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THE EVENING NEWS.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1896.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

The choicest sweet pea seed in bulk at Bennett & Tuttle's. Get your abstracts of title made by Robert J. Vass. Office in Briggs building. For rent—Seven acres of ground and residence. Apply to R. B. Windham. Go to Robert J. Vass for reliable abstracts of title. Office in Briggs building. FOR RENT—Nice cottage on north Fourth street. Enquire of D. Babington. J. C. Petersen has some genuine Early Ohio home-grown seed potatoes for sale at reasonable prices. Remember the paper cotillion April 6, given by Ivy Lodge, P. of H. Spectators will be charged 10 cents. Mrs. J. W. Bridge, who is living with her husband at Lincoln, now, is in the city today visiting friends. Go to Tom Walling for reliable abstracts. Conveyancing a specialty. Office first door east of the court house. It not only is so, it must be so. One Minute Cough Cure acts quickly, and that's what makes it go. F. G. Fricke & Co. The Mozart club will meet at Miss Tillie Lenhoff's Tuesday evening. Subject: "Music among the ancient Greeks." The Pomroy Musical family will give an entertainment at the Christian church in this city Wednesday evening, April 1. Use the "Dustless Floor Oil" for store rooms, public buildings and all kinds of offices, kitchens, halls, etc. For sale by Smith & Parmele. The water continues to rise both in the Platte and Missouri rivers. Local rains and melting of snow on the foothills is doubtless the reason for it. Billy Weber will open up a first-class cigar factory and retail store in this city in a few days having sold his bottling works to Omaha parties. LOST—A little white fur cape Sunday afternoon on Vine or Main streets. The finder will please leave same at News office or Fitzgerald's livery stable. The Murdock bank case was decided against Chapman and Davies by Judge Ramsey yesterday a full report of which will be given tomorrow. M. Ervin and family, who have resided in this county down near Union ever since 1859 are moving this week to Nebraska City where they will in the future reside. A high liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with De Witt's Little Early Risers, little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipation. F. G. Fricke & Co. "Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. F. G. Fricke & Co. The Modern Woodmen had a great time last evening, as twenty-seven new members were taken in and taught the mysteries of wood-craft. It kept the boys "chopping" until an early hour this morning before they finished their work. During Lent there will be services Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week at St. Luke's church. The service on Wednesday evenings will be in the shape of a short lecture by pastor, Rev. H. B. Burgess. Every one is cordially invited to attend these services. The high wind the other night did great damage to the property of the agricultural society. The stables on the west side were smashed to pieces and looks as though part of the lumber had taken wings and blown away. Several dollars will be required to make good the damage. Uncle Bill Ellington is in town today in fairly good health. He is not so young as he used to be when elected to the position of first sheriff of this county. He is a typical pioneer and feels best out in the free air of the open country. He tried staying with his children in Omaha last year, but it did not suit him exactly. All last winter Mr. Geo. A. Mills, of Lebanon, Conn., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. At times it was so severe that he could not stand up straight, but was drawn over on one side. "I tried different remedies without receiving relief," he says, "until about six months ago I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. After using it for three days my rheumatism was gone and has not returned since. For sale by all druggists."

Slightly Romantic. Wm. Wellman, who resides near Elliott, Ia., was by his friends supposed to be a confirmed bachelor. No one supposed him guilty of any sentiment akin to love as he seemed not to specially care for the society of ladies. On the third of last February Mr. Wellman came to this city and accidentally met Miss Hitchcock, one of the sisters who have been running a photograph gallery and it seems to have been a case of "goneness" from the start. A courtship followed, which lasted but a few weeks; then an engagement, and finally on the 22nd of March the happy couple were joined in matrimony at the home of the groom's brother in this city. It took the groom seven weeks to travel the tortuous road from bachelorhood to the home of a benedict. This morning Mr. and Mrs. Wellman departed for their future home in the town of Elliott, Ia., bearing with them the best wishes of a large circle of friends in this city.

