

The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune

TWENTY-SEVENTH YEAR.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB., DECEMBER 24, 1912.

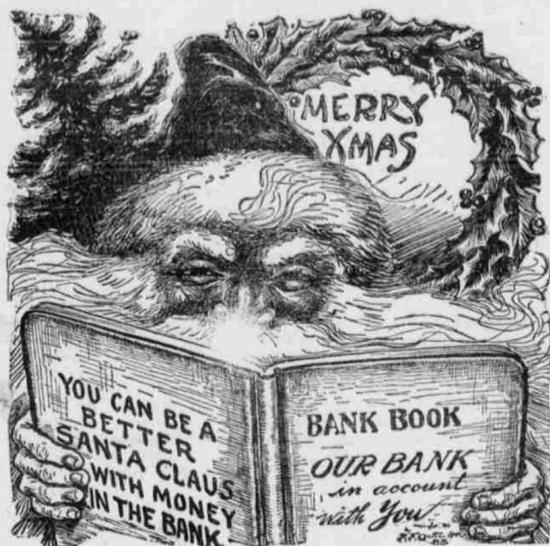
No. 94

Keith Theatre, Wednesday, December 25th, Matinee and Night.

Special Holiday Attraction "The Girl and the Outlaw."

Bert Mosher offers Roy LaMarr's
Great Western Scenic ProductionWith A Big New York Selected Company.
Beautiful Scenery and Wonderful Scenic Effects.

Special Christmas Matinee Starts at 3 p. m.

Prices: Matinee, Children 10c, Adults 25c.
Night, 25c, 35c and 50 cents.

Cut out being a "Christmas Tree" for everyone who asks you to lend him money. If you want to lose a friend loan him money; for, when you ask him for it, you will lose both your friend and your MONEY.

BANK your money. You, YOURSELF, and YOUR FAMILY are the ones who most deserve what you earn.

Do YOUR banking with

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

Local and Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nugent, of Maxwell, are spending a few days here with friends.

Mrs. Hattie Farrington has as her guest this week her nephew Charles Cheney, of Omaha.

Rev. and Mrs. Bell, of Kearney, are visiting with Rev. and Mrs. Charles Chapman this week.

Miss Anna VonGoetz, of Omaha, came Sunday evening to visit her parents during the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James McEvoy and baby have returned from Omaha where they visited friends last week.

Miss Ruth Patterson, of the Omaha schools, arrived here last evening to spend two weeks with relatives.

F. H. Whitlake assistant cashier of Citizens Security Bank, of Wallace, is a business visitor in town this week.

C. Krueger, W. J. Cohn, D. S. Scfield and H. Clemmens, of Wallace, transacted business in town yesterday.

A marriage license was granted yesterday afternoon to Ernest Johnson and Abbie N. Lindberg both of Gothenburg.

Millard Perkins and Merrill Cross left for Sutherland yesterday morning and will make the return trip on their skates.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Snyder are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy which was born to them yesterday morning.

Victor and Rolfe Halligan, of the state university, came home Sunday afternoon to enjoy Christmas with the home folks.

Pride of 28, No. 128, will hold a meeting on Dec. 31, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. A full attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grady returned yesterday afternoon from Council Bluffs where they attended a reunion of the Albroy family last week.

Mrs. Mayo and two daughters, of Oconto, arrived Sunday evening to be present at the McMurray-Mayo nuptials yesterday afternoon.

The bans of marriage between Miss Frances Christ of this city and Nichols Brosius of Gandy, were announced for the first time in St. Patrick's church Sunday morning.

District Court has adjourned until January 18th.

The Lady Forrester's will hold a dance at the Lloyd on the evening of January 20th.

Mrs. W. H. LeDoyt and daughter Marie spent a couple of days this week in Hershey.

Miss Amy Young left yesterday morning for Broadwater to spend the holidays with relatives.

Fresh milk and cream from Mrs. Geo. Patterson's dairy at the Ideal bakery daily.

Miss Jane Cushing will leave this evening for Sidney to visit relatives during the holidays.

Attorney William Shuman will leave Thursday for Omaha to attend a meeting of the State Bar Association.

Otto Weil, of this city, and Henry Weil and family have gone to Franklin, Iowa, to spend Christmas with relatives.

Everett Fonda, who is taking a dental course at the state university, is home to spend the Christmas vacation.

Thomas Golden who has been employed in Valley Junction for several months, is expected home to spend the holidays.

Miss Comfort Conway who has been ill with typhoid fever for several weeks will be released from the hospital tomorrow.

A hay stack and small shed were destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon in the Vermillion yard on west 3rd street. The cause of the fire is unknown to the residents of the house.

