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At Gering & Co., 22 1/2 Soda Water. 6t.
Dry wood for sale. W. S. Wise. 1t.
Gering & Co Soda Water with cream has no equal. d6t
Wm. Hayes is at Lincoln today attending the Nebraska Veteran Association.
Wonderful Wild Grape Soda Water at Gering & Co's. d6t
Great inducement in Wall Paper at Wildman & Fuller. 1t
The business houses of the city are nearly all closed this afternoon.

Try Gering & Co, absolutely pure Soda Water, all flavor. d6t.
Elson, the one price clothier has a full line of summer clothing. 6t
Try one of those health invigorating Milk Shakes at Gering & Co's. d6t
Nothing succeeds like success. La Rosa the 5 cent cigar is without a rival for success. Try it at Gering & Co. d6t
The Grand Sec'y of the Rebeccas, Mrs. Utely of O'Neil will attend the regular meeting of the Rebeccas tomorrow evening.

The success of the La Rosa is wonderful, sold only by Gering & Co, manufactured by Julius Pepperburg. d6t
J. D. Graves, attorney at Benkleman, who has been attending commencement of the Peru Normal, came this way en route to Hillsdale and Malvern, Iowa, to visit friends and relatives.

The success of La Rosa 5 cent, depends on its wonderful smoking qualities sold only by Gering & Co. d6t

WANTED.—A girl for general house work. Inquire at 709 Oak street. 4t
Mrs. Geo. Dovey.

FOR SALE.—A cook stove, refrigerator and household goods for sale cheap at the residence of P. L. Wise. d3t

Judge Chapman adjourned court yesterday till Friday morning, and went up to Lincoln this morning to pass on some motions and will return tomorrow morning.

Considering the large number of people in the city the police so far has done well in preventing disorder, as nothing of a very serious nature has yet occurred.

Yesterday Peter Perry of Eight Mile Grove came to the city with his family to see the sights, in the way of attending the firemen's tournament and looking at the circus. He hitched his team on Vine street in front of J. M. Schnellbacher's residence and at noon when he came to get his dinner he found some one had appropriated his dinner and box which contained it, so Mr. Perry and his folks had to go hungry.

The closing entertainment of St. John's school will take place in the opera house this evening. It will be a grand treat for those who will avail themselves of the opportunity to see those well trained children going through the different numbers of a beautiful program. Reserved seats are only 25 cts. unreserved 25 cts. All are most respectfully invited Entertainment commences at 8 o'clock.

The Great Show.
The street parade given in this city yesterday by the Sells Brothers and Barrett show was witnessed by as many people as ever gathered here before on any occasion. Everything was in the parade that would contribute to make it brilliant and attractive.

They gave two exhibitions, one in the forenoon and one in the evening, both of which were largely patronized by both city and country people, and all were loud in pronouncing it the grandest success they ever saw in the way of a show. Under one large canvas were two large rings and a large elevated platform all of which were occupied constantly with the most brilliant performances ever given in this city. It was, indeed, the small boys' paradise, and some of the large ones too, for it was observed that the attractions did not fail to draw from all classes. It will be many a day before the people of Cass county will have the opportunity to witness such an aggregation of wonders as were produced by this show.

An Editor's Grandchildren.
J. R. Dodd, editor of the daily and weekly Arbor State, of Wymore, Neb, says: "I have seen the magic effect of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in cases of croup and colds among my grandchildren. We would not think of going to bed at night without a bottle of his remedy in the house." For Sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Anyone buying 25 cents worth of Tansill's Punch cigars at Wildman & Fuller's and guessing the exact number of people that will attend the World's Fair in '93, will receive the snug sum of \$5,000. 6t

YORK WINS FIRST.

The G. F. Corcorans of York Win First and the Nevilles Second Money.

HOOK AND LADDER RACE.

A Very Small Crowd in Attendance on the First Day—Good Races—The Parade Today.

The first day of the Nebraska State Firemen's tournament was a success as far as the races were concerned, but the attendance was miserably poor, owing largely to the fact that the circus held a large crowd from attending, but today the management expects better patronage. The track was in the pink of condition, as also were the different teams.

In the Green Hook and Ladder race there were two entries, the Nebraska City team and Plattsmouth team. The Nebraska City team was the first to start. It started and the harness broke, causing a little delay, but the break was soon mended and they came down the track in 51 1/2. The Plattsmouth team then made the run in 53 seconds. When Geo. Scott, the man that climbs the ladder, reached the top and had started down, the men lost control of the ladder and let it fall with Scott, he lighting on his side, but fortunately he escaped unhurt.

