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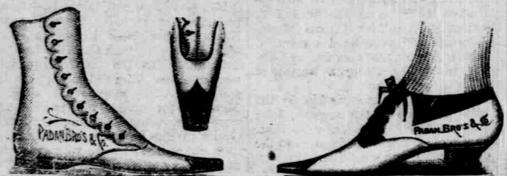
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA, TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 12, 1895.

NO. 20.

Our Spring stock of Ladies, Misses, Mens, Boys and Childrens' Shoes and Oxfords Are now open for the inspection of the public.



We have the Latest in Style, the Best in Quality and sell them at lower prices than any other store in town.



Read this letter showing how strongly these Shoes are recommended by their celebrated makers:

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO, FEB. 4th, 1895.
JULIUS PIZER, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.
 Dear Sir—We have the pleasure of shipping you this day by B. & O. freight some 788 pairs of Shoes and Oxfords. These we have examined carefully and pronounce them fully up to our standard in quality of stock and workmanship. Your selection of styles are mostly those which are found the most popular sale this season through the country. We guarantee every pair of our shoes to you, so you can guarantee them to your customers. You will find your name stamped on the inside of every pair of shoes. We solicit a continuance of your patronage, fully confident that you will recognize in the merits of these goods our desire to give you the best possible values for the prices charged.
 Respectfully,
PADAN BROS. & CO.

The Boston Store,
JULIUS PIZER, PROP.

GEO. W. DILLARD,
 PROPRIETOR OF THE
PIONEER COAL YARDS.

ALL KINDS OF
Anthracite and Bituminous Coal
 Always on hand. Your patronage respectfully solicited.
 Orders for coal left at Douglass' Drug Store on Spruce street will be promptly filled.

For Sale
DITCH FARM

One-half mile from North Platte. We will sell you a farm of any size you may desire.
PRICE \$15.00 TO \$25.00 PER ACRE.
 Terms to suit the purchaser
FRENCH & BALDWIN.

NO. 3496.
First National Bank,
 NORTH PLATTE, NEB.



Capital, - - - \$50,000.00.
 Surplus, - - - \$22,500.00
E. M. F. LEFLANG, Pres't.,
ARTHUR McNAMARA,
 Cashier.

A General Banking Business Transacted.

GUYS PLACE
FINEST SAMPLE ROOM IN NORTH PLATTE
 Having refitted our rooms in the finest of style, the public is invited to call and see us, insuring courteous treatment.
Finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.
 Our billiard hall is supplied with the best make of tables and competent attendants will supply all your wants.
KEITH'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE THE UNION PACIFIC DEPOT

County Correspondence.

Nichol Nuggats.
 The bum bum boo of the prairie chicken is wafted away upon the gentle breeze in this country once again.
 School resumed business again Monday morning after a week's vacation.
 Frank Tingly, from the vicinity of Paxton, was calling on friends in these parts the latter part of the week.
 Miss Bessie Leach, who is stopping with Mrs. Mary Spurrier and attending school, visited her parents south of Sutherland last week.
 Miss Mary Zook returned from an extended sojourn at the hub Saturday.
 C. S. Trovillo returned on No. 23 Sunday morning from Lincoln, where he had been in attendance at the state tent of the K. O. T. M. as a delegate from the lodge in this locality.

Miss Nettie Cammack and Roy Spurrier, with "Turkey Kate," took a trip over in the south sand hills the last of the week.
 John Eshelman, from south of the Platte, now has charge of Paxton & Hershey's lower ranch.
 Considerable plowing was done and some wheat sown in the valley last week.
 The recent cool nights delayed the plastering of the Paxton & Hershey tenant houses to some extent.
 B. R. Gibbens has rented a farm over on the old ditch, where he, with his family, will move in the near future.

R. W. Calloun and family are nicely located upon the old Zook farm at this station, which Mr. Calloun purchased some time since.
 "Orv" Allison now occupies Paxton & Hershey's upper ranch, recently vacated by the Rewes.
 Charles Toillion has rented the west eighty acres of the Henry Schuff farm for this season, paying \$3.00 per acre cash for it.
 Al and Lew Hoover hauled the stone from this station over along the ditch for the foundation of D. Forrest's new residence.
 John Toillion has already put in a fine patch of onions.

