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### EVENTS IN NORTH PLATTE THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Tribune, Feb. 14th, 1885.)  
Looe hay was being delivered in town for five dollars a ton, or \$1.50 to \$2.00 in the field, according to the distance from the city.

Chas. W. Baskin returned from the east with a bride, having been married in Pennsylvania to Miss Rose Rank.

John Bratt & Co. were feeding hay to four thousand head of cattle and corn to about 300 of the weaker ones.

For three days the temperature had ranged from twenty-one to twenty-eight below zero. During this extreme cold weather a flock of wild geese flew over town and lighted on the C. E. Osgood ranch.

A meeting was held at Isaac Dillon's office for the purpose of organizing a county agricultural society. The matter was discussed favorably and the meeting adjourned to a future date.

The North Platte irrigation ditch, the first to be built in Lincoln county and remain in operation, was under construction.

Jimmy Cannon, a character in those days, brought in two catamount and fifteen coyote skins for which he received \$34. Jimmy started in to celebrate in his customary way and landed in jail.

The North Platte bank had received "the finest safe west of Omaha," at a cost of \$2,300.

At a congregational meeting Rev. Baskerville was elected pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Kate Castleton and her own comedy company was booked for the Keith opera house. Seats were on sale at Thacker's drug store.

### LINCOLN COUNTY EVENTS AND PERSONAL MENTION.

(Condensed from County Exchanges)

George Hill, aged seventy, died suddenly February 8th, at the home of his son near Brady. The body was taken to Plattsmouth for burial.

G. Kratzenstein has sold his hardware and implement business at Brady to John and Harry Johnson of that place.

Upon the request of friends David Johnson, of Brady, will take the examination for postmaster of that town.

Joe Leech has sold his implement business at Maxwell to W. F. Kincaid, a farmer living south of that place.

A. J. Clapp has purchased the S. W. Clark cement block house at Maxwell for a consideration of \$4,000.

Union services will be held in Sutherland next Sunday in honor of the soldier boys who gave their lives overseas. At this time each family who lost a son overseas will be presented with a French memorial certificate.

Ed Leybold, of Hershey, has gone to Moline, Ill., to take a course of instruction in the John Deere implement factory.

Rev. R. B. Gettys goes to Lincoln this week to attend the inter-church world movement convention.

The Times unofficially announces that the population of Hershey will reach the 500 mark.

To whom are you going to sell your Hay and Grain? The Harrington Mercantile Co. will offer the highest prices.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Leo Tighe, a student at the state university, arrived Saturday to visit his parents over Sunday.

Rev. J. H. Curry united in marriage Saturday Ferdinand Pederson and Miss Ruth Conly both of Cozad.

#### Dixon & Son, Slight Specialists.

Mrs. O. H. Crossler and daughter Mildred were guests of friends in Lodge Pole Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Cleatha W. Waters went to Aurora Friday having been called there by the illness of her parents.

Dixon's examination of the eye is thorough in every detail. Their optometrist makes a specialty of this work and does nothing else.

Miss Dorothy Humm returned Friday evening from California where she had been visiting for several weeks.

Julius Hahler returned Saturday from Humboldt, Kan., where he spent two weeks looking after his interests in cement works.

Mrs. Fred Westenfeld left the latter part of last week for her home in Idaho after having visited relatives in town for a month.

Faye Winslow enlisted at the local recruiting station Saturday and was sent to Ft. Logan where he will be assigned to the hospital corps.

For Sale—A lot of two-inch lead pipe. Inquire of Isaac Deats, 600 block east Third.

A civil service examination for messenger boy at the U. S. weather bureau will be held at the postoffice February 28th. The pay of the position is \$480 per year.

J. I. Smith received word Saturday that a son had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith of Akron, Ohio. Mr. Smith is physical director in the schools of that city.

We are making a specialty of Washington Cream pie for Washington's Birthday. **BAKE-RITE BAKERY.**

Miss Catherine Flynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Flynn, of this city, was married to Mr. C. J. McCaffrey at Chicago last Wednesday. Mr. McCaffrey is the son of Hugh McCaffrey, of Omaha, and is well known there as a promising young lawyer.

"When Evening Bells are Ringing," a baritone solo by Richard Stranlara. If you enjoy good music stop in at Dixon's and hear this good Columbia record.

Lloyd Lloyd, who has been living on the old Chapin place, which he sold last year, will move to Riverton, Wyo., about March first. Ten years ago he took up a homestead near that place that he still holds and the government has since built an irrigation ditch from which he can get a supply of water.

#### ORDER FIXING CLAIM DAYS.

In the Estate of Edith May Walker, Deceased.

