

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

TWENTY-NINTH YEAR.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB., FEBRUARY 3, 1914.

No. 4

### Local and Personal.

Mrs. J. E. Sebastian left yesterday for Chappell to visit friends for a few days.

Queen Incubators at Hershey's, corner 5th and Locust streets.

Rawlins Ginn left yesterday for Denver to make his home there with his father.

You can find large assortment of new Spring Goods at Wilcox's.

Sheriff Beals of Oglala was in the city Saturday looking after some official business.

Mrs. Theresa Halderman returned from Lincoln where she spent a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Barney Overheiser returned Friday to her home in Kearney after visiting friends in this city for a few days.

Dan Abbott left this morning for Elm Creek where he attended a double wedding of some friends at 9 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Wood White returned yesterday from Grand Island where she had been visiting for some time with her mother and other relatives.

The Catholic Girls' Club will give an exchange Saturday, February 7 at the Schatz hardware store. Homemade bread, cakes, pies and candies will be put on sale.

J. B. Yearsley, who was injured a week ago at the shops, left yesterday morning for Omaha to visit Dr. Owens for treatment. His injury was caused by a piece of steel flying in his eye and it has been causing him much pain recently.

License to wed was granted yesterday in the county judge's office to Wm. A. Kemper, 23, and Miss Florence M. Ditto, 18, both of Sutherland. They were married by Judge Grant. Mr. Kemper is a barber in Sutherland and the young couple will make their home there.

New Spring Coats and Suits are beginning to arrive at Wilcox Department Store.

John Burke, manager of the Union Stock yards, reported about twelve sheep killed some time Saturday night or Sunday morning by dogs. He found the dead carcasses in the yards Sunday morning. There have been several dogs hanging around the yards for some time but this is the first damage that they have done. He will keep a close lookout and is prepared to kill any strange dogs that he finds wandering around in that neighborhood.

No, you never regret placing your Fire, Lightning, Cyclone, Tornado and Windstorm Insurance with Bratt & Goodman.

A. A. Schatz and Howard McMichael began yesterday on the building of twelve new residences on lots in the Cody Addition. The lots were purchased some time ago and since the location of the new road house, that has become a desirable residence section and these men will build the residences to sell. Work was begun yesterday on two of them. The building will take all spring and into the summer, and the houses will be put on the market as fast as they are completed.

### For Sale

Any part or all of Sewer Warrants bringing 10 per cent.

Con Walker.

### Injunction Against

#### State Farm.

Suit was filed Saturday in the district court by Emma J. Turpie against Wm. P. Snyder as superintendent of the state experimental sub-station. The petition is signed by Emma J. Turpie, Dot Roberts and Mabel W. Turpie, and was filed by Neal Turpie as agent for the plaintiffs.

The complaint states that Mr. Snyder has constructed a sewer along the east side of highway No. 6, and that this sewer is connected with the buildings and residences of the state farm. That the sewer was built in November, 1913, and that it empties into Fremont slough. That the land of the plaintiffs is located along by Fremont slough and that they have been using the water from the slough for domestic purposes, watering stock and cutting ice. That the sewer empties the deposits into the slough and thus makes the water unfit for use.

They therefore pray that the court issue a temporary restraining order, restraining defendant from using the sewer or causing it to be used, and that upon the hearing before the court, the restraining order be made perpetual and that they be granted other further relief as may be just and equitable for costs. The case will be heard in the district court on February 9.

### Idle Money.

A good interest paying safe investment are 7 and 8 per cent First Mortgage loans. Interest payable semi-annually. Not taxable. These loans are made on a conservative basis and all invest the shrewd investor.

The N. A. T. club will meet Wednesday evening with Miss Margaret Jones.

Novel Washing Machines at Hershey's, corner 5th and Locust streets.

Mrs. John Koontz and daughter Helen returned yesterday from a few days' visit with friends in Maxwell.

See those new patterns of imported Cotton Dress Goods at Wilcox Department Store.

Mesdames Hoxie and Quigley will entertain the 500 club Monday evening at the home of the former.

Mrs. F. G. Hoxie will entertain at a coffee Wednesday afternoon Feb. 11, in honor of her sister from Chicago.

Henry Keller left Saturday for the eastern part of the state to visit for some time with relatives and friends.

Cream Separators at Hershey's, corner 5th and Locust streets.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday colder tonight. Moderate northwesterly winds. Highest temperature yesterday 43, a year ago 33; lowest last night 6, a year ago 3.

For Rent—8 room modern house steel range, kitchen cabinet, linoleum on kitchen, pantry and bath room floor. Inquire of J. F. Roddy, 429 E. 3rd St. Phone Red 608.

