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PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 28, 1887.

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TRIO LODGE NO. 81, A. O. U. W. Meets every alternate Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend.

PLATTSMOUTH LODGE NO. 8, A. O. U. W. Meets every alternate Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend.

MOONSHINE POST 45, C. A. R. Meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. All transient members are respectfully invited to attend.

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Liverpool & London & Globe-Eng	6,630,781
North British & Mercantile-Eng	3,378,754
Scottish Union-England	1,245,406
Springfield & M.-Springfield	3,044,915

Total Assets, \$41,115,774

Adjusted and Paid at the Agents

Latest by Telegraph.

BORROWED AND STOLEN.

Resigned.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Charles H. J. Taylor, minister to Siberia, has resigned.

Stormship Arrivals.
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Arrived—The Glasgow, from Havre.
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Two Men Reported Frozen.
GRANT, Neb., Nov. 28.—Clouds that had gathered from the south and east for the past three days were caught up Saturday by a high wind from the north and the result was a raging blizzard all day. With the cessation of the storm at night the mercury fell 20 degrees below zero. Two men are reported frozen to death north of here, names unknown.

Thirty-six Below.
VALENTINE, Neb., Nov. 28.—The terrible blizzard here Saturday was accompanied by the most severe cold for the past two years, the thermometer registering 36 degrees below zero last night. The pleasant weather for the past month has caused many to neglect preparing for such extreme cold weather. Much suffering must ensue if the weather continues.

Division in Dakota.
BISMARCK, Dak., Nov. 28.—The official figures from nearly all the counties of Dakota show that the majority for division in the entire territory will not exceed 3,000, the entire vote being 70,000. Only three counties in north Dakota voted for division, and in south Dakota fifteen voted against it. Only eight counties voted against prohibition in the territory.

Chicago's Boodlers.
CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Judge Jamison this morning refused to issue a stay of execution to the convicted county boodlers. Their attorneys are working hard on a bill of exceptions, which must be ready to-night or down go the public plunderers to Joliet penitentiary on the first train Monday morning. The attorneys pleaded hard for a stay but Judge Jamison and the state's attorney remained obdurate.

Burglarized the Treasurer's Office.
PLUM CREEK, Neb., Nov. 28.—The office of the county treasurer at the court house was burglarized. The thief effected an entrance through a window, successfully worked the combination on the vault door and walked off with \$430 in cash. One hundred and fifteen dollars belonged to the deputy treasurer, \$15 in loose change to the county and the balance to the Plum Creek Building and Loan association. There is no clue as to the thief but it is the prevailing opinion that he was someone well posted as to where the funds were and who had the lock combination all right.

Texas School Lands for Sale.
EL PASO, Tex., November 26.—One million two hundred and thirteen thousand acres of public school lands are put on the market for sale in El Paso county by order of the Commissioner of the General Land Office at Austin, Tex. The lands are divided into watered, agriculture and grazing, and can be entered at \$2 and \$3 per acre. A great many homesteads have already been located on them, and the settlers have the preference of entering. Of the agricultural lands not more than one section will be sold to each purchaser, and of watered lands not more than four sections. Some of these lands have already been leased to large cattle syndicates for a specified time, but liberal provisions are made by which intending settlers can purchase a large portion of the big body of lands thus thrown on the market.

Fire at Walnut.
WALNUT, Ia., Nov. 27.—About daylight this morning fire broke out in the kitchen of the Central house in this city and spreading to adjoining buildings caused a loss of \$10,000. From the hotel, the fire communicated to two small buildings, south and adjoining the bank, a fire-proof brick. The flames slowly worked their way, burning Ross' restaurant, John Matson's building, Franzen's restaurant and Frohm's temperance saloon. About 8 o'clock it reached Blohm Bro.'s meat market, which was torn down bodily, and carried into the streets, thus stopping the progress of the flames.

The Avoca fire department was appealed to, but owing to the fact that there was no engine in the yards there, they were unable to respond until too late to be of any service.

The total loss is estimated at about \$500 above the total insurance.

THE ARENSDORF CASE.

The Defense Making Poor Headway With Its Evidence.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Nov. 26.—Another day of testimony taken for the defense in the Arensdorf case brought several very important witnesses to the stand. Harry Sherman and Paul Leader, co-conspirators and defendants, were examined. One of the witnesses testified that Bismark did the shooting, others that Leavitt did it. One that the assassin approached Mr. Haddock from the rear. There is an apparent lack of harmony or agreement among the witnesses for the defense in both particulars and details. It is thought the defense will rest about Monday night, and that the case will reach the jury some time next week. The sensational testimony promised by the attorneys for the defense has not been introduced as yet.

A Crazy Chinaman.
SALT LAKE, Nov. 27.—On a Denver & Rio Grande west-bound train yesterday a Chinaman named Lee Chung locked himself in the closet thirty miles east of Grand Junction and refused to come out. He traveled this way for about sixty miles, when a brakeman got up and broke in the transom to get the Chinaman out. Lee Chung suddenly opened the door and sprang out with a knife in his hand. He made a lunge at the brakeman, but missed him. The crazy Chinaman then ran amuck through the car, terrorizing the thirty passengers. He struck at George Hockettbridge, of Bunker Hill, Montgomery county, Ill., laying open his stomach. By this time all in the car were wild with terror. Brakeman Ganning then shot the Chinaman three times. Some of the passengers also joined in the shooting and the Chinaman was killed. Hockettbridge will die. He was about twenty-one years of age and was ticketed to Los Angeles.

