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SHORT STORIES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT RECENT HAPPENINGS IN THIS COMMUNITY

The total vote cast for members of the board of education at the last election was 2,490. Since each person voted for two members of the board it makes only 1,245 voters. This is about one-fourth of the actual number of voters in the city.

Chas. J. Killian, director of the High School Cadet Band says that for the first time he had all the members of the band in full uniform at one time when they paraded the street Friday afternoon just after having the band picture taken. There were fifty-four boys in line and they made a fine sight.

William Byrne, known as "Pat" Byrne, was taken into county court yesterday and plead guilty to a charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm and was bound over to the district court. He is the man who attempted to drive B. Jaeger from his home last week because of a temporary infatuation for Mrs. Jaeger, who had been kind to him in a spell of sickness.

Perry Stilton was in North Platte last week. He was on his way to Kansas City where he will start on a three months trip over the Santa Fe railroad to Los Angeles. He will study the eating house system of the Santa Fe, making frequent stops at the Fred Harvey hotels and dining rooms. The knowledge gained through this inspection will be used in perfecting the hotel and dining room service of the Union Pacific.

LOCAL ATTORNEY SURPRISES HIS FRIENDS BY QUIET MARRIAGE

William E. Shuman of this city and Miss E. Florence Erlas of Denver were married at Colorado Springs last Saturday noon by Rev. Samuel Garman of the First Presbyterian church of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Shuman are spending a few days at Broadmoor after which they will go to Kansas City for a short visit.

Mrs. Shuman is a former Omaha girl, having graduated from the Omaha high school. Later she attended Northwestern University where she specialized in dramatic art. Mr. Shuman has been a resident of North Platte for a number of years and is one of the leading attorneys of Lincoln county. He is active in church and civic affairs here and has a large number of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Shuman will return to North Platte after their wedding trip and will make this their home. The Tribune extends its best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Shuman for a long and happy married life with most of it spent in North Platte and Lincoln county.

An ordinance was passed at the city council meeting Tuesday evening dividing the city into three districts for the convenience of the water department. By the new arrangement District A will pay water rentals in January, April, July and October; District B, one month later each quarter and District C a month later than District B each quarter. In this way there will be a steady income for the water department, and the labor of making out accounts and receiving payments will be distributed throughout the year instead of only four times a year. It is an arrangement of convenience and does not affect the cost to the water patrons.

Put The Tribune away after all the family have read it as you will want to refer to it later.

CHURCHES TO HAVE SPECIAL SERVICES

MEETINGS TO BE HELD DURING THE WEEK PRECEDING EASTER

Several of the North Platte churches will hold special services this week in preparation for or as a part of the Easter commemoration. At the Episcopal church, Rev. W. H. Moore has announced the following services:

Wednesday, 5 o'clock, Instruction to confirmation class; 7:30, Litany and address.

Friday, 12 noon to 3 p. m., Three-hour service.

Saturday, 4:30 p. m., Baptismal service.

At the Christian church, Rev. P. R. Stevens has announced special services for each evening as follows:

Tuesday—1. "The Spirit in Which God's Work Must be Done," Ola Pyle. 2. "Man's Two-fold Duty," J. H. Van Cleave. 3. "Future Reward of the Faithful," Ole Rasmussen.

Wednesday—1. "Christ Foretells His Passion," Mrs. D. J. Fredricks. 2. "The Conspiracy of the Rulers," Fern Dolph. 3. "The Perfidy of Judas," F. R. Elliott.

Thursday—1. "A Lesson in Humility," 2. "The Communion Memorial," D. W. Macomber. 3. "The Unity of God's People," L. L. Zook. 4. "The Tragedy in the Garden," Everett Bradley.

Friday—1. "The Trial," 2. "The Crucifixion," Thomas Hayworth. 3. "The Cries from the Cross," Mrs. L. L. Zook.

At the Methodist church, Rev. H. E. Hess will try to carry out the following program:

ROTARY DIRECTORS ELECT NEW OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

At a meeting of the board of directors of the North Platte Rotary club held Friday noon, the following officers were elected for the coming year: W. R. Maloney, president; J. E. Sebastain, vice president; Ira L. Bare, secretary; Herbert Tramp, treasurer; Joe Stone, sergeant-at-arms. President Maloney was introduced at the meeting held yesterday noon and after briefly expressing his appreciation of the honor, announced the committees for the year. Harry Dixon, the retiring president, made a short talk in which he spoke feelingly of his pleasure in his work and the fine spirit and co-operation shown by the members of the club.

Tuesday, 7:30, District Superintendent M. E. Gilbert, D. D.; 8:30 Mass Meeting of church members and friends.

Wednesday, 7:30 Prayer service, led by the pastor; 8:00 Minute speakers, H. A. Brooks, M. E. Scott and E. E. Carr; sermon subject, "The Prisoner of Chillon."

Thursday, 7:30 Prayer service, H. A. Brooks, leader; 8:00 Minute speakers, J. W. Tucker, F. L. Mooney, and Dr. Twinem; sermon subject, "The Ancient Mariner."

Friday, 7:30 Prayer service, M. E. Scott, leader; 8:00 Minute speakers, J. G. Beeler, Wilson Tout, and C. J. McNamara; sermon subject, "Enoch Arden."

Rev. C. F. Koch has announced the following services for the Lutheran church this week:

Wednesday, 8:00 "The Cross and the Memory of Sin."

Thursday, 8:00 The Holy Communion.

Friday, 12 noon to 3 p. m. The Three-hour service, 8:00 Sacred Cantata, Stainer's, "The Crucifixion," by the full vested choir.

