

The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Mrs. Harry Vincent went to Paxton this morning to spend the day.

Charles Bogue, of Omaha, came up Wednesday to spend a few days with his family.

Dr. W. J. Redfield went to Sidney on professional business last night. He will return Monday.

Miss Lillie Bodenhammer, of Keystone, arrived the first of the week to visit at the Schott home.

Watch our show window for special sale of chocolates Saturday.

KELHER'S

Theodore Sandall has accepted a position in the Green-Musseleman pool hall and will begin work Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone, of Sheridan, arrived Wednesday and are guests of the latter's sister Mrs. Thomas Burney.

Mrs. A. M. Mason is nursing several severe burns on her hand and arm which she received while lighting a fire yesterday.

Mrs. H. C. Brock returned Wednesday evening from Fairbury where she spent the past three weeks with her mother.

R. L. Graves, who had been in town for several days settling up business affairs with his late partner, A. D. McDonnell, left for the east Tuesday night.

Mrs. Beams, of Cozad, who has been the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyers for the past five weeks returned to her home in Cozad this morning.

The picture show has certainly a tight grip on North Platte people—for instance, last Saturday evening the attendance at the three shows totaled somewhat over sixteen hundred. The picture show is a cheap and satisfactory form of amusement; it provides a diversion for people who cannot afford to attend the more costly theatrical attraction.

The goods in the Tramp Dry Goods Dept. are new and prices—well come in and see what merchandise we offer. You will be able to tell for yourself.

While dynamiting ice at the north river bridge yesterday, Captain Ruddy broke through thin ice and had to be fished out with a grappling hook by Arthur Hoagland. A few minutes later a telegraph pole of the A. T. & T. line became loosened and the wires fell, catching and pinning O. H. Thoele to the ice, from which position he was extricated with some difficulty. Altogether the dynamiters had a lively day.

Who Said Fish!

We have a complete line of **MACKEREL**

from the icy water of Norway King Oscar II.....20c Valkyra III.....12 1/2c

HERRING

from Holland.

WHITE FISH

from the cold waters of Lake Superior.

FINNAN HADDIES

from Scotland.

COD

from our native Gloucester.

ANCHORIES

from Sweden.

RED SALMON

from our own Alaska.

Smoked White Fish, Boneless Herring, Roll Mops, from localities where they are the best.

Sardines, Lobsters, Crab Meat, Shrimps, Salmon, Bismark Herrings

in cans from localities where they are of the finest quality to be obtained.

CHEESE

Full Cream, Swiss, Commembert, Roquefort, Brick, Limberger and Parmesan.

Inspect our line before buying elsewhere.

All New Goods.

Herrod & Son,

Phone 208.

Miss Merle and Ray Belcher are visiting relatives at Sutherland.

Attorney Albert Muldoon is transacting business in Omaha this week.

Frank Hoy, of Garfield, is in town today enroute home from a business trip to Omaha.

Station Agent Sinclair at Ogalalla, has resigned and rented the Jergenson place near Paxton.

Jacob Miller returned yesterday afternoon from a three weeks stay in Omaha and other eastern points.

The M. B. A. social club will hold a dance at the K. P. hall on Wednesday evening, February 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Batie will entertain the Nevada club on Wednesday afternoon of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Den went to Arapahoe this morning to spend a week or more with relatives.

William Hunter returned Wednesday evening from a fortnight's visit in Omaha and other eastern cities.

Mrs. Harry Mitchell and baby will arrive today to reside. Dr. Mitchell has been here for several weeks.

Christian Science services at K. P. hall Sunday at 11 A. M. Subject, "Mind." Sunday school at 12 m.

Theodore Sandall returned Wednesday evening from California where he spent the past six months with relatives.

For Rent—Two large furnished rooms 500 East Fourth St.

Miss Amy Langford will return Sunday evening from Omaha, where she spent the past two months in a wholesale millinery store.

The trusses for the roof of the new federal building are being placed in position. The brick work has practically been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hund, who have been living on the Dillon farm west of town, left Wednesday for Illinois, where they will make their future home.

A number of people were entertained at the Tarkington home last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Adams of Sidney. Nice refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fornard left yesterday afternoon for Denver where they will reside in the future. For six months past the former has been employed as brakeman for the Union Pacific with headquarters here.

