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feeling." Several drinks will make you forget all your troubles.

HER BOOK FRENCH. General Thayer Pensioned.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Judge Strode's bill for the pensioning of General Thayer was today signed by the president.

St. Louis Short Line. The M. P. fast freight from St. Louis is a hummer.

Excursions South. Apply to H. B. Dering, A. G. P. Apt., 248 South Clark st., Chicago, for details concerning Home-Seekers' excursion to the south.

First Class Roofing. Messrs. Kroehler & Archer are putting on the best and cheapest roof ever tried in this city.

The celebrated Anheuser-Busch Beer is now on tap at the Casino and Riley Annex saloons.

Ice, Ice, Ice. We have concluded to remain in the ice business—put in your orders.

A Glimpse. At our new spring capes, jackets, wrappers, etc., discloses many a stylish garment that does not cost as much as you would guess.

Read the want column. WANTS. (Special notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of 1/2 cent per word each insertion.)

BOARDING. WANTED—Boarders by the day or week. One block from court house. Apply at this office.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST—A large outside door key. The holder will confer a lasting favor on the owner by leaving it at this office, or with W. K. Fox, at the post office.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—A choice milk cow, very gentle and giving about three gallons of milk per day. Call at Eli Sampson's, corner of 13th and Oak streets, Plattsmouth, Neb.

FOR SALE—A choice strain of fine Light Brahma chickens and eggs for setting. Leave orders with Asher Clark or address Van Gilmore, box 518.

FOR RENT. FOR RENT—A fine pasture with plenty of shade and running water for horses only, at Callum, address, H. W. Weaver, Cedar Creek, Neb.

MISCELLANEOUS. WORK WANTED—Carpet cleaned and put down, garden work, flower beds made, and lawn cared for. Leave orders with R. J. Vass, Office one door east of Briggs' barber shop, D. H. West.

HOUSE-CLEANING, taking down stoves or any kind of work done. Anyone wanting that kind of work done will do well to call on or address Kildow Brothers, Plattsmouth, Neb.

AGENTS. LADIES—I make big wages doing pleasant work at home and will gladly send full particulars to all sending 3c stamp. Miss M. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Michigan.

WANTED—An honest, active gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house. Salary \$250, payable \$15 weekly and expenses. Situation permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, 316 Omaha Building, Chicago.

BRIGGS, THE BARBER. The Same Old Stand. PRICES, 10 AND 25c.

W. M. HEROLD & SON. Following is the registration of votes on the most popular lady in Cass county up to date.

Table with names and vote counts: Mabel Roberts, Plattsmouth, 280; Bessie Walker, Murray, 250; Maud Eaton, Plattsmouth, 250; Alice Murray, Myrand, 250; Mrs. J. F. Barnes, Cedar Creek, 500; Ethel Perry, Myrand, 250; Emma Wehrlein, Plattsmouth, 150.

Wise Women. Are buying shirt waists now, because the prettiest of these lots cannot be duplicated.

Cheap Rates to Lincoln. On account of the democratic convention to be held at Lincoln April 22 the B. & M. will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip on April 21 and 22 with final limit for return April 23.

PECULIAR IN combination, proportion and preparation of ingredients, Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses great curative value.

The Fountain of Life.. Is flowing in Plattsmouth and you can secure the sparkling liquid obtained therefrom at 15c per gallon.

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.

For Sale by SMITH & PARMELE. BRING YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS TO US.

Hal Stutenborough, chief clerk for J. Q. Phillips of the M. P., and Mr. Seils, Omaha manager of the A. K. T. Co., were in the city over Sunday the guests of the former's father, Col. Stutenborough, of the M. P.

Take a dose of DeWitt's Little Early Risers just for the good they will do you. These little pills are good for indigestion, good for headache, good for liver complaint, good for constipation. They are good. F. G. Fricke & Co.

John G. Lohms, one of Eight Mile Grove precinct's solid young farmers, made The News a pleasant call today. He says the outlook for a big fruit crop was never better in old Cass than at the present time.