A Pair of Sports. "Dad" Carnes and W. E. Copeland had more fun than a cage of monkeys last Sunday. Copeland has a new bicycle which hadn't been broken to ride—at least it acted that way when he tried to mount it—and he got "Dad" to help him break the pesky thing in. They went out south of town to the fair grounds, where they could not be bothered by the gaping crowd and where they could get the use of the bike track. The air was all out of the tires and the machine made a track like a log wagon about four inches wide. After a long walk the two worthies reached the track. The machine was quickly righted about and, while "Dad" held the handles, Copeland got into the saddle and away he went down the track, cutting figure eights in the dust. He had gone not far, however, when there was a collapse, and the rider was on his back while the wheel went into the air. "Dad" then took a trial spin of about ten feet with like results, and so it went, turn about, for some time, but too wheel seemed just as pert and quick to resent an imaginary insult as when they began. The two wheelmen were badly worn out and were shortly afterwards noticed trudging silently homeward leading the innocent-looking wheel that had been furnishing them grief in big chunks.

Follows the Dictates of the Law. The Journal must be in a hard way to bolster up its candidate for city clerk by making an attack on E. C. Kerr the republican nominee in reference to printing the election notices, which the law says shall be posted up at least ten days before election but no where does it require publication in the newspapers. Mr. Kerr posted his notices within the time specified, and learning that it had been the custom to print the notices also, he waited until the time was up and then caused them to be printed. He has done nothing to justify the slightest criticism, on the other hand anyone that has looked at the city records during Mr. Kerr's incumbency or is in the least familiar with city affairs recognize the fact that he has made a model officer. No clerk before him has done better and no few if any have done so well. He has served but one term and by custom he is fully entitled and has earned another. That he will get it we have not the slightest doubt.

McCORD All Right. Harrison McCord, the fellow who fell from the east end of the B. & M. bridge a few nights ago while intoxicated, which caused his friends to think they would have to go to his funeral, was in town today and looks as good as new. Harrison says the drop of thirty feet was a severe shock to his sensitive nerves, but that it was better for him than the Keeley cure, as he will now never touch another drop of intoxicating liquor. If he is able to get out of town with his resolution intact he will be doing well.

An "At Home." Mrs. Alvin Gass, of Pacific Junction, gave a delightful "Kensington" last week in honor of Mrs. Griggs, formerly of that place. The guests present were: Mrs. Wendall, Miss Gass, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Byron Clark and Mrs. Wescott, of this city; Mrs. Swan and Mrs. Miller, of the Junction, and Mrs. Pugh, of Council Bluffs. Each one departed with best wishes for the hostess, who is well-known as a charming entertainer.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. S. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKING, KINMAN & MARRIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

A Big Price For Wheat. The Cedar Creek roller mills are paying from 3 to 4 cents per bushel more for good wheat than the market price. If you have any to sell it will pay you to go down and see the new miller, C. Brokenfeld.

A RARE BIT OF MINTED GOLD.

