

The Evening Herald.
PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

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CITY CORDIALS.

—The case of Ellis and Archibald who were arrested for robbery, will be brought up in court tomorrow at 1 o'clock.

—The quarterly services which were to be held in the M. E. church on Sunday last, were postponed until Sunday, the 6th.

—Wm. Albin, a boy sixteen years of age was brought before Judge Russell today and was sentenced to the reform school.

—Work in the Initiatory degree tonight in Cass Lodge No. 146, I. O. O. F. Members of the degree staff are expected to attend. May 1, 1888.

—Don't forget the Y. L. R. R. A. social tonight at K. of P. hall. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Admission ten cents; ice cream and cake fifteen cents.

—Dr. Salisbury is fixing up his office in good shape. He is papering and cleaning house and the room has a brighter appearance than it had a few days ago.

—Notice is given in the advertisement of F. Herrmann & Co., on this page of THE HERALD, that a dissolution of partnership will take place about the 1st of June, of that firm.

—Weber & Breckenfeld, saloon keepers, dissolved partnership yesterday. Breckenfeld will discontinue in that line of business, and Weber will take the business in his own hands.

—The case of the Connecticut Savings Bank vs. Samuel Schlottman, et. al. was before the district court yesterday, but owing to the non-appearance of their prominent witnesses, the case continued until Monday.

—A new musical society of young people has lately been organized. It is a singing society, and was first named a glee club, but it appears the Dutch element was too strong and it consequently assumes the name now of Saengerbund.

—The saloon of Peter Mumm was closed last evening, he having disposed of the business about the 5th of March. Possession will be taken immediately and the saloon will be opened again as soon as arrangements are made with parties to take charge.

—Maurice O'Rourke is making preparations, by disposing of all of his gents furnishings, to repair the building which he now occupies. It has been damaged considerably since the foundation has been removed from one side of it, which has damaged the shelving inside. After he has the room ready, he will have a new stock.

—A pleasant surprise was made for Miss Kittie Hartigan last Saturday evening in the way of a party. About twenty-one of her young friends were organized into a body, and after all arrangements were made they started for the residence of M. A. Hartigan, where they remained until a late hour, all participating in the usual amusements.

—The ladies of St. Luke's Guild held their social last evening at Mr. Leonard's art gallery. A large number of young and old were present, and all expressed themselves as having spent an enjoyable evening. Refreshments were served after all had thoroughly enjoyed the different games indulged in. The social was a success both socially and financially, and the ladies wish to thank Mr. Leonard heartily for his mark of generosity in donating to them the pleasant rooms which proved to be so favorable for the occasion.

—Richard Rivett left yesterday morning for Lincoln, where he intends to move his family and reside in the future. We are sorry to see Dick take his departure from his old home, Plattsmouth, but we hope he may be successful in his new adventure. The members of the Glee Club will ever remember him as a jovial fellow and the fun he has made for them but he can never be forgiven by a certain one of the members who suffered considerable agony on account of his weight resting on a prominent feature of his one night while the club was away from home.

—"You say you won't my daughter," said the proprietor of an Arizona newspaper to a young man who was sitting nervously on the edge of a chair and wiping his feverish brow with the office towel. "Yes sir. Have you spoken to her on this matter?" "She—she has referred me to you." "Is your affection for her deep and sincere?" "Sincere!" gasped the young man. "I pledge you my word I haven't slept a wink nor eaten a mouthful of victuals for six whole weeks for thinking of her." "George," said the father, after looking at him reflectively for a moment, "I think you may come into the family." "I need a young man of your capabilities to swear to the circulation of the paper.—Arizona Citizen.

Cass County's Candidate.

Capt. H. E. Palmer will undoubtedly be one of our next delegates to the Chicago convention, enough support has already been pledged him to make his success practically assured. We append below some further testimonials of the state press. The Oxford Standard says:

Capt. H. E. Palmer, of Plattsmouth, is being boomed by a great many state papers as a delegate to the national republican convention. The Captain was one of our early pioneers and has long labored for the best interests of his party and the progress of his beloved Nebraska. He would make a fitting representative of our rapidly growing state, and no one better than his Furnas county friends would like to see him get there.