In the chiefs' race there were five entries. A. Rothman, of York, winning the \$25 badge in 11 seconds, and George Melvin, of Wahoo, the leather medal, for the slowest time.

In the forty two class, hose race, purse \$200, the Nevilles were the first to run in 41 1/2. The B. & M. hose team came next and made a good run but failed on the coupling and no time was allowed them. The York team came third and covered the space in 40 seconds and winning the first prize of \$150. The Grand Island team was the next to run and made it in 43 1/2 and the Aurora in 45, and was hotly contested by the different teams.

At 10:30 occurred the firemen's parade with Hon. Wm. Neville as commander-in-chief, and the first division under W. H. Pickett, formed on Third Street, the second division, under Hon. F. E. White, formed on Fourth Street, and the third division, under Hon. R. W. Myers, on Fifth. The line of march was from Third to Seventh, from Seventh to Vine, from Vine to Third, and from Third to Main, from Main to Sixth and broke ranks. The following is the order of march: Ancient Order of Hibernians, band of Omaha, of sixteen pieces, four abreast. The Omaha Veteran Fire Department of Omaha, four abreast.

Union Pacific band of Omaha.
The Durants of Omaha.
Crete hose team.
Ashland Hose team.

Boys' Hook and Ladder company of this city.
Bohemian band.

The Neville running team.
The York running team.
The F. E. White hose team.
The F. M. Richey hose team.
The B. & M. band.
The B. & M. running team.
The Grand Island running team.
The Plattsmouth Hook and Ladder.
The Wide Awake hose team.
The Nebraska City running team.
City council in carriages.
Board of control in carriages.

This morning the veteran firemen's association came in on a special train that left Omaha at 8:30. The fare was reduced to 90 cents the round trip. The Durant company with the U. P. band and the veterans of Omaha with the A. O. H. band. The veterans were fifty strong.

After the parade the veterans of Omaha were drawn up in line, and in a neat speech by Mr. Sherman presented to the company the elegant banner, bearing the inscription, "The State Firemen's Tournament, Plattsmouth, June 25, 1890." for the best appearing company. Mr. Buttery, on behalf of Omaha, responded, thanking the young lady judges for the judgment they used.

The following is the program for today and tomorrow:

2:00 p. m.—Green hose race. Purse, \$150. First prize, \$100; second prize, \$50.

3:00 p. m.—State hook and ladder race. Purse, \$350. First prize and championship belt, \$200; second prize, \$100; third prize, \$50.

4:00 p. m.—State hose race. Purse, \$350. First prize \$200 and championship cart; second prize, \$100; third prize, \$50.

4:30 p. m.—Ladder climbing. Contest to rules. Prize, \$25 badge.

THIRD DAY—THURSDAY, JUNE 26
10:00 a. m.—Pompeir Corps Contest. Purse, \$75. First prize \$50; second prize \$25.

11:00 a. m.—Grand tree-for-all water test. Handsome \$25 badge.

1:30 a. m.—Hose race, free for-all. Purse \$400. First prize, \$300; second prize \$100.

2:30 p. m.—Hook and Ladder race, free for all. Purse \$400. First prize, \$300; Second prize, \$100

3:50 p. m.—Couplers contest to rules. prizes, two \$25 badges.

TOURNAMENT NOTES.

The Omaha veteran firemen made a fine appearance in their new uniforms. They walked four abreast and each one carried an umbrella.

A protest has been entered against the Nebraska hook and ladder team, because time was not called when the top of the ladder was reached, but as yet the judges have not decided.

The Geo. F. Corcoran hose company rubbed the "Old Vets" awful close for the prize for the best appearing company.

The Nevilles are in for blood this afternoon and Plattsmouth will have the state cart this year.

A big crowd will be in attendance today.

Kearney, York and Plattsmouth are going to rub close for first and the state cart.

The Nebraska firemen made a fine appearance in the parade this morning.

Tomorrow at 11 a. m. the free-for-all wet race on Main street.

The York couplers made a fine coupling yesterday.

The street car will run from Heisel's mill to the tournament ground.

The veteran firemen of Omaha added much to the splendid appearance of the parade this forenoon.

Oregon Letter.

Portland, Oregon, June 17, 1890.

EDITOR HERALD:—In my last letter I promised to tell you some things about Portland, the largest and most important city in the state of Oregon. It is beautifully situated on a plateau which gradually increases in height till a range of hills are formed in the western part of the city, and is also on the west bank of the Willamette river, fifteen miles from its mouth, fifty miles northeast of Salem and 120 miles from the mouth of the Columbia river. The city is well built, the houses being mostly made of wood. It is a large commercial town, both wholesale and retail, and the prices differ but little from the prices in Omaha.

