PLATTSMOUTH WEEKLY MERALW, THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1888.

Too Fresh

Considerable has been said of late concerning the boldness of some people ACCUMULATIONS OF A PAWNBROKER called strikers who are incessantly throwing slurs at parties who are going about their business interfering with no one and no one's business. Some of the fraternity of strikers have acted as gentlemen since the trouble has commenced and they have said nothing to anyone who did not insult them. Of these I have nothing The auctioneers had a house clearing. All to say, but a half dozen or so, who apthe watches, jewelry, scarf pins, opera glasses, pocket pistols which Mr. Wilkins Micawber, parently think of nothing but slugging people, are seen at all hours sitting in thing to turn up had coulded to the care of prominence upon corners of the streets a south side pawnbroker, were to be sold under the hammer. Mr. Micawber attended looking for some one whom they think has dared to form an opinion of his own did a throng of bargain hunters. The street and who does not coincide with them in their belief. I am not condemning the brotherhood for this, and am only speak- Pickwick. He was assisted by a young gentleman of rapid and disjointed utterance ing of a half a dozen or so who are in the habit of insulting some one continually. Should the brotherhood desire the sympathy of the citizens of Plattsmouth, such members of their organization should be strongly requested to use what ever mounted earrings. Somebody bid \$2. good qualities of decency they are possessed of, for if their actions are sancquarter? Quarter, quarter, quarter, will tioned by it longer, no sympathy can you make it?" possibly be shown any of them by right thinking people. It was not thought so much of until lady friends of parties who just did not happen to believe as they did were insulted on their account. Such conduct will not or can not be tolerated in a civilized community, and if those noisy members of that organization will persist in making themselves such a source of annoyance, steps will certainly be taken immediately to put them where their noise will resound in their own cars. Such actions have been looked upon with

contempt for some time, but when it reaches the stage that a man is obliged to be slugged or "believe the same as we do of we will make you" it is about time something was done to put a stop to it. It would be well for the brotherhood to order such men off of the streer or put muzzles on some of them, for they are prowling around at all hours, interfering with peaceable citizens and throwing out indecent slurs, slugging people because they would date to think different from some of them and expressing themselves. My advice to such fellows would be to go to work. Let the straightforward brotherhood men take a little advice and keep these men under their control or expel them from the order.

AN OBSERVER.

Commencement Tabor College. JUNE 24-27.

Sabbath morning June 24th dawned bright, beautiful and cool, a perfect June

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Newspaper Comments Concerning Men and Women of More or Less Fame. Lady Londonderry is trying to make green fashionable in London.

Prince Henry, of Russia, was the first German prince who ever sailed round the world.

Mile. Leblois is the first women in Paris to be awarded a diploma of Dog teur des Sciences.

Nilsson's farewell series at Allert hat began with great success. Her voice i said to be as fine as ever.

Miss Amelie Rives received \$1 !from the Lippincotts for her novel, which Quick and the Dead.""

Mrs. Gen. Kilpatrick bas with aleyes, raven black hair, olive complet. and vivacious manners.

The Prince of Wales is a railed war social duties that at times he cancel h servant changes his toilet.

Jean Ingelow gives a dinner three times a week to the sick poor and the discharged convalescents from hespital-

A temperance paper was recently established at Tokio, Japan, by Miss Asia and Mis. Tasaki, of the Tokio W. C. T. U.

Mile. Helene Laroche, a Paris ballet girl, recently drew 200,000 francs in a lottery and donated it to an orphan asylum.

Mrs. Zerelda G. Wallace, who is generally referred to as the mother of Gen. Lew Wallace, is in reality his stepmother. His mother died when he was a hoy.

The new Japanese minister at Washington was in 1877 sunt to prison for five years for a political offense. During his | haven'" confinement he translated John St-Mill's works on polition' quarteri Quarter, quarter, guarter, shall 1 Japanese economy into

The first Mrs. Tabor, the divorced wife _... Two or three of the Colorado ex-senator, is living ..., seetle browed men stood near quietly in Denver and is worth nearly a the auctioneer, and whenever he urged them million. She is a shrewd business to "make it a quarter" they generally made woman and makes money speculating in it a quarter. A suspicion that they were in stocks and mines. sympathy with the venders made their

Mrs. Labouchere, wife of the editor of Truth and member of Parliament, has recently made her debut as a public political speaker in her husband's interests. Mrs. Labouchere was an actress before her marriage, and it was, therefore, no new thing for her to address an audience.

