

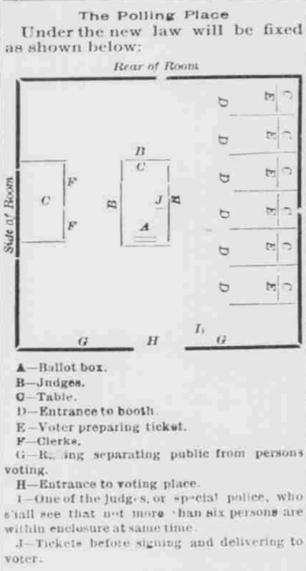
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Rest.
For THE HERALD.
 Sacred to the memory of my beloved wife, Mrs. Mary M. Wetenkamp, deceased March 21, 1891, aged 43 years, 4 months, 9 days:
 Rest, dear companion, from earthly toils,
 Though o'er thy grave I may weep,
 And crown thy mound with choicest flowers—
 Where thy form in silence sleep.
 Angels bath called thee home with the blest,
 From the billows and tempest of life;
 Through day and night my soul hath no rest—
 By the loss of a kind, loving wife
 A devoted wife and affectionate mother;
 For the sick her labors were great;
 And the messenger of death has called her home
 Through heaven's eternal gate.
 Where the toils of earth shall be forgot,
 And joys shall never cease;
 To nestle 'neath the olive glades
 In one eternal peace.
 While the silent tears fall on thy mound,
 Where the moss and roses bloom,
 We may list in vain for one gentle sound
 From thy form beneath the tomb.
 Peace, dear Mary, in that heavenly rest,
 From a life so devotedly spent;
 May thy soul in heaven be happily blest,
 Though we of earth lament.
 When we meet beyond the realms of space,
 On the bright and peaceful shore,
 I shall behold and know thy face,
 Meet to part no more.
 W. M. WETENKAMP.



PERSONAL
 Will Sampson started this morning for Chicago.
 R. W. Hyers returned to Lincoln again this morning.
 George Mattison, of South Bend, is in the county seat to-day.
 Mrs. George Houseworth arrived home this morning from Burlington.
 Allen Beeson, esq., is attending to business before the supreme court in Lincoln to-day.
 Fannie White, a niece of Mrs. Chase, returned to her home at Custer City this morning.
 Miss Amanda Hague returned home this morning, after a pleasant visit with friends in Missouri.
 Colonel Seth Rockwell, Louisville's legal luminary, accompanied by Justice Cline, is in the city to-day.
 Mrs. Sam Crisman started this morning for Ulysses in response to a message bringing the news that her father was dangerously ill.

We call special attention to Thos. Pollock's ad. in another column on this page.
 Wildman & Fuller carry the only large and complete stock of wall paper in this county call and see for your service.
 The Y. W. C. T. U. will give a literary sociable on Monday evening, March 30, at the residence of Mrs. C. Koons, North Ninth street. All are cordially invited.
 Con McCarthy's men are all on deck to-day at the Platte bridge trying to prevent an ice gorge. Trains have quit crossing at Columbus and the Schuyler bridge is in bad shape.
 Jacob Heinrich, the Lower Main street restaurant man, recently purchased the two lots where he lives, of Mr. Frank Gayle and paid the cash for them. Mr. Heinrich is a successful business man, and we are glad to see him become a Main street property owner.
 Col. O. M. Peterson, the city editor of the Journal, sampled a "lung tester" yesterday and suddenly found his right eye full of soot. Pete says he knew there was some trick about it as soon as he blowed on the darned thing, which is just what the crowd thought that saw the performance.
 Thursday, April 2, under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian church, Mr. Frederic Archer, the renowned English organist, will give an organ recital for the benefit of the organ fund. This will without doubt be the finest musical entertainment ever given in this city and it should be well patronized.

Mortuary.
 Miss Mattie Gilchrist, aged about 19, died at the home of her uncle, Hon. E. W. Barnum, near Union, at 4 o'clock this morning. The young lady resided in New York and came out here on a visit a few months ago. She was taken with brain fever about a week ago, which was the immediate cause of her death. The parents and near relatives of the deceased have been notified and some of them are expected here this evening. The funeral and interment will take place at the young lady's home, to which point the remains will be taken as soon as the arrangements can be made. To die away from home yet in the very hey day of life is indeed sad.

