

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

THIRTY-FIRST YEAR.

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No. 14

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Oliver Carroll, of the Howe & Maloney Co., was taken ill the first of the week with measles.

Mrs. H. L. Pennington has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Hilmer Thompson, in Chappell.

Twenty-five marriage licenses were issued at the county judge's office during the month of February.

Miss Hannah Keliher of Omaha, who has been the guest of local friends for a fortnight, expects to return home Wednesday evening.

Earl B. Huffner and Miss Caroline Anna Cooper, of Wellfleet, were married Wednesday afternoon by County Judge French.

Mr. and Mrs. James John, of Cambridge, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Yost this week, left Wednesday by auto.

Miss Carrie Aboe, of Mankato, Kan., who spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Andy Yost, returned home the first of this week.

Thomas Gilmarth, of Sterling, formerly of this city, will arrive here this evening, being summoned by the death of his uncle, the late J. B. Murphy.

Edward Brazleton, of Hastings, is spending a few days in town with friends. Mr. Brazleton is a brother of Frank Brazleton, formerly of this city.

An unusually pretty line of spring hats is being displayed at the Whitaker Parlors, and the ladies are requested to call and inspect them. 14-1

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Yost left a few days ago for Cambridge to visit with friends after which they will spend several weeks with relatives in Mankato, Kansas.

Miss Villa Whitaker, who had been purchasing her stock of spring millinery in eastern cities, was taken ill while enroute here and is delayed at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Schiller in Central City. Until her return the millinery parlors in the Wilcox store will be in charge of her assistant, Miss Flo Johnston and her mother, Mrs. Whitaker.

### ECONOMIC SHORT COURSE ATTENDED BY MANY

The Home Economics short course of the extension service of the State University secured by the Twentieth Century Club opened in the Masonic hall Tuesday forenoon and will close this evening with "Better Babies" films and an address at the Keith. Morning and evening sessions have been held each of the four days at the Masonic hall, and the attendance has averaged about 200 at each session.

The course is in charge of Miss Mary Rokahr and Miss Maude Wilson, the latter a teacher in the North Platte schools a number of years ago. The subjects treated covered about everything connected with the home—foods, and their preparations, garment cutting and fitting, kitchen equipment and labor-saving devices, the child welfare movement, and what Nebraska women are doing along the lines of better living.

This afternoon a reception will be given in honor of Mrs. Davison, who will make the address at the Keith this evening.

### Billiard Tournament Supper.

The supper donated to the Healey team in the lately completed Elks' billiard tournament was served in the dining hall last evening by Steward Smith and a half dozen assistants. Sauer kraut cooked with pig tails, baked pork and beans, roast pork, relishes and bread and coffee constituted the menu and was greatly relished by the eighty men who constituted the two teams.

The Zenda dancing club will hold the first of a series of dances next week.

Theodore Sandall Jr., has returned from Denver where he visited last week.

W. J. Tiley, who has been working in the eastern part of the state in the interests of the Yeomen, for some time, will return the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Smith will accompany the remains of the late John B. Murphy to Creston, Iowa, Sunday morning.

### Model Store in the Schools

A model store was installed in the fifth grade room of the Lincoln school this week. The shelving and counter was made by the janitor and the stock of goods was secured by Supt. Tout from an eastern publishing house which has interested itself in the installation of these model stores in a number of picked schools. Packages, cans, cartons, boxes and bottles, made up in dummies by manufacturers of standard goods are placed on the shelf and the store is opened. Sales are made, bills figured, invoices are made, change is computed and other operations of arithmetic are made real by actual business practice. One member of the Board after examining into the work of this innovation and inspecting it carefully declared that it is the most practical thing he has seen in schools. Miss Doran is working out the plan first but other rooms will be given a chance to have it later.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist, McDonald Bank Building.

In the South Omaha market yesterday the bulk of the hogs sold at \$8.55.

Miss Mand Ries, of the local teaching staff, is confined to the house with measles.

Dr. B. Gould, of Grand Island, arrived here Wednesday to accept a position with Barkaw Bros. Co.

W. P. Snyder left last evening for the eastern part of the state to spend several days on business.

Miss Belle Harper, of the Wilcox department store, is off duty this week on account of illness.

Attorney P. R. Halligan left last evening for Omaha to spend several days on business.

Palm Leo Cigar 10c. 14-1f

Mrs. Edward Barraclough is assisting as teacher in the local schools during the illness of one of the regular teachers.

Asa Summers, of Moore, and Miss Alberta Knight, of Tryon, will be married at Tryon today. Friends from town will attend.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Spanish War Veterans will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First National bank building.

Miss Charlotte Templeton, of the state library board, who visited Miss Annie Kramph, left this morning for western part of the state.

The leap year dance which was to have been held in the Masonic hall this evening by Misses Marie Marfin, Catherine Hall and Hazel Barber, has been postponed until after lent.

