

The Evening Herald.

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CITY CORDIALS.

Windham & Davies sold eight lots in South Park today. WANTED.—To rent a small house. Apply at this office.

The thermo metered 82 degrees above Cairo at noon today.

O. G. Straight has sold his business to W. G. Keefer, of Wahoo, Nebraska.

Kate Castleton Comedy Company appears at Waterman's Opera House for one night, March 1.

The Glee Club went to Fremont this morning to be present at the dedication of a new M. E. church at that place.

Conductor John Barren, who has been sick in Lincoln for the past few days, went out of this city last night on Number 3.

Two men charged with being drunk and disorderly were before Judge Mathews this morning. They were fined \$5 and costs each, and went to jail to serve it out.

The ladies aid society of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ferguson, corner 4th and Vine streets, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

Is there any person in the city council who wants the inhabitants of this city to "see that his grave is kept green?" If so, for the sake of a helpless, patient and long-suffering community see that the crossings of the city are kept free of Plattsmonth extract.

A quiet, modest, unassuming youth stood on Main street calmly gazing westward at noon today. His bosom heaved with manly emotion, his eyes were ablaze with patriotic ardor and his lips moved convulsively as with clenched hands he muttered: "I am twenty-one today and my name is Grif."

Yesterday afternoon two men, who appeared to be slightly hilarious, were driving a span of horses up Main street. When near Sixth, going west, the horses took fright and galloped at a terrific rate of speed up the hill, with the men waving their arms and yelling like Comanches on the war path. It is likely there will be a coroner's inquest on their disfigured anatomy today.

While the city is wrapt in slumber and the dark pall of midnight falls like a damp rag on our poetic contemporary, a man will be up a pole—a telephone pole. This performance will be necessary for the act of placing a new switchboard at the telephone exchange, which will have the capacity of accommodating one hundred subscribers. The mystery will be completed at 12 P. M. tonight.

The Stewart Theatre Company will make a week's stand in this city, opening on the 20th of this month. They play "Little Dutchess," "Uncle Dan," "After Dark," "Peg," "Inshavogue," and "Rip Van Winkle." We promise this company full houses every night, for besides having an established reputation for histrionic ability, their popular prices of 25, 35 and 50 cents insure them success wherever they appear.

We hate to extol a man to such a degree that it places him on a pedestal of fame far above his fellow men, but if there is any person on whom the bishop should place his hands with reverential awe, that person is Frank Carruth. For today he performed a public act that deserved to be eulogized and handed down for future generations to emulate. But why dwell further on the subject—he took a shovel and cleaned the crossing.

As a certain indication of Plattsmonth's future greatness and gradual increase in business, we may mention the fact that about eighteen months ago, when Mr. S. Buzzell took charge of the telephone exchange, there were but thirty subscribers, now there are sixty. Mr. Buzzell is also entitled to a good deal of credit for the increase of patronage, as his prompt, energetic business manners adds greatly to the efficiency of the telephone exchange.

Dan O'Rourke, who has been on a visit to his parents in this city, returned to Missouri Valley, Iowa, today. Dan opened a tailor shop in that thriving little burgh a short time ago and has already secured a large number of patrons. If the citizens of Missouri Valley have been in want of a first-class workman, one who cannot be beat in any city in the United States, for cutting, sewing and fitting; one who is honest and square in all his dealings, with a kind word, a helping hand, or a coin if necessary, to aid the distressed; a whole-souled, handsome, hearty, jolly, rollicking young fellow, with the heart of an American and the soul of an Irishman, why they have got him now in the person of Dan O'Rourke, a name time-honored in Ireland, respected in Plattsmonth and appreciated all through the state of Nebraska by those who favor the firm with their patronage.

THE HERALD'S HOROSCOPE

Appreciated, Accepted, Acknowledged.

