BRYAN NO LONGER A MAGNET

Magic of His Name Fails to Assemble the Multitudes as of Yore.

FUSIONISTS ARE SORELY DISAPPOINTED

Had Calculated on an Impressive Demonstration, with the Result of Bitter Chagrin at the Handful Assembled.

LINCOLN, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Fusion campaign managers were not at all jubilant today over the welcome extended W. J. Bryan on his return to this city yesterday. Their disappointment is due to the small number of people that attended the evening demonstration on the State house lawn and even among the most radical partisans there are very few who claim that the attendance was half as large as reported this morning in the Omaha popocratic organ. The event was widely heralded in advance as a state welcome to the presidential candidate and a brass band and two speakers of national reputation were put on the program to assist him in drawing a crowd. The most conservative estimates made by prominent fusionists who attended the meeting place the attendance at not over 3,000 and many claim that only 2,000 were present. These estimates are in marked contrast to the printed claim that Bryan's evening speech was heard by 6,000 people.

Mr. Bryan spoke from the bandstand and his audience occupied a space of not over 150 by thirty-five feet. It was generally observed by many who were present that in point of numbers the crowd would not compare favorably with the usual attendance at the band concerts, which are given twice a week on the State house lawn.

Numerous apologies were offered today for the small size of the crowd. It was asserted that the event had not been sufficiently advertised and that the weather was not favorable for an outdoor gathering. The weather reports contradict the latter statement and persons who read newspapers are well aware that the meeting was given sufficient advertising to bring out a large crowd under almost any circumstances. Since Bryan's numerous failures in the past few weeks to rally his forces in this city in his old-time manner, it is pretty generally conceded that his power as a drawing card is on the wane.

Some Personal Sentiment.

Chairman Hall of the democratic state central committee, who was more extravagant than his colleagues in estimating the attendance, said: "I believe there were between 4,000 and 5,000 people present. It must be considered that the event was not extensively advertised and that the weather was not as favorable as it should have been."

"I believe there were close on to 3,000 people at the meeting," said Henry Blum, an employe in the governor's office. "It would be safe to place the attendance between 2,000 and 3,000."

In the office of the clerk of the supreme court similar statements were made. "I should say the attendance was 2,500," remarked Clerk Herdman, when asked for an opinion for the size of the gathering. Henry Leavitt, a democratic employe in the same office, estimated the attendance at not over 2,000.

"General" Kelsey of Coxey's army fame, head janitor of the State house and an authority on popocratic matters, said the crowd would number not over 3,000 persons.

A popocratic attache of the state treasurer's office claimed the attendance was between 3,000 and 4,000.

All of these estimates were made by popocratic officeholders, in direct contradiction of the Omaha organ's claim that Bryan's speech was heard by 6,000 people.

Bryan's Quiet Week.

Mr. Bryan will devote the greater part of next week to speechmaking in Nebraska and Kansas. He will make the first of a series of addresses at Wahoo on Tuesday afternoon, and will follow with four speeches on Wednesday, all to be delivered in this state. The first will be at Auburn at 9 a. m., and the second at Tecumseh at 11. From Tecumseh he will drive twenty miles overland to Pawnee, where he is scheduled to appear at 2 o'clock. From Pawnee he will go to Falls City for a night meeting. Thursday forenoon will be spent in Kansas City. The afternoon of Thursday will be given over to the populist notification ceremonies at Topeka, when he will respond to a speech by Hon. T. M. Patterson, notifying him of his nomination for the presidency by the populists. Returning from Topeka on Friday, Mr. Bryan will speak at Manhattan, Kan., in the forenoon and at Beatrice, Neb., in the afternoon.

On Saturday he will go to South Omaha to attend a Jacksonian club picnic and will speak in the afternoon or evening. It is not the intention to speak in Kansas City during the stay there next Wednesday.

Pay for Lang's Help.

The Board of Public Lands and Buildings this morning approved the claims of the officers and employes of the Institute for the Feeble Minded Youth at Beatrice for salaries for the three months ending August 15. All but the claim of Dr. Lang were afterwards approved by the auditor and warrants were issued. Lang's claim will be held up until the auditor can decide to his own satisfaction whether he is legally entitled to salary as superintendent. It has been intimated at the State house that no agreement was signed by Lang and Deering and this being the case there is a difference of opinion as to who is and was the superintendent of the institution. Deering's commission was dated to take effect several weeks ago, but by the purported agreement he was not to assume the duties of the office until August 15. Lang claims the governor also signed the agreement and that he has failed to live up to its provisions.