HUGE CHUNKS OF METAL.
 Two of the Curiosities Which Visitors Will see at the World's Fair.
 When excavations were made recently for the foundation of the twenty story Masonic Temple, which is rapidly going up at the corner of State and Randolph streets in Chicago, an eighteen ton mass of iron, copper and other metals was discovered. A wholesale hardware store stood on the lot at the time of the great fire in 1871, and this mass of iron represents a portion of the stock which was melted by the intense heat and precipitated into the sub-basement. It will be exhibited at the World's Columbian Exposition by D. A. Stout.
 The Copper Queen Company, at Bisbee, A. T., will exhibit at the fair a mammoth specimen of ore from their mines. The work of chiseling the piece out has been going on for some time, and great care is being taken in its extraction. It is estimated that when ready for shipment it will weigh five tons and will be in the shape of a brick. The specimen is from the big slope from which such beautiful specimens have been taken and will contain about every known character of copper formations and colorings. It will, without doubt, be the most attractive specimen on exhibition.

FATAL WRECK AT SUTTON.
 Engineer Roberts Instantly Killed at His Post of Duty.
 This morning about 5:30, as the flyer, or No. 1, more correctly speaking, was making up time near Sutton, it suddenly crashed into the rear end of No. 77, a heavy freight train.
 Engineer Roberts was caught in the cab of his engine and almost instantly killed. The fireman escaped unhurt, and the passengers were only shaken up and badly frightened. The engine was a complete wreck, together with several cars. Reliable details of the accident cannot be learned, as but little news has been sent in.
 Mrs. Roberts was taken to Sutton on the first train this morning. Frank Hall was the conductor on No. 1.

Legislative Notes.
 H. R. No. 526, introduced by Speaker Elder, appropriating \$40,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for the support of the state militia for the next two years, was passed.
 Representatives Porter, Watson and Brennan were appointed yesterday by Speaker Elder to confer with the senate in regard to adjournment.
 S. F. No. 156, the joint resolution in relation to the foreclosure of the government mortgage on the Union Pacific railroad was read the third time and passed.
 S. F. No. 91, a bill to amend section 1, sub-division 9, chapter 89, of the compiled statutes of Nebraska, 1887, relating to the qualifications of teachers, and to provide for granting teaching privileges to certain graduates of the university of Nebraska, was read the third time and passed.

S. F. No. 122, to prevent collections of debts represented by negotiable papers obtained by fraud or circumvention, was read the third time and failed to pass.
 S. F. No. 146, to amend section 3, article 6, chapter 72, compiled statutes of 1887, and to repeal said original section, was read the third time and passed.
 H. R. No. 166, by Lomax, was also passed, the vote standing 66 yeas to 25 nays. This bill is the democratic scheme to capture an occasional presidential elector by providing for their election by congressional district and two at large, instead of electing all at large.

The Water Queen.
 Mr. Cook, the advance agent for the Water Queen is in the city today. He says the expenses of their company is over \$300 per day, but that they had a vacant date after Lincoln and were prevailed upon to show in Plattsmouth. Forty talented artists including two of the Kiralfy brothers, appear with this troop, and the HERALD is able to state that the finest and most expensively arranged spectacular play ever seen in this city will be given by these people at the opera house next Tuesday night.
 H. J. Streight and wife are visiting friends in Lincoln to-day.

