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Happy Souls

Judge Trunkey has become quite an adept in the art of "saying the mystic words that make two hearts beat as one," and on the 18th of the month united in marriage Mr. Emil Frey and Miss Lena Giger. On the 22d he joined in the holy bonds of matrimony, Wm. M. McClure and Miss Etta McDonald. On the following day, April 23, H. M. Tingley and Miss Mollie Cline, were made man and wife by His Honor. We extend congratulations.

A Good One.

We publish the following just as told us by a prominent business man: "I had to purchase quite a bill of goods for my household and started out to smell around and see where to buy. I visited a store where I had traded more or less for a number of years and found the proprietor regaling a farmer from Garfield precinct with a long harangue regarding Pope Bros. store. He assured him that they knew nothing about business and were bound to bust as they were selling sugar, soap and coffee way below cost. Leaving the store I returned an hour later to find him talking to another audience. He was now mourning because so many of his old customers had left and gone to Pope Brothers to trade, and ended by assuring his hearers that Pope's goods were old, his shoes poor and his prices high. My curiosity was excited and I visited Pope Bros. store to see for myself. I found the store room filled with goods, a large shipment of dry goods just opened fresh from Farwell of Chicago and Tootle Hosea Co. of St. Jo. I found them with a good line of Selz, Schwab & Co's shoes and a large invoice of shoes from Tootle Hosea and Kelly & Goodfellow, which for lack of room had not all been placed on the shelves. $3500 worth of dry goods just opened and $1350 worth boots and shoes not out of boxes struck me as a large spring stock considering the times. I could now see why the goods looked twenty years old to the other merchant. The upshot of the matter was that I bought a bill of nearly fifty dollars and saved some money too.

Never send an article for publication without giving the editor thy name for thy name may perchance secure publication. Never shouldst thou loaf about a printing office, or knock down type or the boys will love thee as they do shade trees—when thou leavest. Never descharge saliva promiscuously upon the floor for wearily thou may be discharged by the pugilistic editor. Thou shouldst not read the copy on the printer's case, or the composer thereof may knock thee down. Never ask the editor for news, for behold, it is his business at the appointed time to give it to thee without asking. It is not right that thou shouldst ask him who is the author of an article, for it is his duty to keep such things to himself; nor shouldst thou quiz the devil for an information, for verily he is wise and sagacious and mayest injure you with his horns and tail. Examne not the proof sheet, it is not ready to meet thine eye.

One day this week on information filed with States' Attorney Hopkins, June Bent and wife were arrested and brought before Judge Trunkey charged with "keeping and maintaining a certain house of prostitution, resorted to for the purpose of lewdness," etc. Judge Trunkey released them on their giving bond in the sum of $350 each, for their appearance in his court this afternoon. In all probability they will be bound over to the district court. It appears that they had a young girl less than fifteen years of age in the house, who had been debauched by depraved men, as she alleges, that ought to have been in better business. If they are guilty they should receive the benefit of the law. Such cases as the one above mentioned is a sad reflection on our boasted civilization.

The young lady is a sure candidate for the reform school, where it is hoped she will receive a lesson in rectitude that will be beneficial.

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Cowles.

The Wagoners have mostly gone to Nebraska City.

Rev. H. D. Platt has just heard of the death of his oldest brother in Westminster, California.

South Side.

Miss Ella Street is visiting with her uncle and aunt this week.

Charley Turner was on the South Side visiting on Sunday.

Miss Mattie Mahard has gone east on a visit.

There was a dance at Dave Anderson's last Tuesday night. All report a good time.

Miss Lizzie Gust is working in Red Cloud.

Mrs. Flohrs was the guest of Mrs. Mark Warner last week.

Peck's Good Sister.

Willow Creek.

Mrs. Adamson returned to her home on the 17th, after seeing her father laid to rest. He died the next day after she got there, and for several days her mother's life was despaired of, but was better when Mrs. Adamson left.

Mrs. David Boesh was so unfortunate as to lose an infant son last week.

Mr. Jake Lacey has been very sick but under the skillful treatment of our new physician, Dr. Moore of Cowles, is much better.

Willow Creek was bank full last Sunday caused by the heavy rain Sunday morning. The farmers are rejoicing over the prospect of a good crop.

Miss Eppa Adamson began a two months' term of school Monday at Pleasant Hill school house.

Manitoba

Inavale.

We are having plenty of rain lately.

The grass is getting quite green along the river.

Mr. Hartwell and wife went to Naponee last week.

Frank Wilson and wife of Cowles, were visiting S. E. Walcott and family Sunday.

Lew Kenyon and Davis went to Red Cloud Saturday night.

Kenyon Holdredge and Mr. Dota started for Seattle, Washington, to stay during the summer months.

Mr. Knight and wife was visiting in Alma last week.

The young folks gave a supprise on Geo. Hummel Tuesday the 21st. it being his 16th birthday.

Mrs. John Myers, and Mrs. Morris was visiting friends in these parts the first of the week.

Mr. Gray was in the Vale Monday. Kid.

Bladen.

Who says it can't rain in Nebraska.

