

The Plattsmouth Daily Herald.

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Candidate for County Judge.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Cass County subject to the Republican County Convention.

A Sallsbury Dentist, in Rockwood Building.

FOR RENT.—Furnished rooms, corner of 6th and Granite streets. 8-11

—Leave orders for wood with John Tutt at Bennett's grocery store. 8-11

—Remember the opera to-morrow evening.

—"Merchant of Venice" to-night at the Opera House.

—Twelfth Night in two acts to-morrow night at the Opera House.

A strike has been inaugurated on the street car lines in Chicago.

—Mr. A. S. Lesly, of Greenwood, attended the fair to-day.

—Mr. T. E. E. Mason of Shenandoah, Iowa, is in the city.

A temporary wagon bridge has been placed over the Loup at Columbus.

—Mrs. Ada C. Bittenbender was pleading before Judge Chapman to-day.

—Marie Prescott is a fine artist and every body should go and see her at the Opera House to-night.

—Mr. S. F. Rockwell of Louisville, is in the city to-day and made a pleasant call on us at our den.

—E. B. Sampson is moving to-day from the corner of 5th and Locust streets to Rock, near 5th street.

—Remember to-morrow is the last day of our county fair and do not fail to attend. It will pay you to go.

—Mr. H. G. Race, editor of the Weeping Water Eagle and S. P. Sine, foreman of the Eagle, attended the fair to-day.

—In the case of the State of Nebraska vs. Albert Pine, the jury returned a verdict of guilty and he was fined \$75 and costs.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Miller who were married yesterday afternoon left in evening for Newton Iowa on a short bridal tour.

—There was one plain drunk before Judge Mathews this morning. He was fined \$5 and costs which he paid and went his way rejoicing.

—A better day than to-day could not have been had for the fair,—discounting the dampness—and the people showed their appreciation by turning out in large crowds.

—The B. & M. train No. 1 this morning had three extra sleepers which it was taking to Lincoln to be used between Lincoln and St. Louis during the encampment. They were the Nashville, Mississippi and Memphis.

Chicago Markets.

Wheat for Oct., opened to-day at 69½, and remained about the same all day, and Dec. wheat opened at 72½ and reached as high as 73.

Corn for Oct., 41½, for May 44½.

—Marie Prescott and company played the grand, romantic drama entitled Ingomar last night to a fairly filled house. The audience was well pleased and applauded frequently. They will play to-night the "Merchant of Venice" and will undoubtedly be well patronized.

—The Y. W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting, in the Presbyterian church, on Saturday at 3 o'clock p. m. Important business demands the attendance of every member. By order of

OLIVE GASS, Pres.

Only Eight Days of Bliss.

Chris Schrumph was arrested this afternoon on charge of assault and battery, on a warrant sworn out by his wife, Anna, and the trial also came off to-day. In the trial it was shown that they had been married just eight days, and everything seemed to be going smoothly until a couple of days ago, and last night their harmony ended in a quarrel, and to-day the household goods were sold for \$12 and the two separated. Mr. Schrumph was fined \$25 and costs which was paid.

The Odd Fellows.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 21.—The session of the Sovereign grand lodge to-day continued its routine business. The continental competitive drill began at the River Front park this afternoon in the presence of 6,000 spectators. The Excelsior canton, No. 1, of Chicago was the first to take the ground and for an hour entertained the people, acquitting themselves with great credit. They were followed by the Arapahoe canton, No. 8, of Clay Center, Kas., and Cheyenne, No. 3, Cheyenne, Wyo.

The drill will be concluded to-morrow. The first prize for drill is \$1,000, second \$800, third \$600, and will be awarded Friday. The citizens and visiting Odd Fellows to-night were entertained at the River Front park with a grand military concert and fancy drill with pyrotechnic display by the G. A. R. flambeau club of Topeka, Kas.

—Light, colored and black worsted prince Albert suits perfect fitting at Mayer's.

They Can't Agree.

