

Mr. Geo. Smith is on the sick list BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCavaghan, a daughter.

Hon. F. E. White was an Omaha passenger this morning. Frank Morgan was a passenger for Lincoln this morning.

Claus Brekenfeld was in Council Bluffs to-day on business.

H. C. McMaken will leave to-night for Kansas City on a business trip Mrs. J. M. Craig and her mother, Mrs. Emma Hall, were passengers for Omaha this morning.

The city council was adjourned last evening on account of its being a legal holiday, till tonight.

B. J. Reynolds, B&M switchman is a very sick man. He is troubled with a swelling on the head and is unable to rest owing to the pain.

Mrs. H. C. McMaken expects to leave in the morning for Atchinson Kansas to attend the state encampment of the Woman's Relief Corps.

A large number of the members of Gauntlet Lodge No. 47 K. of P will go to Pacific Junction to attend the institution of a K. of P. Lodge there.

Fred Murphy and Fred Schroeder of Cedar Creek, came in this afternoon and will go over to Pacific Junction to help institute the K. of P. lodge to-night.

Joe Bruhl was to-day adjudged insane by the insanity board. He is now a raving maniac it taking two guards to watch him. His mind was unbalanced over religion to-day he is just the opposite. He will be taken to Lincoln as soon as possible.

A large company of little friends of Earnest Holmburg surprised him at his home on Tenth street yesterday by calling on him in a body, and announcing that they were going to celebrate his birthday. The children passed the day pleasantly with games and other amusements.

Judge Archer rendered two decisions this morning. The first was in the case of Clark vs. Lewis he rendered a verdict in favor of Lewis. The second was in the case of Hawk vs. Wagner, wherein he decided that Wagner was entitled to the mule. This case will be carried to the district court.

The G. A. R. will give an old-fashioned party in costumes Wednesday March 9th supper will be served in the G. A. R. hall and the dance in Rockwood hall. The feature of the evening will be the supper which will be corn bread and beans and the dance will be participated by the old folks in costumes.

Captain A. D. Yocum yesterday shot and killed Myron Van Fleet, at Hastings. The trouble grew out of an article alleged to have been written by Van Fleet in it was stated that Yocum daughter eloped with his colored coachman. It was afterwards proven that the young in question was in the city all the time. Captain Yocum's just arrived home the other day and has been looking into the matter which resulted fatally.

The Noss Family which will appear at the Waterman next Thursday night, comes with the highest of recommendations. Securs your reserved seat tickets at once. Price 75 cents now on sale at N. G. Chilberg's, J. P. Young's old stand. The specialties by this company are fine, and the music will be by far the best of the season. While the comedy is of a pure and refined nature to which no one can object. Go and enjoy a pleasant evening.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Good wages. 23-4f

Mrs. W. J. HESSE.

That Cow Case Again. The Ellenbaum-Billsen case came up this morning for its third hearing in Judge Archer's court. Out of the original list of twelve names only one man could be found to serve on the jury. The case is being tried before a jury of three. W. H. Smith, John Clemmons, and Jacob Falter, constitution the jury. A. N. Sullivan and John A. Davies for plaintiff and S. P. Vanatta and Mathew Gering, for defendant.

Robbed a Clothes Line. Last night some sneak thief pilloined two white shirts a pair of pillow shams and a dress from the clothes line in Fred Kroeler's yard. Fred says it is not very often that he wears white shirts, but when he goes to a dance or a democratic jubilee he has to wear one. He says he will have to buy a new one or stay at home hereafter.

Wanted. A bright, intelligent boy to work in postoffice. Enquire of the post master

CALLING FOR HELP.

Governor Eoyd Seeking Advice From Members.

SENATOR THOMAS PROMPT REPLY.

Senator Thomas Sets Forth His Reasons why an Extra Session Would be Unprofitable.

As the extra session agitation is creating quite a stir in this county and as it would like please a good many of the citizens of Plattsmouth and Cass county to know how Senator S. L. Thomas stood on the question, the reporter cornered Senator Thomas Monday afternoon before he had time to tie his team to a post and before he had time to get out of the buggy, and a conversation something like this followed:

"Senator, you have, no doubt, received a communication from Governor Boyd regarding the advisability of calling an extra session of the legislature?"

"Yes, I have received such a communication."

"Have you any objections to THE HERALD publishing the governor's communication?"

"No, I have not, and if THE HERALD wants the governor's letter for publication I have no objection."

"Now then, Senator, as the article would be incomplete without your answer, what is the matter of THE HERALD publishing your answer there?"

"Why, yes, you can publish my answer if you desire."

Following is the letter received by Senator Thomas from the governor: EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, LINCOLN, Feb. 20, 1892.—Dear Sir: Would you have the kindness to advise me by return mail your opinion as to whether, in your judgment, it is advisable for me to call an extra session of the legislature, and if so, what subject or subjects should, in your opinion, be embodied in said call. Also whether you think the members of the legislature would agree upon a reasonable maximum rate bill, say a reduction from the present tariff rate of ten to twenty per cent. Most truly yours, J. E. BOYD, Governor."

