

The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune

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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

W. H. McDonald was in Omaha for several days this week visiting with friends and transacting business.

Grand Master Stallcup of Des Moines representing the Yeomen lodge, is visiting in the city this week with W. J. Tiley.

Clarence Shaal, clerk in the T. J. Baldock & Son grocery store, left yesterday for Lincoln to visit friends for two weeks.

Arthur Nelson, of Hardy, Neb., arrived in the city the fore part of the week to spend some time visiting at the F. W. Hanson home.

Miss May Keen, employed by Mrs. A. J. Salisbury, was taken quite ill Wednesday with appendicitis and it is feared that she will have to submit to an operation.

Henry Coker, of Sutherland, has examined the ice on the North Platte river and pronounces it three feet thick, which is the thickest he has ever known it to be since he came to the country many years ago.

By special arrangement Bistolfi's "Mullum in Parvo" orchestra has been engaged to remain over for another evening at the Keith theatre. Hear them tonight. Their music will please you.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Letts are expected home from Omaha the early part of next week. They will remain in town a short time and then go to southern California and remain until Mr. Letts regains his normal condition. They have rented their house to Harry Lawson.

This afternoon Mrs. J. W. Payne will entertain the Presbyterian bible class at a Kensington as a farewell to Mrs. Edgar Schiller, and this evening Mrs. Schiller will be given a farewell party by the P. E. O. at the home of Mrs. Butler Buchanan.

Highest prices paid for stoves and second-hand furniture. F. H. Wood, west Fifth street. 88tf

Quite wintry, this morning—two inches of snow on the ground and twelve below zero. Light snow Wednesday night, more yesterday and last night, and then the drop in temperature early this morning. But the sun is shining today, the snow makes moisture, moisture makes crops and crops puts money in circulation. We are still glad that we live.

At the meeting of the literary department of the Twentieth Century Club Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Joseph Roddy gave a map talk on the Panama canal. Mrs. Fred Perritt told of her visit to the Edison light house on the coast of England, and Mrs. Redfield spoke on the light houses and life saving stations.

A large number attended the banquet and meeting at the Masonic hall last evening given by the Royal Arch Masons. A banquet was held at six-thirty at which about forty members were present. Following this the R. A. M. work was put on and a pleasant evening was enjoyed.

Twice within a week, more than \$100 has been paid for a load of wheat. One load of 82 bushels brought \$102.50 while another load of 80 bushels brought \$100.20. If you know when this record was beaten please call and let us know about it.—Gothenburgh Independent.

A large assortment of white Goods just received at The Leader.

During the year 1914 the Hershey station shipped out 990 cars of farm produce, cattle and horses, and shipped in 177 cars of commodities. Hay shipments led with 732 cars, and beefs second with 147 cars. Forty-two cars of cattle and forty-one of hogs were shipped.

Petition for the appointment of administrator with the will annexed in the estate matters of the late Benjamin F. Hutchinson and Eliza R. Hutchinson, husband and wife, was filed Wednesday in the county court. Petitioner asks that J. G. Beeler of this city be appointed administrator. The case requires publication before hearing can be had.

Houses to rent in all parts of the city, from \$3.00 up. Now is the time to get located for spring, before rent goes up. C. F. TEMPLE.

John Ware, who purchased the Hedlund farm less than two years ago, has refused an offer of \$25 advance per acre over the purchase price.... The Linstrom Bros. sale yesterday was attended by a large crowd and everything sold for good prices. Cattle sold exceptionally high, one milk cow bringing \$100.50.—Hershey Times.

Notice.
Woodward, the sign painter, is spending this week in North Platte. See him for sign work. He gives the best and most attractive designs. tf

Dr. J. S. Twinem left this morning for Tryon on some professional business.

Burr Lloyd, residing on a ranch south of this city, was a business visitor in the city this morning.

Mrs. Bert Noble, of Keystone, arrived in the city this morning and is staying at the Nebraska house where her baby is receiving medical treatment.

H. Scoonover, of the H. Scoonover & Co. Clothing store, leaves tomorrow evening for Chicago where he will spend a week or more visiting relatives and friends and purchasing stock for his store.

Judge Conrad Hohenbeck of Fremont, elected last fall to be chief justice of the supreme court of Nebraska, died Thursday morning at his apartment in the Lindell hotel at Lincoln after an illness of two years with Bright's disease. He grew worse last week and was taken to a hospital, but Wednesday was removed to the hotel, where he died.

Adjutant Leonard Robinson, commander of the Harry E. Brown camp No. 11, U. S. V. P., received word this week from Godfrey Buglione, commander of the William Fitzgerald camp No. 22, U. S. V. P. at Tientsin, China, commending the local camp for their work in the disposition of the matter of the death of Edward Gilbert, the United States soldier who recently died in this city. Mr. Gilbert was a member of that camp and in the letter that camp offers to defray all the expenses incurred. The estate matters of Gilbert are being settled up nicely. Leonard Robinson was appointed special administrator of the estate.

The Italian orchestra scored another signal success last night on their return engagement at the Keith theatre. One must hear the playing of these two exceptionally gifted artists to become convinced that to call them an orchestra is not a misnomer. Volume, expression, coloring, tenderness and force, these basic elements in modulating sounds, are artistically blended with such skillful manner, that surprising effects are obtained by this incomparable duo. Another opportunity is afforded the public of our city tonight to enjoy another concert, as the orchestra has been retained by popular demand by Mr. Garman, the manager of the Keith, who is to be congratulated in having again afforded such a rare treat to his patrons.

