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T. E. WILLIAMS, N. G.
J. W. BRIDGE, Sec.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, Gaudet Lodge No. 47 meets every Wednesday evening at their hall in Rockwood block. All visiting knights are cordially invited to attend. C. A. Marshall, C. C.; Frank Dixon, K. R. S.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN SOCIETY Waterman block, Main Street, Rooms open from 8:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. For men only. Gospel meeting every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

G. A. R. McConchie Post, No. 45, meets every Saturday evening at 7:30, in their hall, Rockwood Block. All visiting comrades are invited to meet with us.
G. F. Niles, Post Adj.
F. A. Bates, Post Com.

Our Clubbing List.

Globe-Democrat and Herald	.....\$2.25
Harper's Magazine	..... 4.00
Harper's Bazar	..... 4.50
Demorest's Magazine	..... 3.10
Omaha Bee	..... 2.40
Toledo Blade	..... 2.45
Lincoln Call	..... 2.15
National Tribune	..... 2.45
The Forum	..... 5.55
Inter Ocean	..... 2.25
Lincoln Journal	..... 2 30
The Home Magazine	..... 1 85

Time Table

GOING WEST	GOING EAST
No. 1.....3:30 a. m.	No. 2.....5:05 p. m.
" 3.....5:45 p. m.	" 4.....10:30 a. m.
" 5.....9:25 a. m.	" 8.....7:34 p. m.
" 7.....7:15 a. m.	" 10.....9:15 a. m.
" 9.....6:25 p. m.	" 12.....10:14 a. m.
" 11.....5:25 p. m.	" 20.....8:30 a. m.
" 13.....11:05 a. m.	

PERSONAL

Manager Cronin went to Ashland this morning.

Joe Bush is spending the day in the metropolis.

Mrs. B. Elson is visiting friends in Omaha today.

H. J. Johnson of Holyoke Col. will visit friends in this city a few days.

Miss Libbie Hesser and Miss Tucker boarded the train this morning for Omaha.

Mrs. Thos. Pollock went to York this morning to attend the annual meeting of the Presbytery.

From the Journal of last April we note the fact that the trees are leafing out along the river bank.

There will be a meeting of the board of trade to-night at the G. A. R. Hall at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

A. C. Wright found his overcoat all right. It was not stolen from Stiles' boarding house, as he supposed, but was worn away by mistake.

The funeral of the late U. V. Mathews to-day was very largely attended notwithstanding the unpleasant weather. Two of the brothers of the deceased and some other relatives from the East are in the city to-day.

The new city bakery of H. Weckbach & Co. took out their first baking yesterday, consisting of a fine line of delicious cakes. This morning they will take out their first bread, and hereafter the public will be served at their doors with the best bread and other fruits of the bakery nice and fresh.

The young ladies of the South Park Tabernacle will give a parlor concert at the parsonage Monday evening, April 13th. Five cents admission at the door, and supper served for 30 cents a couple. The proceeds will go toward the pulpit furniture in the new church. Everybody invited to attend and help a good cause.

Burned Out.

The sparks from a passing locomotive set fire to a hay stack at the home of Mrs. Armstrong, south of the B. & M. shops near Mrs. O'Neill's residence, this forenoon, and the high wind soon communicated the flames to her barn and cribs near by, resulting in a total loss of the barn and all its contents. She had several bushels of corn on hand which was speedily consumed. Even the family cow was in such close quarters for a time that she got her coat badly singed.

With such a high wind as has prevailed all day it was a wonder the fire was not carried farther. The loss will be about \$300 with no insurance.

THE CITY ELECTION.

Everybody Pleased With the New Voting System.

FATAL RIDE ON THE RIVER.

John Fleherty Falls a Victim to the Missouri River by the Upsetting of a Boat—Court House Notes and General News

The City Election.

Yesterday was held in this city a quiet election as could well be imagined. There was no crowd about the polling places and no hustling of voters. One carriage did duty for the whole town instead of eight or ten as heretofore.