Oil Inspector Gaffin, who suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday, had recovered sufficiently to walk about today and it is believed that he will be able to be out again in a few days.

When you have that obstinate lingering cough which will not be shaken off.

"I have used three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery since my correspondence with you," writes Mr. A. F. Novotny, of New York, N. Y., (Box 1437). "I feel that I am in need of no more medical assistance. When I started to take your medicine I had a regular consumptive cough, of which I was afraid, and everybody cautioned and warned me concerning it. I was losing weight rapidly, was very pale and had no appetite whatever. Now my condition is changed entirely. I do not cough at all, have gained eight pounds in weight, have recovered my healthy color, and my appetite is enormous."

It's a good sign WHEN DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY IS USED

98 PERSONS IN EVERY HUNDRED WHO USE IT GET WELL.

CLOSING DAY AT REUNION

Chancellor Andrews Addresses the Veterans Upon Many Questions of the Day.

LINCOLN, Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The Grand Army reunion practically closed here tonight with a campfire under the leadership of John Ehrhardt of Stanton. This afternoon Chancellor Andrews addressed the veterans and touched briefly upon several questions of public interest. He was confident there was not an alliance between Great Britain and America and asserted that England wanted to see the United States whipped by Spain. He eulogized the Monroe doctrine, but expressed no opinion regarding the policy of expansion. In closing he called attention to the fact that a majority of the volunteers in the late war were sons of veterans.

Charged with Abducting Girl.

KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Henry Deitsch, a farmer living seven miles east of this city, was arrested Friday by Sheriff Hays of Dawson county and taken to Lexington to answer the charge of abducting Effie McBride, an 11-year-old orphan girl, whose relatives live near Lexington. Deitsch recently appeared in the county court of Dawson county and complained that the child was not being properly treated by her grandmother and the court ordered the girl sent to the poor farm. It is alleged that Deitsch stole the girl and brought her to Kearney and kept her on his farm. She has been with him for several months and a complaint will be made against him on the charge of criminal assault.

Commencement at Fremont Normal.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The graduating exercises of the Fremont Normal school were held last evening and diplomas were awarded to 216 students who had completed the different courses. In place of the usual list of orations and essays an address was delivered by Rev. Ernest Wray Oneal upon "Some Popular Fallacies." Among those he mentioned were the fallacies that the brain can dispense with a sound body, that genius is something inborn and not developed by work and that intellect is greater than character. A violin solo was rendered by Prof. Swihart and after the presentation of diplomas by President Clemmons the program was concluded with a song by the Normal school quartet.

Will Seek Damages for Injured Stock.

LYONS, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—M. M. Mundorf's steam threshing outfit, after finishing several jobs up the Logan, decided it would be an easier and better plan to bring the heavy traction engine with the separator cross-cut across the fields to town, thereby saving time and the efforts of traveling over bad roads and taking chances of breaking through bridges, etc. This they did and were compelled, in order to get here, to cut wire fences and the like. While crossing P. M. Johnson's pasture, which is near town, the engine frightened the stock, running them into the wire fence and cutting some of them badly. Mr. Johnson will prosecute Mundorf for damages.

Barn Destroyed by Lightning.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—In the severe electrical storm and rain last night the barn of Joseph Kreikemeier, a farmer living in Monterey township, this county, was struck by lightning and totally consumed. This was the largest barn in the county and had capacity for stabling 150 head of cattle. The barn was temporarily occupied as a residence by Mr. Kreikemeier during the course of the erection of his new house, close by, and himself and family barely escaped with their lives from the burning building. All his household effects, 800 bushels of oats and a large quantity of hay were consumed. Insurance was carried in the Farmers' Mutual of Lincoln to the amount of $1,000.

Rain Spoils Bankers' Picnic.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Owing to the downpour of rain the night before and until noon yesterday, the Bankers' Union of the World picnic was poorly attended. But few people came from other towns and scarcely any from the surrounding country. However, the Omaha delegation bought its ball team, lodge No. 1 "Unique," and played Springfield, the latter winning by a score of 8 to 3. Several races were pulled off, but outside of the sports no program was carried out. The park was filled with stands and great preparations had been made, and in consequence the owners were heavy losers, as well as the lodge, in receipts.

