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### The Semi-Weekly News-Herald

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB.

#### BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist.

Best ink 5c per bottle at Lehnhoff's. Pencil tablets, 1c at Gering & Co's. A good tooth brush, 10c at Gering & Co's.

Dry cobs for sale. Enquire at this office.

Cartor's best ink, 3c a bottle at Gering & Co's.

White paste mucilage only 5c at Gering & Co's.

5c buys a double clasp pocket book at Gering & Co's.

All lovers of first-class cigars, smoke Wurl's "Gut Heil".

A fine line of school supplies at Smith & Parmele's.

Dr. Elster, Waterman block, for painless dentistry.

Insure in the German American. Fred Ebinger, Agent.

No half stock school supplies, but everything needed at Lehnhoff's.

Crabill, the practical jeweler, will repair your watch correctly and promptly.

A sponge thrown in with each purchase of school supplies at Smith & Parmele's.

Stove pipe 10 cents per joint; elbows 10 cents at S. E. Hall & Son's. South Sixth Street.

Merchants' lunch every day—from 9 to 11 o'clock—at Donat's, in Stadlermann block.

Largest tablets, 5 cents, two large tablets for 5 cents, tablets for 1 cent at Lehnhoff's.

News items are scarcer than usual today. Even the police court is dead as an Egyptian mummy.

Patrolize home industry and buy an outright store of S. E. Hall & Son. There are none better made.

Ideal polish brightens nickel, silver or brass. Sample bottle free, full size, 25 cents. W. W. Coates.

Who does your laundry work? Why not give the Pearl steam laundry a trial? Opposite the court house.

The corner stone for the new U. P. church at Murray will be laid with appropriate ceremonies tomorrow at 3 p. m.

Fred Horn spent the summer with his parents at Hay Springs and is back again in Plattsmouth to attend school.

LOST—A book belonging to the Second ward carrier boy of THE NEWS. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

Some wheat and rye ground to rent, also two or three small pieces of new ground near the river. Enquire of M. S. Briggs.

"Klondike Morning Times," published at Dawson City, Alaska. Call and get a free sample copy at Wm. Harold & Son.

Miss Mabel Urub, one of Plattsmouth's brightest young ladies, is teaching out in the Stull district on the Platte bottom.

The county commissioners and Clerk Robertson drove out to Louisville this morning to inspect the bridge over the Platte which has been recently refloated.

Ballard's Snow Liniment will cure lame back, sore throat, wounds, sprains, bruises, cuts, old sores. Ladies, it will cure your back-ache. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Walter White was the lowest bidder for furnishing coal to the court house, poor house and for paupers, viz: \$3.10 per ton, and the contract was therefore awarded him.

F. H. Wilson received a letter from his brother in New Orleans today which had been disinfected. The envelope was punctured with small holes so that hot steam could enter it.

Moments are useless if trifled away; and they are dangerously wasted if consumed by delay in cases where One Minute Cough Cure would bring immediate relief. F. G. Fricke & Co.

F. M. Richey has been making some improvements at his lumber yard. He is having a new shed built, in which will be kept his stock of lumber, thus keeping it dry at all seasons.

Chris Wohlfarth is going to move into the Capt. Palmer building and will make special reduction in prices in order to save expense in moving. Come and see some bargains in household goods.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. De Witt's Little Early Risers, the pills

that cleanse that organ, quickly. F. G. Fricke & Co.

There's no better flour made than Heisel's "Plansifter," manufactured in this city. Ask your grocer for it, and thereby get the best and support a home industry at the same time, which builds up the town.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even though of many year's standing, may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. F. G. Fricke & Co.

The prices for Santanelli are 15, 25 and 35 cents, reserved seats on sale at Lehnhoff's. The prices given in THE NEWS last evening were incorrect. Remember the dates—all week—beginning Monday evening, Sept. 27, at White's opera house.

The busiest people in town are Lehnhoff Bros. Since opening of schools, every boy and girl in town has been at their store buying school supplies. The school census could be taken there.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Is your child puny, pecked and peevish? Does it fret and cry without seeming cause? Does it have convulsions? If so, it has worms, and White's Cream Vermifuge will safely expel them and restore its health. 25c. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Mrs. Greusel, after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wertheimer, departed for a like stay this morning with her son at Havlock, after which time she will go to Sandusky, Ohio, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Grotch.

The prize winner now is "Wurl Bros." famous 5-cent cigar, which has no equal on the market. It has forged its way to the front against keen competition and is now one of the best sellers in eastern Nebraska, because it is made from the finest tobacco, carefully selected. The "Porto Roco" is our best 10-cent cigar. Remember—Otto Wurl, Manufacturer.

The officers of the Tuxedo dancing club recently organized are Henry Tartsch, president; Frank A. White, vice president; Henry E. Weidman, secretary and treasurer. A business meeting will be held next Tuesday night. Twenty have joined the club and as many more are expected. The first dance will be given Friday evening, October 1, at Waterman's hall.