A. P. Johnson, C. E. Hicks and Hugh Monroe have been building garden fences.

Mr. L. Dickerson of Prophetstown, Illinois, is the guest of J. W. Wratten.

Our farmers are nearly all done seeding and are rejoicing over the fine rains.

During the rain storm last Sunday Mr. Adams' cowshed sheltering thirty head of cattle was struck by lightning. The only damage done was putting one's eye out.

The Congregational Republican Valley Church Association held their annual spring meeting at this place last Tuesday and Wednesday. A large number from abroad was in attendance and a grand good meeting was held.

Ladies don't forget to call at the post office when in want of the latest style of spring hats. Mrs. J. Burden has opened a full line of millinery goods and will be glad to have you call and examine her stock and get prices. S——.

Boyd & Overing are looking daily for information regarding the contract they were after last week at Lincoln of which mention was made in our last issue. The monument will be made of Barre granite for the base, the center or die as it is technically called, will be of quincy, the whole surmounted by a marble statue.

On last Tuesday evening, The Chief man and family were awakened by the beautiful strains of music that came pouring gently into their sleeping apartments as they were wafted on the midnight breeze by the skilled fingers of the well trained musician. It has been well said by some one that "Music hath charms to soothe the savage, to make the lion cease its rage, the lynx forget his wrath to man. Are we, alas, less savage than these, else music sure would human cares appease. We love music whether the sounds are produced by the shepherd boy of bonnie Scotland playing on his bagpipes, or from the lips of the beautiful Peora, or by the Irish peasant playing on the harp of Erin."

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchased price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity surely on their merits. L. H. Doyo Druggist. 1

The enrolling and engrossing clerks of the late lamented Legislature were the worst let of blockheads that ever assembled at the capitol during a session of the Legislature. It is stated that not a single bill escaped their blunders. They seemed to take a fiendish delight in multilating the English language and adorning their work with orthographical eccentricities that would double discount Josh Billings in the zenith of his glory as a speller. It is said that the medical bill when presented to Gov. Boyd for his signature contained over 200 errors in spelling. Grammar was a thing unknown in the work of the host of engrossing clerks detailed for that work. Repetitions, omissions, shocking bad grammar, horrible spelling and penmanship that would make Rufus Choate's or Horace Greeley's statutes blush was the rule. The warehouse bill is grossly defective on account of the incompetent work of the engrossing committee.

One by one the great calamaties that have been predicted follow the wake of the McKinley bill vanishes in thin air. The fact that tin will be manufactured in America is beginning to dawn upon the intellect of the advocates of free trade. As soon as the demand is supplied by home manufacturing, it will save the twenty million and over that now goes to foreign countries. This one commodity will furnish employment by opening up another advocation for the laboring classes of America.

Will some free trade advocate please rise and explain how the people of this country are to be benefitted by buying the produce of foreign labor, when there are thousands of idle laborerers here that are out of employment. Also how a manufacturer can successfully compete with another under free trade unless he can get his material and labor as cheap to produce the commodity maufactured. Furthermore, would not free competition in the markets of the world that we hear so much about inevitably reduce the price of American labor to the level of the uneducated underpaid foreign laborer. But says the anti-protectionist, "We don't care a ——. I want to buy where I can buy the cheapest." Very well, if the laborers wages are reduced, so is his capacity for consumption. If he earns only ten cents per day that is his purchasing power for bread, and what he must live on. The better labor is paid, the better his table is furnished, his children are better clothed and educated, he has a greater love of home and country and becomes a better citizen.

It is often asserted that the condition of labor in Great Brittian is as good as it is in America. To all such I would refer them to the report of Lord Dunceaven of the committee from the House of Lords, that was sent out to investigate the condition of the laboring classes to be found in the October number of the North American Review. H. J. O.

Special Rates

Twenty-first conference asso. of general secretaries of Young Men's Christian asso. of St. Joseph Mo. April 30-May 4, 1891. Agents may sell tickets to St. Joseph April 27-May 4 inclusive. P. A. Wieting, 40 East 23rd W. N. Y. city, will sign certificates.

Twenty-ninth international convetion Y. M. C. A. Kansas City Mo. May 6-10, 1891. Agents may sell tickets to Kansas City May 3-10 inclusive. P. A. Wieting Secy. 40 East 23rd st. N. Y. City will sign certificates.

Annual meeting Kansas State Homeopathic Medical Society Kansas City Kan. May 6-8 1891. Agents may sell tickets to Kansas City Mo. May 3 inclusive. Peter Diedrich M. D. recording sec'y., Kansas City Kan., will sign certificates.

I. O. O. F. Celebration York Nebr. April 27 1891. Agents may sell tickets to York April 24-27 inclusive. M. D. Lundeen, Secy., York Nebr., will sign certificates.

Annual Meeting Nebraska State Medical Society Lincoln Nebr. May 12-14 1891. Agents may sell tickets to Lincoln May 9-14 inclusive. M. L. Hillrack Secy. Lyons Nebr., will sign certificates

Annual Convention Afro. American League Lincoln Nebr., May 12-15 1891. Agents may sell ticket to Lincoln May 9-15 inclusive. A. S. Barnett Gen. Sec. 1417 Farnam St. Omaha, will sign certificate.

