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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

The annual Ascension Day services Thursday evening at the church at 8 o'clock.

I will have tomato plants, celery, cabbage, etc., for sale in plentiful quantities this week. Phone me.

MRS. V. SCHARMAN.

John Keith arrived from Los Angeles Saturday and will spend a month looking after his business interests at points in Nebraska. John says his family are doing nicely and that the boy is the only one on earth.

At the W. R. C. encampment at Kearney last week, Mrs. W. C. Elder was elected a member of the executive board. For many years Mrs. Elder has taken an active part in the several phases of the W. R. C. work.

The big discount sale still continues at Maloney & Lintz.

The Brady Vindicator tells how Col. Wm. Beatty attempted to repair an automobile tire with tooth paste, which he mistook for cement paste. It is related that the Colonel grew very wrathful when he discovered his mistake.

Bert Gamberlain is erecting a building about 20 x 30 on west Fourth street which he will use as a paint shop for retouching automobiles, a work he will pursue during his leisure moments. Prior to engaging in railroading Mr. Chamberlain was a painter by trade, and has lately repainted several cars for North Platte residents.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Harman entertained the church council and their wives at the parsonage on Friday evening. During the course of the evening the guests were informed that the event at this time was in commemoration of the pastor's birthday. A very enjoyable evening was spent. Lunch was served by host and hostess, and all departed wishing the pastor many happy returns of the day.

Furnished rooms for rent. Inquire at 304 West Sixth or phone Blk 406.

MRS. L. CRONIN.

Will Otten, one of North Platte's best known young men, announces his candidacy for the republican nomination for county clerk. Two years ago Mr. Otten was a candidate for the same position, running against F. R. Elliott, and made a showing that proved him a strong candidate. Mr. Otten possesses all the qualifications needed for an efficient clerk, and is a popular man with all acquaintances.

The high school cadets, who had been in camp at Gothenburg for several days, returned home yesterday. The boys report a very enjoyable outing.

Trousers with cuffs on the extremities are said to be passe. Those young men in North Platte who pose as fashion models and have several such trousers on hand are certainly in hard lines.

The Y. M. C. A. ball team shared in the profits of the Lloyd opera house picture show Saturday night. This is the first of several benefits to be given the ball team, the receipts of which will be used to purchase uniforms.

You pay a little more for better flour and it gives you better bread—that's true economy, "Occident" will prove it.

GREGSON.

The furnishings for the new bank were ordered Friday from an agent who came here for that purpose. This furniture has been purchased with a view of eventually using it in a new building which the institution will sooner or later erect.

A party of gun experts, representing the Buffalo Bill Gun Club, left Sunday for Lincoln to take part in a trap shoot. Among those who formed the party were Messrs. McDonald, Neville, Hosler, Rebhausen, Den, Watkins, Winkowitch, Starkey and Muldoon.

This is the season of changeable weather—this year is not an exception, the same conditions exist practically every year. One day the temperature will go up to ninety, the next day it drop to near the freezing line. One of these cool waves struck this section Sunday.

Wanted—Girl for Housework. Enquire C. S. Clinton, 204 West 4th St.

One of the boys at the Clabaugh store is somewhat of a wag. During the warm days of the latter part of last week a big line of straw hats were placed in the show window; when the cold wave arrived Saturday the aforesaid hats were covered with a woolen blanket.

Two transients, Ernest Biglin and Frank Farley were interrupted Sunday night by Watchman J. H. Vance while trying to make away with a half barrel of gasoline, the property of the U. P. railroad. They were brought before Judge Scott Monday morning and were fined \$50.00 and costs each. Farley paid his fine and was released. Biglin lacked the funds and accompanied Officer Gronewald Tuesday morning to the county jail at Lexington. Attorney Muldoon of North Platte appeared for the railroad company.—Gothenburg Times.

Personal Paragraphs.

Ray Murray spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in town.

W. W. Birge returned the latter part of last week from a business trip to Omaha.

Mrs. Charles Hendy, Sr., left Sunday for a week's visit with friends in Omaha.

