

FIRST National Bank OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA. TOOLE, HADNA & CLARK, Successors to JOHN FITZGERALD, President. Z. G. DORR, Vice President. A. W. McLAGHLEN, Cashier. JOHN O'Rourke, Assistant Cashier.

BANKING BUSINESS. Stocks, Bonds, Gold, Government and Local Securities. BOUGHT AND SOLD. Deposits Received and Interest Allowed on Time Certificates.

AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED INMAN LINE AND ALLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

NEW TAILOR SHOP! W. L. THOMAS, A COLORED TAILOR. has opened a shop On 6th St. next door to Dr. Jno. Black's Office.

GOOD FITS, WARRANTED, AND ALL ORDERS ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY.

CLOTHING! THE OLD STAND OF WM. TAD LMANN, Nearly opp. Saunders House, Main St.

A Large Stock of Clothing MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS, CAPS, GLOVES, CANES, TRUNKS, VALISES, etc., etc., etc.

E. PARMELE, SALE, FEED & LIVERY STABLE. At the old Hyatt Barn, (Cataly Jones's stable in Plattsouth, Neb. Will keep constantly on hand a number of

HORSES for SALE. The buying and selling of good horses made the specialty of the business. A new PONY PHAETON, with gentle horses, for Ladies to drive in and at the Stable.

FOR YOUR OYSTERS! Better you call on dot Ben Hempel.

KEEPS AN EATING HOUSE. ON LOWER MAIN STREET, PEATSMOUTH, - - - NEB Meals at all Hours.

HENRY BOECK, DEALER IN Furniture SAFES, CHAIRS, Lounges, Tables, Bedsteads, etc., etc., etc., Of All Descriptions.

METALLIC BURIAL CASES. WOODEN COFFINS. Of all sizes, ready made and sold cheap for cash.

Excelsior Barber Shop. J. C. BOONE, Main Street, opposite Saunders House.

HAIR-CUTTING, Shaving and Shampooing. SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO Cutting Children's and Ladies' Hair.

CALL AND SEE BOONE, GENTS, And get a boon in a CLEAN SHAVE.

WINDHAM'S REAL ESTATE COLLECTION AGENCY.

CHARLES WARREN, TONSORIAL ARTIST. Will give you a clean shave, or trim your hair in the LATEST STYLE!

OR GIVE YOU A FIRST-CLASS SHAMPOO. Returns from eleven precincts in Chicago, give Hayes 2,693; Tilden 2,947.

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DICK STREIGHT'S LIVERY, Feed and Sale Stables. CORNER 6th and Pearl Sts. HORSES BOUGHT, SOLD OR TRADED, For a Fair Commission. TEAMS AT ALL HOURS. Driving and Training TROTTER STOCK.

W. D. JONES' NEW LIVERY STABLE, PLATTSMOUTH, NEB. The old SONNER STABLES in Plattsouth, Neb. have been leased by Mr. Jones, and he will open a new and handsome livery on and after this date. The finest and best of horses and carriages always ready to let.

Horses kept for Sale or to Trade. HORSES TRAINED AND BROKE. ALSO.

FRESH MEAT. Come Here--Roast Beef. Walk In--Mutton Chops.

BAYLIES. Great Mercantile College, Keokuk, Iowa, on Mississippi. Prof. Wm. H. Miller, General Agent.

TREIGHT & MILLER Harness Manufacturers, SADDLES, BRIDLES, COLLARS, and all kinds of harness stock, constantly on hand.

Fruit Confectionery. AND GROCERY STORE. NUTS, CANDIES, TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, TOBACCOES, FLOUR, &c.

Pure Blood. Is the life, but bad blood is an abomination. From it and derangement of the kidneys and urinary organs, come most of the pains and aches and all diseases of the skin.

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OFFICIAL DIRECTORY. CONGRESSIONAL. SENATORS--P. W. Hitchcock, Omaha; A. S. Paddock, Beatrice.

LEGISLATIVE. SENATOR--4th DISTRICT--Sam. Chapman, Plattsmouth.

CITY. MAYOR--R. R. Livingston. CLERK--C. P. Moore, Plattsmouth.

