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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Clyde Trotter, of Brady, visited local friends this week.

Clyde Fristo is enjoying a visit from his brother Leslie Fristo of Dickens.

Miss Mabel Burke is assisting in the Bratt & Goodman office this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green became the parents of a baby boy the first of the week.

W. J. Tiley spent several days in Cozad this week on business for the Yeoman.

The Yeoman will meet the Cozad team in a game of basket ball at the Lloyd tonight.

Lee Rasmussen, of Brady, is visiting Roy Cockran this week, having arrived a few days ago.

Ike Howard went to Gothenburg Wednesday to transact business for several days.

M. J. Forbes returned Wednesday afternoon from a two weeks stay in Excelsior Springs.

F. C. Pielatier went to Myrtle Wednesday where he acted as clerk for the Belcher sale.

Architect Bert Reynolds returned today from Shelton where he attended his brother's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McWilliams returned Wednesday from Denver where they spent several days.

Will Hawley, who has been very ill for several weeks, has recovered and was able to be out this week.

Butler Buchanan returned Wednesday afternoon from Humbolt, Kan., where he spent a week on business.

Miss Bessie Gregory was operated upon at the Twinem hospital Wednesday and is progressing nicely.

Gene Combs, of Lincoln, came up Tuesday to attend the funeral of his father the late W. H. Combs.

Miss Edna Wenden, of Sidney, arrived Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bremeritz for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neale, of Kearney, came up Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Neale's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Covar are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter, which was born to them Tuesday afternoon.

I. L. Whitaker, of Wallace, and J. H. Nagel, of Dickens, transacted business in town Wednesday and Thursday.

James McMichael came home Wednesday from Excelsior Springs where he spent a fortnight taking treatment.

Julius Pizer left Tuesday night for Hastings and Omaha to spend several days on business and visiting relatives.

Mrs. L. D. Newton will leave Monday for Idaho Springs where her husband has been employed for some time.

W. R. Maloney returned Wednesday morning from Omaha where he spent several days purchasing stock for his furniture store.

The Young store at Hershey was burglarized Saturday evening of last week and a number of articles stolen. Sheriff Salisbury was notified but as yet no trace of the burglars has been found.

Mrs. Edward Park, of Denver, who has been in Omaha for several days with her husband, who submitted to an operation the first of the week, came up Wednesday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Penle.

Fred Purdy has been engaged to teach in district No. 54.

Mrs. Johnson, of Hershey, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Carroll.

Mrs. Harry Gutherless is spending this week with relatives north of town.

Robert Sullivan accepted a position with the telephone company yesterday.

Miss Florence Stack is off duty at the Clinton jewelry store owing to illness.

Mrs. Herzog, of Wallace, was among the visitors in town the first of the week.

Among the visitors from Myrtle this week are Messrs. W. A. Lane and James Abbott.

Miss Tillie Kosbau is visiting her cousins in Hershey this week, having left Monday morning.

Mrs. Harry Pell, of Maxwell, underwent an operation at the P. & S. hospital this week and is doing nicely.

Mrs. William Scanlon and daughter Margaret, of Cheyenne, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hubbard.

Mrs. Andrew Yost submitted to an operation at the Twinem hospital Wednesday afternoon and is doing nicely.

Z. A. Russell and George Bay, of district No. 54, transacted business at the county superintendent's office this week.

Mrs. Twismap, of Sidney, has leased the dining room of the Timmerman building and will open a cafe about February 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tramp will leave Sunday morning for St. Louis, Omaha and other points to spend a week or longer.

John Burke returned Wednesday night from Denver where he attended the stock show and visited relatives last week.

The county commissioners and Highway Commissioner Thoelecke spent Wednesday in viewing the Worthley and Patterson hill roads.

The next banquet of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Vienna Cafe. It has not been decided between February 5th and 7th, but will be held one of these dates.

Guy Swope has concluded not to engage in the cigar and confectionery business. He had decided so to do, and had leased the vacant room in the Keith theatre building, but later changed his mind.

The city council met Wednesday afternoon at five o'clock in Buchanan & Patterson's office. All present except Herminghausen. The ordinance submitting the water works question was passed. The question of using the \$100,000 (already voted) to purchase the old plant will be submitted to the people at an election to be held on March 4th.

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Twenty-One Years Ago.

The Tribune of Jan. 23, 1891, contained a denial of the report that Tom Haley had signed with the Crane ball team of Omaha. Tom at that time was a top-notch among the amateur players, even causing the managers of the major leagues to cast longing glances at him.