Shirt Waist Man in Nebraska.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The shirt waist craze has struck North Platte. Half a dozen young men have already organized a club and will appear in the half-feminine garb at a social function soon to take place. It is said the members have agreed to blossom out simultaneously in the resplendent attire which is now distracting the attention of the fashionable world and that whoever among them fails of the compact must furnish the rest with a first-class square meal.

Nebraska Saengerbund in Session.

STANTON, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The Nebraska Saengerbund convened here today for its biennial festival. Large delegations have arrived on every incoming train and larger ones are expected tomorrow. A reception is being held in the Germania hall tonight. The mayor delivered the address of welcome, old acquaintances are being renewed and new ones are being formed. The weather is fine, the streets are dry again and a big time is expected for Saturday and Sunday.

Corn Crop Will Be Large.

WAKEFIELD, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The rainfall here the last three days was 2.12 inches. The corn crop is estimated, from the present standpoint, in Dixon and Wayne counties at 10 to 20 per cent above the average crop. Wet weather has damaged the quality of wheat in the shock. The average yield of wheat is fifteen bushels per acre.

Present Company with Flag.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The women of Rawlins post No. 35, Women's Relief corps, presented Company C, First Regiment National guard, with a fine silk flag at the armory this evening.

Lecture at Geneva.

GENEVA, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Prof. Hoenshell lectured last night in the court room to the members of the institute and others. Miss Bertha Nathan gave some elocutionary exercises. The institute closes today, with examination tomorrow.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS SUICIDE

No Reason for Fred Peters' Act Has Yet Been Discovered.

HIS AFFAIRS ALL IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Business Prospering and Social Relations Pleasant, but He Took the Fatal Dose Apparently with Premeditation.

STANTON, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Early this morning Coroner Louis Dern impaneled a jury and held an inquest over the body of Fred Peters, who died very suddenly last night from the effects of poison. The jury was at work on the case all forenoon and were unable to find any cause for, or anything leading up to the accident, whereupon it rendered a verdict to the effect that deceased came to his death by accidental poisoning. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church, of exemplary habits and bore an excellent reputation. He engaged in the restaurant business about a year ago, in which he was assisted by his father, mother and two sisters, and he was making a good living. He had no indebtedness of any consequence, paid cash for his supplies and had no known enemies and no cause can be attributed for such a deed. All the week he has been planning and working to handle the business which he anticipated from the Nebraska Saengerbund, which convenes here today. He never had much to say to anyone and had few companions. The only thing unusual prior to his death was that he took a guitar which he owned to a friend and asked him to take it. His friend replied that he did not want it and suggested that he take it home, whereupon Dern replied that he did not want it, threw it down on the walk and jumped on it with his feet and then left without making explanations. Within a half hour from that time he was dead. The funeral will probably be held Sunday.

CONNELL STOPS THEIR BUSINESS.

Mutual Insurance Companies Violate Law and Are Shut Off.

LINCOLN, Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Acting on notice served by Auditor Cornell, the State Mutual Home Insurance company of Fairfield and the Home Raisers' Mutual Insurance company of Lincoln have ceased writing new business. Auditor Cornell notified the officers of the Lincoln company last month that he knew of no plan that would enable them to continue doing business in the state, as they had violated not only the law under which they were chartered, but their own articles of incorporation. He held that it is not incumbent on stockholders to pay additional assessments which the officers of the companies attempted to collect.

Hitchcock Not Recognized.

LAUREL, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The hotel register here discloses the fact that Gilbert M. Hitchcock found shelter beneath its roof last night. Mr. Hitchcock was seen at the station this morning, accompanied by Landlord Reed of the Park hotel. Mr. Reed was not cognizant of the fact that his guest was the editor of the World-Herald and a candidate for the United States senate. Your correspondent "picked him up" through a description of him given by one who heard him speak at Dixon yesterday. We have interviewed a number of fusion neighbors and find them all in ignorance concerning the presence in our little city of the man that daily furnishes them with their political gospel.

Reception in New School Building.

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—A public reception was given at the High school building this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, the occasion being in commemoration of the completion of this new structure, which is ready for the opening of school, September 3. The program rendered consisted of songs, recitations and addresses, the Tekamah Military band opening the exercises. Next week the Burt county teachers' institute will be held in this building, beginning August 20 and ending August 25. The decorations were principally of a patriotic character, the stars and stripes forming a background to the stage in the room on which the exercises took place.