Last evening the jury in the case of the young men, Davis and Wilson, charged with the burglary of Will Warrick's house, was locked up at 4 o'clock. We have been told that the first ballot showed 9 to 3 in favor of acquittal. The jury has now been out over 24 hours and we understand that their ballots are the same, and it looks as though the jury would hang. Nevertheless court has been going on as usual today. The last case called was State of Nebraska vs. W. I. Foreman and Edward Knight, charged with attempt to break jail.

LATER:—Just as we go to press we learn the judge has discharged the jury. Their verdict being 9 to 3 in favor of acquittal.

—Sack suits to excel tailor-made garments in fit and make at Mayer's Opera House Clothing Store.

List of Letters

Remaining unclaimed, in the Postoffice at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Sept. 12, 1887 for the week ended Sept. 10.

- Adams, Mrs. Lew. Barickman, John. Baird, John R. Bates, Mrs. Lucy. Cameron, J. M. Deane, Mr. Dunton, Mrs. L. A. France, C. Grace, Miss Lizzie E. Hronek, Matey, Knight, Miss Blanch. Kendall & Co. Lovell, Miss Lottie. Maller, Christina. H. Marshall, Chas. H. Moser, Wm. Nichols, Mrs. Amelia. Owens, W. F. Price, Miss Anna. Rhea, J. E. Schunemann, Charles, Kogler, Miss Cassa. Thomas, John H. Tew, Master Elmer. Wheeler, B. S. Lorraine, J. B. Wolf, Miss Mary.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised." J. N. Wise, P. M.

—Mother's friend shirt waists at Mayer's the reliable clothiers.

THE FAIR TO-DAY.

The Business Houses Close in Honor of The Occasion and Everybody Goes.

The Afternoon Nice and The Day a Success.

The day opened rather threatening this morning with the streets a little muddy, but at noon the clouds broke, the mud disappeared and the street cars and carriages were filled to overflowing by persons on their way to the fair grounds. The track was in a fair condition considering the night's rain.

During the forenoon premiums were awarded on horses, as near as we were able to learn, as follows:

- Best draft stallion four years old or over, first premium \$10; entered by Marshall & Gall. Best jack two years or over, first premium \$10; entered by Nicholas Holman. Best family carriage team weighing 1,000 pounds or over, first premium \$8; taken by W. D. Jones' grays; second premium \$4, taken by Sam Ritcherson, of Eight Mile Grove. Best draft mare, weighing 1,400 or more, first premium, \$10, was taken by John B. Holmes; second premium, \$5, taken by J. Grassman. Best mare of any age or breed, sweepstakes, \$10, taken by J. Grassman. Best colt under one year, \$5, taken by L. Ruesteikoltz. Best pair mules any age, first premium, \$5, taken by W. L. Propst. Best roadster, first premium \$—taken by Wm. Gilmour.

SWEPTSTAKES.

- Best and largest display of boots and shoes, \$15, taken by Peter Merges. Best and largest display of musical instruments, \$10, taken by J. P. Young. Best and largest display of harness and goods kept in harness shops, \$10, taken by O. M. Streight. Best and largest display of dry goods, \$15, taken by Solomon & Nathan. Best and largest display of hardware, stoves and tinware, \$10, taken by Jno. S. Duke.

The records of awards for cattle and fruits were not handed in, in time for us to obtain them, and we hope to give them to-morrow. The afternoon races were also too late for publication. The crowd at the grounds was very large, and from 1 to 3:30 o'clock two men were kept busy at the gate handing tickets out to the anxious crowd outside, and the street cars were jam full every trip.

Main street presented the appearance of Sunday, and very little business was transacted in the city. One excellent feature of the fair is that no liquor is allowed to be sold either on the grounds or on the outside, and everything passes off smoothly, all seeming to have a grand good time. Order prevailed everywhere. To-morrow is the last day of our great county fair, let everybody improve the opportunity and attend.

—English melton, cassimere, cheviot, and tricot four button frock suits at Mayer's.

Jessie Benton Fremont.