For Rent—6 room house east 3rd street. Inquire Herrod store. 14-1

The Ivanhoe dancing club will give a private masquerade dance at the Lloyd opera house Tuesday evening, March 7th, to which all Yeomen are invited.

Mrs. York Hinman informally entertained last evening complimentary to Miss Maude Wilson, one of the lecturers in the short course, and a former teacher in the high school.

Weather forecast furnished by the local office of the U. S. weather bureau: Fair tonight and Saturday, rising temperature; highest temperature yesterday 11, a year ago 31; lowest last night—5, a year ago 19.

Getman's Hand-Made Cigar. 5c. 14-1f

The McDonald State Bank has received a large supply of circulars telling of the best methods of testing corn for seed as recommended by the International Harvester Co. In view of the large amount of soft corn the past season, it is suggested by experts that all seed corn be tested. The circulars are to be had by calling at the bank.

J. I. Show purchased the southeast quarter of section 20-32-14 Monday. G. L. Mudd purchased the balance of the section. This is known as the old Paxton ranch and the deal was made in Omaha Monday. This is one of the best sections in the valley, lying as it does immediately tributary to Hershey town and is quite a valuable acquisition. Here's hoping the boys succeed.—Hershey Times.

### FOR RENT

The 2200 acre Mrs. Mable W. Turple Ranch, all bottom land, within four miles of North Platte. Consists of hay, alfalfa and cultivated land. All fenced and subdivided. Living water. A money maker in the hands of the right party. Address: BRATT & GOODMAN, Agts.

### MEMBERS OF THE 1916 GRADUATING CLASS

President, Harlido Burke; vice-president, Helen Alden; secretary, Alta Derryberry; treasurer, Jack Husband; advisor, Miss Bailey.

Class Roll—Helen Alden, Edward Bogue, Orval Brenneman, Harold Burke, William Calhoun, Vera Carter, Bertha Clothier, Cecil Cool, Helen Cross, Alta Derryberry, Roy Dial, Fern Douglass, Gertrude Faulner, Madge Flynn, Sybil Gantt, Helen Gleason, Effie Haddorf, John Hahler, Dorothy Hinman, Jack Husband, Lewis Kelly, Ruth Loan, John Lincoln, Mariann Lawson, Clarence McCabe, Beulah McGraw, Mancel Overman, Earling Qualley, Orley Reneau-Hazel Smith, George Thompson, Sherwood Woodhurst, John Weinberger, Kenneth Weinberger, Lela Scott.

Figures compiled in the superintendent's office today show that Helen Alden has the best record in the Senior Class and she will be the valedictorian of the class at the graduation exercises. Only those members of the class who have earned all their credits in the North Platte High School are eligible to this honor. Orval Brenneman who took the last two years of his course in North Platte has a very fine record also.

### Death of John B. Murphy.

The sudden death of John B. Murphy on Thursday morning was a shock to the entire community.

Death came without warning, as he left his home in the best of health and cheerful spirits, shortly after seven o'clock, to begin his duties for the day in the Union Pacific round house where he had been employed for several years as a machinist. While on his way to work he met and conversed with several friends and had just entered the building when the summons came, and he fell unconscious before he had changed his street suit to his working clothes, or placed his lunch box in the cupboard. His fellow-workmen quickly rendered their assistance, but the spirit had taken its flight and he was removed to his home on east Third street.

Mr. Murphy was an ideal husband and father, an upright, honorable citizen, and a faithful member of the Catholic church and Knights of Columbus. Of a quiet, retiring disposition, he was a valuable employe and made many friends. Of him nothing but what is good could be said. The remains will be taken to Creston, Ia., Sunday morning and the funeral held the following day.

John Bernard Murphy was born in Carbondale, Pa., June 30th, 1851, and resided there for a number of years, later locating in Aurora, Ill., and thirty-five years ago became a resident of the city. In October, 1886, he was married to Miss Panay Kennally, of Creston, Iowa, who survives him. To this union were born three children, Miss Loretta, of this city, and twin boys who died in infancy. Other relatives are his brothers Joseph L. Murphy, of this city, Frank Murphy, of Arlington, Washington, and sister, Mrs. H. I. Smith who resides here.

### Presbyterian Church

11 a. m., children's service. Music by Red Cross chor and children's sermon.

7:30 p. m., good music; pastor's theme "Damaged Goods;" some lesson thoughts suggested by this motion picture.

Mrs. John Beal and Mrs. Alfred Willhite, of Doniphan, arrived here yesterday to make their home. Messrs. Beal and Willhite recently purchased the McMichael barber shop.

