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PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1894.

WILL BUILD THE ROAD

The City Council Will Assist the

Free Ferry Project.

THE NEW INDUSTRY PROJECT.

Last Week's Mass Meeting Calls Out An

Enthusiastic Audience-A Strong,

United Pull May Yet Land

the Prize - Notes.

Will Establish a Free Ferry Road.

DISTRICT COURT.

AROUND THE COURT ROOMS.

Candidates for citizenship are rushing in rather rapidly of late at the

district clerk's office. in anticipation of the coming April election. The Germans and Swedes are in the lead. Judge Chapman last Friday, while MADDEN SECURES HIS FREEDOM holding district court at Nebraska

City, sentenced the following prisoners to the penitentiary: Charles Tolliver, for robbery, sixteen months; Thomas Martin, assault with deadly weapon. one year; Henry Durand, burglary, one year; Joseph Wachtler, burglary, fourteen months.

COUNTY COURT.

License to wed was issued in county citizens Friday night in honor of W. F. sence of Clerk Fox, Councilman court yesterday to Mr. Frank Deck and Hamilton, manager of the Hotel Riley, court of Lancaster county. It is said Miss Pearl Marks. The prospective while the bride resides on the old Por- in attendance. The Riley has estab-

and after considerable discussion court Tuesday to Mr. Ransom M. Cole and is an institution in which the quaintances throughout the state. Grimes moved that the question be and Miss Maggie Spangler. The par- citizens of Plattsmouth take a great ties are among the best known young deal of pride. Under Mr. Hamilton's the next election. The vote was an people in Cass county and are worthy management the hotel has been a sucoverwhelming defeat for the market every joy which wedded life may bring. cess in the full meaning of the word.

tions C A. Pankonin, the Louisville pre- him last night. cinct farmer who wanted his son-inket place movement, Grimes again fore County Judge Ramsey last Satur- cards and conversation until supper brought up the free ferry project. His day and took it all back. The judge was announced, when all repaired to bear the train as it rumbled down upent road to the free ferry which the in journeying out into Louisville pre- by Matthew Gering, R. B. Wind-

Spies, Steimker, Lake, Bridge and Saturday, but was continued until from the county jail, where he has recover, although most any other per-

The Business Men's Banquet.

lished a reputation of being one of the

THE JOURNAL extends congratula- and in recognition of his efforts and enterprise the banquet was tendered

Guests to the number of nearly one law, Frank Wannamaker, put under hundred assembled at the hotel and and Leavenworth streets in Omaha bonds to keep the peace, appeared be- passed several hours pleasantly at about five o'clock Sunday afternoon. dismissed the case, but Mr. Pankonin the dining room. Mayor Butler prewas called upon to pay the court costs. sided as toast-master, and toasts on air and alighted on her head in the which included the fees of the sheriff appropriate topics were responded to deep gully beside the tracks. Her ham. Guy Livingston, Byron Clark, J. L Root, D. O. Dwyer, H. D. Travis, M. Archer and others. The menu of

the feast was very elaborate and added to Mr. Hamilton's reputation as a first-class hotel men.

Granted the Writ. County Judge Ramsey Saturday The horse trading case, wherein Lon passed upon the application for a writ Marshall and Cal Graves are the inter- of habeas corpus, whereby it was ested parties, was set for hearing last Sought to release one John Madden accident. The old lady is expected to

THE M. P. GRAIN RATE J. Dan Lauer, one of Lincoln's most widely known citizens, died suddenly Tuesday afternoon at his home on Sixteenth and N streets. Mr. Lauer Grain Rates Given Shippers Over the has been ailing for some time and on Tuesday afternoon his condition appeared more critical than usual, and his relatives were called in about half THEIR MONOPOLY IS AT AN END an hour before his death. Deceased was for many years connected with the State Journal, was a brother-in-law of H. D. Hathaway of that paper, and was once one of the most widely known newspaper men in Nebraska. Mr. Lauer was steward of the insane asylum, and figured prominently in the recent trials against the officers of that institution. He was indicted on a in the September term of the district

