The Evening Herald.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

CITY CORDIALS.

—Social tonight at K. P. hall. Don't fail to go.

—Steamboat "Katie Pease" made her first trip of the season to Plattsmouth yesterday. She sailed back down the river this morning.

—Remember the social tonight by the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church. A good programme has been arranged, and it will pay you to attend.

—The second annual meeting of St. Andrews Brotherhood meets in Omaha today and Plattsmouth sent three delegates whose names we were unable to learn.

—Chas. Frey was arrested and brought before justice court for shooting Mr. Sherbut's dog while the little girl was holding it in the yard. The case was continued until Saturday.

—Take notice, members of Cass Lodge 146, I. O. O. F. Members of the degree staff are requested to be present tonight, May 15, regular meeting as important business will come before the meeting. By order of degree master, L. G. Larson.

—Louie Meilenz one of the invincible democrats of Saunders county was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Meilenz is now engaged in the flour business and is manufacturing some of the finest grade of flour to be found any where in the state.

—G. N. La Rue of Liberty precinct, is the first of the assessors of Cass county to complete his work of assessing and return his book to the county clerk. Mr. La Rue brought his book in this morning as he was on his way to attend the republican convention at Omaha.

—Chas. Kinzer was arrested last night on complaint of Patrick Dougan for assault on Tom McCarty Saturday in John Blake's saloon. The case was brought before Justice Stiles and was continued over until this morning at 9 o'clock. The case was brought up this morning and Kinzer was sentenced to 30 days in city jail.

—Enthusiastic conventions were held in the second and third congressional districts yesterday, and Congressmen Laird and Dorsey, of their respective district, were nominated each, for a third term by acclamation. These men have each done some good work for the people in their districts, and it shows that the people appreciate their efforts in their behalf.

—A work train was wrecked on the Missouri Pacific yesterday near Union, in this county. The engine and two cars were thrown from the track but not badly broken up. There were about 40 men on the train but the only ones hurt was the engineer, who had his arm pinched a little and the fireman slightly burned. We failed to learn the cause of the wreck.

—What might have proved a serious accident happened last evening. Three men on their way to Grand Island attempted to cross the Platte River bridge ahead of the K. C. train, they had been in Plattsmouth and got a little to much "tangle foot," and in their hurry to get across the bridge two of them fell off into the water. They were rescued by the night watchman and started on their way rejoicing.

—The Ladies of the M. E. church will give a sociable on Tuesday evening at the K. of P. hall, south side of Main street, over J. V. Weckbach's store. The following program will be given: Song, M. E. choir; declamation, Miss Kit Russell; duet, Mrs. Martin and Mr. Mutz; song, Glee Club; reading, Miss Witten; song, Willie A. Derrick; song, quartette; declamation, Anna Sullivan; duet, Mrs. Lovrin and Miss Paul; reading, Miss May Russell; song, Glee Club. Debate, resolved that man has done more for humanity than woman. After which ice cream and cake will be served. Admission, 10 cents.

—Some parties of our city still presist in their cowardly and distardly work of of using those "negro shooters." It is a cowardly, mean practice, and if still persisted in will be looked into by the authorities of our city and the perpetrators severely punished. Why, it is becoming dangerous for any one to pass along the streets any more at any time. There are places in the city where they are in the habit of throwing stone out of the upper story windows at people as they pass along the streets. This is a cowardly mean trick and has been repeated more than once from the same building; now if the parties in charge of that building intend that such things shall be continued, the city authorities should investigate the matter and see why the lives of our citizens are to be thus endangered while passing along the streets. There are reasons for all things usually, but we have failed yet to see any reasons for these dastardly acts.

OUR CITY DADS.

Proceedings of Last Night's Meeting of The City Council.

Monday, May 14, council met at 8 p. m., called to order by Mayor Ritchie, councilmen all present except O'Connor.

The minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Communication from G. A. R Post of the city inviting council to participate in Memorial exercises on May 30, read and on motion invitation accepted.

A communication from A. Smith asking that he be permitted to sell eclectric belts on the streets at open air concerts. The communication being accompanied by the consent of of all the druggists of the city it was moved and carried that Mr. Smith be authorized to sell under a license of $2 per day.