Word had been received that Ralph States had been badly injured in a wreck near Salida, Colo., both legs being broken and he suffered internal injury. Prior to going to Colorado Ralph was for several years a leading young man of North Platte.

Four young society men, names not given, had a set-to over young ladies and knives and guns were brandished conspicuously but were not called into active use.

The busiest place in town was the "relief store" on Dewey where the G. W. & S. store now stands. Here were "dished out" the supplies shipped in for the relief of the needy and destitute farmers.

Martin Grace, aged eighteen, died after four years of suffering from rheumatism, and for a year preceding death his limbs had been paralyzed rendering him perfectly helpless.

Lester Walker, then attending Lehigh university, at an examination stood sixth in a class of over eighty.

Hank Clark, the well known engineer, was married to Miss Lucinda Daniels, of Grand Island.

Socially North Platte was gay, the Tribune containing notices of four dances and six-card parties for the week.

The school attendance in January, 1891, was 668, an increase of 88 over the preceding January.

Major Burke and "Buffalo" Jones were guests of Buffalo Bill, and several functions were given in their honor.

Automobile Owners.

Are you carrying insurance on your car? I am writing one of the most up-to-date policies covering automobiles in one of the oldest companies, the Royal Exchange Assurance of London, organized 1713. See me at once, or leave call by phone and I will call and explain the policy.

C. F. TEMPLE.

Abolish Utah Division.

Official announcement has been made that effective February 1st the Utah division of the Union Pacific will be abolished and there will be but two divisions between Omaha and Ogden. The Nebraska division will extend from Omaha to Cheyenne, and the Wyoming division from Cheyenne to Ogden. Supt. Cahill, of Omaha, will have charge of the Nebraska division and Supt. Wm. M. Jeffers, late in charge of the Utah division, will have jurisdiction west of Cheyenne. Mr. Jeffers' force will go with him to Cheyenne, which will be his headquarters. Both Supt. McKeown and Asst. Supt. Roth have resigned. One report is that they will go to the Illinois Central and become part of the operating force; another story is that they will both go to Denver to live. Supt. Jeffers, by reason of the increased mileage of his jurisdiction, has had greater responsibility added, and his old time friends in North Platte—where he began his railroad career twenty-five years ago as a messenger boy—hope that these increased responsibilities will carry with them a larger salary.

The consolidation of the three divisions into two is in keeping with a forecast appearing in these columns a couple of months ago. The part of that forecast that has not yet been announced is the location of an assistant superintendent at North Platte, but it is only a question of time until this part of the program will be carried out.

Since the above was written there is a report current that Charles Ware will be superintendent of the Nebraska division and that he will have headquarters at North Platte. This, however, is only a rumor and lacks confirmation.

New Year Resolution.

Resolve that you will check over your insurance and see that all of your property is fully protected against fire, lightning, tornadoes and windstorms and if not fully protected, see C. F. Temple.

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Sale of Ladies' Party Dresses.

E. Lowitz, & Co., of New York,

will represent their full line of Ladies' Party Dresses
Saturday, January 27th,

at The Leader Cloak and Suit Department. Ladies wishing to select their dresses for the season of 1912, will please call on that date and make their selections. No two dresses alike will be sold in town. We guarantee a perfect fit. All ladies are cordially invited whether they purchase or not. Remember the date--Saturday January 27, one day only.

The Leader Dept. Store,

J. PIZER, Proprietor,

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Crappell left yesterday morning for a short visit in Sutherland.

James Gambrell, of Gandy, is mingling with the local people this week.

Mrs. Fred Erickson, of Brady, came up yesterday morning to visit friends in town.

J. C. McCormick, of Chappell, is transacting business in the city this week.

Guy Stuart, of Lexington, spent the fore part of the week in town with local friends.

Mrs. I. L. Gilbert left yesterday morning for Cozad to visit her parents for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coates went to Lincoln yesterday to spend a week or more with relatives.

Dr. Foote, of Omaha, who assisted Dr. Twinem in several operations this week, left Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Halligan, who was called to Lincoln last week by the illness of her son Rolfe, will return tomorrow.

Rev. Wm. S. Porter came home yesterday from a short visit in Lincoln, where he attended the Methodist conference.

R. A. Moore, who was recently with the Orpheum in Ogden, arrived here yesterday and will sing the illustrated songs at the Pat theatre.

New spring goods arriving every day at Wilcox Department Store.

