

The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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Better Babies Contest.

The Better Babies contest held in connection with the county fair proved a most popular one, ninety babies having been entered. In determining the percentage, five tests were made, namely, mental and developmental, measurements, physical examination, oral and dental, and eye, ear, nose and throat. The examinations were made at the School of Music by the different physicians, and it was no small task to make the necessary examinations on ninety babies, especially when a number of them were peevish and fidgety.

The winners in the several classes were as follows:

One to six months old—First, Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jackson, west Ninth street, 98.9 per cent; second, Juanita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haught, and Violet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Shaffer, each receiving a percentage of 98.6.

Six to twelve months old—First, Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lepoldt, Nichols precinct, 98.6 per cent; second, Marian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Warrn, 98.5 per cent.

Twelve to twenty-four months old—First, Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hartley, 98.7 per cent; second, Spurgeon, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kunkle Somerset, 98.6 per cent.

Locals Win 12 Inning Game.

The most interesting game of ball played on the local diamond this season occurred yesterday afternoon when the North Platte team defeated the strong Ogalalla team by a score of five to four in a game that ran twelve innings. After the sixth inning with the score a tie, both teams had men on bases each inning, but the pitchers, aided by good team work, managed to get out of the hole. The winning run in the twelfth came to North Platte through a three bagger by Grimm who scored on a single made by Holliday.

North Platte scored once in the second, once in the fourth, twice in the sixth and once in the twelfth. Ogalalla made two scores in the second, one in the fourth and one in the sixth. Vance who was on the mound for North Platte gave eight hits, while Sheffield was touched for ten safeties. While a number of errors were made, they were not costly, and the game from start to finish was one which kept the 500 spectators keyed up to a high tension.

10 Per Cent Discount on all Men's Furnishings. I carry only standard Goods, Hat, Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Suspenders, Mackinaws, Sox, Neckwear, Rain Coats, etc.

Up to the Minute Styles at Low Prices. HARRY SAMUELSON, Outfitter to Good Dressers.

Take Exhibit to the State Fair.

The best of the exhibits at the county fair are being packed this forenoon and will be taken to Lincoln and exhibited at the state fair which opens Monday. Those who will accompany the exhibit and remain during the fair are J. C. Wilson, of Hinman, W. W. Hunter, of Sellers, and Mr. McComb, of the state farm.

For Trade.

Good horse for good cow, or for harness and buggy. Enquire of D. E. Mallette, 1410 west Third.

Business men say that visitors to the county fair did not leave much money in town. Even the saloons, which are usually heavily patronized on such occasions, did not do much more than the average business. The fact is, money is not plentiful these days, and when a visitor comes to town he spends his money for only the real necessities.

Physical Energy.

Perhaps you do not know it, but when you walk a distance of ten miles you expend enough force, could it be all collected, to raise 800 tons one foot from the ground. Of this enormous quantity of energy the legs are responsible for 150 tons, the heart for 100, the lungs for twenty-two and the bulk of the remainder is wasted in the heat given off from the body.

In severe athletic competitions, such as running, rowing and boxing, you must be in such a condition as to be able to exert, by your limbs alone, each minute as much force as would lift 5,000 pounds one foot above the ground.

When a powerful man works for twenty-four hours with all his might the energy he expends is equal to lifting a third class cruiser, and during his life he dissipates enough power to carry his body to death to the sun. These statements may at first sight seem extraordinary, but will not seem so when it is remembered that two ounces of bread contains the potential energy of 150 tons.—Pearson's.

Local and Personal

The Brady schools opened this week with a total enrollment of 123.

Wanted—A girl to assist with children and housework. Mrs. Keith Neville.

J. G. Beeler returned yesterday from Denver where he had been transacting legal business.

Miss Vera Thompson, of Minneapolis, Minn., is visiting her father, Thos. G. Thompson of this city.

J. J. Halligan spent the early part of the week in Lincoln on business before the supreme court.

Mrs. Bert Culton, now residing on a homestead in Arthur county, is in town visiting relatives and friends.

Furnished rooms for rent in modern house. Mrs. M. V. Mitchell, Phone Red 104.

For Sale—Second hand steel range and other pieces of furniture. Phone Black 229.

Roy Surber, of this city, has the contract for building a four thousand dollar school house northeast of Cozad.