Robbers Take Large Sum.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—J. C. Weir, a ranchman living six miles east of Paxton, was robbed of $430 one day this week and so far no clue to the guilty person or persons has been found. The money was stolen from Weir's house while he and his brother, both bachelors, were away from home making hay. It is reported that two men driving a bunch of cattle were seen to stop at the Weir ranch during the day and they are believed to be the persons who committed the robbery. Their identity is not known. Neither of the men has been seen since the affair was reported and their present whereabouts cannot be learned.

Young Man Badly Hurt.

FRANKLIN, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Word has been received that Ernest Arnold, 19 years of age, residing with his parents two miles west of town, was found lying in their pasture unconscious, with his leg broken. It is not known how badly he is injured or how it occurred. He was in town two hours before discovered and started to drive home. He is of exemplary habits. Medical aid has been summoned from Bloomington.

Will Reopen School at Fremont.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the School board last evening it was decided to reopen the Sheldon school, which has been closed for the past two years. Miss Gertrude Reynolds and Miss Marion Allen, both of this city, were selected teachers, which completes the list of teachers for the coming school year.

Lightning Destroys Grain.

LYONS, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—During the storm Wednesday night lightning struck and set fire to three large stacks of grain on the farm of A. Backus, west of town, burning the stacks to the ground and destroying 1,000 or more bushels of grain. Fortunately for Mr. Backus, he had this grain insured.

Foot Crushed Under Horse.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Charles Davey started to ride home to dinner yesterday upon an unbroken broncho. The animal became unmanageable and turned into a livery stable. In turning it fell and Davey's left foot was caught under the animal and badly crushed.

Populists Call Conventions.

NORFOLK, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Two populist conventions are called to meet at this place on September 6. A candidate for congress in the Third congressional district will be named and also a candidate for state senator from the Eleventh senatorial district.

Hastings Will Receive Soldiers.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—According to the order of Adjutant General Barry there will be twenty-eight companies of the Nebraska National Guard, including one troop of cavalry, one battery and the band, encamped in this city next week.

Body of Girl Recovered.

LINCOLN, Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The body of Phoebe Watkins, the 6-year-old girl who accidentally fell into Antelope creek and was drowned yesterday, was recovered today about a mile below where the accident occurred.

Revivals at Nehawka Close.

NEHAWKA, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Rev. S. T. Martin, a noted evangelist of the Christian church, closed a three weeks' series of revival meetings here last night. The result is three immersions.

TOO HOT FOR THE POLITICIANS

Washington Gets the Goby from the Statesmen While the Workers Defy the Heat.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27—(Special.)—Politics in the dog days, so far as Washington is concerned, is almost a dead letter. Not in the memory of the oldest inhabitant has the capital city of the nation suffered so from the heat as in the past fortnight and politicians have given the city the widest kind of a goby rather than settle down to the consideration of the questions which are uppermost in the minds of the people and which will be strenuously discussed until the polls close in November. The departments, however, are in active operation and the legislators find it essentially necessary to visit Washington, even in the hottest days, to look after the interests of their constituents and this has brought about a certain measure of activity at the headquarters of the several parties, even though sweltering humanity has endeavored to get away to the mountains and the sea.

Fishermen in Nebraska will be interested to know that reports coming in from persons interested in fish culture in that state report very generally the successful growing of tench, which is an English fish and is said to live in the still waters of the Antelope state. Gus Koehler of Grand Island, who is one of the leading private fish culturists in Nebraska and who has two lakes near Grand Island, one covering nine acres and the other twelve, received in 1898, at the close of the Transmississippi Exposition a few tench from Assistant Fish Commissioner W. deC. Ravenel. These fish thrived to such an extent that Mr. Koehler asked for a further consignment of tench, which was sent to him last year. In a letter to Mr. Ravenel, Mr. Koehler says he believes that tench is the best fish in Nebraska's still waters, that he has not tried them in any of the running streams, but as they propagate very rapidly and are exceedingly hardy, he can see no good reason why tench should not thrive in Nebraska waters as they thrive in the native waters of England. The tench, while allied to the carp, is comparatively boneless and of fine flavor. It is exceedingly tenacious of life and has given most excellent satisfaction to those who have undertaken its breeding in Nebraska waters.

Senator Thurston has just made arrangements with Fish Commissioner G. M. Bowers to send large invoices of black bass to leading fish culturists in the state who desire to stock the northern streams with that variety.