Now on this 14th day of February, 1920, it is ordered by the court that the administrator be allowed one year from this date in which to settle said estate, and creditors will be allowed until the 19th day of June, 1920, to file their claims, after said date, claims will be forever barred. That on the 19th day of March, 1920, and the 19th day of June, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. of each of said days, the court and the administrator will attend at the county court room in said county to receive, examine, hear, allow and adjust claims. That notice of this order be given creditors and all persons interested in said estate by publication of a notice for four successive weeks immediately preceding the 19th day of March, 1920, in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper printed and published in Lincoln county, Nebraska.

WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge

### LINCOLN COUNTY, COL., LANDS OFFER MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR FARMERS.

(From the Ogallala News Feb. 5th.)

Since making my investments in Lincoln county, Colorado, lands last spring, I have had many inquiries regarding that locality and have decided to answer same in print.

Limon, a town of Twelve Hundred, with electric lights and water works, is our nearest town.

Limon has two banks, two elevators, a large creamery, a fine high school building and good business houses in proportion.

The main line of the Union Pacific from Denver to Kansas City and the main line of the Rock Island to Colorado Springs cross at Limon giving us the best of railroad service.

The Ocean to Ocean, or Golden Belt Highway enters Limon and branches there for Denver and Colorado Springs.

The Union Pacific Highway and the Limon to Brush Highway also enter the town, giving it and the surrounding counties the best of State and National Highway service. These highways are being constantly improved and Colorado roads are noted over the whole United States.

Lincoln county products can be placed on the Denver or Colorado Springs market, within four hours by truck.

Limon lies Ninety Miles South-east of Denver and Sixty-five miles North-east of Colorado Springs and therefore very convenient by train, auto or truck to two splendid growing cities.

I am associated in this enterprise with L. S. Smith Jr., whose development of raw lands in Lincoln County, Nebraska, into high class farms which he afterwards sold at a long price followed by the development of a large tract at Venango, Nebraska, from which he has just threshed more than Forty-two Thousand bushels of high grade wheat, prompted me to accept his judgment in the selection of agricultural land, the result of which was the purchase of six sections of land near Limon. My son W. A. Hoxie, also joined us in the enterprise.

We are not offering this land for sale but have out equipment on the ground ready to break and put into wheat as much as possible and hope to have at least three thousand acres of it in wheat by fall.

Part of this land has living water on and our wells are about sixteen feet deep and supply an unlimited quantity of pure water. From inquiry I learn that good water is obtained at depths varying from fifteen to one hundred and fifteen feet.

The climate is delightful, quite similar to that of Western Nebraska, and free from hot winds, which the oldest inhabitant assert have never occurred there.

The crops grown are wheat, corn, oats, rye, barley, cane, millet, sudan grass, alfalfa, potatoes, and garden truck with about the same success as in Western Nebraska. Land prices have advanced greatly since I invested there and are still advancing. Good tracts at this time can be had for Twenty-seven to Forty dollars per acre, while lands no quite as attractive in appearance or location can be had for Seventeen to Twenty-five.

To any who contemplate changing their location to where lands are cheaper in price, I will gladly give you any information I possess, and if you should decide to become our neighbors and assist in developing that county, we will lend you any assistance in our power with the belief that we will be benefitted by each others efforts.

We have an office in Limon from which we handle our farming and tractor operations, and I will spend a portion of the spring and summer there.

All callers will receive a warm welcome and the benefit of any knowledge we may have regarding lands or property in that locality.

F. G. HOXIE, Ogallala, Neb.

For Sale  
Hay rake, moving machine, cultivator, wagon and one good horse. Call at Mart's Market. 10-2

# Public Sale!

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale at James C. Wilson's farm, 6 1/2 miles northwest of North Platte and 8 1/2 miles northeast of Hershey, on

## Friday, February 27, '20,

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, the following described property:

### 275 Head of Cattle,

Consisting of 150 head of high grade Hereford cows, 60 head of Hereford heifers and a number of yearling steers and calves, 7 milch cows.

### Two Registered Hereford Bulls and a Pure Bred Hereford Bull.

### 26 Head of Horses and Mules

1 span mules 9 years old, weight 1000 each; 1 span mules 7 and 11 years old, weight 1200 each; 1 span mules coming 4 years old, weight 950 each; 1 span mules 6 and 7 years old, weight 1100 each; 1 bay gelding 6 years old, weight 1300; 1 bay gelding 4 years old, weight 1200; 1 black gelding 6 years old, weight 1600; 1 gray mare 5 years old, weight 900; 1 bay horse 6 years old, weight 1550; 1 black mare 7 years old, weight 1250; 1 gray horse 7 years old, weight 1500; 1 black mare 10 years old, weight 1200; 1 bay saddle horse, 8 years old, weight 1100; 1 black horse 8 years old, weight 1100; 1 roan mare 11 years old, weight 1300; 1 black saddle horse 8 years old, weight 900; 1 two year old mule, weight 900; 1 two year old mare colt; 1 yearling horse colt; 1 mule colt; 1 bay pony coming 3 years old.

