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JEFF. L. STONE, - City Editor.

A. Salisbury, Dentist.

The band at the rink to-night, and a good time for everybody.

The fire department have changed their call. It is now three taps of the bell at short intervals.

Reserved seats for the Black Crook are selling rapidly, and a large number of them have already been taken.

The train for the west about on hour late this morning, and was another one of usual heavy trains that have been the rule lately.

A wagon load of onions from Pacific Junction was on the street today, going begging at 50c per bushel. A glorious lay out for a free lunch bar.

Fred. Gorder has just received two car loads of the celebrated Schluttler and Whitewater wagons. Maybe our implement men are selling no goods but it don't look like it.

All are unanimous in pronouncing the Black Crook unobjectionable in every feature, and pronounce the specialties the best ever produced on the Centennial stage.—Lincoln News.

The entertainment of Black Crook revised, as given last night is all that is advertised, and in the gorgeous display richly worthy of patronage if spare change will permit.—Lincoln News.

All parties visiting the Art Loan should not fail to compete for the prize offered by J. W. Shannon, in guessing on the "what is it." Sealed proposals will be received by the parties in charge.

Bro. Jno A. MacMurphy has taken the agency of the Centennial Mutual Life Association of Burlington, Iowa, organized in 1876, the centennial year. This company has the endorsement of the very first citizens of the state of Iowa, many of whom are personally known to the HERALD as gentlemen who would not lend their names to any organization of this kind which is not gilt edged. We can bespeak for Bro. Mac a successful experience with this company among his old neighbors, friends and acquaintances.

The case of Paxton & Gallagher vs J. M. Woodson was heard before Judge Pound at Nebraska City yesterday. The learned Judge suggested to Mr. Hartigan that inasmuch as he had no authority in the premises to hold the prisoner, that it was best to discharge him. Mr. H. united with Mr. Crites in a telegram to Croft to discharge Woodson, which was immediately done. Jim feels correspondingly happy, and says he will make it pleasant to the Omaha "out fit." Hartigan appearing for plaintiff, and Crites & Ramsey for defendant.

The fire company held their regular meeting in the Opera House last night on account of the council chamber being occupied by the council in session. Jake Lohnes first assistant foreman, was transferred from an active to an honorary member on account of belonging to the police force. C. S. Green was elected to fill his place. It was decided to call a meeting on the 17th for the purpose of settling and arranging the matter of fines and absences. The report of the committee on new members was laid over until the next regular meeting.

Oswald Gutman paid the boys \$5. for services rendered Saturday night, for which they extend their thanks.

AS IT IS.

The Other Side Heard From.

Mr. Editor: I wish to defend myself from the HERALD. Capt. Shannon did visit the school in district No. 28, and was called upon by Miss Louie Rief, the teacher, to address the school and Cap. embraced the golden opportunity, and while he was talking Mr. J. F. Stull, a "Jered Cap. out and said that no one had any right in the school house during school hours but the teacher and the scholars. In this Mr. J. F. Stull was under a mistake. But this is not the first mistake he has made. As for the condition of the affairs of district No. 28, we are in as good condition as most of the districts in the county, so says the superintendent. There are 12 legal voters in this district. There are 34 children between the ages of 5 and 21. The years 1881 and '82 the average attendance was 5; in this year the average has been 15. We have one of the best of teachers.

I write this to show which one of the board it was that took Cap. by the ear and walked him out.

Cap. will never find the director or moderator interfering with him when he is called upon by the teacher to make any remarks. Come again Cap.

J. L. NEWLAND, Director.

L. DAKENDOFFES, Moderator.

Just received a large lot of new goods in the boot and shoe line at Bob's Sherwood's, in the Rockwood block.

Personal.

E. T. Duke, of Omaha, is in the city today.

Mr. E. Wagner went to Lincoln this morning.

R. W. Hyers journeyed westward this morning.

H. Thierolf, the grocer, made a business trip to Cedar creek today.

C. and T. Stewart, of St. Joe, representing Stewart Bros., cigars, are in the city today.

C. G. Tabor, a prosperous farmer near Weeping Water, made us a pleasant call today.

J. P. King, representing the St. Joe Saturday Democrat, visited this city today, stopping at Stadelman's.

E. L. Reed, of Weeping Water made a pleasant call at this office last evening while in the city between trains.

Amasa Haskins, J. H. Davis, and John Cook, solid farmers from the Weeping Water country were in town today.

Frank P. Traster is in town today. On Saturday, he will leave for a visit to his friends in Wooster, Ohio, if they know Frank as well as we do they will appreciate the visit.