SENT BACK TO ITALY

Secret Service Recommends Deportation of Two Alleged Anarchists from Italy.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Chief Wilkie of the United States secret service stated today that two Italians, Natabe Maresca and Michil Guida, had been detained at quarantine, New York harbor, by his order. Their deportation to Naples, Italy, will be recommended to the secretary of the treasury.

On August 1 this government was advised from Naples that Maresca, an anarchist, was to about leave for the United States and that he might attempt to attack the president. Thereupon, an investigation was made, and while it could not be determined that he was an anarchist, it developed that he was a convict. On the arrival of the Kaiser Wilhelm II last night Maresca and his companion were turned over to the immigration authorities with the request that they be deported. Guida's antecedents are now being investigated.

PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS.

War Survivors Remembered by the General Government.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—The following pensions have been granted:

Issue of July 28:

Nebraska: Original (special July 31)—Lucinda A. Kimball, Stromsburg, $8. Increase (special July 31)—Jared C. Brown, Nebraska City, $12; Sidney S. Shipman, Berwyn, $10. Reissue—Moses F. Atwood, Lanham, $17. Original widows, etc. (special accrued, July 31)—Mary A. Shook, Atlanta, $8.00.

Iowa: Additional—Truman Enos, Nashua, $10. Increase—Hiram Reynolds, Larchwood, $10; Dempsey W. Presnall, Albion, $16; Andrew Collins, Nevada, $17; John Groth, Fort Madison, $8.

Issue of July 30:

Nebraska: Original widows (special accrued, August 1)—Minors of Joseph R. Kidd, Lancaster, $20. War with Spain (original)—David O. Barnell, Omaha, $8.

Iowa: Increase—John Clements, Strawberry Point, $12; Robert N. Dahlberg, Des Moines, $17; William S. Freeland, Wapello, $17; John Crawford, Mount Ayr, $17.

Will Divide Archdiocese of New York.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Advices have reached here which indicate that the archdiocese of New York will again be divided at an early date. Since its creation in April, 1808, it has been divided seven times, the bishoprics of Albany, Buffalo, Rochester, Ogdensburg, Newark and Syracuse having been formed out of its boundaries. It is learned that one of the objects which prompted Archbishop Corrigan of New York and his former secretary, Bishop McDonell of Brooklyn, to visit Rome this summer was to breach to the papal authorities the feasibility of making another division. It is said that if the pope deems this step advisable the bishop of Brooklyn will be appointed coadjutor archbishop of New York, with the right of succession.

Changes Made in Army.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—By direction of the president, First Lieutenant Bissel Thomas, Thirty-first infantry volunteers, has been discharged from the army of the United States "for the good of the service," to take effect August 20.

Captain Seth M. Milliken, assistant commissary of subsistence, U. S. V., having tendered his resignation, is honorably discharged from the service of the United States to take effect August 25.

Major Edward T. Comegys, surgeon, United States army, now in San Francisco, has been ordered to proceed to Nagasaki, Japan, for duty as medical supply officer at that place.

Receiver for Somerset Bank.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The comptroller of the currency today appointed R. D. Garrett temporary receiver of the Somerset Banking company, Somerset, Ky. The bank has only been organized since June 29, 1900, and had an authorized capital of $50,000. No statement of the bank's condition has been issued.

Battery M Goes to China.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Light Battery M of the Seventh artillery, Captain Macomb commanding, left here this afternoon via the Southern railway for San Francisco, en route for China. The command comprises five officers and 155 enlisted men.

Rural Free Delivery Grows.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The Postoffice department has ordered the establishment, on September 1, of rural free delivery service at Gilroy, Cal., Rockton, Ill., Aurelia, Ia., and Skidmore, Mo.

Lockout in Belgian Glass Works.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—United States Consul Roosevelt at Brussels has informed the State department of a lockout in Belgian glass works. The union of glass workers, numbering 6,000, says the consul, recently notified the manufacturers that, as their demands were not granted, they would abandon work and the manufacturers replied by the shutting down of all the works on August 1.

Eagle Grove Postmaster.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The president today appointed John Buchanan postmaster at Eagle Grove, Ia.

Tetter—No Cure No Pay.

Your druggist will refund your money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure you. 50 cents.

DEATH RECORD.

Ingalls' Body Enroute Home.

ATCHISON, Kan., Aug. 17.—The body of John J. Ingalls is being carried to Atchison from Las Vegas in the private car which had been provided for his home coming.