Dr. Annie Pomberger, of Philadelphia, bears the enviable distinction of being the first woman in America who was granted the degree of D. D. S. by a lental college. She looks hardly older than 25, is thoroughly womanly in her ways and carns an annual income of \$6,000 by her profession.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe apparently did not look upon her marriage as an end of her school days, for since her marriage she has learned to speak Faench, Italian and modern Greek fluently, and has acquired a profound knowledge of the works of Kisht, Hegel, Spinoza, Comte and Fichte.

Sarah Winnemucca, the Indian princess who attended Wellesley colloge, and under the non de plume of "Bright Eyes" has written some charming frontier stories, is now teaching an Indian school of her own. She reports that she has fifteen or sixteen pupils, and is getting along nicely. A feature of James Freeman Clarke's life was his correspondence with Margaret Fuller. "From 1829 till 1833," he wrote, "I saw or heard from her almost every day. There was a family connection, and we called each other cousin. She needed a friend. * * She accepted me for this friend, and to me it was like a gift from the gods, an influence like no other." Gen. Boulanger's mother, who is a Welshwoman, is 84 years of age. She lives quietly at Ville d'Avray. Her famous son is very kind to ber and has always shown her a great deal of attention. The old lady's mind began to give way about two years age, but she is by no means an imbecile. Gen. Boulanger has just sent to her house all the decoeations. gifts, pictures, bric-a-brac, etc., which used to adorn his study at Clermont-Ferrand. Mr. Wilkie Collins is described as one of the most courteous of correspondents. He is always prompt with his reply, and his letters are as gracefully written as his books. No curt laconics and brusque brevities with him: there is good nature in every line, and somehow when we get to the end of his chatty epistles we feel there is less of the usual formalism in his "Believe me, faithfully yours." His letters, which are headed "Gloucester place, Portman square," have a monogram, with a quill piercing the letters, which is quite a trademark it its way. The celebrated John Dunn, who turned himseld into a Zulu, and is now one of the ten chiefs of Zululand, has just published a book giving some of his experiences in wild Africa during his thirty years' residence there. Dunn was a big hunter before he became King Cetywayo's right hand man, and the stories he tells of some of his exploits are enough to make our crack shots open their eyes. One morning he bagged twenty-three hippopotami in thirty shots, and during that season 203 of these river horses were viotims of his rifle. No wonder big game in Zululand became scarce, with such hunters as John Dunn continually blazing away at every animal worth shooting. Dunn, unlike the other hunters, did not go further afield in pursuit of sport, but settled down, took to politics, married into the best families of the Zulu aristocracy, and today is the most important individual in his adopted country.

A SONG. There is ever a song somewhere, my dear; There is ever a something sings alway; There's the song of the lark when the skies are

And the song of the thrush when the skies are gray The sunshine showers across the grain,

And the bluebird thrills in the orchard tree: And to and out, when the eaves drip rain, The swallows are twittering ceaselessly

There is ever a song somewhere, my dear. In the midnight black, or the midday blue; The robin pipes when the sun is here, And the cricket chirrups the whole night through.

The bads may blow, and the fruits may grow, And the antiunn leaves drop crisp and scro; But whether the sun, or the rain, or the snow, There is ever a song somewhere, my dear. -James Whitcomb Riley,

Woman Can Be Ingenious.

