

THE HERALD. LOCAL NEWS.

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NEWSPAPER DECISIONS. 1. Any person who takes a paper regularly from the post office...

Ohio paper sent us has the following notice: The communication from 'Devil's Ridge' will appear in our next.

Buttery & Lazenby sell all their live stock at public auction, at one o'clock on Thursday next.

McGuire & Co. keep a good stock of liquors, wines, cigars, &c., which they propose to sell cheap before the W. W. W.'s come and persuade 'em out of the business.

Boone, the Barber, he's the man, can shave as clean as any can. Will trim your beard, or cut your hair, or wash your face, or do any thing you want to have done.

'Stinch' thinks he has a good joke on Shannon and Shannon thinks he has on 'Stinch'. Now if any of you fellows will pay the HERALD a commensurate fee, \$2.50, we'll tell the joke on both.

THE FIREMEN'S BALL. On Tuesday, the 17th, was a very handsome affair. One hundred and twenty-three supper tickets were sold, and the proceeds were not so large as they should have been.

A CHANGE FOR ALL. The following letter from Hon. Lorenzo Crouse, Nebraska's Representative in Congress, will be read with interest by all young men who aspire to military honors and position.

MR. EDITOR:—Again the State of Nebraska is without a cadet in the United States military academy at West Point.

PERSONAL. Capt. Baird, P. M. of Lincoln, was in town last week. The Captain has been to Ohio to help organize the W. W. W.

OUR OLD FRIEND LINC. Our old friend Linc, he of the pleasant Mt. Pleasant country, has just returned from a winter down in 'England'.

MARRIAGES. MARRIED—JOHN M. BARBER to BEVERLY CARROLL, February 24th, at the house of David Mackley, Cass county, Nebraska.

MARRIED—WILLIAM B. RICE to ALICE CROUSE, February 24th, at the house of David Mackley, Cass county, Nebraska.

MARRIED—On Thursday, February 24th, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. H. H. Lincoln, Dr. W. D. EDDY, to Miss JESSIE A. JENKINS, all of Weeping Water, Cass Co., Nebraska.

WE call attention to the notice of Mr. Sage in regard to our next Fair and other matters. Please turn out members of the Association, and give us a full house. That's the way success is brought about.

DEED. At Eight Mile Grove, Cass County, Nebraska, February 24th, 1874, Mrs. MARY R. KILGORE, aged 35 years.

How stout all beneath the skies, How transient every earthly bliss; How slender all the pleasures of this world; That bind us to a world like this.

'Sandy,' a notorious monte man, formerly of Omaha, by name proper, Geo. Melville, will be hunted the 20th of next month, at Kit Carson, Colorado.

CHARLES BLACK wants to see all his friends at S. Bloom & Co's within 20 days. Residence at corner Clark and 4th.

The Sociable of the Ladies Aid Society of St. Luke's (Episcopal) Church, will meet at the house of Mrs. F. Latham, on Tuesday Eve, March 3d.

THE WHISKY WAR. All over Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois the women's whisky war has spread.

LADIES' PLEDGE. Believing that the sale and use of intoxicating liquors to be an evil of the greatest magnitude, and having faith in God, and having undertaken deliberately and with prayer, the method of appeal to and prayer with the liquor dealers, that they will cease to engage in the sale of intoxicating liquors, we hereby pledge ourselves to persevere until not a single person is engaged in the traffic in our community.

DEALERS' PLEDGE. We, the undersigned hereby promise and agree that we will not hereafter, by ourselves, or our agents, sell or give away, or permit to be sold, or given away, in our houses, on our premises, or elsewhere in this community, or its vicinity, intoxicating liquors of any kind to any person or persons; nor will we, by any shift or device, avoid this agreement.

W. W. W. CHANGE HANDS! ATTENTION!

Frank Guthman, our well known Grocer, on the 25th of March, or thereabouts, will dispose of his entire stock of groceries, provisions, boots, shoes, hats, caps, gloves and in fact every thing that comprises a general merchandize outfit to Valentine Weckback who will thereafter continue the business at the old stand.

Special Notices. Goods sold at cost for the next thirty days, to make room for new spring goods.

Notice. Having sold my stock of Groceries to A. W. White, I shall, after the first of March, keep a General Auction Room.

CASS COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL ASSOCIATION. The regular meeting of the Cass Co. Agricultural and Mechanical Association will be held at the Court House in Plattsmouth, on Saturday the 7th of March.