Attorney General Godard made a request that the body lie in state at the capitol at Topeka over Saturday, but, in consideration of the expressed wish of Mr. Ingalls, the request could not be complied with.

The remains arrived in Atchison this evening and were taken to the Ingalls home, Oak Ridge. No service will be held at Oak Ridge and only members of the family and a few personal friends will remain there with the body.

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock the body will be taken to Trinity church, followed by members of the family and the pallbearers. After a simple reading of the Episcopal funeral service by Rev. John Henry Hopkins of Chicago, an old friend of the family, the service will close. The casket will not be opened for the public. The body will then be conveyed to the Ingalls lot in Mount Vernon cemetery. Only members of the family will accompany the body to Mount Vernon, where the ceremony will be as simple as possible. The body will lie beside that of Mrs. Robert Porter Shick of Reading, Pa., second daughter of Senator Ingalls.

Pioneer of Iowa.

LE MARS, Ia., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Joseph Long, a pioneer resident, died this afternoon at his home in this city, after an illness of nine weeks from an abscess of the liver. Mr. Long has been depot agent at this place for the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Omaha Railroad company ever since the line was built through here, nearly thirty years ago. Mr. Long held positions of honor and trust and was well known and popular throughout the community. He was prominent in Masonic circles and his funeral will be held on Sunday, under the auspices of Plymouth Commandery, Knights Templar, of which body he was a member. He was a native of New York, where he was married in 1866 to Miss Sarah Ellen Stone, who died last year. They came west to St. Paul in 1867 and to this place in 1871. He leaves a son and two daughters.

Mrs. Thomas Hendershott.

PLAINVIEW, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Thomas Hendershott, aged about 60, died yesterday of typhoid fever. The Hendershott family has lived in Pierce county about twenty years. Mr. Hendershott owns a valuable farm.

Dr. John G. Hawley.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 17.—John G. Hawley of this city, a well known and widely noted authority on criminal law, died at Harbor hospital this evening of uraemic poisoning. Dr. Hawley was the author of several works on criminal law.

HYMENEAL.

O'Keefe-Wilkinson.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Mr. Joseph P. O'Keefe of the Payne-Knox company, Omaha, and Miss Isabel Wilkinson of Pine Bluffs, Wyo., were united in marriage at St. Mary's cathedral yesterday. Rev. Keating performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of John Wilkinson, one of the wealthiest stock men in southern Wyoming. After a honeymoon spent in Colorado Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe will take up their residence in Omaha.

Overton-Eichron.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—County Judge J. E. Douglas was called to the court house last evening after office hours to issue a marriage license to Richard Americus Overton, 22 years of age, and Miss Ethel Albertha Eichron, 19 years of age, both from Council Bluffs, Ia. Rev. Asa Sleeth, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, made them one. After the ceremony they departed on the first train for their home in Council Bluffs. They were in the city about two hours.

Olson-Guthmann.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Gustave R. Olson and Miss Mary Elizabeth Guthmann were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Father J. F. Carney officiating.

Herger-Eidman.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—At the home of Fred Egenberger last evening occurred the marriage of Charley Herger and Miss Mary Eidman, Rev. F. H. Freund officiating.

Fatal Explosion of Dynamite.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 17.—By the premature explosion of dynamite at a quarry at Pewee Valley, near Louisville, today Sim Scoess and his son, Logan Scoess, were killed and George Shiscar was badly injured. Young Scoess' hands were torn off and both of Shiscar's eyes blown out.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Fair Skies Are Prognosticated for Two Days, with Southerly Winds.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

Nebraska, North and South Dakota—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; southerly winds.

Western Texas—Local rains and cooler Saturday; Sunday, fair; southerly winds.

New Mexico—Local rains Saturday; Sunday, fair; northeasterly winds.

Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Arkansas—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; southerly winds.

Indiana—Local rains and cooler Saturday; Sunday, fair; light to fresh northeasterly winds.

Illinois—Generally fair, except thunder storms in northern portion, Saturday; Sunday, fair; light southwesterly winds.

Iowa—Local rain in eastern, fair in western portion Saturday; Sunday, fair; southerly winds.

Missouri and Kansas—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; southerly winds.

Colorado—Generally fair Saturday; warmer in western portion; Sunday, fair; variable winds.

Wyoming—Generally fair Saturday; warmer in western portion; Sunday, fair; southerly winds.