Fire at Duluth.
DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 20.—Pilgrim Congregational church, the handsome church building in the northern part of the state, is in ruins. It was not quite completed, but fire communicated from the heaters in the basement to the wood work, and the whole structure was soon doomed. Loss about \$35,000; insurance, \$15,000. The walls are standing. A singular fact in connection is that a year ago to-day three large elevators burned. To-day three large elevators burned with a loss of \$1,000,000, and two years ago the oil sheds of the Standard Oil company, with 1,000 barrels of oil, were destroyed.

Postal Statistics.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The report of the third assistant postmaster general for the last fiscal year shows that the total of the ordinary postal revenue of the year was \$48,118,273; the revenue from the money order business was \$7,193,336; total revenue, \$48,837,609. The total expenditures for the year, including the actual and estimated outstanding liabilities were \$53,133,252; deficit in revenue, \$4,395,642. In addition to this there was certified to the secretary of the treasury for the credit of the Pacific railroad companies \$1,387,097, earned by carrying mails; total excess of cost of the postal service over revenue, \$5,482,670. The receipts of the year were 11 per cent greater than the previous year, while the increase of expenditures was at a ratio of out 3 to 4 per cent.

The special delivery system has made considerable advance during the year. The total value of all stamped paper issued by the department during the year was \$46,619,680, an increase of nearly 7 per cent.

The postage collected on second class matter was \$1,262,348, representing a weight of over 63,000 tons, an increase of 15 per cent over the previous year.

Three important recommendations are made. The first of these is that the postage on all second class matter shall be paid by the attachment of adhesive stamps as is required for all other mail matter. The second is that only legitimate new papers and periodicals be admitted to the second class rate. In other words that certain books, which it is claimed are in no sense periodicals except that they profess to be issued at regular periods, be admitted only at third class rates. The third is that the number of sample copies of second class matter to be sent out by publishers be limited; many periodicals which, under the law, now gain admittance as second class matter being enabled by the privileges of mailing sample copies, to defeat the law including publications issued for advertising purposes, or at nominal prices of subscription.

ADVISED TO WITHDRAW.

The Fates of Charles I and Louis XVI a Warning to Grevey.

PARIS (via Havre), Nov. 28.—Yesterday's European Herald has the following editorial: It is none of our business, as we are strangers here, but we trust that a few remarks on our part will not be considered impertinent. To-day, however or the next day French public opinion, through its authorized mouth-piece, will be called upon to decide on certain grave questions, and the questions are "Grevey" and "The Constitution." Grevey stands upon a constitution evolved from out of his own inner consciousness. A Frenchman, or a reasonable foreigner, having a feeling of friendship toward the laws of this country, would stand upon the recognized constitution of the land according to its spirit rather than according to its technicalities. History may prove Grevey to have been right, but according to public opinion he is wrong. Charles I according to the law of England, up to the date of his trial, was right. His execution proved that he was wrong. Again Louis XVI was king of France and the representative of every Frenchman, until Frenchmen enforced a contrary decision by cutting off his head. M. Grevey's position is not unlike that of these monarchs. To-day he is president of the French republic, and all we ask of him, as a stranger, is to retire before the hot-headed populace invading the streets, armed with guns and erecting barricades, send him to follow Charles I and Louis XVI.

Persecuted for Their Belief.
QUEBEC, Nov. 28.—The salvation army has been threatened by the French inhabitants of the city for some time back with assault and even murder if they attempted to parade the streets. They had arranged to have a parade at 8 o'clock last night and about 10,000 people gathered near their barracks to witness or take part in the affair. A squad of police were brought to the scene and drawn up before the barracks. The police were hooted, hissed and threatened by the crowd. Later the police were ordered to St. John street, where a battle was in progress. The crowd at the barracks, thinking the police had returned to their station, were on the point of attacking the salvationists, when Capt. Vosl and his policemen returned. No further demonstration was made until 9:30 when four of the French members of the army appeared on the street. They were followed by some of the mob, who hooted, but were prevented from attacking them by the police. When the army failed to appear on the streets the mob stormed the barracks and many of them were severely clubbed by the police. They were finally dispersed. Trouble is feared from the French if the army attempts to parade again.

Baptist Boodie.
BOSTON, Nov. 28.—At last Sunday evening's prayer-meeting of the Baptist church in Sterling, Mass., L. E. Trussell, a young man, the treasurer of the church and prominent in religious work, rose and requested special prayer for himself. His request was complied with, and he expressed himself as being much refreshed spiritually. The next day he disappeared and took in with him every dollar of the funds of the church. The books of the society also vanished, and no means are obtainable by which to ascertain the church's financial standing. The pastor has not received a dollar of salary since June, and nothing is on hand to relieve his necessity. Trussell was very popular with the fair sex and the absence of a young lady member of the church is noted. There is no way of ascertaining the young man's exact stealings but by a house-to-house canvass of the parish and an addition of the sums subscribed by each. Trussell had been married and it is believed his wife is living, though deserted by him. No doubt of the sincerity and piety of the young treasurer had ever entered the minds of the church members, and his treachery has fallen like a thunderbolt on this typically straight-laced Massachusetts town.

Three Children Drowned.
MORRISON, Ill., Nov. 28.—A girl aged 12, two boys aged 9 and 7 years, children of Charles White, residing in this city, were drowned Saturday morning. One stepped on the ice of Rattle pond, Rock creek, and went under. The others attempted a rescue. All were insensate when recovered. The affair has cast a gloom over the city.

Taken Up.—A cow 7 years old, spotted red and white, has been taken up by me in Valley place. The owner can have the same by giving property and paying charges. 20-5 A. MADOLE.

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