Vallie Philips Melton was granted a divorce from Samuel J. Melton in the district court Saturday afternoon on the grounds of drunkenness. Both are residents of Wallace. The plaintiffs maiden name was restored to her.

The Christian Science Sunday school held a Christmas celebration at the K. P. hall Saturday evening. There was a tree from which fruits, confections and books were distributed and the little folks had a jolly evening.

A dancing party, complimentary to young people who are at home spending the Xmas vacation, will be held at the Elk's home Monday evening to which all Elks and their ladies are invited. Tickets will be fifty-cents.

Wiley Attempts Life of Wife.

Mrs. Herbert Wiley, living on east Sixth street is suffering from a bullet wound in her left arm, the result of an attempt made upon her life by her husband about four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley, both of whom are past forty years of age but who have no children, have not lived a peaceful life, Wiley charging his wife with infidelity and she charging him with drunkenness and ill-treatment. Two or three weeks ago Wiley attempted to "shoot up" the house, and Mrs. Wiley made complaint and had him placed under peace bonds but being unable to furnish bond he was remanded to jail where he was confined until last Friday when through the efforts of a relative bond was secured and he was released.

Yesterday he began drinking early in the day and going home became involved in a quarrel with his wife in the presence of his mother-in-law and sister-in-law, and drawing a gun fired, the ball entering the woman's left arm near the shoulder. He then threw the gun down and ran toward the depot, stopping enroute to take a drink at a saloon. Following the shooting Chief of Police Otten and a physician hurriedly summoned, the former at once beginning a search for Wiley, and the latter dressing Mrs. Wiley's wound. Wiley could not be found and the supposition is that he boarded an east bound freight train which was pulling out as he reached the depot. Officers at points down the road were notified to watch for him.

During his residence here Wiley has been employed most of the time as a barber. He came here from Lexington.

Big Business at the Postoffice.

The volume of business at the local postoffice Saturday and yesterday eclipsed that of any previous Christmas season, and today will no doubt be another record breaker. The business of Saturday exceeded that of December 21st, 1911, by twenty per cent, and that of yesterday was over thirty per cent greater than the same date last year. The stamp sales yesterday were \$220, over ten thousand one-cent stamps alone were sold.

The receipts of packages for delivery were so great as to swamp the carriers and in the afternoon it was necessary hire and press into service an automobile. Today promises to be a repetition of yesterday.

The business at the postoffice is an index of the prosperity of our people—if they did not have money to buy presents, the postal receipts would not be so heavy.

Miss Mayme McMichael entertained the Young Ladies Kensington club at a Christmas tree party yesterday afternoon. The rooms and table were decorated with holly, mistletoe and holiday suggestions in pretty designs and each guest received a gift from the decorated tree. Place cards, favors and refreshments were appropriately carried out in Yule Tide order and the afternoon was a most enjoyable one.

The Ideal Bakery under the management of the Misses O'Hare opened for business Saturday. The young ladies were given a liberal patronage and bid fair to become very successful in their business venture, both being capable and popular in business circles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lonergan, of Davenport, Ia., formerly of this city arrived Sunday and will visit the Redmond and Lonergan families.

For Rent—New five room cottage modern except heat. Inquire William Maloney, Sr., 803 East 5th street.

Judge Grant issued a marriage license to William Kelton and Anna Folchert yesterday both giving their address as Wellfleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMurray and daughter Lettie, of Brady, came up Sunday to attend the McMurray-Mayo wedding.

Mrs. William Tanner, of Lexington, came up last night to visit her parents this week.

Facts About the Parcels Post.

The new parcels post goes into operation Jan. 1, 1913.

Perishable articles such as butter, lard, fruits, berries and dressed fowls may be sent short distances.

Eggs for local delivery when packed in containers may be sent. When packed separately they may be sent any distance.

Fresh meats may be sent only in the first zone (50 miles).

The following may not be sent: Intoxicating liquors, poisons, matches, explosives, firearms and live poultry.

Books and printed matter are included in third-class and may not be sent.

The weight limit will be eleven pounds.

To find the size limit: Take a piece of string 72 inches long and wind it once completely around the parcel and then across the top lengthways. If the ends of the string reach the sides of the parcel it comes under the limit.

The country is divided into eight zones and each zone into units. From the North Platte unit parcels may be sent to any office in the first zone, or up to fifty miles in any direction, for 5 cents for the first pound and 3 cents for each additional pound up to eleven.

The second zone includes postoffice from 50 to 150 miles from North Platte. The rate is 6 cents for the first pound and four cents for each additional pound.

The third zone is from 150 to 300 miles, rate 8 cents and 5 additional.