The Tecumseh Chieftain voicing the sentiment of Johnson county says:

Capt. H. E. Palmer, of Plattsmouth, is receiving favorable mention for delegate at large from this state to the national republican convention. The captain is well qualified for the position and would prove an honest and capable delegate. We have no doubt but the old soldiers and republicans generally of this county would be glad to see him chosen.

The Fairbury Gazette leading republican newspaper of Jefferson county says: Capt. Palmer of Plattsmouth is mentioned as a probable candidate for delegate to the Chicago convention. We should be glad to see him chosen. He is an old resident of the state, a lifelong republican and one who would ably represent the party of this state on that occasion.

The York and Bradshaw Register Gazette speaking of delegates to Chicago convention says:

From the State-at-Large we are first last, and all the time, for Capt. Henry E. Palmer, of Plattsmouth. We are not in a position to know whether either of the gentlemen named desire the honor; but we do not that no better, truer men can be named. May it please the court, the coming presidential and lesser campaigns will not be prosecuted by the "boys" for health, nor fun, nor nonsense, but with the Logan battle-cry of "Put extra forty rounds in your knapsack," they mean business from this time on, and propose to make it hot for the Johnnies, politically, all along the line.

Many more might be added had we the space. One thing is evident, that Capt. Palmer is the choice of a great many good citizens of the state, and THE HERALD predicts his election as delegate by and an almost unanimous vote.

Y. M. C. A. Conference.

Considering the dismal and damp weather during the two days of conference, held at Council Bluffs, the meetings were small but full of enthusiasm. It doesn't require a big crowd of earnest Y. M. C. A. fellows to make a meeting interesting, because they aren't "long-faced Christians. If any young man wishes to enjoy himself he wants to join the Young Men's Christian Association. The order of exercises at this conference were as follows: Saturday afternoon session was held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms; the attendance was small but a good deal of interest was manifested. In the evening a number of enthusiastic speeches in regard to association work were made, in the Baptist church, by several secretaries of Iowa, and Mr. Jenner of Omaha. A good young men's prayer meeting was held Sunday morning at the Y. M. C. A. rooms and also an inspiring gospel meeting in the afternoon. An interesting talk was given by Mr. Pearce, general secretary of Sioux City, Iowa, to the men of Council Bluffs, Sunday morning at the M. E. church and in the evening at the Presbyterian church. Anniversary addresses, full of precious thoughts, were delivered in the evening by Rev. Dr. Phelps, at the Presbyterian church, and Rev. Crofts, at the M. E. church.

It is to be hoped the time will not be far hence, when Plattsmouth may have the pleasure of enjoying a Y. M. C. A. conference or convention. Mr. G. C. Jenner of Omaha has kindly consented to visit Plattsmouth in a few weeks, to give its men a stirring talk on the subject of Young Men's Christian Association work. He is a man of experience in this work and will undoubtedly have some good news for Plattsmouth men. E. J. WITTE, Gen. Sec.

A Sample.

As a sample of the general truthfulness of the statements made against the Burlington company, we append the following from the "red rag" organ of this city: "April 28—29, C. B. & Q.—The 'flyer' jumped the track going into Lincoln. The baggage car dragged along on its side."

The facts are from one who was aboard the train, that a part of the engine ran of the track, account a broken switch, but owing to the care and skill of the engineer no damage whatever was done to the train which after a delay of about thirty minutes went on its way. The baggage car was not even off the track. Remember a truthful statement of this matter will not appear in the Omaha Bee or its feeble imitator here. Fully four-fifths of the railroad accidents are "news-paper accidents" only.

Largest List, Best Terms and Lowest prices on lots, houses and lots, half acres, acres, five and ten acres. Property shown free of charge. Call and see me. Ride out and see if I cannot show you some BARGAINS. a201f W. S. WISE.