Worn as a Scarf Pin by Postmaster General Wilson. Unless you are a numismatist of unusual knowledge you would probably not pay much attention to the pale gold coin which Postmaster General Wilson frequently wears as a pin on the scarf which covers most of his shirt front. But if you are an experienced enthusiast on the subject of rare and antique coins your eyes will sparkle with pleasure at the sight of that scarf pin, says the Pittsburg Post, and possibly your fingers will tingle with vague kleptomaniac impulse to grab it and run. For the expert will recognize in the pale gold disk an example of the most perfect and most beautiful coin ever struck. And if you are allowed the privilege of a close inspection you will discover that this particular specimen has had preserved in every detail the exquisite beauty of design and finish imparted to it by classic artists and artificers, whose brains and hands crumbled just so long ago that it makes one feel in a dream just to think of it. For that coin of the delicate yellow of the cactus bloom, perfect as when it was tossed from the stamper's hand, was minted while the matchless eloquence of Demosthenes still ravished the ears of the Athenians and fired their pulses, and bears the effigy of him against whom the Attic orator hurled his fiercest invective. Philip of Macedon, father of Alexander the Great. The coin is a gold stater of Philip, noted among numismatists as one of the most perfect and beautiful examples of the coiners' art, the world has known in the twenty-two centuries that have elapsed since it was struck by the command of the founder of the Macedonian empire. No coinage has exceeded or even equaled in fineness of design and execution that of Philip, strange as this may seem to those who regard the modern world as so vastly superior in almost every way to the ancient. The gold which Philip and most of the Greek states used in their coinage was known as electrum, consisting of about one-fifth part of silver, which imparted to it that exquisite shade of yellow which is one of its chief charms to the eye. The gold head of Philip on the gold stater, crowned with its delicate laurel wreath is as clear in outline as if cut in cameo while the chariot and steeds on the reverse are charming examples of classic art in design and workmanship. The intrinsic value of the gold in the coin is about \$9, but the value of a piece of such vast antiquity, so perfectly preserved, to the collector and coin collector it would be difficult to estimate. Another point about the Macedonian coin which greatly increases its value in the eyes of the antiquarian is the fact that Philip was the first king who had the arrogance to put his own effigy on money. Previously, so far as known, the coins of the Greeks and the Orientals had borne the effigies of their gods or mythological heroes, or rather religious devices or symbols. But Philip in Greece, as Caesar in Rome, thrust the gods aside and stamped his own proud and conquering head upon his coins. But while the temporary enemies of both Philip and Caesar included this among their counts in the indictment for boundless ambition and impiety brought against them, the Greeks and Roman population made it all right by conveniently discovering that the two conquerors were really not men at all, but gods in their own right. It is probable that another coin similar to that which Postmaster General Wilson wears as a scarf pin does not exist in this country outside of a museum. It was presented to him by a friend, who picked it up at a sale in Paris. Of its genuineness there was no doubt, for when Mr. Wilson was in London last year he took it to experts at the British museum, who pronounced it authentic and tried hard to buy it, but nothing could induce Mr. Wilson to part with it, not alone because it was presented to him by a very dear friend, but because, like most classical scholars, he has a deep love for the "glory that was Greece," and this rare bit of minted gold carries him back to the most luminous era of the beautiful and wonderful Greek civilization which has faded for the student like an un fading dawn behind the mists and glooms of overlapping centuries.

THE WORLD'S RIVERS. The Connecticut, the principal stream of New England, is 450 miles in length. The Potomac river is only 500 miles long, and its lower course is rather an estuary than a stream. The Amazon is 3,944 miles in length, rising within seventy miles of the Pacific coast and flowing clear across the continent. We have in Alaska one of the greatest rivers in the world. The Kwichat is believed to be more than 1,800 miles long. The Amur, the great stream of China and Siberia, is 1,600 miles in length, but for nearly nine months in the year is ice-bound. Bring Your Friends to Nebraska. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R.R. publish a sixteen-page monthly illustrated newspaper called the "Corn Belt" which gives in an interesting way information about western farm lands, particularly those in Nebraska. The regular subscription price is twenty-five cents per year, but if you want it sent to any of your friends living east of the Mississippi river; sent ten cents in stamps for each person, giving name and full address and the paper will be sent for one year. The B. & M. R. agent will show you a sample copy of the paper on request. Help your state and induce your friends to immigrate. Address the Corn Belt, 209 Adams street, Chicago, Ill.

The Vienna Bakery. The finest bakery in the state. The choicest bread, cake, pies, etc., all ways fresh. Ornamental work and special orders attended to promptly. Opposite the court house. JAMES LYCK, Prop.

Letter from N. Halmes. PLATTSMOUTH, March 19, 1896. T. H. Pollock, agent of the Home Insurance company of New York. Dear sir: I desire to express my thanks to the Home Insurance company of New York, to Mr. P. W. Plank, the adjuster, and to yourself, for the prompt and satisfactory settlement of the insurance on my barn and contents. The fire occurred on March 9, and today, March 19, you hand me a draft for \$2,650, which settlement I regard as perfectly fair and honorable. The money coming so promptly is of great benefit to me in replacing my barn, horses, farm machinery etc. I have faith in the home Insurance company of New York, and recommend the company to my neighbors and friends, or anyone wanting honest, reliable insurance. I have let the contract for a new barn, and as soon as it is completed I want you to write a policy in the same company covering my horse, barn and contents. You are at liberty to publish this letter if you desire. Yours truly, NICHOLAS HALMES.

