

The Plattsmouth Daily Herald.

KNOTTS BROS. Publishers & Proprietors.

B. & M. Time Table.

Table with 2 columns: GOING WEST and GOING EAST. Lists train numbers and times for various routes.

All trains run daily by way of Omaha, except Nos. 7 and 8 which run to and from Schuyler daily except Sunday.

A Salisbury Dentist, in Rock-wood Building.

Dr. Siggins, Office and Residence, Sherwood Block, Telephone No. 42

The street cars are again running. Commissioner Todd's wife is reported seriously ill.

The charges for single sleds for Saturday night's coasting carnival, will be 10 cents.

A marriage license was issued this morning by County Judge Russell to Mr. E. F. Harman and Miss Emma Kunzmann.

The people of the Christian church have selected Rev. M. A. Hampton, of Roca, as their pastor.

"Live," says the Tecumseh Chieftain, "within your income." Its all very well to talk about living within your income, but what is a fellow to do that does not have any income to live within.

There will be a called meeting of the W. C. T. U., Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Davis. It is important that all members should be present.

The social given at the parsonage last evening by the M. E. Ladies was well attended, there being over one hundred present. The hospitality in which Mr. and Mrs. Alexander entertain company is well known.

Field and the Farmers' Alliance.

The following resolutions were passed by the Wabash Farmers' Alliance at its last meeting:

Resolved, That we condemn the action of Judge Field in instructing the jury to render a verdict in favor of the R. & M. R. R. Co., and request him to resign the office of District Judge.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the county papers and to the Omaha Bee and Lincoln Democrat for publication.

The foregoing resolutions were received by THE HERALD for publication, accompanied by a letter from Mr. B. F. Allen, of center precinct, secretary.

The only mention THE HERALD desires to make of these resolutions at this time is to suggest to our Alliance friends that in our opinion their action is hasty, ill-considered, and unwarranted by the facts surrounding the "bridge case."

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Death of Rev. Joseph Knotts.

Joseph Knotts was born in Virginia in September, 1832, where he resided till of age. He was the eldest of seven children.

From Virginia Mr. Knotts removed to central Iowa, where he made his home and pursued his work until compelled by failing health to desist from active work in his chosen calling.

He served the churches at Chariton, Des Moines, Indianola, New Virginia, Osceola and Council Bluffs.

He was a Presiding Elder of the Des Moines and Council Bluffs Districts. In 1875 he accepted an appointment as consul to the state of Chihuahua, Mexico; hoping there to build up his broken-down constitution, and while there became interested in silver mines at Parral, Mexico, and directed his attention to mining, afterward giving attention to silver mines at Mapimi, state of Durango, and in Arizona, and to the Iron Mountain near Durango City.

His loving wife accompanied him to El Paso, Texas, where they had final adieu, Mrs. Knotts going to Pasadena, Cal., and her husband going to Durango, Mexico, and then returning to Parral. At the latter place he was taken very ill early in last week, being 600 miles from El Paso, but was watched over by a nephew, L. W. Knotts, who fearing serious results, telegraphed to his uncle's son, A. B. Knotts at Des Moines, Iowa, and started with the sick man to the railway, a distance of fifty miles, where he saw him safely on the cars for El Paso, A. B. Knotts, in reply to the telegram, started Saturday evening for El Paso, but it was too late. The father arrived at that city Monday, a day before the son, and passed from this life among strangers, on the afternoon of that day.

Mr. Knotts, besides his wife, leaves three brothers, two sisters, a daughter, seven sons and one grandson to grieve his loss. At the time of the news of his illness the wife of the deceased was at Pasadena, Cal., the daughter, at Boulder Valley, Mont., the two eldest sons, A. B. and T. H. Knotts, proprietors of THE HERALD, were at Des Moines, L. G. Knotts at Council Bluffs, E. F. Knotts at Altoona, Iowa, and the three younger sons, J. E., G. B. and Joseph Knotts, jr., were in Plattsmouth.

The fact that the father died alone from his family makes reflection exceedingly sad for them.

The funeral services will probably be held at the family home, Council Bluffs, the latter part of the week.

PERSONAL.

T. Murphy was in the big city to-day.

J. H. Waterman was in Omaha to-day.

C. M. Wead and wife were in Omaha to-day.

Miss Vina Sage was an Omaha passenger last night.

Samuel Barker went out to Lincoln this morning on business.

Mrs. S. M. Craig and A. F. Hayes left last night for Franklin.

Miss Ida Conn took the train this morning for McPaul, Iowa.

Miss May Fellows was a Pacific Junction passenger this morning.

Mrs. Sarah Archer took the evening train for Atlanta last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fitzgerald and family were in Omaha to-day.

Robt. Wilkinson, of Weeping Water, was in the city to-day on business.

Mrs. J. M. McCauley and daughter, Miss Mamie, visited in Omaha to-day.

Rev. M. A. Hampton and wife took the train last night for their home at Roca.