S. L. THOMAS, Esq., Plattsmouth Neb. By a careful perusal of the above the reader will notice that Governor Boyd asks Senator Thomas what subject or subjects, should be embodied in a call—if one should be made—for an extra session. Then the governor goes on and asks Mr. Thomas if he thinks the members of the legislature would agree upon a reasonable maximum rate bill, say a reduction of ten to twenty per cent. If governor Boyd is sending out letters to members of the legislature for their opinion as to what should be embodied in the call for an extra session, why does he jump in and tell them what he is going to call an extra session for? The time for him to make an explanation should be in his proclamation. His epistle looks like he had already made up his mind what the extra session would be called for. If he had left out the part in his letter relating to the maximum rate bill, then it would have been different. But to go and ask a member of the legislature what they think should be embodied in the call and then stating himself what it should be looks like a very childish act.

Following is Senator Thomas' reply to Governor Boyd's inquiry:

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., February 20: Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your honored inquiry of February 20th. In reply I desire to say that I am at all times willing, both as an individual and in my official capacity, to do my duty, and since the agitation of an extra session I have conversed with many of my constituents irrespective of party and endeavored to obtain a consensus of opinion upon which I can safely and intelligently act. As a result I am constrained to say that an extra session is not desired by the citizens of my county. You ask if I thought the members of the legislature would agree on a reasonable maximum rate bill from the present tariff of from ten to twenty per cent. In answer would say that upon many items such a reduction would be just and impartial as between the people and railroads; upon many other items the reduction would not be sufficient, and still upon others it would be too much. Individually I would be willing to agree upon any bill which would fix the rates at a reasonable figure and which would be just between both parties. As to what is reasonable, the conservative members of the two houses and myself would agree but as to what the extremists would consider a reasonable reduction would be so much at variance with the view of the conservative element that I think it would be impossible with my former experience with them, to agree. The state has been in a practical turmoil and excitement so as to largely unsettle business relations, for some time past, and at the present time I see no such discord or fiction as should alarm any person or call for immediate action, nor before the next regular session; in the meantime all who are interested

could mature their plans and more fully digest the subjects in hand so as to meet the approval of our constituents. The expense of having an extra session would be large and without giving the tax payers any relief than that which could be given them at the next regular session. This is my strongest reason for opposing an extra session and is the general objection among the people.

Holding these views as I do, it is unnecessary for me to enter upon the question of what other subjects should be contained in the call if one were made, as I think, the two mentioned are the only ones the people are vitally interested in, trusting that you see your duty as I see mine, I am yours respectfully S. L. THOMAS.

To Hon. James E. Boyd, Governor.

THAT WONDERFUL LAST NAIL.

Mrs. Potter Palmer Will put the Finishing Touches on the Woman's Building with Costly Hammer and Spike.

Mrs. Potter Palmer, president of the board of lady managers of the exposition, as already announced, will drive the last nail in the building to be known as the Woman's building. This nail will be furnished by the women of Montana and will be a very wonderful one, as indicated by the description of it by the Helena, Montana, Independent: "The nail has been so made as to form the back or cross bar of a brooch, which is to be a shield bearing the coat of arms of Montana reproduced in native gold, and the symbolical figures will be made of the same metal, but of different colors. The waterlily in the foreground will be of light colored gold sunk into the shield, and the plough and the pick, standing at foot of the falls, will be of a darker shade, as will be the background or relief. The wreath surrounding the escutcheon will be of native gold, and the figures of the two men supporting the whole on either side will also be of the same rich yellow gold. Underneath will be the scroll, bearing the motto of the state, 'Oro y Plata.' In the two upper portions of the wreath two Montana sapphires will be inserted. Instead of merely engraving the figures, each will be wrought separately and then fastened together, making the task of shaping the brooch not only a delicate, but exceedingly difficult one, and one that will require much skill and patience.

To Mrs. J. E. Richards of Butte belongs the credit of the happy idea of making the last nail one of such interest. In design the nail which is being made by a Butte jeweler, will be the counterpart of an ordinary twelve-penny nail and will be composed of three strips with silver in the center and the copper and gold on either side. The nail and the brooch are distinct articles and after the former has been driven it will be drawn from the wood, fastened to the brooch and presented to Mrs. Palmer.

The women of Nebraska have undertaken to furnish the hammer with which this "last nail will be driven. A description of the hammer has not yet been given but it is the intention to make it worthy of the aristocratic nail with which it will be brought in contact by Mrs. Palmer. It has been suggested that it be made of native Nebraska wood, inlaid with gold silver and pearl.

The Noss Family The Daily Progress of Clarksville Tenn. Speaks in the highest manner of the Noss family. A good audience assemble at the opera house last evening to see the Noss Family in their musical novelties and "A Quick Match." The entertainment was very pleasing and refiaed throughout. Misses Bertha and May in "Won't you come out and play," especially pleased the audience. The mandolin orchestra and he saxophone quintet made some exceedingly fine music, the latter being encored twice. The "Sleigh Ride Party" by the family orchestra was beautiful. Every number is worthy of mention but space forbids. This entertainment concluded with the two-act musical comedy "A Quick Match," introducing comical complications and perplexities illustrative of modern courtship and matrimony. The acting of H. Noss, impersonating the servant man, and Ferd Noss, as Arthur Fitz Razzle, the duke, was especially good, affording as they did much amusement for the audience. During this comedy many musical specialties were introduced in a pleasing manner.