Judge Spurlock this morning granted a license to wed, and afterwards performed the ceremony which united the lives of Joseph Lindsey of Nehawka, age twenty-five and Caroline S. Ost of Avoca, age nineteen.

Will T. Richardson took out his last load of apple trees yesterday to finish planting his last forty acres. He now has over eighty acres in fruit trees, which, in a few years will yield him a handsome annual income.

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Another of Nebraska's earliest settlers has gone to her reward in the person of Mrs. Young, who was a sister of Broad, Dimmitt and Shadrach Cole, and mother of one of Cass county's prominent farmers, T. T. Young, of South Bend precinct. The deceased was in her ninetieth year when the message came which called her to the better world on Wednesday, at 11 o'clock a. m., April 15, from her home at University Place. Her son, T. T. Young, was at the state convention in Omaha, that day, and did not get to the farm until nearly 6 o'clock p. m. but he hastened a few minutes later to pay his last respects to all that was mortal of a kind mother.

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We did not learn, but the funeral doubtless took place at Ashland, her brother, Broad Cole, having long been a resident of that vicinity as well as her son.

Seed potatoes at A. H. Weekbach's. The very best.

More Trouble in Mercertown. Samuel Eckard a resident of Mercertown appeared in police court this morning and swore out warrants against Robt. McConnell and Frank and Charles Allen for disturbing the peace.

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Go to Tom Wavling for reliable abstracts. Conveyancing a specialty. Office first door east of the court house.

Miller Bros' restaurant, opposite the court house for fresh bass, shrimps, croupy's and other good things to eat.

McMaken & Son are now ready to supply their customers with the best of ice, delivered anywhere in town. Telephone 72.

A girl baby of the usual weight was born to Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Burke last night. Mother and child are doing well.

It's all the same, a slight cold, congested lungs or severe cough. One Minute Cough Cure banishes them. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Choice sorghum seed and best German millet seed for sale at Greeson's in Union block, on South Sixth street, Plattsmouth, Neb.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Rawis tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Melvin has just received her new spring and summer millinery and extends a cordial invitation to her friends to give her a call.

Wanted—Everybody to know that Elson, the clothier, before removing to Dovey's block, May 1, will save you money on your spring purchases.

A little ill, then a little pill. The ill is gone the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Mayor Newell returned today from a visit to Hamilton county, this state, and reports the prospects for an elegant crop out there are very encouraging.

Rev. H. Mendenhall, a colored divine of Atchison, highly spoken of as a fine speaker, will preach at Mt. Olive Baptist church in this city on Thursday evening. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Kneec will be here but a few days, and those who want fine hair switches or hair work done, may leave orders with Miss Carrie Adams at Dovey's store.

It is not a miracle. It wont cure everything, but it will cure piles. That's what DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve will do, because it has done it in hundreds of cases. F. G. Fricke & Co.

General Thayer Pensioned. WASHINGTON, April 20.—Judge Strode's bill for the pensioning of General Thayer was today signed by the president.

"It is a wise old saw which advises one 'not to go to France unless you know the lingo,' and indeed it is desirable to know just a little of the language to avoid humiliating little situations," said a Philadelphia young woman in speaking of her experience. "I am an American girl, and about a year ago was rather proud of my boarding school French, but I am wiser now. We were a party of four—my parents, myself and a young lady, some twenty years my senior, who had been my schoolmate, but was recently widowed. Our tour began in Germany, and as we were all densely ignorant of German, we were often-times compelled to depend greatly on gesture language, especially in out of the way places, where there were no English speaking hotel or railroad clerks and waiters. This gave us some decidedly comical experiences, though it was a revelation as to the capabilities of dumb show and pantomime, but on touching French soil I felt relieved and confident. Alas for human pride! At the first practical test, though I could read the language easily enough, I found I could scarcely catch a word.