Quick in effect heals and leaves no scar. Burning, scaly skin eruptions quickly cured by DeWitt's White Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles.—F. G. Fricke & Co. Simon S. Hartman, of Tunnelton, West Va., has been subject to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took one dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. That is more than anything else had ever done for me." For sale by all druggists.

Don't invite disappointment by experimenting. Depend upon One Minute Cough Cure and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Card of Thanks. To friends, and specially the Star lodge D. of H. we wish to publicly return thanks for their invaluable services during the fatal illness of our beloved mother, MRS. E. H. BOOTH MRS. R. B. GRABAM. Not to be Trifled With. From Cincinnati Gazette.

Will people never learn that a "cold" is an accident to be dreaded, and that when it occurs treatment should be promptly applied? There is no knowing where the trouble will end; and while complete recovery is the rule, the exceptions are terribly frequent, and thousands after thousands of fatal illnesses occur every year ushered in by a little injudicious exposure and seemingly trifling symptoms. Beyond this, there are today countless invalids who can trace their complaints to "colds," which at the time of occurrence gave no concern, and were therefore neglected.—When troubled with a cold use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is prompt and effectual. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all druggists.

EASTER HATS, EASTER RIBBONS, EASTER FLOWERS, EASTER NOVELTIES. All the new shapes, shades and styles. An expert trimmer from the east in the employ of the firm is a real artist. If you want something up to date and elegant, don't forget the TUCKER SISTERS. Soothing, healing, cleaning, De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve is the enemy to sores, wounds and piles, which it never fails to cure. Stops itching and burning. Cures chapped lips and cold-sores in two or three hours. F. G. Fricke & Co. Ice For Sale. We will sell our ice and retail business at a bargain, if taken at once. Prefer to sell to Plattsmouth party. See us at once. H. C. McMACKEN & SON. One Minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. F. G. Fricke & Co. PECULIAR in combination, proportion and preparation of ingredients, Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses great curative value. You should TRY IT.

The Fountain of Life... Is flowing in Plattsmouth and you can secure the sparkling liquid obtained therefrom at 16c per gallon. We have obtained the agency of the already famous Lloyd's Mineral Water and can furnish it in any quantity, great or small in its natural state as it flows from a depth of 500 feet through solid rock. It is especially efficacious in Rheumatism and all kidney diseases. It is not a purgative but a laxative so gentle that it corrects and regulates the bowels without griping and is thoroughly effective even in the most severe cases of constipation. Bring your jug along. For Sale by SMITH & PARMELE BRING YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS TO US

NEBASKA ITEMS.

From the Register. Mrs. Mary A. Hall went to South Auburn Saturday to spend a week with her mother, who has not been very well this winter. Her little son, Eden, accompanied her. Born, Monday, March 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Minniear, two and a half miles west of town, a daughter of standard weight. A little girl came Monday to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bal-four, living in the Munn district, south of town. Ralph, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis, died Monday morning and was buried Wednesday. The writer went out in Isaac Pollard's pasture Tuesday, southwest of town a short distance, to see the tunnel that gentleman has made in the bowels of the earth, where the Indians apparently had a quarry opened generations ago. The excavation excites considerable curiosity, as it shows plainly that dirt and stone has been removed at this place to a depth ten feet, and only ten feet wide and thirty long. Mr. Pollard unearthed considerable charcoal and ashes at a depth of ten feet, and he is satisfied in his own mind that the primitive miners were after coal, as there is plenty of evidence of this, and pieces of flint of various sizes can still be seen. Apparently the dirt was removed and the stone quarried out and broken with as much ease as it could be done today, but the quarry arises, with what tools was such work accomplished in that early day.