Jessie Benton Fremont, famous for her beauty when she made her runaway match with the army lieutenant, in her maturer womanhood is hardly less captivating or interesting than in her younger period. Tall and with grace of movement, she reflects in face and form the mellowed tints of that which, when a belle, was in it glow. The contour of face and head is queenly. In profile, the forehead, nose and mouth are perfect in Grecian mold. Her face, in repose, is sweet, confiding and matronly. The thick hair that covers her head is of the purest white, but she still looks youthful, nevertheless.

"We are roughing it here," she said as she entered the parlor. "Here we find quiet, and the general much pleasure in preparing the manuscript for the second volume of his book. He has gone to New York today to see his publishers." I asked Mrs. Fremont if the general, in view of his advancing years, showed any cause of breaking down. "Not a bit of it," was her cheery answer. "The general is 77 years of age, but he is yet a young man. I feel for him sweltering in this hot day in New York. But in his work and purposes he is as young as ever. In the preparation of his book he dictates much of it to me. Lillie, my daughter, is somewhat proficient with the typewriter, so that the publishers get the manuscript in the best of form."

I then led the conversation up to her father. At once Mrs. Fremont became enthusiastic. Apparent was it that the old time favorite son of Missouri was her idol. "I keep posted on politics now," she said; "but I do not take the interest I once did. You see we are between the stages of politics. The questions at issue between the parties are not as absorbing as they were when the question of slavery was a constant agitation. Now we have the tariff. I can recall delegation after delegation calling on father discussing the pros and cons of it. I once said to him: 'Why do these men talk of the tariff? Why not something else?' His answer was the tariff and its adjustment would ever be an important question. To me the talk of the crops, so much repeated, often became a bore. My father once said good crops enable the kings to squeeze the people out of more taxes, and bad crops provoked revolution. Quite a way of illustrating," she added, with a laugh.—Cor. Boston Globe.

The Speculator and the Restler.

The real estate agent met the man at the depot, who had invested in the new Dakota town by mail, and after a twenty mile ride across the prairie, he said to him:

"We are now exactly in the center of Metropolis City."

"What?" yelled the speculator, "I don't see but three houses!"

"Of course—I live in one, the newspaper is printed in another and the post-office is in the other."

"And where are all the railroads I saw on the map?"

"Coming, sir, all of them coming. No mistake about it, because I am president of each company."

"But are those lots I bought right here by the postoffice?"

"Such questions make me tired. No, sir, those lots by the postoffice are for the chamber of commerce, and all the others around here are business lots. You bought residence lots—they are beyond the slough and over the hill, about a mile from here. You don't want to live right in the heart of a city, do you? By the way, I keep a hotel as well as a real estate office—do you want to stay with me to-night, or will you lay out? If you want to stop with me you'll have to pay in advance—I don't like the looks of your baggage."—Dakota Bell.

Effects of Tea Tasting.

"Ten years ago only one store in a hundred had what is known as a tea taster; now there is no tea house of any importance whatever which has not in one of its employes a good tea taster," said a large wholesale tea dealer. "A thousand chests of tea will be received; the tea taster then gets in his work. A little tea is taken and put in a scale; just enough to balance a five cent piece. It is then placed in cups and boiling water is poured over the tea. The taster then takes a sip from each cup and writes down on a piece of paper his idea of its worth. "No two tasters, however, agree to the value of tea, especially the black Oolong, which is mostly drank in this city." "Does the tea have any injurious effect on the taster?" "Sometimes he will get hold of a positively rank grade, and then he will spit it out as soon as he can. Frequent tasting often makes a man very nervous, and most of those men soon acquire a positive dislike for tea and drink nothing but coffee. There are connoisseurs of tea as well as whisky."—Philadelphia News.

With Head to the North.

The superstition that human beings should sleep with their heads to the north is believed by the French to have for its foundation a scientific fact. They affirm that each human system is in itself an electric battery, the head being one of the electrodes, the feet the other. Their proof was discovered from experiments which the Academy of Sciences was allowed to make on the body of a man who was guillotined. This was taken the instant it fell placed upon a pivot free to move as it might. The head part, after a little vacillation, turned to the north, and the body then remained stationary. It was turned half way round by one of the professors, and again the head end of the trunk moved slowly to the cardinal point due north, the same results being repeated until the final restoration of organic movement.—New York Star.