J. H. Glendenen who has been visiting with Robt. Stewart, went up to the metropolis this a. m.

Mrs. G. H. Longenhagen took the Lincoln bound train this morning, where she goes on a visit.

Mr. E. A. Kirkpatrick, of Nehawka, spent last evening with Dr. John Black returning home this morning.

B. A. McElwain went out to Greenwood last evening to attend a good temple festival and returned home this a. m.

Mrs. Critchfield and daughter, Miss Anna, of Weeping Water, were visiting with the family of Bird Critchfield to-day.

Mrs. Minnie Golding who has been visiting the past few days with the family of C. W. Ford left this morning for Kansas City.

Married.

HARMAN-KUNZMANN-At the M. E. parsonage this afternoon at three o'clock, Mr. E. F. Harman of Curtis, Neb., and Miss Emma Kunzmann, of this city, were united in matrimony. Rev. W. B. Alexander performed the service that united them.

Crushed by the Car Wheels. While T. M. Fent was coupling cars this morning about 6 o'clock at Pacific Junction, he was knocked down, the car wheels passing directly over his knees, badly crushing and fracturing them; but not necessitating amputation. His recovery is reported as being doubtful.

Mr. Fent was a brakeman on No. 13, the fast freight that runs from Omaha to Pacific Junction. His home is at New York, Wayne county, Iowa. He was brought to this place this morning by a special train and his wounds were dressed by the company's physicians, Dr. R. R. Livingston.

R. A. S. E.

While I have been in quest of this knowledge that I spoke of in my last my mind has dropped upon some of the works of mechanics' institutes that are in different parts of the world, to which I may draw your attention to later, but to pursue the theme of my previous article is my intent at present.

Associations for the promotion of science by calm discussion of mooted points, and the reading of short but comprehensive papers on various subjects are among the most useful institutions in the world. They are certainly of great importance, but along with libraries and winter courses of lectures there is one great element that must not be lost sight of; that is personal and general elevation to every individual brother.

We mean the personal interests and actions of the members in the National Association of Stationary Engineers in the manner pointed out in our introductory article. In Boston some time ago there was a society of civil engineers which pursued this course, and they have issued some reports which are of no little importance to the scientific world. An institution of the same nature was organized in the State of New York some years ago, but for some reason we have heard nothing of their doings for some time.

A good library, a course of lectures and a debating society makes up an interesting meeting. To some these things are all very well, almost indispensable, but something more is wanted to enlist the energies and interest of all the members. There are mechanics and artisans in every shop who are capable of throwing a great deal of light upon many subjects, if drawn out to give an opinion, but who have not the facilities or face to engage in a debate. Mere debating societies are generally ruled by the longest winded and loudest talkers, and result in no substantial benefits to their members. We therefore commend the attention of all voluntary associations for mental improvement and promotion of knowledge to the policy of dividing the association into four different committees. These committees might report or hold their discussions once a month, and thus there would be a meeting of interest every week. Without something of this kind any association labors under the most manifest disadvantages.

We have often heard the remark made, "Mechanics never hold long together." We have seen the truthfulness of this remark verified in a great many instances. They seem to advance new projects relating to their own interests with zeal, but soon fall back into the arms of apathy, or what is worse get into disputes and divide into factions about things that are no greater in importance than the shadows of dreams.

Above all things we advise our mechanics, in respect to every institution which they may establish, to engraft upon their escutcheon, "Knowledge is power;" "Don't give up the ship." There is no village of any importance in our wide-spread country but should have an association of the nature set forth above. It should belong to no class, but embrace within its folds all who have the taste for, or take an interest in, the progress of science and art, and the propagation of useful knowledge.

Now as I have given a few of the broad principles upon which we have organized, we deem it our duty to touch lightly upon the individual duties of its members, and the theme which I will commence with will be self-reliance.

Mt. Pleasant.

Messrs. Cline and Watkins went to Weeping Water Tuesday.

Lee Hobson and Charlie Norris went to Plattsmouth Thursday of last week.

The quarterly meeting at Eight Mile Grove was postponed on account of the absence of the Elder.

Ye correspondent has been snowed under for a number of days. This accounts for your not hearing from him.

Ed Mougley informs us that his father-in-law, Mr. Bird, will return from his western visit the last of this week.

Mr. Pitman hauled his postal supplies to Nehawka Monday. We can now get our mail twice a day--by going after it.

It is reported that the mercury has been down 35° below zero in this "neck of the woods." Perhaps it has but we are too "matter of fact" to give the report much credence without seeing the thermometer.

The United Brethren are holding protracted meetings at their church this week. The minister's efforts will be rewarded by the conversion of a number of souls, judging from the interest that is being taken.

The cold wave has frozen out our mail carrier, so Uncle Sam has decided to discontinue the Mt. Pleasant post office. Mr. Short made his last trip to our town last Friday. His route will now end at Murray, which will be much "short"er.

Dim Star.

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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Disillusion Notice. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Jan. 2, 1888. Notice to whom it may concern: The firm known as Mercer 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.

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