From the range of hills west of the city a magnificent view is obtained of the snow-capped mountains in the distance, Hood, Jefferson and St. Helen and the range of the Cascade mountains. The windings of the Columbia and Willamette rivers is, indeed, a beautiful sight.

Portland has a population of about 25,000; is at the head of ship navigation on the Willamette and is the center of a large growing trade with the north and west of it. A line of steamships connects the city with San Francisco, also to the Sounds, up North Arab road from Seattle and Tacoma, thence Portland to San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego bay. With all these advantages in its favor it will soon become one of the largest cities on the western coast and in point of wealth I suppose few cities compare with it. If I was to select a place on the western coast as a home it would be here but I think when I get home old Cass will be good enough for me as I have failed to find a place as yet that seems like home. The first rain since last March is falling now. The very dry weather has occasioned hard times to some extent as this is the third year of drouth and crops have been short. The valleys, this year will yield only about two-thirds of a crop.

I will now stop for the present and as my next stop will be at Seattle and Tacoma on the Sounds, you may hear from me again in the near future.

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La Rosa 5 cent cigars at Gering & Co is without a rival. d6t

Cotton rags wanted at this office.

Gering & Co. Soda Fountain is famous for its elegant Nectar Soda. d6t

AMENDMENT NOTES.

REV. J. D. M. BUCKNER.

I have stated in my notes before that I believe the officers of a state the best judges of its laws and their influence on the state. So I give a letter from Wm. Larrabee written when he was the highest officer in the state. Please read what the governor says:

DES MOINES, IA., Feb. 16, 1889.

Rev. Fuller, Aberdeen:—Your communication of recent date at hand and noted. In reply I desire to say that the prohibitory law in Iowa has much more than answered the best expectations of its former most hopeful advocates. As regards the assertion that prohibition has driven people out of the state, I think not a person has left the state on account of prohibition whom it is desirable to have return. Many of those engaged in the saloon and liquor business and such persons as are usually attracted by these interests have left, and the state is largely the gainer thereby. The cheap lands of the states and territories west of us have induced a great many enterprising and valuable citizens to emigrate, independent of any influence of prohibition. There has been a steady growth in our population, and the census of 1890 will probably show in Iowa at least 2,000,000 inhabitants. The vote at the last election shows an increase of 65,320 over the presidential election of 1884—a larger increase than the election of 1884 showed over that of 1880.

As to the depreciation of real estate occasioned by prohibition, it is the sheerest nonsense. Values have, I believe, been sustained in Iowa as well as in the adjoining states where prohibition is not the rule. The same causes that have effected values elsewhere have undoubtedly had their effect here. Crops grow, herds multiply, and the markets of the world continue open to us the same as before, and why should business suffer? Money is now spent for the necessities of life and legitimate uses instead of being spent at the saloon.

The banking business of a state is perhaps as fair a barometer of business as can be found. The number of banks in the state has been increased from 186 in 1883 to 244 in 1888; deposits have increased from \$27,231,719.74 to \$39,985,362.68 in 1888.

I think more than half of the jails in the state are entirely empty at the present time. There are 98 less convicts in our penitentiaries than there were three years ago, notwithstanding the growth of population. Expenses in criminal courts have decreased very largely during the last few years. I send you with this a copy of a collection of letters from the district judges of our state, which will show you that the testimony is overwhelmingly in favor of the law. More recent statements from them would no doubt show still more favorable results.

Tramps are very scarce in Iowa. There are evidently very few attractions for them here. Probably more than 3,000 of their recruiting stations have been closed during the last five years. The wives and mothers of the state, especially those of small means, are almost unanimously in favor of the law. The families of laboring men now receive the benefits of the earnings that formerly went to the saloons. There is no question in my mind but what the law is doing good for the people.

My views heretofore advanced in favor of the law are strengthened and confirmed by added experience. Our people are more determined than ever to make no compromise with the saloons. The law has more friends in the state than it ever had before, and I am satisfied that no state can show results more gratifying.

WILLIAM LARRABEE.

ABOUT TAXES.

Union Worker.

If you carry the prohibitory amendment, say the whiskey men, you will increase the burden of taxation, which is now almost heavier than the people can bear. A comparison of the rate of taxation for state purposes in Kansas and Nebraska for the years 1880 to 1889, inclusive, will show how utterly groundless this argument is. It will be remembered that Nebraska adopted high license just about the same time that Kansas adopted prohibition. After a nine years' trial of the two systems, how do they compare as to their effect on taxation?

