

LOCAL NEWS.

Woodwin had a slight runaway last night. No damage done.

Mr. Harker shipped a nice lot of fish to Chicago last Tuesday.

A failure to receive our paper in a necessitates a half sheet this week.

On head of fine horses went through the other day, on their way to amount.

Remember the High School entertainment on Friday, March 12th. A good time is expected.

Food is plentiful on our streets in spite of the recent cold snap having melted the ice bridge safe.

Wanted some good wood on subscription at this office.

Boots from \$2.00 up all sizes. W. H. POOL.

CLOTHING. A cheap suit of clothes call at a Stadelmann's. 37c.

Go to Merges' shoe store for the best of cheap, and choose from the largest assortment. 43c.

Our farmers are rushing in their seats and carts, and our grain merchants are doing a big business.

Richard Lewis, of Cedar Creek, Cass county, had about 200 pounds of beef steers from his cellar a short time ago.

Mike McGuire wrestled with a fellow from Iowa on last Saturday night, at 3:30 a side. Mike won, so he says.

When the boys set that trap for the axor baited with an Assessor we did it. He would walk into it; but he did.

John Jennings, Eddy Kirkpatrick, and a whole lot of other fellows dropped in to see us and we gave them all welcome.

Oh, Doctor, Doctor, can't you tell what will make our city well? We've asked for medicine long in vain. Instead of Health you give us Payne.

Judge Haines had a man arrested for disturbing the peace of mind and for contempt of court in Ben. Hempel's case. He was fined \$5 and costs.

The Chicago Post and Mail is now the highest popularity of any newspaper in the west by making every copy first class. Per year, postage paid, only \$4.80; Weekly \$1.05.

The best and cheapest foot gearing at Merges' Shoe Store, call and see, no charge for examining. 43c.

The advantage of buying Wall Paper and Window Shades at Frank Stadelmann's is that he sells cheap, trims the best without charge, and hangs the shades if desired, guaranteeing them to last an well. 47c.

Wm. Stadelmann has 18k gold rings at \$1.25 per pair, also a nice lot of jewelry low down. 37c.

Go to W. H. Pool and get a No. 1 pair of the custom kip boots for \$4.50 warranted. 47c.

John Boone says the weather is very odd, but his barber shop is all right; a good fire and plenty of papers to read. Five him a call.

Mr. A. C. Petersen lost a pocketbook containing something over \$70, in the machine shop last week. He has not been able to discover any trace of it.

J. T. Wilburn, of Greenwood, has sold his stock of goods to Gus Hinkley, of Ashland, who immediately goes there to take charge of his store. Success, Gus.

Mr. McGuire brought us an advertisement for McG. & Co., fully and completely written out, just as they want it to appear, well written, well spelled and punctuated, throughout. It was a pleasure to receive it, and not have to go over it, and afterward, re spell, and almost re-write it. Nineteen of our folks never try to write an "Ad," but say, "oh you just fix it up Mac." Do they ever think that an editor gets tired of writing all the time on all kinds of business, and that he must have a certain knowledge to do justice to so many kinds of business.

Bob Doorn the pizenest old democrat in the whole county has just returned from a trip to St. Louis, and through Missouri, Indiana and Illinois. He reports the winters as excessively cold, the farmers having lost nearly all of their potatoes and fruit stored in the cellars. The wheat crop is poor, "Bob" thinks the democracy in the regions he has visited are all on their feet and bound to win in '92. That's a fallacy of "Bob's" we know but then we like to humor him. Nevertheless such as Doorn likes democrats he likes Nebraska better (if we are mostly Repubs.) and thinks no State he has seen can compare with his own State.

Mr. Doorn and family move to his Rock Bluffs farm this summer. Vee to Bob.

BEN. HEMPEL'S OYSTER HOUSE. This old reliable oyster and eating house now has the run of a large country custom, and Ben. desires us to say that he will refit and fix up the premises for summer trade and hopes to see all his old customers and heaps of new ones. Remember, next door to Doorn's drug store, on Main street. 44c.

FARMERS ATTENTION! Julia Pepperberg, Cigar Manufacturer, opposite the Herald's office, on Main St., Plattsburgh, N.D. Clear (Clipping of Spanish and American Tobaccoes for smoking purposes. For sale. Best qualities of plug-smoking tobacco always on hand. 37c.

READ! READ!! The largest assortment. The best assortment. The cheapest assortment. Remember, next door to Doorn's at the exclusive Shoe Store. Call and examine; no charge. 37c.

There was a magic lantern show in town last week.

To sell or trade for wood, a good pair of Bobsteds.

