

# The North Platte Semi-Weekly Tribune.

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## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Clarence McCabe entertained a number of his friends in a pleasant manner Tuesday evening.

Jos. Zimmerman has rented the Jerry Bowen building in the Third Ward and will bring up a stock of clothing from Elm Creek.

Miss Carter, who had been a guest at the Gilman residence for two weeks, left today for California, stopping enroute at Denver.

Two farms for rent. Inquire of F. H. Garlow, manager Cody ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Worrell of Sutherland, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kuhns, of Maxwell, attended "The Traveling Salesman" Wednesday night.

We have an entire new shipment of china cups and saucers, plates, etc., for Christmas trade.

### BUCHANAN CO.

That laughable comedy, "The Traveling Salesman," was presented at the Keith Wednesday evening to a large audience which thoroughly enjoyed the witty remarks of "Bob Blake," who in the title role is certainly well cast. The supporting company is good.

For Sale—Six horse power upright steam boiler in good condition, only been used ten months. Reason for selling, am putting in a larger one. Just the thing for a feed cooker or for power on a farm or ranch. Inquire at Star Bottling works, North Platte.

Rev. Patrick F. McCarthy, a former priest of the North Platte Catholic parish, died in Omaha Wednesday morning of Bright's disease, with which he had been afflicted for two years. The deceased had officiated as priest in Nebraska towns since 1877. He was fifty-eight years old.

The Ottenstein building on Sixth street is being repaired preparatory to being occupied by M. C. Rodgers, who will open a harness shop.

See Rincker's fine line of China. Suitable presents for Christmas.

The snow which fell Monday has melted gradually and the moisture has filtered into the ground, giving it the best soaking it has had for several months.

Gift books and Christmas cards in endless profusion at Rincker's.

A majority of the merchants say the Christmas trade has been a little slow this week, but anticipate a lively trade next week. Monday will be pay day and this will tend to put in circulation a good many thousand dollars.

The Wesleyan University Glee Club will give a concert in the Goozee building this evening under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The proceeds will be applied to the purchase fund of the piano player.

Wanted—Someone to feed and care for a stallion on farm for balance of winter. See W. V. Hoagland, North Platte, Neb., right away.

A few of the Elks building bonds in denominations of \$500, bearing six per cent interest and secured by real estate worth double the amount of the bonds, are offered for sale. One of these would make a nice Christmas present for your wife, son or daughter, and the interest furnish them pin money.

Choice Cigars in Xmas boxes at Chiller & Co's.

John Ottenstein hands us a copy of the North Platte Nebraskan of the issue of January 21st, 1885. The advertising columns show the change in business firms since that date. The ads of about thirty appear in that issue and of that number only two are now in business, these being J. F. Schmalzried and W. W. Birge.

The second floor of the VanNatta building on North Locust has been leased and will be fitted up as a rooming house.

A. F. Streitz will return Sunday from Omaha. While in that city he attended the state meeting of county commissioners.

A fifty cent meal for twenty five cents next Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall.

Switchman Young has received from Ireland a couple of pounds of peat, which he will keep as a remembrance of the green isle.

Wanted to sell—Eight brood mares. Weight 1050 to 1500 pounds. L. E. Ebright, two miles west of Experimental farm.

Skovgaard, a Danish violinist of note, will appear at the Keith on Tuesday evening of next week under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Just received! a line of white china— for china painters.

### BUCHANAN CO.

County Clerk Elliott returned today from a trip to Omaha, where he combined business with pleasure for several days.

For Sale, or trade for clear land, seven room house and two lots in Colorado Springs; clear. Address Box 7, Somerset, Neb.

W. H. Swartzburg, who had been conducting a repair shop at Scotts Bluffs, has returned to town and re-entered the employ of J. W. LeMasters.

For Sale—Same choice Poland China Boars, also some Red Polled Bulls. Payne's Dairy Farm, one half mile south of North Platte.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Hartman are planning a trip to San Diego and other points in southern California. They will leave soon after the first of the year.

D. M. Leypolt, of Hershey, was a business visitor in town yesterday.

By the removal of a partition the salesroom at the Enterprise Bakery has been greatly enlarged, thus adding greatly to the facility for displaying goods and waiting on trade.

Wanted to sell—One three year old black Percheron Stallion. Registered No. 52422. L. E. Ebright, two miles west of Experimental farm.

W. J. Loftus, who had been in a serious condition resulting from blood poisoning, is reported considerably improved. The trouble originated from an abrasion of the skin on one of his legs while cutting wood.

