

The Semi-Weekly News-Herald

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THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY CASS COUNTY PAPER.

THE president did not leave his duck blind any too soon.

THE Trans-Mississippi exposition is to be strictly up to date.

OLNEY may pacify Spain and quell the war spirit at Madrid.

THE republicans promised prosperity when McKinley was elected.

WHAT has become of the popocratic prediction that more bonds would have to be sold immediately after McKinley's election to make good the gold reserve.

IT is too bad the trucking speculators down in New York state can't elect Tom Platte senator for life.

THE alleged warning to the United States telegraphed from Paris the other day to the effect that "Europe would not stand passive"

THE following episode, which occurred in Kansas, is self-explanatory: "John Robbins, the well known foot racer and all round sport got into an altercation with Dick Webb at Cheryryale, home of both, the other day.

One of Sterling's prominent citizens is named Dollarhide. He ought to do business on Wall street, where hiding dollars is a lucrative occupation.

Thomas B. Watson is the most versatile and the most optimistic populist we have ever known.

The Spanish government has furnished to the officers of the Spanish army a pamphlet containing a map of the United States and descriptions of the various warships, fortresses, batteries and other obstacles that they will have to encounter when they come

over here to punish Uncle Sam for his pertinence in offering his services to negotiate between Spain and the Cuban insurrectionists.

A very interesting and entertaining banquet to Mr. Bryan was given last evening in this city.

The annual report of the State Fish commission has been compiled.

How can the farmer best increase the price of his own products?

IS IT THE PAPER AGE?

SINCE PULP CAME INTO USE THERE HAVE BEEN MANY CHANGES.

Paper is taking the place of wood, stone and iron--It is now made absolutely fireproof--shirt bosoms that don't have to be washed.

Without steam and railroads modern society would undoubtedly exist. But what a state of intellectual darkness would be that of civilized mankind without paper and the secret of its manufacture!

The Nehawka Register man, in looking over a late copy of THE NEWS, was surprised to see so many new firms doing business in Plattsmouth.

Another week is now half gone and no gold find in Nebraska has thus far been reported.

The mills at Chadron pay 55 cents a bushel for sound wheat.

Sterling is trying to pull the camery away from Crab Orchard.

G. H. Brown of Crawford owns more sheep than any other man in the north-west.

The bionic-hial trouble has been giving Tim Seagwick of the York times another hard nut.

He total amount of dam gold done to the telephone company in Norfolk during the late sleet storm amounts to \$8,304.

Logan county farmers drive to North Platte, a distance of from twenty to forty miles, to market their live stock and grain.

Typoid fever carried off Albert Skelmer of Dawes county. He was twenty-one years of age and had been married but a few weeks.

The New Grove Advertiser and Gazette have been merged in the Herald, with A. L. Stewart as editor.

A Chadron physician offers to trade his electric light stock for real estate, horses or cattle, or take twenty-five cents on the dollar in cold cash.

Joseph Melnard of Arlington is all bunged up. He was hauling hay when the wagon upset and the hard, cold earth struck him with great force.

Fifteen years ago William H. Ketchum, now editor of the Crawford Tribune, was moulding opinion on the Table Rock Argus.

Hon. Seth Woods of Holt county is one of the numerous candidates for sergeant-at-arms of the house.

A horse kicked J. M. Carlsson of Newman Grovesquare in the mouth. As a result his jaw was broken in three places and he has four teeth less than he had previous to the accident.

Every Thursday morning, a tourist sleeping car for Salt Lake City, San Francisco and Los Angeles leaves Omaha and Lincoln via the Burlington Route.

It is carpeted; upholstered in rattan; has spring seats and lacks and is provided with curtains, bedding, towels, soap, etc.

While neither as expensively finished nor as fine to look at as a palace sleeper, it is just as good to ride in. Second class tickets are honored and the price of a berth, wide enough and big enough for two, is only \$5.

For a folder giving full particulars, call at the nearest B. & M. R. R. ticket office. Or, write to J. Francis, Gen'l. Pass'r. Agent, Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb.

Stands at the Head. Aug J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Strabevort, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have."

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

And She Went Quickly. "Mamma has just gone across the street, ma'am," said the demure little 6-year-old to the caller.

HE KNEW THE SIGNS.

John Bancks Did Not Have to Be a Mind Reader.

"John," said Mrs. Bancks as she came in from outside radiant with news.

"Few minutes," interrupted Mr. Bancks, looking at his watch.

"I just ran over to tell Mrs. Smith."

"What scandal?"

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THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL FOR 1897.

An even excellence makes the good things which the Ladies' Home Journal promises unusually interesting

and strong. The list is long and sturdy. One series of papers alone would sell the magazine; that is, the three White House articles which ex-President Harrison is to write.

No man has ever done what General Harrison will do in these articles; show us what "A Day With the President at His Desk" means in one article; in another tell of "The Social Life of the President," and in a third article describe "Upstairs Life in the White House."

