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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Mrs. W. V. Hoagland visited friends in Kearney Wednesday.

For Sale—Dining table and baby bed. Phone 283.

Mrs. B. A. Cram left Wednesday for a visit with friends at Polk, Neb.

For Farm Loans see Gene Crook, Room 4 Keith Theatre building.

Mrs. E. S. Davis, son and niece, were guests of friends in Sutherland Wednesday.

For Sale—Oakland Sensible Six touring car, Model 32. Enquire at 521 west 10th street, 23-5*

Chas. Bogue returned home yesterday from a business trip to Omaha and other eastern points.

For Sale—Twenty dollars will buy a good second hand lister. Inquire of J. I. Smith, 203 West Second.

County Surveyor Meyers left yesterday for Maywood and Moorefield to look over roads in that section of the county.

A special county teacher's examination will be held Saturday April 20th at the usual places. AILEEN GANTT, County Supt.

Wm. Hollenbeck, a veteran engineer on the First district well known in North Platte railroad circles, died at his home in Omaha Monday night.

Prices for weaving carpet 37 cents a yd., rugs 60 cents a yd. and up. Carpet rags furnished 50 cents a yd. rugs \$1.25. Mrs. Frank Wilson, 501 E. 6th.

The work of tearing down the Lutheran church began Wednesday. This building was erected in 1886 and at that time was by far the best church building in town.

Wanted—Girl for general housework good wages. Mrs. J. S. Simms, Phone 38.

The "Oh Boy" theatrical company making a jump from Minneapolis to San Francisco, passed through in a seven-car special at eight o'clock yesterday morning.

You will find all the new things in Foulards, Gingham patterns, Silks printed and plain, Georgette Crepes as well as a full line of staple silks at WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

Some of the piling and steel for the concrete bridge across the river south of town is on the ground and it is expected that Contractor Gass will soon begin construction work.

Wanted—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. W. J. O'Connor 710 W. 5th. Phone Black 193.

Mrs. R. L. North will leave the latter part of this month for Warrensburg, Mo., where she will accept a position as supervisor in a state normal school, which she held prior to her marriage a year or so ago. Mr. North will go later.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOYS WHO LEAVE THIS MONTH.

The exemption board announces the names of the following twenty-one Lincoln county boys who will leave for Camp Funston within five days from April 26th:

Frank Barnes, North Platte.
Guy James, Sutherland.
Arthur Hunt, North Platte.
Harry A. Dill, now in Omaha.
Rudolph Benzel, now at Twin Falls, Idaho.
Dwain Smith, North Platte.
Otto Johnson, Sutherland.
Ray Eberly, North Platte.
Roy Roten, North Platte.
George Frater, Hershey.
Wm. Siesold, North Platte.
Antone Lewis, North Platte.
George Razes, North Platte.
Omar Roten, North Platte.
Frank Bechan, North Platte.
Arthur Nelson, Sutherland.
Lewis Bechan, North Platte.
John Cook, Sutherland.
Arthur Conn, now in Cincinnati.
Saml. A. Johnson, Stapleton.
Harry D. Carlson, Brady.

The North Platte Band.

Editor of The Tribune:
For nearly a year past, ever since the war was declared, the North Platte Band have been rendering their services to this community in all sorts of patriotic work freely and without price.

It is hardly fair to expect them to continue doing so without some substantial recognition. As these services have been rendered to the whole community, the recognition should come from the community as a whole, and I know of no fairer or better way for it to come than to have the City Council make an appropriation of \$500.00 to pay for concerts during the summer.

With a little money in their treasury the band will be able to get a supply of music and keep up their practice and organization so as to be ready when called upon for community and patriotic service.

T. C. PATTERSON.

A Patriotic Precinct.

There are some precincts in Lincoln county where the people are so patriotic they desire special mention. One of these precincts is Sellers, south of town. In the Red Cross campaign the precinct went over the top, in the purchase of war savings stamps it again went over, and in the Third Liberty loan campaign which the precinct committee closed Wednesday evening for a third time it went over. The quota for Lincoln county in the third bond issue is \$306,000, or an average of \$77 for each voter. In Sellers precinct there are forty-six voters, and the subscriptions received from that precinct totaled \$5,400 or an average of \$139 for each voter—only a little less than double the quota. The people of Sellers are just the average farmers and stockmen you find in any precinct, but they put patriotism ahead of their dollars—they are willing to sacrifice if need be for their country's welfare.

More Work for Boy Scouts.

The American Protective League has asked that the local Boy Scouts of America act as solicitors for the obtaining of information and material for the use of the War Department in Europe on the following lines:

Material for immediate use for intelligence purposes such as photographs, drawings and descriptions of bridges, buildings, towns and localities now occupied by the German forces in France, Belgium and Luxembourg, and likewise in that portion of Germany lying west of the line running north and south through Hamburg. Any persons having post cards and photographs, which they have collected while upon trips in Northern France, Belgium or Germany, or who have otherwise obtained them or any information concerning important seaports, towns or other points of military interest, are asked to look over their belongings and to collect these articles and call up a member of the Boy Scout organization and he will call and get them. It is imperative that immediate action be taken so that the information can be used at once.

Veils, Veils, Veils. See our display of the latest styles from 25 cents a yard to \$2.75 each at WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

O. E. S. Dance.

The O. E. S. Red Cross committee announce a dance at the Masonic hall Friday evening of next week. Not only will there be dancing, but also card playing and refreshments will be served. The tickets will be one dollar and the net receipts go to the Red Cross Chapter. This will be known as a trench dance, that is, everybody is expected to dance with everybody else, instead of dividing into cliques of a few couples each.

Six Boys Enlist.

Six North Platte boys enlisted Wednesday in the service of their country while a recruiting officer was stationed at the federal building and were sent to Fort Logan the same night. Orley Reneau, Gilbert Adams, "Hop" Adams, George Sizemore and Wright enlisted in the tank service and Willard Loudon in the infantry. All these boys were under draft age.

Bogue Goes to Washington.

Chas. Bogue, general chairman of the B. of R. T., left last night for Washington, D. C., to attend a conference between chairmen of the four railroad orders and representatives of Secretary McAdoo presumably in relation to wage increase. It is probable that Mr. Bogue will be absent two or three weeks.

Hatching Eggs for Sale.

Barred Rock, bred to lay. Pullets took sweepstakes at North Platte Poultry Show. Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, 200 egg strain. Satisfaction guaranteed. \$1.50 per setting. L. I. TUCKER, 221 Chestnut St.

To cleanse the blood, strengthen the kidneys and regulate the stomach liver and bowels, Prickly Ash Bitters is a remedy that has proved its worth. It promotes activity in body and brain. Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Rincker Book & Drug Store, Special Agents.

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He is facing cold, storm, hunger, disease, death, that America's homes may be safe from the threat of German arrogance and brutality. He is enduring hardship and danger willingly, without a murmur, that American liberty and justice may endure. *He is fighting for you!*

What are you here at home in the peace and plenty of America doing for him? Stand by him. Back him up.

Lend Him a Hand!

He is depending on you for food and clothing, for the shells, rifles and machine guns that can take him over the top to victory.



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