Attention Young Republican. The young men's republican club will hold their adjourned meeting Friday February 26 at the council chamber for the purpose of electing officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

There will be a social at the home of Father Edwin Davis, corner Vine and Eleventh streets, Thursday 25. Everybody invited. Refreshments served.

DISREPUTABLE BOB.

Irregular in Habits He Yet Has Touches of True Genius.

He came staggering down the basement stairs yesterday at headquarters, the most disreputable, bleary-eyed, drunken Bob that you could possibly see, says the N. Y. Herald. He did not stagger far, but came tumbling down heels over head and tried to speak out of sight under the office desk. He had been on a spree since Christmas, and Mr. Hastings did not know what to do with such a case. It seemed well nigh a hopeless one. However, he gave Bob a good cuffing and the latter curled up on the floor and tried to sleep it off. "I don't know what to do with him," said Hastings in despair. "I've a mind to send him up to White Plains and pump him full of bichloride of gold. He seems utterly beyond the reach of moral suasion."

Bob Hastings is the hardest drinker in Mulberry street. His character and habits are well known to the authorities there, from Supt. Murray and Inspector Byrnes down to the doorman and clerks. They ought to be, for these gentlemen have seen him staggering about in front of the marble building many's the time. They all know what a superb intellect he has and deplore the appetite which is pulling him down into the gutter, and which must inevitably land him in the potter's field or in some equally hopeless place. There is not a cat—

Oh, yes, Bob is a cat—the big, bobtailed cat of Mulberry street—the fellow John L. Sullivan of his quarter of the town. Like John L. the original and other creatures endowed with genius, he has his little weaknesses, and beer is chief among them. Whenever the alcoholic mania seizes upon Bob he will saunter down to the saloon at the corner of Houston street and proceed to liquidate like any other "blood." Although he is far from 18 years of age, he does not find any difficulty in getting served, and the way he will rush the growler sometimes is a caution and an example. Often he will stay away from home for an entire week, and when he does return the marks upon him show that he has been indulging in his penchant for fighting to a disastrous degree. He will tackle anything up to a brindbill pup, and I do not know that he was ever really beaten.

Once in a while Bob will go a-hunting. He will catch some hapless mouse or rat, and will proceed to have fun with it, boxing its ears and cuffing it about to his own intense amusement, if not that of his prey. At last, when he has grown tired of playing with it, Bob will kill it with a single blow. But do you suppose that Bob will descend to eat it? Not much! Bob is a high liver. He likes pate de foies gras and truffles and porterhouse steaks with mushrooms. He does not care for plebeian rats and mice. But Bob is good-hearted under his rough exterior. After killing the rat or mouse he will go around the corner and look up some tramp cat who is not smart enough to catch mice himself, and a moment later you will see that tramp cat sneaking around to find and carry off the carcass to make a tramp cat's holiday.

If it were not for Bob's disease of drink he would be quite an ornament to society. I wonder if anything can be done for him.

Rhinoceros Horns.

The horn of the rhinoceros is nothing more than a protuberance composed of agglutinated hair. Cut it in two, and examining its structure under the microscope, it will be found that it is made up entirely of little tubes resembling hair tubes. Of course, these are not themselves hair, but the structure is the same. The horns of the African rhinoceros sometimes grow to the length of four feet. From them the Dutch boers make ram-rods and other articles.

His Hope Was Short-Lived.

"Mr. Enjoin," said the church trustee to the pastor, "we are going to raise your salary the first of the year." "Indeed," said the minister. "Yes," the congregation feel pretty poor this winter, but if we can't raise it all we will at least raise some of it." And then he wondered why the minister didn't seem overjoyed.

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

J. FINLEY JOHNSON.

Go to the doctor and get a prescription; then go to Brown & Barrett's and get it filled.

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

A Great Surprise. Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs the great guaranteed remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute and chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large Bottles 50c and \$1.

Notice. I have bought the oil business of T. E. Williams and will conduct the same as usual. Coal oil from 15 to 25 cents per gallon; gasoline, 15 cents per gallon straight.

The transcript in the Ellenbaum-Billsen cow case was filed with Judge Archer yesterday.

The Handsomest Lady in Plattsmouth. Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when other cough remedies had no effect whatever. So to prove this and convince you of its merit, any druggist will give you a sample bottle free. Large size 50c and \$1.

Shiloh's catarrh remedy—a positive cure Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker mouth. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Going to Hastings. March 15, I will move my stock of hardware to Hastings, Neb., and to avoid moving will sell any goods I have at prices never before heard of. Come early and avoid the rush.

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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.

I feel it my duty to say a few words in regard to Ely's Cream Balm, and I do so entirely without solicitation. I have used it more or less half a year, and have found it to be most admirable. I have suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since I was a little boy and I never hoped for cure, but Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many of my acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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