Montana—Fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday, fair; westerly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. 17.—Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
Maximum temperature	92	88	82	67
Minimum temperature	70	69	66	53
Average temperature	81	78	74	60
Precipitation	00	00	00	.14

Record of precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1900:

Normal temperature for this day	74
Excess for the day	7
Total excess since March 1	416
Normal rainfall	.11 inch
Deficiency for the day	.11 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	19.31 inches
Deficiency since March 1	2.04 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1899	1.07 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1898	1.81 inches

Reports from Stations at 8 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Maximum temperature.	Rainfall.
Omaha, clear	88	92	.00
North Platte, clear	82	84	.00
Cheyenne, cloudy	80	84	.00
Salt Lake City, clear	82	86	.00
Rapid City, partly cloudy	84	92	.00
Huron, cloudy	78	84	.02
Williston, clear	82	86	.00
Chicago, cloudy	72	74	.86
St. Louis, clear	94	98	.00
St. Paul, cloudy	80	86	.00
Davenport, cloudy	86	90	.38
Kansas City, clear	90	96	.00
Helena, clear	72	74	.00
Havre, partly cloudy	76	78	T
Bismarck, clear	84	88	.00
Galveston, clear	84	88	.00

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE OF KIDNEYS.

HON. JOHN T. SHEAHAN.

Hon. John T. Sheahan, who has been for seventeen years manager of Marshall Field & Co.'s wholesale warehouse, and is corporal 2d Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., writes the following letter from 3753 Indiana avenue, Flat Six, Chicago, Ill.:

Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen—"Last summer I caught a cold which seemed to settle in my kidneys and affected them badly. I tried a couple of kidney remedies largely advertised, but they did not help me any. One of my foremen told me of the great help he had received in using Peruna in a similar case, and I at once procured some.

"It was indeed a blessing to me, as I am on my feet a large part of the day, trouble such as I had affected me seriously, but four bottles of Peruna cured me entirely and I would not be without it for three months salary." Yours truly,

John T. Sheahan.

Mr. Jacob Fleig writes from 41 Sumner avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.: "I had been suffering with catarrh for many years after my discharge from the United States service in 1865. I could get no relief from the many different proprietary medicines and doctors. I spent a large amount of money trying to be cured, but of no avail. One day I was advised by a comrade of my G. A. R. Post to try Peruna. I did and after using it for eight weeks I found myself wholly cured. **I am now a new man at the age of seventy-five years, thanks to your wonderful remedy.** I can frankly recommend it to all suffering with catarrh."

Mr. O. S. McQuillan writes from Spring Hill, Mo.: "Four years ago last fall my stomach, without any previous warning, refused to perform its functions, and I soon lost strength; food was forced through my stomach by using cathartics. Large blind piles bid fair to block all evacuation. My kidneys soon became involved, so that scant and often painful voidings resembled beef's gall. With flesh wasted away, strength exhausted so that it took all my energy to even get into a bath tub, hope all gone, I saw Peruna advertised. I wrote to Dr. Hartman, who told me that catarrh had possession of my head, throat, stomach and kidneys. **I began to take Peruna. In a short time I ate nourishing food, and the piles, kidney trouble and constipation all disappeared. Flesh, strength and a splendid appetite returned and I went to work."**

Catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining of the kidneys, also called "Bright's disease," may be either acute or chronic. The acute form produces symptoms of such prominence that the serious nature of the disease is at once suspected, but the chronic variety may come on so gradually and insidiously that its presence is not suspected until after it has fastened itself thoroughly upon its victim.

The symptoms may make themselves felt so gradually as to escape notice for a long time, or manifest themselves suddenly and produce at once alarm. There is pain in the back and loins, at first slight, and occasional afterwards, becoming a steady, dull, heavy pain. There is more or less fever and restlessness, according to the severity of the attack. Also among the early symptoms there is some disturbance of the organs of the abdomen, especially the stomach.

At the appearance of the first symptom Peruna should be taken in tablespoon doses six times each day; or, if more convenient, two tablespoonfuls three times each day before each meal. This remedy strikes at once at the very root of the disease.

Major T. H. Mars.

Maj. T. H. Mars, of the First Wisconsin Cavalry regiment, writes from 1425 Dunning street, Chicago, Ill., the following letter:

"For years I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys contracted in the army. Medicine did not help me any until a comrade who had been helped by Peruna advised me to try it. I bought some at once, and soon found blessed relief. I kept taking it for four months, and I am now well and strong and feel better than I have done for the past twenty years, thank to Peruna."

T. H. Mars.

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