Have you visited the Tramp Dry Goods Dept.

The Lutheran social which was held Tuesday evening at the parish house was a pleasant affair. Numerous games were played and young and old entered into the amusements provided by the committee.

Wednesday James H. Cunningham sold his two houses on east 5th street to John Benkoskey of Wellfleet for a consideration of \$3,000. Mr. Benkoskey intends to become a resident of this city and will move his family here shortly.

D. R. Stanton and J. F. Shepard, of Fremont, have been in town for a couple of days looking up a location for a dry cleaning and pressing establishment. If they cannot secure a suitable room they may decide to erect a building.

Butler Buchanan, now sojourning in California, writes that he feels much better since leaving North Platte. While here he was compelled to smoke a drug to keep his bronchial tubes open, since going to the coast he has discarded the medicine.

The latest proposition of the brick plant owners is for the people of North Platte to secure a site for the plant, have a railroad spur built to the plant, and secure a loan of \$25,000 for the owners. This last proposition has been referred to a committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

You know what the Tramp Grocery is—we have no competition—but you will be surprised when you see the bargains on our dry goods side.

The L. Y. Club were royally entertained last evening by Miss Hazel Henderson at a Washington Birthday party. The rooms were prettily decorated with small red and white hatchets and flags. Card games were played until 11 o'clock, five tables being used. The delicious two course lunch was in keeping with the day and the decorations. Partners for lunch were found by matching hatchets. Guessing contests, gum pictures and music followed the refreshments. An amusing feature of the evening was the description of each lady which each gentleman was asked to write. These were read and the one to whom they seemed fitted was then dressed in gowns made from newspapers designed, cut and fitted. The hand-out game was very unique. Flash light pictures were taken of the crowd and Miss Hazel voted an ideal hostess.

That Presbyterian Lunch.

Tuesday The Tribune announced that the Presbyterian ladies would serve a 15 cent lunch Thursday evening, when it should have read Tuesday evening, Feb. 27th. The error caused considerable inconvenience, which we regret. Next Tuesday evening at the church parlors.

The lunch will consist of creamed chicken, hot biscuits, beet relish, Washington pie and coffee—all for 15 cents.

Song Recital.

The North Platte School of Music has secured Miss Carnes for a song recital to be given at 122 W. Front St., on Friday evening, March 1st, 1912. Miss Carnes is a member of the University School of Music faculty, and as such needs no further recommendation for excellence. Anyone wishing a rare musical treat will surely attend this concert. Admission 50c. Tickets on sale at Clinton's Jewelry store. Don't forget the time, 8:30 p. m., Friday March 1st, 1912.

Observe Anniversary of Dedication.

Yesterday the Masonic fraternity celebrated the fifth anniversary of the dedication of the temple, and in point of attendance and fraternal expression it surpassed any previous anniversary. During the afternoon there was initiatory ceremony in the Master degree, followed by a supper at seven in the evening, at which plates were laid for over 325 Masons and members of their families.

The banquet hall was nicely decorated with pictures of George and Martha Washington, flags and bunting and a large Masonic emblem made of electric lights. The supper was arranged by a committee of twenty-five assisted by Mrs. J. F. Clabaugh, matron of the O. E. S.

Following the lunch a musical program, which included a reading by Rev. Porter, was rendered in the lodge room; all those participating in the program being identified with the order. At the close of the program card playing and dancing was indulged in until midnight, music being furnished by Stamp's orchestra. About thirty out of town members were in attendance.

Miss Mabel Wyman has resigned her position as teacher in District 50.

Miss Anna Locker left Wednesday morning for Kansas City to make her future home.

J. H. Kelly, of Gothenburg, came up yesterday to attend the Masonic anniversary exercises.

Mrs. Terence Mc Govern is ill as a result of a fall on the icy walks early in the week.

The strikers are holding a benefit at the Crystal this week and the attendance each evening has been larger than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Eyerley, of Hershey, were in town yesterday, coming here to attend the Masonic banquet last evening.

Mrs. Cecilia Griffer of Julesburg who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Burke and daughters returned home yesterday afternoon.

W. J. Hendy returned this morning from Omaha, where he attended the automobile show. Up to the time he left 451 Ford cars had been sold.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold a social this evening at the J. G. Beeler residence. All the young people and young married people are respectfully solicited to attend.

