THE HERALD.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18, 1873.

J. A. MACMURPHY,..... EDITOR.

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From all parts of the State and country respectfully solicited for the HERALD.

Agricultural notes and short articles detailing farmer's experience particularly requested.

We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are in all cases indispensable as a guarantee of good faith.

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CROFT'S MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT—Great success—best troupe west of the Missouri River.

The Liberal Republicans have endorsed Williams as Chief Justice.—Now he'll go through.

The *Daily* Nebraska City *Chronicle* comes to our table again. It is now under the management of the *Chronicle* Printing Co., and seems newsy and bright.

A GREAT BLOW TO SCIENCE.

We learn by telegraph that Prof. Agassiz, the Naturalist, died at his residence, Cambridge, Mass., on the evening of the 14th.

Judge Clinton Briggs' argument in the case of the U. P. Railroad vs the County Treasurers, is being quoted largely by our State exchanges. Guess the Judge must be about right.

The newspapers seem to think Senator Tipton, our "Tip," is not satisfied with his position on the Land Mining Committee, &c. He has not written to the HERALD about it yet, and we do not know how he feels.

Hon. Jno. H. Croxton, but a short time ago Democratic candidate for Governor, has come out a square Republican. He was always thought to be good for a Democrat. We'll have all the really good men, by and by.

LAND NOTICE.

The Land Office in Lincoln is closed in consequence of the death of W. H. Somerlad, Register. Inquiries as to land and voluntary abandonments may be made through W. E. Sheldon, of Lincoln.

Mickelwait & Sharp, the old standby's, in the coal business are just rushing things, lately. They keep the best Fort Scott Coal, and also small nut coal, for hard coal Base Burners.—Drop in and see Sharp, he's a right companionable sort of a chap.

Messrs. Culver, & Parsons have left the Lincoln *Leader*, and a Mr. M. B. C. True, of Iowa, an old newspaper man, takes "holt" in their place Being old True, himself, we suppose hereafter the *Leader* will never tell aught but the loutiest kind of Tru(e)th.

They are making a good deal of fun of the Iowa militia, who came to quell the Hogan-Allen fight. The Grand Jury at Cedar rapids passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That Governor Carpenter be requested to send his Council Bluffs army to Cuba."

It strikes us that Congress would show more sense and good manners if they would cease wrangling about back pay, and give us some wholesome legislation on financial matters. Their back pay squabble is just disgraceful to both parties and to all the actors therein.

TRUNK RAILROAD.

Bonds for a trunk railroad were voted in Otoe county last week. Nebraska City gave 300 majority for the bonds. This road which they call the Trunk, is from Nebraska City southward, being in fact a continuation of the Midland Pacific road.

His Excellency, Gov. Furnas, has appointed the following persons as State managers for the Centennial Exhibition of 1876:

D. H. Wheeler, Plattsmouth.
J. Sterling Morton, Nebraska City.
Gen. James Brisbin, Omaha.
Hon. W. D. Scott, Rulo.
Hon. Guy Barton, North Platte.

These gentlemen are requested to meet at the Grand Central, Omaha, on the 7th of January, to organize.

Ex-Senator Wm. A. Richardson, formerly of Nebraska, says this about the late Washington Democratic Caucus:

"We may as well say what we think about the members of Congress who voted for Wood for Speaker. Those of them who voted with Wood for the back-pay steal are no better than thieves, and are not entitled to public confidence or support; and those who did not vote for the back-pay steal, but voted for Wood, who did vote for the steal, are fools, and incompetent to represent a district in Congress. Having fully expressed our opinion, we dismiss the subject."

THAT LOUISVILLE HOAX.

Noyes, that Louisville chap, came down here Monday and totally demoralized the HERALD, and all about those old breeches, bones, five cent piece, &c., that he found up there, or that a fellow wrote us that Noyes found. It's too bad to sell a newspaper man in that way, and hurts his feelings, besides it destroys confidence in the community. The man that will lie to a newspaper man will do anything mean, and Noyes says so.

