

POLITICAL, PERSONAL AND PERTINENT.

She wheeled and wheeled all day before She gave herself in marriage.

The new Russian thistle law, passed by the last legislature, makes it a misdemeanor for persons knowingly to permit the weed to grow upon their premises, and is punishable by a fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$100.

Bixby, in the Lincoln Journal says that "It is not a good idea for a city treasurer to be constantly Bollin up. It makes trouble."

The Hastings electric light plant has been sold for \$10,000 to a New York party, who will remodel the same so as to give day and all night service.

The following from the Lincoln Journal relates to a former Plattsmouth boy: "Rev. Guy Smith of Trinidad, Col., is visiting his uncle Hon. J. B. Strode. Mr. Smith is a graduate of Cotner university. He will go to Colusa, Cal., next year to take charge of a church."

An old gentleman named Moore went to sleep in the Missouri Pacific depot at Nebraska City Tuesday night and, upon awakening, discovered that he had been "touched" for \$35 in cold cash and his watch and chain. The officers have as yet been unable to locate the thief.

The Maxima Mora claim has come up to disturb the peace and quiet between the United States and Spain just now. Mora was an American citizen resident in Cuba who, during a former rebellion, had his property confiscated by Spain, and Uncle Sam now wants that government to make restitution.

One of the choicest entertainments we can think of would be to get up a joint debate between Congressman Carlisle and his unlimited coinage speech of 1878 and Secretary Carlisle of Mr. Cleveland's cabinet in 1895.

Charles W. Mosher, the Lincoln, Neb., bank wrecker, now in the government penitentiary at Sioux Falls, S. D., for five years, has been advanced to the role of "trustee." He is now allowed to drive the penitentiary team to the postoffice and about town. He appears as happy and healthy as possible, notwithstanding the reports printed that his close confinement was breaking down his health.

Nebraska City Press: The procuring of Mr. Edward Rosewater, editor of the Omaha Bee, as one of the orators in this city July 4th, was a wise stroke upon the part of the chairman of the committee. Mr. Rosewater is not what may be termed a gifted speaker, but he is a thorough student and a representative of the great class of naturalized American citizens, truly American in heart and spirit, and any speech he may choose to make will be listened to by all thinking men regardless of political ties or party fealty.

THAT TIRED FEELING.

Long they lingered by the gateway, In the garden - he and she. He was tall and straight and stately. She was lovely as could be. Pale his face almost to wanness. As he kissed and kissed her still. And the oneness of their goneness Was a sight to make men ill.

After a trial of more than two weeks' duration, Isaac Dickerson of Atlantic, Iowa, was cleared of the charge of fraudulent banking by a jury at Glenwood on Tuesday last.

The Minnesota supreme court has granted a stay of execution for thirty days in the case of Harry Haywood, the murderer of Miss Ging.

Claus Obermiller, a wealthy resident of Grand Island, committed suicide last Thursday by shooting himself through the cavity where his brains were supposed to repose. A suit in attachment for \$600 was commenced against him yesterday and it is supposed that he became despondent over this fact. He leaves a wife and five children and was worth about \$50,000.

Attorney J. A. Rooney yesterday while at Lincoln secured an order from the supreme court to have Court Reporter Tom Chapman give him a transcript in the cases of the state vs. Edward Baker, George Bennett and Elbridge Gerry, the hog thieves. He wants to get a hearing in the supreme court and unless a transcript can be secured soon the thieves will have served their sentences.

One of the horses entered for the Red Oak races, owned by a gentleman from Tennessee, fell and broke its neck while speeding at that place Wednesday afternoon. The animal was valued at \$20,000.

The prohibitionists of Iowa met last week at Des Moines and nominated a full state ticket. Frank Bacon was

nominated for governor. The platform favors the free and unlimited coinage of silver, denounces the supreme court for its recent income tax decision and favors the issue of paper money by the government alone. The prohibs took advance ground for tariff reform when that was the issue.

There's a bicycle girl in Weehawken That has set all the neighbors to tawken. This feminine biped Wears bloomers bright striped, And red is the shade of her stawken.

Nebraska's Union-Pacific-Railway-Attorney senator was beautifully set down upon at the Cleveland convention of republican clubs and was given a chance to reflect on the propriety of going slow.

The whiskey trust is coming to naught, through its own rottenness more than the decisions of the courts.

Some boys, who are so weakly that they cannot handle a hoe, can go out in the broiling hot sun and wield a base ball bat all afternoon and never turn a hair. This is one of the mysteries of nature.

