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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

John Tighe will leave Sunday for Lexington to visit his daughter.

Clyde Trotter and O. M. Steele spent Wednesday in Stapleton on business.

Mrs. George M. Smith left a few days ago for Grand Island to visit her daughter.

All Regular Meals at the Owl Cafe after April the 16th 30 cents. Meal tickets cash \$4.50.

Mrs. Frank Doran who is taking treatments in an Omaha hospital, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. W. H. LeDoyt and daughters, Marie and Adele, have returned from a visit with Grand Island friends.

Mrs. John Tighe returned Wednesday evening from Lexington where she visited relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Kelly, of Cleveland, visited Dr. and Mrs. Morrill while en route to western points this week.

The Literature department of the Twentieth Century club will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelly are enjoying a visit from the latter's mother who arrived here from Lincoln a few days ago.

Charles Martini, Jr., who had been employed in Omaha for several years returned here this week and will accept a position as electrician for the Union Pacific Co.

Electric gramofones \$42.50 and up. No more winding if you choose.

Dixon, The Jeweler.

City Property to Trade for Farm Land. Address postoffice box 617. If Clay Robbins, of Wallace, was in town Tuesday, bringing over his son who will take treatment of Dr. Lathan for strained ligaments in one of his legs. The injuries were result of a fall sustained some time ago, and are so serious as to demand crutches to aid in walking.

J. J. Halligan, who went to Washington, D. C., to assist the attorney general in arguing the water right cases before the United States supreme court, returned Wednesday. Mrs. Halligan, who accompanied him on the trip stopped over in Omaha to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Redmond left yesterday morning for Omaha to spend the remainder of this week.

Mrs. Joseph Donegan and daughter Florence left Wednesday evening for Omaha to spend a few days.

Editor Kruger and Mrs. Kruger of Kearney, are expected here Sunday to be the guests of Dr. Marie Ames for a few days.

Judge French in probate court Thursday appointed Alma B. Sims administrator for the Leslie Howard Sims estate.

Remnants of plain colors and fancy silks on sale at greatly reduced prices April 17th and 18th, Monday and Tuesday. THE HUB.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baskins, of Linden, Pa., formerly residents here, are expected today to visit relatives for some time.

Mrs. Harris, of Lincoln, who has been the guest of her daughter Mrs. J. B. Redfield went to Sutherland yesterday for a short visit.

For Farm Loans see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Walmath building, North Platte. 411f

Attorney and Mrs. W. V. Hoagland are expected to return tomorrow from Washington where the former assisted in arguing a case before the supreme court.

Persons desiring their pianos tuned should have the work done this month as I expect to be out of the city the greater part of next month. WYLIE WALKER, PIANO TUNER.

M. C. Harrington, of Denver, Colo., was a caller in the city the middle of the week. Mr. Harrington was formerly in the grocery business in North Platte and his many friends were pleased to meet him. He is now one of the bankers of the Colorado capital city and also interested in a commission business.

LAST TRIBUTE PAID TO MAJOR LESTER WALKER

In an imposing, yet truly sincere manner, North Platte paid its final tribute to Major Lester Walker Wednesday afternoon when the funeral service of that well known, loved and respected soldier, pioneer and good citizen was held. As befitting the career and record of the man, the funeral was largely military in its aspect. Included in the cortege were the high school cadets, the Spanish War Veterans and the Grand Army Republic. On the court house and G. A. R. flagstaffs the national colors were at half mast, as were also the lodge colors on the Elk's building. While the body lay in state at the family residence a detachment of the Spanish War Veterans stood guard.

At 1:30 the Elks of which Major Walker was a member, proceeded in a body to the residence where the funeral ritual of the order was read and two selections rendered by the Elks' quartette. The cortege then moved to the Episcopal church, the honorary pall bearers leading, the Elks, the Spanish War Veterans and the active pall bearers walking by the sides of the funeral car. The honorary pallbearers were T. C. Patterson, W. T. Wilcox, Chas. McDonald, A. W. Shilling, Saml. Goozee, M. H. Douglas, W. W. Birge, John Bratt, Julius Pizer, J. E. Evans, Judge Hoagland and E. F. Seeberger, and the active pall bearers John Frazier, O. E. Elder, Dr. Dent, Harry Dixon, C. S. Clinton and Ira L. Bare. As the church was reached, the members of the G. A. R. who had assembled, parted ranks as the casket was carried up the approach.

The auditorium and chapel was filled to the seating capacity and many could not gain admission. Standing before the casket, burdened with its beautiful flowers and banked on either side by a wealth of roses, Dean Bowker read the funeral service, and the address was delivered by Bishop Beecher, who touched more on the home life of Major Walker rather than his military record and achievements. In addition to the regular choir music, a solo was rendered by Mrs. Mabel Hatch and a quartette by Messrs. Turpie, Clinton, Munger and Birge. As the casket left the church it was carried through the parted ranks of the two companies of high school cadets, and in the procession to the cemetery the cadets led, followed by the Sons of Veterans and the G. A. R. At the grave Officers Evans and Hoagland of the Grand Army read the beautiful and impressive ritual of the order and tears dimmed many eyes in the great gathering as the casket was lowered to its final resting place.

