeting last evening and elected Dick Baker president, P. A. White secretary and C. F. Whelan treasurer. A resolution was adopted limiting the membership to the present list, but permitting a maximum of five names on the waiting list.

Any one who will board teachers during the Junior Normal, which will open June 5th, or who will rent rooms, either furnished or unfurnished, or who will rent a house furnished, please notify the County Superintendent, phone No. 505, or drop a card in the office.

WILLIAM EBRIGHT, CO. SUPT.

Our former townsman Attorney H. S. Riddle has just won another hard fought case at Basin, Wyo., where he has been located for several years. His client was charged with murder, but the jury acquitted him. While the evidence in the case was conflicting it was presumably a case of "kill or get killed," both men being armed.

Every piece of incoming and outgoing mail is being counted at the North Platte postoffice and the count will be continued daily for thirty days. The carriers are required to count the number of pieces of each class of mail delivered and collected and to keep a record of the time on their routes. This makes considerable additional work for all the force.

Lost—The tail light of an automobile at some point on the road west of North Platte. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

The ordinance granting a franchise to the telephone company was not introduced at the council meeting Tuesday evening. The committee to which it was referred suggested a number of changes, and the telephone company had also suggested changes. A new ordinance will probably be drafted and presented for passage. It is known that some of the councilmen are opposed to granting a franchise to the company.

The Presbyterian ladies held a fifteen cent lunch at the church parlors Tuesday evening and served over 200 people.

It is probable that the work of remodeling the front of the Keith building at Dewey and Front streets will begin next week.

A number of young men organized a gymnasium club at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Among the number are several very promising athletes.

With the rains, drizzles and mist of the past week the earth is now pretty well soaked, and with the coming of clear weather the farmer will go to work with cheerfulness in soul.

The attendance at the Hustlers dance Wednesday evening was not very large, the attraction at the Keith claiming the attendance of a number who otherwise would have attended the dance.

The funeral of the late Etta Cohagen was held from the Lutheran church yesterday afternoon, a large number of friends paying their last tribute to this worthy young woman. Friends contributed many floral offerings.

Our old friend Cy Black, manager of the Kearney state league team, thinks he has gathered a bunch of ball players who look like pennant winners. But then, Cyrus always has been optimistic in base ball matters.

One of the finest spans of horses sold in the local market lately were purchased Wednesday by Maurice Fowler, of Mr. Heims, who lives on the former Chapin place. The team are blacks, weigh 3,200 and sold for \$440.

P. H. Sullivan was honored Tuesday evening with an election as president of the city council. Mr. Sullivan has had much aldermanic experience, having, we think, served more terms as a member of that body than any other resident.

Down at Grand Island they get rid of the hoboos this way: Round up the fellows in a bunch, attach an engine to a couple of box cars, load the hoboos into the cars, run them down the track three or four miles, unload them and say hiko for the rising sun, and they proceed to hiko.

The new president of the Missouri Pacific road announces that he intends to make it a standard and a model for other roads. In this connection there is a rumor current that the Missouri Pacific will extend its line from Presser to Kearney and thence to North Platte, and on into the Wyoming coal fields.

Some of the Kinkaid homesteaders evidently took their claims with the view of making permanent homes. One of these proving up on his claim yesterday enumerated in his improvements a thirteen-room house with water piped into it, a barn 24x50 feet and 3,000 trees in healthy growing condition, and a three wire fence around his land.

The race track west of town has been plowed up, rolled and will be placed in good shape for the coming season, when it is hoped that a number of racing events may be pulled off. Twenty-five years ago North Platte had a number of fast trotters, pacers and running horses, but the interest in this sport has gradually died out. It is hoped, however, to revive interest to some extent.

Mrs. James Morrow entertained the Club Nevada Wednesday afternoon in a very delightful manner. Two contests were introduced for the entertainment of her guests. In the river contest the first prize was won by Mrs. Ad Coats and in the poet contest Mrs. Wm. Snyder was the most successful. Mrs. Morrow then served a elegant supper in several courses. Ferns were the table decoration, the color scheme being green and white. A very pleasant afternoon was spent. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Wallace Quinn.

