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## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

**Absolutely Pure.**

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More easily and uniformly dissolved in water than any other. It is the only powder in the world that is absolutely pure. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 110 WALL ST. N. Y.

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CLASS LODGE No. 148, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Tuesday evening of each week. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to sit in.

PLATTSMOUTH ENCAMPMENT No. 3, I. O. O. F.—Meets every alternate Friday in each month in the Masonic Hall. Visiting brothers are invited to attend.

PLATTSMOUTH LODGE No. 6, A. F. & A. M.—Meets on the first and third Monday of each month at their hall. All transient brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

W. H. HAYS, Secretary.

CLASS CAMP No. 322, MODELIN WOODMEN of America—Meets second and fourth Monday evening at K. of P. hall. All transient brothers are requested to meet with us. W. A. Eneck, Clerk.

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. Davis, Secretary.

MT. ZION COMMANDARY No. 5, K. T.—Meets first and third Wednesday night of each month at Mason's hall. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. W. H. HAYS, H. P.

PLATTSMOUTH LODGE No. 8, A. O. U. W.—Meets every alternate Friday evening at Rockwood hall at 8 o'clock. All transient brothers are respectfully invited to attend. J. S. Larson, M. W.; F. E. Boyd, Foreman; S. C. White, Recorder; Leonard Anderson, Overseer.

TRIO LODGE No. 41, A. O. U. W.—Meets every alternate Friday evening at K. of P. hall. Transient brothers are respectfully invited to meet with us. F. E. Boyd, Foreman; F. H. Stelmaker, Overseer; W. H. Miller, Financier; G. F. Housworth, Recorder; F. J. Morgan, Secretary; Wm. Gahan, Guide; Wm. Ludwig, Inside Watch; L. Olsen, Outside Watch.

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Meeting Saturday evening.

### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ATTORNEY, S. F. THOMAS,  
Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public. Office in  
Fitzgerald Block, Plattsmouth, Neb.

ATTORNEY, A. N. SULLIVAN,  
Attorney-at-Law. Will give prompt attention  
to all business entrusted to him. Office in  
Union Block, East side, Plattsmouth, Neb.

### GROCERIES.

CHRIS. WOHLEARTH,  
Staple and Fancy Groceries, Glassware and  
Crockery, Flour and Feed.

### Revenue Estimate.

We, your finance committee, respectfully  
report the following estimate of monies  
which will be necessary to pay interest,  
debts and current expense for the ensu-  
ing fiscal year to wit:

Mayor and Council	\$ 500
City Clerk \$200, City Treasurer \$200	400
Board Public Works	300
City Attorney	350
Boarding City Prisoners	350
Printing	1,250
Incidentals	1,100
B. & M. R. R. Bonds	1,500
Streets, Grading and Bridging	3,000
Fire Hydrants Rental	5,000
Keaton Refunding Bonds	1,000
High School Bonds	3,500
Storm Water Sewerage Bonds	2,400
Intersection Paying Bonds	400
Fire and Water	600
Gas and Lighting	4,000
Total	\$27,400

Revenue for the fiscal year as reported  
by the city Treasurer to June 1, 1889,  
\$29,449.52.

Committee, A. SALISBURY,  
P. McCALLAN,  
J. D. SIMPSON.

Acute and chronic rheumatism can be  
effectually and permanently cured by  
the use of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup  
and Plaster. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

**NO SMOKE OR SMELL.**  
To the new COAL OIL Stove  
Just received at Johnson Bros.  
Call and see them. They will  
not explode.

### THE MEXICAN MULE.

A DISSERTATION INSPIRED BY M.  
SCHWATKA'S EXPERIENCE.

Some Peculiarities Which Make the Animal  
the Most Interesting Specimen of  
His Race—He May Be Indolent, but He  
Industriously Pays Old Scores.

The Mexican mule is a sort of cross  
between a mountain goat and a flying  
squirrel, with the distinct difference that  
his surplus electricity flows off from the  
negative pole instead of the positive, as  
with the goat. It is in its meanderings  
on the mountain trails that it shines res-  
plendent, but with a luster wholly its  
own, that can no more be compared with  
any other than can the flash of the dia-  
mond be compared with the fire of the opal.

A BLOOD CURDLING WAY.