Samuel Funkhouser is said to be an expert dynamiter, especially on ice.
 The U. P. has dumped several loads of sand and gravel from the Pallas' pit around the Hershey depot lately.
 Joe and Tom Kelly will farm eighty acres of land upon the old ditch again this season.
 The Gibbens hay baling outfit has completed their job at Riverside.
 Paxton & Hershey are shipping baled hay east to Cozad and other points along the U. P.

"Uncle Billy" White, with his family, household effects, farming utensils, etc., arrived by rail Saturday evening and at once took possession of the Thomas Stimson farm, which he now owns.
 A. B. Goodwin, who recently located at Carter, Wyo., had his farming tools, household goods, horses, etc., shipped to that place the first of this week. His wife also departed for that city a few days since. Their departure will be deeply regretted by both relatives and friends in this neighborhood.
 Several more Swedes from Madison county joined the colony west of here last week.

W. H. Minney and wife returned the last of the week from a visit of several days duration at their former home on the south side.
 Will Baly spent part of last week in the vicinity of Myrtle.
 The new residence upon the Dillon ranch is nearing completion.
 We were informed Sunday that Eugene Goodwin and sister Stella had given up the idea of farming in this country, and would return to their home in Kansas soon. It was reported that they had rented the ditch farm recently vacated by their brother Bee for this season.
 H. Null and family have removed from the Henry Weil farm upon a ditch farm, where they will reside for this season at least.
 Don't forget the M. E. quarterly services in the Macabee hall at Hershey next Saturday and Sunday. Presiding Elder Leonard, from the Platte, will preach Saturday evening and Sunday forenoon.
 Will Funkhouser was at the hub with a load of straw Saturday.
 Osmer and Will Rew, with their families, household effects, farming tools, stock, grain, etc., departed by train three or four days ago for Fort Bridger, Wyo., where they expect to make their future home. We learned a short time since that J. B. McKee, of North Platte,

had recently sold his farm near this place to a man by the name of Newberry, from McPherson county, and had since rented it for cash from the purchaser for this year.
 The Sullivan boys have been repairing their irrigation reservoir and putting it in shape for use lately. PAT.

Commissioners Proceedings.
 Feb'y 28—Resignation of Chas. E. Jones, justice of the peace, accepted; F. W. Jones appointed to fill said vacancy.
 W. D. Pulver ordered to build two bridges on road No. 166, bridges to be built soon as possible, county to furnish material and pay builder \$28.00.
 Following claims allowed: L. H. Baker, janitor, \$45.00; S. G. Diehl, commissioner's salary, 149.10; A. E. Hill, same 173.00; A. E. Hill, freight, 2.45; R. D. Thomson allowed 17.50 on bridge fund.
 March 1—Claim of Paul G. Meyer surveying and recording roads, 61.40 allowed on general fund.
 Discussion of relief matters and the Maxwell bridge contract occupied the board.

March 2—The following resolution was adopted: "Whereas, The conditions of the contract by and between J. R. Sheeley & Co., of Lincoln, Lancaster county, Neb., party of the first part, and the county of Lincoln, state of Nebraska, party of the second part, bearing date of the 20th day of October, 1894, for the construction of a pile wagon bridge over the several channels of the Platte river at a point about one mile south of Maxwell, Lincoln county, Neb., and otherwise particularly described in said contract have been broken by said party of the first part, therefore, be it
 Resolved by the board of county commissioners of said county that said party of the second part will hold said J. R. Sheeley & Co. liable for all damages occasioned by reason of the conditions of said contract.
 March 4—Relief affairs and road business occupied the board.
 March 5—Claim of John Martin for 3.40 for cedar stakes allowed on general fund.
 On motion of J. E. Hill following preamble and resolution was adopted: "Whereas, The county commissioners have received from the mayor of Spokane, Wash., three car loads of wheat, flour, etc., in cars Nos. 38,136, 28,708 and 38,438; and, whereas, it appearing from bills of lading and duplicate bills that said supplies were procured through Whittier precinct and its agent I. N. Froman, and whereas, it appearing that said donors have requested that said precinct get a considerable amount of said supplies, be it
 Resolved, by the board of county commissioners that they turn over 247 sacks of wheat and 90 sacks of flour to Whittier precinct, and the rest of the shipment be turned over to the county central relief committee.
 Above resolution adopted. R. D. Thomson voting in negative, because goods had been turned over to central relief committee and disposed of by them.
 March 6—Following claims allowed on general fund: L. A. Fort, freight, 4.50; W. W. Keith, merchandise, 13.05.
 Road 210 comes up for final action and was granted as reported by the special commissioners.
 March 7—Claim of August W. Johnson 15.75 for bridge work allowed on bridge fund.
 M. C. Keith notified that commissioners have removed from his room on Front street.
 Matter of procuring seed under consideration.

