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MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 31ST, 1915.

Memorial Day exercises this year at North Platte will be held during the morning hours of May 31st, at the cemetery; early in the morning the graves of soldiers in the South side cemetery will be decorated by a detail from the G. A. R. and S. A. W. V. organizations.

Promptly at 9:30 A. M. a column will form on Dewey street, with head opposite the Odd Fellows Hall, formation to be in the following order: First Bugler and Flag, Second Spanish American War Veterans; third, Fire Department; fourth, Women's Relief Corps; followed by G. A. R. in carriages; fifth, such Civic Societies as desire to participate; sixth, school children, who will be followed by citizens in autos and carriages.

Commencing at the east end of the cemetery, the graves will be decorated with flowers, after which, at the G. A. R. burial plot of the unknown dead, the several societies and citizens generally will rally around the flag, where appropriate memorial services will be conducted by the G. A. R., W. R. C., S. A. W. V. and other orders. Patriotic songs will be sung; Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech will be read, and a short address will be delivered by Comrade J. S. Hoagland.

As a patriotic and grateful people, let us one and all join in paying tributes to our nation's defenders, and give thanks to Almighty God for peace, prosperity, unity and freedom, we, as a nation are permitted to enjoy.

All patriotic and fraternal orders are especially invited to join in this observance of Memorial Day.

COMMITTEE.

Eighth Grade Graduation.

The eighth grade graduation exercises of the Lincoln schools will be held tomorrow afternoon at half past two at the Keith theatre.

Two hundred and eighty-seven pupils of the schools of the county have successfully passed this examination, eighty-six of whom are enrolled in the North Platte schools.

Many of the graduates from the outside schools are expected to be present at the exercises, as also many parents of the pupils. The program of exercises will be as follows:

- Chorus North Platte Eighth Grade Invocation Dean J. J. Bowker Recitation Eva Roberts District No. 36 Vocal Duet Pantomime Fred Reynolds, Burdick Harr, Dist. 115 Girls of Hershey Eighth Grade Girls' Chorus, Jefferson School. Recitation, Francis Eames, Maxwell. Piano Duet, Dulcie Swanout, Nina Marcott, Brady. Recitation, Ruth Greeley, District 63. Address, Supt. C. V. Williams, Curtis. Chorus, North Platte Eighth Grade. Presentation of Diplomas, Benediction, Rev. B. A. Cram.

Italy Invades Austria.

Offensive operations resulting in the occupation of Austrian territory all along the frontier from Lombardy to the Adriatic are claimed in an official statement issued by the war office. Italian troops have seized various towns in the Trentino and forced their way through mountain defiles. On the lower Isonzo attacks were continued to gain the line of the river. The Austrians are reported to have retired, destroying bridges behind them. Italian aviators bombarded Monfalcone, near the Gulf of Trieste.

Tornado in Greeley County.

Shortly after 8 Tuesday evening a tornado dropped down in the northeast corner of Greeley county, Nebraska. Mrs. Thomas Kelley was killed, and her husband, C. W. Haggarty, Mrs. C. W. Haggarty, and two children of the Haggarty family were seriously injured. Mr. Kelly perhaps fatally. According to reports a heavy rain had been falling over most of Greeley county during the afternoon. Just before 8 o'clock in the evening the rain clouds to the southwest appeared to grow heavier and immediately took on a greenish hue.



EUGENE V. DEBS.

Mr. Debs will positively lecture here June 2nd, 8 p. m. at the Keith theatre. He is no ordinary man. In ten thousand he would be conspicuous. The Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage paid him the following tribute: "Among all the speakers I have ever heard there has not been one who came nearer my idea of Abraham Lincoln than Eugene Debs."

James Whitcomb Riley, the world-famed "Hoosier Poet" said: "God was feeling mighty good when he created 'Gene Debs and he didn't have anything else to do."

Eugen Field, the poet said: "If Debs were a priest the world would listen to his eloquence and that gentle, musical voice and sad, sweet smile would soften the hardest heart."

To hear this wonderful man talk, means the rarest treat to all. Don't forget the date, Wednesday, June 2nd, 8 p. m. at the Keith theatre.

Union Pacific New Trains.

The Union Pacific will put six additional passenger trains into service, operating to and from Colorado and California, starting Sunday. The equipment to be used in the operation of these trains has meant the expenditure of \$2,000,000 for new equipment. This equipment consists of forty high speed, superheated engines of the Mikado and Pacific type, twenty-one dining coaches, thirty chair cars, ten coaches, eight observation cars, two parlor cars, twenty-six baggage cars and ten postal cars.

Of the six new trains, two will be operated between Chicago and Denver by way of the Northwestern. Two of the other new trains will operate between Denver and the coast, running in connection with the Burlington's trains from Chicago and St. Louis, carrying the equipment through from Denver. The other two trains will be operated between Kansas City and Denver, west of Denver, carrying equipment taken over from the Burlington.

Lester Langford's Leg Twice Broken.

Lester Langford, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Langford, suffered a compound fracture of his right leg on the school grounds shortly before noon Tuesday. He was at once conveyed home, a physician summoned who reduced the fractures and the young boy, though suffering much pain, is reported getting along satisfactorily. Lester and other boys were playing volley ball. At the same time several other boys were riding bicycles near by. The ball went out of bounds and in attempting to get it Lester was knocked down by one of the bicycle riders, while another rider closely following ran over his leg, causing two fractures between the ankle and knee.

Notice for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that the city council will receive bids for the construction of cement walks, approaches and sidewalks to be laid by the City for the fiscal year of 1915.