Some chap writes us from Louisville in an execrable hand, and asks us if we don't think such scurrilous stories will hurt us, &c. No, we don't feel hurt.—Noyes does, and the man that wrote it ought to feel hurt, and he will feel hurt, if Noyes and the HERALD ever catch him together. As to his real name: he didn't sign his real name—we don't know his real name and don't believe he had a real name; his name is like the supposed dead man—all gammon.

Seriously, Mr. Noyes desires us to say that he and a friend walking out on Sunday found some old clothes, an old pocket book with a few papers, a nickel, and some other traps and that night the neighbors about there were talking the thing over and wondering whose they were and out of this simple matter grew the whole story. As for the HERALD, all we can say it was sent to us as a fact, in a very nicely written, well spelled and grammatical letter with an apparently, genuine name signed to it and we published it as an item of news, of course, and can not see as we were to blame, or that any one is hurt by it except Noyes.—It's cost him about two kegs of beer already.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

In the case of Shurz against Carmichael and others, the complaint was that Carmichael, as Justice of the Peace, having fined Shurz under an ordinance of the town of Weeping Water, he issued a *mittimus* and sent the defendant to jail until the fine and costs were paid. The ordinance only provided for fine, and hence the Court instructed the jury that there was no law and no judgment authorizing the mittimus, and that therefore all who participated were liable as trespassers. The jury returned a verdict for $150. The Court further held that the ordinance was void because it prohibited the sale of the liquor in place of regulating its sale; that, in other words, the town took the place of the County Commissioners and should have provided for a license, and then for violations prosecutions should be under the law of the State. Wheeler & Stinchcomb and Aylseworth for the plaintiff, and Marquett & Smith and Chapman, for the defendant.

In the case of French against Allison the verdict was $400. In this case Esq. Jenks, one of the defendants, issued an attachment for $250 when his jurisdiction is only $100. Two horses and wagon were taken on the writ, and the Court instructed the jury that the writ was illegal and void, and though the plaintiff had previously got back his horses, yet in this case the jury had the right to return such damages, if they were satisfied that the property was taken unlawfully, as they might think was right. Marquett & Smith and Wheeler & Stinchcomb for the Plaintiff, and Chapman & Maxwell for the defendants.

Here is what the *Inter-Ocean* says of Senator Tipton—That collossal mind, once determined on its course, is impossible of restraint, and the thunderous tones of the parson are once more to be heard in the Senate Chamber, denouncing the Republican party and, calling on the page boys for snuff. We had hoped for better things. We had fondly dreamed that the pillars of the Republic were to be strengthened and supported by the great Nebraskan, but he says he won't play Samson any more. His blood is up, and the caged lion is loose. When Tipton speaks let the universal earth keep silence!

THE NEW SHERIFF.

M. B. Cutler commences his labors this week. Mr. Cutler is well qualified for the office, and we make no dout but that he will fill the bill as well as any new man in Cass county.

J. W. JOHNSON,

The retiring officer, has filled this position for three successive terms, and a better Sheriff never trod in sole leather. So well satisfied were the people of Cass, with his management of the office that he could have been re-elected the fourth time, but for his own *positive* assertion that he could not serve again.

The contributions to the *Fry Fund*, started by the St. Louis *Globe*, has reached $1,000, by $1.00 subscriptions.

Go down to Dan Wheeler's Office and see the apples Mr. Stephen Hobson, of Mt Pleasant, has on exhibition there. They are worth the trouble—Eighteen varieties—all very fine.

DEDICATION.

The M. E. Church at Weeping Water, Cass Co., Neb., will be dedicated Jan. 18th, 1874, by Bishop E. G. Andrews, of Des Moines, Iowa, and H. T. Davis, of Lincoln, and we expect T. B. Lemon, of Nebraska City, to assist in the dedication. Pastors and people adjacent are cordially invited to attend, and a special invitation is extended to all the Pastors that have been on the Mt. Pleasant work. A. L. FOLDEN.

Weeping Water, Dec., 12, 1873.

Hon. Silas Garber, of Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, one of the members of last winter's Legislature, and one the best men in the western part of the State has been appointed Register of the United States Land Office at Lincoln, in the place of H. W. Somerlad, deceased.