On the mountain trail this distinct  
species of mule was never known to fall,  
although he has an exasperating and  
blood curdling way of stumbling along  
over it that would raise the hair on end  
of a bald headed man. Many a time I  
have watched the mule I was compelled  
to ride with a view of discovering his  
methods of trying to scare me to death,  
as payment for past injuries. Often-  
times the trail would lead past dizzy  
heights or cliffs, where one could look  
sheer down far enough to be death before  
he reached the bottom should he fall,  
and every few feet along the trail, of a  
foot to a foot and a half in width, it  
would have tumbled in a foot or so and  
again taken up the original inclination  
of the mountain, or about that of the  
leaning tower of Pisa. Here the mule  
would always be sure to stick one foot  
and stumble a little bit, but always re-  
gain its equilibrium at the next step,  
having clearly done it intentionally, and  
for no other purpose than pure capsi-  
ness. One can imagine the cool Alpine  
zeephyr that is wafted up the dorsal  
vertebra with sufficient force to blow  
the hair straight up on end.

If you have touched the beast during  
the last three or four days with the whip  
or dug into its sides with the spurs when  
it was absorbed in melancholy reflec-  
tions, it will be sure to remember it when  
you are climbing over the comb of a cliff  
3,000 feet high, and at the least move-  
ment of your feet or twitching of your  
fingers it will throw its head high in the  
air like a bound on the scent and go  
stumbling over every pebble and blade of  
grass on the dangerous way, evidently  
trying to make you regret that you had  
tried to punish so delicate a creature. At  
any other time you can turn double  
somersaults on its back, or act like a rav-  
ing maniac, and it will not increase its  
funereal march a foot a day as a result  
of your actions. Whenever a trail leads  
exceptionally near a cliff, before it turns  
on the reverse grade down or up hill, the  
Mexican mule never fails to go within an  
inch of the crest and let a hind leg over  
with a slight quiver as it turns around.  
All these mountain trails are full of little,  
round, hard stones about the size of mar-  
bles and larger, hidden underneath a car-  
peting of pine needles. These are liable  
to make a mule stumble if two feet are  
on stones at once; but this is very rare,  
and they are always so sliding over  
them on the slippery trails.

It is wonderful how these round rocks,  
hidden under the pine needles on the  
trail or off of it, will throw a human be-

ing prostrate if he dismounts a few min-  
utes to take a walk on a slope and stretch  
his stiffened limbs. Of course the mule,  
under headway, walks over them before  
it can stop. Hobnails in shoes, nor  
anything of man's make, help to avoid them.

A PLEASANT PASTIME.

There is another pastime in which the  
Mexican mule delights, and in which  
you wonder. It likes to deviate enough to  
go under every low branched tree on the  
trail, and so universal is this trait of  
character that the trail seems to lead  
from one low tree or vine to another,  
just as the mule seems a mind to make  
it. The dodging of limbs and branches  
among the pines, cypresses and oaks in  
the highlands was not so bad, but down  
in the tierras calientes, or hot lands,  
where brambly mosquito and thorny  
vines were tearing crescents out of your  
clothes until you looked like a group of  
Turkish ensigns, it was much more  
monotonous.

The beast I was compelled to ride had  
one ear cut off near the head and looked  
topheavy in the extreme. As a mule's  
ears make up a goodly portion of it, as  
seen in elevation from the saddle on the  
back, I was always frightened when he  
approached a cliff on the unbridged side  
and instinctively leaned in to counter-  
poise the heavy weight that I thought  
might drag us over the precipice. He  
was familiarly known by the party as  
"Old Steamboat," "Old Lumber Yard,"  
and other names indicating his charac-  
teristics, but he was large and so was I,  
and he fell to my lot. When I first saw  
his abbreviated auricular appendage, as a  
member of the society for the prevention  
of cruelty to mules, I felt incensed when  
I heard that it had been lost by the cut  
of a whip in the hands of a previous driver;  
but before we had been acquainted a  
week I had transferred all my sympathy  
from the mule to the man, whoever  
he may have been. On the level ground  
he was slower than the cook, who took  
fifteen minutes to wash a spoon, but on  
a perilous path of a half a foot in width  
on a dizzy precipice the way he could box  
the compass with the lone ear, so as to  
catch some faint sound at which he could  
get frightened at this inopportune time,  
made me wish I could cut off the other  
ear at the third cervical vertebra.—  
Frederick Schwatka's Mexican Letter.

