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The Star
MEN AND BOYS OUTFITTERS

The Crowe orchestra will furnish music for a dance in Gothenburg this evening which is to be given by the high school of that town.

H. N. Smith received his new six cylinder Buick this week and has been trying it out. He pronounces it some car, and he is an expert judge.

Michael McFadden, of Paxton, came down Wednesday to visit his wife and baby who are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Herrod.

Mrs. John Sheffield, of Bancroft, Ia., will return home the first of the week after visiting for three weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Con Walker.

Miss Merle Thornburg is taking a course in telegraphy under the supervision of Miss Myrtle Richards, operator in the Postal telegraph office.

Be sure and buy a dozen Banner oranges Saturday—California Orange Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weeks and family of Cheyenne, have rented the Grace house on east Fourth street and will make this city their home in future.

For Sale—Household goods, 415 E. 3rd St. Phone Red 440 17-2

Mrs. George Lannin will leave today for a visit with friends in Grand Island.

For Rent—Seven room modern house in good condition, 415 E. 3rd St. Phone Red 440. 17-2

The Rose Bros. have organized a four piece orchestra and will give a dance at the K. P. hall Saturday night.

The mothers' club will be entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Stewart, 715 south Chestnut street.

Mrs. Wm. McGrath and daughter, of Omaha, have returned home. While here they visited the former's sisters, Mrs. Rose Garrison and Mrs. Omar Huff.

Sunday, March 21st will be observed as Knights of Columbus and Lady Forrester's Day at St. Patrick's church and these Catholic orders will attend the morning services in a body.

E. N. Smith, the local agent, has sold an Apperson four car to Engineer Will Voseipka. They will go to Omaha to drive up the cars as soon as the roads assume normal conditions.

Mrs. Nicholas Klein who had been taking treatment at the Good Samaritan hospital for two weeks is convalescing and was taken to the home of her daughter Mrs. John Baker, Wednesday.

A social dance was held by the Zenba club in the Masonic hall Tuesday evening. Music was furnished by the Crowe orchestra and the usual good time was had by the large number who attended.

Street Commissioner Salisbury started to drag the streets Tuesday, but found that while the ground was dry on top it was too wet underneath. He, however, will renew the work at the earliest possible time.

A declamatory contest will be held in connection with the junior entertainment given at the high school this evening, which will decide who will represent North Platte at the district contest held at Gothenburg March 27.

Milleg Bullard returned Tuesday from Minnesota where he had been employed for seven months assisting in handling the Buffalo Bill moving pictures. He has concluded his work in that line and will remain here.

The St. Patrick's ball given Wednesday evening by Larson Bros., was an enjoyable affair and largely attended. The music by Stamp's orchestra was exceptionally good, and there were many evidences that it was appreciated by the attendants.

Martin Cowee of Atwood, Colo., formerly of this city is visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Cowee was called here several weeks ago by the illness of her mother Mrs. A. S. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Fred Rasmussen and two children of Hershey who had been visiting the Martini family in Omaha for several weeks spent Sunday in this city with relatives and friends en route home.

The lady members of the Yeomen lodge held an enjoyable Kensington at the home of Mrs. Edmund Dickey Tuesday afternoon. A nice lunch was served. Assisting Mrs. Dickey in entertaining were Mesdames James Dorrman, Sam Sonder and Lottie Cronen.

J. F. Snyder, of Maxwell, was a Tribune caller Wednesday. Mr. Snyder who is one of the early settlers of the Maxwell section, pronounces the past winter the most prolonged as to continuous snow and cold that he has ever experienced in Nebraska.

Mrs. Earl Stieger and baby, of Victor, Colo., who visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Antony Jeffers for several weeks, left for home a few days ago. Mrs. Stieger was formerly Miss Anna Schermann of this city.

North Platte lodge B. P. O. E. is planning on attending the state convention at Fremont the early part of May in considerable numbers. If plans now under consideration mature the attendants will secure a special sleeper in which they will make the round trip and use it as home while in Fremont.



ENJOY LIFE,—AND SAVE.

Don't fritter away all the money you earn this month just because you have money to spend.

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To be the First to Wear the New Fashions Confers a Social Distinction

In every community there are women of taste and refinement who are leaders of style, upon whom other women rely for the fixing of fashions. In catering to the requirements of these women who enjoy possessing the new garments at the earliest moment possible, we have planned this advance spring showing of smartly tailored

Wooltex Coats and Suits

presenting a wonderfully attractive collection of distinctly new garments; correct in style, refined in character, beautifully made of the most fashionable materials of the new season.

Now is the Best Time to Wear and Enjoy Them

The jackets of the new suits vary in length, some being even all around, some short in front, longer at the sides and still longer in the back. Some are form-fitting, some have straight lines to the waist with the graceful rippling flare below. The military motif is one of the influences of the new season.