THE HERALD is prospering. It is getting there very rapidly, with an even gait and not a "break." In the past we have made a few bad breaks, but we are now getting accustomed to the pace and our efforts are being appreciated. What could be more gratifying to the editor of a paper than the following record for one day, last Saturday:

CDAR CREEK. C. W. Snyder subscribed for daily, copy for himself, and weekly for his brother, ordered job work, paid in advance, total amount, twenty dollars. Geo. E. Sayles, daily; J. B. Tipton, (dem.) Mr. Draper, (dem.) Ed. Seiver, H. Inholder, Jacob Wildi, Dr. Duff and John Inholder, (agen 82 years) subscribe for the weekly. All these gentlemen paid in advance and are therefore entitled to a few sweet phrases but we will spare them the infliction and simply state what is well known, and that is, that they are highly respected members of the county in which they live, as well as esteemed for their business probity by the wholesale merchants and others with whom they have dealings.

In addition to these new subscribers we collected in about \$175 of old debts. This statement can be authenticated and will be proved with pleasure if any doubter calls at this office. We are under obligations for this fortunate tide of circumstances to Mr. C. B. Wilson, who is now attending to subscriptions and collections, and it is no exaggeration to state that there was never a rustler from Rustleville could rustle in the collection line like Wilson.

If energy and money will do anything our subscription list on the weekly will be increased at least 200 in Cass county in two months from now. We have already made arrangements for a new press and other innovations in the paper, which we have no doubt will be appreciated by our patrons.

CHEESE, LIMBERGER CHEESE.

Mr. Madole Plays a Winning Hand

In Saturday's issue appeared the following: A suspicious parcel was left on the street car a few days ago, which some thought might contain dynamite, and for that reason no one would touch it for three or four days. Finally a committee was formed with Madole as analyst. On opening the package he pronounced it cheese, or cheese it. The committee devoured a portion of it, and shipped the rest of it by express, C. O. D., to Mr. Madole's residence, who no doubt will appreciate their thoughtful kindness.

Mr. Madole took the joke in good part and returned the cheese, which was limberger, to the senders, also two copies of Nebraska statutes on which twenty-five cents postage was due, which was the exact amount Mr. Madole had to pay for his express package. L. C. Mercer and Chas. Harris, the "two Dromios," who received the cheese and statutes, have had the laugh turned on them now, but we await the next turn of the cards, although so far as the game has progressed Mr. Madole holds the trump.

We shall feel very thankful for any item of news or short communications, on any subject that would likely interest our readers. Write plainly on one side of the paper. Sign your name. If you want your name printed with the article say so, if not, it will not be divulged under any circumstances. Do not be spiteful or personal; we want news and not the power to help you settle an old grudge against your neighbor. It does not matter about your grammar, spelling or punctuation. Send the facts, old and young, rich and poor, the intelligent and uneducated can all help to make these columns interesting. We would especially, like short articles from little boys and girls which express the natural promptings of heart and mind concerning things in general.

The B. & M. R. R. Co. will extend their tracks and sidings in the spring which will necessitate the removal of the ancient land-marks in the vicinity of the depot that disgrace the face of our fair city. When this is done the lamp post that stands at the east end of Main street and whose mournful attitude suggests the idea of a paralyzed appraiser of the B. & M. depot, will be removed to Winterset Hill and shed a brilliant halo around that romantic spot.

An article which appeared in THE HERALD February 3 in reply to a criticism of the Journal, was published in full in the last issue of the Louisville Observer, the editor of which paper comments as follows:

"We reprint the above from the Plattsmonth DAILY HERALD as a matter due to the craft. A man that is constantly finding fault with others never stops once to look at his own blunders. The devil despises a critic and would fire him out of his kingdom."

The horrible nightmares called valentines will be scattered around pretty thickly tomorrow. Hundreds of those artistic abortions have been sold during the past week, one individual buying 125. WANTED.—A good pants maker. Enquire over Merges' shoe store of C. F. Smith.

EVERY HIT COUNTS.

Another C. A. R. Volley Every Shot A Bullseye.

EDITOR HERALD:—I see by the Journal of the 10th that Mr. Sherman says: "The man who at this age feels the necessity of apologizing for having been a Union soldier during the late unpleasantness, must be a crank, but such was the effect of Chaplain Lozier's political buncombe last night. To say nothing of the poor taste of an orator talking politics under the false guise of 'patriotism,' before a mixed audience, most of his harangue on political affairs could have no possible good result."

