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BOOTS, - SHOES - AND - RUBBERS!

My Entire stock of Boots, Shoes, Rubbers and SlipPera Must Be Sold By April 1st. Whoever Wants to Buy Cheap, Come. Now is the Time.

I thank the Public for their past generous patronage, and will be pleased to see all my old customers and others to avail themselves of this rare opportunity of Cheap Goods.

All those knowing themselves indebted to me must come and settle by April 1st, as all my accounts will be placed in the collector's hands, and costs added.

PETER MERGES.

CIVIC SOCIETIES. CLASS LODGE No. 146, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening of each week. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

JULIUS PEPPERBERG, MANUFACTURER OF AND WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN THE Choicest Brands of Cigars, including our Flor de Pepperberg and 'Buds' FULL LINE OF TOBACCO AND SMOKERS' ARTICLES always in stock. Nov. 26, 1885.

H. C. SCHMIDT, (COUNTY SURVEYOR.) Civil Engineer Surveyor and Draftsman Plans, Specifications and Estimates, Municipal Work, Maps &c. PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

THE CHIN-KIANG RIOTS.

A Detailed Report Received at the State Department.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The department of state has received further details concerning the recent riot at Chin-Kiang. The trouble arose out of the stoning of a policeman in the British quarter by a crowd of boys and young men. It occurred on the Chinese New Year, when business was practically suspended and the streets thronged with idlers. The quarrel of the boys was assumed by the men and a general fight ensued. The report was current that a Chinaman had been killed by the police. Immediately an enraged mob attacked and burned the police station. The roadway was thronged with 20,000 rioters, who surged towards the United States and British consulates. When the situation became alarm...

An Ordinance

Levying a special tax and assessment on all lots within paving district No. 1 in the city of Plattsmouth, to cover the cost of paving and curbing Main street between the east side of Seventh street and west side of Second street in said city. WHEREAS, it having been, and being hereby adjudged, established and determined that the several lots hereinafter referred to have each been specially benefited by the full amount hereinafter assessed against each of said lots respectively, by reason of the paving and curbing of that part of Main street between the east side of Seventh street and the west side of Second street...

You Are Respectfully Invited

TO COME TO JOE'S Grand Spring Opening ON THE EVENING OF Friday, March 22nd, 1889, AT 8 P. M. THE Bohemian Band Will Play. Every Lady and Gentleman shall receive A Beautiful Present. Positively no goods sold on that evening, but

JOE Wants everybody to come and inspect the Largest, Nicest, Finest, Newest and Cheapest stock of

Spring and Summer Clothing Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Satchels, etc., ever brought to Cass county. READ JOE'S LARGE BILLS

Our First Spring Surprise! With New Goods at ELSON The One Price Clothier

- Men's and Youths' Suits, \$4.95, \$7.85, \$10.00. For Business, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$16.50. Boys' Long Pant Suits to 18 years, \$2.95, \$3.45, \$5.45 to \$13.50. Boys' Knee Pant Suits, \$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$3.45, \$5, \$6, \$7. Boys' Knee Pants 35 cts., 50 cts., 75 cts., \$1. Men's Merino Underwear 25 cents to \$2.50 a suit. Calf Shoes \$1.20 to \$5.00 a pair, Men's Latest Styles of Stiff Hats from \$1.50 to \$3.50.

All the Latest Styles in Shirts and Neckwear.

ELSON, The One-Price Clothier. Hard Worker for Your Trade. Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Dead on the Prairie.

RED CLOUD, Neb., March 22.—Alfred Brussard, a Frenchman living near Campbell, north of this city, mysteriously disappeared from home January 10 and all efforts to find him resulted in failure until yesterday. Tuesday evening John Hansen, living ten miles northwest of this city, discovered by accident, lying on the open prairie about one hundred rods from the road, the body of a dead man. Coroner Schenck was yesterday notified, and at the same time a courier was dispatched to Campbell to notify the brother of the missing Brussard. Accordingly yesterday the coroner's jury and witnesses went to the place and were met by the missing man's brother, who immediately identified the remains. The jury returned a verdict of death from fatigue and exposure and the remains were taken in charge by the relatives. The only clue ever obtained in the many searches made for the man was the finding of his boots, a lantern which he carried and a coat he had worn in various places on the open prairie. From his home to where he was found the distance is nine miles. He had been observed to act strangely a few days previous to his disappearance, but no watch was put over him. He was twenty-eight years old, well-to-do and married.

Nebraska and Iowa Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The following Nebraska postmasters have been appointed: William L. Jackman, Alceve, Sheridan county, vice D. F. Vanuleck, resigned, and Nathan T. Britton, Wood River, Hall county, vice John O'Connor, resigned. Joseph F. Cole has been appointed postmaster at Compton, Lee county, Iowa, vice W. W. Gilmore, resigned. John P. Yost has been nominated postmaster at North Bend, Neb.

America's Wheat Crop.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The March statistical report of the department of agriculture gives the result of investigation regarding the weight of wheat. The general average weight is 56.5 pounds, the lowest average for six years. In the spring wheat region the range is from 53.5 in Dakota to 55 pounds in Nebraska. It makes the crop equivalent to 391,000,000 bushels of 60 pounds each.

Naval Changes.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Secretary Tracy has ordered Commodore Benham to take command of the navy yard at Mare Island, Cal. Which position was made vacant by the departure of Rear Admiral Belnap to take command of the Asiatic Squadron. Rear Admiral Luce has been informed that he will be placed on the retired list on the 25th inst.

Table listing names and addresses of property owners, such as George Procter, John Fitzgerald, etc.

Notice of City Election. Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 2nd, A. D. 1889, an election will be held for the following city and school officers of the City of Plattsmouth: First Ward, One Councilman. Second Ward, One Councilman. Third Ward, One Councilman. Fourth Ward, One Councilman. Fifth Ward, Two Councilmen. The one receiving the highest number of votes in the Fifth Ward to serve for two years, and the one receiving the next highest number of votes to serve for the term of one year. Two Members of the School Board for the term of three years each. Said election will be held at the following polling places in each of said wards: First Ward at Recorder's office. Second Ward at Cass County Iron Works. Third Ward at office of Richey Bros. Lumber Yard. Fourth Ward at Waterman's lumber office. Fifth Ward at brick school house. And said polling places will be open at nine o'clock a. m. of said day, and close at 7 o'clock p. m. and no longer. Dated at Plattsmouth, Neb. March 9, A. D. 1889. F. M. RICHEY, Mayor. W. K. FOX, City Clerk.

Resident Dentist.

Dr. C. A. Marshall. Preservation of the Natural Teeth a Specialty. Anesthetics given for PAINLESS FILLING OR EXTRACTION OF TEETH. Artificial teeth made on Gold, Silver, Rubber or Celluloid Plates, and inserted as soon as teeth are extracted when de sired. All work warranted. Prices reasonable. FITZGERALD'S BLOCK PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

C. F. SMITH, The Boss Tailor.

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, \$3, \$6, \$8.50 and upwards. Will guarantee a fit. Prices defy competition. R. E. WINDHAM, JOHN A. DAVIES, Notary Public. Notary Public. WINDHAM & DAVIES, Attorneys-at-Law. Office over Bank of Cass County. PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.