

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune

THIRTIETH YEAR.

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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Eldeen club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Artz.

The Mothers' club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Edmond Dickey.

The J. F. club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. W. B. Brown on east Sixth street.

Leslie Dick has taken a four week vacation which he will spend in cities of Idaho with friends.

David Sheedy and son Leo who spent ten days in Denver, returned home Saturday evening.

Will Schott will leave Thursday for Salt Lake, Ogden and Portland to spend his month's vacation.

Miss Helen Siebert and sister returned Sunday evening from a visit with relatives in Wheatland, Wyo.

Mrs. Neale Turpie, daughter and son left yesterday morning for Denver to visit friends for a week or longer.

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Mrs. Hugh Bird and daughters left Sunday evening for Burlington and Olewin to spend two weeks with relatives.

Mrs. William Yost and daughter Lydia returned Saturday evening from Grand Island where they visited for a week.

The Tillikum girls will give a poverty social at the home of Miss Alma Morrill on west Fourth street this evening.

Mrs. James Conner, of Omaha, arrived here Saturday evening to visit for a week with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schwaiger.

Miss Helen Hughes, of Gretna, came Saturday evening to be the guest of her aunt Mrs. Frank Doran for a couple of weeks.

W. H. Calhoun, of Los Angeles, who visited his nephew J. M. Calhoun here last week, went to Marshalltown, Ia., Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Predmeskey and daughters of Omaha, are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fleishman.

Miss Isabelle Doran, who has been attending a normal school in Boulder for several weeks is expected to return home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Scott, of Sutherland, came down Sunday to visit the former's brother, M. E. Scott, and attend Chautauqua this week.

Mrs. George Shindle of Cheyenne, formerly of this city, came a few days ago to visit with her mother, Mrs. Rose for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross and the latter's mother Mrs. Maggie McCance, left Saturday evening for Ogden, Salt Lake and other interesting western cities.

The Episcopal Sunday school will hold a picnic at the North river Thursday afternoon and the lunch will be served in the church basement in the evening.

Word was received in town the latter part of last week that the Burlington ice house at Bridgeport had been struck by lightning and was completely destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Scharman and family former North Platte people are visiting this week with local relatives and friends. They are now residents of Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Ulrick will move to the experimental farm this week where the former will have charge of the live stock. Mr. Ulrick has been employed with the Derryberry & Forbes Hardware Co. for some time and resigned Saturday.

Mr. Horner, of the Redpath Horner Chautauqua Co., spent Sunday here on business.

Mrs. Jane Lane, of Pittsburg, arrived a few days ago to visit her sister, Mrs. Margaret Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Polard, of Schuyler, arrived here a few days ago to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Guyman.

Miss Loretta Murphy left yesterday morning for an extended visit in Salt Lake and other western cities.

Complaints were filed vs. J. D. Cox, Charles McDonald and Maggie Pluttas yesterday for keeping open vaults.

Fingle Nelson, of Brady, returned home yesterday afternoon after visiting at the home of his uncle, Albert Abel.

Miss Ruth Streitz and her guest, Miss Murphy, of Lincoln, leave tonight for Estes Park, to be gone about two weeks.

Miss Minerva McWilliams left Sunday morning for southern Wisconsin where she will spend several weeks with her aunt.

Mrs. Roy Miner and niece Della Evelyn Wilson of Cheyenne, came down yesterday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Harry Murrin.

Miss Laura Murray spent the week end with friends in Maxwell and while there attended a large barn party given at the Ericsson ranch-Friday evening.

Mrs. McAlfresh, of Chicago, mother of Miss Marian Dentler who appeared here in "Peg of My Heart," spent Sunday as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crane, who made their home here a few years ago, came down from Oshkosh Saturday evening to visit friends, attend the ball game and the chautauqua.

The Philathea club of the Baptist church will entertain the Brotherhood club Thursday evening at a picnic supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Loudon, 1015 east Fourth street.

Plumber W. T. Green was fined \$5 and costs Saturday for violating an ordinance which states that all plumbing work shall be inspected at intervals while being worked upon. Mr. Green failed to comply with the instructions and a complaint was made against him.

The vicinity of the Platte Valley school house was visited Friday evening by a severe hail storm which damaged the crops in such a manner that the harvest of sugar beets which had been promising will now be almost a total failure. The corn stalks were torn to shreds and beaten into the ground. On the George Scharman place the damage was the greatest.

The members of the ladies' guild of the Church of Our Savior have for sale at a bargain genuine etchings and photographs, reproductions from copper plates of famous paintings. These pictures are educational and should be in every home. Remember, every order given will help a worthy cause. We ask the co-operation and patronage of the public. The ladies' guild will hold this sale in connection with a ten cent social at the Rectory, Thursday afternoon, August 19th.