Chaplain Lozier did not say anything that any one could justly attribute that way. The Chaplain was a good and brave soldier, and a loyal citizen. It seems to make a great difference to Mr. Sherman as to which side the apology is made. Chaplain Lozier gave the old comrades credit for all they done, and very properly eulogized them for what they had gone through for the preservation of the Union and the Old Flag. He had no apologies to offer for his excellency, President Davis; he left that for Mr. Sherman to do, as anyone can see by reading the issue of the 10th inst.

"Does he expect a people who lost, in proportion to population, three to one on the Union side, in a few years to utterly forget the part they took in that struggle and to be ashamed of it and to show no reverence for the memory of the host that sacrificed themselves in the holocaust of battle? Surely the commonest instinct of human nature revolts at the idea! Suppose Jeff Davis did kiss and weep over an old confederate flag, and his audience followed suit. Is there anything astonishing in that?"

Chaplain Lozier said we have no objections to them weeping and gushing over all the rebel flags they wanted to, but all that heard him knows the place that he wanted weeping done at. The Chaplain has left it to Mr. Sherman to apologize to Jeff Davis and his traitorous followers and for their actions and well has it been done. We do not believe there is any room in this great big glorious and prosperous land of ours but for one flag, and that is the old stars and stripes, and if Mr. Sherman, Jeff Davis or any other man, or set of men, think so, they will find their mistake to their sorrow.

It has not been but a few months since a certain faction thought they would raise a red flag—with what result? History will record the death of about forty law abiding and loyal citizens, and the hanging of seven consummate traitors to our government. We do not believe that Jeff Davis, or any person, or faction of men, have any right to set up in this land of ours any other flag than the old stars and stripes. And if Jeff Davis or any any of faction of men want to weep over a flag, let it be the old stars and stripes, and then every old true Union soldier, and loyal citizen in this land of ours will help them weep; but with no other flag should any person or faction of men be allowed to parade and set it above the old flag of our nation. We say treason, is treason, we don't care whether it is in Mississippi, Illinois, or Nebraska, it is a shame to allow it in any state, county or city. How long would it have been if the authorities of Chicago had let certain factions meet and harangue the people on anarchy, (or properly speaking treason) and parade with their communist flags, until they would have had an armed mob to contend with that would have cost thousands of lives? Treason is like an incendiary fire, if taken at first it is easily subdued, but if let go it will consume all around it. We think our government should step in and put out every fire of treason where ever it may be lighted, no matter in what state, county or city it may be started.

AX OLD SOLDIER.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

O. P. Smith was in Lincoln Sunday.

M. A. Hartigan left this morning for Lincoln.

L. N. Bowen returned from Hastings last evening.

H. D. and Frank Jackson were Lincoln visitors yesterday.

F. D. Foster, went to Winterset, Iowa, yesterday on a visit to his mother.

Harvey Holloway came in last night from Yates Center, Kansas.

Geo. Mann left this morning for Nebraska City. "The hope of return takes the sting from adieu."

Mrs. Ella Marshall, of Syracuse, Neb., was in the city over Sunday, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Phil. Harrison.

Bert Pollock, C. C. Parmele, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Campbell, Capt. H. E. Palmer, Judge Sullivan, Harry Kuhney and Martin McGuire visited in Omaha today.

J. W. Mannerling of Pawawick, Wis., stopped over Sunday on his return from California to visit a few days with H. C. McMaken.

R. L. Evans, W. F. Smith and James Chase of Lincoln; A. J. Yoerner, J. A. Landies, E. Dowd, J. Roman and S. Hallesman, of Omaha; Geo. H. Brush, of St. Louis and E. L. Cook, St. Joe, were in the city Sunday.

—Wm. Wettencamp bought two lots on Chicago Avenue from Mr. Hartigan last Saturday. Mr. Wettencamp will erect a fine residence on them in a few weeks.

COUNTY LEGISLATION.

Proceedings of the Board of Commissioners, February Session.

PLATTSBOUTH, Feb. 7, 1888. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, A. B. Todd, A. B. Dickson, Louis Foltz, commissioners; Bird Critchfield, county clerk.