Everybody seemed pleased with the workings of the new system.

Mike Murphy in the Third ward was delighted with it, while J. C. Peterson in the Fourth never saw a better system of voting.

The vote on councilmen was as follows:

FIRST WARD.	
W. D. Jones.....	88
George Houseworth.....	71
Majority.....	17

SECOND WARD.	
D. M. Jones.....	138
D. K. Barr.....	97
Majority.....	41

THIRD WARD.

M. B. Murphy..... 167
Charley Hemple..... 77
Majority..... 90

FOURTH WARD.

J. C. Peterson..... 116
Con Connor..... 75
Majority..... 41

FIFTH WARD.

J. D. Simpson..... 41
Wm. Shea..... 55
J. L. Minor..... 69
J. M. Dove..... 69
E. E. Hilton..... 2
Minor's plurality, 21; Dove's plurality, 11.

ON SCHOOL BOARD.

The vote was as follows:

L. D. Bennett—1st ward 83, 2nd ward 113, 3rd ward 146, 4th ward 105, 5th ward 44.

S. Waugh—1st ward 117, 2nd ward 174, 3rd ward 144, 4th ward 93, 5th ward 40.

A. J. Graves—1st ward 46, 2nd ward 70, 3rd ward 103, 4th ward 77, 5th ward 71.

M. Schirk—1st ward 70, 2nd ward 117, 3rd ward 69, 4th ward 87, 5th ward 42.

TOTAL VOTE.

Bennett..... 491
Waugh..... 568
Graves..... 367
Schirk..... 385

NOTES.

Ten ballots were thrown out in First ward because they did not comply with the law.

D. M. Jones says the Australian ballot is a beauty and works like a charm.

The democrats lose two members of the city council.

Twelve votes were cast for D. K. Barr in the Second ward which were thrown out on the slightest pretext. They should have been counted for him.

Over 100 votes were sworn in yesterday by those who failed to register.

The barr fight in the Second was a lively tussle.

D. M. Jones will be the only representative of the prohibitionists in the city council.

The screed in the Journal last night about the effect the city printing was having on this paper fell to pieces of its own weight. What effect it is having on the Journal will be noted later on. It will now eat its crow and whoop it up for the men it has maligned.

The New Council.

The new city council will be one of the strongest and most progressive ever elected in this city. The personnel will be as follows:

First ward—A. Salisbury, rep.; W. D. Jones, dem.

Second ward—W. L. Browne, rep.;

COURT HOUSE NOTES.

Mr. Peterson the well known brick mason of this city has closed a contract with O. J. King, whereby he will do the brick work on the new court house.

Henry McMaken has received the contract for making the excavation, and will begin on his job tomorrow, M. J. O'Riley will do the stone work on the new building.

George Weidman is taking the old wheeler residence down in sections, it could not be removed otherwise.

County surveyor Madole has been busy getting the levels and staking out the ground for the foundation.

On Wednesday of this week will occur the marriage of Mr. Root to Miss Myra Hodgens.

Mrs. Wm. Loughridge is enjoying a visit from her niece, Miss Anna Kessler, from Buffalo county.

David Pitman has been building an addition to his house. A new kitchen and wood house are the improvements.

A good music teacher would do well to come to Murray this summer as we are in need of some one in that line of business.

Mr. Anderson Root delivered at Union twenty-seven fat hogs Tuesday morning averaging about two hundred and fifty pounds a piece.

The past month (March) has been the worst month we have seen in the state of Nebraska, on account of the bad roads. This is something we are not used to in our grand state.

Edmunds & Root have been securing a new stock of goods, such as satines, calicos, muslins, gingham, groceries, queensware, etc., to which they invite the attention of their patrons.

The Missionary Society of the United Presbyterians church met at Mrs. J. W. Edmunds' and proceeded to business. They made a quilt and are prepared to do plain sewing for anyone in need of their services.

