## FIRE DESTROYS A BARN

Sheriff Wheeler Loses a Fine \$200 Team As a Result.

Burned Building Owned By Dan Wheeler But Was Rented By the Sheriff-Two Wagons, Twenty Tons of Hay, a New Buggy and Five Mules Are Also Destroyed.

#### From Monday's daily.

The barn on the farm of Dan Wheeler, situated about six miles southwest of Plattemouta, and which is rented by Sheriff William Wheeler, was burned about 2 o'clock Sunday morning with all the contents. In the barn were three head of horses, five mules, a new buggy, two wagons, seven sets of harness and about twenty tons of hay, besides many minor articles.

Mr. Wheeler arrived home from a trip over the county Saturday evening and when he retired everything about the barn was all right. His sons at- gist sells it. tended a social on that evening, returning home about 11 o'clock, and found store to the room formerly occupied the barn to be all right.

About 2 o'clock Mr. Wheeler was awakened by someone rapping at the door, and when he arose, saw the sides | work done on short notice. of the barn falling. John DeGrotte, who resides in the neighborhood, had been attending a dance at Mynard, and when he started home he noticed a light in the west. When arriving within a mile of the fire he discovered it was on Mr. Wheeler's farm and hurried to the place. Upon arriving he saw no one about the scene of the fire and notified Mr. Wheeler, as above

One peculiar incident in relation to the fire is that a grey hound perished Hardware Co., at reasonable prices. in the flames, although two doors were open through which it could have escaped. Mr. Wheeler suspicions no school hall on Thurday evening, June ing in search of one Frank Ranahan, one, but it is the theory of many that | 22. the dog had been killed to prevent awakening the owner.

There were two horses released from the barn in some manner, they & Co. being found in the orchard near the barn after the fire. A bridle was found near the horses. This fact also creates suspicion that the barn had been set on fire by an incendiary.

Two of the mules which were burned belonged to Mr. Wheeler's hired man. A few days ago he got possession of the animals and being desirous of break- on the market. ing them to work Mr. Wheeler turned fered \$150 for one of the animals not Building association. See T. M. Patlong since. This was fortunate for terson, secretary. the sheriff, but not for the hired man.

Mr. Wheeler's loss will foot up about \$700. He had insurance to the amount of \$650 and the total loss will reach \$1,-

This misfortune is particularly hard at this time of the year-in the midst of corn plowing-but Mr. Wheeler has ordered new harness made and will buy horses immediately and attend to his corn crop.

### DELEGATES MAKE THEIR REPORT

General Discussions of Sunday School

Work at the M. E. Church. About fifty Sunday school workers and others interested in the work assembled at the Methodist church last evening to listen to the report of the delegates who attended the state Sunday school convention held at Holdrege last week. There were five delegates from Plattsmouth, and by the way this was the only town in the county represented. The report was made by Mrs. Byron Clark and C. W. Green.

They reported that there were 305 delegates registered, and that the convention was a most interesting and instructive one. At one session there were over 1,300 people in attendance. Forty-two counties of the state were represented. After the close of the report discussions on Sunday school work were indulged in and questions were asked the delegates. The matter of organizing a county Sunday school association was discussed at length, and steps were taken by appointing George L. Farley to correspond with different towns in the county in regard to the matter.

Andrew Kaufman Missing. The family of Andrew Kaufman, a

tailor who has been conducting a small shop on Fifth street, reported to the police last evening that he had been missing from home since Saturday morning and that they are anxious to learn of his whereabouts. It is understood that he has at different times threatened to jump into the Missouri river and the family were afraid he carried his threat into execution. City Marshal Slater telephoned to Nebraska City requesting that the river banks be watched, but it has been learned today that he went to Omaha ably return home in a few days.

### REPORT OF CHICAGO MARKETS

Following is the range of prices on the Chicago board of trade today, as furnished by M. S. Briggs, commission merchant:

OPTIONS	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat— July Sept Dec	7614@14 7714 7914	76% 77% 79	75% 76% 78%	75%@% 76%B 78%
Corn- July Sept Dec May	3434 3434 3434 3534	3476 3476 3434 3534	3434 3456 3376 35	3436 3456 3376 3536
Oats- July Sept Dec May	245% 22623% 223% 243%	24% 2263% 22% 24%	241/4 213/4 221/4 241/4	241/4 211/4 221/4 241/6
Pork- July	8.35	8.35 8.52	8.22 8.42	8.22 8.42

phone 72 or 73.

#### BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist For tornado policies call on J. H.

fee cream packed for picaic parties at Holloway's.

Musical instruments refinished by

Patton & Bulger. To Rent-Furnished rooms. Platts

mouth telephone 163. Refore buying binding twine see

Ebinger Hardware Co. Insure in the German American. Fred Ebinger, Agent.

Ice cream freezers of the best makes Ebinger Hardware company. Try the Eyans Laundry of Lincoln.

Satisfaction guaranteed. Don Despain,

To move stock we will sell fruit jars, all sizes, at wholesale rates, F. T.

Mound City paint. All colors, Best on earth. A. W. Atwood, the drug-M. Fanger today moved the Boston

by the Department store. The News office is the best equipped job office in Cass county. First class

A. W. Atwood, the druggist, has just what you want in wall paper.

Plattsmouth Telephone 27. Preserve your trees and shrubbery the Ebinger Hardware company.

Anyone desiring spring house cleaning done would do well to call on Telfer & Sheppard, on Vine street.

Full line of Quick Meal gasoline and Blue Flame oil stoves at Ebinger The commencement exercises of St.

John's school will be held at the

Carriage painting done in first-class style by Patton & Bulger. Shop on Vine, between Fourth and Fifth

When you want to smoke a 10-cent eigar try Otto Wurl's"Silver Wreath" -union made-you can find no better Money to loan on improved city real of age.

out his best team, he having been of- estate by the Plattsmouth Loan and James L. Walker, a conservatory

graduate, instructor on piano and or- today. gan, also in voice culture. Rooms in the Rockwood block. C. D. Conally has purchased Joe

Shaw's interest in the Murray blacksmith shop and will conduct the busi; and is taking an enforced lay-off. ness alone in the future. The "Gut Heil" 5-cent cigar has an enviable reputation among smokers.

Otto Wurl, Manufacturer. The rehersal for the P. E. O. minstrel will be held tonight with Mrs.

Union made. For sale by all dealers.

Charles C. Parmele at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. There is no o'd stock at the Metroare new from the house this season.

Newest goods, latest styles and lowest goods are offered. What you want is not temporary relief from piles but a cure to stay cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles and they stay cured. F. G.

Fricke & Co. If your glasses are bent or do not fit you perfectly call at John T. Coleman's jewelry store and have Mr. Brower straighten them for you. No

charge will be made. in town under Morgan's store. Everythe whiskers.

Have you ever had your eyes examined by an expert optician? If not, why not? It costs you nothing. Mr. Brower of the Columbian Optical company, 211 South Sixteenth street, Omaha, will be at John T. Coleman's

jewelry store June 15 to 21. T. V. Davis, who has been in the general merchandise business in Murray for a number of years, has sold out and will leave Murray on account of his wife's poor health. A man by the name of Good purchased the stock and J. W. Edmunds purchased the

Deputy County Clerk Will Coolidge remained at home this morning, not to toil in the garden, but to look at the fine new boy his wife presented to him this morning. He came down to Saturday morning and he will prob- the office after dinner with a box of cigars, to which his friends were

Mr. Brower, expert optician of the Columbian Optical company, 211 South Sixteenth street, Omaha, is here on his second visit, and will be pleased to meet all his old customers. Mr. Brower will no doubt make as many new ones, as he understands his business thoroughly. Will be at John T.

Coleman's jewelry store June 15 to 21. Pure crystal ice. Order your sum- ticles. If he had come out as well on full of fine exhibits. The Indian con-

## TURNERS AT ST. JOE.

District a Big One.

Plattsmouth Turners Have Charge of the Field Day Exercises - Woman From Saginaw, Mich , In Toan Looking For Her Betrayer-Other Local Hap-

The Missouri Valley District of Piano Duet-"The Chevaller" Furners celebrated Field day at St. Cantata-"Who Killed Cock Robin?". .... Ford , Joe last Sunday, and Plattsmouth was well represented by Messrs. Otto and Emit Wurl, John P. Sattler, Fred Ebinger and George Klinger.