His Only Hope.

Henry (married six months)—I fear my  
wife's love is growing cold. She used to  
come to the office two or three times a  
day, but she never comes now. What  
shall I do?  
Frank—Have you a typewriter?  
"No, but I can get one cheap."  
"Do so. Then get a pretty girl to oper-  
ate it and your office will be full of your  
wife."—New York Sun.

The Eiffel Tower.

The whole tower could be lifted by  
four men of average strength. The case  
has been proved. When it was about  
half its present height a few men actually  
did lift it. This is not humbug; the  
thing is perfectly simple. The construc-  
tion of the tower is based on the cantile-  
ver principle, and its bulk of 6,400 tons  
is so adjusted as to press on the founda-  
tion with less weight than that of a man  
in an armchair on the floor.  
Is the tower beautiful? No. But it  
has the erect, fragile looking elegance  
of an obelisk; not hewn out of red granite,  
but knit of dark hued meshes.—Emile  
Michelet in Paris Illustrate.

### THE BAZAR.

NEW GOODS ARRIVE DAILY

Complete in all departments. Handsome line  
of Neopolitan and pattern

HATS. RIBBONS. PLUMES. COLLARS  
CUFFS BELTS GLOVES  
FANS HANDKERCHIEFS SASH RIBBON.

We cordially invite ladies to call and get prices, we  
can save you money.

## MOORE & STUDEBAKER.

One door west of Joe's clothing store.

### Longfellow's Malaria,

who is—  
"Standing, with reluctant feet,  
Where the brook and river meet,  
Womanhood and childhood meet!"  
is a type of thousands of young girls  
who are emerging from the chrysalis stage  
of their existence, as they enter upon their  
"teens." Nervous, excitable, irritable,  
stirred by strange, unknowable forces  
within them, each a mystery unto her-  
self, our girls need the tenderest care,  
the most loving, patient oversight, and  
the aid of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescrip-  
tion, to safely carry them through this  
critical period, during which, in too  
many lives, alas, are sown the seeds  
of distressing forms of disease pecu-  
liar to the female sex. But this boon  
to womanhood will prevent all such  
diseases, or cure them if they have  
already seized a victim. Woman owes  
it to herself, to her family, and to her  
social station, to be well and strong.  
Let her then not neglect the sure means  
of cure. "Favorite Prescription" is a  
legitimate medicine, carefully com-  
pounded by an experienced and skillful  
physician, and adapted to woman's deli-  
cate organization. It is purely vegetable  
in its composition and perfectly harm-  
less in its effects in any condition of the sys-  
tem.

### Snow Flake Bread.

The best and cheapest bread made.  
Delivered daily by Hallie Johnson.  
Orders received as heretofore at M. B.  
Murphy's Grocery Store. Telephone  
No. 3 21-1w.

### A Comfortable Home

is one where a man that is weary can rest  
himself upon a neat sofa, if he is hungry  
he can go to the cupboard or safe and  
get something to eat, if he is thirsty he  
can draw a glass of cold water from the  
refrigerator, if he has company he can  
show them into a neatly furnished parlor  
and give them an elegantly arranged  
apartment, if the wife has sewing she  
can rest comfortably in a low rocking  
chair, in going out to call a fine dresser  
is at hand to arrange the appearance be-  
fore and there is always a hat rack in the  
hall to keep personal property on and a  
jar to receive the wet umbrella. Be  
comfortable and happy and furnish your  
house from the Furniture Emporium of  
HENRY BOEK.

Fine Job Work a specialty at THE  
HERALD office.

### JULIUS PEPPERBERG,

MANUFACTURER OF AND  
WHOLESALE & RETAIL  
DEALER IN THE  
Choicest Brands of Cigars,  
including our  
Flor de Pepperberg's and 'Buds'  
FULL LINE OF  
TOBACCO AND SMOKERS' ARTICLES  
always in stock. Nov. 26, 1888.

### Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received until noon on  
Saturday, July 6, 1889, at the office of the Board  
of Public Works for filling the holes or sinks  
along the line of the 4d creek, as follows:  
Lot No. 10, Block 22, about 120 cub yds  
Lot No. 12, Block 23, about 145 cub yds  
Lot No. 9, Block 23, about 150 cub yds  
Lot No. 8, Block 23, about 90 cub yds  
Lots No. 7 and 8, Block 24, about 180 cub yds  
Lot No. 6, Block 24, about 250 cub yds  
The earth to be taken from such streets, if it  
is the Board of Public Works may direct.  
Contract to be let to the lowest bidder; work  
to be completed within twenty days from the  
letting of the contract. The right to reject any  
or all bids reserved. Bids will be opened at 3  
o'clock p. m. on said day of July.  
J. W. JOHNSON,  
Chm'n Board of Public Works,  
June 15, 1889.

## Fifteen Thousand Dollars Bonus!

## SOUTH PARK AGAIN TO THE FRONT!

The owners of South Park hereby stipulate and  
agree that in the event of the sale of 200 lots be-  
tween June the 20th and Dec. 31st, 1889, they  
will appropriate \$10,000 and land in South Park  
valued at \$5,000 as a bonus and inducement for  
the location of some institution or industry in that  
part of the city.

2d. Lots will be sold at present prices, viz:  
\$150 for inside and \$175 for corner lots, and  
on monthly payments when desired.

3d. All sales where requested will be made  
conditional that the \$15,000 will be appro-  
priated as stated, otherwise the contracts of  
purchase be rescinded and money refunded.

The proprietors of South Park believe, that with a bonus of \$15,000 an important addition of out-  
side capital can be induced to invest in Plattsmouth, and with that end in view, are opening up an  
extensive correspondence. After selling 200 lots they will still have over 200 left, to be enhanced in  
value by the investment, and the general prosperity of Plattsmouth.

Every purchaser of a lot now, gets it at the same price that lots have sold for from the start and  
before the Park was settled, with the advantages. That it is now well populated, having churches and  
school house privileges; the city water mains extending to its limits, which assures water supply at no  
distant date; the location of the Fair grounds at a distance of only one-half mile; the extending of the  
corporate limits south of the Park three-fourths of a mile, leaving it the center of the new Fifth ward  
with a large population in the city council; the permanent and rapid growth of the additions imme-  
diately surrounding the Park, which is constantly exchanging the value of its lots; and with the un-  
paralleled proposition that unless a large sum of actual cash is invested in some industry for the  
increasing in value of the lots purchased, by Dec. 31st, your money will be refunded.

Remember, when you buy a lot in South Park for \$150 it is now worth as much as lots sold in  
some other portions of the city for \$250. Our policy is, low prices and easy terms, and the  
interesting of many persons in the Park by liberal means, to enhance the value of our reserve lots.

### OTHER REASONS FOR PURCHASING LOTS IN SOUTH PARK.

As a whole they are the finest lying lots in the city. They are situated with beautiful forest trees.  
They are located between Chicago and Lincoln Avenue—the two finest drives about the city.  
They are only a ten minutes' walk from the business portion of the town.  
By reason of their location between the two main thoroughfares into the city, they are more accessible than lots in other  
additions.

The only addition to the city reached by two established avenues.  
Will certainly have street car privileges at no distant date.  
If you wish a fine view of the river, locate on a lot in South Park.  
If you wish a slightly and picturesque view of Plattsmouth, it can be had from a South Park lot.  
To persons desiring a residence on Chicago Avenue, the western portion of South Park is the most desirable residence locality in the city.  
The E. & M. railroad track runs near the east line of the addition, furnishing good facilities for manufacturing, indus-  
tries which will come at no distant date.

About \$15,000 worth of this desirable property has been disposed of within a short period, and no part has been sold  
to outside speculators, which is solid proof of the substantial growth of this part of the city.  
More substantial bonuses were built in South Park during the year 1888 than in any one locality in the city, and the pros-  
pects for 1889 building are much greater.  
Any person or persons purchasing 20 or more lots and paying 1 cash, may have one and two years on balance without  
interest.  
The title of this property is perfect and clear from incumbrance.

## WINDHAM & DAVIES, Agents.

Over Bank of Cass County, PLATTSMOUTH NEB.  
PROPRIETORS: J. M. Patterson, Saml Waight, J. D. Tuttle, R. B. Windham.