How it makes our hearts gladden and rejoice to see the sun once more shine upon us. The greatest blessing to mankind, a joy to everyone, it shineth on rich and poor alike, it shineth in our homes and brings peace and good will to man.

A cool breeze fanned our "city on the hill" last Friday and we began to think winter had come in all her glory, and we might as well prepare for a blizzard, but the sun shone again in the afternoon and we were not so badly discouraged.

Once more we begin to think that "old winter" has left us and spring will make her appearance in a short time. We notice the green grass creeping from her mossy bed and the trees are budding. Soon we will be making garden and "April showers will bring May flowers."

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church met at Mr. James Root's on Wednesday, March 25, and spent the day in sewing. Anyone wanting sewing done by these ladies will do well to call on them; they have a handsome quilt about done that will be for sale; and those contemplating matrimony should give them a call.

The Sabbath School of the United Brethren church at Otterbein chapel held Easter services there last Sunday evening; it was postponed from Easter until then on account of bad weather. The evening was spent in singing, recitations, etc. The house was decorated very beautifully and the services rendered were a credit to the school.

The exposition at the Buck school house came off last Wednesday night, but owing to the inclemency of the weather it did not prove as much of a success as it would had the weather been more favorable. The exercises consisting of recitations, stump speeches, dialogues and music, was well rendered by the pupils who had labored hard for the past three weeks with untiring energy, with the help of their teacher, Mr. James Reynolds, of Union, who has so ably presided over them during the past winter.

Mr. Reynolds has proved himself a successful teacher and both pupils and patrons are well pleased with the work done.

A Fatal Accident.

This morning about eight o'clock Mr. Lindon, of the Riley, Frank Gustafson, in Peterson & Larson's employ, and John Fleherty, a step son of Policeman Fitzpatrick, obtained a skiff and started across the river to hunt ducks on the Iowa bottoms.

The wind was blowing a gale up stream which rolled the waves in turbulent billows almost five feet high. Seldom has the river been seen so rough. As the party got out into the current near the B. & M. bridge the boat became unmanageable, but fortunately C. H. Petersen, the proprietor of the ferry, saw them and told his son to get their skiff ready, as he did not think the skiff, he could see on the waves to the north-east would ride in that rough sea very long and he was right, for no sooner had his boat been made ready than the skiff was seen to upset throwing the three passengers out into forty feet of water. Mr. Peterson hastened to assistance and yelled at the boys to stay by the boat but young Fleherty thought he could swim ashore, and long before Mr. Petersen could reach him he sunk for the last time.

Mr. Lindon it may be said to his credit, did all in his power to save the unfortunate boy, but being handicapped with about thirty pounds of ammunition on his person he could not save him. In fact, had Peterson been a moment later he too, would have met a watery grave, but by hard work he was hauled into the skiff.

All this time young Gustafson was resting securely on the bottom of the upturned boat which reared and plunged in the angry waves as a thing of life. He was soon rescued from his perilous position and the entire party then started for Mr. Petersen's home near by, where restoratives were applied to Mr. Lindon until he had recovered sufficiently to be brought to town.

Johnny Fleherty, the unfortunate victim of the surging waters of the hungry Missouri, was a bright, active boy, about 16 years of age. He had been employed in the B. & M. shops and made his home with his step-father, Johnny Fitzpatrick. An effort is being made to recover the body, but no one scarce expects success, unless it be down the river after the body has risen to the surface. Mr. Petersen, the proprietor of the best ferry on the river, deserves praise without limit for his fearless services in saving the lives of Lindon and Gustafson, for neither of them could have withstood the cold, dashing waters much longer.

Mr. Lindon lost his shotgun and Gustafson gave his away as soon as he got onto dry land.

"Fruits and Fruit Trees"

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Catarrh in Colorado.
I used Ely's Cream Balm for dry catarrh. It proved a cure.—B. F. M. Weeks, Denver.
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