

The Evening Herald.

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CITY CORDIALS.

The river is slightly on the rise and is entirely free from ice.

Nine special policemen were sworn in for duty at the polls today.

Every saint and sinner of Plattsmouth should attend the Catholic fair tonight.

S. P. Holloway today moved his family from Union Block to a house on Winterstein hill.

E. H. Woolley of Weeping Water, has been commissioned a notary public by Gov. Thayer.

Mr. Ed. Kennedy and family have become residents of Plattsmouth, having moved over from Pacific Junction yesterday.

Charles Drewcock, the old man who cut his throat at Weeping Water Saturday at noon, died that night after several hours of suffering. He was buried by the county.

The weather signals for the past two days have been in favor of rain or snow, with lower temperature. They now say fair weather with lower temperature, so the people may look out for a blizzard accompanied by four feet of snow.

There are three smart, physical young men in this city who wish to open up an entertainment in Fitzgerald's hall for a three day's go-as-you-please. They will shortly announce their intentions when we will be at liberty to publish their names.

Judge Chapman came up from Plattsmouth yesterday on district court matters. He found court here adjourned until Wednesday, and Judge Field will finish the term here, Judge Chapman having just closed the spring term in Otoe county.—Lincoln Bee.

It is a certain truth, although our belief is not that way inclined, that whenever the Roman Catholic's of any city in the Universe undertake to hold a fair or raise a subscription they are always successful. Last night at Fitzgerald's hall was an ocular demonstration of this fact. Go tonight if you wish to and in a worthy object, learn a lesson, and be amused.

Weeping Water has been made a city of the second class and divided into three wards. The following ticket has been placed in nomination and voted on today: Mayor, G. W. Norton, treasurer, J. M. Roberts; clerk, I. F. Travis; police judge, C. H. King; city engineer, G. W. Noble; councilmen, First ward, J. M. Beardsley and B. A. Gibson; Second ward, P. S. Barnes and T. M. Howard; Third ward, E. L. Reed and Captain Shafer.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Charles C. Parmele was an Omaha visitor today.

O. H. Ballou came down from Omaha this morning.

Charles Weckbach came down from Lincoln last evening.

Mrs. J. Z. Ballinger returned from her visit to Hot Springs, this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis, of Burlington, Iowa, are the guests of Mr. E. S. Greusel of this city.

Judge S. M. Chapman was over in the Iowa bottoms today, hunting the gay and festive duck.

Mrs. J. M. Patterson and Mrs. R. B. Windham were Omaha passengers on No. 5 this morning.

L. G. Knotts, of Council Bluffs, came down this morning to visit the Knotts boys, of THE HERALD.

Misses Clara Palmer and Lulu Burgess came down from Omaha this morning, where they have been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Madden and her three beautiful children are stopping at Mrs. J. A. Connor's for the Easter holidays.

Wm. Carroll, a large railroad contractor, from Madison, Wisconsin, the brother of Mrs. J. A. Conner, is stopping in the city for a few days.

J. F. Clements came in from Cheyenne last evening. He is now train dispatcher on the new line of the B. & M. from Holdrege to Cheyenne, with headquarters at Holyoke.

Mrs. C. W. Green and Mrs. M. Prentiss, mother and sister of Sig Green, have been visiting the latter here for the past few days and left for their home in Omaha this morning.

G. Dal Jones, a former Plattsmouth boy, but now a telegraph operator at Denver, came in from the west last Saturday morning, and was a passenger to Omaha this morning.

Important Information.

The following is the statement for first quarter Register of Deeds: Number of real estate mortgages filed 18; Number of deeds, releases, mechanic liens and miscellaneous instruments 481; Total number instruments filed 499; Receipts \$685 45; Paid W. H. Pool, register's salary \$375 00; J. M. Leyda, deputy 172 00; L. E. Skinner, Clerk 31 00; Balance \$102 45.

It will be seen that about the running expenses of the office \$102.45 stands to the credit.

A Geography Puzzle.

I once had a friend whose christian name was a river in Dakota, and whose surname was a river in Australia.

His spirits were always as light as a lake in Australia, especially when he strode his spirited horse, to whom he had given the name of a river in Russia, and whose color was a river in France.

He always wore an Isthmus of Panama hat, river in Scotland clothes, and country in Africa boots, but his appearance was slightly marred by a city in Ireland limb.

It was his custom to go every evening to see a young lady called a river in Siberia. She was quite a belle, as her father was a well-to-do mountain in Washington territory, and she herself was not without charms.