"Stop Thief" will be the feature at the Keith theatre Thursday, August 12. This well known farce of Cohan and Harris with Harry Mestayer and Mary Ryan in the leading roles insures an entertaining evening. With two kleptomaniacs and a double wedding pending the lady of the household has her hands about full. Her dilemma tho' will bring smiles for you. This is a five part story, 10 and 15 cents. To those movie fans who are partial to Harry Meyers and Rosemary Theby there is a treat in store at the Crystal tonight in the three part feature, "The Prize Story."

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday not much change in temperature. Highest temperature yesterday \$4, a year ago \$3; lowest last night \$7, a year ago \$8.

Miss Bertha Thoelecke who had been ill at the home of her brother, O. H. Thoelecke recovered sufficiently to be able to leave for Omaha a few days where she will take treatments for rheumatism.

The Misses Delcie and Thelma Frater entertained a few friends at a porch picnic Sunday evening in honor of Misses Edna Rincker of Crawford and Josephine Murphy of Lincoln.

Mrs. Charles Houdy and son who were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bratt, returned last evening to Denver.

Mrs. Thomas Gass arrived here from Elm Creek several days ago to visit her sister, Mrs. Sebastian Schwaiger, for some time.

## BOOSTERS MAKE IT THREE OUT OF FOUR

The Bridgeport ball team lost the game for the championship Sunday afternoon on the local grounds when the Boosters won the third consecutive game from them. The game was the most sensational of the season and was witnessed by more than a thousand people. Luby and Holliday were batteries for the Boosters and Galgano and Gray for Bridgeport, umpire, Tiley. The home team made three scores in the third inning and one in the fourth, one of them being a home run by Holliday the others by Artley, Grimm and Bright. Two base hits were made by Gettman and Bockertwitz. In the fifth inning on account of a dispute over a decision on second base, John Harrington of Ogalalla was called upon to umpire bases and in the eighth inning a heated argument arose over a foul ball in right field which delayed game for some time. Bridgeport made a score in the fourth, sixth and eighth innings. Luby struck out three, Galgano seven and walked three. North Platte was marked with three errors and the visitors one. One of the features of the game was the foul catch among the automobiles by Gettman. Catcher Gray of Bridgeport was credited with a home run. Hits by North Platte were six and Bridgeport seven.

By a score of 6 to 3 the Bridgeport team won the game with the Boosters Monday afternoon. Artley and Holliday represented the home team, Maples and Gray for Bridgeport; umpires Duncan and Johnson. Eight hits were made by Bridgeport and four by North Platte. Artley struck out twelve and Maples struck out eleven. Errors by Bridgeport two, by Boosters four. A home run by Artley was a feature of the game, several innings of which were played in the rain. Games with the Scotts Bluff team are scheduled for Sunday and Monday, August 15th and 16th.

## LAND FOR SALE CHEAP

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## Obituary

Mrs. Nancy A. Beigel was born in Bowling Green, Kentucky in 1847, died in Los Angeles, Calif., Aug. 2d, 1915. Mrs. Beigel made her home in North Platte for 18 years previous to moving to California several years ago.

## FOR RENT

Houses and nice unfurnished rooms, storage space and safe deposit boxes. BRATT & GOODMAN.

Jay Park, son of W. L. Park of Chicago, a former North Platte boy who has been taking a course in agriculture at Cornell is expected the latter part of this week to visit the Streitz family. After graduation it is his intention to manage his father's fruit farm near this city.

The Royal Girls of the Methodist church were entertained by Myrtle Kenworthy at her home on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 7th. They spent most of the afternoon playing games after which refreshments were served. All reported having a very enjoyable time.

Work on the new rest rooms in the basement of the Building & Loan basement is being hurried in order that they may be ready for use Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Toole had as their guest this week the former's brother, who has returned to Kearney.

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## THE CHAUTAUQUA A BIG SUCCESS

The Chautauqua opened Thursday in this city with the largest attendance of any in previous years. The committee in charge of the season tickets have made good their contract to sell \$1,400 worth of tickets and the gate receipts have been much larger than anticipated. The talent is first class and every number has received most generous applause and highest praise.

Frank R. Beers, of David City, is in charge of the platform, Jack Elliott of University Place is foreman of the crew, Ray Watson of Marysville, Mo., cashier, and Agnes Higsbee, junior superintendent.

On the opening day a program of Irish music was rendered by the Killarneys with Rita Rich, Laura Wern and Marguerite Andrews and Adrian Newens the famous American monologist gave one of his best entertainments.

Friday the Schulz-Robbins Musical Artists were heard in an exceptionally fine recital in which Miss Enid Tillotson, a popular young singer of New York, also appeared. Ned Woodman humorist and poet, favored the audience with some of his most unique and lively work. The Riner Sisters on Saturday afternoon and evening rendered a new program of entertaining repartee and humor which excelled even their own number last season which was so highly complimented and created a desire for this return engagement.

Dr. E. T. Hagerman's sunny lecture held the undivided attention of all and his powers of drawing both large and small to him are wonderful. Sidney Landon in impersonations has few equals. His work is big, exciting and interesting.

