

The Plattsmouth Daily Herald.

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B. & M. Time Table.

GOING WEST. GOING EAST. No. 1, 5:20 a. m. No. 2, 4:25 p. m. No. 2, 6:40 p. m. No. 4, 10:30 a. m. No. 5, 9:25 a. m. No. 6, 7:30 p. m. No. 7, 7:40 p. m. No. 8, 9:30 a. m. No. 9, 6:11 p. m. No. 10, 9:45 a. m. No. 11, 6:30 a. m. No. 12, 9:35 p. m.

A Salisbury Dentist, in Rockwood Building.

The cigar makers were sleigh-riding to-day. The streets were lined with people today. "Hidden Hand" at the opera house to-night. See the add of W. E. Cutler in another column. The sunshine of yesterday and today was very acceptable. Remember the Methodist social to be held at the M. E. parsonage tonight. All are invited. A social will be given at Rockwood hall by the ladies of the Christian church on the evening of Feb. 22.

C. H. Parmele & Co. recently bought sixty-five head of steers of H. B. Stout, of Louisville, and are now feeding them at Cedar Creek. The A. O. U. W. of this city, give a social among themselves at the K. of P. hall in the Weckbach block, Thursday evening of this week.

When men are elected to fill places of trust, they should attend such meetings and try and represent their people, and not a distillery. The efforts of Mr. J. P. Young to secure the play, "Hidden Hand," for to-night will be rewarded with a crowded house. The play is of a very rare cast.

Hereafter the shop whistle will blow at 5:30 a. m. to awaken the hands in good time. Our readers will take notice and not mistake the whistle for a fire alarm. It will be remembered that some time ago we made mention of a prize fight to occur in the yards. One of the combatants was John O'Brien, who is built on the pugilistic plan. Yesterday to satisfy his muscular powers he came in contact with a section man. There were several blows exchanged, the section man coming out victorious, and now pugilist O'Brien has withdrawn from the field as a hard hitter, and expects to leave for another land to end his days in happy bliss.

The largest farm in the world is not in the northwest, but in Louisiana. It contains 1,500,000 acres of land, and is owned and operated by a syndicate of northern men. A Kansas man went down to look at it the other day and would have bought it, only the man who owned the eight acre piece on the west wouldn't sell, and the Kansas man said when he bought a farm he wanted a farm, not a New England truck patch. A western farmer is never greedy for more land. He only "wants what joins his own."—Burdette.

W. B. Short had a narrow escape from being burned out last night. A fire was started in an up-stairs room; shortly after a noise was heard, and on going up stairs they discovered that a cloth hanging on a chair near a stove had caught fire and burned. The carpet was also on fire. By throwing on a few buckets of water it was soon extinguished. Luckily the loss was light, not exceeding twenty dollars. Mr. Short carries insurance, and the loss will doubtless be paid.

The announcement that George C. Miln the well known actor and orator will lecture is enough in itself to insure a packed house at Rockwood Hall next Thursday evening. The subject chosen for his lecture is, "Candles and Footlights," or, "The Church and the Stage as friendly forces." As Mr. Miln has had both ecclesiastical and dramatic experience his lecture will undoubtedly be interesting. The lecture will be given for the benefit of the Y. W. C. T. U. and tickets may be secured from the members. Admission has been placed at 35 cents and all should avail themselves of this opportunity to help a good cause and hear one of the brightest speakers that ever graced the pulpit or the stage.

Miss Evelyn Wise entertained an "Old-fashioned euchre" party at her home on Eighth street, last evening. The invited guests were Misses Anderson, Livingston, Peterson, Latham, Wayman, Fullmer and Sherman, and Messrs. Patterson, Cutright, Eads, Moore, Root, Derrick, G. and E. E. Zimmerman, and B. J. Scandell, of Omaha. The most amusing part of the evening's entertainment was the serving of a cake in which there was a darning needle and a small vase cat. The lady that drew the cat was destined to a life of single blessedness; the unlucky drawer of the darning needle was condemned to keep the needle from rusting by the exclusive use of it. Miss Anderson was the lucky cat-holder. Mr. Jas. Patterson drew the darning needle.

ANOTHER CARNIVAL.

Arrangements Being Made for a Coasting Carnival of Gigantic Proportions.

The meeting at Richey Bros.' lumber office last night to appoint committees and begin preparations for another coasting carnival, was largely attended and quite enthusiastic. It is the intention of those who have the movement at heart to give the grandest coasting party of the winter, and one which will surpass those of Omaha or Council Bluffs.