H. G. Knowles, pastor of the Christian church, has been engaged to hold a series of revival meetings at the Christian church at North Bend. The meetings will begin on the evening of February 18 and Mr. Knowles will leave for that place on February 17.

### FOR LEASE.

Several tracts of hay and grazing lands. Bratt & Goodman.

### LeMaster's Lyrics.

Now getting back to earth again  
For there's where we belong;  
If you think that we can't sing  
Just listen to this song.

Once upon a time, I hear,  
A biped rare and quaint;  
To get a depot in his town  
He made a strenuous feint.

Bombastic biped and pedarian  
For office he was frantic;  
But now I am told the people think  
Him only a pedantic.

This biped mentioned up above  
Will please take notice now;  
The people of North Platte don't want  
A U. P. R. R. row.

Our pride suggests a new depot  
Airy, large and up-to-date;  
With slabs and bows and easy chairs  
To lounge in while we wait.

A place where we could go and sit  
On benches not all wrecked;  
A place to buy our pasteboards  
And get our baggage checked.

More modern structure I admit  
Would at this time be great;  
Divine injunction whispers now  
With patience let us wait.

So let's not crowd the Company hard  
Nor try to force the fight;  
I'm satisfied they're doing just  
What they consider right.

They built at an enormous cost  
A roundhouse near the town;  
Don't ask it in such gobs my boy  
For they COULD turn you down.

Now my periphrastic friend  
Let go that U. P. leg;  
By holding on so long you'll kill  
The bird that lays the golden egg.

### FOR RENT.

9 room modern house west 4th St.  
8 room modern except heat house  
close in on East 6th.

6 room house 329 West 3rd, \$18.00  
Other houses and rooms. Storage  
room and Safe Deposit Boxes.  
Bratt & Goodman.

Mrs. Earl Hamilton entertained Saturday afternoon at her home west of the city and a large number of the ladies of North Platte went out. The afternoon was spent with various social diversions and all present reported a very pleasant time. At the close of the afternoon the guests were served to a delightful luncheon. In the evening Mrs. Hamilton entertained a number of friends at auction bridge. There were five couples present and a pleasant evening was enjoyed. At a late hour dainty refreshments were served and the guests returned to the city by auto.

Joseph Schatz of the Dixon Jewelry store was reported on the sick list yesterday.

If you have a surplus of idle money see Bratt & Goodman who are offering some extra choice first mortgage loans ranging in sums of \$500.00 and upwards netting 7 to 8 per cent semi-annual interest. These mortgages not taxable. There is nothing beats them for a safe and profitable investment.  
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### For Sale or Exchange.

One registered Belgian Stallion seven year old, weight 2000 pounds good and sound. FRED GEORGE, 4-2 Brady, Neb.

## Final Clean Up of Our WINTER COATS.

Your unrestricted choice of any Coat in the house---while they last---at

**\$6.98 and \$9.98.**

This includes Persians, Ural Lambs, Bouchles, Plushes and Novelties.

Coats worth up to \$20 now \$6.98  
Coats worth up to \$30 now \$9.98

We must make room for our spring stock now arriving daily.

# BLOCK'S

LADIES' OUTFITTING STORE.

### C. F. Iddings' Will Filed in Co. Court

The last will and testament of the late Charles F. Iddings was filed yesterday in the county court. The will is dated February 22, 1906 and is signed by Mr. Iddings and witnessed by J. J. Halligan and W. H. C. Woodhurst. Nine beneficiaries are named in the petition filed yesterday.

The will bequeaths all the property, real estate and personal, located in Nebraska and Colorado, after the debts and funeral expenses are paid, to Mrs. Effie C. Iddings for her use for life. The use, income and profits of the property will go to her but must be used for the best interest, education and maintenance of the children. The house and lots with all the furnishings and fixtures go to Mrs. Iddings. All the property not located in the states of Nebraska and Colorado are to go to the brothers and sisters of Mr. Iddings, to be divided share and share alike.

At the death of Mrs. Iddings, the property in Nebraska and Colorado are to go to the children to be divided share and share alike. Mrs. Iddings is also appointed executrix of the will. The will also states that if his demise should come while operating the flour mills and lumber yards, the executrix should continue to operate the business until it could be sold without sacrifice. That it should be sold as soon as possible without sacrifice and the money reinvested in good interest-bearing securities, the residue of same to go to Mrs. Iddings as long as she lives. The estate comprises several thousand dollars worth of personal property as well as a large amount of real estate and heavy insurance policies.

The following are named in the petition as beneficiaries: Effie C. Iddings, wife, Florence E., Nanine R., Charles F., and Henry C. children, all of North Platte, Elizabeth L. Iddings, Warren Ohio, sister, William T. Iddings, brother, Warren, Ohio, Frank Iddings, Warren, Ohio, brother, and May W. Raser, Seattle, Wash., sister.