B. & M. R. R. Time Table. Corrected Sunday, January 30th, 1876.

GOING EAST. Express, 6:30 a. m. Passenger, (train each day) 5:30 p. m.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. R. B. WINDHAM, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

W. B. JENKINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, U. S. Claim Agent and Public Auctioneer.

R. B. LIVINGSTON, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, tenders his professional services to the citizens of Cass county.

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Thanksgiving Proclamation. By the Governor of the State of Nebraska. The President of the United States having designated Thursday, the 30th day of November, 1876, as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer to Almighty God, and believing we have abundant cause for thankfulness for the manifold mercies and blessings bestowed upon us as a State, and as individuals, during the past year, therefore, I, Silas Garber, Governor of the State of Nebraska, do cordially commend to the people of this State the observance of the day so appointed in such manner as will manifest their gratitude to the giver of all good.

The Chicago Journal editorially says: The republican gains of members of congress are as follows: Arkansas, 1; California, 2; Florida, 1; Illinois, 6; Indiana, 4; Iowa, 1; Kansas, 1; Massachusetts, 3; Michigan, 2; Missouri, 4; New Jersey, 1; New York, 6; Ohio, 3; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 9; Tennessee, 1; Colorado, 1; Louisiana, 1; Virginia, 1. The republican losses are Alabama, 1; Kentucky, 1; Mississippi, 2; South Carolina, 2; probably North Carolina yet to hear from. New Hampshire is yet to hold her congressional election. The delegation of that State at present stands 1 republican and 2 democrats. Total republican gains thus far, 45; republican losses, 6. Net gain, 39. This, with the gain of probably 2 more in New Hampshire, will give the republicans the control of the next House of Representatives.

Masonry and the Church. It is said that Masonry is a rival of the church in its aims and teachings, but this is true only as it is true of the family, the school, the college, the State, and every other organization that has for its object the welfare and comfort of mankind.

A Big Wheat Farm in Pembina. A gentleman who came down from the North Pacific the other day gives to the St. Paul Pioneer Press the following interesting notes in relation to Dalrymple's great wheat farm.

The amount of ground owned to which this spring was 1,800 acres. Harvesting commenced on Monday with nine self-binders. The machines are run fifteen hours without rest, except the ordinary stops for oiling, lunch and dinner, and the results per day is 180 acres. One man is employed to each team, and twelve men follow the machines plowing the wheat as soon as it is cut. The entire 1,800 acres were to be cut and shocked during the week; stacking and threshing will of course follow. Dalrymple is harvesting his crop for about one-fifth of the cost required under the system in vogue ten years ago. At the time harvesting commenced it was estimated that the yield per acre from the entire tract would not be less than twenty bushels to the acre. Grasshoppers had done but little damage, the excessive hot weather came to late to blast the crop, and, on the whole, the wheat and grain pronounced big wheat farming on the North Pacific a success. The farm on which this crop was grown consists of 30,000 acres, on which next season there will be sown, while 3,000 acres, the sod of it having been broken this season. During the breaking season Mr. Dalrymple had as high as one hundred teams at work. The furrows turned were six miles long, and the teams make but two trips daily traveling with each plow, to make the four furrows, twenty-four miles. The location of the farm is eighteen miles west of Moorhead, Minnesota, in the proposed territory of Pembina, and this is not the only big farm in the vicinity, but is the "boss" farm of a dozen or more running from 500 to several thousand acres.

Abstract of Votes Cast at a General Election held in Cass County, Neb., Nov. 7th, 1876.

Table with columns: REPUBLICANS IN ROMAN; DEMOCRATS IN ITALIC; GREENBACKERS IN SMALL CAPS. Lists candidates for various offices including National, Congressional, State, and District, with their respective vote counts.

Table with columns: SPACE, 1 W., 2 W., 3 W., 1 M., 2 M., 3 M., 1 Y. Rates for advertising in different spaces and durations.

All Advertising bills due quarterly. Resident advertisements must be paid for in advance.

Extra copies of the HERALD for sale by J. P. Young, Postoffice news depot, and O. F. Johnson, corner of Main and Fifth streets.