The recital given by the pupils of the Dominican Sisters, assisted by Miss Reulman, of Cincinnati, at the Keith Wednesday evening was attended by a large audience, and the work of the pupils certainly proved very creditable to them to their instructors. The selections rendered were high class compositions calling for no small amount of skill, but all were excellently executed and received merited applause from the audience. The work of Florence McKay, who accompanied Miss Reulman as well as some of the pupils, in addition to twice appearing on the program, is entitled to special mention. The solos by Miss Reulman were fine, showing a sweet and highly cultivated voice, and her readings were equally good. Taken as a whole the recital was a most successful one, and should serve to increase the high standing of the Sisters as instructors. They are certainly doing a good work in elevating the standard of music in North Platte and increasing the efficiency of the younger people in musical lines.

## Personal Paragraphs.

W. V. Hoagland transacted business in Omaha several days this week.

W. E. Shuman spent a day or two in Omaha the early part of the week.

John Burke returned yesterday from a week's visit with his family in Denver.

George Cohn, of Sheridan, Wyo., has been visiting old time friends in town this week.

Mrs. W. C. Reynolds went to Omaha Wednesday night to visit Mrs. Chas. Ware for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Warren and children have been spending this week with relatives in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herrod left Wednesday night for Montana, where they go to look up a location.

Mrs. Guy Cover and Miss Edith Wendeborn attended the Zauler-Letts wedding at Hershey Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Coker, of Sutherland, has been spending this week with her brother A. S. Coates and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilfoyl have been visiting in Denver for several days, leaving for that city, Tuesday.

Dr. N. McCabe and Dr. T. J. Kerr have been in Omaha for several days attending the sessions of the state medical association.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott, who had been spending the winter at St. Cloud, Fla., returned home the early part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Maddox, of the Duck brand ranch at Keystone, were in town Wednesday visiting friends and transacting business.

Henry Peterson has been appointed train auditor for the Union Pacific and has been in service for a week past on a run out of Kansas City.

Mrs. James Norton left last night for Davenport, Ia., where she will visit relatives until Mr. Norton gets a house in Denver in readiness for occupancy.

Chas. Hendy, Will Hendy and Mac Westfall went to Kearney Wednesday to look after the Hendy and Westfall picture show interests.

Rev. Geo. F. Williams left Wednesday night for Hastings to attend a meeting of a college committee of which he is a member. He will return Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Armstrong and son-in-law John Beyerle left Tuesday night for Oregon. They make the trip for the purpose of looking over the country with the view of ultimately locating. They expected to be absent about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman LeDoyt left Tuesday night for Harrisburg, Pa., where Mr. LeDoyt goes as a delegate to the bi-annual convention of the Order of Railway Conductors. They will visit Philadelphia, New York and Washington and Washington while east.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. VanDerhoof, who had been visiting their daughter Mrs. Harry Pritchard, at Grants Pass, Oregon, for a number of months, returned to town Wednesday. Mr. VanDerhoof, who had his hip badly injured and could not walk for a couple of months, has about recovered from the injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Syl Friend expect to leave next week for Denver where they will make their future home. In point of residence they are among our oldest citizens, Mr. Friend coming to North Platte as a member of the Fifth Cavalry in 1868, and with the exception of a few years has resided here continuously. Mrs. Friend has resided here almost as long as her husband.

Home rendered lard in bulk or in pails 10 cents per pound and fresh pork from 10 to 12 1/2 cents per pound. North Side Meat Market.

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## Wild West May Come Here.

F. H. Garlow received a letter this week from Colonel Cody in which he said he is trying to arrange his itinerary so that North Platte will be one of the Nebraska towns visited. The possible date has not yet been decided upon, but it will probably be some time in August. We can assure the Colonel that the people of western Nebraska will give the Wild West a royal welcome should he find it possible to exhibit here.

## Reduction in Meat Prices.

Fresh pork from 10 to 12 1/2 cents per pound, lard in bulk or pail 10 cents per pound, smoked meats cheaper than at any other place in town.

## SCHRIEBER'S MEAT MARKET.

## Saloon Licenses Granted.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening the applications of the saloon men for licenses were granted, and the same number with the same owners will be in operation. In granting the licenses Sullivan, Maloney, Brock, Tracy and Herminghouse voted for, Buchanan and Crosby against and Donaldson answered the roll call with "not voting." City Clerk Temple issued the licenses late that night and the saloons opened Wednesday morning for another municipal year.

