

The Plattsmouth Herald.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1892

O. H. Snyder is still confined to his bed with the grippe.

The B. & M. pay car will arrive in this city to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Judge A. N. Sullivan was an Omaha passenger this morning.

Mr. J. Monroe and wife were passengers on No. 5 this morning.

Regular meeting of the city council to-night at the council chamber.

John H. Davis, of Weeping Water was in the city transacting business to-day.

Judge S. M. Chapman is expected to arrive home from Chicago Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Morrison are rejoicing over the advent of a nine pound boy baby at their home.

M. Horton, representing W. D. Messenger & Co., of Chicago, is in the city to-day in the interest of his firm.

The social given by Camp No. 31 I. O. O. F. had a good attendance and all present spent an enjoyable evening.

At a meeting of the Plattsmouth Building and Loan Association Saturday evening Tom Patterson was elected secretary.

Engine No. 174 became disabled at South Bend by losing a wheel. A crew was sent out to bring in the engine this morning.

John McConchie, of Eight Mile Grove has been awarded a certificate by the State Board of Health to practice medicine.

Miss May Murphy and Miss Chesswood, who have been visiting in the city returned to their home in Norfolk this morning.

The "Below Zero" company played to a fair audience Saturday evening. Arnold Grubb, as the tramp, played his part to perfection.

Mrs. A. E. Whittier, sister of J. H. Streight, of Oregon accompanied by her son T. M. Whittier, and wife, are the guests of Postmaster Streight and family.

The verdict: The grandest, the most wonderful, of America's gifted sons. The question is often asked, can it be possible those scenes are true as Mr. Morse depicts them, so tragic, so real?

Uncle Hiram.

In "Uncle Hiram," which play appears on our boards shortly, Mr. Woodhull has a special creation in the character, and it is a good one, for it is true to nature. There is no such thing as describing how irresistibly clever and funny is the character. The old farmer is as sharp and shrewd as they make, but in encountering city ways and holding his own against the crooks and gamblers of the metropolis, he gets into some very tight places, and had some intensely ludicrous experiences. It is a capital piece of acting all through. The villain is nicely portrayed by W. C. Talbot and it would be difficult to improve on the Bella of Miss Troja Griswold. This young lady is a bright singing and dancing comedienne of the Lotta type. J. K. Emmett says her German Yoddlie is the best he has ever heard for a woman.

A rare treat of pure fun in store for you at the Waterman next Saturday night.

Positively Declines.

James G. Blaine has come out in a letter to J. S. Clarkson, chairman of the national republican committee, and through him to the people of the United States, assuring them that he is not a candidate for the nomination for president of these United States. This means that Benjamin Harrison will be nominated by acclamation and elected by the largest vote of any of his predecessors. He will have the support of Blaine's followers, besides his own, which is more than he had four years ago. Benjamin Harrison will continue in office for the next four years. Following is the letter directed to the chairman of the national republican committee:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—Hon. J. S. Clarkson, Chairman of the National Republican Committee.—My Dear Sir: I am not a candidate for the presidency, and that my name may not go before the republican national convention I make this announcement in due season. Those who have tendered me their support I owe sincere thanks, and am most grateful for their confidence. They will, I am sure, make earnest effort in the approaching contest, which is rendered especially important by reason of the industrial and financial policies of the government being at stake. The popular decision on these issues is of great moment and will be of far-reaching consequence. Very sincerely yours, JAMES G. BLAINE.

GOV. THAYER RETIRES

Boyd Will Take Possession at 2 p. m. To-day.

BOYD RECEIVES THE LETTER

And Left For Lincoln This Morning—

An Amicable Adjustment of the Long and Exciting Controversy

Governor Thayer has invited James E. Boyd to take the office of governor, and he turned the office over to Governor Boyd at 2 o'clock to-day.

A telegram was sent last night to Judge Higgins, Boyd's private secretary, notifying him to be in Lincoln at 2 o'clock to-day.

One of Governor Thayer's closest friends said that for some time past he desired to be relieved from the duties of the office; that only a sense of his responsibilities had induced him to hold to it, and that he was only too glad to receive from his counsel assurances that he may honorably and conscientiously lay down the duties and emoluments of the place and show his absolute unselfishness in the matter.

Following is the letter from John L. Webster, Governor Thayer's attorney, advising him to take the step he did:

OMAHA, NEB., Feb. 6, 1892.—Governor John M. Thayer—Dear Sir: When you was elected governor of Nebraska by the suffrages of the people, it became your duty to hold the office until a successor was chosen possessed of all the constitutional requirements, highest among which is citizenship.

The constitution is the supreme law of the state and must be held to represent the steadfast will of the people. It is the anchor to hold steady the ship of state amidst the storms of party contests and the sudden, but temporary tumult of popular clamor.

