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SEWING—All kinds of plain and fancy sewing, dressmaking, repairing, gents' and boys' clothes done at the rooms of Mrs. Orilla Sherman, over Coates' hardware store, 418 Main street.

FOR SALE—A good house with eight rooms and all kinds of fruit, good barn, well and cistern, three lots. Apply at this office.

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to all the faults of the loved one in everything but untidy or soiled linen. A dainty woman draws the line on that. To look immaculately neat and presentable, and have your collar, cuff or shirt irreproachable in color and finish, bring it to Plattsmouth City Steam Laundry.

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FOR BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Giddiness, Fullness after meals, Headache, Dizziness, Drowsiness, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Constiveness, Blotches on the Skin, Cold Chills, Disturbed Sleep, Nightly Dreams and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations.

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A WONDERFUL MEDICINE. BEECHAM'S PILLS, taken as directed, will quickly restore Females to complete health. They promptly remove obstructions or irregularities of the system and cure **SICK HEADACHE.** For a

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IT IS THE GREAT THROAT AND LUNG REMEDY.

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WILL PURCHASE SOME NEW FIRE HOSE

Council Gives the Contract to a New York Firm.

The Matter of Advertising the City in Campbell's Magazine Discussed and Decided, and a Committee Will Select Buildings For Which Cuts Will be Made.

Last night's regular meeting of the city council was an unusually interesting and important one, much business coming up for consideration. Upon the roll call by the clerk, Slater was found to be the only absent member, but he came in later. The minutes of last meeting were read, corrected and approved, after which the council went after the business which came before it.

Clerk Kerr announced that he had written to the chiefs of the fire departments in Denver, Grand Island and St. Louis, in regard to the hose which those corporations have in use, but had received a reply only from the latter. The communication from the St. Louis fire chief enumerated and described the merits of several brands of hose in use down there. The document was accepted and placed on file.

When the judiciary committee was asked if it had any business to bring before the meeting, Cummins, as chairman, announced that they had again interviewed Mr. Dovey in regard to the latter's damage suit against the city. He said that Mr. Dovey, upon being asked the extent of the damage sustained, had expressed himself as not being in favor of accepting any money consideration under \$500—he having brought suit in the sum of \$1000. The matter as to what should be done in the premises, occasioned some discussion. Sattler moved that the committee be given further time to confer with Mr. Dovey, in co-junction with the city attorney, and report at the next meeting. It was thought in this way an agreement, favorable to all concerned, could be reached. The motion prevailed unanimously.

The report of the police judge and city marshal were found correct and ordered placed on file.

Mayor Gatsche next announced the council's readiness to take up unfinished business, and invited the representative of Campbell's Illustrated Journal to come forward and more fully state his case. The gentleman stated that since the special meeting he had written to Manager Campbell in regard to the appropriation spoken of, and that the manager had requested him to withdraw the application if the city did not see its way clear in the matter, and make the further and more conservative proposition that if the council would select a committee and decide upon what buildings they wished cuts made of, the magazine would have the cuts made and furnish a write-up of the city in its next issue free of charge. He produced the last number of the magazine, also the title page for the one next month, and both showed artistic workmanship. The representative said that they had been greatly misrepresented in this city; that it could be seen from the proposition he had just made that instead of doing the city harm his concern would be doing it lasting good by the free advertising it would receive. He assured the council that the magazine for next month would be nearly twice as large as the present number—or about 154 pages—and stated that cuts would positively be made of the B. & M. shop buildings and appear in that issue. In conclusion he asked the co-operation of the council and the merchants in general, and assured them that the movement would be a credit to Plattsmouth's institutions.

Sattler saw nothing wrong with this proposition, and his motion to lay the matter on the table for the present to enable the gentleman to draw a resolution of just what he wanted, prevailed unanimously.

The report of the finance committee was adopted, and on motion of Lutz, the clerk was instructed to draw warrants for the amounts against the city. The matter of purchasing new hose was next taken up. There were five representatives of different hose manufacturing companies present, each with a view of entering into a contract with the city. A communication from the W. S. Knott company, of New York, was first read by the clerk, but on motion it was decided that no proposals would be considered unless accompanied by samples. It was decided that one representative should address the council at a time, the remainder to retire from the room. The first speaker was T. S. Clifford, who represented the B. F. Goodrich Co. Mr. Clifford quoted prices, and warranted his hose to stand a 400-pound pressure. Next came a representative of the Boston Belting Co., who also quoted prices and spoke about the good qualities of his hose. He said the entire Burlington system used hose manufactured by the company he represented, and he thought that was sufficient recommendation. The Maltese Cross Co's representative came next, after which the representative of Dawson & Cole Bros. appeared. Each produced samples and quoted prices. The last speaker

was here in the interests of the New York Belting & Packing Co. He said he represented the manufacturer direct—an advantage over a great many salesmen—which fact, he said, enabled him to quote very low prices. Among several other samples of different brands of hose, he displayed and talked about the "Keystone" hose, which was guaranteed to last a very reasonable length of time. The price of the latter brand of hose was 80 cents per foot.

When the last speaker had finished, Herold moved that the city purchase 500 feet of the "Keystone" hose. White thought it best to find out first exactly how much hose was needed before placing a contract, but after discussing the matter at length—in which the chief of the fire department was consulted in regard to the condition and amount of hose on hand—Herold's motion prevailed unanimously, and the city will enter into a contract for 500 feet of hose with the New York Belting & Packing company—a nozzle and couplings to be furnished free of charge.

The resolution which the Campbell magazine representative was requested to draft was next presented, read by the clerk and adopted, and Messrs. Sattler, Herold and Rabel appointed as a committee.

After Joe Warga had been granted permission to work out some poll tax near his place of residence, a motion to adjourn prevailed.

