

The Evening Herald.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

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CITY CORDIALS.

The Standard Theatre company will present "Fate" at the opera house to-night.

Officer Fitzpatrick shot a mad dog which attacked him on Third street this morning.

It is said that Mr. Polk has done as well as he possibly could after pledging himself to two parties. He has voted for both.

An appointment of administrator for the estate of John C. Rakes was made this afternoon about 1 o'clock, at the office of Judge Russell.

Walt Mason, the topics editor of the Lincoln Journal, was arrested the other night for singing, so he says in a few well chosen poetical phrases.

The annual Knights of Pythias banquet was held at Weeping Water last night, and according to reports the event was marked with success and extreme enjoyment.

We know that Mr. Sherman does not get mush and milk for his supper every night—if he has to depend on the cow he purchased at an auction a few days ago, for the milk.

The store room first door east of Golding's, which is being fitted up in first class style for a restaurant, is about completed, and Mr. Stadelmann will probably move in next week.

The three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stultz, of Valley Place, died about 3 o'clock yesterday morning of capillary bronchitis. The funeral occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

An auction sale will be held at the Stadelmann house next Saturday at 10 o'clock at which Mr. Stadelmann will dispose of his entire stock of household effects, such as furniture, carpets, etc.

The ladies of Cottonwood school house will give a necktie basket supper at that place Feb. 26, for the benefit of their minister, Rev. Taylor Surface. Everybody is invited to come and bring a basket.

A fine large bulletin board has been presented to the Young Men's Christian Association, which is a very handy and acceptable gift. It came in good time to announce the grand men's gospel meeting for next Sunday afternoon.

Some actor who will forget himself sometime and stand under the drop curtain at the opera house, will meet a sudden and unexpected death if the dust should jar loose from the curtain and strike him as it falls. Such a "Fate" would surely be his.

An assemblage of Dutchmen who opened up an argument the other evening on Main street commenced to "spout" in English. The English language became too clumsy for their tongues when their blood became warm, and to make speed they switched off onto their "Dutch" and as a result, five flew for a while.

The revival services which have been held at the Swade church for the past two weeks, have proved very beneficial and much good has been manifest. The meetings have been conducted by Rev. C. Nord, of Oakland, assisted by Rev. M. Hines, of Omaha. There have been several conversions since the meetings commenced. The services will probably continue the remainder of the week.

The Lincoln Journal says Mr. Pol will start an afternoon paper in Plattsmouth, and also makes a statement of the effect that he will rap the two paper which have been roasting him for some time pretty hard. It will surely be useless for him to attempt to clear himself through the columns of a sheet he made himself, as people are "onto him" already, and those who read such a paper will only do so through curiosity and for a little amusement. He has Polked his horns out too many times in the wrong direction already.

We received an anonymous letter this morning in regard to a house of prostitution in the first ward, kept by several parties, and it gives their names. The letter does not say whether all the parties are inmates of the house or not; it is signed "Many Citizens of the First Ward," and says if the city and county officers do not close the house, which is a nuisance, that the citizens will take the law into their own hands. We will say for the benefit of the public that the party keeping this house of ill fame was arrested last spring for keeping a bawdy house, she was fined and enjoined from ever using the house for that purpose again. If she has kept such a place since last May, it is in contempt of the District court, and if anyone will make complaint before the Clerk of the District court he will issue an order to the sheriff, who will immediately close the house, and we would advise the citizens to file such complaint before taking the law into their own hands.

PERSONALS.

Herrmann Puncany, of Louisville, is in the city today.

Mr. Fred Murphy, of Cedar Creek, is in the city today.

Mr. Henry Inhelder, of Cedar Creek, is in the city today.

Chas. Miller, of Cedar Creek, is in the city today on business.

Mr. F. Kuntzman, of Louisville, arrived in the city this morning.

H. E. Pankunin, the agricultural implement dealer, of Louisville, is in the city today.

Mr. Chas. Parmele, who has been in the city for the past two days, returned to Nehawka this morning.

Mr. J. W. Moore, of Dunville, Iowa, is the guest of his relatives in this city, Mrs. J. C. Eickenbary and Mr. Ed. Parrott.

Mr. Homer and Miss Carrie Houck, of Lincoln, brother of the late Henry Houck who was laid away yesterday, returned to Lincoln last evening.

Miss Allie Montgomery, who has been visiting her cousin, Mr. West Montgomery, at Hastings, returned home by the flyer yesterday afternoon.

Prof. Drummond attended the annual K. of P. banquet which was held at Weeping Water last night. He was highly pleased by the entertainment and thoroughly enjoyed his visit.

Mr. Frank Smith and wife of Burlington, Ia., arrived in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Henry Houck, which occurred yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Houck. Mr. Smith informed us that he will not return to Burlington, but he has not yet decided on his future location. We would be pleased to learn in the near future that he has returned to Plattsmouth to stay.

Fremont's Meeting.

A regular meeting of the fire department was held at the council chamber, on Monday night, the 18th.

The regular business of the department was transacted, and in addition a revision of the roll of members was ordered by the action of the department. All members who have left the city, and all who have not attended a meeting during the past year, were suspended from the roll and will not be entitled to any benefits of the department.

The secretary was instructed to notify all members who were delinquent three or more meetings, and report the same to the next regular meeting when the proper excuse will have to be rendered, or the equivalent—25 cents—for each delinquency, and at the next meeting all members at that time being delinquent three or more meetings will be liable to expulsion and liable to be expelled from the department, as the secretary will have to make a report to the council after next meeting, of all active members.

Matinee Prizes.