The gentlemen appointed on the various committees are as follows, and are requested to meet at the council chamber at 7 o'clock this evening:

Finance committee: Guy Livingston, J. C. Hartigan, Harry Tarstch. Advertising and invitation: G. F. S. Burton, Chas. Dabb, J. W. Cutright, Jas. E. Knotts, M. M. Griffith, George Oliver. Reception committee: Harry Ritchie, J. L. Minor, O. P. Smith, Dr. E. W. Cook, L. E. Skinner. Illumination and Track: Frank McCoy, Frank Clark, W. H. Leach, Walter Holmes, Fred Woodson; S. C. Green, Chairman. General Arrangements: J. E. Marshall, Ed. Dutton, Frank Richey, E. M. Schlegel, R. Geinger, Cliff Shepherd.

All traverses are required to register, each traverse 50 cents. Register will be open at Carruth's store Wednesday. Invitations are extended to Omaha, Lincoln, Council Bluffs and adjoining cities. The time for holding the carnival is set for Saturday evening.

R. GRINGER, Pres. E. M. SCHLEGEL, Sec.

AN UNOBSERVED LAW.

One that is Violated by Nine-tenths of Cass County Firms—A Heavy Penalty.

In the statutes of Nebraska, chapter 65 and sec. 27, is a found law which went into effect in 1875 and is still in good force but which is not observed by more than one-tenth of the business firms of the county. Not because the law is objectionable, either, but because the business men are not aware of its existence. The merchants of Douglas county have but recently had their attention called to the fact that they were not complying with that provision in the statute and have generally complied with it, and it is generally violated over the state.

Section 27, chapter 65, of the statute, reads: That any association of persons doing business in any county of this state under a firm, partnership or corporate name and not incorporated under the laws of this state, shall have recorded in the office of the county clerk of the county where the place of business of said association is located, a certificate signed by each member of such association, showing, First: The firm, partnership or corporate name of such association. Second: The general nature of the business there-of and the principal place of doing business; and, Third: The full name and residence of each individual member of such association.

Sec. 29. Any person who shall for the space of twenty days fail, neglect, or refuse to comply with any of the provisions of this act, shall, on conviction thereof, be fined in any amount not exceeding \$1,000, and any fine so adjudged against any member of any association may be collected by execution from the property of such association.

NEBRASKA CITY.

Full of Thieves. The following special telegram passed through on the wires last night from that backwoods village just down the "big maddy" a few miles.

NEBRASKA CITY, NEB., Jan. 23.—Nebraska City is again overrun by sneak thieves. Nearly every merchant in the city has reported to the police today a greater or less loss. The officers run in eighteen traps last night and eight today.

Composition About a Cat.

The following is the composition written by a small boy on the cat: The cat is a curious animal; it has four feet and also four legs. Its head is at one end of its body and its tail is at the other. When it walks its head goes before and its tail follows along behind. Its front feet walks before and its hind feet walks along behind. It is not good for a cat to tie a bunch of firecrackers to its tail. Cats can climb trees; dogs can't. That is lucky for cats. When a dog gets after them they can climb a tree, where they can sass back without getting hurt. You can't hit a cat. Once I threw a boot and I hit an old rooster. The old rooster he died, but the cat didn't.

Hidden Hand.

The greatest street parade ever put on by a hall show was given with the Cora Van Tassel new "Hidden Hand" company. Cora Van Tassel's new spectacular "Hidden Hand," an intensely interesting story, and excellent dramatic company, with beautiful scenery and a superb military band and operatic orchestra at the opera house to-night.

Fire Alarm.

First ring a continuous ring for a general fire alarm. Then a pause to locate number of ward. 1st ward, one tap of bell; 2nd ward, two taps; 3rd ward, three taps; 4th ward, four taps. After designating the ward, ring for five minutes.

PERSONAL.

T. Elliot was Omaha bound to-day. Jas. Patterson was in Omaha to-day.

F. W. Hatedge took in the big city to-day. A. F. Coons, of David City, was in the city today.

E. Oliver and wife were Omaha passengers this morning. W. H. Newell and F. B. Shopp left last night for Oxford.

Miss Grace Anderson was an Omaha passenger this morning. Harry Kuhney and Henry Baumann took in the metropolis to-day.

E. G. Smith and wife, of Nebraska City, are visiting their brother, O. P. Smith. Geo. Hillary returned this morning from several weeks' stay at Wymore.

Dr. Cook is enjoying a visit from a cousin, Mr. E. C. Fisher, of Clarinda, Ia. Mrs. Jessie Isbell, of Omaha, daughter of Allen Beeson, returned home last evening.

Judge A. N. Sullivan took the train for Norfolk this morning, where he goes on legal business. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Campbell, Miss Clara B. Paul, and Mr. Borner, father of Mrs. Campbell, were Omaha visitors today.

J. E. Wolcott of Akron, Ohio, nephew of Hon. F. M. Wolcott of Weeping Water, is in the city and will assist in the telegraph office.