In 1880 the rate of taxation in Nebraska was 39 cents and 5 mills on one hundred dollars. In Kansas it was 55 cents, or 15 cents and 5 mills more than in Nebraska. The following table will show the steady increase in the rate

under high license in Nebraska and decrease under prohibition in Kansas. We hope our readers will study this table very carefully:

Thus, while Kansas began the period with a rate of 15 cents and 5 mills on the hundred dollars higher than Nebraska, it has steadily decreased, and our state has steadily increased, until now our state taxes are not only 23 cents and 3 mills higher than in Kansas, but are 23 cents and 8 mills higher than when

YEAR.	NEBRASKA.	KANSAS.
1880	39-5	55
1881	61-5	50
1882	67	45
1883	78-1	43
1884	76-9	45
1885	77-2	39
1886	76-2	40
1887	83-2	40
1888	75	34
1889	63-3	40

the state adopted prohibition.

In other words, while prohibition has reduced taxation in Kansas 38 cents and 8 mills, high license has increased it in Nebraska 23 cents and 8 mills. So much for the argument that prohibition increases taxation. In the next issue we shall compare the two systems as to their effect on crime.

MOTOR CARS DURING STORMS.

They Will Hereafter Remain Motionless in Omaha While Thunder Rolls.

The trolley wire for the Harney street motor line has arrived, and the work of stringing it will be begun at once.

The loss sustained by the company during the Sunday night storm is not so great as was at first supposed, and it is thought that \$600 will repair all damages.

Hereafter, the company proposes to see that no damage will result on such occasions. While the storm is raging, the machinery will be stopped, all connections thrown off, and the cars allowed to stand till the storm shall have stopped. This they think will be more satisfactory to all parties.

During dry weather, the officials state, the motor wires are absolutely harmless, and are continually handled by the line men without inconvenience; but, during a storm, there is no knowing what voltage they are carrying, nor what damage may result.

Bought the Box.

Yesterday as farmer Rusterholtz, who lives about eight miles southwest of the city, was on his way to see the show and tournament he was met some distance out on the road by two young men, who stopped and engaged Mr. Rusterholtz in conversation, exhibiting to him a small paper box containing \$60 in glittering gold, in plain view of course, and offered to sell it to him for \$30. The farmer saw a golden opportunity to make his three gold eagles and could not withstand the temptation to buy that little box; so reaching for his replete wallet he closed the deal by handing over to the smooth young man the \$30 and took his box, full of gold as he supposed, and the interview was at an end, for the slippery pair had business elsewhere. It is hardly necessary to say that this box, like most other little paper boxes lying around loose, was empty when its owner came to open it. It seems unnecessary to warn people against such swindlers, for the papers all over the country are full of such tricks, and have been since the mind of man runneth not to the contrary. Yet men of reasonable intelligence and judgment persist in taking hold of such schemes and as often get fleeced with no one to blame but themselves.

Police Court.
Complaint was filed yesterday against James Smith for being drunk and disorderly for which luxury Judge Archer taxed him \$6.80.
Edgar Carrell was charged with disturbing the peace, plead guilty and paid \$5 and costs of \$6.65.
Today complaint was filed against Robert Pierson for carrying concealed weapons, plead guilty and paid a fine of \$5 with costs of \$4.80.

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For good Alpaca coats and vests go to Elson the one price clothier. 6t

Burglarized Dwellings.

The dwelling houses of Messrs. McLennan, McCrea and Rooker, all adjacent to each other out in South Park, were broken into yesterday during the show hour. At McCrea's the door was burled open and nonshoddy efforts pretty badly torn around, but nothing of value is missing. At McLennan's the thieves got in their work more effectually. They unlocked the doors of the dwelling and secured \$20 in money, and two gold rings. At Rankin's they also made their entrance by knocking the door, but were not successful in getting off with much booty, securing but 25 cents, but turned things upside down, searching for valuables that they might carry off.

Lock Breakers.

We have it from a reliable source that a number of boys, or young men have repeatedly broken locks, at the High School building, during the last few months and entered the building and held high times there. This is a matter that deserves the attention of the Board of Education, and if a stop can not be put to such business in any other way, an example should be made by arrest and fine of any person repeating the offense.

THE FIRST STEP.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into nervous prostration. You need a nerve tonic and Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great nerve tonic and alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the liver and kidneys perform some healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store. 6

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. 2

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Go to Philip Kraus for your groceries, queensware, and glassware, also for fresh vegetables and fruits. All orders promptly filled and delivered to any part of the city. 1t

E. W. Potter, the postmaster at Elm Creek, Neb., says he has personal knowledge of several cases of rheumatism, in that vicinity, that have been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, after other remedies were used without benefit. He sold it at his drug store there for five years and says he never knew it to fail, that "any customer who once uses Chamberlain's Pain Balm will have nothing else instead." For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co. 1t

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