A MAD DOG'S BITE.

How it Feels, and How a Mad-Stone Works. Capt. D. J. Bunce, of Mechanicsville, Cedar county, writes to the Iowa City Press of his misfortune in being bitten by a mad dog, and of his subsequent search for a mad-stone to cure the bite.

"I was bitten on Saturday, July 1, on the left wrist, by a small dog, which I did not at the time think was mad, though I killed it immediately. I had no suspicion till the fourth of July, when I felt a sharp pain start from the wound and extend to the back of my neck and to my face. This would last but a moment, and return at intervals, each time getting worse.

"Having heard much of the virtues of the mad-stone, I at once made inquiries for one, and on Wednesday evening was told that a gentleman named Turner Evans, of Iowa City, had one. At 11 o'clock that night I left this place for your city, but owing to the flood in Cedar river did not get through until noon the next day.

"We learned that some years ago a Mr. Evans had treated some cases in Iowa City, and by searching old newspaper files it was ascertained that his residence then was Paris, Linn county. Telegrams were sent to Marion and Center Point, and I was finally put on the track to Paris, where I found Messrs. Evans & Co., who have the mad-stone. This was on Saturday, eight days after the bite. About five o'clock p. m. that day the stone was applied.

"The first application of the stone proved that the dog which bit me was mad, and that my system was becoming impregnated with the virus. The stone held on twenty-five minutes the first time, when it fell off, changed color, and fell off. Another application was made and it was again applied, and so on until it had been applied seventy-three times, holding on each time from twenty-five minutes to one hour, until at last repeated application showed the remedy had done its work, for it would adhere no more, which is indicated by its failure to stick, and its change in color from a natural dark brown to a deep green color.

"At the first application it was very painful, but grew less so each time until the last.

"The owners of the stone, Messrs. Evans & Fleming, live near Paris, Linn county, and in the past twenty-five years have saved many persons from the horrible death by hydrophobia, and have in the same time rescued thousands of dollars' worth of stock from loss by the same cause.

"If anyone says there is no virtue in the mad-stone, let him be referred to me and hundreds of others for proof that there is."

Editorial Cares. [Cleveland Herald.] The editor of a Texas paper gives the following figures of a statistical memorandum of his every day life; and still people will think that dogs have but few cares to disturb their slumbers, and start into the newspaper business to enjoy life:

Table listing various expenses and activities of a newspaper editor, such as 'Been asked to drink', 'Invited to parties', 'Wrote for puff', etc., with corresponding costs.

We ask McDonagh and he says the above is all correct but the last item cash on hand \$1.00. The HERALD and Watchman had just 75 cents together.

The Attendance at the Centennial. Despite discouraging weather and rain one hundred thousand people were inside the closing ceremonies. President Grant and Governor Hawley ascended the platform, followed by the Centennial bands. The Thomas orchestra performed Wagner's centennial inauguration march.

Hon. Joseph Reiss offered prayer after which the orchestra played and the chorus sang the Rigue, by Bach. Hon. Daniel J. Morrell, United States centennial commissioner from Pennsylvania, then delivered an address.

The way to have a dead town is to keep right on calling it dead. Just give up and say that everything is played out, there is no business, no use to make any exertion, things cannot be improved and you will soon be just as dead as you think you are.

Either run your town with a vim or just give up and leave it. Men who are all the time waiting for a chance to get out of business or a town will never try to build up either. One of two things should be done, push things find a way, or make a way, or put some "go" into the business, run the town for all there is in it get up steam and keep it up, or else quit the whole thing and move the ranch, slide out, and let nature have her way.

Do you want trade? Bid for it. Do you want business men to come to your town? Encourage men who do come. Do you want to have a prosperous town where people can come and feel disposed to make homes? Then do away, bury out of sight all local differences, all jealousy, all spite, work no more for a few individuals, but all work together for a common prosperity, and for mutual benefit.

Wake up, rub your eyes, roll up your sleeves and go to work. Do not go to work with fear and trembling, but take it for granted that the work will tell. Leave results to themselves, borrow no trouble, but all united make the biggest kind of a try.