Dan Lauer is Dead.

dered by the business men and leading number of charges but was acquitted was a very pleasant affair and will no serious results were anticipated groom hails from Saunders county, long be remembered by those who were from his illness, and it was reported that he was seen down town on Tuesday. His sudden death will be a sur-License to wed was issued in county best appointed hostelries in Nebraska, prise to his many friends and ac-

> Struck by An M. P. Passenger Train. Mrs. Donahue is an old Irish lady about 70 years of age, and has been in the Douglas county hospital for some time. Sunday she wandered away. She was walking along the Missouri Pacific railroad tracks at Thirty-ninth She is somewhat deaf, and did not on her. She was thrown high in the head was badly cut. The train, which was the north-bound afternoon passenger, was slowed up and the unfortunate woman was carried to the Webster street depot, where a doctor dressed the wounds. She was out of her head and talked gibberish. A bottle of brandy was found in her possession, which she said she got from an Omaha drug store. It is feared that she had been drinking just before the

\$1.00 IF PAID IN ADVANCE.

M. P. to be Investigated.

T. White Is Found Guilty at Nebraska City-Wholesale Expulsions at the High School-Sold the Doctor's Tools-Notes.

Roaring About Grain Rates. For a long time past the towns located along the line of the Missouri Pacific railway have almost monopolized the grain trade of Cass county. and fully eighty per cent of the grain shipped out of the county has been carried to market over that line. The reason for this appears to be that shippers were given the benefit of lower freight rates or were in receipt of rebates. For instance, the market price of corn at Mynard has at times been two cents per bushel higher than at Cedar Creek, and farmers living near Murdock have hauled their corn through that town and marketed it at Eagle; where the price was several cents per bushel higher. The B. & M. and Rock Island companies have thus been completely shut out of grain carrying business in this vicinity, and have decided to take some action in the matter and the rates given shippers over the Missouri Pacific will be investigated, probably by the interstate commerce commission, as it is in direct violation of the inter-state commerce act to give lower rates or rebates to particular favorites among shippers.

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White Found Guilty.

The case of the state vs. Z. T. White, charged with libelling Secretary of Agriculture Morton, was resumed one Tuesday morning at Nebraska City at nine o'clock. Quite an array of witnesses were called, who established a complete chain of evidence around the defendant. The jury retired about twelve o'clock, and in a short time re-

Ave-Jones, Longenhagen, Grimes, Smith. Nay-Graves. This ended the session.

The city council met in special session at the council chamber last night. Mayor Butler presided, and in the ab-Graves officiated as clerk.

The question of ordering a special levy for the purchase of ground to the value of \$5,000 on which a market ter farm south of this city. place was to be erected, was broached submitted to the voters of the city at place, standing as follows:

Aye-Jones, Longenhagen and Grimes

Nay-Steimker, Spies, Lake, Smith, Bridge and Graves.

Undaunted by the defeat of the marmotion was that it be the sense of the council to render all possible aid toward the construction of a perman-

business men will soon commence cinct to make the arrest. running at their own expense. On Monday night the council sat down upon the same motion, but last night several of the "dads" had evidently experienced a change of heart. for they proceeded to vote it through with a celerity which was relishing. The record of the ballots is as follows:

JUSTICE ARCHER'S COURT.

Justice Archer rendered an opinion Monday in the suit of J. M. Craig vs. John Johnson, and gave Craig a judgment for \$180.35, the full amount sned

BOUNTEOUS BANQUET Tendered Landlord Hamilton By Our

Leading Citizens.

Justice Stewart Exceeded His Jurisdiction in Assessing the Fine-Property Owners Have a Duty to Perform-Other Notes.

The complimentary banquet ten-

"in either English or German. This coupon number changes every week.