### Bungalow for Sale

6 Rooms, 3 blocks from court house. As I have decided to move on a tract of land adjoining the city, I am placing on sale my new home on south Vine street. This is a six room house, the living room being 26 feet by 13 feet. Large brick fire place in end of living room. Double doors, the top being maple throughout the house, both upstairs and down. Half basement, divided with cement block partitions for cellar and coal bins. Finished in birch wood down stairs and white enamel upstairs. Full equipped bath room up stairs, and closets in each bed room. Toilet and lavatory on first floor. The lot is a southeast corner lot with sidewalk on both sides. Curbing in front. Yard well filled and a good stand of grass. Good size barn which can be used for two cars, or car and other purposes. Price \$4,000.00 on good terms. Inquire of C. F. TEMPLE, Owner.

### Announcement

Mrs. Ora Sailor wishes to announce that she is not out of the millinery business this season, but has just returned from the spring markets and is preparing to show a more complete and up-to-date line of hats than ever before, and invites the ladies to call and look over the stock before buying. At Block's.

F. F. Watts, of Grand Island, came last evening to spend a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hassett left Wednesday evening for Kansas City where they will make their home.

Mrs. Edler, of Cedar Rapids, arrived here a few days ago to visit Mrs. Herman Soderman and Mrs. Fred Westendorf.

Mrs. W. H. Blalock returned yesterday morning from Rochester, Minn., where she visited her sister for several weeks at the hospital.

Dr. W. T. Pritchard, state stallion inspector of North Platte, was in Gothenburg Monday inspecting a carload of stallions imported by H. W. Truman from the Pioneer Stock Farm, Bushnell, Ill.—Gothenburg Independent.

The Tribune was wrongly informed as to the date upon which nomination filings for county offices could be made. The last day is March 15th, thirty days in advance of the primary election.

C. H. Emple reports the burglary of his store room Monday night. Several pairs of shoes, some canned goods and other articles were carried away by the intruders, who gained admission by opening a door. Sutherland Free Lance.

### Trees, Shrubbery and Bulbs.

I represent the Fairbury nursery, of Fairbury, Neb., and for the next five weeks will sell all kinds of choice nursery stock, shrubbery, bulbs, etc., at very reasonable prices. Also will soon have eggs for setting from White Wyandotts, R. I. Reds and Indian Runner Ducks.

Have Grabb's Shoe Cleaner in stock at \$1.00. R. M. McFARLAND, Phone Red 732. Residence 2003 east Fourth street. 14-2

### LADIES ARE ENTERTAINED BY EPISCOPAL CHURCHMEN

The Episcopal church basement was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering Wednesday evening when the men of the church entertained the ladies of the church at a supper. Fully one hundred ladies were present and served with a splendid supper prepared by Mrs. James Hart and served by thirty-five men. During and after the supper selections were rendered by a four-piece orchestra and a number of stunts were pulled off by some of the comedians who assisted in the serving—in fact the ladies were kept well amused every minute from seven to half past nine. The throwing of ribbon streamers, the blare of horns—one of which was placed at each plate—the frolicsome play with toy balloons and selections by a company of male singers furnished the after-supper amusement, and the crowd was about as jolly as possible. The ladies unanimously requested the men to make the supper an annual affair.

Such gatherings as these—the mingling of the people of the parish; the "rubbing of shoulders" and the hearty greetings—is certain to awaken interest in church affairs and arouse enthusiasm among the workers—an exemplification of the "get-together" spirit and the influence for good which comes from "mixing." The committee in charge received many compliments for the success of the evening.

### Drama Sermon at the Baptist Church.

Sunday night another drama sermon will be given at the Baptist church. This sermon will be the heaviest of its kind which the pastor has undertaken. It requires nine characters for the drama. This sermon will be historical and will relate in drama form the persecution which the Christian church underwent during the reign of Nero, A. D. 64. The sermon will be given in the four following scenes: I, A morning in the court of Nero; II, The despair of the church; III, the decree, "Worship the Cult of the Emperor;" IV, Martyrdom and Victory. A great lesson in church history will be taught by this sermon. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited to hear this address.

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U. S. Farmers' Bulletin No. 438 says, "The piggery must have (1) direct sunshine on floor of every pen at farrowing time, (2) fresh air, (3) warmth, (4) freedom from drafts, (5) dryness, and (6) enough space for exercise."

### Building Hog Houses Right

makes hog raising more profitable. The notion that anything is good enough for hogs, is out of date. There is no animal on the farm which requires better protection from the cold—nor for which a good bed is more necessary.

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before it becomes worse and bring us the prescription. If it is light or if you wish to prevent it altogether, come to us in full confidence; Our stock contains tested preparations for external and internal use.  
In view of the bad weather we have laid in a stock of Chamols Vests and various Sundries that may come in handy very soon. Better look them over NOW!

**J. H. STONE**  
DRUGGIST



**'Damaged Goods'** Some thoughts suggested by this photo play.  
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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SUNDAY, MARCH 5th.**

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