RAILROAD NOTES

W. L. Scott, president of the Oregon Short Line arrived in the city this morning to be present at the "Safety First" meetings today. He was formerly vice-president of the Union Pacific and is well known in this city.

Supt. Cahill, Division Master Mechanic Deery, H. V. Hilliker, Asst. Supt. Adams and several other Union Pacific officials arrived this morning to attend the "safety first" meetings which will be held here today and this evening.

Owing to the extreme cold weather a number of the trains were late today. Most of them had trouble with steam. No. 13 was thirty minutes late getting in from Omaha; No. 19 due at 8:45 did not arrive until after eleven o'clock. Passenger train No. 6 was nearly a half hour late getting in.

A special train of three cars conveying to New York the body of Larmon V. Harkness, vice president of the Standard Oil Co., who died in California Sunday, will pass through at noon today. There are nine persons aboard the train and the charges on the train to Chicago are \$45,000. From Chicago to New York the charges will be a sum equal to 100 first-class fares.

HEATING STOVES BELOW COST
\$8.00 and upwards, handsome stoves and coal savers; cold weather bargains for those who call early, at Hershey's, opposite post office. 1-3

The regular meeting of Palestine Commandery No. 13 Knights Templar, will hold a meeting this evening at eight o'clock.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature. Highest temperature yesterday 12, a year ago 37; lowest last night -12, a year ago 23.

Mrs. Chas. F. Chapman, of Butte, Mont., formerly of this city, will arrive this evening from Central City, where she has been visiting and will be a guest at the P. J. Gilman residence. Mrs. Chapman will remain until Sunday morning when she will go to Denver.

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Physician and Surgeon

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Odd Fellows' Entertainment Tonight

Colfax Encampment No. 23, I. O. O. F., will hold a fine entertainment this evening at the I. O. O. F. hall for all Odd Fellows, all Rebekahs and their escorts. Miss Grace Gerhardt Morrison has been engaged to give a program of readings and recitations and she promises something good. She is a character of national repute and will undoubtedly live up to her reputation in giving the program this evening.

In addition to this a number of the members of the local lodge will give numbers on the program. Following the program light refreshments will be served by the encampment. All Odd Fellows are urged to be present and a large crowd is expected.

Presbyterian Brotherhood Elects.

The men's brotherhood of the Presbyterian church was delightfully entertained last evening at the Butler Buchanan home at a social and business meeting. At this meeting officers for the coming year were elected. Twenty-four men were present and a pleasant evening was enjoyed.

The evening was spent with games and social converse and a short business session was held after which the officers were elected. The following officers were elected: J. H. Poney, president; Frank Buchanan, vice president; William Rittner, secretary and treasurer. The retiring officers were Bruce Brown, president; Dr. H. E. Mitchell, vice president; J. C. Hollman, secretary and treasurer.

Distress Warrants February 1st.

County Treasurer A. N. Durbin announces that all personal taxes must be paid on or before February first this year to comply with the law. Many have been paying in their taxes this month and the treasurer's office announces a large receipt of money. The law requires that distress warrants must be issued on personal taxes not paid by February first. While the county treasurer does not want to do this he is obliged to do so by the laws of the state. If you have not a receipt for your personal taxes call at the county treasurer's office at your earliest convenience or send in the money.

Miss Loretta Murphy has been confined to her home in this city all week with a severe attack of tonsillitis. She is a teacher in the Hershey schools and was obliged to be off duty this week.

More Baseball Dope

The local fans are already planning on next season's baseball team and the talk now is that there will be a new manager. O. R. Robinson, who managed the team last year, announced at a recent meeting of the association that he did not have the time to devote to be manager of the team and stated that he would prefer that someone else took it.

The new manager has not been definitely chosen, nor has Robinson refused to keep the place. Jimmy Dante, who caught for the Independents in 1913 is being talked and negotiations are now on with him for manager. He is now employed in the Davis garage here. If he can find the time he will probably take the management. Robinson did a good job as pilot last season and he would be welcome to the management again this year. His time is taken up considerably, however, and he feels that some one else ought to try the job.

For Sale or Trade
640 acres improved land, \$4,000. Will consider city property in exchange. O. H. THOLECKE.

"Our Unpreparedness."

In address at New York Saturday evening, Secretary of War Garrison, speaking on the defense of the United States, said Americans should be assured that the fate of the Belgians should never become theirs. He advocated that the standing army be increased to 50,000 men exclusive of the reserve and coast artillery, and to more than 100,000 men, including the reserve which he described as the foundation of a citizen army. Supplies for such an army should also be provided, Mr. Garrison asserted. Congressional committees, he continued, had asserted that the United States has from 50 to 60 per cent of the necessary ammunition for the coast artillery. Upon application to General Crozier, he said, he learned that this was enough for thirty or forty minutes of actual firing.

"In 1912," he said, "we had ammunition enough to supply an army of 450,000 men for half a day's battle at a rate equal to that with which ammunition was consumed in the battle of Mukden. Now, after great efforts, it has been increased to a supply sufficient for a day and a quarter."

The new styles of Embroideries, Flouncings, are now shown at The Leader.



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Suits that were \$12.50 up to \$18.00 Now	\$ 9.00
Suits that were 15.00 up to 20.00 Now	11.00
Suits that were 18.00 up to 22.50 Now	13.00
Suits that were 20.00 up to 27.50 Now	15.00

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This Means that You Can Buy a \$25.00 Overcoat at	\$18.75
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This Means that You Can Buy a 18.00 Overcoat at	13.50
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January 30, 1915