Mark Duryee, the cashier of the Paxton, in Omaha, and one of the best hotel men in the west, has placed the Plattsmouth boys who spent Saturday night and Sunday there, under many obligations to him for courtesies shown them, and for his kindness in showing them through the finest hotel west of Chicago. Come down some time Mark, and we will try to reciprocate.

The HERALD was visited this morning by Capt. S. T. Learning, General Agent of the Centennial Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Iowa, and Jno. A. MacMurphy, their agent here; both men mean business, and are ready for work. Capt. Learning will remain here until Saturday to open and inaugurate this work, and is one of the most successful insurance agents in the west; having written 84 applications in the month of March, many of them the best known citizens of the state.

The following is the list of grand and petit jurors for the May term of the district court:

GRAND JURY.

J. M. Meisinger D. D. Johnson

B. Siebold J. Chaltant

G. W. Adams M. W. Moore

E. Grousel John Montgomery

M. O. Dickson G. Walrath

M. O'Rourke G. W. Johnson

M. Schlegel C. F. Nichols

F. M. Young John Holtenbeck

PETIT JURY.

H. M. Bushnell Richard Newell

James Hall Henry Schulof

A. B. Barr H. Wolfe

A. Patterson David McCaig

J. R. McVey David Thingham

Hans Sundell J. W. Cox

Fred Goos W. Balance

L. G. Todd W. B. Arnold

J. W. Thomas L. Quinn

J. C. Gilmore G. Cross

S. H. Shumaker O. Ward

James W. Sage L. Sheldon

To The Citizens of Plattsmouth.

I wish to inform all, that no one need stay away from the Black Crook entertainment next Thursday night, at the Waterman Opera House, on account of its being reported an immoral play, for I am assured by the manager of the company to say to the amusement loving people, that they can see nothing in Black Crook improper or shocking; not as much so as you can see in the opera of Olivette by Fay Templeton or in Haverly's Merry War. The scenic effects are gorgeous and grand, and the fountain in the second act is worth the price of admission alone. The Plattsmouth Water Watch fire engine has been procured to force the water for the fountain scene. This is something the Plattsmouth theatre goes have never seen and may never see again in Plattsmouth, unless the audience will be unusually large, so as to induce the Kiraly Bros. to return again some time in the future, and also give us some of their other attractions. The company has been secured at a great expense, therefore the citizens should fill the house to its utmost capacity. I have tried to give the citizens only first class attractions and shall book nothing else but the best, hoping you will appreciate it, and show your appreciation by a full house next Thursday night. Thanking you all in behalf of the Messrs. Waterman for your liberal patronage and asking you all to come out next Thursday night and see the grandest entertainment of the season, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

J. P. YOUNG, Business Manager

Waterman Opera House.

Reed Bros., of Weeping Water, came near having a conflagration in their store building yesterday. It seems a big fire had been built up in a stove that had not been used for several days, the pipe of which was too close to some bedding up stairs. The flames were making rapid headway when discovered, but the timely use of plenty of water saved the building.

River Report.

As furnished officially to the War Department.

The river at noon today, showing 7 ft. above low water mark, a good fall of 3 inches since noon yesterday.

Council Proceedings.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Mayor Weckbach

Councilmen Schneibacher, Herold, Hartman, Drew, Murphy, Lohnhoff and Dawson.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Councilman Drew presented a petition from citizens on Chicago ave. to have a ditch or sluice put in on Chicago ave. near the culvert. On motion of Councilman Drew the matter was referred to the committee on streets, alleys and bridges to report at the next regular meeting.

Councilman Drew, from committee on claims, reported upon the petition of J. G. Hayes. Councilman Murphy moved that the Hayes matter be referred back to Mr. Hayes, and have Hayes or his attorney present the same to the council, showing whether the council had the right to accept the proposition.

The treasurer's report was read and referred to the finance committee.

Councilman Murphy, from the committee on streets, alleys and bridges, reported that they had examined the matter referred to them in reference to a road in the northwest portion of the city at Mr. Con's place, and that they could open a road, and moved that the city engineer be instructed to make a survey of said street and make estimates of the cost, and report the same to the council at the next meeting. Councilman Hartman moved to amend by authorizing the committee on streets, alleys and bridges to make said improvement in case the cost of the same does not exceed \$60 which amendment prevailed.

Councilman Drew, from committee on claims, reported upon the claim of Mrs. Finney for damages done by water and Councilman Murphy moved that Mrs. Finney be allowed \$30, which was voted down.

Further time was granted the cemetery committee to make a report on the purchase of cemetery grounds.