Morgan's Bicycle Contest. Following is the registration of votes on the most popular lady in Cass county up to date. The winner will receive as a prize a high grade ladies' bicycle, ten votes on which may be had with every dollar's worth of goods purchased of Frank J. Morgan: Bessie Walker, Murray, 250 Mrs. J. F. Barnes, Cedar Creek, 250 Mrs. J. F. Barnes, Cedar Creek, 250 Ethel Perry, Mynard, 250

Bennett & Tuttle have a large supply of fresh northern grown seeds, both in bulk and in packages. Election Notice. Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Plattsmouth, Neb., on Tuesday, April 7, 1896, to elect the following officers, to-wit: Mayor, Treasurer, Clerk, One councilman First ward, One councilman Second ward, One councilman Third ward, One councilman Fourth ward, One councilman Fifth ward, Two members of school board, Dist. No. 1. The polls of said election will be open at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day and will be located at the following places: Main street and north end of the Fifth ward, Second ward at Turner hall, Washington avenue Third ward at Jones' livery barn, Main street, Fourth ward at Ambrose-Busch building, Main street, Fifth ward at Bach's grocery store, Lincoln avenue. W. H. NEWELL, Mayor. B. C. KERR, City Clerk.

Registration Notice. The voters of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, will take notice that the boards of registration will sit at the places specified below, on Saturday, April 4, 1896, to revise the registration lists for the election to be held on Tuesday, April 7, 1896. Boundaries of First ward is composed of that part of the city lying north of Main street and east of Seventh street. Second ward—Turner hall, Washington avenue. Boundaries of second ward is composed of that part of the city lying north of Main street and west of Seventh street. Boundaries of Third ward is composed of that part of the city lying south of Main street and west of Sixth street and north of the north line of Fifth ward. Boundaries of Fourth ward is composed of that part of the city lying east of Sixth street, south of Main street and north and east of the Fifth ward. Fifth ward—Bach's grocery store, Lincoln avenue. Boundaries of Fifth ward is composed of that part of the city lying west of Palmer's addition and including fractions 1st, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and all that portion of the city lying west of Lincoln avenue and south of the north lines of section 19, township 12, range 14, and section 24, township 12, range 13.

WANTS. (Special notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of 1/4 cent per word each insertion.) FOR SALE—A choice milk cow, very gentle, and giving about one gallon of milk per day. Call on Ed Simpson, corner of 15th and Oak streets, Plattsmouth, Neb. AGENTS. WANTED—A household active gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house. Salary \$200, payable \$15 weekly and expenses. Situation permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, 316 Omaha Building, Chicago.

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Free Silver.

WE WILL SEND FREE One Solid Silver Scarf Pin For 12 Coupons; or, on, for 2 Coupons and 12 etc. WE WILL ALSO SEND FREE, ONE PAIR OF Solid Silver Link Sleeve Buttons For 30 Coupons; or, on, for 2 Coupons and 30 etc. You will find one coupon inside each 2 ounce bag, and two coupons inside each 4 ounce bag of BLACKWELL'S GENUINE DURHAM TOBACCO. SEND COUPONS WITH NAME AND ADDRESS TO BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO CO., DURHAM, N. C. Buy a bag of this Celebrated Smoking Tobacco, and read the coupon, which gives a list of premiums and how to get them. 2 CENT STAMPS ACCEPTED.

Easter Millinery...

SPRING is here. So are the Easter Hats. They will be found at Mrs. Street's. The latest and prettiest of the season, at prices to suit all. Each lady buying her Easter Hat or who has purchased of us is entitled to a Souvenir. Come and see our Goods before you buy. We are too busy to make a Special Opening, but we have a stock of goods, including fine Pattern Hats second to none, and are ready for business. It will repay you to call and see. ...Mrs. M. A. Street.

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In order to satisfy the Public Mind on this question

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...Plattsmouth's Leading Clothier,

will offer a way to the solution. For every dollar received, either for goods purchased or on open account, we will give a card entitling the holder to ten votes on this question. The vote will be published every day and week in the papers so you may know at any time how each contest stands, the voting to close at 12 o'clock sharp on July 4, 1896. The lady receiving the highest number of votes will be declared the most popular lady in Cass County and will receive a handsome

High Grade... ..Ladies' Bicycle.

...With this object in view we have taken extra pains in selecting our Spring Stock of Clothing and Furnishing Goods and you will find that we can suit the most fastidious in color, pattern or price.All voting to be done at Bank of Cass County, bicycle on exhibition at our store.

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