City Improvements.
 Ever, voter should see to it person if no man is voted for and elected to the important office of councilman, until he has promised to use his best endeavors for city improvements, in the way of grading paving and sewerage. The first real growth in this city started with the building of the bridge across the river the next was the building of our water plant. But the most substantial continuous growth of this city can be dated directly from the grading, sewerage and paving of our streets.
 To keep up the splendid growth of the past year it is necessary that something of a permanent nature be done, and since so much is needed to be done in this city, the mossbacks should be relegated to the rear at the coming election.
 The work that especially commends itself, as most urgently needed is the paving with brick or some other suitable material of Washington avenue and Elm streets to M. P. depot. But little grading would be required on these streets, which would make the cost of paving comparatively low.
 In order to make a fine thoroughfare of Washington avenue, it would be necessary to extend the sewer to Locust street, in fact the sewer would have to be extended before any paving could be done on the avenue. There are numerous streets where but a few dollars invested in grading would greatly increase the value and appearance of adjoining property.
 The city is benefitted not only by the enhanced value of property by these improvements but by the employment of our people as well; whereby all the money paid out remains here in circulation and helps the laboring class particularly.
Murray School Report.
 The following is the term report of the Murray school for the past six months:
 Total number enrolled 38.
 Days taught, 120.
 Days all pupils attended, 1487.
 Average daily attendance, 22.
 The following are those whose general average was 90 per cent or above:
 Adda Pitman, Bessie Walker, Frank Dean, Grace Dean, James Latta, Lucy Edmunds and Milton Morrow.
 Thanks to pupils and parents for the interest manifested in us during the past term.
 MYRA B. HODGINS,
 Teacher.
 Dr. Rudolph Rauert and Carl Kutzman were having a little scrap yesterday which came near result seriously for both of them. It seems that Kutzman, threw a cleaver at Rauert, that struck him on the chin and laid it open to the bone, several stitches were made necessary to sew up the ugly wound. It was very plain that had the cleaver struck with the same force two inches lower, Mr. Rauert would have shuffled off this mortal coil on very short notice. A cleaver is not a very pleasant instrument to run against as Rauert can abundantly testify.
 We now have our spring hats in and would be pleased to show them before Easter. It will pay you, ladies, to walk upstairs before you buy elsewhere. We have secured Miss Hemple as trimmer.
 TUCKER SISTERS,
 Over Herold's Store.

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ALL KINDS OF
 Cheap Cash Store
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 TINWARE
 GLOVES
 UNDERWEAR
 CHEAP.

SOME OF OUR BARGAINS.

Overalls, Best Durham With Belt 45c
 Overall, Best Durham With Belt 80c
 Large Lamp With Burner and Chimney 25c
 Writing Paper (heavy weight) 24 sheets 3c
 Bird Cages 5c
 Bird Cages, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00 50c
 Hand Saws (best steel) 30c and 50c
 Large Cake Salvers 25c
 Heavy Glass Goblets per dozen 45c
 Heavy Glass Tumblers per dozen 35c

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 25c
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TO MY PATRONS

The Insurance Agency conducted by myself, for the last 20 years—The last five years under the firm name of H. E. Palmer & Son, has been sold to Mr. Thos. Pollock, whose character and reputation in this community are a sufficient guarantee that your interests will continue to be honestly and faithfully cared for. Mr. Pollock will devote his time and attention to the business and with such stalwart companies as the Home of New York, Insurance Company of North America, Springfield F. & M. of Massachusetts, Fire Association of Philadelphia, Liverpool, London and Globe, North British, Mercantile and others in the agency, will be able to attend to all business entrusted to him to your entire satisfaction. I shall continue to watch with interest the destinies of the agency and will take pleasure in doing what I can to promote its growth and prosperity.

TO MY OLD CUSTOMERS
 Those with whom I have done business for so many years I wish to return my sincere thanks. We have paid back to you more than \$50,000 indemnity for losses incurred with no contests, no higgling, no law suits in twenty years business. I bespeak for my successor your continued patronage.
 Very truly yours,
 H. E. PALMER.

THOS POLLOCK
 NOTARY PUBLIC AND REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT.
 Office next door north of County Treasurers office.
 PLATTSMOUTH - NEBRASKA

Having purchased Capt Palmers Insurance Agency and opened a Real Estate and Insurance Office as above I am prepared to give prompt and careful attention to all business in either department entrusted to me. Special attention will be given to abstract and Notary work.
THOS POLLOCK

BAZAAR MILLINERY.

MISS MOORE would say to the ladies of Plattsmouth and vicinity that she has secured the services of Miss Linback as trimmer and designer for the season.

MISS LINBACK

Has worked for firms in the larger cities of this state and comes well recommended to do
FIRST-CLASS WORK.

We will have all late styles, will secure the latest novelties as they come out. I will have new goods each week.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28,

We will have a number of spring styles on exhibition and cordially invite the ladies to call and inspect our trimmed goods. We are now prepared to do the best of work and send out the most stylish goods in the city. Thanking the ladies for past patronage we ask you to give us a call and as formerly we will use our best endeavor to please.

ELSIE MOORE,
 Main Street, Plattsmouth, Nebraska