Many of the coats are braided and trimmed with buttons in distinctly original effects. In every coat and suit the collar plays a most important part, supplying one of the main features of the style of the garment. The rolling military effect is most widely seen. Practically all of the coats have detachable over-collars of pique or silk.

The picture shows one of the charming new Wooltex coats. While the back is plain, the front shows a partial yoke effect. The rolling collar may be worn open or closed. On some coats in this style, collar is piped with striped cloth. The godet under the arm, below the waist-line, produces a wonderfully smart wing-like flare which seems to spring out on each side of the coat. The coat is 40 inches long and is full-lined with peau de cygne. Price \$18.50.

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Moose Elect Officers.
At a meeting of the Moose lodge Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
Dictator—T. M. Cohagen.
Vice-Dictator—S. T. Clark.
Prelate—Ed Stensvaad.
Treasurer—J. C. Den.
Inner Guard—J. R. Smith.
Outer Guard—M. A. Sheedy.
Trustee—J. A. McMichael.

Open Bids for Bridge.
Bids for the construction of the proposed bridge across the North Platte river were opened by the county commissioners Wednesday in the presence of State Engineer Price. Ten bids were submitted some of which were outside the limit of the \$50,000 and could not be considered. These bids varied \$9,000, the lowest for the cement span 20-foot roadway coming from a Canton, Ohio, bridge company. This bid was for \$36,000, exclusive of the fill on each end, the cost of which is estimated at \$8,000. The Canton company did not care to handle the fill, and therefore did not make a bid for that work. While the award has not at this writing been made, it is considered that the bid of the Canton company is the lowest and best.

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Tickets Now on Sale.
The base ball season tickets are now in the hands of the committee for sale and distribution. As was stated in Tuesday's issue the purpose is to sell 1,000 tickets at two dollars each, the amount thus to be realized being just sufficient to carry the team as planned through the season, and providing for at least twenty games. This season ticket plan is being tried in Kearney, the fans of that town hoping to dispose of 3,000 at \$2.00 each. It is almost useless to figure on sending a reasonably strong team through the season on less than a ticket guarantee of \$2,000, and unless those interested in the sport develop the booster spirit, and subscribe for the necessary number of tickets the efforts to have a team this season will "die a-bornin'".

For Sale at a Bargain.
Six room house, two large lots with outbuildings and shade trees on both. Price \$2500. Inquire of this office. 151f

Nels Darling Pleases Audiences.
Nels Darling, lecturer, town expert and community builder and one of the most entertaining speakers North Platte has ever heard, more than pleased a large audience at the Keith theatre Wednesday evening. He also delivered an address before a gathering of business men at the library building in the afternoon, and at 6:30 spoke to a delegation of business men from Gothenburg who are planning the formation of a community club.
Darling is a fluent talker, an actor, and his message to his audience is cleverly told. He makes statements that have a sting, but the thrusts are taken cheerfully by those whom they affect. In his sharp pointed shafts he spares neither saloon or church, schools or civic pride; he is a critic of each and all and his criticisms are at times so severe as to cringe his hearer. His lecture is made up for all sections of the country, and some of his suggestions may therefore be impractical to some localities, but on the whole he advised many things that North Platte could with profit adopt.
The criticism or objection The Tribune makes to Mr. Darling was the overdrawn statement he made concerning the morality of North Platte. We question whether "he met four or five drunken men on the streets, saw crowds of boys standing on the street corners cursing and swearing," or that he "passed women who made eyes at him." He drew on his imagination when he made these statements, supposing that what was true in certain towns would apply to North Platte.

Saturday is Orange Day.
Saturday is California orange day. Be sure and have a dozen Green Banner oranges sent home. Sold by all grocers.

North Platte Loses Debate.
The North Platte high school team lost the decision in the debate with the Kearney high school team at the latter place Tuesday evening. The question of the evening was: Resolved, That the United States should adopt government ownership and operation of railroads. The North Platte team, composed of Katherine Johnson, Major White and George Thompson, took the negative side of the question, and in the decision of the judges the vote stood two for Kearney and one for North Platte.
The North Platte team in the presentation of its arguments proved superior to their opponents, Major White appearing especially strong, but when it came to rebuttal they were not as strong as their opponents and this weakened their case. The team was highly complimented by the audience on the efforts made, and yesterday a letter was received from Kearney from a well-known educator bearing additional compliments on the splendid arguments they had made. Though failing to secure the decision, we have reason to feel proud of the showing made by the North Platte team.

The quarantine for small pox was lifted from the Cross home this week.

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Nurse baby yourself, if possible. But, if not, use the "Natural Nurser." It's the next best thing to natural nursing. The nipple resembles a mother's breast, has a large soft yielding surface. The baby feeds naturally. No collapsing, no choking. Sanitary bottle with wide, open top. Holds eight ounces; has graduating scale. Try one and note the improvement in baby's feeding.

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