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### Wild Man Gets Eight Days.

The wild man, giving the name of John Wilson, who was arrested near the farm of Henry Born Thursday evening by Sheriff Quinton, was examined by the county attorney yesterday afternoon. The stranger is an Englishman by birth, but has no relatives living except several distant ones in New York state. When asked in regard to his queer actions of the past week in the neighborhood of Born's farm, he said that he had offered to work for something to eat, and while reclining on a bridge in that vicinity had fallen asleep, only to awake under the surveillance of some men. He was left unmolested, until he went to a house to secure something to eat, when the people detained him until the sheriff arrived.

The man, who is about fifty years of age, appears to be slightly deranged, and does not have any home or occupation. A complaint of vagrancy was filed in police court and Judge Archer sentenced him to eight days in jail.

There have been numerous complaints made to the authorities by people of the Born neighborhood, where the stranger has been hanging around in the brush and approaching the houses after the men folks had left and giving the women several bad scares when they beheld the wild expression and generally neglected appearance of the man.

### Rhetorical Exercises at High School.

At the High school Friday afternoon, excellent rhetorical exercises were held, the program, including recitations, musical numbers and a debate, which was very interesting. A recitation by Miss Elsie Lee and also one by Miss Jennie Johnson, was much appreciated, as was an essay rendered by Miss Hazel Cox.

The debate, dealing with a current topic—woman suffrage—was very entertaining as well as edifying. The subject was, Resolved: "That women should be granted full franchise," was ably presented by Misses Marie Douglas and Marie Bookmeyer for the affirmative and by Misses Helen Spies and Josephine Hall for the negative. After considering the various arguments advanced, the judges awarded the honors to the negative side of the question.

Among the musical numbers to illicit applause, was a duet by Misses Soennichsen and a piano solo by Miss Myrtle Poissal.

### Entertained at Banquet.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. VanHorn, who recently returned home from a wedding trip to Denver and other western points, were very pleasantly entertained by the newly married couple at a banquet Thurs. eve. at the Leader restaurant. A sumptuous repast was partaken of with much enjoyment by the dozen friends who were present, and Mr. and Mrs. VanHorn were presented with a beautiful set of sherry cups.

After spending a delightful evening with their host and hostess, the participants wished their entertainers many more such happy social events, and dispersed for home.

## EXCELLENT MEDAL CONTEST

Mayor Gering Presented Medal to Master Benjamin Windham, Who Captured First

MASTER JOHN ISBELL A CLOSE SECOND

Interesting Program Including Musical Numbers and Recitations Much Appreciated by Audience

In the medal contest Friday evening at the Methodist church, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.; Master Benjamin Windham was the most successful of the several contestants for the much sought for honors, the second place being awarded to Master John Isbell. At an early hour in the evening the church was exceptionally well filled by a large gathering of fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters and friends of those taking part on the program, and friends of the W. C. T. U. Society.

Beginning with the "March Chorus," in which Miss Zelma Tvey was leader, an excellent and much appreciated program was rendered in connection with the medal contest. Two numbers by the girls chorus, under the direction of Mrs. E. H. Westcott were well received by the large audience, as was also a violin solo by Clarence White, a vocal solo by Mrs. L. A. Moore and a solo by Don Seiver. The number "A small boy's temperance lecture," given by Russell Salisbury and Dean Douglass, drew forth much applause from the pleased company. "A boy in the dime museum," rendered by Mr. L. A. Moore, elicited much favorable comment. During the "Collection Speech," by Miss Marguerite Thomas, a neat sum was received, after which Mayor H. R. Gering in a short speech, presented the medal to the successful contestant, Master Bennie Windham. The judges in the contest were Rev. J. E. Houlgate, Rev. A. L. Zink, and Rev. J. H. Salisbury, while the reference committee was composed of Messrs H. N. Dovey, W. L. Pickett and Dr. W. B. Elster.

The ushers, Mesdames C. S. Polk and J. Hall, and Messrs Kennedy and Robinson assisted the gathering in having a social time and in spending several very enjoyable moments listening to the program. Much time has been devoted to preparation for this contest and the promoters, Mrs. L. A. Moore, president of the W. C. T. U. and Mrs. E. H. Westcott, who assisted with the chorus, are to be congratulated upon the success of this popular contest, which influenced a large number interested in this work, to attend and be benefited.