Who was it said that no woman ever favented anything? It was untrue, anyhow, A woman can be ingenious when it seems to her worth while. A device for increasing the business of a barroom is a bright silver dellar glued fast to the floor in front of the bar. A man comes in to order a drink, discovers the coin, desires to pick it up and pocket it without being seen, and to that end gives to the bartender a bill in payment for his beverage, so that he may have time, when that person turns his back to make change, to pick up the dollar from the floor. But the bartender manages to shorten the opportunity so much that the man cannot stoop quick enough to touch the prize. So he orders another drink and tries again. Perhaps he spends three or four times as much as he intended to before he is able to touch the dollar, and to find out that he cannot detach it from the board. Then he either speaks on quietly or langles over the trick, and m either case the extra patronage has been for the year " gained for the saloon, while the dollar remains safe for further service. But was it that a Bowery worner -...nat husband told of -... uid when her . .ue trick? She provided ... with a sharp edged tack puller, and neighborhood where the dollar dodge was being worked. She bought one glass of beer in each place, neatly pried up the coin while the barkeeper was making change, and went on to repeat it. - New York Sun.

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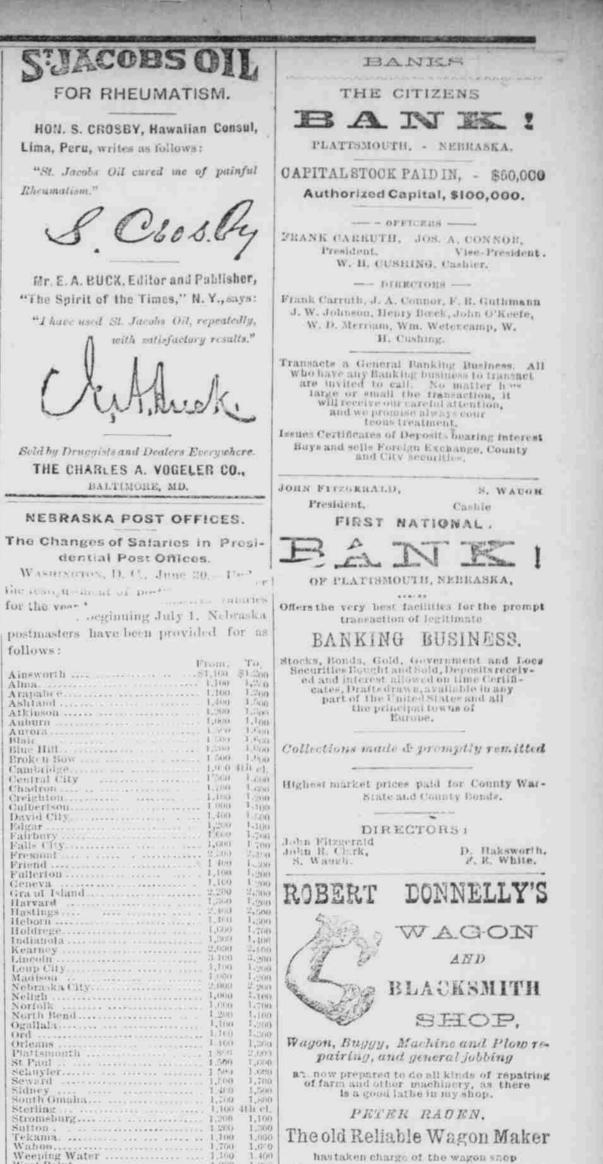
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Trade of Professional Director.

There is a lucrative, if not very extensive, trade in this city that I have never seen described in print. This is the trade of the professional director. All stock corporations are governed by boards of directors, as everybody knows. These directors serve without fixed salaries, but by no means without compensation. An allowance in cash is made to each director for his attendance at a board meeting, the amount varying according to the company he serves and coming out of the expense fund. In some cases a more or less elaborate lunch is thrown in. All railroads, banks, steamship and trust con-panies observe the rule of paying a director something for his service. The only requirement is that the meeting shall be a business one. If there is no quorum there is no fee. But it is a peculiarity of board meetings that it very rarely happens that a quorum does not assemble. The directors, with that fine eye to business that characterizes the average financier, are pretty certain to see to it that they earn their fees, especially as the meetings are generally short ones and held quite convenient to the down town offices, so that no considerable amount of time is wasted in attending them .- Alfred Trumble in New York News.

Kaffirland's Fantastic Cradle.



day.

The storm of Tnesday and the threatning weather of Wednesday diminished the crowd from neighboring towns, yet nothing occurred to mar the pleasure from the beginning to the end.