In the matter of dispute between Mrs. Keppel and Mrs. Johnson on lot 5 in block 45, in the city of Plattsmonth, Cass county, Neb. The board considered the matter and concluded to abide by the decision of the county attorney. The attorney decided that Mrs. Anna Keppel should hold said lot for the year 1888, according to a certain lease given by the county commissioners, dated January 9, 1888. Said board ordered the county treasurer to refund to Mrs. Johnson the \$5 paid for rental for 1888, it appearing that said Mrs. Johnson had no right to said lot, and Mrs. Keppel has a valid written lease thereon.

County clerk ordered to send order for blanks for clerk of district court.

The following official bonds were approved:

Wm Minfor assessor of Mt. Pleasant precinct.

Frank Cramer assessor of South Bend precinct.

W. Mutz overseer road district No. 20.

J. H. Becker overseer road dist. No. 13.

John Hays overseer road dist. No. 46.

S. W. Cogizer overseer road district No. 44.

W. H. Martin overseer road dist. No. 16.

Wm McAfee justice of the peace South Bend precinct.

N. E. Marshall justice of peace Elmwood precinct.

Mac Buckley road overseer dist. No. 31.

M. E. Harris justice of peace South Bend precinct.

A petition by C. S. Wortman and others for the board to reconsider the appointment of Frank Cramer for assessor in South Bend precinct was referred.

The resignation of Mr. Beardsley for road overseer No. 47 was accepted and B. T. Wilcockson appointed and his bond approved.

The annual settlement of O. E. Chandler of road overseer district No. 21 was approved and amount allowed, \$28.50.

Annual settlement of J. K. Stucker of road district No. 45 was approved and amount allowed, \$29.65.

The resignation of T. P. McClintic road overseer district No. 50, and on petition Hans Wulf was appointed to fill said vacancy.

Resignation of Joseph Cox, road overseer district No. 13, was accepted and Emanuel Shriver appointed to fill said vacancy.

The matter of sealed bids for county printing for the ensuing year, the bids were carefully examined and the job for printing the court docket, treasurer's statement and commissioners proceedings was let to the Weeping Water Republican at the following rates: Printing the court docket at 30 cents per case in each docket for fifty copies and \$1.25 per dozen copies above fifty copies, printing the treasurer's statement at 2 cents per line, printing the commissioners proceedings free. Good work warranted in each case.

It was ordered that the printing of road notices was to be done for two-thirds legal rates, and in whatever paper the Board of Commissioners designated.

County Clerk ordered to furnish to any newspaper in county wishing, the Commissioners' proceedings free upon application of the several editors.

The lease for the Rockwood Hall for court purposes having expired, an order was made that a new lease be drawn for said hall for the term of two years, with privilege of five years, at an annual rental of \$400, payable quarterly.

The following claims were allowed:

Eli Samson boarding pauper.....\$125 87

Arthur Clark ride to jail..... 6 30

W. White rent of hall for court..... 87 50

P. D. Bates work on court house..... 15 00

Stephen Buzzell telephone..... 13 05

Knotts Bros. printing..... 87 49

M. I. Greenslate boarding pauper..... 29 00

Board adjourned till February 8.

FEBRUARY 8, 1888.

Board met, full Board present; Bird Critchfield Chairman.

The following was done to-wit:

The annual settlement of Wm. Coleman was recognized and the balance on his account allowed.

The annual settlement of Geo. Woodruff was recognized and the balance claimed allowed.

The following claims were allowed:

Henry Beck chair and mirror.....\$ 1 50

Bird Critchfield sal and expense..... 82 31

W. B. Murphy goods to pauper..... 18 00

Plattsmonth Gas Co. gas fixtures..... 17 45

Frank Carruth clerk for Recorder..... 6 50

John Morris Co Chicago supplies..... 59 29

Plattsmonth Gas Co. gas used..... 6 25

Reed Bros & Co. ride to pauper..... 16 35

H. N. Dwyer same..... 22 18

F. S. White same..... 10 00

Martha Hurst for keeping pauper..... 10 10

M. McElrain fixing Recorder's office..... 6 25

B. S. Ramsey Atty for H. Strate..... 25 00

Gazette-Journal Co. supplies..... 40 00

Omaha Republican, seal for Recorder..... 3 00

Omaha Republican, letter for Clerk Chase & Churchill funeral expenses of pauper..... 22 30

Waterman & Co stamp for Clerk..... 1 00

W. H. Pool expense account..... 4 75

Geo. Prisel ride to pauper..... 5 00

G. S. Smith const fees on request..... 3 25

W. H. Mallick boarding prisoners..... 36 85

M. Spink salary and expense..... 104 00

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Furniture for the cellar, kitchen and parlor sold on weekly or monthly installments at I. Pearlman's. f2-dtf

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

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Parties needing household furniture and those who contemplate keeping house soon will find it to their object to buy of I. Parleman. f2-dtf

An elegant assortment of Valentines at Gering & Co's. j31-6ct

Bailed hay for sale at Holmes livery barn. d12t

This Space Reserved for GAULT & VASS JEWELERS.

