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CIVIC SOCIETIES.

CLAY LODGE NO. 16, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Tuesday evening of each week. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend.
PLATTSMOUTH ENCAMPMENT NO. 3, I. O. O. F.—Meets every alternate Friday night each month in the Masonic Hall. Visiting Brothers are invited to attend.
TRIO LODGE NO. 84, A. O. U. W.—Meets every alternate Friday evening at K. of P. hall. Transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend. F. J. Morgan, Master; W. S. Barlow, Foreman; Frank Brown, Overseer; I. Bowen, Guide; George Housworth, Recorder; H. J. Johnson, Financial Secy.; W. S. Smith, Secretary; M. Maybright, Past M. W.; Jack Daugherty, Inside Guard.
CLASS CAMP NO. 322, 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. Willett, Clerk.
PLATTSMOUTH LODGE NO. 8, A. O. U. W.—Meets every alternate Friday evening at Lockwood hall at 8 o'clock. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend. J. S. Larson, M. W.; F. Boyd, Foreman; S. C. White, Recorder; Leonard Anderson, Overseer.
PLATTSMOUTH LODGE NO. 6, A. F. & A. M.—Meets on the first and third Mondays of each month at their hall. All transient brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. J. G. HIGNEY, W. M.
WM. HAYS, Secretary.
NEBRASKA CHAPTER NO. 3, R. A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month at Mason's Hall. Transient brothers are invited to meet with us. F. E. WHITE, H. P.
WM. HAYS, Secretary.
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C. S. BATES, Senior Vice
F. A. BATES, Junior
KENNY STEINER, Adjutant
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Attention Firemen.

All firemen are ordered to meet at their respective hose and hook and ladder houses at 9 a. m. sharp, Wednesday, July 4th in full uniform (those that have uniforms) and take their apparatus and proceed to form for parade as follows:

Hook & Ladder Co., Seventh and Main streets, left resting on Main.

F. E. White Hose No. 1, in rear of H. & L. Co.

F. M. Richey Hose No. 2, Sixth and Pearl, left resting on Sixth street.

Rescue Hose No. 3, Sixth and Pearl St., right resting on Pearl.

Wide Awake Hose No. 4, in rear Rescue Hose.

At the top of the bell the Hook & Ladder Co. and F. E. White Hose will proceed south on Seventh to Pearl street, east on Pearl to Sixth, (where they will be joined by F. M. Richey Hose, Rescue Hose and Wide Awake in the order named) north on Sixth to Vine, east on Vine to Third, south on Vine to Main, west on Main to Sixth, roll call, break ranks. Immediately after the parade the captain or foreman of the hose companies will cast lots for turns in the hose races, which will be run under the same rules as last year, three hundred feet to hydrant, attach, lay one hundred feet of hose, attach nozzle and get water. The prize will be the Silver Trumpet.

At the close of the parade the Dept. Sec. will call the roll of members and all absentees will be dealt with according to the constitution, which provides for a 4th of July parade.

The foreman of each company will make the pipe coupling and the assistant foreman of each company will make the hydrant coupling. By order of

Sto. C. Green, Chief Dept.

Fourth of July, 1888.

The program for the day will commence at daylight. Thirty-nine rounds will be fired by the cannoners, Sage and Black.

9:30 a. m.—Grand Firemen's Parade.

10:00 a. m.—Hose races on Main street, after which all are invited to adjourn to the old fair ground and partake of a picnic dinner in the grove.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM.

1:00 p. m.—Invocation of Divine Blessing, by Rev. H. B. Burgess.

Reading of Declaration of Independence, M. D. Polk, Esq.

Oration, Hon. O. H. Ballou, of Omaha.

3:00 p. m.—Great Ball Game, Plattsmouth vs. Lincoln.

There will be a dancing platform erected on the grounds, and under the supervision of the Fire Department all can enjoy themselves. Prof. Kolisky's string band has been engaged for the dance, and excellent music is promised, and with Sam Hinkle as caller guarantees good dancing.

Everything in the way of refreshments will be on the ground, in the booths, lemonade, ice cream, etc.

The grand display of fireworks in the evening at dark from High School Hill can be witnessed best from Main street.

Notice to Hose Team.

All members of the Rescue Hose Team are requested to meet in uniform at the hose house, at 8:30, Wednesday morning.

JOHN O'NEIL, Captain.

\$500 Reward.

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For the next 10 days we will sell wall paper at 10 to 20% below our present very low prices to reduce stock and raise money, also white lead at \$5.00 per hundred lbs. and Linseed oil at 60 cts. per gallon. Those owing us book accounts will confer a favor by making settlement at once. dt-wt. W. J. WARRICK.

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When your skin is dark and greasy.
When your skin is rough and coarse.
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When your skin is full of blotches.
When your skin is full of pimples you need a good blood medicine that can be relied upon. Beggs' Blood Purifier and Blood Maker is warranted as a positive cure for all of the above, so you cannot possibly run any risk when you get a bottle of this wonderful medicine. For sale by O. P. Smith & Co.

LIFE IN HOLLAND.

THE CURIOUS MATRIMONIAL CUSTOM OF "MARRIAGE BY PROXY."

The Wife's Legal Position—Wives and Daughters of the Lower Classes—The Railroad Watchwoman at Her Post. An Iron Social Rule.

A marriage by proxy, or, as it is called, "marriage by the glove," is prevalent in Holland, and is brought about by the fact that many of the eligible young men after having finished their education depart for Dutch India to engage in some lucrative commercial enterprise or to accept a position in this colonial service. The scarcity of marriageable white ladies in that climate induces the would-be husband to write to a friend in Holland, disclosing his wish for a wife.

