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Our National Bank has a charter from the Government

A National Bank before being permitted to do business, must first receive a CHARTER from the UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. The Government is always sure that there is both CHARACTER and financial responsibility behind a bank before they grant a charter. A National Bank must operate under strong restrictions for safety, laid down by the Government at Washington.

Do YOUR banking with US.

The First National Bank,
OF NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.
The Largest Bank in Western Nebraska.

Local and Personal

Robert Chamberlin returned to Lincoln last night after having visited his parents for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Westfield will entertain the Royal Neighbors tomorrow afternoon at her home on east Eighth street.

The Christian Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Bogue. All members are requested to come early.

M. I. McCarthy, proprietor of the north side drug store, is expected home this week from an extended visit in California.

The first recital to be given by the pupils of the school of music recently organized by Mrs. Elizabeth Cramer will be held at her home on Friday evening of this week.

Charles Martini Jr., entertained a number of young folks at dinner Sunday evening. The dinner was given in honor of his guest Leo McGannon, who left on the midnight train for Arizona.

Road Island Red eggs for setting. Mrs. J. H. Van Cleave, Cor. Elm and A. St.

Four S. C. white Leghorn, two Buff Rocks and one Plymouth Rock cockerels. All thoroughbreds. Also eggs for setting for sale. L. I. Tucker, 221 Chestnut St.

The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet Thursday, Mar. 21, in the church parlors. A general invitation is extended to all to be present. The dime banks are to be handed in at this time.

Money to loan on real estate.

Bratt & Goodman.

Bert Whitmore, of Wallace, Idaho, arrived here yesterday afternoon and will visit his sister Mrs. Rosa Nichols for a week or more. Mr. Whitmore spent the greater part of last summer in this city.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Threatening weather today with cold wave tonight. Wednesday fair, continued cold. Highest temperature yesterday 52; a year ago 65. Lowest temperature today 30; a year ago 24.

For Rent—Small bungalow and 12 acres of land fitted for gardening and chicken raising; 5 miles from town. Phone 26.

Bratt & Goodman are offering for sale some good cheap lots at \$10 down and monthly payments; also some desirable residences at low figures and on easy payments. See them.

Guy Swope has received answers from Ogalalla, Elm Creek and Cozad in regard to the organization of a baseball league. All three are strongly in favor of the proposition and will send a representative to the first meeting which the local committee will call.

Lewis Grant Jones, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Jones, who formerly lived south of town, died a few days ago at Ocean Park, Cal., to which place the family removed a dozen or more years ago. The young man was a well known contractor and builder in his home city, and had been married but a short time.

The Philharmonic orchestra was formally organized Sunday by the election of W. E. Starr business manager and Prof. Garlich director. The orchestra starts with a membership of twenty, and with the proper encouragement from citizens promises to become a musical organization of which we have reason to feel proud. Now if Mrs. Cramer will organize and instruct a big choral society—of course at so much per—we would, with the orchestra as an accompaniment, be in position to render oratorios and cantatas in a manner that would please every lover of music.

Fire, lightning, cyclone, tornado and hail insurance in best companies at cheapest rates written by Bratt & Goodman.

A unique and pretty St. Patrick's day party was given Saturday evening by Misses Nora Jeffers and Minnie Howe at the home of the latter. Thirty young people responded to invitations and were pleasantly entertained with games appropriate to the day. Prizes in the various stunts were awarded to Messrs. Clarence Garman, Ed Sluder, Misses Mary Elias and Mrs. Harry Gutierrez. The decorations consisted of green and white shamrocks, Irish flags and the color scheme of green and white was reflected in the dainty two course lunch which was served at midnight. Several flash light pictures were taken. The affair was much enjoyed by all present.

Keep Your Idle Money Working. We have a few good, safe, first mortgage real estate loans to offer to our patrons, netting seven to eight per cent semi-annual interest. Nothing safer. See Bratt & Goodman.

Rounding up Bicyclists.

Chief of Police Otten will today issue warrants for the arrest of ten citizens—some of them well known—on the charge of violating the city ordinance relating to riding bicycles on the sidewalk in the business section. The names of the offenders are W. R. Maloney, Eugene Picard, John Burke, C. F. Tracy, Pat Haggerty, Harry Huffman, Chas. Herrod, Harry Mahan and Buak Tighe. For several weeks Chief Otten has published notices warning bicyclists against violating the ordinance. Some few have paid heed to the warning, others have not, hence the issuance of warrants.

Boiler Explodes, Thirty Killed.

About thirty persons were killed in the explosion of a locomotive boiler of the Southern Pacific round house yesterday at San Antonio, Texas.

Most of the dead and injured were strike breakers who took the places of Southern Pacific shopmen who struck there several months ago.

So fearfully mangled were several of the bodies that it is thought they never can be fully identified.

Twenty-seven dead have been removed from the wreckage and the search is not complete. Nearby stores and buildings were filled with injured. The round house and copper shops were wrecked by the explosion and many men working in them were hurt by falling walls.

Desperadoes Caught Yesterday.