At a convention of the Turners in Omaha last April Plattsmouth was chosen as headquarters for the Missouri Valley district-John P. Sattler being elected as president, Otto Wurl as district inspector, Fred Ebinger as treasurer and Emil Wurl trustee. Consequently these gentlemen were very important factors at the gathering in St. Joe last Sunday-in fact, they had charge of the entire affair. The day was spent in various amusements-athletic sports, contests, etc. -but the representatives from Plattsmouth could not participate in the contests on account of the offices they hold. Besides the large numter of members of the Missouri Valley district, there were large crowds of visiting Turners from the Kansas by purchasing one of those spayers of district and other places in at-

> The Plattsmouth boys returned over the Burlington early this morning, and they report one of the finest and largest gatherings of Turners

#### which they ever attended.

Hunting Her Betrayer. Lizzie Donegan is the name of a woman who arrived in the city this mornwho, she says, is the father of her un-For relief and comfort in asthma born child. Her home is in Saginaw, Ballard's Horehound Sprup has no Mich., at which place she met Ranaequal. Price 25 and 50c. F. G. Fricke han, whom she leved unwisely, but too well, it seems. Ranahan was at one day time a resident of Plattsmouth, being smith shop and was quite well known day. in the city. He left here about four years ago for Canada. The woman was attending to business in the and French." He got more pupils than made a diligent search for her alleged | county seat today. betraver before leaving, and when she left said that she was determined to of Louisville were transacting busi- tongue, but took lessons in Latin and find him. She was about forty years ness in the city today.

#### RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

William Mann of the Burlington store house was a visitor in Omaha

Frank Calkin dropped a heavy while working in the machine shop, daughter, Mrs. Charles Taylor.

H S. Jones, traveling passenger agent for the Burlington, was in the city today interviewing Agent W. L. Pickett.

Will Criskey, who is firing an engine in South Om ha, spent Sunday in Plattsmouth.

George Stamm, who is working in rived in town this morning. politan millinery store. All goods the Havelock shops, got a small piece of steel in his eye last week. Dr. T. P Livingston removed the obstacle man arrived in the city this morning

A sign of the times is the large amount of money being spent by rail roads in improvements. One western road, the Burlington, has appropriated do less than \$6,000,000 for this purpose. This is exclusive of the cost of building new lines in western Nebraska and Wyoming. By far the most important part of the Burlington's big repair job is the completion Charles Martin, who was formerly of the double track between Omaha in the employ of M. S. Briggs, has and Chicago. Thirty five miles of opened one of the neatest barber shops couble track are being laid between Mount Pleasant and Batavia, Iowa, thing is new and bright, and satisfac- and ten miles between New London tion is guaranteed or he will put back and Mount Pleasant, Iowa. With the exception of a stretch of fifteen miles, the road now has a double track all the way from Chicago to Mount Pleasant, a distance of 232 miles. All the Illinois lines are double-tracked, and Everybody invited. 155 miles in Iowa will be in similar condition before the end of the summer. Considerable work is being done on the Illinois and Iowa divisions in Harriet Kiser. the reduction of grades and elimination of curves. At Princeton, Buda, Galva and Kirkwood, Iil., grades are being materially lessened, and curves are being taken out. In Chicago between 500 and 600 men are elevating the Burlington tracks, at a cost of \$750,000 Sixteen four-track steel bridges are being erected, but the work has been so well planned that trains are run without interruption. THE NEWS prints the news.

Schley at the Exposition. Arrangements for making July 3, America exposition, Omaha, are about completed. The great commodore will honor the occasion by his presence. Every day will be a special day at the Greater America, from July 1 to November 1, 1899. President McKinley and Admiral Dewey will both visit the Greater America exposition. Dates Eugene Munn, president of the Filipino village, people, houses, ani-Wheeler in his fire Saturday night. been secured, as well as some of the A settlement was reached in short finest bands in the United States, for order, the sheriff receiving more for the Greater America. Special features This fact was due to inquiries made of grounds have been almost transformed mals lost. He received \$510 for his be worth a long trip and the admission horses and \$153.75 for the other ar- fee to see. The buildings are chock mer's supply of McMaken & Son. Tele- the latter as he did on the horses he gress better than last year. Grand has the largest line of lawn-mowers opening day, July 1, 1899.