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Any JOURNAL subscribers who wish the German edition can secure them at the same price as the English edition. One coupon and 10 cents gets a number. Twenty numbers complete the set.

Abandoned the Hoe.

Journal describes J. A. McMurphy's of the first proposition, but the inreturn to journalistic duties in the fol- crease is really so small that the town lowing:

RETURNED TO THE TRIPOD. The pen is a few lines mightier than the hoe. Jim Mallon.

All the people of the globe will be pained to learn that John A. MacMuring! phy, who has been facetiously referred to as the warhorse of Nebraska journalism, has abandoned useful toil to accept a position as associate editor free ferry project met at Judge Archand junior warden of the Plattsmouth | er's office last night and discussed the News.

sigh of relief when they learned from committee consisting of Messrs. H. R. a reliable source that Mr. Mac. had Gering, Sam Guttman, J. W. Hendee quit the newspaper business and had and F. J. Morgan were appointed purchased a small triangular gravel to confer with the several ferrypit near Omaha for the purpose of run- men, and were given power to conning a market garden. They felt that clude terms and agreements for the there would be a greater demand for operation of a free ferry for the his garding sass than there had ever coming season. The committe met this been for his editorials, and they were afternoon at Gering's drug store but right. The demand materialized, but did not arrive at any agreement with John couldn't meet it. He, who had the ferrymen. Another meeting will for years been telling the farmers how soon be held. to farm their farms, couldn't successfully conduct a garden the size of a Columbian stamp.

He tried to raise yams, for instance, and had a chicken coop filled with birds of Paradise and a pool of water filled with electric eels; he thought he could beat the Bell company by making the cels fornish the battery for a telephone line, and was fooled. It was and trying in vain. Finally the garden caved in and John had to have some-

braska journalism. He ran the Wahoo Wasp for several years and then purchased R. D. Kelley of Fremont and issued him as a weekly until the indignant subscribers threw a bomb into the office. After this he dressed himself as a girl of sixteen and tried to marry Nat Smails, but the fragments away.

We cordially welcome him back to journalism, which is the true market garden of the world.

The Distillery Meeting. The mass meeting of citizens at the

court house for the discussion of the distillery project called out a big crowd Archer Saturday, but was continued and was productive of good results, until March 13th. "The Vanishing White City," or and was productive of good results, scenes of the world's fair, are printed the subscription lists being increased

Walt Mason in Sunday's Lincoln quired by the general understanding can not afford to give up at the last moment just when success is close at hand. A bit of earnest hustling will law, County Judge Ramsey. result in the subscription of the required amount. Let all be up and do-

The Free Ferry Meeting.

Our business men interested in the that state. terms of several propositions from Some years ago the people heaved a parties for operating the ferry. A

Burglars at Louisville.

The town of Louisville was visited stands. To answer them all would be general store, and a quantity of gloves, mittens and clothing was taken. There was no one sleeping in the store has not yet secured a new trial. painful to see him doddering around that night, as Mr. Ball who lives in that alleged garden trying to rise the rear of the store was away. They, something without the aid of a derrick, broke the large glass in the front door office at Plattsmouth Feb. 27, for week within Plattsmouth. They departed and when they were inside lit the ending Feb. 20: thing to do, so he went to Plattsmouth. lamps and proceeded to help them-Mr. MacMurphy is a pioneer in Ne- selves. It is surmised they must have been frightened away, as the loss was small.

You are cordially invited to the balmasque to be given at the White opera house Friday evening, March 30th. Admission 15 cents. Dance tickets 75 of free lunch on his mustache gave him cents. Parties holding dance tickets on trial charged with criminal libel, dows. Little damage was done. They strong possibility that Filbert may be faces at the door. Grand march with the offense of publishing lottery case, but the agent thinks nothing was departure for other states with an unpromptly at 8:30.

March 10th. The case of Dr. E. E. Reynolds vs.