Glenn Frank, a young orator in his early twenties, showed his exceptional ability in his address Sunday morning and Opie Reed the noted novelist, in a most happy manner, talked during the afternoon, charming his listeners by talking as he writes; bringing out the poetry, philosophy and humor of his popular books in every sentence. Sunday evening Wm. Jennings Bryan, ex-secretary of state delivered a powerful lecture on "Peace," dividing his lecture into three parts. The gate receipts on this occasion amounted to \$477.50 outside of the season tickets. Over sixteen hundred people attended this lecture, many of whom were obliged to stand during the entire program.

The celebrated Thavia band and European Grand Opera Singers yesterday were a rare treat for music lovers and rendered an excellent program. Every section was pleasing and demonstrated the undisputed ability of those taking part. This band played at the opening of the Panama exposition and after the chautauqua season will fill engagements at state fairs, later returning to San Francisco for a two months' stay.

The Musical American Girls one of the weeks' best attractions will give a concert this afternoon and evening and a brilliant lecture will follow by the famous blind statesman, Senator T. P. Gore.

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WANTED  
A competent girl for general housework. Apply 412 west Fourth St.

Mrs. Anna Redmond and son James are spending a week in Denver.

The Indian Card Club will meet with Mrs. Cabaugh Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trotter of Brady, are visiting friends and attending Chautauqua this week.

Dr. Kelmer, of Golden, who was a guest at the Turpie home for a fortnight, left a few days ago.

Henry Kahler, of the Wilcox department store has gone to Seward and Mefford to spend two weeks.

Miss Theo Schwaiger, who had been attending the Kearney Normal returned home a few days ago.

Father Maloney of Ogalalla is spending a few days in town this week and incidentally attending chautauqua.

Attorney George N. Gibbs has rented Room 6 in the Reynolds building and moved his office furniture there yesterday.

Miss Beulah Bordner, of Lincoln came this morning to visit her friend Miss Theo Schwaiger for a week or longer.

## STABBING AFFRAY RESULTS OVER SUIT FILED IN COURT

A special to the Bee from Grand Island says C. C. Williams, a Union Pacific engineer, is in the hospital, and William Bowman, who has maintained a gambling room in the Palmer hotel for the last few years, is under \$1500 bond for his appearance in court on account of a cutting scrape in the Palmer house lobby.

Williams declares the trouble grew out of an attempt of Bowman to blackmail him and Bowman declares that it grew out of a suit to recover money loaned and aspersions cast upon Bowman's private affairs, though admitting that when the suit was brought he made no appearance because it was to recover a gambling debt.

Mrs. Herbert Hurd, of Bridgeport, who came down to attend the ball game Sunday afternoon, was taken ill and fainted in the grandstand. Medical attention was given her and in a short time she revived sufficiently to be taken to her room at the hotel. Her husband, Mr. Hurd played right field for Bridgeport.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tiley left last evening for Des Moines, he having been promoted by the Head Castle of Yeomen to the office of general state manager and he goes to receive his instructions in the new duties.

The fire department was called out Saturday afternoon to the Dorran residence on west Fifth street where a gasoline stove had exploded. The flames were quickly extinguished and the damages were slight.

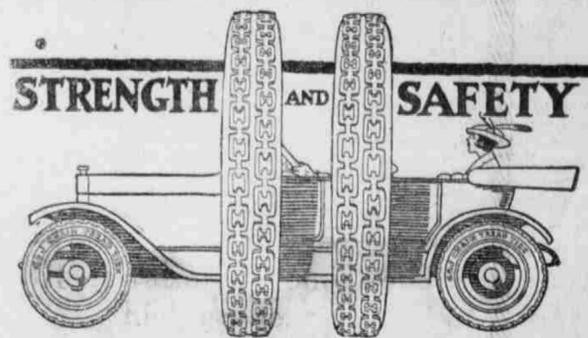
## Street Improvements

Under supervision of Street Commissioner Salisbury and City Engineer McNamara, a number of improvements have been made on the streets in the east part of town, in order that each street can take care of all drainage. This was done by digging the ditches deeper and putting in culverts on a grade line through the east part of town. Fourth and Fifth streets are now drained the entire length, and on Fourth a ditch has been cut from the old Duck Pond, east 2,000 feet to a slough which carries the water to the river. Sixth street to the east end of town will also be made to drain under directions of the street commissioner.

The city council has instructed the city engineer to establish a grade line throughout the city and in future all improvements on streets, sidewalks or ditches must be brought to this established grade. East Eighth street has been graded to take care of the water in that vicinity and west Ninth street has been opened into the Bellevue addition west of town. C street was graded during the past year and is now considered one of the best streets in the city. Work on B street, to have it in the same condition will begin this week.

FOR SALE CHEAP.  
Detroit Vapor Self-generating Gasoline Stove, practically new.  
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Supt. Will Jeffers spent Friday evening as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schatz while enroute to Omaha from an inspection trip as far west as Cheyenne in his private car.



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