Each of the articles will be profusely illustrated. Another series equally fascinating is the one called "Great Personal Events," in which some of the greatest enthusiasms which have occurred in America will be revived; those wonderful times when Louis Kossuth rode up Broadway; when the young Prince of Wales was here; when Jenny Lind sang in Castle Garden; when Henry Ward Beecher electrified his congregation by selling slaves in his pulpit; when Grant went round the world; when Henry Clay bid farewell to the senate; when John Wesley preached in Georgia, of which so few know.

All these memorable events and others will be vividly recalled; told more graphically than ever before, and illustrated with pictures which have occupied twelve artists for over a year.

A third series is unique and valuable from the fact that it will give women scores of ideas for their homes. It will reveal what there is "inside a Hundred American Homes" completely-furnished rooms in homes in this country--from Maine to California--where taste has gone farther than money.

Two new department writers have also been exclusively engaged by the Journal--Mrs. S. T. Rorer, who will hereafter have entire charge of the domestic department and give a series of cooking lessons, and Dwight L. Moody, the famous evangelist, who is to put the result of his life study of the bible in a department entitled "Mr. Moody's Bible Class."

The artist, Charles Dana Gibson, who created the Gibson girl, will present six full-page pictures showing "The People of Dickens," while Alice Barber Stephens will alternate with Mr. Gibson and present her idea of "Six Types of American Womanhood," showing the American woman in society, in religion, in business, in summer, in the home, and as a mother.

Mary E. Watkins, the New England writer, will revive the old quilting-party, the ancient singing school and the apple-paring bee in the "Pleasures of our Neighborhood."

Sir Henry Irving is to tell how to study, read and present "Shakespeare in Small Communities."

To tell the song writer, will give his first piano composition. Sir Arthur Sullivan is to present the first true and correct copy of "The Lost Chord" ever printed in America.

Reginald DeKoven, John Philip Sousa and Jakobowski, who wrote "Erminie" have each written a walse, while Ira D. Sankey has composed a hymn which he considers greater than the famous "Ninety and Nine."

Jan Melaren will have a story, while Herbert D. Ward's humorous serial, "The Burglar Who Moved Paradise," will run through the year, followed by Hamlin Garland's new novelette, "The Spirit of Sweetwater," Jenny Lind's daughter is to sketch "My Mother as I Recall Her," while George W. Smalley is to show "The Personal Side of Biemarck," and "The Personal Side of the Prince of Wales" in two lavishly illustrated articles. Altogether, the magazine gives a list of attractions so interesting and promising as does the Ladies' Home Journal, and certainly no periodical does it, as does the Journal, for only one dollar per year. If it has become a fad, as it seems, for every girl and woman to take this magazine, it is an excellent one, and, unlike many other fads, a sensible one.

The Journal is published by the Curtis Publishing Company of Philadelphia.

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Farm for Sale. 240 acre farm three miles from Plattsmouth, one mile from Mynard, Cass county, Neb. First-class improvements consisting of a good nine-room house, large barn, cattle sheds, corn cribs, granaries, out buildings, young bearing orchard. All under plow and well fenced and cross fenced. Running water. Price, \$45 per acre. Terms, one-third cash, balance on time at low rate interest. T. H. POLLOCK, Agent, Plattsmouth, Neb.

Wanted to Buy. Eighty acres improved land near Plattsmouth. T. H. POLLOCK.

WANTED--80 acres improved land within reasonable distance of Plattsmouth. Inquire of M. S. Briggs, P. O. Box 907.

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CASTORIA

for Infants and Children.

THIRTY years' observation of Castoria with the patronage of millions of persons, permit us to speak of it without guessing.

Castoria destroys Worms. Castoria allays Feverishness.

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Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep.

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See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A.

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Has a larger stock than ever which must be sold and he has made prices that will sell the goods.

FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS

Nothing is nicer than an Easy Chair, an elegant Picture; or a convenient Writing Desk. Pearlman has them to give away--or next thing to it.

He has the sole agency for the best Stove on earth, the "GOLD COIN"

in all sizes and designs. No other house in Cass county carries half so large a stock and none can compete on prices, as he pays cash for his goods.

YOU ARE... Specially Invited to call and see our splendid stock and get prices. No trouble to show good. Remember the place.

I. PEARLMAN, Opp. Court House. Plattsmouth, Neb.

Mr. C. M. Dixon, a well known merchant of Pleasant Ridge, Fulton Co., Pa., has a little girl who is frequently threatened with croup, but when the first symptoms appear, his wife gives her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which always affords prompt relief.

Trade is going to be good in Plattsmouth this fall and winter and the merchant who expects to get his full share of it must make a bid for it. THE NEWS is read by more people than any other publication in the city and the merchant who uses its columns as a trade-getter will use good judgment.