### 125 HEAD OF HOGS

Consisting of 40 head pure bred Duroc Jersey bred sows, 1 registered Duroc Jersey boar, and 84 head of shoats.

### FARM MACHINERY

Fordson tractor with plow, 1 McCormick grain binder, 4 mowing machines, 3 hay rakes, 1 sweeps, 1 14 inch walking plow, 1 two row corn cultivator, 2 corn listers, 1 8 foot disc, 3 corn cultivators, 1 beet planter, 2 riding plows, 1 grain drill, 1 beet cultivator, 2 4-inch tire wagons, 1 3-inch P. & O. wagon, 1 3-inch farm truck, 1 7-foot stock tank, 1 grindstone, 1 garden cultivator, 3 beet boxes, 1 roll corn crib, 1 feed cooker, 1 cream separator, 1 John Deere roller, 2 gas engines, 1 cider mill, 1 range, 1 heating stove, 5 sets work harness, 1 set single buggy harness, 2 saddles, 3 washing machines.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

TERMS OF SALE—\$20 and under cash, above that amount eight months time will be given on bankable paper drawing ten per cent interest from date of sale.

**Chas. H. Shin.**

**Cols. R. I. Shappell and Ed Kierig, Aucts. Ray Langford, Clk.**

#### Yeomen Taking on New Life.

Lookout Homestead No. 3030, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, had a most enthusiastic meeting on Friday, February 13th, at the K. C. hall. Notwithstanding numerous other attractions in town that evening, also considerable sickness, there was a large attendance. A nice class of candidates was initiated, the work being exemplified by the ladies' degree staff in a very creditable manner. At the invitation of Mrs. Leslie Baskin arrangements were made to have a 15c luncheon at her home, 318 west 8th street, on Thursday, February 19th, at three o'clock p. m., the proceeds to be applied on the purchase of new robes for the team. All Yeomen are invited. The state manager, Edgar Michener, announced that inasmuch as the grand foreman of the society, George Frink, accompanied by Mr. Frink, could be with us on Friday, March 12th, it had been arranged by the board of managers to hold the first March meeting on that date. It was also stated that the membership campaign now in progress was well under way and with some support would be won. This campaign is to close on March 12th, on which occasion Mr. Michener stated he would present, in addition to all other prizes already offered, a chest of silver consisting of 26 pieces. Each member participating in the campaign is to have one chance for each new member brought in, and the chest of silver is then to be drawn in any method that those interested may decide upon that evening. Arrangements were made for drill practice, also for entertainment features for the future. At the next meeting, which will be held on Thursday, February 26th, the installation of officers, which was deferred on account of the absence of the foreman, will be held, and there will also be a large class for initiation, probably fifty candidates.

When in North Platte stop at the New Hotel Palace and Cafe. You will be treated well. 58tr

Wanted to Buy—A small farm near North Platte. Address M. H. Kaolber, Bignell, Neb. 10-3

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Osteopathic Physician.  
North Platte, Nebraska.  
Knights of Columbus Building.

## Portable Electric Sewing Machine Sale

STARTED FEBRUARY 9th AND WILL CONTINUE 10 DAYS.

Sew where you like, what you like, and when you like.

A complete set of attachments is furnished with the Portable Electric Sewing Machine to do such things as binding, tucking, ruffling and quilting.

MACHINES OFFERED IN THIS SALE WITH A MINIMUM DOWN PAYMENT OF **\$5.00**

The Electric Machine has a full sized head—costs less to buy than a foot power machine, and a cent's worth of electricity runs it for several hours—and then, too, they are offered at last year's prices.

As your Spring sewing is soon to begin why not do it electrically?

**NORTH PLATTE LIGHT & POWER CO.**

## PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at my place 7 1/2 miles west and 4 1/2 miles north of North Platte, on

### Wednesday, Feb. 25th.

Commencing at 12 o'clock sharp, the following property:

### 95 HEAD GALLOWAY CATTLE

Consisting of 28 calves, 22 coming 2 year old heifers, 43 cows, 2 registered bulls.

#### FOUR SUCKING MULES

### Farm Machinery

2 farm wagons with 4 inch tires, wagon box, hay rack, 2 grain binders, riding plow, tongueless disc, John Deere two-row, Moline lay-by, walking lister, Moline riding lister with potato planter attachment, Deering 6 ft. mower, McCormick 12 ft. rake, tool grinder, 8 ft. Superior drill, endgate seeder, 2 pumping jacks, power fanning mill, 2 sets Concord harness, saddle, a few household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under \$10 cash; sums over \$10, 12 months time will be given on bankable paper bearing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until settled for.

**MRS. H. F. DOEBKE,**

COL. ED KIERIG, Auctioneer RAY C. LANGFORD, Clerk.

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**T. C. PATTERSON,** President. **BESSIE F. SALISBURY,** Secretary.