We are again in the market with bargains in wall paper from the great establishment of Alfred Poase. We are six months ahead of the market in representing the new styles for the spring of 1898, and thanking our patrons who have repeatedly purchased of us for four years we are prepared to furnish the finest styles at lowest prices. Give us a call and examine our samples. James Petee.

Santanelli, the famous hypnotist has never before been west of Chicago. He has usually visited only the large cities and college towns of the east. He wanted to make an experimental tour of the west, and so far has met with the same success achieved in the eastern cities. All next week at White's opera house. Monday evening ladies will be admitted free when accompanied by one paid admission.

The ladies are having splendid success in arranging for their paper to be printed Oct. 1. The early history of all the churches and schools will be given in addition to the news of the day. Lady correspondents will also contribute to what will be the best paper ever printed in the county. Advertisers who take space in this special edition will have cause to congratulate themselves when results are noted.

Gust Brandeen and Chas Hasman have formed a partnership and purchased a general merchandise store at Waverly, where they will move next week and take charge of the business. They are two of Plattsmouth's best young men and we are sure their reputation for square dealing and safe conservative business methods will make them friends in their new home and will crown their efforts with success.

At the State Fair. Judging from the number of railway tickets sold, Plattsmouth contributed over 800 people to the state fair and parade at Omaha last night. The fair was better than ever and the parade is reported as quite satisfactory. The crowd arrived home about 1 o'clock this morning.

Slate sponges, 1c at Gering & Co's.

#### A PLEASANT SOCIAL GATHERING.

Ladies of the Frauenverein Surprise a Member of Their Society.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lehnhoff, on Fifth street, was the scene last evening of a pleasant social gathering. The affair was in honor of Mrs. Horn, mother of Mrs. Hassler, the former having just returned from a three month's visit with her children in the west. She being a member of the Frauenverein of the German Evangelical St. Paul's church, the ladies of that society decided to give her a hearty welcome, and with this end in view they gathered at the home of Mrs. Chris Koehne, and from there journeyed in a body to the Hassler residence. Mrs. Horn was taken completely by surprise, but this did not mar the pleasure of the evening in the least. The guests had come well provided with eatables, and after social converse, the singing of German songs, etc., the guests were ushered into the dining room, where they did justice to the good things spread out before them. All the guests were well-pleased with the manner in which they had been entertained by the hostess, and expressed their hopes that she would live to pay her children in the west many more pleasant visits.

Following is a list of those who were present—many of the members of the society, who would otherwise have been present, being kept away owing to the festivities in Omaha: Messrs. and Mesdames Martens, Tartsch, Hassler, Ploeger, Shantz, Mesdames Horn, Koehne, Mumma, Goos, Fricke, Hoffmann, Lutz, Klinger, Rhode, Mittlemier, Thierolf; Misses Koehne, Horn, Luchinsky, Roeder, Speck, Jess, Rhode, Martin, Hassler, and Rev. F. H. Freund.

#### LITERARY NOTES.

The first and only pictures Mrs. McKinley has had taken in ten years appears in the October number of the Ladies' Home Journal. They form part of a series of new and unpublished photographs of the new occupants of the White House. Mrs. McKinley wore for her picture her inaugural ball dress of silver and white brocade, at the special request of the president, who thought it particularly becoming. The excellent portrait of Mr. McKinley in his office, was taken in June. The other pictures in the series show the many changes in the arrangements and furnishings of rooms and grounds made by the president and Mrs. McKinley.

It does not seem possible that the table for eight people can be provided for ten dollars a week. But Mrs. Rorer, the most famous cook in America, says it can be done. She has tried it and knows. She proves her case in the Ladies' Home Journal for October. She gives twenty-one menus covering a week's meals, and gives full, practical directions by which any woman can make as attractive meals as Mrs. Rorer explains, for this small sum of ten dollars.

Arrested For Burglary. Sheriff Huberle arrived here at noon having in custody one W. H. Handley, who has lived in the vicinity of Eagle, Cass county, for the past year, and who stands an excellent show for going to the penitentiary. It seems that he went to the residence of Charles Dorman, jr., and stole eighty-five bushels of oats, which he hauled to Eagle and sold for \$12.40. It is the common report that he will plead guilty.—Nebraska City News.

Fraternal Union of America. The Fraternal Union of America, although a new organization in the city, is not a new order, but is a substantial and reliable fraternal insurance company, and is a western enterprise, having headquarters at Denver.

Recently, two brothers, Mrs. Mattie Gray and William Renner, met with accidents and the local secretary has this week handed them checks covering their claims in full, for weekly indemnity.

The Best Remedy For Rheumatism. (From the Fairhaven, N. Y., Register.) Mr. James Rowland, of this village, writes that for twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief. He says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all druggists.