PERSONAL.

W. W. Wilson, an old friend and an old Nebraskan, has gone to Chicago to reside. Real estate business, 126, Dearborn street.

D. T. Sherman, once a "comp." on this paper, and now editor of the Aurora *Republican*, was in town last week, looking fine and frisky, only cold.

Mr. Edward Post, of Eagle, and Mr. T. N. Bobbit, of the same place, called on the HERALD Tuesday, and we had a very pleasant and useful chat.

H. S. Calkins made the HERALD glad two dollars worth last week.

Col E. V. McMaken, of Toledo, Ohio, his brother Andy McMaken, and Geo. W. Fairfield, all called on the Editor "tew onct," Saturday, and like to overwhelmed a little man.

Samuel Rector, of Weeping Water, one of the HERALD'S very best friends, was in to see us during Court week, and we forgot to notice the fact until now.

James Waters, brother to W. H. H. H. Waters, the *Chronicle* man, dropped in on the HERALD not long since.

Brother Linch, of Mt. Pleasant, P. M., &c., came in for a quarter of an hour's chat the other day. Pleasant quarter of an hour, too.

Thomas Jefferson Todd, one of the pioneer's of Nebraska, one of *the* pioneers of Republicanism, and one of the staunchest old gentlemen in this part of the country, anyway, has been to see the HERALD once more, and left us some dollars better off.

Azro Smith has come again and left us a big sack of sweet potatoes, and he has a lot more at home to sell to every one that wants them.

P. G, Dobson, of Ulysses, an old resident of Cass county, and father-in-law of J. Dan. Lauer, called on the HERALD lately.

STATE ITEMS.

Garters with monogram clasps are worn by pretty girls. They are rather a novelty yet, but we hope to see more of them.—Plattsmouth *Herald*.

Yes we know pretty girls are a novelty, in Plattsmouth; and if you want to see more of them come down to Nebraska City. —*Chronicle*.

Went there once—made us sick—had to lay up at a hotel for a week—did not see a pretty girl all the time we were there.

Our Grange poetry is coming into vogue. "Wax-Um" is getting into the papers.

Seth E. Wilson, of Ashland, one of the oldest settlers in Saunders county, died very suddenly on the 2d, inst.

D. H. Wheeler, has been buying a $3,000 lot in Lincoln. Now, Dan, none o' that! We're a watching you.

NOTICE TO GRANGES.

EDITOR HERALD:—The County Central Association of Granges will convene at Eight Mile Grove, on Tuesday the 6th day of January, 1874, at 2 P. M. All members of the Association are expected to be represented. New Granges can become members by sending their Master and two delegates to the Association, and the payment of one dollar to the Secretary of the Association. C. H. KING, Pres't.

D. S. DRAPER, Sec'y of County Central Asosciation. 37w3

Eight Mile Grove, Dec. 2, 1873.

THE MARKETS.

HOME MARKETS.

Reported by CUTLER & WHITE.

Wheat	90@95
Corn Shelled	28@30
Corn	25
Oats	28@30
Rye	40@50
Barley	80@85

Reported by CLARK & PLUMMER.

Eggs	30
Butter	30
Lard	10
Chickens Spring per doz	200
Potatoes	100

Reported by WM. STADLEMAN.

Ladies Furs	3,50@300
Boots & Shoes	2,25@750
Hats & Caps	50@7,00

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15

Money	6@7 per cent
Gold	113¼

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.

Flour	5,25@5,75
Wheat	1,16¾
Corn	34
Oats	39
Rye	78@65
Barley	1,42
Hogs	4,00@5,00
Cattle	4,50@4,75

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The Nebraska Herald and The Farmer.

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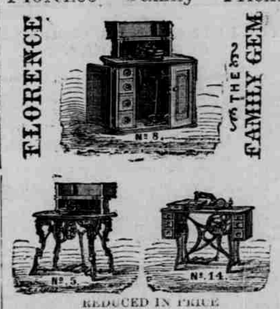

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