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There will be a change in our firm on or about June 1st, and in order to reduce our mammoth stock of

Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies Furnishings

to as low a figure as possible, we shall give the people of this city and vicinity the Grandest Opportunity to buy good goods cheap, they ever had. Everything in our stock will be marked down to Bed Rock Prices and sold for CASH ONLY. It is impossible for us to enumerate all of the bargains throughout our establishment but anything you want in our line we shall be pleased to show you and quote prices

SPECIAL PRICES IN SILKS.		SPECIAL PRICES IN BL'K DRESS GOODS	
Black surah, worth 90c	sale price 75	Satine sabel 40 in. wide 1.25	sale price 1.00
22 in. black gro. grain \$1.00	" " 82 1/2	" " " " 1.00	" " 85
Ladies brand " " 1.25	" " 1.05	Silk warp hennette 40	" " 1.00
Black figured Amure 1.50	" " 1.20	in. wide	1.20 " " 1.00
Black Guinet & Co's., 1.50	" " 1.20	All wool hennette 40, 1.25	" " 1.00
" " " " 1.85	" " 1.60	" " " " 46, 85	" " 72 1/2
" Gold medal Faille 2.00	" " 1.65	" " albatross 40, 60	" " 50
Colored surahs worth 90c	" " 75	" " cashmere 40, 50	" " 42 1/2
" water silk " 1.00	" " 75	" " serge 40, 65	" " 55
" velveteens " 60	" " 40	" " brocades stripes	" " 82 1/2
" " " " 75	" " 60	and checks 40, 1.00	" " 82 1/2
" " " " 1.00	" " 75	All wool buntings in stripe and check	effects 40 in. wide, sale price 37 1/2c.
Silk Velvets " 1.00	" " 85	Colored serges worth 90c	now 75
" " " " 1.50	" " 1.20	" " " " 65c	" 55
" " " " 2.00	" " 1.50	" " " " 75c	" 65
" " " " 2.50	" " 2.00	" " " " 65c	" 55
Striped Mohave velvets 1.25	" " 1.00	" " " " 50c	" 42 1/2
Fancy striped " 1.50	" " 1.20	" " " " 50c	" 42 1/2
Silk Plushes " 1.25	" " 1.00	" " " " 50c	" 42 1/2

Our Up Stairs Bargains

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| Cut prices on muslin underwear. | underwear. |
| Cut prices on ladies and childrens aprons | Cut prices on gents baltriggan and gauze |
| Cut prices on childrens white and colored dresses. | underwear. |
| Cut prices on long and short cloaks. | Cut prices on childrens angola and gauze |
| Cut prices on infants slips and robes. | underwear. |
| Cut prices on flannel and muslin skirts. | Cut Prices on Infants Knit Scaques. |
| Cut prices on ladies silk, lisle and gauze | Cut Prices on Booties Bands, etc. |
| | Cut Prices on Infants Embroidered |
| | Shawls. |

- Cut Prices in Hosiery and Parasols.
- Cut Prices in Buttons and Trimmings.
- Cut Prices in Corsets and Bustles.
- Cut Prices in Embroideries and Flouncings.
- Cut Prices in Table Linen and towels.
- Cut Prices in Jerseys and Spring Jackets.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

R. B. Windham and J. S. Mathews are in Omaha today.

Mr. J. S. Rouse, of Greenwood, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. S. Mathews.

Mrs. E. P. Rockwood has returned home from her visit to the New England States.

Mr. Irvin Armstrong and wife, of Creston, is in the city visiting his brother Mr. A. Armstrong.

—The contest between the road scrapers was had this afternoon, but it was too late for today's paper. We will give a full report of the contest tomorrow.

—The rising young clothing house clerk should send the same kid with his notes to South Park, as Mrs. — is very tired of directing the way to — twice a day.

—A tramp was arrested this morning about 11 o'clock by city marshal Malick, and taken to the cooler. The man insisted on entering a house on Fifth street where he was refused entrance. The woman to whom he made threats when she would not admit him, sent for Malick, who immediately returned with the boy and arrested him. He is now in jail.

Origin of Earrings.