I know that you were moved by a lofty sense of public honor to assert your constitutional right and oath-bound obligation to retain the office of governor until a successor was elected by the people, clothed with all the requirements of that same constitution. The sacred trust put into your hands you have faithfully fulfilled, and with manly courage.

Since the decision of the highest tribunal in the land has been announced, no moral obligation rests upon you to even retain the office until the coming of the mandate. To at once surrender the office would be bowing to the will of the people, and the spirit of the opinion of the supreme court.

Our people, regardless of party affiliation, cannot forget your bravery and patriotic service as a soldier, from the hour you marched 'orth as the commander of the First Nebraska regiment until you retired with the well merited rank of major-general. Neither can they forget your services to the state and nation as one of our United States senators, the associate of Charles Sumner, Henry Wilson, Oliver P. Morton, Benjamin F. Wade and the trusted friend of Grant and other giants among our country's past protectors.

Your public career of faithful service to the state and nation, crowned with so many honors, will assure you the lasting gratitude of an appreciative people.

Yours sincerely,

JOHN L. WEBSTER.

Governor Thayer then directed the following letter to Governor James E. Boyd:

STATE OF NEBRASKA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, LINCOLN, NEB., Feb. 6, 1892.—Governor James E. Boyd, Omaha, Neb.—Dear Sir: When I commenced proceedings one year ago to test your title to the office of governor, I did so in the belief that there was a doubt in the public mind as to your citizenship and eligibility. I then took occasion to publicly say that as soon as your citizenship was established by the courts I would gladly surrender the office to you. The contest was not one of personal strife, nor to satisfy any ambition of my own, but to comply with and uphold the constitution of the state. Now that the public press has announced that the highest tribunal has declared, under the constitution and laws of our country and state, your right to the office, I now cheerfully yield the office of governor to you without awaiting the mandate of the court.

As I am about to leave the state on Monday, to be absent some weeks, it would be most convenient for me to turn over the office to you at 2 o'clock on that day if it is your pleasure to accept the same at that time. Very respectfully your obedient servant,

JOHN M. THAYER.

THE SOUTHERN OUTLOOK.

A Communication of Importance to Commercial Bodies and Agriculture Societies.

At meeting of the Trans-Mississippi congress, held in the city of Omaha, the following was adopted as the basis of representation in the next meeting of the congress.

"Resolved, That the basis of representation in the session of this congress, to be held at New Orleans, in February next, shall be as follows:

1. Each state and each territory west of the Mississippi river shall be entitled to ten delegates at large, to be appointed by the governor of such state or territory.

2. Each county in the said states and territories shall be entitled to one large delegate, to be appointed by the board of county commissioners, or, in states having no county commissioners, by the county judge.

3. Each city of the first and second classes shall be entitled to one delegate and to one additional delegates for each 100,000 of population, or major fraction thereof, to be appointed by the mayor of such city, who shall himself be ex-officio one of such delegate.

4. Each board of trade, chamber of commerce, or similar commercial body, shall be entitled to the same representation as is the city wherein such commercial body is located, to be selected in such manner as such body may determine.

5. Each railway, steamship, or other transportation company, having headquarters within the area described, shall be entitled to one delegate, to be appointed by the chief officer of said company.

6. Each state agricultural or horticultural society, and each county agricultural society in counties having a population of 10,000 or over, shall be entitled to one delegate, to be appointed by the chief officer of such society.

7. Each officer of this congress and each member of a standing committee, or of any committee appointed at this session, shall be ex-officio a member of said succeeding congress with all the privileges of other members.

Resolved, That the ten votes at large from any state or territory may be cast by any one or more of the delegates regularly appointed by the governor thereof, but that any other representation shall be in the person of the appointed delegates or his regularly constituted alternate or proxy, who must be a bona fide resident of the state or territory represented, and upon demand for a call of the states, supported by not less than five delegates, no state shall be entitled to cast more than thirty votes upon the determination of any question.

Resolved, That the committee on constitution and by-laws be and are hereby instructed to make this basis of representation and the accompanying regulations a part of their draft of the organic law of this body.

The next meeting of this congress will be held in the city of New Orleans, commencing on February 23rd, 1892.

It is hoped that all officers and organizations having authority, under the above basis, to appoint delegates to this congress will make such appointments at once and forward their names and post office addresses to the secretary.

All the newspapers throughout the Trans-Mississippi state and territories are earnestly requested to make publication thereof.

C. A. Atkinson.

Secretary.

Notice to Debtors.

Any person owing me on account is requested to call and settle either by cash or note by March 1st.

J. FINLEY JOHNSON.

Union Ledger Items.

J. M. and H. W. Lloyd were at Plattsmouth this week to visit their mother who was dangerously ill. They returned Wednesday and report that she is improving.

Mrs. Amanda Reynolds and son James were at Plattsmouth on Wednesday, attending to some business connected with the estate.

J. W. Conn, of Nehawka, and A. B. Taylor, of Plattsmouth, were in town last Monday and departed for Council Bluffs in the evening.