Thos. Doolittle, living southwest of town, is one of the several who contemplate putting in a pump irrigation plant.

Yesterday's Hershey Times said I. B. Bostwick, who has been very ill with typhoid fever is reported much better today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Granger, of Gothenburg, were in town the early part of the week visiting their son Frank.

The Degree of Honor social will meet at the K. P. hall Monday night. The A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor are invited.

Tiger and Superior disc grain drills at Hershey's, opposite postoffice.

The St. George ranch, four miles east of Sidney, was sold this week to an Iowa man for \$129,000. The property consists of 2,240 acres.

Smiling Joe Callahan, the boy who is walking from ocean to ocean and had been spending several days in town, left for the west this morning.

The Lutheran aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Rodine next Thursday afternoon, 102 south Dewey. Mrs. Rodine will be assisted by Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Kosban.

I take subscriptions for Ladies' Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post and other good magazines. Mrs. M. V. Mitchell, Phone Red 104.

C. F. Temple went to Estes Park last week by auto and returned this week accompanied by his family, who had been spending a couple of months at the park.

The working time in the Burlington shops at Havelock has been reduced to eight hours per day. Ninety per cent of the work in the shops is done on the piece work system.

A freight car containing merchandise among which was a fine Steinway piano, was completely demolished at Lexington Wednesday by a drawbar pulling out and dropping on the track.

Commissioner D. B. White has been furnished a Ford car by the Iowa Steel Tank Co., in whose employ he has been for some time. Mr. and Mrs. White expect to make a trip to Lincoln tomorrow in the car.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Thoelecke mourn the death of their son, Junior, aged nine months, who died yesterday of intestinal trouble after an illness of but a few days. Junior was an unusually bright and attractive baby, and many friends of the family will learn of his death with sadness. Funeral services will be held at the residence at ten o'clock tomorrow forenoon.

Owing to the large attendance at the story telling hour at the library it has been necessary to make a division according to ages. Tomorrow, Saturday, September 5th, the story hour which will begin at 10:30 a. m. will be for children under nine years of age. Every child in the city under nine years of age who cares to attend this story hour will be heartily welcomed.

Tom Adams, for forty years employed on section work on the Union Pacific, was arrested at the depot Wednesday by Officer Wiedman. It was claimed that Adams attempted to get on a train while in a bad state of intoxication. He was arraigned before Justice Sullivan Wednesday, but as the evidence was contradictory as to Adams' inebriation, he was discharged.



Fall, 1914, Announcement

Mr. Pizer has just returned from the east after an absence of three weeks, during which time he purchased a fall stock for every department carried by The Leader, and especially the Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department.

Our Ladies' Suits Range in Price from \$10.00 to \$40.00

Ladies' Coats from \$5.00 up.

Ladies' Dresses from \$4.00 up.

Ladies' Skirts from \$2.00 up.

Misses' and Children's Garments at Popular Prices

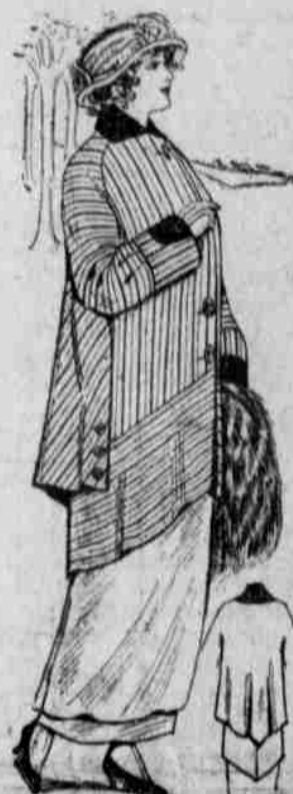
Everything in our Ladies' Department is up to the minute in design and workmanship and is sold at prices that no store west of Chicago can duplicate. We buy goods for spot cash direct from the manufacturers and therefore save the buyer the middleman's profit.

We have the most competent lady in the city to do our alteration work, and all work is guaranteed and done without charge to the customer.

We cordially invite the ladies of North Platte and vicinity to call and inspect our new stock

The Leader

JULIUS PIZER.



What a Difference.

