

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## W. T. WILCOX'S TRIBUTE TO CANDIDATE J. L. KENNEDY

W. T. Wilcox, of this city pays this tribute to John L. Kennedy, republican candidate for United States senator:

"I want to say a word for John L. Kennedy, who without much doubt will be the next senator from Nebraska. Few people in this state have known Mr. Kennedy longer than I. I have known him rather intimately since the fall of 1881. At that time he was a young man attending law school; like most of the members of the class he was without any of this world's goods, but he was endowed with ability, honesty and industry. He was popular with all the boys, and the acknowledged leader of our class.

Mr. Kennedy was not born with a silver spoon in his mouth. He was not then and he is not now an aristocrat. What he has obtained is by reason of those qualities which he knew he possessed thirty-five years ago.

His success should be an inspiration to every young man who has to make his own way in the world.

He is an ideal candidate for the office of United States senator."

W. T. WILCOX.

### Gravel Comes Slowly.

Concrete work on the streets was resumed this morning and will continue until the supply of gravel is again exhausted. Getting gravel is now the problem. The Lincoln Construction Co., which had been operating a pump on the south bank of the river, threw up its hands a few days ago and quit the job, having lost money on the gravel pumped. This leaves the Scott pump as the source of supply and it is pumping about forty yards a day. It requires about 160 yards of gravel to concrete a block, and this means that the limited gravel supply will result in slow progress. Contractor Stack investigated a gravel bed several miles west of the city, and while the quality was satisfactory he could not make a deal with the owner.

### Foot Ball Game

Next Friday afternoon at the east end athletic field the North Platte football team will try conclusions with the Kearney team. It promises to be a real pig skin battle, for the visitors peevish over their defeat at Grand Island last week will make a mighty effort to redeem on the North Platte field. Can they do it? Well, let's go down to the park and see.

### Lecture on Siberian Dungeon

Lieut. M. Swartzkopensky, formerly officer and body guard of the czar of Russia, will lecture at the senior high school auditorium next Friday evening, using as his subject "My Life and Escape from a Siberian Dungeon." The lecture is given under the auspices of the high school cadets and the net receipts will go toward the expenses of the cadet encampment next May.

### Notice

Please return all milk bottles to the Ideal Bakery today, or at your earliest convenience.

John Woolsey, of Vancouver, is spending the day with his father-in-law, P. J. Gilman, and family, while enroute home from the eastern part of the state.

The Mystic Legion will hold a Halloween party at the K. P. hall this evening.

A baby boy was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shrivvers.

### TO THE INVESTOR

Some choice first mortgage seven per cent real estate loans.

BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

### Halligan Home Before January 1st.

Camp Llano Grande, Texas, October 28, 1916.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

Please announce in The Tribune that I will be home before January 1st, 1917, and that if elected County Attorney of Lincoln County I will positively be on hand to assume the duties of that office January 1st, 1917.

Respectfully,

P. R. HALLIGAN

The J. F. F. club entertained their husbands at a Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shilling last evening. Decorations were suggestive of the season and artistically arranged. Progressive high five was played and prizes awarded to Mesdames Glenn Mann and E. M. Johnston and Messrs. I. E. Stebbins and Glen Mann. Mesdames Wood White and V. Oral Hodges assisted the hostess in serving.

The Tillikum Girls club held an enjoyable and unique Halloween party in the basement of the Episcopal church last evening. Thirty-five members attended in sheet and pillow case costumes and spent the evening in music, games and Halloween tricks. The decorations consisted of chrysanthemums, apples, pop corn, black cats and pumpkins.

"God never made a cleaner, better, or more patriotic citizen than Gilbert M. Hitchcock. The administration owes a debt of gratitude to Senator Hitchcock for the part he took in perfecting the banking and currency act."—Vice President Marshall. (Adv.)

Messrs. Carl Davis and Crete Kronquest left last evening for Detroit, Mich., to take a course in an automobile school.

Misses Vera and Maude Warrinton spent Sunday with their mother in Cozad.

See our 1916-17 line of engraved Christmas cards. Now is the time to order them. DIXON, the Jeweler.

Arthur McNamara, of Oakland, Cal., who has been visiting the Clinton family for a week, will leave Thursday.

Miss Helen Scharman has returned from Omaha where she visited relatives last week.

### FOR RENT

Houses, hay and other lands, unfurnished rooms, storage room and safe deposit boxes.

BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.



## Many New Coats Have Just Arrived

That indefinable something called "style"—which only the hands of genius can instill is delightfully evident in the new coats which have just been added to our collection. Beautiful fabrics were never more artistically wrought, rich colors were never more attractively used, and to many the soft touch of fur at collar, cuffs and hem add indescribable charm.

### Wilcox Department Store.

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Miss Florence Wedge, of Cozad, visited with Mrs. James Kennedy this week.

Mrs. E. F. Seeberger returned last night from a ten-day visit with friends in Omaha.

Miss Elsie Coates, of Sutherland, visited her uncle Elmer Coates and family this week.

Miss Florence Cooney, of Ogden, visited Mrs. Elmer Baker last evening while enroute home from Chicago.

The Man from Guatemala will lecture at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. instead of Thursday.