#### St. John's Commencement. The following program will be ren-

dered at the commencement exercises of St. John's school at the school hall Assembly of the Missouri Valley on Thursday evening, June 22: 'The Music Box"

Hunters Song.

long-"I Want to Pawn My Dollie" ..... Verner Piano Duet-"Auf zur lagd" sentiments from the hand of Nod. Instrumental Trio-Valse. Echoes from Kindergarten The Wackenfulen Band .... A Discussion-Ned's Present. Instrumental Trio-"Camp of Glory" Professional Tramps.

PARTS. Introductory-Birds' Song in Praise of the rime Vocalist Discovery of Cock Robin by Hunters.

Knight of the Woods Peasants' Song Maids, Hunters and Knight hold a "Coroner's

Sparrow Confesses the Deed. Fly, Fish, Mosquito and Cricket sing "The parrow's Shame 'The Lament''-Beetle, Owl and Kite.

Lark and Linnet. Dove the "Chief Mourner. Parson Rook's Song and Funeral Hymn in Solo-"Thrush's Psalm." Hark! While the Tolling-Tolling of the Bell, and Farewell-

Final Chorus and Recessional Successful Donation Party. .. Mrs. Mark Peabody Characters Rev. Mr. Goodman, Mrs. Goodman, Miss Goodman, Master Goodman, Deacon

Pulcifer and other members of the Con-

#### PERSONAL MENTION.

Hans Goos was in Omaha this morn-

Father J. T. Carney was a business visitor in Omaha today.

passenger this morning. S. M. Chapman went to Lincoln on

legal business last evening. Mis-es Maude and Minta Mauzy were Omaha visitors today.

Captain George Sheldon of Nehawka vas a Plattsmouth visitor today. Charles Grimes and Colonel Hickey were sight-seers in the metropolis to-

John Schiappacasse, the fruit ven- pick up some scraps of German, he deemployed in the Burlington black- der, was buying goods in Omaha to- termined to try his luck in one of the

J. P. Wood and Theodore Boedeker only perfected himself in the German

Will Jamison of Weeping Water

Mrs. Schulze went to Missouri Valley, Ia., this morning to visit her

daughter several days. Mrs. O. F. Utterback, the milliner, was in Omaha this afternoon looking an the new styles.

Mrs. J. S. Mathews of South piece of iron on one of his feet today Omaha is in the city the guest of he

Charles Sheeley, the bridge contractor, was in the city over night, returning to Lincoln this morning. Miss Marie Ryan, the trimmer in Mrs.O. F. Utterback's millinery store, returned from a visit with friends at & Co.

Glenwood this morning. T. L. Battell of Chicago, who will tomorrow be joined in wedlock with Miss Hattie Chapman of this city, ar-

John and Gene Matson of Kossuth, Ia., nephew and niece of S. M. Chapto attend the E ttell Chapman wedding tomorrow.

Mrs. Peter Minor and children of and share the pleasure of being buried Louisiana, Mo., arrived in the city in the same grave." this morning and will visit for several weeks with the former's parents, Jacob Vallery and wife.

### MYNARD ITEMS.

rating their corn. There can be seen loads of implements leaving the firm of Kiser & Crabtree, who are selling cheap for

Mrs. Meek Davis and daughter Cora, of Plattsmouth, were visiting

with Mrs. Ida Long yesterday. A Sanday school has been organized here, and there is a good attendance.

There are two new houses going up here at present. One is owned by der of the committee. Neison Murray and the other by Mrs.

W. H. Venner bought a new mower and hay rake of Kiser & Crabtree.

W. B. Porter, the road contractor for Plattsmouth precinct, has employed C. H. Vallery with his engine to run the grader, and they made a test vesterday, which was very satis-

Yesterday was "hog day" in Mynard and farmers were busy all day hauling in their fat porkers.

### Pills of Perfume.

Discriminating London femininity has sealed the doom of sachet powder next, "Schley Day" at the Greater so far as its application to personal apothecaries in the fashionable west end sell perfume pills now instead of and plaintiff's title to said premises the powders in consequence of the new demand. The pills are fragrant, scented with violet, heliotrope, lilac and rose, and they are sold in little

and rose, and they are sold in little the powders, in consequence of the round boxes like a tiny bonbonniere. By J. M. Leyda, Attorney As to he method of using them, they will be an nounced later. A complete certainly are not swallowed. The Farmer's Mutual Insurance company mals, etc., will be at the exposition. pocket, another in her glove, and a of Lincoln, came down today and ad- The famous Godfrey's British Military third is tucked away in her corsage. justed the loss incurred to Sheriff band, the crack band of London, has The uninitiated might take her for a walking homeopathic medicine chest, but the up-to-date girl knows better. She understands that the pills are not his horses than he put them in at. in every department. The exposition that they are the proper substitute for sugar coated, but sweet scented, and the sachet bag. They give just that neighbors as to the value of the ani- by the landscape artist, and alone will faint, delicate suggestion of fragrance desired by the woman of refinement.