One evening he asked her to get her mountain in Oregon, and come for a walk when she indignantly replied, "I do not wear a mountain in Oregon, but a city on the Caspian Cap."

They wandered silently through the green lanes, and were standing pensively under a town in Colorado near which some swine were sporting themselves in a public, when she suddenly exclaimed, "See how the hogs a town in Washington territory."

He had supposed that their mountains in Germany were filled with love, and to have the illusion so rudely dispelled by an allusion to animals that had such an unpleasant river of Germany about them was too much.

He had received her remarks with a cape in Canada, and as she seemed unaware of the mistake she had made, he answered her remark with a contemptuous cape in Canada, threw a city in Arkansas at the innocent cause of his discomfiture, and started for home.

A few days afterward he decided to revisit his dulcina. As he strolled along smoking a City in Cuba, he saw her father's island near France, and her island near Scotland, quietly grazing; but she was not at the window as usual, feeding her islands of the coast of Africa, and a cape on the Atlantic coast took possession of him.

On the sofa sat his adorable with a young man who was one of the city in France, of the season, but who looked islands off the coast of England, when he saw his rival. My friend looked a peak of the Alps, cold chills ran down his Arctic river, for he had distinctly heard the fellow say as he entered—a river in Florida.

With an insolent air, the fellow whose name was, river in British America, told him that he meant to port of Paris and that he might go to city of Nova Scotia.

"Yes, do go away," said river of Siberia, "you have become a perfect city on the Danube, and besides he has promised me a peak of Oregon ring."

My friend declared he would give the fellow a river in Kentucky, that he had won her with a cape on the Pacific coast, that he would river in Ireland him yet, but he happened to remember that he had no one to go his city in Switzerland, if he used his town in Arizona, so, though it was hard city in France he turned and left the house without a cape of Greenland.

We feared that he would city in Italy over the world, or take to a town in Illinois, but he simply took a European strait powder and seemingly slept off his cape on the Pacific coast, for the next day was Thanksgiving, he did full justice to the country of Europe.

ALICE H. SPRECHER, Nogales.

ANSWER TO PUZZLE.

- 1. Jim Rayer. 25. Fear. 2. Murray. 26. Lyons. 3. Eyre (air). 27. Scilly. 4. Don. 28. Blanc. 5. Rhone. 29. Back. 6. Panama. 30. Kissimmee. 7. Tweed. 31. Nelson. 8. Morocco. 32. Havre. 9. Cork. 33. Halifax. 10. Lena. 34. Lena. 11. Baker. 35. Pesth. 12. Hood. 36. Diamond. 13. Astrakham. 37. Licking. 14. Lone Tree or Boulder. 38. Flattery. 15. Walla Walla. 40. Basle. 16. Hartz. 41. Bowie. 17. Oder. 42. Toulouse. 18. Gaspé. 43. Fowwell. 19. Whistle. 44. Rome. 20. Little Rock. 45. Champaigne. 21. Havana. 46. Doon. 22. Jersey. 47. Disappointment. 23. Shetland. 48. Turkey. 24. Canary.

Bob Ingersoll in his argument in the Bell telephone case closed his masterly plea in behalf of his clients with the following terse words: "I do not believe any man can patent the idea of sending speech by electricity. He can patent devices by which that can be done, but he cannot get a patent on the lightning. A man can patent a water wheel, but he cannot patent the water, or say to the water you cannot turn any other wheel but mine. A man may patent a wind-mill, but not the wind, and any man who can make a better mill may use the same wind, because we do not get our entire stock of wind from the patent office or from the attorneys on the other side. Wind is the free gift of politicians, and looking at the lawyers of the Bell people, without wind where would you case be?"

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Herr Strauss, the composer, is a clever hand with the pencil and delights in making caricatures.

Baby King Alfonso XIII is suffering from epilepsy, a hereditary disease in his mother's family, the Hapsburgs.

Mr. P. D. Armour, the Chicago millionaire, has gone to Carlsbad, Germany, for the benefit of his health. Before leaving he gave each of the clerks in his office an order for a new suit of clothes. Orders were given on one tailor alone for over \$1,600, and there were smaller orders on several others.

A Philadelphia servant has distinguished herself by an original sort of private theatricals. While her mistress was away she attired herself in the best dress of the lady of the house, made calls upon strange ladies and invited them to return her courtesy. When they called she entertained them appropriately, showed them over the house and felt provoked because her girl had gone out. The farce continued for some time.