ON EVERY TONGUE.
 Seventy-seven is on every tongue. Either the pleasant pellets, or their praisers; and no wonder for "77" has saved more lives, prevented more suffering and sickness, afforded more comfort and safety than all other remedies combined. With Dr. Humphreys' "77" as a protector you can brave the wind and storm, the slush and dampness; and, if fairly robust, even old Humidity himself, which is said by the doctors to be the greatest gripe producer. Experience shows that all persons are not equally susceptible to medicine. Many are benefited from the first dose of "77" and gripe passes off with little or no inconvenience. Other cases might be termed stubborn, and do not yield until perhaps the second or even the third day. The cure is then spontaneous, the cumulative effect of the medicine is felt all at once. In either case the cure is perfect; you are sure not to be left suffering from after-effects, which have been and are the cause of gripe. New manual free.

State Items.
 The soldiers' home at Grand Island will shortly be supplied with incandescent lights.
 The Leftwich circus, which has been wintering at Norfolk, is preparing to start out on the road May 4th.
 The Odd Fellows of Fairbury will dedicate their new temple on the seventy-sixth anniversary of the order, April 26th.
 James McKeogan, a prominent farmer of Cuming county, has sold his lands in Bancroft and Cleveland townships for an average price of \$38 an acre.
 The Grand Island Baptist college will hold its first graduation exercises this year. Miss Grace Bentley will be the first graduate and is the only one in her class.
 L. L. May & Co., of St. Paul, Minn., donated several hundred pounds of garden seeds to the drought-stricken farmers of the Sixth congressional district.
 The Callaway relief committee has just received seventy pounds of garden seeds from the firm of D. M. Ferry & Co., as a donation to the farmers of that locality.
 The Blair canning factory is preparing for a harvest of corn and beans and has given it out that the crop will be attended to, even if it amounts to 600 or 800 acres.
 Dr. Walter Maxwell, of Schuyler, will soon remove to the Sandwich Islands, where he will take charge of the agricultural bureau and experimental station of the islands.
 An effort is being made, and a meeting will soon be held at Norfolk, to arrange for a circuit of fairs this fall, including Antelope, Pierce, Knox, Madison and Boone counties.
 Carl Hoffman, the Grand Island survivor of the Elbe, has received notice from Buecz, the German council at Chicago, to appear and testify in regard to the sinking of the ship Elbe.
 Henry Gentrup of West Point received a paper this week from Germany that was recovered from the unfortunate Elbe's mail. It shows marks of the sea. Mr. Gentrup refused \$5 for the relic.
 Seth Mobley says that the piano used in the Nebraska Building at the World's fair was loaned to the state by the manufacturer and afterward presented to the Grand Island school by that gentleman, and Seth ought to know.
 A large number of the families in the North Loup country who left the state last fall are now returning to their old Nebraska homes, and others are making arrangements to do so as soon as the spring season is a little advanced.
 G. L. Shumway, proprietor of the Coatsburg Review and formerly of Banner county, has been compelled to abandon the newspaper business on account of failing health. He has accepted a position as salesman for the Boyer broom factory, of Galesburg, Ill.
 The Howell Journal says: A large number of farmers in the southeast part of the precinct are losing their hogs with the cholera. We hear of several who have lost as high as fifty. It comes pretty hard on our farmers to lose their hogs after feeding them 50 cent corn.
 The tide of immigration has again set westward. Prairie schooners pointed toward the setting sun are daily passing through. Most of these are westerners who went east to their wife's people to winter and are now returning with both seed and feed, to make another try. That's the pure grit.
 The roosters of the realm are going to hold a grand carnival ball at the opera house in Madison on the 18th inst. No ladies will be

Jas Belton

WE PAY CASH—100 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR—AND SELL CHEAPER THAN ANY HOUSE IN THE CITY.

RENNIE'S SLAUGHTER SALE—1895.

THE NEW TARIFF
On All Imported Wools and Silks
IS IN OPERATION JANUARY 1ST.