Time was in Nebraska when we depended upon rain makers, or rain fakirs for moisture, and the result was a continual long spell of dry weather and repeat. Now we trust in the Lord and throw the fakirs and physic to the dogs, and the result is a full barrel of rain water every wash day. It pays to be pious.

F. F. Harwick, a farmer living near McCook, was killed last week by a stroke of lightning while at work in his field. A hired man who was working near Mr. Harwick was rendered insensible.

Henry Watterson, the great Kentucky editor, was in Omaha last Thursday, and when quizzed as to his views on the political situation made this reply: "I don't talk politics any more. If God Almighty should come down on earth He would not be able to straighten out the political situation. Why should I try to do it?"

It is a fact not generally known that the great Bonanza mine of Nevada, from which Fair, Mackey and Stewart became so wealthy, was more of a gold than a silver mine. Fifty-three per cent of its product was in gold and only 47 per cent in silver. That is how those mine-owners became so wealthy.

The largest farm in this country is situated in Louisiana, it being 100 miles one way by twenty-five the other. The fencing alone for it cost \$50,000.

An exchange suggests as a sure method of exterminating the Russian thistle that the ladies adopt it as a hat ornament. The idea emanates from the brain, doubtless, of some bigoted and unreasonable lover of song birds.

The Scribner News breaks out in the following: "Old settlers say we are going to have an immense corn crop in Nebraska this year. There will be four stalks in every hill, three ears on every stalk, no ear less than eighteen inches long and three inches in diameter, with a quart of shelled corn in every husk that could not find room on the cob. Hurrah for King Corn! Eastern papers please copy."

The working hours have been increased in the B. & M. shops at Havelock. This is propitious. It means that the railroad people are preparing for a heavy fall traffic. Railroad managers usually know what to expect. They do not know that a full crop is absolutely assured, but they are confident it soon will be.

County Judge Eaton of Otoe county has issued an even two hundred marriage licenses from June 19, 1894 to June 19, 1895.

The recent rains have made the Blue river, near McCook Junction boom and overflow its banks. The dam at Fillmore mills is reported washed out. Fish that were up the river and fish that were in fish ponds, owing to the washouts, have come down the river in such large numbers that people living along its banks have been able to spear them with pitchforks, catching carp and cat fish weighing from two to sixteen pounds.

The first assistant postmaster general last week announced the changes in classification and salaries of presidential postoffices. The salary of Postmaster Fox of this city is increased from \$1,800 to \$1,900 per year.

The Papillion Times observes that "money is powerful in Omaha, as illustrated by the court records in the fish murder case. The law of the land practically says that if an examining magistrate shall hold a person for trial on charge of murder in the first degree the accused shall not be admitted to bail. But fish and his relatives are rich, and they had no trouble in securing Judge Berka's con-

sent to release the murderer on bail. But for his money, the murderer would now be behind the bars. The courts of Omaha are puppets in the hands of monied men."

Twenty thousand people listened to the address by Dr. Talmage at the Chautauqua grounds in Beatrice Sunday.

"Oh, where can rest be found?" A weary poet sighs. That's easy. Drop into a store That doesn't advertise.

The man who gets the fewest letters complains most of the management of the postoffice; the man who complains most of the preachers pays them the least; the man who complains most of his neighbor is the meanest neighbor; and the man with the least sense is the most conceited.

Let it be remembered that it is the duty of every citizen of Nebraska to attend the state fair, to be held at Omaha September 13-20th. There will be a great deal to be seen and learned, whatever your particular station in life.

A fire broke out at Odell Friday and destroyed the business portion of the town before it could be checked. The loss will exceed \$14,000.

The Louisville Courier came out last week with a page printed in red and blue ink, announcing that the people of that town will celebrate the Fourth of July on a grand scale this year. A good program is being arranged.

The improvement in all lines of business in Nebraska is noticeable since the late rains, and there is no longer anything to fear from crop failure. Every business man, investor, manufacturer and producer should push enterprise within prudent limits. Such a course will keep money in circulation and result in the greatest good to the greatest number.

If any business man has the blues he should spend a day in the Nebraska corn fields.

Congressman Dave Mercer of Omaha, who is on a trip to Japan and China, was arrested and locked up in Japan for trying to jump onto a railway train while it was in motion.

Over \$50,000,000 are spent in maintaining the churches of the United States and \$400,000,000 in running the jails.

Nehawka is going to celebrate the Fourth of July in a becoming manner, judging from the following in this week's Register of that place: "The genuine Glorious Fourth—the one that has the original star-spangled-eagle-e-pluribus-unum attachment, has been engaged to 'whooper up' at Nehawka."