Ellie Bostwick, who has been receiving treatment at the P. & S. hospital for typhoid fever for five weeks, is now doing nicely and is considered to have passed the danger mark. Pneumonia followed the fever.

Tramp handles the Kamo brand of canned goods, coffees and other goods. There are none better.

The husbands of the ladies of the Club Nevada entertained them in a very elaborate manner last Wednesday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. Messrs. Austin and Lewis furnished a very interesting program. The prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Huxoll, Mrs. Ad Coates and Mrs. Geo. Schatz. Music was furnished by the German orchestra. Mrs. Andrew Yost presided at the punch bowl. At 10:30 an elaborate banquet was served by the men under the directions of Mr. Coates, Mr. Naperstek and Mr. Huxoll. The table was beautifully decorated in cut flowers the color scheme was red and white, and the favors were carnations. Mr. Snyder gave an interesting and humorous talk in behalf of the men and Mrs. Bert Naperstek, president of the club, responded in behalf of the ladies. The gentlemen deserve credit for a very successful party.

Press dispatches from Chicago give little news of the progress of the negotiations between the railway managers and the locomotive engineers. It is generally believed that a strike is far removed, either as it relates to the engineers, the trainmen or the conductors. Some reports say that the managers are ready to grant the seven per cent increase to engineers but there are other matters involved to which the managers will not accede. Should a strike be called it is probable the roads would apply to the courts for a restraining order on the grounds that such would result in much suffering to the public.

### Menu for Baptist Supper.

Chicken and Gravy Biscuits,  
Baked Beans, Mashed Potatoes,  
Cabbage salad, Apple Sauce,  
Cranberry Jelly, Pickles,  
Cake and Coffee  
Served beginning 5:30, Tuesday evening, Dec. 20, at Masonic Hall.

### Xmas Trees.

Get the Michigan Spruce, the finest tree grown, for Xmas trees. Get your order in early as we have only a limited supply. All kinds Xmas decorations. ENTERPRISE BAKERY.

### Presbyterian Church Notes.

The Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Buchanan on West 6th, street. There was a large attendance and a pleasant time was had. The grading of our Sunday school is progressing and the new graded lesson helps are being introduced as fast as they are prepared by the publishers.

The choir is doing faithful work, under the leadership of Mrs. Lininger. A most interesting program is being prepared for the musical service at four o'clock on Xmas day.

The pastor spoke to a large and interested congregation last Sunday

night. Next Sunday morning's theme will be: Godliness and Blessing. In the evening the pastor will discourse upon incarnate Conscience. You have a vital interest in these subjects. We shall be glad to have you hear them treated.

Church unity is a live question among twentieth century christians. The thought of all good hearts seem to be: we be brethren; let us get closer together. We should think well not ill of each other. But unity of heart must precede unity of body. Spiritual unity must precede corporate unity in the churches. The recent general convention of the Protestant Episcopal church spoke for unity, but insisted that it must be on the basis of the Historic Episcopate. Cardinal Gibbons of the Roman church, replying to this in a recent sermon, in Baltimore, said he rejoiced in this desire, but that it could only come about on the basis of the papacy, or as he phrased it, "when all christians recognize the One Chief Pastor". Now if the one will not unite except on the basis of the episcopate, and the other except on the basis of the papacy, and if protestants generally will not recognize either of these as essential to the church, how shall we get together? As we near the end of two thousand years of christian history we find the church more divided than ever before. Will it require two thousand more to get together? Is corporate unity the thing we want, or will we be satisfied with spiritual unity? At all events, as a step in the right direction, this thought should be pondered; that Christ did not pray that we might be one in the presbytery, or the conference, or the association, or the convention, or the episcopacy, or the papacy, but that we might be one in Christ.

Red Cross Xmas Seals may be had from the pastor. Call up the study at the church, phone Red 24.

### PASTOR.

# 1910 Christmas Announcement 1910

This list has been prepared for the convenience and assistance of our customers and friends in the selection of Christmas Gifts for members of their families and their friends. We have simply suggested some of the more desirable, useful things in our stock and the list is far from complete. Many things both useful and beautiful, are in our various departments for your examination and inspection that are not given in this list, and if you do not find the things you have in mind you will undoubtedly find them in variety and at the price you expect to pay, because our assortments are varied and we can meet a taste and any purse.

### Gloves.

Gloves are particularly suitable for holiday giving and we have such a variety for men, women and children that we are sure to have just what you are looking for.

### Fancy Hosiery.

There is nothing one will appreciate more than a good supply of Hosiery. It gives one a feeling of well being all out of proportion to the actual investment of these articles of wearing apparel. We can supply you with any quality, from staple grades up to fancy silk.