Room and board in private home, close in, phone Red 117. 5014

W. V. Hoagland left Saturday night for the east part of the state where he will spend the week making political speeches at a number of towns.

For Rent After the 20th—A cozy home consisting of 7 rooms. Modern

Flour in the local market advanced yesterday to \$2.50 per sack and potatoes to \$1.40 per bushel. Certainly the producer is having his inning these days but the Lord pity the consumer.

Now is the time to order your engraved Christmas cards. DIXON, the Jeweler.

Chapter A. K. of P. E. O. sisterhood will meet Wednesday, Nov. 1st, at the home of Mrs. G. T. Field. Italian Opera will be the subject of the afternoon.

Repairs are rarely rendered necessary for Dodge Brothers' Motor Cars except by accident or abuse.

J. V. ROMIGH, Dealer.

Chris Johnson, living north of town, was brought to the home of his son in the Fourth ward Sunday suffering from a paralytic stroke. His condition is pronounced serious.

The ladies' aid society of the Methodist church meet next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Dean, 303 east Third street. Hostesses are Mesdames Cram, Starr, McComber and Young. A good attendance is desired.

All sizes glass for those storm windows at the Nyal Drug store.

Prospective land buyers are now invading Lincoln county, a half dozen or more arriving Saturday night and making excursions into the country Sunday. One real estate dealer says he has sold more land the past sixty days than he did in the three previous years.

SOFT water shampoo, electric scalp treatments, massage and latest hair dress. Coates' Beauty Parlors, 505 1/2 Dewey. Phone Red 655. 81-4

Congressman Jacob Meeker, of Missouri, formerly a Congregational minister, addressed a small crowd at the Lloyd opera house Saturday evening from the standpoint of an anti-prohibitionist. He predicted that conditions in Nebraska, under prohibition would be worse than under high license.

For quick action and satisfactory sale list your land with Thoe's. 11

We heard of a farmer yesterday who in the summer of 1915 offered 160 acres of land for \$4,000. The prospective purchaser failed to buy the land and the farmer sowed the full 160 acres to wheat. He finished marketing the wheat a few days ago and found that the value of the crop was greater than he asked for the land. However, occurrences of this kind are quite frequent in Western Nebraska.

Wanted—Man and wife for farm work. T. E. Doolittle, Phone 782FO22.

Dr. B. B. Baker returned yesterday from a trip to Old Mexico. The Doctor traveled 250 miles south of the United States border and found the country one of desolation. He found that the more intelligent residents favored the United States stepping in and establishing a stable government, which they regard impossible without assistance from this country. The Doctor made the trip in order to investigate property in which he is interested.

### RAILROAD NOTES

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones yesterday, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Morrow will leave Saturday for Wyoming by auto.

Mrs. W. C. McDermott returned last evening from Grand Island where she spent a week.

D. L. Murray, of Evanston, arrived here Sunday to take a position as agent for the Pacific Fruit Express Company.

Mrs. C. S. Clinton will leave Thursday morning for Oakland, Cal., to spend several weeks with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chapman, who came here several weeks ago from Aurora, Neb., have decided to remain and the former has accepted a position in the Union Pacific round house.

In order to keep our record same as of old we are closing out suits at a real discount of 20 per cent.

E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shepherd, formerly of this city, who have been in the grocery business in Omaha for several months past write that their store was burglarized last week. The door was broken open, cash register broken and contents taken with the exception of a diamond ring that was in one of the drawers.

Money to loan on real estate. No delay if clear abstract. Can loan for term of years or out of our building and loan association, pay back like rent and own your home.

BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

### The Rexall Bulletin.

The first bulletin of the straw vote being taken by the 8,000 Rexall stores in the United States was posted at the local Rexall store yesterday forenoon. On this first bulletin the vote is somewhat light in the states reporting, while a number of states had not yet reported. In the northern states Hughes leads, while the southern states are pretty near solid for Wilson.

Make your walls cozy and homelike now. You will enjoy the stormy days better and use H. & M. flat wall finish to get best results. Nyal Drug Store, exclusive agents. 79-11

Mrs. Charles Ogle, of Keystons, who had been visiting her daughter Mrs. Luther Tucker, for a week returned home Saturday morning.

Jack Beal went to Ogalala last week to visit Mrs. Beal who is assisting in the county clerk's office there.



**H**AND the porter a Stetson and you hand him an unwritten order for all the attention he can command.

There is something to appearances, isn't there?—and the most striking point of a good appearance is a fine hat!

The Stetsons for Fall and Winter are ready for you at our shop—finer in quality than even the famous Stetsons of former seasons—and the style that only a fine hat can inherit. There's a fine range of models in this superb line—in fact, hats for every kind of man and for every one of his needs.

**Harcourt Clothing Company**

## Wear a Printzess Suit This Fall

### Special Sale on Suits Beginning Saturday



If you've never been the proud owner of a Printzess Suit, please visit our ready-to-wear section and permit us to explain their many superior style points.

Every Printzess garment is tailored with skill and examined with such care that we, as well as the maker, guarantee them for two full seasons' wear.

We would like to have you come and put them to the test of a personal try on. Remember this is a real opportunity to own a Printzess Suit at a real reduction of a

**Printzess 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT**

**Come While the Selection is Good**

## E. T. TRAMP & SONS.