Chas. Correll, wherein the doctor brings suit on account of medical services, was set for hearing before Judge

with the descriptions in German, a fairly liberal amount. The final in Saturday night, and on Monday ing Madden his freedom. The Mur- teresting feature of the concluding proposition of the agents for the indus- contributed \$10.35 in police court for dock justice also made another bluntry was read, and was received by the having absorbed an abundance of corn der in sentencing the prisoner to audience as being exceedingly fair and juice. Noyes had quite a pocket-full ninety days' imprisonment, as the one which the town should strain of money and the police strongly susevery nerve to meet its requirements. pect that a smooth-appearing stranger at thirty days. Madden's offense was The bonus required in the last propo- had dosed Noyes with bad whiskey, that of smashing in the windows of sition is a trifle larger than was re- with the intent of possessing his the Rock Island depot at South Bend.

wealth. COURT ROOM NOTES.

Dr. Waterman of Hay Springs is in the city, the guest of his brother-in-

Deputy Sheriff R. W. Hyers journeyed to South Bend Tuesday to These men certainly are possessed of has commenced divorce proceedings in tion of an enormous industry in our thrive.

sane patients at Hastings.

granted a new trial has become so they now have a splendid opportunity general that County Attorney Travis to do something for the town. Will is beseiged almost every day by a small they do it ? We shall see !

army of persons, none of whom fail to put the question as to how the matter

by burglars on Wednesday night. An to invite paralysis of the throat entrance was effected at J. N. Drake's muscles due to overaction, and by his request THE JOURNAL will state that Jailer Denson's star boarder, Mr. Hill,

List of Letters

Burtt, Edward Clark, Mrs. Della

Treeman Chas. E McKay, Mrs. Vina Sheldon, Mrs. Nellie Meek, Dollie Spaulding, L. C.

Persons calling for any of the above letters or parcels will please say "advertised." H. J. STREIGHT, P. M.

advertisements. taken.

accident. It was shown that Justice Stewart of

Murdock had fined Madden \$100 and also sentenced him to ninety days in the county jail. The assessment of double punishment for misdemeanors is held unlawful by the supreme court,

Chas. Noyes, a farm hand, was run nothing but grant the writ, thus givstatutes fix the maximum punishment

Heavy Property Owners Have a Duty.

ject. As the matter now stands the bonus lacks but little of completion.

midst will have the certain effect to

Mrs. Jno. McDaniels, the woman increase the value of their property to who was adjudged insane Monday by a considerable extent. Why, then, do the authorities, was taken to the Lin- they persist in holding back when coln asylum Tuesday by Sheriff Eiken- the location of the industry here bary. From Lincoln the sheriff will means a certain gain to themjourney to Hastings in charge of Mrs. selves? Let them come manfully Holden, a former Cass county inmate forward and subscribe an amount in at the Lincoln institution, and will proportion to their wealth. The proturn her over to the authorities in ject can not succeed unless they do charge of the asylum for chronic in- their duty. In no sense are they sacrificing themselves. Having grown The idea that Harry Hill has been wealthy as residents of Plattsmouth

The Magnates Were Here.

President Perkins of the Burlington

system and some half dozen other rail- jailed. way magnates, in accordance with the previous announcement in these columns, arrived from the east on Tuesday at 6:30 on a special train, consisting of private coaches Nos. 99, 100 and 200. The train was sidetracked at this Remaining uncalled for in the post- point and the party passed the night Tuesday at eight o'clock for the northwest, the train being in charge of Conductor Weeks.

been confined for the past two weeks. son would have been killed in a similar

Crystal Springs Church Division. The revival meetings which have been in progress at the Crystal Springs church southeast of town for the past three weeks, under the direction of and County Judge Ramsey could do Rev. Jne. Folding, of Tabor, Iowa, came to a close last Sunday. An inservice was the resolving by the congregation to divide into two denominations-a part going over to the United Brethren faith and the remainder clinging to the Christian denomination. In the future the two denominations will divide time at the church, the first conducting services There are several heavy property during one week and the other during owners in Plattsmouth who, com- the week following. Rev. Folding will

paratively speaking, have contributed look after the spiritual welfare of the almost nothing to the distillery pro- United Brethren, while Rev. Smothers of this city will preside for those of Christian belief. The division was consummated in a thoroughly amicaserve notice on Mrs. Thad. Streight some judgment and common sense. ble manner, and there is every prosthat her husband, now of Wyoming, They must surely know that the loca- pect that both denominations will

Not On the Program.

