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Local and Personal

James Baker left Tuesday evening for Paxton to spend a few days on business.

Co. Supt. Chappell returned Wednesday from Wellfleet where she visited county schools.

A boy was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Alexander who live on North Garfield avenue.

W. R. Powell, the watchmaker, purchased a new thoroughbred bird dog this week in Grand Island.

J. E. Sebastian returned home Wednesday from Bridgeport where he spent several days on business.

Mrs. Burgstrom, of Brady underwent an operation at the P. & S. hospital Tuesday. She is reported getting along nicely.

H. L. Gaunt, one of the car repairing gang, had his hand injured the first of the week while working under a car. He will be laid up for several days with the injury.

Red River Early Ohio Seed Potatoes for sale. Callender's Cash Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayden and daughter of Wallace, arrived in the city Wednesday and spent a short time in the city visiting friends. They returned home yesterday.

David Hunter, of Sutherland, called at The Tribune office Tuesday and left samples of the oranges and grape fruit grown on his California fruit farm. This fruit was unusually large in size and of very fine flavor.

Call on "Your Bosom Friend," DICKER'S SANITARY LAUNDRY

Mrs. Maggie Post is moving her house this week from the lot in the 300 block on East Front street to the Cody addition where she has purchased a lot. The work is being done by Contractor Disbrow.

Alfonse Picard has bought out his brother Eugene's interest in the carpenter shop and is now running the shop by himself. Eugene Picard is building a new two-story frame planing mill in the 500 block on East Fifth street and will operate that as soon as it is completed. The work of the building is getting well under way and the mill will be in operation in a short time.

For Sale—Five room house, with big barn and other outbuildings. Inquire at 505 East Fourth.

The literary department of the Twentieth Century club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. M. J. Forbes for their regular meeting and election of officers. A good membership was present and a nice evening was enjoyed. The following officers were elected: Leader, Mrs. C. E. McLain; assistant leader, Mrs. C. A. Toole; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Skinner; press correspondent, Mrs. J. H. Posey. At the close of the business the ladies enjoyed a social hour and nice refreshments were served.

Notice.

Any one wishing ice, don't forget the old ice man. Joe Spies, Phone Blk 161.

The Thirty-Second Annual May Party.

Thirty-one years ago, or to be more exact, on April 4th, 1883, Engineers Will Stuart, George Austin, Charley Ell, Will Whitlock, Frank Tracy and other members of Division 88, B. of L. E., decided that a May Party, given under the auspices of the Division, would prove an appreciated social function. Arrangements were at once made on an elaborate scale, 500 invitations, printed in gold, were issued, and tickets were sold at five dollars each, this price including supper for the ticket holder and one lady. The party was held at the Pacific hotel, and was attended by society folks from Cheyenne, Sidney, Grand Island and Omaha. This May Party proved such a signal success that the Division concluded to make it a yearly event. Through the long period of years since 1883 this annual event has been held with out a skip, and has ever been considered the one great yearly social function in North Platte. It has never been the aim of the Division to make money out of the May Party—the idea being to give the people the best of everything regardless of cost. Some years the expenses were greater than the receipts, other years the opposite was true, so that on the whole the Division has just about "played even."

As the society folks of the earlier years looked forward to the May Party with pleasant anticipation, so do the society folks of today, and the announcement that the thirty-second annual party will be held Friday evening, May 1st, 1914, is sufficient to insure an attendance of dancers that will fill the floors and of spectators that will crowd the galleries.

H. A. Lawhead, chairman of the arrangement committee, has selected his sub-committees and the work of preparing for this always pleasant event is well under way. That the coming party will be up to the customary high standard, there is no question.

City Council Organizes.

The city council met Tuesday evening in special session in City Clerk Temple's office and the newly elected councilmen took the oath office, following the retirement of Councilmen Sorsonson, Drost, Hongland and Owens, whose terms expired.

Councilmen Crosby and Mann were placed in nomination for president of the council, and the former elected by a vote of three to two, one councilman declining to vote and two others being absent.

The following standing committees were named by the mayor and confirmed by the council: Ordinances, Crosby, Martin, Cohagen. Finance: Schatz, Stone, Bell, Gas and Light: Stone, Schatz, Martin. Water and Sewerage: Martin, Schatz, Mann, Porter. Public Health and Civic Welfare: Mann, Cohagen, Bell. Streets and Sidewalks: Bell, Schatz, Mann, Porter. Parks: Cohagen, Crosby, Stone, Fire: Porter, Martin, Crosby.

When Mayor Evans, on behalf of the city, made the offer to haul away without charge all the rubbish which property owners might collect on their premises and dump in the alleys, he contracted a pretty good sized job. From one alley extending from Locust street to the west limits of the city, thirty-four big wagon loads were removed. If all the alleys were as prolific as this particular one, it would result in about 1200 wagon loads of rubbish and debris. However, by taking advantage of the mayor's order the town will be more cleanly than for several years. There will be a less smell, fewer flies and better of all, less disease.

R. A. Shugart of Lincoln, representing the Western Supply and Fixture company, arrived in the city Wednesday and installed two carbonators, one in the Nyal and the other in the Rexall drug stores. The carbonators are automatic devices that connect with the city water and carbonate the water as it is needed for fountain use.

W. H. Blalock returned Tuesday evening from Wallace where he was called to repair a White steamer automobile.

For Rent.

320 acre farm six miles southwest from North Platte, 80 acres under cultivation and balance in pasture, all under fence, known as the D. J. O'Brien farm, cash rent only. Inquire of Mrs. D. J. O'Brien, administratrix, 615 W. Third St., North Platte, Neb.

A. A. Schatz left the first of the week for Minneapolis, Minn., to spend a few days attending to business matters.

Frank Tagader left the first of the week for Grand Island where he will visit friends for several days.

Mrs. Katherine Osgood Sanderson, of Denver, has been spending this week with her brother Chas. Osgood and family on the ranch south of town.

Three furnished rooms for rent. Inquire 414 West Third street.

L. F. Owens, Union Pacific fireman, was able to be out again yesterday after an illness of a week with a bad cold on his lungs. He was threatened with pneumonia and was quite ill for several days.

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Wm. H. Sherman of the Birdwood vicinity was a business visitor at the court house Wednesday morning.

J. W. Tiley left yesterday morning in his car for Scotts Bluffs to take a class of fifty into the mysteries of the Yeomen lodge. The initiation was held last evening.

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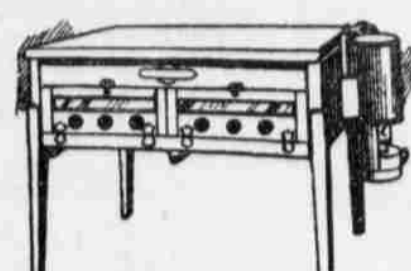
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