The Baccalavreate sermon was preached by Pres. Brooks from the text "Behold I have set before you an open door and no man can shut it." Twelve of the entering class had public exercises. A number of other gradutes of high schools expect to begin a course of study at Tabor in the autumn. An address full of valuable practical suggestions was given by Rev. C. H. Crawford of Glenwood, and one of unusual merit by Prof. L. F. Parker recently elected to a professorship in Iowa college.

The graduating exercises were of excellent quality, and those of the Conservatory of music and the concert of more than ordinary interest. The degree of of Atlantic.

The average number of different stu-212, last year 433. If the new R. R. now in prospect is completed, and present speedily enter upon a new era of pros-SPECTATOR. perity.

Chatauqua Assembly. From Thursday's Daily

Reports from Crete, Neb., say that large crowds from towns and cities all over two of his own. He tried to pass off a gold the state are arriving there daily and al- headed cane as "Tascott's cane." But the so people from a greater distance have put in an appearance. The Assembly the growl. They wanted the original Schegrounds are in excellent condition and herezade, the authorized teller of tales, or electric lights are distributed numerously upon the grounds. Distinguished men old play of Felix Pyat, the communist-the from abroad will be present and partici- ragpicker sorts out his bag and finds a shred pate in the proceedings each day. A large number of Platt-mouth people left that scrap of calico came from a shirt that here this morning with the intention of was made by a starving mother beside the spending a few days at that place and it broker's sale every article had its history. is expected that a large number will leave Jingle, the romancer, knew nothing about here tomorrow. Today is the day of the opening, and it is not expected that all the place will start today, but it is expected that the excursion train the morning of the 30th will be crowded. Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, America's most famous preacher, will lecture that day. points along the line at one fare for the separation.

If it were not for Cleveland, The Democrats would fly. For he is all in the land That Democrats could try.

Quarter, quarter, quarter, shall I make itf" A third auctioneer now made his appearance. He was more violent than his partners. He was revolutionary in his doctrines the crowd from neighboring towns, yet and was for "smashing things." A lady's all the exercises were well attended and gold watch was produced. "Break it to picces, gentlemen," cried the revolutionist. "Grind it to powder. The gold dust to which you reduce it will be worth more than you

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

PUT UP AT AUCTION.

A Curious Crowd in a Chicago Street.

Mr. Pickwick and Mr. Jingle as Auction-

cers-A Bloeding Heart-Some Pretty

The street was more crowded than usual.

Gent., and others who were waiting for some-

the ceremony. So did Mrs. Micawber. So

was packed with them. The auctioneer was

elderly, hald and benevolent. He wore spec-

tacles. He bore a general likeness to Mr.

who resembled Mr. Jingle; and he was always

calling attention to his Pickwickian philan-

thropy, the purity of his motives, the "squara-

ness" of his conduct. In his vindication Mr.

The sale began with a pair of solid gold

"Two dollars," sang out Mr. Pickwick.

"Two dollars and a quarter? Who says

"Property of prominent society lady,"

cried Mr. Jingle. "Husband speculated-

caught in wheat deal-couldn't come to time

-went to board at night-hung himself from

gallery-cut down in morning-wheat rose

immediately-would have been millionaire

"My only reason," said Mr. Pickwick, "for

parting with these precious relics is the

pawnbroker's stern command. Gentlemen.

you know me. I guarantee everything I

sell. My heart bleeds to dispose of these car-

rings, but I grarantee than. Now who says

neighbors fight rather shy of them, and

whenever they showed much disposition to

pile up "quarters" they generally had the

bidding to themselves. Once or twice a wo-

man at the back would timidly raise her

finger and secure a ring or a brooch. The

professionals would turn with a laugh, and

regard their unprofessional sister with scorn.

from the street, lay down on the edge of the

throng, and regarded the proceedings with

philosophic loftiness. "What form of human

chicanery is this?" he demanded, blinking his

"with a solid fourteen carat gold case."

"Stem winder," said Mr. Pickwick.

"Perfect order," said Mr. Pickwick.

"Key winder," said Mr. Jingle.

"Here is a watch," said Mr. Pickwick,

"An immense bargain," added Mr. Jingle

"Case alone worth the money," said Mr.