### "In God We Trust."

The use of the legend "In God We Trust" on some of the coins of the United States grew out of a letter written by a Maryland farmer to Salmon P. Chase when he was secretary of the treasury. The letter was written in November, 1861, the writer urging that we should, as Christian people, make some recognition of the Deity on our coins. Mr. Chase referred the letter to Director Pollock of the mint, who approved the suggestion and proposed one of the legends, "Our Country, Our God," or "God Our Trust." Mr. Chase then referred the matter to congress, and in 1862, and in 1863 he urged that the matter be acted upon. Finally, on April 22, 1864, congress authorized the coinage of a two-cent bronze piece, and on it was stamped the legend "In God We Trust," instead of "E Pluribus Unum." Subsequently, on March 3, 1865, the director of the mint, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, was authorized to place the legend on all gold and silver coins susceptible of that addition thereafter to be issued. The legend is taken from the following line in "The Star Spangled Banner," "And this is our motto. In God is Our Trust."—Chicago News.

### Another Pioneer Dead.

Mary Anna Rannard died at her home east of Murray on Sunday evening of this week, of diabetes, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Rannard was sixty seven years of age, and has lived in Cass county for the past forty years, and died on the old home where she first took her residence in the early days of Cass county. She leaves three children, L. E. Rannard, Jesse Rannard, both of Cass county, and Mrs. James Hamilton, who resides in Omaha. The funeral was held at the Kenosha church, and the remains laid to rest in the Lewiston cemetery Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock, Rev. Zink, pastor of the Christian church at Plattsmouth, officiating.

Mary Ann Hendricks was born in Ohio, in the year of 1840 and was married to Benjamin Rannard in 1859, and a few years later moved to Nebraska, and settled in Cass county, where she resided up to the time of her death.

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

How the Day Was Celebrated March 17, 1892, in Plattsmouth.

HUNDREDS OF VISITING STRANGERS

The Grandest Celebration of Its Character Ever Held in Nebraska.

Yesterday (Sunday) was St. Patrick's Day, and as there was nothing out of the ordinary in the way of exercises, the Journal will contrast the manner in which the day was celebrated fifteen years ago and now. The paper from which we take the following account was a special edition of the Evening News, printed in green, and G. F. S. Burton, still a citizen of Plattsmouth, was the editor. There was an immense crowd present, all the larger towns of the state being represented:

"Today hundreds of the loyal sons of Erin filled with patriotic love for the emerald isle and showing a wholesome reverence for their religious teachings, honored themselves by grandly celebrating in this city the day set apart in memory of their beloved Saint Patrick. In all religious history no character stands out more prominently than that of St. Patrick, the man that led Ireland from the bondage of superstitious ignorance and idolatry to the higher sphere of true religious liberty and universal education.

"Plattsmouth today was early dressed in her gayest attire to receive the honored guests, the stores and residences along the line of march were festooned with bunting and elaborately decorated with the stars and stripes together with the green emblem of Erin.

"At 10 o'clock this morning the first consignment of visitors arrived comprising the A. O. H. organization of Lincoln with cornet band together with the Tecumseh lodge and band from that city. The K. C. brought in a large crowd from Omaha, and following it came the Omaha special with eleven loaded coaches. At 10:30 the regular train from the west brought in the balance of the crowd which by this time had swelled to handsome proportions. The visitors were met at the depot by the A. O. H. of this city headed by the E. & M. band and by them escorted to the Catholic church, where High Mass was pronounced by Rev. Father Cary, of Hastings, assisted by Rev. Father Smith, of Omaha, and Father Laughran, of Lincoln. Father Crowley, of Tecumseh, was master of ceremonies. Father English, of Hastings, preached the sermon, a panegyric on the day in an eloquent and very entertaining manner. The church which is the largest in the city would not hold half the crowd that sought an entrance to attend the impressive services. It was not until quarter past twelve that the people begin to file out of the church and form the procession. In the line of march the carriage driven by I. V. Holmes and drawn by four white steeds raily caparisoned took the place of honor. The occupants were Governor James E. Boyd, orator of the day, and Colonel James A. Connor, master of ceremonies, Mayor Richey, Hon. F. E. White and James E. Boyd, Jr.

