FIRST YEAR

PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA, TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 10, 1888.

NUMBER 172

CITY OFFICERS.

| Mayor, | * | 100 | 1 | J D SIMPSON |
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| Clerk. | .m.; | * | | - CH SMITE |
| Treasurer, | | | | J H WATERMAN |
| Attorney. | 201 | 100 | | BYRON CLARK |
| Engineer, | | | | - A MADOLE |
| Police Jud | Ko. | | | J S MATHEWS |
| Marchall, | | -35 | 0.01 | - W H MALION |
| Councilme | n, 1st v | vard, | IA | V WECKBACH W WHITE |
| | 2nd | ** | | M JONES M WEBER |
| | 3rd | 4 | | B MURPHY W DUTTON |
| | 4th. | ** | 1 15 | S GREUSEL MCCALLEN, PRES |
| Beard Pub | . Works | J W FRE | Joi D G | HNS 'N, CHAIRMAN OBDER WKSWORTH |

COUNTY OFFICERS.

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| Treasurer, - D. A. CAMPBELL |
| Deputy Treasurer THOS. POLLOCK |
| Clerk BIRD CRITCHFIELD |
| Deputy Clerk EXACRITCHFIELD |
| Recorder of Deeds W. H. Pool. |
| Deputy Recorder - JOHN M LEYDA |
| Clerk of District Court, W. C. SHOWALTER |
| Sheriff J. C. EIKENBARY |
| Surveyor, A. MADOLE |
| Attorney, ALLEN BEESON |
| Supt. of Pub. Schools, - MAYNARD SPINK |
| County Judge C. Russell |
| BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. |
| A. B. Topp, Plattsmouth |
| Louis Foltz, Ch'm., Weeping Water |
| A. B. DICKSON, Eimwood |

CIVIC SOCIETES.

CASS LODGE No. 146, 1. O. O. F. -Meets cevery Tuesday evening of each week. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend.

PLATTMOUTH ENCAMPMENT No. 3, I. O. O. F., meets every alternate Friday in each month in the Masonic Hall. Visiting Brothers are invited to attend.

TRIO LODGE NO. 84, A. O. U. W.—Meets
overy alternate Friday evening at K. of P.
hall. Transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend. F. J. Morgan, Master Workman;
E. S. Barstow, Foreman; Frank Brown, Overseer; I. Bowen, Guide; George Housworth,
Recorder; H. J. Johnson, Financier; Wash.
Smith, Receiver; M. Maybright, Past M. W.;
Jack Daugherty, Inside Guard.

CASS CAMP NO, 332, MODERN WOODMEN
Of America — Meets second and fourth Monday evening at K. of P. hall. All transient
brothers are requested to meet with us. L. A.
Newcomer, Venerable Consul; G. F. Niles,
Worthy Adviser; D, B. Smith, Ex-Banker; W.
C. Willetts, Clerk.

| DLATTSMOUTH LODGE N | O. 8, A. O | . U. W | ř. |
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| Meets every alternate Fr | | | |
| Rockwood hall at 8 o'clock, All | | | |
| ers are respectfully invited to | o attend. | L. 8 | š. |
| Larson, M. W.; F. Boyd, F. | oreman : | S. C | Į, |
| Wilde, Recorder ; Leonard And | lerson, Ov | erseer | Ċ, |
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| J. W. JOHNSON | Commander, |
| C. S. Twiss Senio | r Vice " |
| F. A. BATES, Junior | |
| GRO, NILES | Adjutant. |
| HENRY STREIGHT | Q. M. |
| MALON DIXON | officer of the Day. |
| CHARLES FORD, | " Guard |
| ANDERSON FRY | Sergt Major. |
| JACOB GOBBLEMAN Quar | ter Master Sergt. |
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| Fire Association-Philadelphia, | | 4,415,576 |
| Franklin-Philadelphia, | ** | 3,117,106 |
| Home-New York. | ** | 7,855,509 |
| Ins. Co, of North America, Phil. | ** | 8,474,362 |
| Liverpool&London & Globe-Eng | ** | 6,639,781 |
| North British & Mercantile-Eng | ** | 3,378,754 |
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Cor. 12th and Granite Streets. Contractor and Builder gang of counterficiters at work in this linear foot. Sept. 12-6m.

A CENERAL WALKOUT.

Chairman Stevens Says Nearly All "Q" Employes Will Strike Soon.