James Frans arrived home Thursday morning from his visit in Missouri, and we should judge that he failed to find a good location for a mill.

J. M. Stone, the democratic war horse, was in town on business Wednesday, wearing his usual pleasant smile.

Rev. A. Boswell, of the colored Baptist church at Plattsmouth, has been here this week engaged in religious work.

J. M. Wood, of Plattsmouth, was in town Friday to arrange for a singing concert to be held here in the near future.

HAVE YOU SEEN

JOE'S

◀:MAMMOTH - WAX - CANDLE:▶
IN THE CORNER WINDOW.

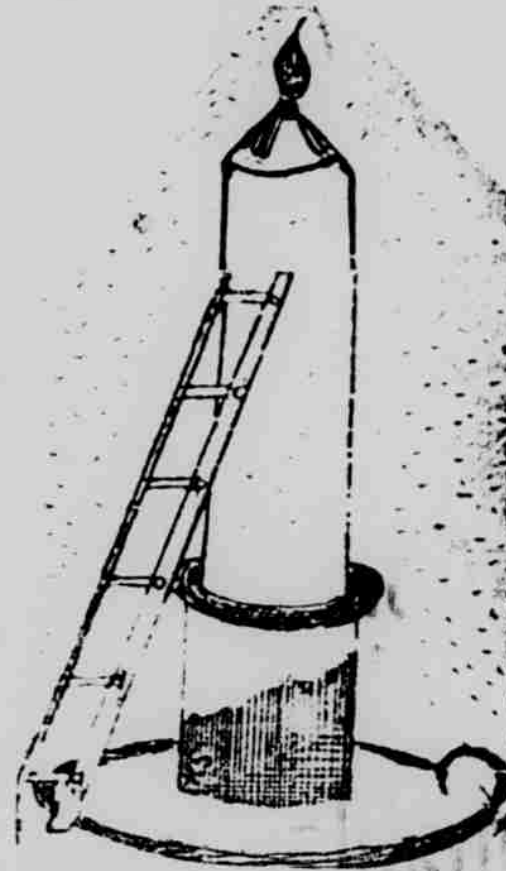
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no es your Guess Together with Your Name and it will be Published February 15.

ANY MAN CAN GUESS.

JOE

Your Clothier and Furnisher.

The members of the Grand Army of the Republic are making an effort to establish a relief fund, and they have made a master stroke to start in securing the services of Hon. Joe H. Morse of Brooklyn, New York, and the people of Plattsmouth will be placed under everlasting obligation to McConchie Post for the privilege of hearing Mr. Morse. He comes recommended as few men do; he has justly earned the title of "Prince of Orators." His eloquence is like a clear, sparkling stream in mirthful flow, which turns to a furious stream in tragic eloquence. He portrays as does no other man the battles of Chancellorsville, Mobile Bay, Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge, and if the people of Plattsmouth let this opportunity go by without hearing Mr. Morse they will regret it. He will be here in the opera house on Thursday, February 11. The G. A. R. Post have several good reasons for asking the people of Plattsmouth to come out and hear Mr. Morse. First, he is one of the most eloquent men on the platform to-day; second, they are trying to raise a relief fund, which is a noble cause; third, they have put the price of admission to twenty-five and thirty-five cents to hear a man the people in the east are glad to pay fifty and seventy-five cents to hear. Fail not to hear Mr. Morse's thrilling description of a naval battle.

All persons indebted to the old firm of Weidmann & Brekenfeld are requested to call and settle immediately and avoid trouble.

Go and hear the shot and shell and the grape and canister at the opera house next Thursday.

The "Below Zero" company departed this morning on No. 4 for Red Oak, Iowa, where they will present their performance this evening.

A fire broke out in the Hotel Royal in New York city last night in which a large number of people were burned to death or killed in trying to effect an escape. The hotel contained 120 guests. The morning papers claim that there were from fifty to one hundred killed or injured.

W. J. Hesser will go to Omaha to-morrow, to be gone until Thursday on business.

A. C. MAYES

COUNTY-SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER

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Attention! Attention!! All persons having books in their possession, taken either from the Y. M. C. A. rooms or the Y. L. R. R. A. room, will please return at once to J. P. Young's store.

The Factoryville Roller Mills' new process buck wheat flour "takes the cake." There is no better made. Ask your grocer for it. All live greasers keep it, if they do not they will order it for you.

T. M. WARNE, Union, Neb.

All those owing personal and delinquent taxes will please call at treasurer's office and settle same. The office will be open pay day evening; also two evenings following.

GUS A. HYERS, Deputy Tax Collector.

Gentlemen would not use "Blush of Roses" if it was a paint or powder, of course not. It is clear as water, no sediment to fill the pores of the skin. Its mission is to heal, cleanse and purify the complexion of every imperfection, and insures every lady and gentleman a clean, smooth complexion. Sold by O. H. Snyder. Price 75 cents.

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