By the way, talking of earrings, puts me in mind of an eastern legend which I heard a short time ago about their origin. When Hagar ran away to escape the wrath of Abram's wife, so the story goes, Sarai vowed that if her handmaid ever returned she would cause her to be mutilated, thinking thus to destroy her beauty and prevent her causing any further domestic infelicity. Time, however, had the effect of so cooling Sarai's wrath that when Hagar came back and pleaded with her she decided to forego her vengeance and restored her ex-handmaid to favor. But an oath was not a thing to be trifled with, and as Sarai had solemnly vowed to mutilate Hagar she was in a quandary to know how to do this without injuring her or marring her fair face. Finally she hit upon the expedient of piercing a small hole in each of Hagar's ears, and it is said that Abram, to offset the pretty handmaid's punishment, presented her with two beautiful jewels to suspend from the holes. Her appearance thus adorned so excited the admiration of the other women of the tribe that the wearing of earrings soon became general among them.—Jewelers' Weekly.

Metals of the Ancients.

The ancients were acquainted with seven metals which they supposed to possess certain mystic relationship with the planets, and were represented by the hieroglyphics by which the planets were known. Gold was called Sol or sun; silver, Luna, or moon; iron, Mars; lead, Saturn; copper, Venus; tin, Jupiter; mercury, Mercury.—Mining Review.

Compressed Air for Motive Power.

M. Victor Popp is making good progress with his system of distributing compressed air for motive power purposes in Paris. The works for compressing the air in the Rue St. Fargeau, at Menilmontant, are of considerable magnitude. They cover an area of 15,000 square meters, of which an extent of 2,000 meters is roofed over. There are already fixed and in operation seven steam engines of 400 horse power and two of 100 horse power each, a total of 3,000 horse power. The conduits have already been laid over the whole area comprised between the line of the boulevards and the Rue de Rivoli. These are sometimes laid in trenches cut for the purpose and sometimes in the sewers. The total length of the pipes laid was at the end of last December a little over thirty miles. This source of power is used for working electric light machinery in a large number of establishments, among which may be mentioned the Cafe Americain, the Cafe de Paris, the Cafe Anglais, the offices of The Figaro and The Jardin d'Hiver.—New York Graphic.

Pneumonia and Kindred Diseases.

The strong presumption is that much of the affliction is caused by what are called modern improvements in heating houses. Nothing has taken adequately the place of the chimney as a ventilator. Open flues have grown fewer and fewer, and the oven principle has been substituted in the halls as well as the rooms of the average ill ventilated household. To walk outdoors is to suddenly transfer the individual to another climate. The over or ill regulated heating has been accompanied by an increase of closet and other drains that the utmost care apparently cannot prevent from affecting the interior atmosphere. Our people have been made physically more tender in various ways. They ride in warm cars more and walk less than formerly. The elevator has robbed them of salutary exercise they used to take. Modern comforts, so called, and conveniences are probably being bought too dear. They should either be made better or used less.—New York World.

Burning Solid Petroleum.

According to The Revue Scientifique, Dr. Kaufmann has succeeded in solidifying petroleum by heating it for the space of half an hour with from 1 to 3 per cent. of common soap, until the latter has quite dissolved in the petroleum, forming with it a homogeneous mass of the consistency of tallow. Cut up in cubes, this compound can be used as fuel for heating purposes. It does not ignite easily, but when once set on fire it burns steadily, slowly and smokelessly, leaving a carbonaceous residue of about 2 per cent. of its weight. Solid petroleum burns three times slower than coal, but yields a greater heat than the latter.—Scientific American.

A Check on Dishonesty.

An inventor has patented an electric contribution box for church use. Whenever a button or piece of tin is deposited in the box an electric bell rings and informs the congregation of the fact.—Detroit Free Press.

NOTICE

We earnestly request all of our friends indebted to us to call at once and settle accounts due. We have sustained heavy loss by the destruction of our Branch House at Fairmount, Neb., by fire and now that we need money to meet our obligations, we hope there will not be one among our friends who would refuse to call promptly at this particular time and adjust accounts.

Trusting this will receive your kind consideration and prompt attention, we remain,
Yours Truly,
SOLOLMON & NATHAN.