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CITY BRIEFS.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. Jerry Farthing is in Omaha today. Capt. Palmer is in Omaha today on business.

Mr. G. Alex was an Omaha passenger this morning.

Mr. Mat Gering is in Omaha today on legal business.

Mr. W. G. Mercer returned from Omaha this morning.

Mr. Hiram Upton, of Weeping Water, is in the city today.

Mr. S. Thompson was a passenger to Omaha this morning.

Mr. Byron Clark is in Weeping Water today on legal business.

Mr. H. E. Whiting went up to Omaha this morning on business.

Judge W. H. Newell went to Lincoln this morning on business.

Mr. R. J. McBride, of Council Bluffs, is in the city today on business.

Miss May Patterson, of South Bend, is in the city, the guest of her cousin, Miss Irene Patterson.

Miss Edna Wells, of South Bend, is in the city on a visit to her cousin, Miss Maggie Streight.

Messrs. Ed. Streight and Geo. Palmer are in Omaha today taking in one of the professional ball games.

Mr. Morris O'Rourke, jr., returned from Glenwood and Pacific Junction last night where he went to transact some business.

Messrs. Jerry Rowan and Will Wicher left this morning for Boston, their old home, to visit their parents for a few weeks.

Mrs. Dalton, of Ashland, who has been visiting with her son-in-law, Mr. Henry Hemple and wife, for the past few days, returned home this morning.

Mr. Chas. S. Twiss and wife went to Omaha this morning. Mrs. Twiss will remain there for a few days under treatment of some doctor, one of her eyes being badly affected.

John S. Lindsay, an old time resident of Plattsouth, and by the way, an excellent stone and brick mason, now employed at Lincoln, was around the city shaking hands with friends today.

Hon. Sam. Barker, Alderman Jones, Gas Inspector Johns, "Empire" Will Chambers, and abstract compiler H. C. Ritchie, were all holding down seats in a passenger coach this morning bound for Omaha.

Mr. Fred Howland and wife, who received a dispatch from Denver stating that Mrs. Wm. Fowler, an aunt of Mrs. Howland's, was seriously ill, took the western bound train yesterday for that place.

Mr. Gus Rhinachel, who has been an employe of the B. & M. here for some time in the machine shops, has severed his connection there and gone to Omaha, where he has secured a situation in the U. P. shops.

Mrs. Michael Horrigan of Emergene, Ia., who has been the guest of Mr. Thos. Murphy and wife for the past few days, received a dispatch today that her brother-in-law, who resided in Emergene had died suddenly. She left this morning for that place.

A large sail boat made its way up the muddy Missouri this morning and landed near the depot. The owners of the boat brought some farm produce to the city. The sandbars further up the river barred them from continuing their trip.

John McClelland, the insane man who was brought here from Ashland for the purpose of examination, and who is now locked up in jail here, is said to be a raving maniac at times and continually yells at the top of his voice when the worst fits of insanity overcome him. He is a pitiful looking sight.

Some of the active senior democrats met in a room over Dovey's store last night and formed themselves into a club, and it is their intention in a short time to consolidate with the Young Men's Democratic Club of this city. Owing to the extreme heat of the evening as large an attendance as was anticipated did not put in an appearance.

Several of the striking engineers were at the depot this morning for the purpose of giving Robt. Smith, an ex-striker, a serenade as he put in an appearance on his run between here and Lincoln which he has just secured. His engine is No. 3 and he has the passenger run. The names he was greeted with were not consoling to his temper, but no further harm than a little rough abuse took place.

Canadians contemplating matrimony will be interested in knowing that under a recent act they can be married in Michigan without being required to procure a license or pay any fee. Detroit and Port Huron clergymen and J. P.'s may expect a great boom from this side of the line when this fact becomes generally known.

The whole business, including railway fare, can be transacted by an economical couple for a five dollar note.—Petrolca, Ont., Topic.

Two young clerks of this city who attended church at Rock Creek last Sunday night were, from what information we received, strongly educated to practice economy at one time, but we believe economy as they practiced it with as much required patience, would cease to be a virtue. The young men drove to that burg and called on a couple of their young lady friends, and that evening they employed the economical scheme we speak of in conveying their lady friends to church. They had one buggy and the four occupied that buggy. Two occupied the seat, one was supported by the two and the other occupant found room to stand back of the seat when the cover was thrown back far enough.

The serenading party which took a circuit around the city last Monday night serenaded the residence of a certain minister in his absence. For fear they might feel slighted at not receiving applause from within he requested us to state that their kindness was appreciated although he and his wife were both absent from home that evening. We did not learn how many pieces were rendered before the house, but it is supposed that was the last place they sang that night for they received poor encouragement there. A gentleman who was serenaded by the same party also states that one of the gentlemen of the party, after they had sung several pieces, was about to put his ear to the keyhole and listen for applause when the sound of a man's voice was heard within a few inches of it. The fellow replaced himself with the elasticity of a cat.