About three hundred men are employed at track-laying on the U. P. extension from Callaway to Stapleton. This extension is thirty miles long and with fair weather trains will be running into Stapleton by April 1st.

For Sale—111 Acres improved valley land three miles south of Gothenburg, Nebr. Cash sale \$75.00 per acre. Inquire of J. B. BACON, Gothenburg, Nebr.

Weather forecast: Unsettled weather with probable snow flurries tonight or Saturday; not much change in temperature. The maximum temperature yesterday was 42, a year ago 37; lowest last night 25, a year ago 6.

A man named Jackson was rounded up by the police Wednesday on the charge of having flim-flammed a Grand Island hotel keeper out of a four dollar board bill and five dollars in cash. He settled the claim and was allowed to go.

A telegram received this morning by F. L. Mooney announced the death at Omaha of Mrs. E. M. F. Leflang, wife of a former president of the First National Bank of this city and for many years a resident of Lexington. The deceased had been an invalid for a long period of years, and the immediate cause of death was dropsical affection.

Chamber of Commerce Meeting.

The Chamber of Commerce directors met Wednesday evening in the First National bank building. Present were Messrs. Seeberger, Wilcox, Stuart, Forbes, Dixon, Garlow and Temple. The final proposition of F. H. Perry in regard to the brick factory was taken up and referred to the manufacturing committee to be investigated. Superintendent Wison Tout, who has been appointed principal of the Junior normal which will be held during the summer, submitted a proposition to President Seeberger. This calls attention to the fact that in many cities an effort is made to increase the attendance at the normal by appointing a committee to advertise and entertain the teachers during eight weeks. A committee of ten namely Messrs. Ebright, Stuart, Davis, Temple and Mooney and Misses Cleo Chappell and Anna Kramph and Rev. Porter and Rev. Chapman were selected for this purpose. A suggestion was made to have a good roads day on which everyone work on the roads.

A letter from the North Western Development League at St. Paul, Minn., was read calling attention to a bill introduced by Senator Brown for establishing an Emigration Bureau which will give information and print instructions for stangers, telling them how they can settle in western states. This was decided a good proposition and the secretary was ordered to draw resolutions to mail to the congressman from this district.

Attempted Burglary.

An ineffectual attempt was made to burglarize the Tramp store on Front street Monday night about 12:30. As Policeman Trout was making his rounds and had turned the corner of Locust and Front, two men hid themselves from the entrance to the Tramp store, one cutting across the street toward the U. P. tracks, the other running down Front. Trout immediately telephoned Mr. Tramp, who came over and in company with Trout examined the door. It was found that the facing to the latch had been unscrewed, and the latch had dropped from the socket, allowing the lower portion of the door to be sprung enough to unloosen the floor bolt on the twin door. The burglars, however, had not reckoned that there was a lock above the latch, and it is probable that they were working on this when frightened away by Trout's appearance.

A fresh snow had fallen, and the fellow who had crossed the street was tracked to the hotel laundry where he had evidently entered. No tracks leaving the laundry could be found. No further investigation than this was made.

Presbyterian Church.

Services are now being held in the audience room after nearly two months. A large congregation was present in the morning, but the fair weather folks all remained at home at night. The Sunday school is the largest it has ever been and nearly every Sunday sees new faces there. The choir is doing good work, rendering music of a high order. The usual services will be conducted on Sunday. The pastor's morning theme will be: "The Present Day Churchman." In the evening the series of sermons on "Great Occupations" will be resumed.

Notice.

Major Walker is no longer connected with my office. W. H. C. Woodhurst, Insurance Agency.

Crystal Theatre

To-Night and Saturday.

PICTURES

The Bo'suns Watch. A Western Heroine. A Queens Treachery.

VAUDEVILLE.

Booth and Booth. Singing, Talking, Dancing.

10c. and 15c.

Spring Suits Now Here.