Dr. W. F. Crook spent several days in Omaha last week transacting business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Cronen, who had been visiting friends in town for two weeks, left Sunday for her home in Cheyenne.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Baskins are now enjoying a visit with relatives and friends in and near Williamsport Pa.

M. V. Mitchell went to Lexington Friday to visit his mother, who is seriously ill.

Jacob Pizer, who conducts one of the leading mercantile establishments in Hastings, visited his brother Julius Sunday and yesterday.

Mrs. E. F. Seeberger and Mrs. Newman leave the latter part of this week for a visit with friends at Sigourney, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Keen left last night for a visit in Seattle and other north-west points. They will be absent several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Buchanan, who have been at Excelsior Springs for several weeks, are expected home Friday or Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boutwell, of Topeka, are visiting their daughter Mrs. B. R. Fletcher. Mr. Boutwell is an old-timer in the west, have erected one of the first houses built in Topeka.

Miss Evelyn Jeffers leaves Thursday for Grand Island for a visit with her sister Mrs. T. C. Gorham. She will remain a week and upon her return will be accompanied by Mrs. Gorham.

Dorris Young, Mahala Dotson, Ida Kammerer, Fay Coates and Loren Applegate, who composed the graduating class of the Sutherland high school, were in town Saturday and had a photograph taken by Photographer Von Goetz.

W. B. Ellis has sold his ranch north of town to C. H. Watts for a consideration of \$20,050. The ranch takes in sections 7 and 17 and 480 acres in section 18-15-30, a total of 1,760 acres.

Boys Schlapp Ranch.

D. B. McNeel purchased at sheriff's sale Saturday afternoon the Augustus Schlapp ranch northwest of town for \$24,050. The property consists of 3,600 acres and is considered one of the best ranch propositions in this section. It is considered cheap at the price paid by Mr. McNeel.

Clubs and Societies.

The Girls' Friendly Society will meet this evening with Mrs. Ray Robinson.

Mrs. Victor VonGoetz, Jr., assisted by Misses Kate Seyferth and Irma Clinton, will entertain the Indian Card Club tomorrow afternoon.

The second dancing party of the Elk's social club will be held tomorrow evening. All Elks and their ladies are invited.

The Christian Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. W. C. Meeks at 803 W. 8th St. Thursday afternoon May 25.

The latest business addition to north Locust street is a moving picture show which opened for business last night. It is located in the Van-Natta building, and will probably be liberally patronized.

Sunday night's rain may not have been worth a million dollars, but it was a great boon to small grain, pastures and needed to germinate corn in the ground. And then, too, it was a great relief to us fellows who get grouchy when the top of the ground dries out and the dust begins to fly.

Beginning next Sunday no delivery of mail will be made from the post-office windows on Sundays. The lobby will be open all day, and the incoming mail will be distributed for those renting boxes. This is in accordance with the wishes of a large majority as registered by the recent vote on the proposition.

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

A farmer living south of Maxwell recently sold forty-two bushels of alfalfa seed which he cut and threshed from six acres. For this seed he received about \$375, or an average of sixty-three dollars per acre. This leads The Tribune to reiterate the statement that alfalfa is "the stuff."

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.

Shop and Road News.

Master Mechanic Niland, of Cheyenne, transacted business in town Saturday.

W. C. Patterson left last week with his grading outfit for Sidney, where he has taken a sub-contract for grading on the second track of the Union Pacific.

W. S. Moores, of Engineer Stimson's force, who had been in Kansas for several months, has returned to town to work in the local office temporarily.

Director of maintenance Krutchmitt, of the Harriman lines, passed through in a special car on No. 4 Sunday night after having spent several weeks in the west.

From six to eight trains are sent west out of this terminal each night. That is not very heavy business, to be sure, but there have been times when it was lighter.

Extra firemen are not making bread and butter expenses these days. The other day one of them remarked that in April he earned thirty dollars, and this month his earnings would be less.

Last Saturday a car of asparagus enroute from California to New York City passed through on train No. 10 as express shipment, the transportation charges on which were eleven hundred dollars.