Final taps were sounded by Earl Stamp, and the last rites a loving people could bestow were completed.

Lester Walker was born in Sandusky, Ohio, September 3d, 1836. On May 8th, 1861 he was appointed second lieutenant in the Second U. S. Cavalry, then garrisoned in the treasury building at Washington. In July of the same year his company was ordered to the front and participated in the first battle of Bull Run. After this battle the regiment was stationed at Camp Clifton, Washington, D. C. until the early spring of 1862, when it became part of General McClellan's command in the peninsula campaign. In the meantime Major Walker had been appointed first lieutenant of Co. C, Fifth Cavalry, and took part in the second battle of Bull Run and battles of Fair Oaks, Manassas Hill, Antietam. During the winter of 1862 he was detached from the Fifth Cavalry to serve on the staff of General Pleasanton as chief commissary of musters and chief of ordinance. At the battle of Gettysburg he was ordered by General Pleasanton to report to General Meade for duty on Meade's staff during that engagement, and so far as could be ascertained was, prior to his death, the only living member of Meade's staff. When General Sheridan relieved General Pleasanton of the command of the cavalry corps Major Walker was retained on Sheridan's staff as chief of commissary and chief of ordinance. He remained with General Sheridan until the James river was reached, when he was sent to Washington suffering from an attack of pneumonia, and was unable to join his command until after the close of the war. In December, 1865, he was ordered to Charleston S. C., with four companies of his regiment, and the following year was placed in command of the post at Alken, S. C. This post embraced five state districts. He was also at the head of the Freedmen's bureau in these district and had charge of registrations and elections.

When South Carolina was readmitted as a state, Major Walker was ordered west with his troops to fight Indians and again in General Sheridan's command. The winter of 1868-69 was spent campaigning in Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas.

A TRIBUTE.

Final taps have been sounded for another old soldier, pioneer resident, honorable citizen and christian man, for these were embodied in the life and character of Major Lester Walker. His eighty years of life were years well spent in defending the nation's honor in its dark days of peril, in blazing the trail for the development of the west, and when these had been accomplished, in setting before us all a standard for right living. Having fought beneath the colors, he was patriotic; having command of campaigns against the Indians, he was courageous; living in the days when the trans-Missouri country was uncouth and rough in its mannerisms he never lost his courteousness, gentlemanly bearing nor his christian character. No man of our acquaintance more nearly fulfilled that splendid spirit of doing unto others as you would have others do unto you. To him his home was sacred; to his wife and children he bestowed the wealth of an affectionate nature, to make them happy was his desire unmindful of himself. In positions of trust to which he was elected by the people of the city and county he proved the soul of honesty and integ-

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which Chief Toll Bull was killed, as were also many other braves. During the year 1870 he was stationed in North Platte, commanding the post with his company of cavalry and a company of the Ninth Infantry and doing scouting duty to protect settlers and the Union Pacific railroad. December, 30, 1870, he tendered his resignation after nearly ten years of service. He had two brevets for gallantry—brevet captain and brevet major—and was recommended for brevet lieutenant-colonel for gallantry at Summit Springs.

While in the service Major Walker became interested in the cattle business and had a ranch on the north bank of the North Platte river about six miles west of town, and after resigning moved the ranch back to the foothills. This property he retained until about a year ago.

Major Walker was a member of North Platte's first school board, he served as a member of the board of county commissioners, and also served as mayor of the city.

He was married at Alken, S. C., Feb. 14th, 1867, to Georgia Warren, who survives him, as do also the two children, Miss May Walker of this city and Lester W. Walker, now a resident of Omaha.

rity. He had the utmost respect of every man, woman and child who knew him—he was everybody's friend.

As one of those who knew Major Walker for a third of a century or more, we mourn the going away of a true friend; the loss of the smile that cheered, the shake of the hand that had the warmth of true friendship.

Farewell.

Cupid has not altogether deserted the cause in North Platte and on Wednesday County Judge French united in marriage John Edwin Gustafson, 39, and Miss Effie Oyvie Stenman, 29, both of Wild Horse Valley, and Leo Fountain, 26, and Marie Mothouser, 35, giving their residence as North Platte.

Notice For Bids.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for the collecting, hauling and disposing of garbage in the city of North Platte, Nebraska, from May 1, 1916, to November 1, 1916, as provided by ordinance passed and approved September 7, 1915.

Bidders to furnish all equipment for the hauling and disposing of garbage and to collect it from the garbage cans or other receptacles as provided by the property owners not less than once a week.

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O. E. ELDER, City Clerk.



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