Applications of the four drug stores for druggists permits were also granted, the vote being unanimous.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

## ON

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We have a large line to select from in all wool and one-half wool carpets, all new patterns. Rugs in Axminster, Brussels and Velvets, sizes from 7ft-6 x-10 to 10-6x13-6. Now is the time for house cleaning, therefore we take the opportunity to close out our carpet business, we are going out of the carpet business because we need the room for our Ladies', Misses and Children's ready to wear department. Space too limited to quote prices. Come see what we are doing. Yours for a Bonafide Sale.

## THE HUB CLOTHING DEPT.

Junior exchange at Ginn, White & Schatz's tomorrow.

The high school cadets will go into camp at Lake Helen, near Gothenburg, May 17th and return home on the 22d.

Leo Pong, the American restaurant owner, returned yesterday from a month's visit in Denver, Ft. Collins Cheyenne.

Sam VanDorn has completed tearing down and removing the buildings on the Waltemath lots, and excavation for the basement began at once.

F. H. Garlow entertained a number of his gentlemen friends Wednesday evening at a pink tea. The guests pronounced Fred a most hospitable host.

D. E. Morrell, the real estate man, returned Wednesday night from a trip to Omaha, Lincoln and Hastings where he had been hustling business for a week or so.

Jos. Spies wishes to announce that he is prepared to furnish all consumers with Lexington artificial ice. Phone 161.

C. C. McGee, the Sutherland horse buyer, was in town Wednesday and purchased eight head of horses of Maurice Fowler, among them a fine pair of drafters for \$445.

Wanted—Plain sewing. Mary L. Martin, 308 South Chestnut St.

There are seven vacancies to fill in the corps of city teachers. Two of the present corps were not elected, two others were not applicants and three of those elected have resigned.

Victor Von Goetz, Jr., has invested in a moving picture show at Lexington and has taken a lay off while getting the business started in the right shape. He has been at Lexington this week.

Ideal Shirts Golf and Negligee, every shirt a perfect tailored garment at the most reasonable prices for 65c to \$4.00 each; come in let us show you a good shirt.


## THE HUB CLO. DEPT.

Dr. A. J. Ames gives the three day cure for the liquor habit, no cure no pay. See me before going elsewhere. Reference given. Prices right.

Services at Presbyterian church Sunday: Public worship at ten a. m., subject: "The Significance of Christian Endeavor," an address to both the older and younger people of the church. The topic has a special timeliness in view of the recent convention. Other services as usual. Evening worship at eight o'clock.

## Furniture for Sale.

On Saturday, May 6th, I will sell at 720 E. Fifth street, what is left of the Commercial Hotel furniture, consisting of eighteen beds and fifteen commodes and dressers, and a few kitchen utensils. Sale to commence at 2 p. m.  
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| Cash Assets.               |              | Surplus to Policy Holders.  |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| 1 THE HOME.....            | \$30,178,914 | 1 THE HOME.....             | \$16,829,613 |
| 2 Hartford.....            | 24,363,635   | 2 CONTINENTAL.....          | 15,063,601   |
| 3 CONTINENTAL.....         | 24,198,098   | 3 AETNA.....                | 12,369,016   |
| 4 AETNA.....               | 21,028,545   | 4 GER. AM., N. Y.....       | 9,042,400    |
| 5 GERMAN AM., N. Y.....    | 17,170,112   | 5 Hartford.....             | 8,923,967    |
| 6 INS. CO. OF N. A.....    | 16,043,265   | 6 INS. CO. OF N. A.....     | 7,712,334    |
| 7 Fidelity-Phenix.....     | 13,790,298   | 7 Fidelity-Phenix.....      | 5,734,087    |
| 8 LIV. & LON. & GLOBE..... | 13,745,409   | 8 PHOENIX, CONN.....        | 5,655,131    |
| 9 Royal.....               | 11,534,555   | 9 LIV. & LON. & GLOBE.....  | 5,155,975    |
| 10 National, Conn.....     | 10,792,293   | 10 Springfield, F. & M..... | 4,642,284    |

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