

PLATTSMOUTH HERALD.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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JEFF. L. STONE, - City Editor.

A. Salisbury, Dentist.

The Knights of Honor meet in regular session at their Lodge room tomorrow night.

Mrs. Quinn's tavern at Percival may look out for a hunting party Wednesday or Thursday.

Plattsmouth needs the diagonal road and Plattsmouth can secure it by the use of proper effort.

Lafe O'Neill's new building is to be completed and ready for occupancy inside of thirty days. In this way Plattsmouth opens the building boom of 1873.

The HERALD will hereafter receive at 3 p.m. each day the Chicago market telegraph, without omission any day—contrary to that effect being made known.

Mr. McLaughlin has been perfecting arrangements today for the building of his new brick residence on his lot corner of 5th and Oak streets.

One of the most severe and sudden changes in the weather for many months occurred since Saturday. The thermometer registering a change of 35° since Saturday noon, this morning.

The band was out at the skating rink Saturday night and an immense attendance was present. The rink is proving very attractive to the amusement loving people.

All members of the T. A. M. club are requested to meet at the council rooms to-morrow evening, at half past seven o'clock. Business of importance to be transacted.

Our contract for a summer dinner and low neck stockings is hereby declared off, and cold weather over and winter tooth pickings were now demanded.

The Edmon is home to Plattsmouth for a few days off. Thee has been operating at Nebraska City for some time and has made the prospect of widowhood much brighter for several wives.

Don't be surprised if Plattsmouth heads the list in the coming graduations of the Omaha Medical College, and the Omaha College doesn't take second place for even the Rush college of Chicago.

In Saturday's report of the St. Patrick's day celebration the Council Bluffs division was unintentionally omitted. There were about twenty who participated, and we cheerfully make the correction.

A couple of evil disposed fellows in an unchristian spirit, Saturday evening, appropriated to their own use, without the knowledge or consent of the owner, between \$3 and \$9 of hard earned money belonging to Mrs. Moore, and made their escape.

This office has occasion to remember the St. Patrick's day celebration, and wishes to extend thanks for the beautiful cake and fruit left at the office by the A. O. H. Every man has his hobby, and—well—but those gentlemen, come again.

Mr. Kank, a Bohemian who works in the shops, is building himself a neat, brick residence in the west end. It shows a healthy condition of things when the working men of our town afford to build themselves comfortable homes.

We have discovered the cause of this last bluster and the sudden change in the atmosphere. Bro. Sherman sacrificed a portion of his beard, and had his back hair plucked down to a pine apple shape. It is another evidence of the disfavor of democracy in the eyes of the Almighty.

The Cass county agricultural society met at D. H. Wheeler's office Saturday, and transacted business connected with the next fair. Several changes in the premium list were made and the same submitted and accepted. Several bills were allowed, and the matter of printing the premium list was left with the president, secretary and treasurer to open bids and award the work.

Our old friend, Geo. Mayfield, called on us today, and shows up lively and full of Louisville glee. Geo. and his boy E. O. Mayfield, and run the Louisville Observer. The observer is a sprightly, "newsy" paper, run in the interest of Louisville and deserves the warm support of the people of that vicinity; the better support the people give it a home paper the better paper it gets as a rule.

It's a hard rendering to witness a young lady, whose avocation is in the near vicinity of 150 lbs, dive down into the recesses of a treasure box about the size of a pine cap, and drag forth a miniature china doll about as big as the little end of nothing, both its arms broken off, and begin crossing it in the presence of bashful young men. If angels don't weep over such scenes, we want to weep or trade off our wings for a fire proof coat.

THE DIAGONAL.

The Route Below Des Moines Still Undecided.

It Will Depend Upon What the People Will Do.

Full Particulars of the Road.

The HERALD is very much in earnest in regard to the diagonal road, and the HERALD is glad this evening to say to our readers complete facts regarding the road, its standing and its work for the year. To secure this facts the HERALD wrote to Mr. Clark, of the Des Moines Register, receiving the following reply:

Des Moines, March 15, 1873.
H. M. BRENTANO, Dear Sir:

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