If the corn crop only equals the crop of aspirants to office the prosperity of the Nebraska farmer is already assured for this year.

It may be pointed out that all money is hard money these times—hard to get.

The graduating exercises of the Greenwood high school took place last Wednesday and Thursday evenings. The class was composed of fourteen young ladies and gentlemen.

Bernie Palmeter Married. The following from last Monday's Lincoln Journal relates to a former Plattsmouth young man: "Bernie B. Palmeter and Miss Abbie B. Gardner were married last evening at the home of the aunt of the bride, Mrs. D. C. Mosher, 2402 D street. Dr. Huntington performed the ceremony. The house was appropriately decked with plants and flowers. The wedding company was confined to the relatives of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Palmeter will reside at 2428 E street."

A Prominent Wholesale Grocer of Omaha Neb., writes: To the afflicted: Several years ago I discovered a slight falling and bleeding of the lower bowel which increased and became very distressing. I made inquiry as to the nature of the disease and learned that I had a somewhat aggravated case of Hemorrhoids or Piles. Was told of several remedies and used them as directed, obtaining thereby some temporary relief. Not being satisfied with such slight relief I cast about for a permanent cure; when a friend directed the use of the famous MAGNET PILE KILLER. I used it. Immediate relief from pain followed, and soon a complete cure was effected.

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So painlessly it seemed to part And so content to lie, I laid the lesson to my heart That it was thus to die.

Without regret to sink to rest Down at the Father's feet, Whene'er to Him it seemeth best, In resignation sweet.

—ISABEL RICHY.

They Got Fourteen Months.

Friday morning the three men, Thos. Martin, Frank Kelly and Christ Harman, who broke into the residence of S. H. Hunter, north of the city some time since and were arrested after a long chase, were taken into district court and allowed to plead guilty. Judge Chapman read them a long lecture on the evil of their ways and asked if they would tell where the jewelry was that they took from the residence, it being understood that if they would tell, their sentences would be about eight months, but they refused to disclose its whereabouts, so the judge sentenced them to fourteen months each in the penitentiary, at hard labor. There was not a very strong case against the men, but rather than stay in the county jail until November and then be sentenced, they informed their attorney, W. M. Clary, that they would rather plead guilty and begin their sentence at once. If the men will tell the whereabouts of the stolen goods, the judge will modify their sentences.

Saunders-Cass County Summer School.

The Saunders and Cass county summer school will be held at Ashland again this summer. It begins July 15 and will last five weeks. One of the purposes of this school is to give teachers of these counties a chance of raising the grades on their certificates. The county superintendents encourage their teachers to do this. An examination is given at the close of the summer school and the grades made, will be good in both counties. It offers a good chance for those holding third grade certificates to secure second grade certificates to get first grades. The best teachers are those who are constantly improving themselves. The indications are that the attendance will be larger than last year. Supts. Clarke and Farley find quite a demand in their counties for this school and feel sure of a large attendance.

Not as Prosperous as Ours.

The following from the Nebraska City News would indicate that the turnverein society of that place is not in as good a financial condition as the Plattsmouth society.

"The turnverein society of this city is in a hard row of stumps financially as they were today sued for the recovery of debts incurred at their last picnic. Owing to quarrels among themselves the meetings have been poorly attended, and one faction has seemingly tried to pull the other down. The assets of the organization are \$200 (with no assessments on the members) and the liabilities \$138."

Auburn Will Celebrate.

The lively little town of Auburn is going to celebrate the Fourth of July in grand style. Ex-Governor Furnas will be master of ceremonies, while Governor Holcomb will deliver the oration. Maj. Lige Halford, U. S. A., (late private secretary to President Harrison), Col. Pace of Lincoln, Presiding Elder Britt of this city, Church Howe and other distinguished gentlemen will assist in making the celebration the grandest ever held in Nemaha county.

Elmwood's Celebration.

The program for the Fourth of July celebration at Elmwood will include a competitive drill by companies C and D, first and second regiments, Nebraska National Guards of Nebraska City and Lincoln, balloon ascension and parachute leap by Prof. Sexton of Lincoln, base ball by two Cass county league teams, sports of all kinds, Ku Klux parade, music by Elmwood silver cornet band, speeches by good orators and grand display of fireworks.

Is This a Joke?

There seem to be none of the legal fraternity in Cass county willing to come out in opposition to Attorney Dave K. Barr of Plattsmouth for county judge. Dave is all right and his republicanism cannot be questioned. He has been a resident of Cass county for twenty years and is known to be honest, reliable and prompt in his dealings with men. He would prove a strength to the republican ticket.—Elmwood Echo.

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