Mr. James Walker, farmer, of Scottville, Macoupin county, Illinois, sold at Chicago, August 19, 1914, five cars of cattle (80 head) for \$11,784.15, of which 47 steers averaging 1475 pounds brought \$10.60 per 100 pounds, or \$154.45 per head, while 26 steers averaging 1378 pounds brought \$10.50 per 100 pounds, or \$144.70 per head. These are the highest prices he ever received for such stock. Mr. Walker is 81 years old and has fed cattle and hogs for the Chicago market continually for fifty-two years. Within this period he has sold the best cattle as low as \$3.75 per 100 pounds and the best hogs at \$2.50, and has seen corn selling at 8 cents per bushel such as now brings 80 cents.

Mrs. G. D. Goldsmith and daughter and Mrs. G. W. Smith and daughter of North Platte visited at the H. J. Thompson home from Saturday until Monday evening. Mrs. Goldsmith is Mrs. Thompson's mother. Mrs. Thompson returned home with them for a short visit.—Chappell Register.

The Tribune will endeavor to secure a list of the prize winners at the county fair and publish them. As the list will be a long one it will probably be run in serial form.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Welch, 1203 west 4th 65-2

RAILROAD NOTES

C. L. Patterson, chief of the U. P. secret service, spent yesterday in town attending a case in Justice Sullivan's court.

Conductor Evans, brakemen Ledoyt and Meyers and Engineer Weaver, who had been out of service for several months were re-instated this week.

Engineer K. M. Sturdevant and wife left yesterday for LeMone and from there will go to John Mang's homestead to spend several days. Mr. Sturdevant will endeavor to rid that country of a number of, rairie chickens.

Proceedings of the County Board

September 1 1914.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present White, Herminghausen, Springer and county clerk.

The following claims were allowed on the 1914 general fund to-wit: G. Kratsenstein, automatic gates and

freight on same, \$79.68.

F. W. Herminghausen, railroad fare for transit poor to Omaha, \$5.64.

A. J. Salisbury, salary for August, \$125.00.

Cleo R. Chappell, salary for August, \$133.33.

Cleo R. Chappel, office expense, \$31.63.

Roy Wilson, salary for August, \$75.

C. W. Yost, salary for August, \$137.50.

C. W. Yost, office expenses and express charges on bonds and election supplies, \$37.99.

Joseph M. Wilson, salary and cash items, \$78.25.

Anna Anderson, care of county poor, \$50.00.

C. J. McNamara, services as water commissioner, \$36.75.

E. H. Springer, services and mileage, \$50.90.

F. W. Herminghausen, services and mileage, \$46.90.

D. B. White, services and mileage, \$28.80.

A. F. Beeler, mdse. for county poor, \$19.75.

Allowed on road funds to-wit:

Eugene K. Souder, cash for district 51, \$50.00.

J. C. Johnston, cash for district 12, \$25.00.

R. W. Olson, dragging roads district 11, \$2.00.

H. Breternitz, cutting weeds, district 1, \$18.75.

J. B. Ellis, cutting weeds in road district 4, allowed on commissioner district 2, \$50.85.

Allowed on bridge fund, to-wit:

Wm. Dymond, bridge work, \$41.00.

G. Kratsenstein, hardware, etc., \$23.31.

Resignation of Cleo R. Chappell as county superintendent is hereby accepted, and Board proceeds to ballot to fill vacancy. On first ballot Mildred Olson receives one vote, Blanche Cox one vote and Allen Gantt one vote. On second ballot Miss Olson receives one vote, Miss Cox one vote and Miss Gantt one vote. On third ballot Miss Cox receives two votes and Miss Gantt one vote. Then the Board makes it unanimous, and Blanche Cox is hereby appointed county superintendent to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Cleo R. Chappell, to serve until successor is elected and qualified.

Bond of Blanche Cox is hereby approved.

Thereupon the Board adjourns until tomorrow.

C. W. YOST, County Clerk.

September 2, 1914. Board met same as yesterday. Present, White, Herminghausen, Springer and county clerk. Checked books of county superintendent to August 31, 1914, and find a balance of \$53.89 on hand, and Miss Chappell is hereby directed to turn said balance over to her successor and take receipt for same.

The following claims allowed on general fund, to-wit:

Harry Carothers, mdse. for county poor, three claims, \$26.00.

Jens Sommer, mdse. for county poor, three claims, \$23.27.

At noon the Board adjourned until September 7, 1914.

C. W. YOST, County Clerk.

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