KANSAS CITY, April 10 .- Chairman Stevens, of the strike committee, said today he had received important information from Chicago to the effect that from now out the strike would be confined exclusively to the Burlington road, and that the fight from now out would be to a finish.

"What does that mean."

"It means that before Saturday night the switchmen, brakemen, yardmasters and shop men will go out. The yard masters at Chicago went out yesterday. The Knights of Labor are now with us and the places cannot be filled."

"Will the strike extend here, or will i be confined to Chicago!"

"It will reach to every branch of the Plattsmouth Gas Co., gas and gas road. Chief Arthur is now assembling the executive committee of the brotherhood at Cleveland to raise the assessment of the brotherhood men so as to give us more money."

Mormons in Northern Chihuahua. EL Paso, Tex., April 9.—There is a heavy immigration of Mormons into the valley of the Casas Grandes River, in Northern Chihuahua. They have already several settlements there, which are usually flourishing and prosperous. They enter into all kinds of pursuits-stock raising, mining, but principally in agriculture. They have for two years past tried to raise the staple crops of the country without irrigation, and have succeeded admirably, although they may have met with exceptionally favorable seasons. At all events they believe that they can raise crops and carry on a general system of agriculture without irrigation and by depending entirely on the rainfall. If the Mormon population of the Casas Grandes Valley increases much more a railroad from there to El Paso will assuredly be built.

The Pope to the President.

Washington, April 10 .- Pope Leo ha sent a letter to President Cleveland, thanking him for the jubilee present of a copy of the constitution. The communication was handed so the president by Cardinal Gibbons. The pope speaks of the great distinction of receiving from the ruler of a free people a gift which he and never expected to be sent him, and expresses his appreciation of the appropriatness of the present. The pope wishes peace and prosperity, and prays-for the American people and their country, the perpetuation of their institutions of liberty, and the plentitude of God's fa-

A Sweeping Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 10 .- A bill, general in its character, forfeiting all lands opposite railroad lines not completed within the time specified by law, was agreed to by the house committee on Pacific silroads today.

Four bills have been reported by the committe. The bill agreed to today is intended to cover all unearned railroad land grants not included in those measures, and the committee estimates the land recovered under all of the bills will amount to about fifty million acres.

Firemanand Brakeman Killed.

CORRINZO, Ariz., April 10.-Last evening about 8:30, as a west-bound freight on the Atlantic & Pacific was nearing this place, the engine became derailed and plunged down a steep embankment. Frank Ashton, the fireman, John Bell, a brakeman, were killed. The engineer jumped and escaped without injury. Ten cars were badly wrecked.

Red Cloud's Straat Railway.

RED CLOUD, Neb., April 10.-Red Cloud feels decidedly metropolitan over the fact that her first street railway was commenced today by laying track on Forth avenue. With the street railway and Missouri Pacific and high ligense for the ensuing year the prospects are good for a big boom. The track will be completed as fast as possible.

A Bridge Cives Way.

PENDER, Neb., April 10 .- Last evening as a herd of cattle were crossing the Logan bridge at this place, it gave way in consequence of misplacement by the late floods and ice. A number of cattle were precipitated into the water but most of them were got out alive.

counterfeits in Circulation.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 10 .- A large number of counterfeit silver dollars have been found in circulation in this city, but as yet no one has been caught possessing them. It is believed there is a Co., of Milwaukee, Wis., at \$4.84 per

COUNTY LEGISLATION.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB., April 3, 1888. County commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, A. B. Todd, A. B. Dickson and Lauis Foltz, commissioners; B. Critchfield, county clerk.

Minutes of March meeting read and were audited and allowed:

Johnson Bros., roof on county building and sundries, \$111 45 Wm. Herold, mdse to poor,.... A. V. Robinson, salary as county physician at Louisville, 12 55 M. B. Murphy, mdse to paupers, 15 50 W. H. Poel, expense account as David West, collecting taxes, ... 205 54 . C. Eikenbary, guarding prisoners and summoning jury, ... 103 50 fixtures, three bills, Gazette-Journal Co., tabs for commissioners book,.... Frank Carruth, repairing clock for county judge, M. Spink, salary and expense Bird Critchfield, balance on asses-

sors books and expense acct... 142 03 Asher Clark, mdse to jail and court house,..... A. Madele, work on plat books Allen Beeson, salary and rent of W. H. Malick, boarding prisoners 33 25

Daniel Smith, damage on road

justice of the peace in Rock Bluffs precinct accepted and upon petition D. W. Curtis was appointed to fill vacancy Chas. W. Tracy was appointed constable for Rock Bluffs precinct.