The Bavarians of Omaha had a grand ball at Germania hall Saturday. They took in nearly \$300. The dancing wenon merrily until 4 o'clock i n the morn ing. At that hour John Murphy, a Bavarian, tapped the till and dashed for the door with over \$50 in his possession. Two hundred dollars of the money had been removed an hour before. The fugitive, with the three sets of Virginia reelers at his heels, made a dive for the front entrance. To his intense dismay he dashed right into the caressing arms of two policemen, who stayed him in his flight. The drawer of money was returned to the thoughtless cashier. The thief was

A Forgotten Board Bill.

Jas. B. Filbert, the relator in the somewhat famous Filbert habeas cor- the schools object to the affair, but pus suit now pending for a decision Superintendent McClelland insists before the state supreme court, has that all of the boys were given abundtaken his departure. He left on the ant opportunity to mend their ways. south-bound M. P. train last Wednes- and their failure to comply with the day night. His departure was quite rules, after sufficient warning was unexpected, in fact he even forgot to given, could have no other end than inform Landlord Hamilton of the Ho- suspension. tel Riley of his going and as a conse-The depot at Nehawka was broken quence a portion of his board bill reinto Monday night by tramps, it is mains unpaid. The statutes of Nesupposed. Fortunately, the agent had braska make it a punishable offense to taken all his ready money home, so jump board bills. Mr. Hamilton will Omaha editors are very much in hot the burglars did not secure any cash. first draw upon the gentleman and in water just now. Editor Rosewater is They broke through one of the win- case the draft is dishonored there is admitted free. Maskers must show and Editor Hitchcock stands charged forced the money drawer and ticket called upon to answer for his summary paid board bill in his rear.

turned with a verdict of guilty as indicted, but recommended that the judge be lenient in his sentence.

Hon. John C. Watson and D. T. Hayden conducted the prosecution, and W. C. Sloan and W. F. Moran appeared for the defense. The case was hotly contested throughout, but there was a preponderance of evidence in favor of the state, and the defendant's guilt was established beyond a doubt. The defendant will be sentenced on Friday and the general opinion is that he will escape with a light sentence. The case against H. W. Hoerath for the same offense has been continued until the November term of court.

Stull Gets a Verdict.

Justice Archer handed down an opinion last Friday in the suit of J. F. Stull vs. the Missouri Pacific railway, tried in his court on Tuesday. Stull was accorded a judgment for \$232 and the railway company is to pay the costs. Stull sued for \$252, which amount he alleged was the value of the hay set afire by sparks and destroyed as a result. The M. P. will take an appeal to the district court.

Sold the Doctor's Tools.

Deputy Sheriff R. W. Hyers yesternoon sold the case of surgical instruments belonging to Dr. L. G. Powell, which the sheriff levied on to secure the payment of his costs in the case Powell brought against Fred Goos. Dr. Cummins was the purchaser.

A corrected report of the suspension proceedings which occurred at the high school building yesterday shows that thirteen boys were requested to leave the schools for periods ranging from a week to two months. The youngest was twelve and the oldest thirteen years of age. As was anticipated, a certain class of the patrons of

Midwinter Fair Rates Are Down.

The Burlington route is now selling round-trip tickets to San Francisco at \$35.50; one way, \$20.00. Think of it ! Four thousand miles for less than forty dollars! See the company's local agent and get full information, or write to J. Francis, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Clip the art coupon in today's paper.