The Key of Sheridan's Success. General Horace Porter, in his "Campaigning With Grant," in "The Century," says, after describing the battle of Five Forks: Sheridan had that day fought one of the most interesting tactical battles of the war, admirable in conception, brilliant in execution, strikingly dramatic in its incidents and productive of extremely important results. I said to him, "It seems to me that you have exposed yourself to the danger of a commander of such an important movement." His reply gave what seems to be the true key to his uniform success on the field. "I have never in my life taken a command into battle and had the slightest desire to come out alive unless I won."

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#### TELLS A LONG STORY.

A Granite Monument at Antietam Recalls a Family History.

Major Kingsbury had a daughter as well as the son who fell at Antietam. The daughter married Simon Bolivar Buckner of Kentucky some time before the war. When General Buckner decided to go with the Confederacy, the danger of confiscation of his wife's interest in the Chicago estate contacted him. A family council resulted in the transfer of Mrs. Buckner's property to her brother, Colonel Kingsbury, who fell in battle without leaving a will to protect his sister's inheritance. When the war closed, the return of Mrs. Buckner's interest in her father's estate was asked for by the claim of her children. Mrs. Kingsbury declined to concede it. She claimed a title that had been left by her father's name for her son and her. In 1873 a question followed and dragged along for years. Major Kingsbury's estate was in the heart of Chicago what the law occurred.

In the years immediately following the war Washington had few women more talked about than the beautiful widows, Mrs. Becky Jones and Mrs. Kingsbury, the niece of an ex-senator of the United States. Mrs. Kingsbury became the wife of Gallatin Lawrence, son of one of the great industrialists in Rhode Island. Gallatin Lawrence had chosen a diplomatic career. He was sent to Costa Rica as minister. When he came back, wealthy at the capital had a great satisfaction in the talk of a duel between Major Kingsbury and Captain Lawrence. The duel was fought in the city of Antietam, Md. The duel was a long and a hard one. There was a man and then a divorce case. Von der Haas went to Egypt. Mrs. Lawrence went there too. Gallatin Lawrence returned to the States.

The son of Colonel Kingsbury was sent to Oxford. His inheritance was cut in two by a decision restoring to her heirs Mrs. Buckner's share in the 30 acres. One day young Kingsbury came home from Oxford, bringing a college friend. Between the English student and Mrs. Lawrence an attachment quickly developed. Mrs. Lawrence was twice the age of her son's chum. She married him and, it was the last that he did in this country, living with him abroad. Kingsbury married a Levantine, and he, too, is in a foreign country. The fortune acquired through the Chicago investment has been much reduced. Mrs. Becky Jones, after a long career in Washington, traveled extensively and settled in Canada, where she is still living, by all accounts. This is the complicated story, briefly told, of the events which the granite monument above the stone bridge at Antietam commemorates.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The African Piano. Among the musical instruments used on the Congo we notice the long and short drum. Some drums are used to beat the time of the dance. Some other drums are used as telephones for the transmission of messages to neighboring villages. The stringed instruments represent the African harp. The ivory horns are used for the convocation of the people. The double bell is used to call the attention of the people to some proclamation of the chief. The Africans everywhere are very musical, but their music does not always suit European taste.

The African dance is not always indulged in for amusement alone. Dancing enters into some of the most solemn ceremonies, as, for instance, the inauguration of a chief. The chief is seated in a high chair, and the chief of the tribe dances very gracefully before the assembled elders and the people.

The madimba had been called the African piano. It is made of calabashes of graded sizes, which are surmounted by boards, of graded sizes also, all being attached to a semicircular frame. Each board represents a note or half note, and emits its appointed sound when struck by one of the two rubber balls at the ends of two sticks, which are cleverly handled by the musician. While almost every native can beat the drum or play some of the minor musical instruments, the playing of the madimba is an art which only a few specialists learn. They must be paid for playing at festivities or ceremonies, and their art supports them, either partly or entirely.—Journal of American Folk Lore.

Remaining uncalled for at the post-office at Plattsmouth, Sept. 22, 1897: Border, N. D. Essig, Geo. Carey, Mrs. A. Gill, O. W. Seward, Gram. Sicklora, Mrs. Mary.

When calling for any of the above letters please say "advertised." W. K. Fox, P. M.

Cheap Rates to Kansas City. The M. P. Ry. will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip to Kansas City on account of carnival and Priors of Pallas parade, October 3 to 9 inclusive, good to return till October 10. For further particulars enquire of C. F. Stoutenborough, agent.

Buckler's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, burns, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. G. Fricke.

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There is Nothing so Good. There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's new discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's new discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For coughs, colds, consumption and for all affections of throat, chest and lungs, there is nothing so good as Dr. King's new discovery. Trial bottle free at F. G. Fricke's drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.

There is a Class of People Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called Grain-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/2 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for Grain-O.

Peppermint Laundry. B. F. Goodman has his new laundry fully equipped with latest devices, now in running order, and asks a share of your patronage. His work is his best advertisement, and if you try the new laundry there will be no longer any excuse for sending goods away. Nothing too good for our patrons is our motto. Work called for and delivered.

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