Young Men, you will be interested in what I have to offer you in Spring Suits



I consider myself fortunate in the selection of patterns I am showing, they are nifty, full of ginger, pants are cut peg top, good length coats, imported and domestic wools in beautiful shades of tan, brown, grays, blues in all shades, etc., in diagonal basket and fancy weaves. Prices range from

\$12.50 to \$30.00

Boys' Knickerbockers with the Norfolk double breasted or single breasted coats in a good range of patterns in the "Stud Fibre" line, made with hair cloth front. Guaranteed to hold their shape. Prices range from

\$3.50 to \$10.00

Age 3 to 7 years Shoes, Oxfords, Hats, Caps, Shirts and Furnishings for men of all ages including the little men. You will find here such as are found in the best of stores. I invite your presence for a look. Everything charmingly fresh and new.

Weingand Quality Place

C. O. WEINGAND, Pro.

Local and Personal

Visit Tramp's Dry Goods Dept. and see the nice line of spring goods.

Miss Darlene Purdy has been spending this week with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Woods in Sutherland.

Philip Miller, of Davenport, Ia., arrived yesterday afternoon to visit his father Jacob Miller for some time.

Adolph Helmond, of Garfield, is spending the day in town, having just returned from the auto show in Omaha.

Charles Gamble, of Myrtle, is spending a few days in town while enroute home from the automobile show in Omaha.

Bruce Brown, manager of the local telephone office, was called to Hastings Wednesday by the serious illness of a relative.

F. P. Hoy, of Garfield, returned yesterday from the automobile show in Omaha and while there purchased a new Carter car.

Mesdames McClay and Calendar, of Gandy, are spending the day with town friends while enroute home from a visit in Omaha.

The Travel and Study club will meet Tuesday evening with Miss Smith at the Mrs. John Murray residence on west Fourth street.

Messrs. Bratten and Davis, who have been employed on the new switch board in the telephone office, resigned yesterday and went to Omaha.

F. L. Mooney goes to Omaha tonight to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. E. M. F. Leflang, which will be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

A number of friends surprised Dr. and Mrs. Quigley Wednesday night. The doctor's resemblance to Hobson caused him some embarrassment on this occasion.

An attempt was made at Cedar Rapids Wednesday to hold up mail train No. 9. The engineer saw the bandits ahead of the train and refused to obey their stop signal and covered them with steam from the engine as he passed. They fired several bullets into the cab one of which struck Engineer Mansfield in the arm crippling him. He is in an Omaha hospital and a search is being made for the robbers. In the express car was a heavy shipment of bar gold, bar silver, express packages and a safe full of valuables.

Pigs For Sale.

Weighting 60 to 100 lbs in numbers to suit purchasers. Inquire at Hershey's Locust and 5th Sts. Phone 15.

Combination Public Auction

of horses, cattle and machinery at the T. It barn, North Platte, Nebraska, on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29th,

THURSDAY, MARCH 14th,

THURSDAY, MARCH 28th.

At the first sale we will offer

100 HEAD OF HORSES

These animals will include work horses, fat horses for the market and colts.

There will also be offered at this sale several thoroughbred stallions.

A NUMBER OF MILCH COWS

will be offered for sale. Some of the cows are fresh and others will soon be.

FARM MACHINERY.

We will also offer for sale a lot of farm machinery of all kinds, also hay-machinery.

Terms will be announced at sale, which will begin at 12 o'clock, noon.

All parties who have stock or machinery they wish to sell, can bring it in and it will be included in this sale.

These sales have been inaugurated for the purpose of bringing buyers and sellers together, and the promoters hope that sufficient interest will be manifested to warrant a continuance of these sales beyond the dates. If you have anything to sell, call and see us or write. These sales will be held under cover, so there will be no postponement on account of the weather.

E. L. JONES & Co., North Platte, Nebraska.

Roosevelt Says "My Hat is in the Ring."

A Cleveland dispatch dated yesterday says:

"My hat is in the ring." That is what Theodore Roosevelt said here when an admiring Cleveland friend sought to learn whether he was a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency.

During the brief stay of Colonel Roosevelt in Cleveland W. F. Eirick, well known in politics, greeted the former president, whom he knew well. "I want a direct answer, Colonel," said Mr. Eirick, "All your friends want to know now whether you are to be a candidate."

"My hat is in the ring," replied Colonel Roosevelt. "You will have my answer Monday."

Ready for Spring Work.

We are now ready for spring work. Bring in your old harness and get them fixed up and oiled. We oil for one dollar a set. We also have a full line of hand made harness. Come in and see us before you buy.

PREMUS FORSTEDT, Locust Street.