A very pleasant surprise was tendered Mr. Wash. Smith last evening at his home, the event being a party given by his wife, in honor of their twenty-first wedding anniversary and his fifty-second birthday. Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Wm. Smith, who assisted Mrs. Smith in preparing the supper, attained for themselves great credit from the gentleman who partook of a hearty repast. They say the supper was first class and as good as any ever given in the city. Ten gentlemen were at the house to greet him on his arrival shortly after 6 o'clock and the surprise was said to be complete. All present say that a more enjoyable time could not have been had. The following gentlemen were present: Messrs. Ed. Greusel, Dan Smith, Wm. Balance, C. M. Butler, S. M. Cooper, J. W. Young, Frank Carruth, Wm. Hayes, B. Spurlock and J. H. Waterman.

The fishing party spoken of yesterday under the auspices of the young ladies proved to be as successful in their undertaking as at first anticipated. The party left the city about 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and drove to a point on the Platte river known as "The Dump," about four miles from the city. Ice cream, cake and various kinds of refreshments were provided by the young ladies, and after a short time of rustication, the whole party sat down and partook of a hearty repast. The young gentlemen were waited upon by the young ladies in a manner which bespeaks for them success in any future leap year undertaking. Though their experience has been limited, this being the first undertaking of the kind we have heard of, they proved themselves efficient coverts and the gentlemen were very favorably impressed by the attention shown them. After all were sat with the refreshments, preparations were made for fishing. When everything was in readiness the lines and hooks were thrown to the water. Some became impatient at times because the fish would not bite to suit, and nibble away until the bate was removed. A married lady, and the only one in the party, succeeded in landing the first fish and after that the time was spent in pulling out crabs and minnows, which success did not altogether gratify their desires. As the afternoon was very warm, not so much time as had been calculated was occupied in this way, and the party succeeded in finding for themselves considerable enjoyment in various other amusements before the time arrived for them to take their departure. On the return trip singing was indulged in freely and enjoyed by all, and about 10 o'clock the party was again at home. Mr. Ed Fitzgerald transferred the party. The following ladies and gentlemen participated: Misses Hattie Sheffer, Lou Richey, Maggie Streight, May Richey, Mate Safford, Mrs. Lovering; Messrs. John Davies, Will Streight, Al. Derrick, G. Moore, Frank Dickson and B. N. Lovering.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mr. Will Fenner, of Indianola, Iowa, was in the city yesterday visiting relatives. He returned this morning.

Mr. J. E. Leyda and wife, of Weeping Water, were in the city over Sunday, on a visit to his brother, J. M. Leyda.

If you wish premium lists of the State Fair, apply to R. B. Windham, member of the State Board of Agriculture.

We acknowledge the receipt of a ticket to the Omaha Fair and Exposition to be held at Omaha Sept. 3rd to 8th inclusive.

Dr. Schildknecht removed a needle

from the heel of Max Chapman, son of Judge Chapman, this morning. The needle was driven into his heel full length which caused him intense agony.

Miss Etta Schildknecht, of Greenwood, daughter of Dr. Schildknecht, returned home yesterday with her mother who went to Greenwood to accompany her. She is suffering from very poor health at present and is here under treatment of her father.

Messrs. E. D. Einsel, cashier of the Holdrege Commercial State Bank, and G. Norbery, two prominent citizens of Holdrege and also prominent politicians, honored us by a pleasant call today. Mr. Einsel will be a candidate for the nomination of the office of state treasurer.

Work has been commenced to remove the telephone posts out to a sufficient distance to allow the building of a twenty foot side walk, the building of which is soon to be commenced. About the time the paving, sewer and sidewalk building is about half done, the city will remind one of Pompeii.

Dr. Livingston, sr., who examined John McClelland, of Ashland, finding him to be hopelessly insane, imparts the information that he entertains faint hopes of his surviving any great length of time and he may not live longer than 3 weeks. The man when asked his age yesterday, claimed to be about five hundred years old.

Mack Jones who was examined by the commissioners here a few days ago and sent to the Lincoln insane asylum, died in Lincoln yesterday. W. D. Jones received the news of his death and started immediately for that place, and brought the corpse back this morning. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the residence of Douglas Jones at 4 o'clock. The deceased had been sick for some time, the insanity being caused by softening of the brain. He is a cousin of Mr. W. D. Jones.

A prominent gentleman of this city and an extensive grain dealer, whenever the reporter asks for any news, he invariably insists that "it's a warm day," and if he cannot be present on the streets himself to impart the information, he leaves the word with a friend to deliver. If we considered it necessary to publish such news, to make people believe it, it would afford us great pleasure, but now we promise him to inform the people through the paper of the first cold day that comes if he will help us out. It's a cold day when it isn't warm.

Almost every day of late some foreign lady has arrived at our depot and been unable, without considerable trouble, to ascertain the whereabouts of their friends. This morning a Danish lady by the name of Maryanna Stienholtz and four little children arrived. From what was understood she inquired for her husband. Some men who heard her speak the name say that there is a man working in the shops by that name. She looked very much fatigued and imparted the information in a way that she had been on the road six weeks.