### NOTICE.

The Minnetoma Manufacturing Co. of Owatoma, Minn., will give a demonstration of their Farm Creamery Plants a Ripener, Churn and Butter Works, at the Hardware Store of Derryberry & Forbes at 2:30 Saturday afternoon Feb. 7th 1914. All farmers and dairy men are urged to attend and get a sample of the butter.

### Grandest of All.

"What is the grandest thing in the universe?" asks Victor Hugo. "A storm at sea," he answers and continues: "And what is grander than a storm at sea?" "The unclouded heavens on a starry, moonless night." "And what is grander than these midnight skies?" "The soul of man"—a spectacular climax such as Hugo loved and still, with all its dramatic effects, the picturesque statement of a vast and sublime and mighty truth.

### Appoint Committee to Visit Council.

The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce met Friday afternoon in the office of Secretary M. E. Crosby to discuss the matter of the new depot proposition and the complaint that is now before the state railway commission to compel the Union Pacific Company to build a new depot. At this meeting a committee was appointed to appear before the council at their meeting this evening and ask them to rescind the action that has been taken.

It was talked at the banquet last week that they would hold a mass meeting for the discussion of this question, but upon reconsideration the board of directors decided to hold the meeting to themselves and invite representatives from the council. City Attorney James Keefe appeared before the conference and stated that his name was signed to the complaint and that it was now too late to rescind the action. That the city had waited seven weeks for just such a remonstrance to come up and nothing had been done. He said that the time to have done this was during the period that elapsed between the making of the recommendation by the council and the filing of the complaint.

The committee appointed by the board will appear before the council at their meeting this evening and recommend the withdrawal of the action. While all look favorable upon the proposition of a new depot and realize the need, they think that forcing the issue is the wrong manner in going after it.

When you insure your life with Bratt & Goodman in the Great Mutual Life of New York you have done your duty to yourself and family. Come in and let us show you how dividends nearly pay premiums. Bratt & Goodman, District Agent.

Examination for the postmastership at Brady will be held next Saturday, February 7, at Brady and several applicants will take the examination. Mrs. L. I. Gleason of the examining board of the local office will go to Brady and give the examination. It will be a competitive examination and the place will go to the one making the best showing. The place is held at present by County Commissioner E. H. Springer, but he was asked to resign some time ago as the result of a fight made upon him by Col. Beatty. There has been some bitter contests over who shall be the next incumbent and Col. Beatty has even gone to Washington, D. C., to carry on his end.

### Migrating Birds.

During many of the nights in September the inhabitants of the island of Helgoland are astir with big lanterns and a kind of enormous butterfly net, the former to attract and dazzle the migrating birds when they come to earth to rest, and the latter to secure them. Mr. Seeborn, the great authority on bird migration, states that he has known as many as 15,000 skylincks to be caught on the island in a single night. The migrating birds are always interesting to the ships that ply across the North sea and the Baltic. In September they settle on yard arm or on deck, rather tired, and the seamen catch flies and collect them into receptacles for the benefit of the birds.

### Trial by Jury.

The establishment of the trial by jury runs back even prior to the time of Alfred the Great. He is said to have organized juries of twelve men now in practice, but even earlier the Welsh and the Anglo-Saxon freemen acted as a jury where there was a dispute between Welsh and Saxons.

### Clear Intention.

"Jim told me a riproaring joke that was played on some member of your club last evening. Were you there?" "Yes, I was there! It was an abominable, forgotten!" "Ooh! Jim did not tell me that you were the man it was on."—Houston Post.

### Strangeness of the Sex.

A woman can become highly excited over the fact that a bride is starting out in married life with machine hemmed napkins.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

### Weight of Snow.

A cubic foot of newly fallen snow weighs five and one-half pounds and has twelve times the bulk of an equal weight of water.

I wasted time, and now time doth waste me.—Shakespeare.

### Teaching Him.

Briggs—Did your wife scold you when you went home so late last night? Griggs—You don't know what it is to have a wife who was once a school teacher. Why, she made me write a hundred times on a slate, "I must be home by 10 o'clock."—Exchange.

### Setting Him Right.

They were enjoying a motor ride and had just entered a country road. "May I kiss your hand?" he asked, a little confusedly. She removed her veil. "No," she replied, "I have my gloves on."—Lippincott's Magazine.

### For Thirty or more Years.

We have been making, repairing cleaning, and altering clothes for the people of North Platte. We have aimed to give satisfaction, and we guess we have been successful, else the people would not now patronize us. Give us a chance to do your work.

### F. J. BROEKER.

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