NEW FIRM TO RE-OPEN STYLE SHOP

BEHTOL-MARS PURCHASED THE STOCK AND THIS WEEK PUT ON SALE

Mrs. Behtol and Miss Mars, both of Gothenburg have bought the Style Shop in this city and last week closed it while preparing for the sale which is to open tomorrow and continue this week. These ladies under the firm name of Behtol-Mars have a store in Gothenburg and they expect to alternate between the North Platte and the Gothenburg stores. The announcement comes from Gothenburg that they will handle a stock of ready-to-wear and millinery. Miss Anna Rubis will remain with the firm. The Style Shop has had a checkered career, forging ahead at times under the influence of a style show and then sinking back under the load of debt. The new owners have enough capital back of them to place the stock in good condition and with their experience, the business should prosper. The Tribune extends its heartiest welcome to the ladies who thus enter the business life of the city and it assures them that their faith in North Platte and its future is well founded.

Work on the new court house has stopped during the past two weeks while the contractor is waiting for the terra cotta. Word was received at the close of last week that it would be shipped within a few days. There will be about eight cars of terra cotta in the entire shipment. The contractor will not wait for the arrival of these shipments but will start men at work on the brick work this week if the weather permits.

PLATTE VALLEY SCHOOL HOLDS FIRST DECLAMATORY CONTEST

The pupils of the Platte Valley high school held the first declamatory contest ever held in that district last Friday evening. There were six contestants. First place was won by Mary Pease her selection being, "The Leak in the Dyke." Carol Haskins took second honors with "An Appeal to Arms," and Clarinda Strolberg won third with the selection "Tommy Tucker." Other contestants were Claude Halligan, Garnette Haskins and Clyde Halligan. The judges had a hard time in deciding on the winners but by referring to the markings given at the time the selections were given, they arrived at a fair and just decision. The contest was well managed by the principal, Miss Lyra Cady. Several vocal and instrumental numbers were given which were highly appreciated and following the program the large crowd present enjoyed a box social with C. O. Dedmore as auctioneer.

FIRST ASPIRANT FOR COUNTY OFFICE ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

Mrs. R. L. North announced her candidacy for the office of county superintendent of schools of Lincoln county Saturday and this week is securing names for the petition which she will file with the county clerk. The office is non-partisan and so no political party affiliation is designated. Mrs. North has had fine preparation for the office and her experience has been broad and varied. She was in charge of the normal training department of the North Platte high school for one year and the next year she was principal of the Lincoln building. At the present time she is filling out the year in one of the graded rural schools west of this city.

Mrs. Geo. Mudd of Hershey spent Saturday in the city shopping.

Uncle Sam Leads the World in Cutting Prices---Now Open to the Public---

Gigantic Army and Navy Goods Sale

These goods were purchased at a special price, far below any bought by any other organization in the Country. The purchasing powers of the Government are always greater than those of any other organization; therefore, here are prices of but a few of the articles we have to offer:

SHOES—SHOES

U. S. Russit Shoes, brand new, all sizes, thoroughly inspected, high quality. Special\$4.95

WRAP, LEATHER, CANVASS LEGGINS

A complete line of leggins, we carry in stock. Prices from \$3.95 to69c

BREECHES—ALL WOOL

U. S. O. D. Wool Breeches, finest thing for work, outing, riding, summer wear; worth up to \$10.00. Per pair, only\$2.00

HOSPITAL BLANKETS

All wool, double blanket, large size. While they last, only\$5.50

ARMY OFFICERS SHOES

Made of the highest grade materials and workmanship; previously sold as high as \$14.00. Special per pair ...\$4.65

UNION SUITS

A large assortment of spring and summer suits which we will sell at prices that will surprise you.

KHAKI BREECHES

A real article at a real cheap price. We will sell at this sale, per pair.....95c

U. S. WOOL BLANKETS

Here is a bargain indeed; fresh from the reserve supply rooms of the Government. You will never have an opportunity like this again, for the lot of blankets will go fast, once it is known we have them at this sale, for \$4.35 to\$3.35

RAINCOATS

Here is the biggest value you will ever buy again—double back, double arms and breast coat; worth up to \$30.00. Now only\$9.50

PANTS, OVERALLS, JACKETS

Khaki Shirts, Sox, Mackinaws, and many other articles too numerous to mention, which we will sell at manufacturers cost.

OFFICERS MOLESKIN COATS

All sizes; big, roomy styles, absolutely water proof, wind proof and storm proof; a year-around coat; just the thing for spring and summer; values up to \$45.00. At this sale, only\$12.50

U. S. GOVERNMENT SHIRTS

Regulation, Olive Drab Wool Shirts. Every shirt has to come up to the Government specifications. Just the thing for outing, camping, hunting etc. Get these while the getting is good, only \$2.95

WOOLNAP BLANKETS

Extra large, double blanket, made of the best of material, guaranteed washable and mothproof. Sold as high as \$7.00. At this sale, only\$3.95

It would take pages to give all the prices on our merchandise. We want you to come and pay us a visit. Our cheap prices will surprise you. A chance to buy merchandise at almost your own price. It will pay you to travel miles to get in on these wonderful bargains.

Army and Navy Store

OPEN EVENINGS. NORTH PLATTE, NEBR. LOOK FOR BIG LETTER SIGN. 104 E. Front St., Cor. Front and Locust. 1 1/2 blocks west of U. P. Depot.

HEAVY ARMY WORK SHOES

Previously sold for \$4.50 and \$5.00. Now, only\$2.95