The finance committee reported back the following bills which on motion of Councilman Hartman were all J. D. Simpson, salary Feb. .... \$25 00

March ..... \$5 00

F. Kroehler " Feb. .... 50 00

March, 4

days April, ..... 56 65

W. A. Hendrickson plat etc. .... 14 00

F. D. Lehnhoff, brick ..... 30 30

Fire Department, job work ..... 11 50

W. H. Baker, supplies ..... \$ 85

Richey Bros., lumber ..... 20 95

A motion by Councilman Murphy to abate the license for the G. A. R. entertainment next Friday night was carried.

A communication from J. L. Webster informing the council that the city had been sued for \$4,000 interest on improvement bonds, by George H. Kearton, was read and referred to the city attorney.

There being no further business the council adjourned.

"The Black Crook."

Those who have never seen the Black Crook are exceedingly limited in number. Ten or twelve years ago it stood high as a spectacular performance. In those days there were features about it which were considered rather "loud." In the present, however, popular taste has come to such a stage that it sees nothing and can see nothing in Black Crook, either improper or shocking. It would be useless, sordid to criticize the piece, for it is too ordinary. The company presenting it may not be strong, but the scenic effects are gorgeous and grand in many particulars. The fountain in the second act is fully worth the price of admission, and the transformation scene in the last act is exceptionally good. The house last evening was very large.

A great deal has been said and written during the last sixteen years regarding this spectacular performance, and a hue and cry has been raised regarding the morality of its production. For years moralists have thought it their imperative duty to cover Black Crook with a censure that amounts to an anathema marantha. That which they denounce they have not seen, and consequently without a motive of judgment could not judge. Last night was presented at the opera house a pleasing representation of an old German legend, translated by Chas. M. Barras, and by him written in the choicest language, an excellent moral, and the surroundings of scenery, dresses and appointments recalling to our recollection the fairy tales of our childhood's days.

Without a doubt the prismatic fountain was a revelation; the grotto scene and the transformation tableau surpassed anything that has been seen by our theater-goers for years, and the wild and weird "incantation" startled the whole house. The performance will be reproduced to-night, and there will doubtless be a pleasant reception to this company by all.—St. Joe Gaz.

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VINTON—At Gervais, Ohio, March 16, "where he had gone in quest of health. Mr. Charles H. Vinton, aged 50 years. (Louisville paper please copy.)

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REFERENCES.

Hon. F. Hutton, assistant P. M. general, Washington.

Governor John H. Gear, Burlington, Iowa.

Merchant's National bank, Burlington, Iowa.

Gov. Gear, of Iowa, in reply to a letter says this of the Centennial:

"In reply to your inquiry respecting the Centennial Mutual Life Association of this city I have this to say: I have been personally acquainted with all of the directors for years. They are among our reliable and best business men."

"Believing that any business entrusted to them will be properly attended to and any loss this company meet with, will be promptly and honorably adjusted. Yours truly, JOHN H. GEAR."

Hon. Church Howe of our state, who is agent for Nemaha county writes this:

"Believing this company to be as represented, and the plan under which it operates the only proper and fair one whereby the parties insured receive all the benefits. I have accepted the general agency. CHURCH HOWE."

Gov. Furnas, himself an insurance man, strongly endorses the plan. Ex-Secretary of State S. J. Alexander and W. S. Jacob, of Lincoln, have taken the district agency south of the Platte, and the company having complied with all the laws of the state of Nebraska are now prepared to push business in this state. Mr. John A. MacMurphy has been appointed general agent for Cass county and may be expected to visit you all in a new role. Get your life insured. 42w11

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Friday and Saturday at Mrs. A. P. Stout's next door to M. E. church. 39-14-1-w1

Oranges 25 cts per doz. at Murphy's. 39-161

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Ladies, your special attention is called to the new line of dress goods just received at Weckbach's. 39-161

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Everybody is invited to attend the trimmed opening of pattern hats and bonnets at Mrs. A. P. Stout's, Friday and Saturday, April 13th and 14th. A boquet will be presented to every lady. 3w2-161

Ladies; you are invited to attend the trimmed opening of pattern hats and bonnets at Mrs. A. P. Stout's, Friday and Saturday, April 13th and 14th. A boquet will be presented to every lady. 3w2-161

Lone Jack, Fruits and Flowers and other choice brands just received at Schlegel's. w1 37-161

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Ladies of Plattsmouth

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INDIGENT SOLDIERS, AND THEIR FAMILIES.

And to help the post to so equip themselves that they can appear creditably in all public affairs, which has been an important and attractive feature of all public gatherings. We cordially invite all the citizens, old soldiers and members of all neighboring posts to turn out and we will promise you a full return for your money, besides the assistance you can render will be fully appreciated by us. By order of S. P. VANATTA, Adjutant. J. B. STROUD, Commander. 26-1

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