The sounds seemed to fly like winged arrows, and it might have been Chinese, so far as my understanding it was concerned. Some of the more considerable, out of pure instinctive politeness, would speak very slowly, and then I could get along well enough, and in the course of a few days I began to recover some of my old confidence. My first real humiliation came at a restaurant in Paris (Paris Royal), when I wanted a spoon (cuiller) and asked for a staircase (escalier). I got over that, however, but was caught shortly afterward with the word 'frappe' on the wine list, which stuck me altogether until a young Englishman told me it meant 'iced.' By this time the comest was rapidly cooling out of me, and two more little incidents brought on the catastrophe. Our party determined one day to go to the theater, and I undertook to ask the clerk of the hotel about it, and in what I thought the purest Parisian French told him we wanted a box, which I translated 'boite.' Unable quite to restrain his laughter, he said, 'Mademoiselle means a kindergarten. I then discovered that 'boite' means a dry goods box, or any other kind almost rather than one at a theater. But worse remained. I wanted to explain to some French people that my friend, the widow, was in mourning for her husband, and I tried to say, 'Elle est en deuil paraque son mari est mort,' she is in mourning because her husband is dead. Unfortunately my conjugation of verbal participles was weak, and I substituted the word 'morne' for 'mort,' which made me say, 'She is in mourning because her husband is a codfish.'"

THE RETIRED BURGLAR. Perhaps the Most Curious of His Many Singular Adventures.

"In a house that I went into one night in the country," said the retired burglar, "I saw when I got up on the second floor a light coming out into the hall from an open door. When I got a look into that door, I saw a man all dressed standing leaning over a bed. I couldn't see his face, but I could see anxiety on the back of his head. Lying in the bed was a child, and I knew it was still, but awake and looking up at its father. Backing out of the door, I ticked my lamp against the door jamb. The man looked up. He wasn't scared. I doubt if he would have been anyway, but he was thinking of something else now.

"Come in," he says, and I went in. "The child looked at me as I walked across the floor, and then looked up again at its father, saying nothing, but just lying there and looking up.

"How the man came to be fixed in that way, all alone with that child, I could not even guess. Wife just died maybe, but there he was and thinking of nothing else in the world, and the child was the pitifullest looking little child I ever saw.

"What the man wanted was to have me go for the doctor. He told me his name and the doctor's name, and where he lived, and I went. It was late, you understand, but I whunged away on the doctor's door till I heard his light open his window. I told him what was wanted.

"'All right,' he says, and I thought by the way he said it he knew about the child.

"Then I went my way. I'd lost a night, but what of that?"—New York Sun.

Maimed Painter. Tenyson's line, "And breaks the blows of circumstance," finds a picturesque illustration in this paragraph from The Literary Digest:

The right hand of the Russian painter Vereshchagin is thumbless. His right thumb was bitten by a leopard some years ago and had to be amputated. The middle finger also of his right hand is lamed and useless as the result of a shot wound which the artist received on the battlefield. More than this, the small bones of his center of his right hand were also partially shattered by a fall on the Russian steppes, and his right arm was broken in the same accident. Nevertheless it is with this damaged right hand that Vereshchagin paints his wonderful pictures.

The Successful One. "So Miss Keene is married," said one young man.

"Yes," replied the despondent lover, "and to another."

"I thought she regarded you very kindly."

"She did. And I lavished every attention on her. I took her to the opera every night, and then she married my rival."

"She thought he had more money than you."

"She was sure of it. He couldn't help but have after I took her to the opera every night."—Washington Star.

Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company advertisement for White Star Soap and Durham Tobacco.

Who Is the Most Popular...Lady in Cass County? advertisement for Frank J. Morgan, Plattsmouth's Leading Clothier.

WANTS, BOARDING, LOST AND FOUND, FOR SALE, FOR RENT, MISCELLANEOUS, AGENTS, WANTED advertisement.

F. J. MORGAN, THE LEADING CLOTHIER advertisement.

THE LATEST THE NICEST THE BEST... OF EVERYTHING IN THE LINE OF ..Millinery advertisement.

W. D. JONES... Cass County's Oldest Liveryman, 618 MAIN STREET advertisement.

LIVERY STABLE advertisement.

EST rigs for Weddings, Funerals or Pleasure Parties, etc. Hired orders attended to promptly. Terms reasonable. Cash preferred. Call and get rates. Telephone 76. N. B.—W. D. Jones auctioneer—all kinds of goods and farm stock disposed of.