The friend selects a willing young lady, generally one with a substantial dot and otherwise conforming closely to specifications of the letter. A photograph of the favored one is enclosed in the return epistle. After the lapse of a few months, a soiled left hand glove, with a power of attorney, is received from the far away bachelor. The friend in Holland marries the selected bride in precisely the same manner as if he were the actual groom, and the young wife departs in the next Indian mail steamer to bring happiness to the lonely one in the far east. A marriage of this description is as binding as if the bridegroom were present, and is never repudiated. If either party to the glove marriage should die before meeting in India the survivor would share the property of deceased in accordance with the law.

THE WIFE'S LEGAL POSITION.

The laws in Holland in regard to the legal position of the wife are very much behind the age, and the husband can do about as he likes with the person and the property of his helpmate. The laws are silent as to the wife's claim on the husband, but lawyers have held me that this apparent void in the law book is caused by the invariable devotion of the Hollander to his home and his inmates. Love for home, wife and children is nowhere more thoroughly illustrated than in the Netherlands, and cases of neglect to provide in every possible way are very rare in the land of dikes.

The wives and daughters of the lower classes try in every way imaginable to aid the husband and father in procuring a living. In summer you will observe hundreds of them on their knees in the public squares armed with a huge inch spike weeding the grass blades from between the stones, for which they receive twelve cents a day. Others are engaged in wheeling sand into outward bound merchant ships, to be used as ballast. You will see a woman pushing a wheelbarrow, containing about 200 pounds of sand, up a broad gangway inclined at least 30 degrees, at a gait so ponderous considering that the wheeler is of the weaker sex. You will often meet a small procession on the tow path of the river Amstel, consisting of mother and two or three children, harnessed to the tow line of the canal boat, very much in the manner of American mules. They hang, as it were, in the harness, and their swinging regular walk proves that a great part of their lives has been passed in this way. When the boat comes abreast you feel like using a rope's end on the father of the family, who, placidly smoking his pipe, sits in the stern steering the vessel, but your anger will cool when investigation shows that if he looks to the tow path and allowed his wife the helm, all danger of collision, etc., would have to be paid by him.

THE RAILROAD WATCHWOMAN.

You cross a railroad track and casting a glance along the iron path, a woman, dressed in red tunic and glistening helmet, waving a white signal flag, catches your eye. She is the watchwoman at the crossing. At every railroad in Holland this position is filled by a woman, and railroad officials have assured me that no accident has ever been caused by a watchwoman's carelessness. They receive twenty guildens (\$5) per month. A man would require double that salary and might get intoxicated once in a while. Distinctions in privileges between married and single women are so thoroughly established here by social custom as to be observed in the every day associations of the sexes. A native will readily disclose whether the couple walking on the street in front of him are married or not, this discovery being made easy by the strict adherence of the populace to the ancient custom compulsorily introduced into the country when under the iron rule of "Alva the Bloody." An unmarried woman always takes the right arm of her escort, while the married one selects the left side of her husband. So deeply has the custom entered into the life of Hollanders that at a church wedding the bride enters the edifice on the right side of the groom, the wife returning on the left side of her husband when the ceremony has been performed. No unmarried lady can dream of going to church, concert or any place of public assembly without the escort of parents or male members of her family. She cannot take a walk, pay a visit or go shopping unaccompanied by her mother or other chaperon. Until the betrothal of the young lady has been announced, she remains the sole charge of father and mother, and she makes acquaintances only in the presence of a third party.

Unmarried daughters in that country are chaperoned to all places of amusement. Even dancing parties are interspersed with singing, recitations, etc., for the amusement of the elders of the family, who sit around the tables, sipping their coffee, wine or other favorite beverage, while the young people dance. Here the young must make the best of their opportunities, for when it pleases the parents to go home the daughters also quit the gaieties of the ballroom.—Amsterdam Cor. New York Tribune.

A Court Dress in England.

The one article of court dress alone calls for the exercise of all one's intellectual powers. Like Mrs. Todgers' gray, it calls for anxiety and a sense of responsibility that threatens one with prostration. No man, save a play actor or a circus rider, or an ocean swell known as a mat officer, or an army revolver, known as such at Washington because of his powers as a round dancer, has the remotest conception of what a court dress is to the constitution.

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TORNADO POLICIES.

The present year bids fair to be a disastrous one from tornadoes and wind storms. This is fore-shadowed by the number of storms we have already had—the most destructive one so far this year having occurred at Mt. Vernon, Ill., where a large number of buildings were destroyed or damaged. The exemption from tornadoes last year renders their occurrence more probable in 1888.

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Miners' Cabins in Alaska.

Miners find no difficulty in keeping their cabins warm and comfortable by making use of Russian ovens, which are very simple to build, as they are made of stone, in the shape of a large box stove, from three to four feet long inside, from eighteen to twenty inches wide, and the same in depth, with an iron plate on top to cook on. The chimney is built of the same material. Miners who wintered here last winter and the previous winter went out every day to cut their regular firewood, and so far no severe cases of frozen limbs have occurred. Indians travel and live in brush houses all winter. They subsist chiefly on dried meats, caribou meat and fish.—Juncos Free Press.

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GOING WEST. No. 1—4:50 a. m. No. 2—1:25 p. m. No. 3—4:40 p. m. No. 4—10:20 a. m. No. 5—9:55 a. m. No. 6—7:13 p. m. No. 7—7:45 p. m. No. 8—9:50 a. m. No. 9—8:15 p. m. No. 10—9:45 a. m.

GOING EAST. No. 11—4:50 a. m. No. 12—1:25 p. m. No. 13—4:40 p. m. No. 14—10:20 a. m. No. 15—9:55 a. m. No. 16—7:13 p. m. No. 17—7:45 p. m. No. 18—9:50 a. m. No. 19—8:15 p. m. No. 20—9:45 a. 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.

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