### Shoes.

Practical gifts are always in good form. The best leathers and the best makers are represented in our stock. The lasts are snappy and up to date for those who like the latest ideas. And we have more conservative styles for those who prefer them.

### Handkerchiefs.

There is nothing that will please one more than a box of Fine Handkerchiefs for a Christmas present, and the variety in our stock insures you finding just what you want. We have elegant single handkerchiefs of the finest textures in Embroidery and Lace designs.

### Linens.

Tables linens for gifts, some boxed, all fine values. Year after year more linens are brought for Christmas gifts, as year after year grows the custom of giving sensible gifts. And it would be hard to find anywhere a more complete or more beautiful stock of linens that the good housekeeper delights in than here.

### Dolls.

Christmas Dolls of all kinds are here. Nothing you can buy will gladden the hearts of the children so enthusiastically as a gift of one or more dolls. The models we offer are very reliable in quality and are marked at prices interestingly low.

### Toys.

You will find on our tables all of the newest and best things in toy games and children's books. This store has always been known for the variety shown and for the reasonableness of its toy prices.

### Men's Sweaters.

It is a rare thing to find a man who cannot find use for a sweater. Maybe he never thought of it himself. There is a fine assortment here made of the best worsted yarns in all the desirable colors.

### Men's Hats and Caps.

Men's Hats and Caps are practical and useful Christmas presents. You can either purchase the hat direct or secure an order for one and present that, leaving the style and size to be chosen by the recipient.

### Men's Neckwear.

There is something in the changing of a Necktie that makes a man feel better. It brightens things up and makes the world look rosier. A few new Neckties is the way to many a man's heart; they are something that he appreciates always.

Our Ties are good enough for any man in the land. The only difficulty you will have is to make a choice, there are so many patterns.

### Furs.

Never before have Furs been richer than they are this season. Prevailing fashions make a heavy demand on Furs, in fact, this may be known as the Fur season, and makers have devoted much care to the production of Furs which will harmonize with prevailing modes in dress.

### Rugs.

A new Rug is a woman's most prized possession and we know she will appreciate one for Christmas. You will find here a large variety of dependable makes in most beautiful patterns ranging in different size from the small door mat up to full room size.

### Stylish Handbags.

A Handbag of good quality makes a fitting gift to any woman. You can't fail to please by giving one as every woman likes to have a stylish, new Handbag. You'll find a selection from our stock a pleasure, because of the superior quality of the values we show. Here you may secure the very latest effects, in the better materials, handsomely finished and trimmed.

### Ladies' Waists

Useful and appreciated as Christmas gifts. A splendid variety to select from in all the wanted materials and made up in the latest designs. A new waist never comes amiss to any lady's wardrobe. There is always room for and desire for at least one more. We bought our stock with the needs of Christmas shoppers in mind and you will have no difficulty in finding the appropriate thing in waists.

### Nobby Neckwear.

Anything in Neckwear always makes an appropriate gift. Every girl is in need of a good variety in her wardrobe, and for this reason such articles are always appreciated gifts. There is a nice range of the latest color effects with handsome trimmings. The prices are such that it will not tax your pocketbook greatly to get one or two for the girl. A very small sum spent in this section of our store will produce appropriate gifts, gifts which you may feel certain will please.

### Hair Ornaments.

Hair Ornaments are useful and ornamentals gifts. We show you the best designs in various fashionable effects.

### Lace Curtains.

Nothing brightens up a room or gives it a more dainty appearance than a pair of Lace Curtains. You will find here all qualities in exclusive designs and styles.

### Dress Goods.

Nothing makes a more practical nor a more appreciated present than a dress pattern either in silk or woolen materials. Dress goods can be bought here with every assurance that the style color and price will be exactly right.

### Ladies' Skirts.

Gifts for the wardrobe invariably please. A handsome Dress Skirt is sure to prove a source of pleasure to the lucky woman.

### Confectionery.

What would Christmas be without Candies? Christmas day without Candy? Think of it. What would the Children say? Candy is one of the Christmas necessities that is best bought early as it is at the Candy counter where the greatest crush accumulates during the last holiday shopping—everybody wanting Candy. This season we have a practically unlimited assortment. All kinds of Candy.

Do not delay your Christmas buying. There is nothing to be gained by such waiting. You are always compelled to choose in the final rush and from broken and incomplete lines. Early buyers have the advantage of the new goods to choose from and more time and consideration at the disposal of the sales people. DO YOUR CHRISTMAS BUYING NOW.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS.

# Wilcox Department Store,

North Platte, Nebraska.