Claude Delaney, the Union Pacific's chief factotum at Northport, spent Saturday in town. He says grading on the extension from Northport to Gering is progressing rapidly and that the track will be put in service this fall.

The storage tanks of the Standard Oil Co. will be removed to a point north of the beer vaults in the east end of the yards. Their removal is necessitated on account of the construction of the new switching yards in the west end.

T. T. Kellher, who returned to Chicago Sunday night after having visited friends in towns for several days. Tim is in position to keep pretty close tab on the movement of freight on railroads, and he says that in the east and south business is "all shot to pieces." This is particularly true, he says, in the far south.

The Union Pacific will have its track laid into Gering by September, and to show the Gering people that we are good fellows, the first train over the new track should be that excursion which The Tribune suggested several weeks ago. If we have this trip we should not wait until the week before to begin making arrangements.

A Swell Wedding.

For a time Saturday evening the teachers of our city schools, laid aside the dignity of their positions as moulders of the aesthetic natures of the youth of our town and "went in" for a good time.

The teachers of the Lincoln school entertained the other grade teachers at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Craigie who expects to be a June bride.

Behind drawn curtains and locked doors a regular Fifth Avenue wedding was held, the participants including the bride, groom, their attendants, ribbon bearers, flower girls, ring bearers, father of bride, bride's sickly mother, groom's baby sister, bride's maiden aunt and even the minister were dressed in gowns of latest cut and such as are seen only among the "Smart Set."

Various novel and unique features of entertainment were introduced which were enjoyed by all. Miss Craigie received numerous valuable gifts which so plainly told of the love and respect in which she is held by her fellow teachers. Dainty refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests withdrew, a most hilarious and happy crowd of girls, wishing a shower real soon for each of themselves, and Miss Craigie all the bliss and happiness of wedded life.

Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Brady high school will be held in the Woodman hall, May 26, at 8 o'clock p. m. The program follows:

March.....Myrtle Murphy
Invocation.....Rev. Harper
Vocal Duet.....Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Trotter
Instrumental.....Miss Nona Murphy
.....and Miss Lucy Brown
Class address.....Rev. Geo. F. Williams
Vocal Solo.....Miss Lucy Brown
Presentation of Diplomas.

Real Estate Transfers.

R. T. Stevens to Wm. Turpie lot 1 of McGrew and McLane's sub-division of South Park addition, \$2,500.

C. W. Alexander to W. T. Banks lot 1, block 1, Selby's sub-div. of lots 2 and 3 1400.

J. E. Ware to Geo. L. Mudd all of lot 3, block 2 Hershey, \$2500.

Jan A. Hill to Lydie Hopkins east 1/2 sw 1/4 and west 1/2 se 1/4 Sec 33-9-32.

For Sale.

The southeast quarter section 5-13-31; 60 acres in section 2-13-31, also block 3 South Park Add. to North Platte. For price and terms address H. E. Nichols, Sterling Colo.

JULY 4th, THE LAST DAY

On July 5th the stock of Merchandise of THE LEADER must be removed, for on the following day the alterations to the building will begin. The desire is to close out the stock as far as possible by that date, and in order to do this the stock is being offered at a

✿ Reduction of 20 to 50 Percent ✿

This Alteration Sale of THE LEADER has been a bona fide sale. It is not "hop talk"---each article has been sold at the advertised price. That this is true will be testified to by all who have made purchases during the Sale. Every article has been sold at a discount of from 20 to 50 percent off regular selling price. It has been a harvest for the economical buyer who has had a desire to secure reliable Merchandise at A Big Discount. Hundreds have called, made purchases and gone away satisfied that THE LEADER'S Alteration Sale is a Bona Fide Reduction Sale, a harvest of Bargains in UP-TO-DATE GOODS.

The line of CARPETS and RUGS will be Closed Out Entirely, for in the future this line will not be carried. This line will be closed out at ridiculously Low Prices.

Come to this Feast of Bargains

Remember, Sale Ends July 4th

THE LEADER DEPARTMENT STORE,

J. PIZER, Prop., North Platte, Neb.