Petitions being next in order the petition of N. C. Cunningham, asking for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the city of Plattsmouth, was read and referred to committee on license.

Several petitions for clearing streets and building sidewalks were read and referred to committees on streets, alleys and bridges. Also moved and carried that petition for sidewalks be referred to committee with power to act.

Petition for grading Oak street between 3rd and 5th streets and others referred to committee on streets, etc.

A number of claims against the city was next read and referred to committee on claims and finance.

Reports of officers being next in order the report of city Marshal was read and referred to committee on police. The reports of police judge, city clerk and city treasurer read and referred to committee on finance. The question as to whether the city should pay the uncollected costs of police judge, was brought and discussed. Moved and carried that police judge be instructed to turn all fines collected by him into the city treasury and bring his receipts for the same in his report at each monthly meeting. The report of finance committee being favorable on a number of claims, they were allowed and clerk ordered to draw warrants for the same.

The judiciary committee reported an ordinance for the regulation and maintainance of the fire department was on motion read the second and third time and placed on its final passage and passed also an ordinance vacating the alley in block 6, of Young and Hayes' addition, was read second third time and passed.

Reports of committee on claims on a sum of money paid by Mr. Wise for a certain tax certificate was reported without recommendation. Moved and carried by four to three that the amount of money paid by Mr. Wise for tax certificate be refunded.

A resolution for a special meeting of the council for the purpose of acting on the petition for saloon license be held Friday evening, May 18, was adopted.

The license committee next reported on the petition and bond of F. G. Fricke & Co. and recommend that the petition be granted on motion the report of committee was adopted and clerk and mayor authorized to issue the permit.

The report of the fire and water committee recommended that the engine house be moved from where it is to the corner of Main and 7th streets. Moved and carried that the fire and water committee be instructed to investigate and find out where a lot can be bought in each ward for the purpose of building an engine house and council chamber.

The bond of W. H. Newell as member of board of public works was approved.

Resolved that the city clerk be authorized to advertise for bids for city printing for the year and that the successful bidders be required to give bond in the penal sum of $1,000 for the faithful performance of the work. Resolution adopted.

The report of Mr. Wise as a special committee from Board of Trade on the proposition of Mr. Stewart to build a pontoon bridge was next brought up and disscussed and referred to city attorney as to whether the city could legally vote bonds for improvements out side of city limits.

Resolved that the county treasurer be authorizad to strike from the city tax list for the year 1887, lot 102, containing 30 acres outside of city limits, carried.

Nominations of city officers being next in order, the name of Jos. McCoy was placed in nomination and nomination rejected by council.

Byron Clark was nominated and confirmed city attorney. The nomination of M. W. Morgan for street commission was confirmed.

The mayor refusing to nominate a city engineer, the council placed in nomination H. Smith and Mr. Madole, a ballot resulted in favor of Mr. Madole by four to three. Moved that the nomination of Mr. Madole be confirmed. Carried four to three and the matter was referred to city attorney.

John Fitzpatrick for night police was nominated and confirmed.

On motion council adjourned.

Good potatoes $1.00 a bushel at Murphy's. m12d6.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

J. C. Barclay, of Omaha, is in the city on business.

Mr. Burgress and Mayor F. M. Richey went to Omaha today.

C. C Parmele went to Weeping Water on business this morning.

Hon. Samuel Maxwell of Fremont was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Chas. Thorp, of Schuyler, is visiting in the city with Mrs. Ballinger.

Mrs. Henry Eikenbary and Mrs. A. W. White went to Omaha this morning.

Will Bergstreper of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, is in the city on business today.

H. C. Ritchie went to Omaha last night to be in attendance at the Republican Convention today.

Rev. Mrs. Alexander left yesterday evening on the flyer for a two week's visit with relatives and friends in Illinois.

G. N. LaRue and A. M. Rose, of Liberty Precinct, were in the city this morning and went to Omaha to attend the state convention.

J. W. Johnson, A. B. Todd, A. N. Sullivan, John Becker, Henry Eikenbary, E. R. Todd, D. A. Campbell, W. H. Newell and R. B. Windham, are in Omaha today to attend the republican state convention to nominate delegates to the national convention.

