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JEFF. L. STONE, City Editor.

Notice to Advertisers. Copy for display advertisements or changes in advertisements must be handed in to the business office not later than 10 a. m. of the day in which they are to be inserted.

A. Sillsbury, Dentist.

Bain - more rain.

District Court convenes to-morrow.

Why not organize a lawn tennis club in Plattsmouth.

The Wilberforce concert company tomorrow night.

A new match factory is to be built in Omana. We already smell brimstone.

The government has consented to furnish all the tents necessary for the reunion at Hastings, which begins September 3.

The County Judge, this morning issued marriage license to William Smith, of Sarrat, and Ellen Berke, of Weeping Water.

The rain fell up to noon today was 2.100 of an inch. A good soaking warm rain would cause vegetation to smile and almost jump clear out of the ground.

The mayor and city council are sitting as a court today to hear and determine the remonstrances filed against the issuance of saloon licenses.

John Polin was given an airing yesterday. He was taken out of jail and taken home to his wife, and dined at home with his family, and brother and sister who were there visiting.

At the council meeting Saturday night Jake Lehnes and Con Ballard were confirmed as night police. We have a good strong efficient police force now, and evil-doers are hereby notified that it is to their best interests to give Plattsmouth a wide berth.

A couple of tin cans, with a dog fastened in front of them were swinging "around the circle" this afternoon. The dog was a good runner and the cans were stayers, but the dog's wind played out, so he sat down on the cans to rest and reflect on the uncertainties of life and the expediency of taking a fresh start.

The Webber troupe in their presentation of "Flint and Steel," Saturday night, were greeted by a smaller audience than the night before, but the fun never lagged from the rising of the curtain until the close. Owing to the illness of Mrs. Webber, her part was sustained by a gentleman of the troupe, who seemed peculiarly fitted for the portrayal of the beleaguered squire. The play abounded in comic situations, throughout, and fully sustained its reputation as being one of the best humorous plays on the boards.

The concert given last evening by the Wilberforce University, was one of the finest musical treats the people of Plattsmouth have had an opportunity of enjoying this season. Mr. Stewart and wife traveled with the Tennesseeans for several years, and acquired much celebrity, to which they are justly entitled, as vocalists. The other members of the troupe are students of the University, but all have excellent, well cultivated voices. The program was very attractive, and the audience evinced their appreciation by frequent applause. (The recitations of Miss H. Q. Brown too much cannot be said. As a reader she is the peer of any professional in the land.—Richmond Daily Palladium.

The supreme court of Plattsmouth is in session, having under advisement the constitutionality of the present liquor tariff in our city. From indications there will be a divided court and majority and minority opinions; in fact, your reporter got hold of a half dozen opinions in a few moments' attendance upon that high tribunal this morning. Chief Justice Smith presides with grace and dignity, and the counsel pro and con quarrel with ease and fluency, and the friends of the different interests at war look on with anxiety and perplexity. There is several thousand dollars at stake in the matter, which it seems to us these remonstrators are hindering our city treasurer from handling.

Owing to a miscalculation we are unable to give the full proceedings of the city council at their meeting Saturday night. However we can state that the night police were appointed, and it was decided to employ two at \$40 each per month. Jake Lehnes and Con Ballard being chosen. Johnson's jurisdiction extending from the river to 4th street and Ballard's from 4th street west. Remonstrances were filed against the granting of licenses to sell liquors to those who had made application, said remonstrances being signed by Geo. E. Dovey, J. W. Barnes, C. H. Farnelle, T. Pollock and B. Spurlock.

This morning at 9 o'clock was set as the time for hearing the remonstrances, and the same are now in progress.

Mr. Windham was nominated for city attorney, and the vote on the same stood four for and four against, and no final action was taken in the matter.

River Report. As furnished officially to the War Department. The river at noon today, stood 6 ft. 1 1/4 in. above low water mark.

A MILL ON THE HILL.

A Fight for Blood and its Result.

A Transaction to be Proud of.