Last night the drum in the ears of the music loving people was struck rather forcibly by the sounds of melody which wafted on the cool and soothing midnight air, as their possessors were building air castles in the land of nod. The first thoughts that presented themselves upon awakening were: "What are those sounds I hear? What meaneth this? Wonder if they mean that for me? Had I better go to the window and give them a clap of the hand? What do they expect me to do if they are thinking of me? I have nothing in the house to give them." By that time the mechanics of the staff have completed their invigorating efforts. The ladies and gentlemen we have reference to were on the streets last night until a late hour, serenading their friends and favoring all within a hundred yards of their different locations, with music which they were capable of rendering. In behalf of their friends we thank them for their efforts and request them to call on us on their next annual tour.

A prominent citizen of this place and an accurate mathematician met with what some people would term a misfortune owing to a miscalculation. The gentleman we have reference to got his rig in readiness and drove to the campmeeting which was held at Eight Mile Grove last Sunday. On their return the nag exhibited signs of a thirsty disposition and the gentleman took advantage of the first opportunity to water his horse. He drove up to a farm house by which there was a well and pulled up a bucket of water. The lady of the house informed him that they were not in the habit of using that water for watering their horses, and requested him, if he wished to water his horse on their premises to take the bucket of water he had drawn, go to a pump about a hundred yards distant where they generally watered their horses, and prime the pump with the water he had drawn. It is needless to say the gentleman was afforded a little displeasure on account of this, but nevertheless he lugged his burden of bucket and water to said pump and gracefully, but not willingly turned the water into it and pumped the same amount again for his horse. If he

had gone through the motions and left the water on the outside it might have suited him much better. He has not yet recovered from the burden of dissatisfaction of having complied with the whims of an obstinate woman.

From Monday's Daily.

Messrs. Thos. Reynolds and Chas. Coloman spent Sunday at Rock Creek.

A notice of Mr. Eric Messler arrived in the city this morning from Gille, Sweden.

Mrs. L. C. Cummins and little daughters have gone to Pacific Junction on a short visit.

Mr. Frank Davis, of Beaver City, is in the city on a visit to his father-in-law, Dr. Schildknecht.

Mr. Frank Knotts, brother of the proprietors of this office, arrived yesterday and will be employed at the office in the future.

Mr. Frank Hahn and wife, of St. Louis, a newly married couple, are stopping at the Riddle house and visiting friends in the city.

Rev. Cyrus Alton, of Elmwood, formerly pastor of the Christian church here, was in the city over Sunday and officiated at that church.

Mr. W. J. Warrick has fitted up a window in the front of his drug store, which presents to the passer by a very charming appearance. In a large box, filled with rich soil, are planted a fine lot of fresh ferns, and in the center is located a large bowl, which contains about a half-dozen red fish. The scene is a very pleasing one and looks very natural.

John McClelland, a farmer who lives about four miles south of Ashland, was brought to the city this morning and examined by Dr. Livingston, sr., before Messrs. Beeson and Showalter, who were appointed commissioners by the district court. He was taken charge of by Deputy Sheriff Miller and two of his former neighbors who brought him to the city this morning. His friends stated that he has been insane for more than a year, and of late has become so crazy that he has become unmanageable. At times he would have spells in which he wished to handle everything he would see, roughly, and occasionally for a short time only he would become rational. He has been sick for some time, but as he recovers and his strength increases the more deranged he becomes. He is a married man and has a family of about three children. As the asylum is full at present it will not be known until word is received from there whether he can be accepted or not.

The prohibition law of Iowa must have been declared off for a month judging by the beer which is transferred to Pacific Junction almost daily. Saturday night another lot of kegs were seen at the depot labeled for the above place, and it is supposed the boys of that burg had a genuine "blow out." It is shipped to the web-foot and it disappears in some mysterious way, but when the citizens of the sister state make known their intention of crossing the river and carry beer with them, all the precautions people of that land will have arrangements made to take possession of their "fire water" and put them behind bars. A few days ago a party of Plattsouth people had made up their minds to spend a day on the Iowa side and it had been reported that they were to take a supply of beer with them. The town was informed in some way of their intention and all preparations were made to catch the visitors. For some reason the trip was postponed to an indefinite date.

The republican rally, which took place at Cedar Creek last Saturday night, was reported by those attending from here to have been a grand success in every way. Sayles' hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, not even standing room could not be found. There was an attendance of about 300 people, and the meeting was enthused by the presence of about one hundred ladies. The members of the little burg deserve the strongest praise for such an exhibition of the interest taken in the welfare of the country. Politicians from the surrounding country for a considerable distance put in an appearance and a more enthusiastic meeting in a place of its size has not been known. Before the meeting at the hall a parade of about fifty people, headed by the Cedar Creek brass band, marched up the street, those in the procession carrying lanterns and transparencies. The hall was nicely decorated and streamers of Harrison and Morton were hung upon the walls. The speakers from here—Mr. John A. Davies and Judge Sullivan—received loud rounds of applause during their speaking. Mr. John Ramsey of that place, acted as chairman and the first speaker he called was Mr. Davies, who spoke in an able manner on the tariff question and the inconsistencies of democracy. Mr. Sullivan, who also spoke on the tariff, handled it in an able manner apparently pleasing the audience by every utterance. The meeting did not break up until after 11 o'clock.

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