CLOSING OUT AT COST.

\$4,700 Worth of the Best Makes of BOOTS AND SHOES. Must be sold in the Next 30 Days

As I have to leave to take charge of my Father's business in Ottumwa, on account of his continued ill health. Now is the time to lay in a supply of BOOTS and SHOES at

FACTORY PRICES

Table listing various shoe types and prices, such as Ladies' French Kid hand-turned shoes, Ladies' Curacao Kid common sense shoes, etc.

Red Cross School Shoe Reduced 25c a pr

Table listing Red Cross School Shoe prices, such as Misses best Kid and Goat Spring heel, Men's best hand sewed shoes, etc.

All Goods must be sold at once. You will find it to your interest to call early.

T. H. PHILLIPS, SOUTH SIDE MAIN. CARRUTH BLOCK.

Reasons for Purchasing Lots in South Park.

- 1. As a whole they are the finest lying lots in the city.
2. They are shaded with beautiful forest trees.
3. They are located between Chicago and Lincoln Avenues, the two finest drives about the city.
4. They are only a ten-minute walk from the business portion of the town.
5. By reason of their location between the two main thoroughfares into the city, they are more accessible than lots in other additions.
6. The only addition to the city reached by two established avenues.
7. The only new addition to the city reached by water mains and with a prospect of being supplied in the near future with complete water privileges.
8. New sidewalks recently constructed to within a few feet of the addition and will shortly be extended.
9. Will certainly have street car privileges at no distant date.
10. If you wish a fine view of the river, locate on a lot in South Park.
11. If you wish a slightly and picturesque view of Plattsmonth, it can be had from a South Park lot.
12. To persons in the railroad employ, the eastern portion of South Park is the most desirable residence locality in the city.
13. To persons desiring a residence on Chicago avenue, the western portion of South Park is available for that purpose.
14. The B. & M. railroad track runs near the east line of the addition, furnishing good facilities for manufacturing industries.
15. If you locate in South Park you will have good neighbors: Mayor Simpson, John R. Cox, John A. Davies, John L. Minor, J. V. Weckbach, Chas. Harris, John H. Young, Henry Waterman, W. C. Ingraham, B. Spurlock, Jerry Farthing, Thos. E. Reynolds, S. A. Davis, L. A. Miner, C. M. Wead, Frank Irish, J. N. Glenn, C. L. Coleman, S. A. Speakman, Frank Beeson, Chas. A. Rankin, Sarah E. Alexander, John Moore, M. A. Shipman, Lillie Kalisky, T. W. Fought, Clayton Barber, W. J. Hesser, Harry Kneller, J. E. Barwick, J. G. Royal, W. N. McLennan, P. C. Minor, F. McCourt, J. C. Fought and other rare owners of South Park property.
16. Over \$12,000 worth of this desirable property has been disposed of within a short period and no part has been sold to outside speculators which is solid proof of the substantial growth of this part of the city.
17. More substantial houses were built in South Park in the fall of 1887 than in any one locality in the city and the prospects for spring building are much greater.
18. Lots will be sold until the 1st of April, next, at \$150 each; after said date the price on the most desirable lots will be advanced.
19. Terms 1/3 cash, balance in one and two years, or lots may be purchased on monthly payments.
20. Any number of persons, not less than five, purchasing ten lots in one transaction will be given a lot free to dispose of as they may deem proper.
21. Any person or persons purchasing 20 or more lots and paying 1/3 cash, may have one and two years on balance without interest.
22. If any other reasons for purchasing lots in South Park are desired they will be given by calling at the office of

WINDHAM & DAVIES. OVER BANK OF CASS COUNTY