Be Sure and Rap Them.

A dangerous counterfeit of the silver dollar is made of ground glass combined with tin, lead and other metals. Experienced bank tellers say they cannot easily detect this counterfeit. These glass dollars are brittle. If held in the palm of the hand and rapped vigorously with a knife handle, the dollar is easily split. They have the metallic ring of a genuine dollar, are the correct size, and of nearly the exact weight.—Philadelphia Call.

Preparing the Family "Grave Clothes."

In former years it was the custom in old Esopus, now Kingston, N. Y., for all thrifty dames to prepare "grave clothes" for the various members of their family. With the growth of a child the old "grave clothes" would be discarded and new garments made. A laughable story about a relative of the Late Judge Westbrook, of Kingston, is told by an exchange:

Mrs. —'s grave clothes had been laid carefully away for many a long day. When grown yellow or mussed looking the old lady would "do them up fresh" with her own hands, and a feeling of blissful readiness and security would again be hers.

One day a neighbor called on the old lady, and the latter was found to be greatly perturbed over something.

"Guess you'd be flustered, too," said the excited dame, "if somebody came and borrowed your grave clothes, just after they'd all been done up fresh. That shiftless Miss —! I know she wouldn't have anything fit to wear when she came to die; and sure enough, it was borrow, even after her death. Such shiftlessness I never could endure! Now I've got to go to work and make up another set, or I may be caught in the same box."

The old lady, who was then past 90, went promptly to work and had fresh grave clothes made up, and it is asserted on good authority that she lived only a few hours after their completion.—Youth's Companion.

Japanese Funeral Procession.

As we started to leave this store a Japanese funeral procession was passing the door. First came three men, each carrying an immense stand of new cut flowers, who were followed by several men carrying and beating tom-toms. After these came a procession of men dressed in blue, marching two by two and each wearing a large straw hat, very similar to a lady's sundown, tied under the chin so as to almost hide the face. Behind the procession came the pall-bearers, four men, supporting two bamboo poles on their shoulders, on which rested what looked like a large coffin box entirely covered with white. In this box was the corpse, pressed down to a squatting position. Next came the mourners, men and women, and after them a number of creoles, each carrying a bamboo pole on his shoulder, on each end of which was slung a large black tea box containing food for the dead and his family deities.—Cor. Baltimore Sun.

Lieut. Schwatka says he has seen in Alaska huge mammoth tusks of fine ivory in the curve of which a man could stand straight.

HERR MOST wants an "uprising." So do the people of the United States—an "uprising" of Herr Most at the end of a good strong cord of hemp.—Sioux City Journal.

It is hoped by all good people that the "uprising" will soon be had.

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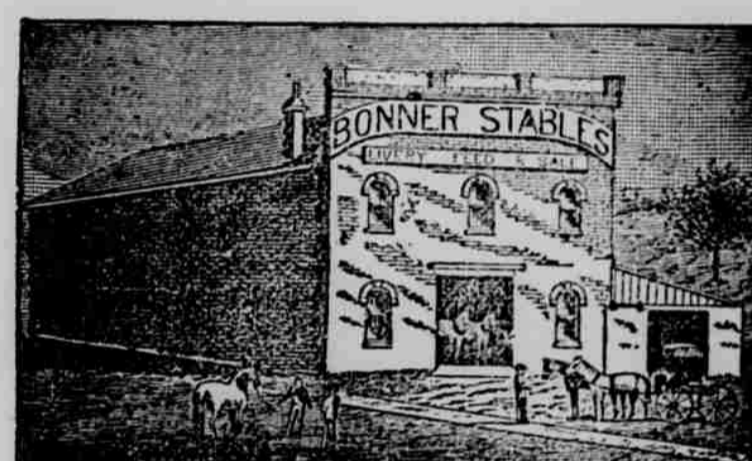
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