"Gentlemen," said Mr. Pickwick, beaming

through his spectacles, "this is not my sale.

This is the pawnbroker's sale. You know the

pawnbroker. He is as benevolent as I am.

His heart bleeds when circumstances compel

him to sell the forfeited pledges of the needy.

Twenty dollars are bid. Who says quarter

big brown eyes in the sun.

Jingle,

A handsome Newfoundland dog strayed in

The crowd was now dan--

Jingle aided him volubly.

-sad case-very."

make it?

heavy fanod -

Tall Stories-Sentiment.

bid for it." "Remarkable watch," cries Jingle, "remarkable history-lady eloped-notorious scandal-thought she eloped with German baron-no baron at all-only a footmanhadn't a cent-everything sold-watch pawned-curious story-very."

"Gentlemen," says Mr. Pickwick, "here is a lady's lace pin; star and crescent; nine diamonds; worth \$150."

"Formerly property of Hattie Blackford," says Jingle-"daughter of Philadelphia parson-went to Russia-called herself Fanny Lear-not grand duke-grand duke all broke up-robbed grandmother's shrine-gave stolen diamonds to Fanny-Russian police bounced her-fled to Paris-went broke--sold this face pin-odd creature-very."

"Worth \$150," says Mr. Pickwick, "Who bids for Fanny Lear's lace pin? Ten dollars? Thank you, sir. Quarter, quarter, quarter shall I make it?"

"Here is a Tissot watch," says the revolu-D. D. was conferred upon Rev. E. S. Hill tionist. "Smash it with a hammer. Screws are solid gold. Tear 'em to pieces; rip 'em up; pulverize 'em; and a pawnbroker will and you \$75 on the fragments. What's the dents each year for ten years has been bid! Six dollars? Why, the glass is worth more.

"Watch belonged to Bearded Lady," says Jingle, "Great attraction-dime museumplans are carried out the college will manager presented watch-token of esteem -envious rival-took scissors-approached Bearded Lady in bed-cut off beard-never grew again-Bearded Lady busted-manager fired her out-presented another watch to envious rival-sad calamity-very."

Mr. Pickwick got rather jealous of Jingle's tales. He even attempted to spin a yarn or crowd jeered, the professionals laughed and the Newfoundland dog gave an ominous litnobody.

In "The Ragpicker of Paris"-that famous of sentiment or humor in every rag. This bit of lace was worn by the belle of the ball; them. The opera glasses in mother-of-pearl that lie at his side could tell of the night when he and she went for the first time who have made up their minds to visit together to the theatre; how she had no eyes for anything but the stage, and he had no eyes for anything but her; and how the opera glasses, having the gift of observation, surmised from her behavior that the engagement subsequently came to nothing. This ring could tell of a betrothal of which the parents hoped so much; that ring could tell The C. B. & Q. will sell tickets at all of a marriage which ended in strife and

Gravely rose the Newfoundland dog; round trip, good to return until July gravely he shook his head; gravely he walked 12th. Crete is a favorite summer resort, away. Dimly it dawned upon his canine inand if for no other reason than to take a of human life. And still Mr. Jingle went on telligence that this auction was an epitome pleasure trip and remain a few days, a with his idle fairy tales and Mr. Pickwick person would be well paid should they kept musically asking: "Quarter, quarter, quarter, shall I make it?"-Chicago Tribune.

> vances, the luxuries of the present become Chicago Herald. the necessities of the succeeding age.

Strange Sight in Maine.

Between 9:30 and 10 o'clock the other night a strange sight was observed by several people at Portland, Me. What appeared to be a huge illuminated cloud passed over the houses at a height of about 100 feet. It actually lighted up the street and caused no little amount of wondering among those who observed the phenomenon. One gentleman's curiosity led him to the roof of his house for purposes of investigation. He then found, to his astonishment, that the strange appearance was a large swarm of As education increases and civilization ad- lightning bugs flying slowly north .-

One would hardly go to Kaffirland for a fantastic cradle, and one almost as queer as it is fantastic, at that. Yet he would find such a one there. The Kaffir baby, when he comes into the world, is put into a cradle or bag made of antelope skin, with the hair on. The baby castle, narrow toward the bottom, widens to within a few inches of the opening, when it again suddenly contracts. The hair is turned inward, giving the young Kaffir as soft a bed as some found in the cradles of royalty. Four long strips of antelope skin are attached to the cradle, and enable the mother to swing it on her back after a peculiar fashion .- Drake's Magazine,

A Curious Freak of Nature.