40 PER CENT OFF!

We must close out our stock of nice fine goods and make room for our new stock under the new tariff regulations. : : : \$1.75 Silk Henrietta at \$1.10; \$1.50 Silk Henrietta at 85 cts.; \$1.00 Henrietta at 65 cts.; \$1.25 Bedford Cords at 85 cts.; \$1.25 French Serges at 85 cts.; \$1.00 French Serges at 65 cts.; all wool 1 1/2 yd. wide \$1.25 Broad Cloth at 75 cts.; 65 ct. Flannels, 46 in. wide at 50 cts. : : : In our Shoe department we offer the choicest line in the west, C. D. and E. widths, in fine new goods. : : : Call and see for yourself the Wonderful Bargains at Rennie's for January and February in 1895. : : : Amoskeag Gingham at 5 cts. per yard, Lawrence LL usin at 4 cts. per yard, Lonsdale Muslin at 6 cts. per yard, at
RENNIE'S.

"ECONOMY IS WEALTH"

THE BIG FOUR

ALFALFA, POTATOES, CORN AND HAY
 will make this country prosperous.

Buy your Seeds of Harrington & Tobin. We are here to stay.

admitted, and one-half the gentlemen present will impersonate the fair sex in dress and manner, a valuable prize being given to the greatest artist in that line. This is a novelty with whiskers.

Wednesday of last week as the Ruttler brothers were coming to Stanton with a load of straw, they were met by Will Selle, and Henry Pelletier. As they passed Selle threw a match into the straw. The boys jumped from the load and all joined in upsetting the load, which was burned with the rack, but the horses and wagon were saved.
 The Callaway central relief committee has sent out over two thousand letters to the newspapers of the country containing an appeal for funds with which to purchase seed. The money contributed is to be deposited with the Omaha National bank, and will be received either as a gift or as a loan. In the latter case the committee will undertake to handle it the same as any other loan.
 While a man was standing in a Nebraska City saloon the other day waiting for some one to come in and ask him to take a drink, a woman entered and proceeded to the bar. Turning to the wayfarer, she asked: "Won't you take a drink with me?" For a reply the man took the lady by the arm, and said: "Let's go home," and the man and wife walked out of the saloon, without indulging in intoxicants.
 Major J. V. Hoover died at Humboldt as the result of a peculiar accident. While playing with some children he fell and struck his head against the corner of a bench, cutting a long gash. He became unconscious and died in fifteen minutes, in spite of the efforts of the physicians in attendance. Major Hoover served on General Grant's staff during the war, and was a thirty-second degree Mason.
 The Hub hears every day of families who left Buffalo county last fall and during the winter who are already returning to their old farms. One of these arrivals with whom the Hub was talking to-day, says that he has concluded that a farmer's chances are as good here as anywhere, and in fact that when the tide begins to return they will recover lost ground quicker in Nebraska than in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, or any of the southern states that are just now being cracked up as the poor man's paradise.—Kearney Hub.

—The speediest and most reliable remedy for all derangements of the throat and lungs is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This wonderful preparation checks coughing, induces refreshing sleep, and affords great relief even in the advanced stages of consumption.

—If I were going to irrigate ten acres of level land, I would make my reservoir in the center extending from one side to the other, excavating about twenty feet wide raising the embankments four feet above the level. After the excavation was completed I would thoroughly pulverize the inside surface of the reservoir, then let in water sufficient to make a stiff mortar, with which I would puddle the bottom and sides of the part excavated. The embankment will not need puddling as it will be sufficiently solidified by the process of placing it. I would then situate a twelve foot vaneless folding mill at each end of the reservoir, with a four inch cylinder and a two inch discharge pipe, and would connect a float to the throw out wire of the mill, so that when the reservoir is full, the mill will go out of the wind, and when the water recedes it will commence operating again. At intervals of two hundred feet I would locate at either side of the reservoir, box outlets, not less than four inches inside dimensions, which should be six inches above the level of the land to be irrigated, and connected with the elevated ditches. The elevated ditches must be at right angles with the reservoir and the crop planted at right angles with the ditch. The water should be permitted to run to the end of the elevated ditch, then open it between the rows to be irrigated; the flow from a four inch stream of water will carry force enough to extend to the end of the rows. When sufficiently watered dam up the elevated ditch and open up the next two rows, and so continue until that division of the land is properly served, and you will then know how to treat the balance.—R. R. Gaskill, in Hennessey Clipper.

—While no physician or pharmacist can conscientiously warrant a cure the J. C. Ayer Co. guarantee the purity, strength and medicinal virtues of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It was the only blood-purifier admitted at the great World's fair in Chicago, 1893.