Bids must be based upon the specifications of the city engineer, which are on file in the office of the city clerk.

All bids must be in by 5:00 o'clock P. M. (Central Time) June 1st, 1915. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. F. TEMPLE, City Clerk.

Steamer Nebraska Torpedoed.

The American steamer Nebraska, Captain Green, from Liverpool May 24 for Delaware Breakwater, was torpedoed Tuesday by a submarine or hit by a mine at a point forty miles southwest of Fastnet, off the southwest coast of Ireland.

The sea was calm at the time and the crew at once took to the boats and stood by the steamer. It was soon ascertained that the Nebraska was not seriously damaged. It had been struck forward and its foreholds were full of water. The crew returned on board and got the vessel under way. No lives were lost among the crew. The Nebraska did not carry any passengers.

Mrs. James Kennedy will leave shortly for Willow Island to visit relatives for some time.



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Cyclone at Oshkosh.

A special to the Bee from Oshkosh, on the north river branch, dated Tuesday says: A tornado struck about three miles north of Oshkosh last night, killing one man, J. F. Blair, a carpenter who lived alone. The storm appeared first some miles northwest of town and destroyed several miles of fences and barns on the farm of H. Kaschke, William Elwood, Martin Madden and did other damage. It killed a cow for Madden and took a horn off each of two others. Everything on the Blair place was completely destroyed. Blair's dog woke up neighbors a mile away, who went over and found the buildings gone and no trace of Blair. More of the neighbors were called and after a search for some time they found the body lying in a pasture over half a mile east. Every bone in his body was broken and the body was horribly mangled. Hogs and pigs were found with splinters driven through their bodies, and feathers were taken over within thirty feet and the chimney driven into the ground. Blair was a widower about 65 years old and lived alone. He has an adopted daughter, Mrs. Maxwell living in Antelope. The storm came without warning at 10 o'clock and left in an instant. It seems to have disappeared three miles northeast of Oshkosh. Several farmers say hail or ice measuring eight by ten inches in size fell scattering. A hot wind followed the storm. It is impossible to estimate the damage at present.

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Relief Cry from Hershey.

Only on a few occasions in the past thirty-four years has this writer seen so much water standing in North Platte as he sees today. The ground being so full of water prior to yesterday's rain, very little of the latter has been absorbed by mother earth. Early yesterday forenoon The Tribune received a cry for relief from Jim Abbott, of Hershey. "We must create a drainage district to carry off this surplus water else we perish" yelled Jim through the telephone. "We want North Platte to join with us in creating this drainage district; it will help North Platte as well as Hershey and the section between the two towns."

Edward W. Gerkin and Mary E. Greenwood, both of Wellfleet, were united in marriage Wednesday by County Judge French. The groom is the son of Chas. Gerkin and the bride the daughter of John Greenwood. The ceremony thus uniting two of the oldest and best known families in the south part of the county.

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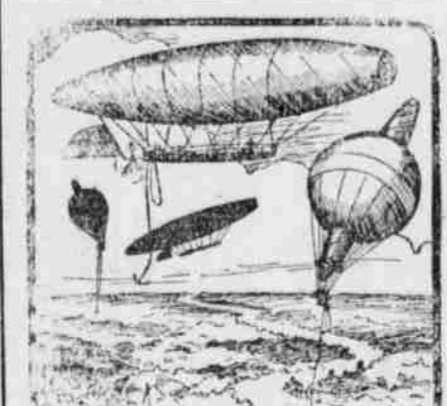
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Table with columns for property location and price per lot. Includes ORIGINAL TOWN, PENNISTON'S ADDITION, TAYLOR'S ADDITION, NORTH PLATTE TOWN LOT COMPANY'S ADDITION, MILLER'S ADDITION, HINMAN'S END ADDITION, BELLEVUE ADDITION.

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J. F. Schmalzried, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb. April 23, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Miss Ella McQuire, now Seese, of North Platte, Nebraska, who on February 8, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 05371, for 1/2 of Section 2, Township 2 North, Range 30 W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Nebraska, on the 21st day of June, 1915.

LEGAL NOTICE State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss To All persons interested in the Estate of Bridget A. Williamson, deceased: You are hereby notified that on the 5th day of May, 1915 Talmage White, administrator of the estate of Bridget A. Williamson, deceased, filed in said county and a petition for distribution will be heard upon the 1st day of June, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock at the County Court room in the city of North Platte in said County and you are hereby cited to appear at the time and place designated and show cause, if such exist why such account be not allowed.

Order of Hearing on Original Probate of Will. State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the County Court, May 24, 1915. In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Doebeke, Deceased.

Notice to Sell Real Estate Notice is hereby given that in an action pending in the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, in which E. H. Evans, Administrator of the estate of Patrick Ruddy, deceased, has applied for license to sell lands for the payment of the debts of said estate and which said license has been duly granted by said Court. That on Wednesday, June 2, 1915 at the hour of 2 P. M. said administrator will offer for sale at public sale at the east front door of the Court House in North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, to the highest bidder or bidders for cash the following described lands situate in the city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, to-wit: All of Block 1, consisting of lots 1 to 12 inclusive in the Ruddy Addition to said city of North Platte or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the indebtedness against the estate of said Patrick Ruddy deceased. Said sale to remain open for one hour.

Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator or Administratrix. State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the County Court. In the Matter of the Estate of Ann Jane Barracough, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Joshua Barracough and Edward Barracough praying that Administration of said Estate may be granted to Frederick Barracough as Administrator.

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