There is at Lone Pine, Inyo county, a rock that might be easily passed off for a petrified elephant. A photograph of the rock shows as like as possible to the photograph of an elephant. The trunk, the eyes, the head and body are all as well formed in the photograph as if the camera had been turned to a living animal. The wrinkles and folds in the skin of nn elephant and the color are all repeated in the rock. The symmetry and proportions of the living animal are reproduced in this remarkable freak of nature.-Independence (Cal.) Independent.

Don't Raise Fainting Persons.

The common practice of raising fainting persons to a sitting or upright position is often sufficient to destroy the spark of life here and among them were a Printer which remains. The death of an eminent English statesman a short time ago gave opportunity to the coroner for emphasizing this fact, and of pointing out how much more reasonable and sound it is to keep such persons in the prone position, while restoratives and local means are adopted to enable on the horse market for 20 years and am them, if possible, to regain consciousness .-Medical Journal.

The Inventor of Dynamite.

Mr. Alfred Nobel, the inventor and chief manufacturer of dynamite, is emphatically a man of peace and deplores the use of the explosive as a destroyer of human life. "If I did not regard it as on the whole a great Norman are worth more money to the blessing to humanity," he said recently, "I would close up all my factories and never make another ounce of the stuff."-New York Tribuna.

A Queer Theatrical Crank.

A strange sort of theatrical crank has been discovered in Paris at the Ambign. It sibly bring over \$75. is a woman who sits nightly in one of the galleries and learn the pieces by heart. It is said to take her eight days, and she recites are surprised to hear her answering the cues before the actor is heard.-Chicago Herald.

Justly Indignant Thieves.

Even the criminal classes are losing faith both for sale and breeding purposes. in the lawyers. A society of thieves in San Diego has passed a vote of want of confidence in the legal profession, and decided that its members will go to jail without the assistance of attorneys henceforth.-San Francisco Examiner.

Putting It Nicely. "Now, Mr. Bijones," said Mrs. Ringfinger,

a bay mare with a star in forehead; the other a dark brown gelding, four white feet and white face. The finder will be who was visiting Mrs. Bijones, "don't try to liberally rewarded by returning one or be polite. Do just as you would if we were GEO. H. BAX. both to not here, and we shall feel ever so much more June 12, 1888. tf. WM. B. PORTER.

For Sale

calf, enquire of Judge W. H.Newel or C. The very finest. Office in Union Block, over The Citizens' Bank, Parmele. tf.



To The People of Cass and Adioin-

joining Counties

I desire to say a few words to the peo-

ple at large in regard the breeding of

horses. Having myself, for the last 35

years been engaged in that business, be

fair, unbiased opinion of the best breed-

ers. I drove the stallion, Little Breeches,

who took the 1st premium at the first

fair ever held in Des Moines, Ia. I also

owned and bred the stallion, Cap Walk-

er, who was the first horse to take a

been handling horses for breeding pur-

ers, Morgans, Copper Bottoms, Bashous,

Hamiltonians, Clydesdales, Normons and

others. I have bought and brought to

Cass county, a large number of horses

even before the B. & M. R. R. had a rail

Stallion, a Copper Bottom Stallion, four

Norman Stallions, four Clydesdale Stal-

lions and others and have bred all these

horses at different times. I have been

know what horse or breed of horses will

bring the most money in this or any

other market and which are the

breeders and it is based upon this fact.

that a three year old Norman or Clydes-

dale draft horse is worth and can be sold

in market for \$140 to \$200 and the smal-

ler horses at the same age will not pos-

I have said this much for the benefit

of breeders and in explanation, and I

our stables in Plattsmouth two Clydes-

dale and one Norman horses good clean

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In order to carve out a fortune, one must be sharp. - The Epoch.