At one o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers, making preparations for the next Fair, and such other business as may come before the association.

All persons holding membership tickets for last year, are members of this Society and will, if present, be entitled to vote.

A full attendance at this meeting is very desirable, as the success of our next fair and the continuance of the Society may depend on the action of this meeting.

A Bill to Authorize the issue of Arms to the Authorities of the State of Nebraska. De it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled...

That the Secretary of War, be and he is hereby instructed, to cause two thousand effective breech-loading rifled muskets, and four hundred thousand cartridges to be forwarded to and placed at the disposal of the Governor of the State of Nebraska, for distribution among the settlers of the exposed localities in said State, for home defense against Indian raids; and the Governor of said State, in making said distribution, shall take from the parties to whom they may be distributed, good and sufficient security for the return of said arms to the United States after the necessity for their use has ceased.

Mr. Peck, Deaver & Son have secured the agency of the famous 'Tilton Steam Washer'.

This washer is a new invention and washes the clothes by steam, without any turning of cranks, patent paddle wheels, or any other kind of machinery.

It is manufactured in Pittsburgh, Penn., and Deaver & Son will fill all orders at the Pittsburgh retail price, \$10.00.

Mr. Editor:—Again the State of Nebraska is without a cadet in the United States military academy at West Point.

Although unsuccessful in its first effort, it is believed that the system of competitive examination, in the case of the cadets, is the best calculated to fill the place with a competent appointment.

I therefore fix the 7th day of May, at 2 o'clock p. m., when all young men, residents of the State, who apply to the appointment, may meet at the high school building in Omaha, and submit to the board of examiners, who will be formed, to the 31st of May, at 10 o'clock a. m.

A summary of the qualifications demanded is appended. Those desiring it will be furnished, without charge, containing full information by addressing the Secretary of War or myself.

This letter is of general concern, and it will be fitting to give it a place in your paper, as well as in other papers of the State.

OUR THREE GROVES LETTER. Grange Matters, &c. THREE GROVES, Cass Co., Neb., February 20, 1874.

Ed. NEBRASKA HERALD:—Thinking that perhaps you would give space to a few lines from Three Groves, in your valuable paper, I make the venture to scratch down a few items.

The officers of Three Groves Grange are all elected and installed for the current year, to-wit: F. Z. Linville, Master; W. W. Wolfe, Overseer; John Frew, Lecturer; Wm. Eikenberry, Steward; G. S. Clifton, Asst. Steward; John F. Buck, Uplifter; Benj. Aldin, Treasurer; Henry Wolfe, Secretary; Robert Clark, Gate keeper; Mrs. Jennie Wolfe, Ceres; Mrs. M. E. Eikenberry, Pomona; Mrs. M. A. Frew, Flora; and Mrs. M. M. Buck, Lady Assistant Steward.

At the last regular meeting the following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That we, the members of Three Groves Grange, as far as in our power lies, will not purchase novels and other farm machinery of those who refuse to deal with Farmers' Clubs and Granges, only through their agents.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Prairie Farmer and our county papers for publication.

Resolved, That the members of Three Groves Grange pledge themselves to give \$100.00 in co-operation with other Granges, to establish a factory for the manufacture of farm machinery, to be controlled by the Granges of Cass Co. A copy of this resolution to be sent to the HERALD and Watchman, for publication.

FOR RENT. The large and commodious ware-room, formerly occupied by Jacob Valley, Jr., in Masonic Hall, opposite to the City Hall, is now for rent.

Representation. The Omaha Republican of the population of the State, said: 'We think we will have 500,000, two years hence, and probably 800,000 or a million in 1883, when according to rule a new apportionment would go into effect.'

FOR SALE. An improved farm, four miles from Plattsmouth, well watered, 100 acres under cultivation. Balance can be paid in cash in hand, balance on long time. Inquire of SMITH & WINDHAM.

FOR SALE. 160 acres of unimproved land, four miles from Plattsmouth; good locality; can be bought reasonable. Call at the office of SMITH & WINDHAM.

FOR SALE. One new Florence Sewing Machine for sale at this office. Also one Franklin & Lyon second hand Machine.

COAL! COAL! COAL!!!

WHITE & DARRAH. Keep constantly on hand Gillette and Port Scott Coal. Orders left at Clark & Plummer's Store will be promptly filled at reasonable rates, and the coal delivered free to any part of the city.

DENTISTRY. Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Come one and all and list to me, While a story I relate.