Prince William of Prussia, since his recent removal from Potsdam to Berlin, has ceased to be the holder of a season ticket on that branch of the railway. As an economical "pater familias," he preferred to subscribe for a first class return ticket as a reduction rather than to pay the regular tariff rate, the company courteously holding a first class car at his disposal. His wife, who has had far less occasion to go to Berlin, never took a commutation ticket, but paid the regular fare as she went or came.

Famous men all have fixed notions about certain remedies for diseases, or about things one ought not to take as remedial agents. Mr. James G. Blaine is strongly set against Turkish baths. He believes they are pernicious stirrers up of otherwise well ordered systems, and openly declares that they are not good for either man or beast. Col. Ingersoll pins his faith to bicarbonate of soda as a cure all. "I declare," he said, when telling what a wonderful thing it is, "I wouldn't like to sprinkle bicarbonate of soda on the grave of an enemy. It is so efficient I am afraid it would bring him up."

If Louisa M. Alcott had a pet aversion, it perhaps was the morbid, the introspective; her impatience with any literature that encouraged the young, and especially young girls, to "peer and pry into the state of their little spiritual insides," was sometimes rather "vitriolic," as George Elliot would say, in its expression. She pronounced the Wordsworth maxims, "To look outward and not in" and "to lend a hand" to be "sound mental hygiene." Like all strong hearts she honored strength in others, and sometimes resented its opposite. Once I remarked with some surprise on the evident enjoyment of an almost exclusively feminine tea party by a gentleman of our acquaintance, and I vividly recall the sudden flash of her eyes, and smile, as she said: "Oh, yes; but he's not a man; he's a transmigrated pussy cat; it's his mission in life to sit in a corner and purr affably!"

A Foremen's Association.

An organization just formed in Pittsburg is called the Foremen association, and consists of foremen from every large industry in the city, from the iron mills to the paint shops. Its object is to secure a suitable reading room, library, gymnasium, and especially a lecture hall, "where new ideas, both theoretical and practical, may be exchanged;" to secure places for skilled workmen in all trades; to inaugurate a system of visits to the principal shops and mills for the interchange of suggestions and comment, and for the general advancement of the interests of the foremen themselves, of the employers for whom they work, and the men whom they direct. It is the intention to make the organization a national one.—New York Sun.

Want to Change Their Color.

A few nights ago a party of colored men were hunting coons near Ocala swamps, in the southern part of Georgia. Zeke Mason, one of the party, while attempting to cut a tree that a coon was supposed to occupy, cut a deep gash in his leg. His first act was to run to a marshy, stagnant pool near by, and gathering handfuls of the slimy mud, poulticed this wound, thereby obstructing the flow of blood. The next day the wound had healed, and the entire part of the leg on which the mud had been placed had turned almost white. Colored people from far and near are now making pilgrimages to the pool and daubing themselves with mud in the hope of becoming white.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

She Paid the Price.

Because Louisa M. Alcott received about \$100,000 from the sales of her books many a hopeful and inexperienced writer will imagine that literature is the highway to fortune as well as fame. Let them remember one of Emerson's nuggets of wisdom. That is, that we can take whatsoever we will if we but pay the price. Miss Alcott paid the price—it was a price few could pay. She began teaching school and writing stories when about 16, and although she loathed the teaching she was forced to keep on at it for fifteen years before her writings produced an income sufficient to enable her to depend entirely upon her pen for support.—New York Press "Every Day Talk."

A Voodoo Queen.

In a little one story frame dwelling in St. Paul, lives one of the most peculiar of women. She is a voodoo queen, and is absolutely worshipped by many of the colored people of St. Paul. She is about 55 years of age, as black as black can be, with short, kinky hair, and deep set, bloodshot eyes. She foretells the future, cures all ills, and can tell the lucky numbers that will win at policy. She has a peculiar song which she sings on Friday, and wears several amulets. Her influence over the colored people of the city is said to be simply wonderful.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Addition to the Letter Box.

A thoughtful patron of Uncle Sam's mail service, who complains that papers and packages, when placed on the top of letter boxes, are frequently blown away by the wind and lost, suggests that a wire basket or a like contrivance be affixed to the posts as a supplementary receptacle.

THE ELECTION.