Annual Meeting Womans' Presbyterian Board of Missions of the Northwest, Peoria Ill. April 22-23-1891. Agents may sell tickets to Peoria April 19-23 inclusive. Miss Ainwiddie, 404 North Madison St. Peoria, will sign certificates.

For the above occasions passengers paying full fare going will be returned at one-third fare on presentation of certificate signed by the proper officer of the meeting as guarantee that there was an attendance of one hundred or more who have paid full fare on the going trip.

I. O. O. F. celebration David City Neb. April 27 1891. Agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to David City April 24-27 inclusive. E. B. Taylor Secy., David City Nebr., will sign cetificates.

Nebraska Half Yearly Meeting Society of Friends Lincoln Nebr., April 25-27 1891. Agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to Lincoln April 22-27 inclusive. J. Russell Lawner, Clerk, Lincoln Nebr., will sign certificates. A. Comstock, Agt.

LOCAL DRIFT.

R. V. Shirey is home from Ogden, Utah.

Attorney John O. Yeiser and wife, of Omaha, are in the city.

Mrs. C. L. Crosby, who has been sick for some time is rapidly improving.

The Cozad drum squad is about as near perfect as one could imagine. They are certainly experts in martial music.

Col. Joe Warren has sold his stock of second hand goods to C. F. Evans, and same has been moved to Featherly & Aultz's old stand.

Just received the latest styles in ladies summer wraps, black satteens, Challies black brilliantines and gloves at Mrs. F. Newhouse's.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church will give a pig sociable at the old Masonic hall, Friday evening May 1. All are invited.

Anyone having lands to sell, or trade for Red Cloud, Lincoln or Omaha property or merchandise call at once on Kaley & Barker.

Mens suits strong and sightly can be bought at Wiener sat $2.75 worth $3.50 and from that up, bargains in all grades of goods bought this season.

Uncle George Winton was very unfortunate during last Saturday, in losing a horse that cost him over $500. The horse died near Guide Rock.

Isaac Hummell of Inavale, has the proud distinction of having the first new potatoes of the season, and they were raised in Lew Almstead's patch.

Several of our fire boys were in Blue Hill Wednesday, attending the fire department's entertainment of that city. They were handsomely entertained.

This paper can't see that the appointment of the new board of transportation secretaries is any improvement over the old members, who were no better than none.

After years of experience we make the intelligent care of the dead a specialty, and are prepared to attend all calls in the city or country.—F. V. Taylor, funeral director.

Undertaking by F. V. Taylor who has had years of practical experince in the scientific care of the dead and is better prepared than ever to conduct the business in all its branches.

As soon as the times get better The Chief calculates to enlarge its size, but we believe that its present size is fully appreciated, as we aim to have all the news, and in readable shape.

The Knights of Pythias lodge of this city, is fast growing in popularity and every night, from one to two applications are being presented for membership from among our best citizens.

C. Wiener has just returned from the east, where he has used every effort known to him in his long experience as a merchant to buy goods cheap so as to help those needing any goods in his line to obtain them at

The W. R. C social held last Saturday evening, in the K. P. Hall, was a grand success, although but little notice had been given, the hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, and the evening was very pleasantly spent by all present.

H. B. Simons was 48 years old last Friday, and his wife and son surprised him with a party. When the crowd began to gather you could have knocked the eyes off of H. B. he was so surprised. The guests gave him a fine chair as a token of friendship.

E. J. Bebb of Hastings, Neb., was in the city this week, looking after the stock of goods for the Berger, Alexander Hardware Company, of Hastings. The goods have been shipped to Hastings. Mr. Bebb is a sustler and is the right man in the right place.

Arbor Day at the Public Schools

Feeling that some mention should be made of the exercises on Arbor Day of the schools in this city, I will briefly say that to me all arrangements were complete in every particular, and I for one was most happily surprised. The Teachers and scholars seemed to vie each with the other to make the effort a success with result as before stated. There were quite a number of friends present, a majority "ladies" as usual. The rooms were very tastily decorated with bunting, flags, flowers, etc., and in some of the lower rooms many drawings of plants and flowers, which are a credit to the pupils and show that the young mind is fast developing and taking in the knowledge imparted by the teachers. The essays, recitations, declamations, and songs were all very instructive, well rendered and speak volumes for teachers and scholars. One Who Was There.

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M. Bass.

By L. Bass, Agent.

Take Notice.

Mary E. Lee, I will notify you that I have purchased from the county treasurer of Webster county, Nebr., the following described real estate to-wit: Lot 17, block 6, in the village of Bladen, Webster county, Nebr., assessed in the name of Mary E. Lee, and sold for delinquent taxes for the year 1887, at private tax sale. Amounting to $7.15, on July 30th 1888, and if not redeemed on or before the 30th day of July, 1891, I will make application for a tax deed.

M. Bass.

By L. Bass, Agent.