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#### CHARLEY BLISS' LATIN.

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Inibus lapibus sitti girlorum Thenibus boyibus kissi someorum. Papibus seelbus, slapi girlorum;

Kikibus boyibus outi doororum. Thenibus boyibus limpi homeorum, Girlibus cryibus, kissi nomorum -Hillsboro News-

#### TWO LANGUAGES.

Learned by a Smart Young Man While Teaching Another.

Brooklyn Citizen: I know a young American in New York, who, some years ago, after saving enough money to pay his passage across the Atlantic, and studying French for a short time went to Paris, hired a room, and put on its door a card bearing his name, with the legend, "Teacher of the English Language." In a few days he got a pupil at the rate of one franc a week; by the end of the week he had several Mrs. Annie Britt was an Omaha pupils; his fame spread so that in a few months he had four classes, each class with 20 pupils, meeting in his room at different hours of the morning and the evening. His weekly income now was 80 francs, or \$16, which was twice as much as he needed for his support. All this time he was learning the French language by teaching the English and by talking with his pupils. At the end of the first year he could count dollars in his pocket by the hundred. Meanwhile, having managed to university cities of Germany. He there put out a small sign bearing his name and the words, "Teacher of English he had in Paris, and meanwhile, not Greek at a classical academy. In less New York he came back to it, and now he is professor of ancient and modern languages, including the Sanscrit and Persian, in a famous American institution of learning. I would like to print his name in this place, but he says "Don't," as he himself is going to get out a book telling the whole story.

If your sight is blurred with specks and spots floating before your eyes, or you have pains on the right side under the ribs, then your liver is deranged, and you need a few doses of Herbine to regulate it. Price 50c. F. G. Fricke

Matrimonial Ad in Japan. Hosuijoshi seeks a husband. She dewoman, 'with cloud-like hair, flowery face, willow-like waist and crescent eyebrows.' I have enough property to walk through life hand in hand, gazing at flowers in the day and the moon at night. If there is a gentleman who is clever, learned, handsome and of good taste I will join with him for life

How McKinley Is Paid. The president of the United States receives his salary in a warrant upon the treasurer at the beginning of every month and Col. Crook, one of the The farmers are busy as bees culti- clerks of the white house, obtains his signature and receipts and deposits the money to his credit in one of the Washington banks. The warrant is signed by the chief of the warrant division and approved by the secretary

## of the treasury or one of his assistants.

Notice to Woodmen, men of America are requested to meet at their hall Sunday afternoon at 1:30 sharp, from which place they will proceed to the cemetery and decorate the graves of departed neighbors. By or-

Legal Notice. In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, Myrtle Barnes, Plaintiff,

George Morgan and -Morgan, wife of George Morgan (first and real name unknown,) De-fendants.

George Morgan and — Morgan, wife of George Morgan, (first and real name unknown) defendants, will take notice that on the 19th day of June, A. D., 1899, Myrtle Barnes, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are to quiet the title to the following described premises situated. title to the following described premises situated in the county of Cass and state of Nebraska, to-wit: The nort east quarter of section twentynine (29,) in township twelve (12,) north, in range nine (29.) in township twelve (12.) north, in range eleven (11.) east of the sixth principal meridian, in plaintiff, as against defendants, by decree of said court, and to declare any claims of the said defendants in or to said premises null and void, and of no effect, and that the cloud cast upon plaintiff's title to said premises by reason of a defective acknowledgement certificate appended to a deed made by the defendant, George Morgan, to Rosan Decker, be forever removed and declared null and void, and plaintiff's title to said premises be declared to be legal and valid and fully established in law

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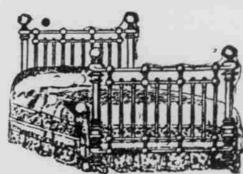
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