The fourth zone is from 300 to 600 miles, rate 8 cents and 6 additional.

The fifth zone is from 600 to 1,000 miles, rate 9 cents and 7 additional.

The sixth zone is from 1,000 to 1,400 miles, rate 10 cents and 9 additional.

The seventh zone is from 1,400 to 1,800 miles, rate 11 cents and 10 additional.

The eighth zone is all over 1,800 miles, rate 12 cents and 11 cents for every additional pound.

Santa's Joy Factory.

The title of a Christmas exercise, arranged by Edith Sanford Tillotson (music by I. H. Meredith), given at the old Baptist church last night. The building simply would not hold the crowd. The immense congregation probably did not realize that seventy-five boys and girls participated in the presentation of this cantata. Nothing more elaborate could have been worked out. It is safe to say that nothing more unique and elaborate has ever been attempted with the little folks in this city. The success of it was evidenced by the great round of applause that followed every part. One hundred and fifty treats were prepared for the school and this little more than supplied the number in actual attendance every Sunday.

High Noon Wedding

A nice quiet home wedding occurred at high noon Sunday in the Taylor addition, the principals being James E. Dixon, recently of Creston, Iowa, and Miss Eva Sanders, recently removed from Brule. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Favorite in the presence of the family and a few invited guests. A fine wedding dinner followed and the young couple left on an afternoon train for Creston. They will return in about a week and be at home in the nice new house which Mr. Dixon has purchased in the Taylor addition.

The CRYSTAL

To-Night

PICTURES

The Wheel of Destiny.
The Rights of a Savage.
A Bullet Proof Coat.

Admission 10c

The Season's Greetings

The spirit of the season prompts us to wish you a Merry Christmas. May the year now drawing to a close be crowned with a peaceful, joyous Christmas Day and your New Year greeted with hearts of gladness and good cheer. We thank you most cordially for the kindness and consideration shown us in the past and we hope that the New Year holds for us the favor of the continuance of your esteemed patronage.

We have tried to show our appreciation of your favors by serving you to the best of our ability and we hope, with a few contemplated changes in the conduct of our business the coming year, to serve you even better in the future.

We extend to you the season's greetings with the wish that the New Year will shower you with an abundance of good fortune.

Very truly yours,

DERRYBERRY & FORBES.

For Ladies Only!

Having sold my location and fixtures to an eastern lady, I will from now until January 10th, sell my entire stock of

Trimmed Hats, Shapes, Ribbons, Plumes and Hair Goods at Give Away Prices. . . .

This is no fake—call at my department at The Leader, and get goods at your own prices.

MRS. G. S. HUFFMAN

Wiley Crane, who has been employed in Lincoln for several months, is spending this week with relatives.

A. M. Lock has given up his forty-five day option on the Green pool hall and decided to engage in other business.

Mrs. Thomas Halligan and family returned yesterday afternoon from Council Bluffs, where they attended a family reunion.

Leo Conroy left to-day for Loomis to visit relatives this week.

Riley Yorke left this morning for Lexington to spend the day on business.

George Morgan returned last evening from California where he spent several weeks.

Mrs. W. H. Combs came from Lincoln this morning to spend the holidays with the Banks family.

Referee's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued in the district court in and for Lincoln county, on the 18th day of December, 1912, in an action of partition wherein Shellie Schneider is plaintiff and Eva B. Weaver, S. W. Weaver, Gusta Satterlee, George Satterlee, Leonard Calvert, Leonard Burton, Cora M. Burton, Cora C. Sabin, Charles H. Sabin, Lafayette Calvert, Claude Shephard and Charles Shephard are defendants, I will sell at public auction at the east front of court house in the city of North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 25th day of January, 1913, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., the following described real estate situate in Lincoln county, Nebraska, to-wit: Southeast quarter of the southwest quarter (S. E. 1/4 S. W. 1/4) south half of southeast quarter (S. 1/2 S. E. 1/4) and northeast quarter of the southeast quarter (N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4) of section twelve (12), township ten (10), north of range twenty-eight (28), west of the 6th P. M. The terms of this sale will be cash in hand.

Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 23rd day of December, 1912.
O. E. ELDER, Referee.

Champion Lighting System.

You will not find a better lighting system in western Nebraska than the system Mr. Gus F. Meyers has in his home in South part of the city. Acetylene, the finest light in the world for the home. Artificial sunlight, is what it is no light will equal it in cheapness. For the candle power in light obtained. It is easy to care for and can be made as convenient as electricity.

Just the thing for the well to do farmer or the people living in small towns and not had at all for North Platte people. Until I get my new Garage, along side of Ritners, I will make Ritners feed store my headquarters.

J. L. BURKE,

Phone Black 627.