Up to three o'clock this afternoon there had been 153 votes cast in the First ward; in the Second it was not learned how many votes were cast, but the prospect was good for Dr. Shipman, independent candidate for councilman, being elected. In the Third ward there had been 205 votes cast, but the contest for councilman was so close that no opinion could be formed as to who would be the coming man. In the Fourth ward there had been 201 votes cast up to 3 o'clock and the chances were in favor of Con O'Connor, democrat, being elected councilman. No idea about the vote for mayor could be formed, but it is thought that it will be very close.

'Way Back

Said a lady to our reporter today, "do they run steamboats up the Missouri past here?" "No, they do not," but Plattsmouth was in that line once, as the following notice clipped from a HERALD dated August 7, 1867, proves. It is also appropriate and amusing at present when we take into consideration the way revolutioners are flying around lately. "Also a nice hearse:"

Shannon's feed, sale and livery stable, Main street, Plattsmouth. I am prepared to accommodate the public with horses, carriages and buggies, also a nice hearse on short notice and reasonable terms. A hack will run to steamboat landing and to all parts of the city when desired.

A. O. U. W. Social.

No. 8, 81, and 84 lodges of A. O. U. W. will have one of their lodge socials at K. of P. hall on Thursday evening, April 5th. The social will be conducted as on former occasions and a good time is insured to all our friends who attend. COMMITTEE.

Elections are exciting, engineers are sympathetic, switchmen have switched off, but the Catholic fair will be held in Fitzgerald's hall tonight. "Go."

B. & M. Time Table.

GOING WEST. GOING EAST. No. 1, 5-20 A. M. No. 2, 4-25 P. M. No. 3, 6-30 P. M. No. 4, 10-20 A. M. No. 5, 9-25 A. M. No. 6, 7-30 P. M. No. 7, 7-35 P. M. No. 8, 9-50 A. M. No. 9, 6-15 P. M. No. 10, 9-45 A. M. No. 11, 6-35 A. M. No. 12, 9-35 P. M. All trains run daily by way of Omaha, except Nos. 7 and 8 which run to and from Schuyler daily except Sunday. No. 30 is a stub to Pacific Junction at 8:30 a. m. No. 19 is a stub from Pacific Junction at 11 a. m.

PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN.

FOR RENT.—A house of 3 rooms and 2 acres of garden for rent. Apply to C. M. Holmes, m31-d6

WANTED.—A good girl to do general household work. Good wages paid. Apply to Mrs. S. M. Chapman.

We have just received the best assortment of complete dinner, tea, chamber and commodes sets ever brought into this city. Call in and examine. No trouble to show our goods. m25-1w. M. B. MURPHY & Co.

FOR SALE.—On reasonable terms my residence on the N. W. corner of Elm and 11th Sts. Said property consists of 1/2 block with a good story and a half house of six rooms, two ward-rooms and one bath; good well and city water; twenty-seven bearing apple trees, and an abundance of small fruit of all kinds. P. D. BATES.

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Read the reason why you should purchase lots in South Park, on page 4. 617

C. F. SMITH, The Boss Tailor.

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Has the best and most complete stock of samples, both foreign and domestic woolsens that ever came west of Missouri river. Note these prices: Business suits from \$16 to \$35, dress suits, \$25 to \$45, pants \$4, \$5, \$6, \$6.50 and upwards. Will guaranteed a fit.

Prices Defy Competition.

A. S. SULLIVAN, Attorney at Law. Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to him. Office in Union Block, East side, Plattsmouth, Neb.

Notice of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing and known under the firm title of R. R. & T. P. Livingston, is hereby changed to Drs. R. R. Livingston & Sons, the junior member, Rufus R. Livingston, Jr., having been taken into the firm, to take effect April 1, 1888. R. R. LIVINGSTON, Sr., M. D. T. P. LIVINGSTON, M. D. R. R. LIVINGSTON, Jr., M. D.

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We have these waists in White, Grey and Gold and the price to introduce them will be \$1.00. Sizes 18 to 28.

We also Carry a Full Line of the following Corsets:

Bortrees Duplex, Bortrees Skirt Supporting, Misses Corsets, Loomers Elasting Comfort Hip, Satin Corsets, F. C. Corsets, I. C. Corsets, C. P. Corsets. Our Cleopatra is the best \$1.00 corset ever thrown over any counter; our 750 French Wove at \$1.50 cannot be duplicated in this city; our Blanche Extra Long Corset at \$1.50 is a bargain; Childrens Corset Waists at 45 and 65 cents.

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One Door East First Nat'l Bank.

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-minutes 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 Plattsmouth, 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. Faught, 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 others are 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

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