Representatives of two firms manufacturing road machines being present the following resolution was made.

Resolved, That we extend to Gould & Austin of Chicago and all other firms their respective machines in a field trial Monday April 30, 1888, at or near Plattsmouth, Neb., and that we agree to purchase at least three of whichever machine in our judgment will be best

suited to our purpose.

Petition of Stephen Hulfish of Wabash as per statute of Nebraska, for a druggist's permit to sell malt, spiritous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes was examined and a permit granted as petitioned for. Claim of W. R. Medley for damages n loss of team falling from bridge near South Bend, Cass county, was refused. Board adjourned to meet April 4.

April 4, 1888. Board met persuant to adjournmentfull bourd present. The following was done, to-wit :

The viewer appointed to view a road petitioned for by J. H. Bellows and others, commencing sixty rods east of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Sec. 36-11-11, running thence west on section line sixty rods, thence south to Eldora avenue in village of Weeping Water, asked to reconsider his report on said route. The request was granted and the following change in report was made : 'That the portion running south to Eldora avenue be located six feet farther west than indicated in said petition, as the road as petitioned for would seriously interfere with the property of S. D. Fitchie of said villiage."

The road petitioned for by J. M. Lloyd and others beginning at the southeast corner of section 24, township 10, range 14. running thence west one mile was granted, except the west one-half mile shall be located south of section line. The road overseer is therefore authorized to open said road and work

the same. The following claims were audited and allowed: P. D. Bates, work on court house,\$ 30 75

James Root, viewing road, Cyrus Able, viewing road Silas Clemmons, viewing road, . . 5 80 C. W. Pierce, building bridge on county line between Cass and

for pauper, Otoc county, Neb., costs of in-Newell & Co., erroneous taxes Cost bill of Kate O'Rourke, in-

Joshua Lynn, mdse to paupers, . 10 00 Knetts Bros., printing sundries,.. 54 50 Appointment of Je-se Root as deputy

county attorney accepted and bond filed. Claim of Plattsmouth Loan and Building Association for erroneous assessment of stock, examined and refused.

bridges for the ensuing year having ar ine manufactured only by John O. Well rived said bids were opened and the & Co., 862 W. Madison St. Chicago, Its centract was let to the Milwankee Bridge | Sold by W. . J Warrick.

Board adjourned to meet April 5th.

April 5, 1888. Board met pursuant to adjournmentfull board present; Bird Critchfield,

county clerk. The following was done, The petition of W. S. Waters and 52

other citizens of the town of Elmwood to incorporate said town as a village under chapter 14 of revised statutes of Nebraska was granted and the following trustees were appointed: A. B. Dickson, approved, after which the fellowing bills George Hatch, N. R. Hobbs, S. D. Eels and W. S. Waters.

On recommendation of E. R. Todd and others the county commissioners hereby notify the road overseer of district No. 1 to proceed i.nmediately to remove the obstruction or dam which stops the water from flowing across the public highway near the farm of one Louis

Dagendopher in said district. Claim of J. J. Menroe by Attorney W. S. Wise for erroneous taxes paid re-examined and refused.

Bill of costs in case of Wesley Baker, deceased, for \$250 was examined and

amount allowed on hill \$107 The following claims were allowed: Cost bill of State vs. C. E. Stubbs 7 20 I. S. White lumber for bridge . . 29 28 A. J. White erroneous tax sale., 49 27 W. C. Showalter desk for office 30 00 A. B. Dickson salary and expense Beardsley, Clark & Co. lumber

case instituted without consent of County Attorney, was examined and refued. Claim of Chase & Churchil funeral expense of pauper..... 29 00 C. L. Graves mdse to paupers ... 23 00 E. G. Dovey & Son same 22 43

J. V. Weckbach mdse to jail Board adjourned to meet May 1, 1888. A. B. Todd, A. B. DICKSON, Com.

Louis Foltz. BIRD CRITCHFIELD, County Clerk.

FACE TO FACE.