"Following the carriage were P. M. Mullon, marshal of Douglas county, with his aids Judge Breen and E. J. Brennan together with Thos. McShane, state delegate; Thos. Hector, of South Omaha, state treasurer; M. Kilgorn, of Omaha, state secretary; M. B. McKenna, county delegate Omaha, then came divisions one to six of Douglas county. This delegation was headed by a coronet band. Then came division one and two of Council Bluffs. Then Lincoln, Sidney, McCook, North Platte, Tecumseh, Hastings, Beatrice and Plattsmouth, seventeen divisions in all. In the line of march were four bands which with gorgeous banners and regalia rich in a wealth of green and gold made a beautiful sight and long to be remembered.

"The inspiring music of the bands, born on the crisp north wind as the grand procession marched to the merry Irish tunes, was truly enchanting and called forth much favorable comment from the crowd of spectators that lined the streets.

"The procession disbanded at the opera house about 1 o'clock, where tickets were given out for the banquet at Rockwood hall, to which point the crowd repaired as rapidly as they could be cared for.

"After dinner the opera house was well filled with attentive listeners to an eloquent address of welcome from Judge Chapman, to which Governor Boyd responded in a very able and characteristic speech touching on Plattsmouth's hospitality and the hearty love and veneration of the Irish for the Emerald Isle, the gem of the sea. Short addresses were then delivered by Joseph A. Connor, Hon. J. T. Mahoney and Matthew Gering. The meeting was then adjourned to 8 o'clock when the program joined on another page will be fully carried out."

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## THOUGHTFUL THINKS

Here's freedom to him that would read. Here's freedom to him that would write. There's none ever feared the truth should be heard. But they whom the truth would indict. —Robert Burns.

The legislature passed a law making chicken stealing larceny, and the Beatrice Sun says that Walt Mason forthwith moved from the state.

A passenger on a Missouri Pacific train asked the news boy for a humorous paper, and he was promptly supplied with the current time table.

When the "increased cost of living" is computed it is hardly fair to consider as an item the \$3,000,000 annually spent in this country for divorces.

A scientist has succeeded in making good brandy out of sawdust. That's the stuff. When a man can take a rip saw and get drunk on a rail fence, option laws will have no further terror for him.

Vegetable trimmings are all the rage in millinery this year. Carrot trimmings for red heads, cabbage trimmings for cabbage heads and so on, no doubt.

Prophets by the score are arising in Zion City since the death of Dowie. They are all alike in one respect, a willingness to discount treasures in Heaven for cash down.

President Roosevelt will now be called upon to "dig up" for Wall street. Teddy always was a good digger when no canal is in question.

A large amount of grain is in the hands of the farmers, and as soon as the roads are in better shape and cars can be secured grain will begin to move.

One million divorces is this country's record for twenty years. Still, we must not become pessimistic. Lots of people get married and live happily ever afterward.

A surly old bachelor says: "The less a man makes, the more he has if he isn't married." What is the use of making, if you have no person to share it with you?

Maxim, the gunmaker, predicts within five years a war between the United States and Japan. The Steel Trust pleads for a large navy. They are both very sincere—perhaps.

It takes mighty little to knock a railroad schedule out. The humblest cow in the country can accomplish it, and when a good excuse is needed a tree across the track is a windfall.

Mr. Perkins, who gave back the campaign contribution, has resigned the chairmanship of a Steel Trust committee. He seems determined to have a clear conscience, cost what it may.

"Americans are the profanest people in the world," declares a New York preacher, which occasions the query: Is it worse to say it and not mean it than it is to mean it and not say it?

A writer said once, "the Chicago wheat pit is only 24 feet wide but it reaches clear down to hell." The width of the New York Stock Exchange is probably greater, but the depth is the same.

This is the last week of the legislature. Senator Root started at the

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head of his class as to the number of bills introduced. Nine of which have already been killed and fifteen passed. Forty-three in all were introduced by the gentleman from Cass.

Speaker Cannon was sea sick on his junket to Panama. Democratic congressmen may now envy the Atlantic ocean. It succeeded in making Uncle Joe give up something.

Instead of compelling officials to return trust funds given to the republican campaign committee in 1904, would it not be fairer to call the whole thing off and have the election over again with the "swiped" contributions omitted?

The soul of some men may be reckoned in ounces and even apothecary's weight, but most folks will go on in the good old belief that a great soul of importance outweighs all human effort to estimate its relation to material things.

Some of our neighboring cities are already organizing a club that means more than all the whist clubs and reading clubs combined. It is termed a Home Improvement society. There are no dues to pay and no officers, and all the members have to do is to keep their yards, streets and alleys in good condition. Anyone is eligible to membership.

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