Plattsmouth begins to assume metropolitan airs, and it we keep on, can furnish a list of noted characters and portraits for the Police Gazette, which would do honor even to Chicago. Saturday night a couple of bloods of pugilistic propensities decided to settle the matter by contest, so in the dewy shades of the soft balmy evening adjourned to the High School hill, and there indulged to the full extent of their skill in the "manly art." They were accompanied by a host of the elite (?) of the male portion of the city, whose standard of intelligence reaches just about as far as the circle of the prize ring, and whose greatest delight is to witness the worse than brutal excursions of the nature that occurred Saturday night. The contestants were Adolph Rudbeck and August Reinbaekle and the result of the "set to" leaves Rudbeck with both of his eyes blooded in mourning on account of his defeat, and his face, to be in sympathy with his eyes, also presents a badly used up condition. Reinbaekle got off easier and is not so badly bruised. Both of them are young men 18 or 20 years old, and both learning trades in the B. & M. shops. They have been suspended from the shops for fifteen days in consequence of the occurrence. The boys had some difficulty before, which in all probability this will settle. We feel proud of our citizens who congregate to witness such performances, knowing them to be contrary to all law and decency, and never lift their voice or raise a finger to prevent it.

PERSONALS.

Bain Barker and Perry Walker went to Superior today.

E. H. Woolley Esq. journeyed to Lincoln on business this morning.

Miss Maggie O'Keefe went to Omaha where she will visit for a few days.

Geo. D. Mattison and Mr. Hill, of South Bend are in the city today.

Mrs. Fred Lennhoff goes to Lincoln for a week's visit among friends in the capital city.

Jerry Hartman went to Wymore this morning to load five cars of cattle for D. B. Draper.

Mrs. E. P. Rockwood and Mrs. Maria Isham went west this morning to visit relatives at Ashland.

Mrs. M. W. Morgan has been seriously ill for several days.

Mr. Grant Austin went this morning to York county for a week's visit among friends and relatives.

E. F. Colby, of Chicago, came in from Avoca this morning where he has been looking after his landed interest.

Alex McInab spent Sabbath with friends in the Taylor district where he taught so successfully last winter.

Mrs. Ira Seales, mother of Mrs. E. B. Lewis arrived here from the east a few days ago and will make Plattsmouth her permanent home.

L. H. M. Myers, United States consul to Zurich, Switzerland, came in this morning and will spend the day with his brother-in-law, Wm. Gilmore.

Miss Lou Reif, the Platte bottom school m'am came in from South Bend yesterday. She will take charge of her school for another three months term.

Wm. Neville and Robert Fitzgerald returned to their bridge duties near Beatrice after spending Sabbath with their families in this city.

P. P. Johnson, one of the largest land holders in the state passed through this city this morning on his way to Seward looking after his interests in that section.

B. B. Clark Esq. lumber merchant of Red Oak, Iowa, passed through the city on his way to Lincoln where he has purchased two sections of land from the land king, P. P. Johnson.

A. Beeson, Esq. came in from Red Oak Ia., his former home this morning where he was on professional business, the nature of which he did not wish to disclose as yet but promises something of importance soon.

J. Q. Adams one of the solidest farmers of Cass county, went to Omaha this morning for "special rates" for fifteen car loads of cattle fed the past season by J. Q. Adams & Son which they expect to ship the coming week.

Mr. Harry Weber and troupe left this morning for Hamburg, Iowa, where they have an engagement tonight. Mr. Weber is highly pleased with his reception in this city and speaks well of our opera house and the treatment he received at the hands of the management.

If an inquisitive individual presents himself, and asks to know what you've got, don't irritate him, and tell him none of his business. It's only his assessor, in the discharge of his duty. He is harmless as far as your personal safety is concerned, and you can give him the list of your valuables without fear of robbery. All he wants to know is whether you are well supplied with this world's goods, and get the value of the same, so that we can show up our wealth and know what we have anyhow.