Ed. Clark, good boy, HERALD man friend of ours, lent us two dollars on "suh" last week, we're to pay him back in HERALD's and are bound to fill our "end" of the contract.

Dan. McKinnon is in San Jose, Cal. He reports the grass from six inches to a foot high, and thinks California a second garden of Eden. He is in much better health and spirits.

Come tell us dear Doctor, real, truly and nice.

You've not studied physics in vain—Can't a man die (in politics) twice, And come to life now without pain.

Our town is becoming infested with petty thieves again. They steal chickens, coal, clothes, wood, and any loose thing they can lay their hands on. A dose of chicken stork would cure them.

WOOD! WOOD!! WOOD!!! Wanted on subscription at this office. Bring it along.

Boots and Shoes cheaper than the cheapest in the whole west, at Merges' Shoe Store. 43c.

FURN! FURN! FURN! A nice stock of ladies' and gent's furn at Wm. Stadelmann's, to be sold at cost.

Women's heavy kip shoes, for \$2.50, stoga shoes, only \$1.50. W. H. POOL.

Levi Pollard, one of the largest farmers in the county, and one of the oldest fellows and best talkers in the country called on the HERALD last week. He has just returned from Vermont, and is plum full of new ideas and plans.

Leonard, the Photographic Artist, has the best picture and most life-like of Mr. J. Newt. Hays we have ever seen. It is absolutely a likeness of Mr. Hays as he looked when among us and Leonard has proved himself a true artist.

NOTICE. GREENWOOD, NEB., Feb. 15, 1875. Whereas, my wife did, on the 30th day of January last, leave my bed and board, I hereby notify all persons to not harbor or trust her on my account, as I will not be responsible for the same. [S] J. T. WILBURN.

An man went into Weckbach's Grocery store last Tuesday afternoon and attempted to steal a box of collars, and some other small article. He was detected by the clerk, who made a grab for him, but the thief dropped the things and running out of the store ran to his horse, which was hitched close at hand, he put out for the country before the Marshal could catch him.

Owing to the fact of a strong pressure on our job department and the publication of the constitutional convention law in full we cannot publish some local news and make certain comments on our city affairs and our coming City Election, that we had intended to. Next week we shall have something to say on these matters.

French Calf Boots, and Women's French Calf and Goat. Show put up in the best style by W. H. POOL. 43c.

Wall Paper, Decorations, Window Shades, Hollands, Chromes, Paintings, Window Cornices, Picture Hangings, Brackets, Carpet Sweepers and Stretchers, and many other useful articles, sold at lowest possible prices, at FRANK STADELMANN'S. 47c.

Chicago Kip Boots at \$4.00, and Phelps, Dodge & Palmer Boots at \$5.50. Never undersold at Merges' Shoe Store. Come and be convinced. 43c.

To sell or trade, a new Florence Sewing Machine; also a second-hand Victor. Call and examine them.

We can say to the Kearney Press that the Hon. Guy Barton was one of the strongest and best representatives sent to the Legislature this winter, and if Lincoln county and that district always do as well as that, they may be sure of getting all their just rights. Mr. Barton is a strong man and his views are treated with respect the State over.

CHANDLER FUND. The scholars of the several grades in High School have made the purchase of a beautiful set of chandeliers for their hall, at a reasonable cost of \$130. This amount they intend to raise by a few well prepared entertainments. The public are cordially invited to attend. Come and get "your moneys worth" and at the same time encourage the schools in their effort. The first entertainment will be given at the High School Hall. Friday eve. March 13th.

COL. VANATTA IN THE POOR HOUSE. We have long lived in the world almost impervious to surprises of any kind, but confess that our breath was almost taken away last Monday, on being informed that after leading a long life of exemplary virtue, and always paying his honest debts, one of our most respectable citizens was at last likely to bring up in the Poor House,—and he a Lawyer at that! However, such is life, and the Colonel takes it coolly, and says if he can raise a few "laters" and a little crap of wheat out there, he will be satisfied.

The long and short of all this rignorale is, that Mr. Vanatta and his two sons have taken the poor farm, and will run that institution until further orders. The HERALD wishes them good success; they deserve it.

Read the low down prices for boots and shoes, gloves and mitts at W. H. POOL's: Men's fine custom kip boots, only \$4.50; Men's heavy kip boots, only \$4; Boys' boots from \$1.50 up; Men's wood lined and Alaska boots at first cost; buck gloves; buck mitts and all kinds of gloves and mitts from 50 cents up; Women's best Philadelphia oil goat, only \$2.75; all kinds of Women's, Misses and Children's sewed and pegged shoes at par prices for the next 60 days, for cash. W. H. POOL.

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