The County Money

The county treasurer today let out the county funds to the banks which bid the highest, as follows: First National, \$15,000; Bank of Cass County, \$15,000; Bank of Commerce, \$3,000; First National bank of Weeping Water, \$5,000. The banks only pay 3 per cent interest on the above amounts for the coming year. This will leave on account of a foolish law enacted by the last legislature, several thousand dollars which must remain idle in the vaults, because the law says a bank cannot borrow over 30 per cent of its capital stock, no matter how good a bond it might give.

With a large sum of money in the vault the commissioners will have to hire a special guard to take charge of it every night—a fine condition of affairs, indeed.

The Christian Church Crowded.

Fully 400 people attended the baptismal service at the Christian church last evening, and many were unable to gain admittance. Rev. Lemon, in his usual bright and interesting manner, addressed the audience, and proved conclusively that the only way a man can be saved is by repenting of his sins and then to be baptized.

At the conclusion of Rev. Lemon's sermon eighteen young people had the sacrament of baptism administered unto them. One young girl went to the altar and publicly acknowledged her intentions of living a Christian life.

Subject tonight, "Four Fools That We Read About in the Bible." All are invited.

A Farewell Party.

Quite a crowd of young people met at the home of Misses Mabel and Irene Leesley Saturday evening to bid farewell to their friend Annie McKay, who is going with her parents to South Omaha to live. The evening was spent in playing suitable and entertaining games, and in the enjoyment of a nice lunch served during the evening.

Those present were Eddie and Anna Oliver, Ray Chriswiser, James Archer, Eddie and May Larson, Earl Lewis, Harley Voldey, Earl, Mabel and Irene Leesley, Joe and Lynda Perry, Earl and May Kuhney, Harry Messersmith, Minnie and Maud McKay, Annie O'Neal and Ettie Twiss.

The Ivy Lodge Social.

Monday evening, March 7, Ivy lodge D. of H. will give a social at Fitzgerald's hall. A nice literary and musical program will be provided, and refreshments will be served. An admission of 10 cents will be charged—refreshments free.

Shot By a Tramp.

GLENWOOD, Ia., Feb. 28.—Pearl Johnson of Woodburn, Ia., a brakeman on No. 74, was shot through the face, fracturing his jaw and through the arm, while ejecting a tramp at Mill's Station, Ia.

Marriage Licenses.

Following are the marriage licenses issued by Judge Sparlock since our last report:
Alfredo Florian Nickels..... 28
Miss Katherine Klaurons..... 28
Fred King Clark..... 28
Ada Perilla Swan..... 28

Friday, March 4.

Mad March party—you can't forget it—at Mrs. Agnews, under the auspices of the King's daughters. Admission 15 cents, refreshments free, and a delightful evening thrown in.

New Improvements.

The Pearl Steam laundry has just received one of the latest pattern bosom, collar and cuff ironers from Chicago, and is better prepared than ever to do nice work. Remember—Pearl Steam laund-v. Main street.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Choice Hay.

Baled timothy and clover hay for sale at A. H. Weckbach & Co's.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time, I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed or price refunded.

Choice Home Made Bread.

Mrs. Morning's Light, Cream, Graham, Rye, Boston Brown, Salt Rising, Glutin or any other kind of bread, also tea rolls, cookies, cakes, doughnuts, coffee bread, hominy, mince meat and all other home cooking, is being delivered to all parts of the city. Stop the wagon or go to Hart's market if you wish any. We are prepared to furnish everything suitable for tea parties, surprise parties, receptions, etc. Satisfaction assured. Give us a trial.

The Sure La Grippe Cure.

There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters are the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your liver, stomach and kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at F. G. Fricke & Co's. drug store, only 50 cents per bottle.

Notice to Dressers.

From now until March 1st we will make a reduction of 10 per cent on all fancy suitings and pantings. This will give to all fine dressers a chance to wear clothes made at home by a TAILOR, who employs no one but first-class mechanics. The spring and summer wools are now in. Cleaning, dyeing and repairing given prompt attention. J. C. PTAKE, Under Bank of Cass County.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, 1898.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY,

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 10th day of December, A. D. 1898.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
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Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children, Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

It Pays to Get the Best.

W. E. and C. E. Crabb are delivering the best of milk to their customers in all parts of the city. Try our system of bottle delivery.

At schiappeassee's.

A complete line of choice tropical fruits, candies and cigars. Oysters served in every style at his old stand, opposite Bank of Cass county.

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HARD COAL,

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ALL GRADES OF WOOD.

Hay, Corn, Oats and all Kinds of Feed Constantly on Hand.

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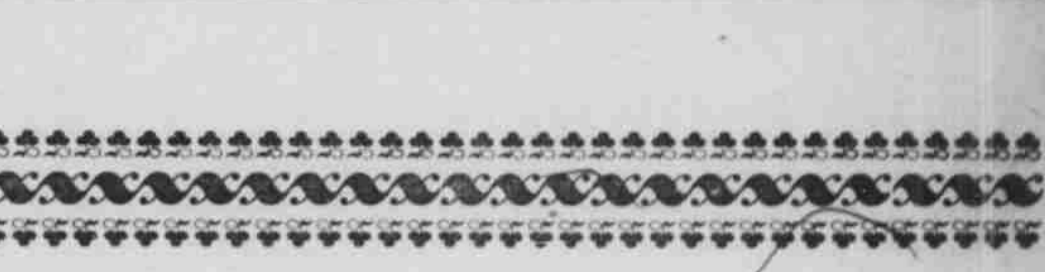
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We have just received the nobbiest line of

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Ever shown in Plattsmouth.

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By watchfulness on our part we made an extra good deal on

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CALF, KIP AND GRAIN BOOTS FROM \$1.50 UP.

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