Allen Tift, who has been transacting business in town for a week, will return tomorrow to St. Joe, Mo., near which city his grading outfit has been at work since last October.

An Ordinance.

Providing for submitting to the electors of the city of North Platte the question: "Shall the mayor and city council of the city of North Platte comply with the decree of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals of the Eighth Circuit, and pay for the water works in said city of North Platte, owned by the North Platte Water works company, and now in the hands of a receiver, and extend and improve said water works with the proceeds of the \$100,000.00 bonds issued on October 1st, 1909, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect, establish and construct a system of water works in said city?"

Be it ordained by the mayor and city council of the city of North Platte:

Section 1: That a special election be and the same is hereby called in said city of North Platte to be held on the 4th day of March, 1912. The polling places of said election shall be as follows:

For the 1st ward at the hose house in said ward, for the 2nd ward at the commissioners room in the court house in said ward, for the 3rd ward at the hose house in said ward and for the 4th ward at the hose house in said ward, at which said election the following proposition shall be submitted to the voters of said city:

"Shall the mayor and city council of the city of North Platte comply with the decree of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals of the Eighth Circuit, and pay for the water works in said city, owned by the North Platte water works company, in accordance with the provisions of said decree, and extend and improve said water works, with the proceeds of the \$100,000.00 bonds issued October 1st, 1909, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect, establish and construct a system of water works in said city?"

The ballots to be used at said election shall have printed thereon:

"For authorizing the mayor and city council of the city of North Platte to pay for the water works system in the city of North Platte, in accordance with the decree of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and to extend and improve said system and to use in payment for said purchase, extensions and improvements the proceeds of the \$100,000.00 bonds issued October 1st, 1909, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect, establish and construct a system of waterworks in said city."

Against authorizing the mayor and city council of the city of North Platte to pay for the water system in the city of North Platte, in accordance with the decree of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and to extend and improve said system and to use in payment for said purchase, extensions and improvements the proceeds of the \$100,000.00 bonds issued October 1st, 1909, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect, establish and construct a system of waterworks in said city."

Those voting in favor of said proposition shall mark their ballot with an X opposite the paragraph beginning with:

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Those voting against said proposition shall mark their ballot with an X opposite the paragraph beginning with:

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Section 2. Those voting in favor of said proposition shall mark their ballot with an X opposite the paragraph beginning with:

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Section 3. Notices of said election shall be given by publication in the North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune a newspaper published and in general circulation in said city for thirty days prior to the date of said election and the clerk is hereby instructed to cause publication of said notice to be made.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval according to law.

Passed and approved this 24th day of January, 1912.

THOS. C. PATTERSON, Mayor,
Attest: CHAS. F. TEMPLE, City Clerk.

McDonald State Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Capital Stock Fully Paid \$100,000.00.

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Business. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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W. H. McDONALD,
Cashier and Vice-Prest.

Mutual Building and Loan Association of North Platte, Nebraska.

January 1, 1912

Organized 1887.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans.....	\$457,000.00	Capital Stock.....	\$435,865.04
Due from stockholders	1,123.00	Surplus.....	7,500.00
Other assets.....	955.25	Undivided profits.....	21,078.00
Cash.....	5,423.78		
	\$464,503.04		\$464,503.04

The Mutual Building and Loan Association offers, exclusively to North Platte residents opportunities for saving that are not available in any other town in Nebraska.

Stock now maturing in this Association, upon which there has been paid one dollar per month for 123 months, will gain eighty-seven dollars in that period.

At this rate of increase one dollar invested now, would become five dollars in 1932 or ten dollars in 1941.

The managing officers of this Association have always given their services free, with the sole object of building up the town by encouraging thrift among the people and offering to home builders the most liberal terms possible.

They employ no agents, and confine the privileges of the Association to residents of North Platte.

Their long experience and intimate knowledge of property, have confined the losses of the association to one-third of one per cent of its profits.

In the past eight years this Association has had no foreclosures, except cases where the owner himself has redeemed the property.

This Association has the smallest expense account of any building association in Nebraska of \$100,000.00 capital and over, viz: 38 cents per year upon one hundred dollars capital. The average expense account of Nebraska building associations being more than one dollar per year on that amount.

Borrowers have the privilege of paying as much as they please upon the principal at any time, and are paid upon all principal payments a higher rate of interest than is charged them on their loan, and can pay off a loan at any time without notice and without penalty.

Orange Special

WHILE THEY LAST

Good Small Oranges

15c Per dozen

Large Oranges

29c per dozen

Wilcox Department Store