A Denial.

Editor HERALD.—Your paper has seen fit to call my place of business a "Hell Hole," a "Butcher Shop" and a nuisance. Now what I desire to know is how you know so much about a place you have never visited or been inside of to my knowledge. Let me say to you that I endeavor to maintain good order and when men do not behave themselves they are put out. You will render the public no less than myself a favor by doing me the justice of permitting me to deny each and all of your epitaphs as untrue and libelous. If I have not kept a proper place the courts and not the newspapers is the proper place to decide the question. JOHN BLAKE.

Court Notes.

The case of Richey Bros. vs. Dacor & Co., was proved up this morning in the district court.

The case of the State of Nebraska vs. S. P. Vanatta for contempt of court was dismissed.

In the case of the State of Nebraska vs. Gering, the court imposed a fine of $100 and costs of suit.

Louisville.

Mr. W. Cutforth and G. W. Mayfield will attend the Republican State convention.

G. C. Cleghorn made a flying trip to Papillion Monday.

J. C. Rymel goes to Norfolk in a few days. He is a general agent for the "Maw King & Law" publishing house.

Mr. Hargus, agent for the Missouri Pacific R. R., gets a lay off for a short time. Mr. Craft from Brock takes his place.

School closes Friday with appropriate exercises.

The ladies aid society will give an ice cream sociable at the Baptist church Thursday evening.

The M. P. painters have greatly improved the appearance of the water tank by giving it a coat of paint.

Dr. Hasemier's baby has the raumps, we have not heard of any other cases yet.

Quite a heavy frost rested its cold feet on the gardens and fruit trees here Sunday night. The gardens look pretty black and fears are entertained that most of the fruit is killed.

Mr. A. Jenkins has purchased a stock of goods at Greenwood and will move his family there this week.

Mr. Walters, agent for Max Myers, was in town Saturday trying to introduce one of their pianos. They all leave Louisville without an order.

Mr. Wooley of Weeping Water, was in town Monday. SMIKE.

The Avoca Republican Club had a very enthusiastic meeting last Saturday evening at Maple Grove school house. Orlando Tefft, president, being absent on sick leave, the vice president, C. A. Kaufman presided and opened the meeting with some well-addressed explanatory remarks on the general nature and object of the club and its meetings, which were appreciated by all. O. W. Cromwell's paper on question from last meeting was well rendered and the question ably discussed by many, W. B. Bates, as usual taking a leading part and he says, "let her roll along." Orlando Tefft was appointed to read a paper on question. "Shall sugar be placed on free list and bounty paid to manufacturers?" At our next meeting on Saturday evening, May 27, at Tefft's office in Avoca.

—The Young Men's Republican Club, of this city held a rousing meeting last night. The election of officers resulted in the election of John A. Davies for president, Bird Critchfield secretary, and Sig Green treasurer. They eulogized Senator Ingalls of Kansas, for "skinning" Vorhees and forwarded a copy of the resolutions to Senator Ingalls; also instructed the committee on banquet to invite the Kansas senator to address the club at their banquet to be held here on June 19. The members were very enthusiastic and are determined to lend their might for the success of the grand old republican party in November.

B. & M. Time Table.

GOING WEST.	GOING EAST.
No. 1.—5:20 a. m.	No. 2.—4:25 p. m.
No. 3.—6:40 p. m.	No. 4.—10:30 a. m.
No. 5.—9:35 a. m.	No. 6.—7:15 p. m.
No. 7.—7:45 p. m.	No. 8.—9:50 a. m.
No. 9.—6:17 p. m.	No. 10.—9:45 a. m.
No. 11.—6:35 a. m.	No. 12.—9:40 p. m.

All trains run daily by way of Omaha, except Nos 7 and 8 which run to and from Schuyler daily except Sunday.

No. 30 is a stub to Pacific Junction at 8:30 a. m.
No. 19 is a stub from Pacific Junction at 11 a. m.

Agatha Tucker will open a select school in the First Ward building, June 4th 1888. Scholars of any age or class will be gladly received. Hours from eight to twelve. 1w