A Lincoln dispatch says: Search for the murderers of the three officials in the penitentiary last Thursday came to a tragic ending about 2:30 yesterday afternoon when on the road near Springfield, Sarpy county, Sheriff Heyers of Lincoln shot and killed Shorty Gray, Dowd shot and killed himself and Morley the third of the trio surrendered.

The three men were hidden in the bottom of a lumber wagon in which they were being driven along the road by a farmer upon whom they were holding a gun. When between Louisville and Springfield the posse overtook the men and a battle between the desperadoes and the members of the pursuing party at once took place in which a large number of shots were fired. "Shorty Gray" soon fell over dead pierced by a bullet from a Winchester in the hands of Sheriff Heyers. Immediately after, Dowd, the man who did most of the shooting at the prison, turned his gun upon himself and put a bullet through his brain. Morley, the third and last of the party, flung away his weapons threw up his hands and surrendered. Blunt, the farmer, was found dead in the wagon but who killed him cannot now be determined. Morley signified his intention of surrendering and was quickly captured.

For County Assessor.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for county assessor, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election April 19th. I have lived in Lincoln county since 1889, and my home is in Hooker precinct. I have served four years as precinct assessor. Your support will be appreciated.

GEO. E. GARMAN.

The Stone Drug Co., room has been materially improved in appearance by new paper and fresh paint.

Adolph Frank and Miss Ella Yetter, both of Sutherland, were married by Judge Grant Monday afternoon.

Wm. Shear has purchased a pool hall in Arapahoe and will leave for that city to take charge tomorrow.

For Sale.

Some second hand Spring Wagons and buggies. These rigs have been put in good repair, new axles and nicely painted, prices are right. Also some good sod plows cheap.

J. H. VAN CLEAVE,
110 W. Sixth St.
Brick Shop

Crystal Theatre

To-Night

PICTURES
Loves Victory.
From Field to Cradle.
Revenge is Sweet.

VAUDEVILLE.
Florence Humes and Co.
In a Funny Skit.
The Under Dog.

10c. and 15c.



Listen! Why, EASTER will soon be here.

Merry Easter will soon demand merry attire. Bloom out in one of our Easter outfits, from your hat down; you will be happy from the ground up.

The ground principle of our business is to please our customers, not only when they buy our clothes, but while they wear them.

We want to urge our friends to urge their friends to come see our store. Then our up-grade goods and our low prices will urge them to buy and become, for a life time, our business friends.

CLABUGH,
Everything for Men.

George N. Gibbs, of the law firm of Muldoon & Gibbs, last evening filed for the democratic nomination for county attorney. Though a resident of North Platte for less than two years, Mr. Gibbs has made good in his profession and has won a high degree of popularity among acquaintances. He is the only democratic candidate for the nomination, hence will be a certain winner.

Material is being assembled and work will begin at once on the Derryberry & Forbes' implement warehouse east of the freight depot.

Police Judge Warren returned yesterday from his lecturing and campaigning tour in the north part of the state.

Virgil Baldock and wife have returned from a months visit in Seattle and Portland.

Chance of Life Time. Splendid hardware stock, long established business. Will be sold very cheap owing to illness of owner. Address Hubbell Bros., Kearney Nebr.

Adelbert Bonner, who is attending the Lincoln university, came up yesterday to visit his parents.

The Brockus Stock company arrived here yesterday morning and will be the attraction at the Keith this week.

O. H. Thoelecke returned this morning from Omaha where he spent several days with relatives and transacted business.

To Loan.

\$2,000 of 5 per cent money in about ninety days. Must be secured by first mortgage on real estate.

J. E. SEBASTIAN,
5144 Dewey St.,
North Platte, Neb.

For Sale.

Good nearly new 6 room house, all modern except heat, lot 9, block 8, Trustee's addition, North Platte. Price \$1,950; \$1,385 in building and loan, balance cash. C. E. Lockwood, Owner, Kimball, Neb.

Satisfaction.

You, who may have found disappointment in front-laced corsets by being persuaded to buy one of many imitations of the Gossard Corset are specially invited to come now and learn by a trial fitting what a perfect front-laced corset really is.

It is practically impossible to correctly adjust a long, back lacing corsets, whereas the longest front-laced Gossard Corset is adjusted with ease and accuracy before your mirror.

The tendency in fashions lies in low bust, straight hips flat back and all of these essentials are correctly embodied in



Satisfaction is yours if you will fulfill your long made promise to yourself to try a Gossard fitting. Your excuse for changing from obsolete back lacing method was never so good as at the present time. The models were never so perfect.

Wilcox Department Store



Pastry Timber

To build a successful pie gives as much joy to a woman as building a house gives to a man. For you hear, with your own ears, your family and friends praise your baking.

But, as with a house, your pie building materials must be of the finest—or the result will be bad. At this store we value your good will and future custom too much to offer you anything but the best. We have all the materials for making pies—"pastry timber"—that the successful cook requires.

Everything fresh and ready to bake the most delightful pastry eatables in town. Call and inspect or send a trial order.

Rush Mercantile Company.