If my face could only promise that its color would remain. If my heart were only certain it would hide the

moment's pain,
I would meet you and would greet you in the old familiar tone. And naught should ever show you the wrong that

If my trembling hand were steady, if my smiles had not all fied, If my eyes spoke not so plainly of the tears they

often shed, I would meet you and would greet you at the old sweet trysting place, And perchance you'd deem me happy if you met me face to face.

If the melody of spring tide awoke no wild re-If the autumn's golden burden awoke no living

I would meet thee, and would greet thee, as years Before our hearts were shipwrecked, on the ocean

If my woman's soul were stronger, if my heart were not so true.

I should long have ceased remembering the love I had for you;

But I dare not meet or greet thee, in the old familiar way, Until we meet in heaven, when tears have passed

Central American Coast Traffic. Most of the coastwise traffic, the carrying of goods of American or European production, to the various trading posts along the shore, and the bringing back fruits, rubber, sarsaparilla, palm nuts, skins, and such other products as the Indians gather in the forests lying eastward from Trujillo, is done by the aid of dories. These are no more than canoes, hollowed and hewn from Spanish cedar, mahogany or other trees. Some of them are of good size, six or seven feet beam, forty or fifty feet over all and four or five feet deep. Of course they are bnoyant, and under the management of the Caribs make good weather of it even in rather rough water. But on a wind they slide as fast to lee-ward as they forge ahead. I am not sure that they do not, as a matter of fact, go two miles to leeward for every one they go ahead, with a head wind. Of course they are practically useless, except when the wind is fair.—E. W. Perry's Hon-

duras Letter in Chicago Times.

The Gray Hair Puller. Possibly the most unique method of earning a living known is that adopted by a big, rosy, 20-year-old blonde, who finds engagements with women just lamenting their first gray hairs, to weed out, so to speak, those obnoxious reminders of advancing years. The gray hair puller is gentle in her methods of treatment, and makes periodic visits at intervals of a few weeks, spending from haif an hour to two or three hours, letting down the hair, combing it out and spying for tell tale silver threads. She carried an innocent looking little reticule, which contains various glycerine and rose water preparations for a healing application when the work of torture has been done. It is not especially disagreeable work, and it is said to pay.—Kansas City Journal.

\$500 Reward.

We will pay the above reward for any case of liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache, indigestion, constipation or costiveness we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. Cost bill of State vs. Ed. McCombs They are purely vegetable, and never examined and refused, as the case was fail to give satisfaction. Large boxes instituted without consent of county attorney.

The time of opening bids for building counterfeits and imitations. The genu-

> Fire Insurance written in the Ætna, Phœnix and Hartford by Windham & Davies,

The Drylight Store.

Just after our inventory, we reduce prices to sell the goods rather than to carry over. We are willing to sell our entire Winter Goods at cost. Staples we have a large quantity and offer them very low. Calicos 3 to 5 cents per yard, making the best standard of them at 20 yards for \$1.00. Gingham best dress styles 10 cents per yard. Dress goods all kinds at the very lowest prices, from 5 cents per yard upward. Woolen hose we offer at cost, extra fne. Ladies cashmere hose, worth \$1.00, now 75 cents, fine heavy wool 40 cents, now 25; children's fine ribbed worth 50, now 30. Under wear must go at low prices, as we will not keep them over.

Our Conto Silver Clear Merino Shirts and drawers, former prices 50 now 35. Our Gents Silver grey marino shirts and drawers, extra quality 75 now 50.

Our Scarlet all wool shirts and drawers fine quality \$1.00 now 75 cents. Our scarlet all-wool shirts and draw-

ers, fine quality \$1.25 now 1.00. Our scarlet all-wool shirts and drawers, fine quality \$1.75 now 1,25.

Our scarlet all-wool shirts and drawers, fine quality \$2.00 now 1.40.

Ladies' - Underwear, EQUALLY AS CHEAP.

Our 25 per cent. discount on cloaks, is still good. We are determined to close out our entire stock and never before has such an opportunity been offered to economical buyers to purchase the best qualities for so little money.

Joseph V. Weckbach.

MOTICE

As per previous announcement, we had fully determined to discontinue business in Plattsmouth and so advertised accordingly and now, as sati-factory arrangements have been perfected for the continuance of same under the management of Mr. J. Finley and P. F. Ruffner as book-keeper and cashier, we herewith notify our friends and patrons of our final decision and kindly solicit a continuance of your kind patronage, so treely extended during the past sixteen years, by the addition of competent clerical force.

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