In addition to the fine dressed doll, valued at \$10, already announced to be given away at the matinee Saturday afternoon, there will also be a fine velocipede, valued at \$7, given away with the compliments of the opera house proprietor so as to interest both the boys and girls to come out to the matinee on next Saturday afternoon. Don't fail to see them now displayed in J. P. Young's show window. The company is worthy of good patronage, and at the popular prices they should have crowded houses nightly. Remember the prices are 25c for gallery, 35c admission, no extra charge for reserving. Children under 12 years, 15c. Matinee prices are 10c for children and 25c for adults, reserve seat tickets for matinee go on sale Friday morning. J. P. Young has a telephone if you wish to order reserved seats to be saved for you.

Building and Loan Association.

The board of directors of the Livingston Building and Loan Association will meet tomorrow night at the office of Skinner & Ritchie. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendance is requested.

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For some time it was thought diphtheria, which had become prevalent some weeks ago, was about extinct during the past two weeks, but according to the city register, the contagion broke out anew and is rapidly spreading. Since the 18th, there were nine cases reported. It is also stated that some are of a serious type. The following cases are reported: 18th, V. Bauer, F., 6 years of age, residence Vine street; 18th, McVey, F., 6 years, Sixth street; 18th, Beveridge, F., 6 years, corner Seventh and Elm; 19th, O'Rourke, M., 7 years, Sixth street; 19th, Bach, F., Third street; 19th, Anttil, F., 10 years, Main street; 19th, Routh, F., 11 years, Third street; 19th, Wainscott, 12 years, Chicago Avenue.

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Nebraska Jottings.

The county seat election in Banner county resulted in the choice of Harrisburg.

Gering has been chosen county seat of the new county of Scott's Bluffs by 85 majority over Mitchell.

The Chase County Champion announces that a number of the farmers are busily employed sowing wheat.

The Indians of the Santee reservation are out on their annual hunting and trapping expedition, and the houses are deserted.

A boom is expected at Gandy with the advent of the Sioux City & Denver and Union Pacific railroads, and business prospects are very flattering.

The Arlington Democrat publishes an "important notice" to the effect that all persons talking to employes of that office will be charged 50 cents per hour unless the conversation pertains to business.

Mr. Holleback of Omaha has become insane. He was a passenger on a train for a while a man jumped and killed himself, and the ocean rance so preyed on his mind that his brain became affected.

Mr. and Mrs. McGowan, a young couple en route from Chicago to Salt Lake City, did Landlord Pattie the honor to stop over for the express purpose of having their first pledge a little daughter, born under his roof, says the Sidney Telegraph. The affair was somewhat impromptu, but the mother is doing well, and the father is slowly recovering from his condition of profound astonishment. The ladies of the hotel have christened the little stranger Sidney Pacific.

Be wise and buy your overshoes of Merges.

Mrs. May Turner, wife of George Turner, who has been ill for the past two weeks with pneumonia, died this morning at 11 o'clock. It was thought last night by her physician that she might recover, but since then her condition has rapidly grown worse. She leaves a husband and three little girls to mourn her loss. She was thirty years of age. She was a member of the Methodist church and a devout Christian. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon from the home of Mr. Turner, Bay street, at 1:30 o'clock. A short service, which will be conducted by Rev. W. B. Alexander, will be held at the house. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

If you consult your own interests you will buy your foot-wear of Merges.

Prof. W. S. Woodruff, an expert penman, arrived in the city this morning. He has been kept busy, since he displayed a few samples of his work, in penning some beautiful designs on cards. His work can be seen at the Goos house. He is well known in Plattsmouth.

W. A. Snider, of Creston, Ia., has purchased the Riddle House barbershop. Mr. Fred Lockwood, of Glenwood, who was in the employ of Mr. E. I. Morley for some time, has accepted a position with him.

Our new and much talked of contemporary which is able to be sprung upon us without gloves in the near future, should be entitled "The Pink Defender." It will doubtless be a "Jo."

M. S. E. Karnes, a teacher of long experience, would like a class in music and will be pleased to state to any one calling at her residence on Grand street, between 5th and 6th.

Try Merges for your winter footwear.

Thought He Was Harrigan.

"How do you do, Mr. Harrigan?" was the greeting of Deposition Clerk Ryan, of the Lincoln police court, received here one evening.

"Very well," replied Mr. Ryan, who did not exactly get there with the meaning why he should be addressed as "Mr. Harrigan." Presumably he was being "guyed," he stood up to it.

"Brought your company with you?" queried the new found friend of Mr. Ryan.

"Partly."

"When did you see Tony Hart last?" "Oh! only a short time ago," replied Mr. Ryan, who by this time was drinking a small bottle at the expense of his friend, and helping himself to 25 cent Havana.

"Been a good season?" "Fair," answered Ryan, as another small bottle was uncocked.

"Where do you open next?" "In the United States court here in Albany," replied Ryan, as he coolly knocked the ashes from his cigar.

"In a court, Harrigan! Are you crazy?" "Not a bit of it. You are 'off,' my friend. I am not Ned Harrigan, but his double, and as for Tony Hart, don't know such a man. But who are you?"

"Hallen, of Hallen & Hart's combination, which is playing here this week. But who are you?" was the astonished inquiry.

"Eugene Junius Ryan, of Buffalo, sir. Here is my card. If you ever get locked up in Buffalo depend upon me to help you out."

More bottle. More cigars all around. Then Tony Hart came in. Looking squarely at Ryan, he said: "Well, I would swear that you were Ned Harrigan."—Albany Cor. Buffalo News.

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No. 3.—5:30 p. m.	No. 4.—10:00 a. m.
No. 5.—7:30 a. m.	No. 6.—7:30 p. m.
No. 7.—6:30 p. m.	No. 10.—9:45 a. m.
No. 9.—6:15 p. m.	

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