Remember the new photo gallery. d1t The Freight-Rate Situation.

As yet the threatened war on freight rates has not opened, but the outlook for peace is no more promising than it was at the adjournment of the General Managers in Chicago last week. A prominent Wabash official remarked that he was still hopeful, but it was hoping against hope. The Burlington would be compelled to cut its live stock rate in order to divide the business with the Rock Island, and so soon as that cut was made the Alton would step in and fight for its portion of the trade. The Rock Island would then come down, and the Burlington would retaliate with a cut on their classes.

There is no particular change in the fight between the Alton and the Wabash. It is quiet at this end. The Chicago Times, in speaking of the war at that end of the line, says: "The Wabash has in no instance, so far as learned, met the rates of the Alton in the Chicago-St. Louis territory. That is, the contracting agents are taking freight pretty much on their own basis of rates, but this is more guerrilla warfare, and is a scramble, not a fight. In the matter of live stock rates, St. Louis to Chicago, the Alton makes its \$10-a-car-load rate, the Wabash sticks to \$10.50, and gives its rival the traffic. In Toledo business it is the same. The Alton reduced the Wabash eastern rates; the latter refused to follow, and the Alton carries the freight. The Wabash has taken an awkward and most unexpected course for its antagonists. It simply ceased fighting, and if its competitors desire to force down figures their only alternative is to cut their own rates.—Globe-Democrat.

W. E. Cutler for photographs. d1t Caught in the Cob-Webs.

John F. Vallery went down to Plattsmouth, Saturday night, to attend a special meeting of the Independent Order of Cob-Webs, for the purpose of initiating C. F. McBeth, in the mysteries of the order. The ceremonies were extended until the "wee hours of the morn." Cob-Web hall was elegantly decorated for the occasion, and the boys had a grand picnic, so says candidate McBeth. The Plattsmouth Glee club rendered a number of choice selections which added additional mirth to the occasion. Grand Spider Smith, Chief Murphy, Grand Master of Ceremonies Pollock, assisted by his able assistants, Phillips, Parmele, Vallery and Grand Arsenal Derrick conferred the degree as highly as the Feather would allow, considering the feeble condition of the candidate. Grand Medical Examiner Cook was in attendance to affiliate in case of any accident. After the ceremonies were concluded the members repaired to the banquet hall of the order and did justice to an elegant spread of refreshments. Mr. McBeth expresses much gratitude for the kind, lenient and cordial treatment he received, and Cob-Web hall can surely count on him at all their meetings that it is possible for him to attend.

At an adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Citizen's Bank, held Saturday night, the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: C. H. Parmele, president; J. M. Patterson, cashier; Jas. Patterson jr., assistant cashier; directors: C. H. Parmele, J. M. Patterson, jr., R. B. Windham, M. Morrissey, A. A. Smith, Fred Gordor.

W. E. Cutler, an experienced photographer, from Omaha, formerly with Brown & Stephens, of Chicago, will open the photo gallery in the Carruth building to-morrow. All desiring photos and pictures of any kind or description should give him a trial.

Try O. P. Smith & Co's Damask Rose for Chapped Hands and Lips. tf

—Real estate and abstracts. dtf W. S. WISE.

Office room and house for rent, enquire of E. G. Dovey & Son. j20-d10t

Try O. P. Smith & Co's Damask Rose for Salt Rheum, Scrofulous sores, fetters External Erysipelas, Rash, Itch, chafing of Infants &c., a complete Household Remedy. No household should be without it. tf

Try O. P. Smith & Co's K. of P. Cologne Lasting and Fragrant. j-23 tf

New Goods. Wm. Herold is receiving a new stock of goods to supply the demand of his extensive trade. j-23 tf

Call on Threlkeld & Burley for fine cigars. d-1m

Go to the Monarch Restaurant for a good dish of oysters. d-1m

Before purchasing your dress goods call at Wm. Herold's. j-23 tf

Fire insurance written in the Etna, Phoenix and Hartford by Windham & Davies.

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New goods at Herold's. j-23 tf

Mrs. Bannister Has opened a cutting school in connection with her dress-making, where ladies may procure the latest improved tailor system, said to be the best in use. Rooms over Solomon Nathan's store. d12t

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E. L. SIGGINS, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. One door west of Bennett's store. Office hours from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. Residence, corner Ninth and Elm streets—Mrs. Levings' house. Telephone office and house.

Dissolution Notice. PLATTSBOURNE, Neb., Jan. 2, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the firm known as Moore Bros. & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by W. G. & L. C. Mercer, known as Mercer Bros.

Dr. R. Nunn, M. D., B Ch Trinity College, Dublin, Oculist, - AURIST, - THROAT DISEASES.

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