Legal Notice. To Hugh B. McNamee and Mary J. Smith, Administrators of the estate of Samuel J. Smith, deceased.

Legal Notice. To James Fletcher, non-resident defendant. Who is hereby notified that he died, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1874, by my position in the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for Cass county, Nebraska, against you.

Attachment Notice. Jane F. Greenfield, Plaintiff. George H. Michaels, Defendant.

HOUSEHOLD PANACEA. To all persons suffering from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Pain in the limbs or stomach, Sore Throat, Croup, Hoarse Voice, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Eyes, and all other ailments, which are caused by colds, and external and internal humors.

FAMILY LINIMENT. H. A. HOWE, Pres. P. NOTMAN, V. P. & Sec. NIAGARA FIRE Insurance Company.

Cash Assets—July 1st, 1874. Cash in Bank, 15,621. Cash on Stocks, 18,252.70. Cash on Bonds and Mortgage and Interest, 248,877.87.

Losses Paid in 23 years. \$1,008,007.19. In 1851, 20,000. In 1852, 20,000. In 1853, 20,000. In 1854, 20,000. In 1855, 20,000. In 1856, 20,000. In 1857, 20,000. In 1858, 20,000. In 1859, 20,000. In 1860, 20,000. In 1861, 20,000. In 1862, 20,000. In 1863, 20,000. In 1864, 20,000. In 1865, 20,000. In 1866, 20,000. In 1867, 20,000. In 1868, 20,000. In 1869, 20,000. In 1870, 20,000. In 1871, 20,000. In 1872, 20,000. In 1873, 20,000. In 1874, 20,000. Total, \$1,301,211.

Centaur Liniment. There is no pain which the Centaur Liniment will not relieve. It is a powerful and safe remedy for all kinds of rheumatism, neuralgia, headache, toothache, sore throat, croup, whooping cough, sore eyes, and all other ailments.

Legal Notice. George W. Jeffers, of Athens county, in the State of Ohio, will take notice that Mary Ann Jeffers, of Cass county, Nebraska, was the widow of the said George W. Jeffers, deceased, and that she is the sole and lawful owner of the real estate of the said George W. Jeffers, deceased, and that she is desirous of selling the same.

Legal Notice. James Dorough and Mary Dorough, in the County of Platte and State of Nebraska, will take notice that William Dorough, of the County of Platte and State of Nebraska, was the husband of the said James Dorough, deceased, and that he is the sole and lawful owner of the real estate of the said James Dorough, deceased, and that he is desirous of selling the same.

Legal Notice. To William J. Culler, Margaret E. Culler and Wm. H. Emerick, non-resident defendants. Who is hereby notified that I, John H. Parmelee, have, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1874, by my position in the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for Cass county, Nebraska, against you.

Probate Notice. In the matter of the Probate of the last will and testament of F. Weidman, deceased; in Probate Court.

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PLATTSMOUTH NEB. S. BLOOM & CO. DEALERS IN CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, AND SHOES.

WHEELER & BENNETT—Real Estate and Laying Agents, Notaries Public, Fire and Life Insurance Agents, Plattsmouth, Neb.

GREENHOUSE AND BEDDING PLANTS. Time and money saved by ordering of me. I have the largest and best collection of plants ever offered in this West.

HUBBARD HOUSE. HUBBARD, Proprietor. GOOD ACCOMMODATIONS FOR TRAVELERS.

NEW DRUG STORE. WEEPING WATER, NEB. POTTER & GAFFNEY, DEALERS IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, PERFUMERY, STATIONERY, NOTIONS, CIGARS, AND GLASS.

J. R. WATTS, DEALER IN Watches, Clocks, & Jewelry. Agent for the sale of the celebrated UNITED STATES, ELGIN, WALTHAM and HOWARD WATCHES.

Mrs. A. H. KNEE, WORKER IN HAIR. Dealer in Hair Work promptly and accurately made by MRS. KNEE.

Mrs. A. H. KNEE, Millinery Store. On Main St., 1 door east of Clark & Plummer's.

OBSTACLES TO MARRIAGE. HAPPY Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life.

L. GOLDING, Dealer in CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS, SADDLERY, AND REPAIRING.

F. F. F. Florence Family Friend. FLORENCE Sewing Machine.

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HATT, THE BUTCHER, Oldest and best established Meat Market in the place. FARMER'S EXCHANGE. B. G. HOOPER. E. T. DUKE & CO. CORNER BROADWAY AND TWENTH STREET, NEW YORK.