Police Notice. Levi Everett got too much "lock" beer aboard, Saturday night, and "disturbed the peace." His honor settled with him this morning for \$5 and trimmings, which was paid, and Levi departed.

Harrison McCond thought it was Saturday night, and his night out. This morning it was \$5 and costs, which he paid and went on his way rejoicing.

John Wilson was arrested and run in for vagrancy, and as he had no visible means for support his honor gave him six days on the streets - its start-over, any way.

Thomas Gray was up for vagrancy, sleeping in freight cars, etc. but upon due examination was discharged and told not to do so any more.

Improvement.

The Plattsmouth Journal is very much improved in appearance by its change of dress from the plain inside to the patent outside, which it daily receives from the American News Company of Chicago. The HERALD was offered these plates, and corresponded with the News company in regard to them, but the main trouble was, we were too far from Chicago. Our readers will notice the telegraphic news contained in the Journal is just twenty-four hours older than those contained in the Plattsmouth HERALD and thirty-six hours behind the Omaha and Lincoln morning dailies. The reason of this is that the American News Company of Chicago takes the newspapers, say of this morning, and clips all telegraphic news they wish for their customers; this news they set up, stereotype, and ship by express to the newspapers they supply by contract. Plattsmouth being a telegraphic news station, the plates by express in the morning, just twenty-four hours from the time they are stereotyped and shipped; they then lay twelve hours in the Journal office before they are published, and the news so published in Nebraska, or this distance from Chicago, a trifle over thirty-six hours old; the only changes being the dates which are changed, i. e., dispatches of the morning of the 29th when they are stereotyped in Chicago and dated the 30th. The American News Co. charge their customers from \$1.50 to \$2 per day and expressage for these plates. The HERALD receives from this news company, as does some of the most prominent morning dailies of our state, miscellaneous plates, which our readers find on our third page. The telegraphic news the HERALD publishes is just twenty-four hours earlier than those published by the Journal. Our telegraphic news which we give you this evening comes over the wires last night, and until about 3:30 this morning, cannot be given to the public any more than is done by the HERALD, except, we were to publish a morning paper. We consider the plates used by the Journal a great improvement over the old style of that paper and wish its readers to recollect that the HERALD claims all the credit there is in its improvement. Our arrangements are made for the afternoon dispatches which we hope to be able to give our readers within the next ten days and then each one will be able to have the news from the HERALD just as fresh as though we were in full control of the great press monopoly ourselves.

A Runaway.

Yesterday, about noon, as Mr. J. C. Peterson, of the Excelsior meat market, was driving along in his delivery wagon, turning into the corner of Grant streets the wagon upset, throwing him out. The horses started, dragging Mr. Peterson, who kept hold of the lines, about 100 feet, when he finally let go. Today his right arm and shoulder are pretty lame, but he considers himself very fortunate in getting out of it thus easily. The team finally stopped, without any further damage than the destruction of the whipple trees.

A Square Meal.

Can be had at the City Hotel for only 25 cents and lodging at same reasonable rates. Farmers and Commercial Men will please bear this in mind. d&wtf

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this head, three cents per line each insertion.

FOR SALE—Old papers for sale at this office at 40 cents per hundred or 5 cents per dozen.

FOUND—A folding key in a railroad coach in this city. Owner can find it at this office.

FOUND—A bunch of keys on Chicago avenue. Owner can get same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 471f.

LOST—A Weir memorandum book in this city containing a five hundred and fifty dollar note and other valuable papers. Finder please return to this office and you will be rewarded. 501f.

WANTED—A good cook wanted at Stadelman's restaurant, either man or woman. None but a first-class cook need apply. 5041f.

WANTED—John Bauer has leased the Stehlmann place, corner of 7th and Vine, and is prepared to accommodate the public in the way of boarding and lodging by the week or month. 5041f.

WANTED—A first-class cook at the Central Restaurant, good wages and steady employment. Apply to J. O. Shannon, Plattsmouth, Neb., enclosing stamps for reply. Only live, active parties need apply. 5044

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