

In closing up the saloons on Sunday, the mayor of Omaha is entitled to the respect and support of all lovers of law and decency.

Those Omaha papers who are fighting the Mayor for closing the saloons on Sunday are simply exceeding the limit of decency, and exhibit an amazingly low degree of morality. It is simply infamous that a metropolitan daily, in this day, would pursue such a course.

There is to be another international yacht race this autumn, and our English cousins having plucked up enough courage to challenge the winner of the America's cup. The earl of Dunraven has sent the challenge and the sport loving people of both countries will look forward to the contest with great interest. The cup has been so gallantly defended in the past, that Americans are not alarmed at the prospect of another attempt to carry it to England, and there is no doubt that the challenge will be eagerly accepted. Very likely, too, the duty of keeping the cup here may fall to a New York yacht man.

The terrible catastrophe that wrecked all the German and American men of war in the harbor at Samoa will probably persuade the president and the emperor that procrastination is the thief of time and that they had better settle the dispute as soon as possible and release their navies from the obligation of watching each other in so dangerous a locality. The English man of war had her steam up and was starting away to another port, or there would have been another vessel and crew added to the list of casualties. A harbor with a coral reef attachment is a poor place in which to ride out a hurricane.

The secretary of the interior, from all appearances, is carefully deliberating as to whom he shall select to negotiate with the Indians for the opening of the Sioux reservation in Dakota. The failure of the Vilas commission to come to a definite understanding is still fresh in mind. The task is certainly a most delicate one and can be entrusted only to men who are conversant with the Indian question and who have the confidence of the Sioux. The apparent slowness of Secretary Noble in the matter is galling to the people of Dakota, who are impatient to rush the negotiations. There can be but little question that the secretary of the interior has taken the proper course and that the opening of the reservation will be brought about as soon as expedient.

PUBLIC PRINTER BENEDICT went into office with the announced intention of reforming the public printing office, and in order to make his administration seem more pure and more economical, bitterly attacked the administration of his predecessor, the late S. P. Rounds. But Mr. Benedict turned out to be one of the most brilliant specimens of bogus reformer that the late administration produced. The work of his office is hopelessly behindhand, and he has managed to use up his appropriation in a reckless fashion, in spite of the law which limits the amount to be spent in each quarter of the fiscal year. On the whole, it seems that a new broom is sadly needed in this office, and that it will have to be wielded with a vigorous hand.—Lincoln Journal.

A BRIEF period of sober reflection convinces those who fought and bled for the honor, that legislative life is a waste of energy and a strain on one's character. Honest men retire from the strife with pleasure, while the disreputables cling to it while there is a dollar in sight. The former will not stoop to low trickery and scandalous schemes to secure support for measures of public good, but cannot escape the annoyances which surround legislatures. The latter are at home in the tide of dissipation and dishonesty and flourish on booby and bestiality. This condition is chargeable to the indifference of the better class of citizens. They refuse to take an active part in the primaries and conventions and permit these foundations of official life to be controlled and managed by schemers and place hunters.

The present administration is disposed to a friendlier recognition of the somewhat poorly paid services and abilities of newspaper men than any of its predecessors. Mr. A. B. Ball, editor of the Tecumseh Republican, has been appointed register of the land office at Salt Lake City. This is the only land office in Utah and one of the best in the country. Mr. Ball is a native of Indiana, and has been an able fighter in the Republican ranks for a quarter of a century. Having a personal acquaintance with Harrison, his paper at Tecumseh was the first in this section to hoist the name of the successful candidate to its mast head. Mr. Ball had strong recommendations from this state, Indiana and Colorado, where he was favorably known to leading Republicans, and the Journal congratulates him upon his appointment.—Lincoln Journal.

The state board of transportation has settled the much vexed question as to who shall be its secretaries and stenographer for the next two years. After a much prolonged and very spirited session of the board recently, J. R. Gilkeson of Saunders, W. S. Garber of Webster and L. W. Gilchrist of Box Butte were elected secretaries and C. H. Holmes of Gage, stenographer. The board had agreed that in electing its secretaries it should take one from each congressional district and that one should be a lawyer, one a business man and one a representative farmer. J. R. Gilkeson, who is the democratic secretary, is the lawyer, W. S. Garber the business man and L. W. Gilchrist the farmer. The selections were well made from forty-seven candidates and the action of the board will doubtless prove to be judicious.

A LESS steady head than Senator Lindsay's would be turned by the burden of merited praise pressed upon him from all sides. The 33rd tracks exuberant pride and satisfaction in his record made during the late legislature.

"A Curl From Baby's Head."

Words and Music by Edwin Harley.  
The above is the name of a new song which we have just received from the publishers, and for beauty and sentiment is without doubt the best we have yet seen. We give below the words of the first verse—

I've a darling waiting for me,  
Pretty blue eyes so full of gloe,  
They red lips are liping papa,  
While from him I'm away so far.  
When last I left him in his mother's arms,  
Sleeping sweetly, feeling no harm,  
Quickly I stole from his forehead so fair,  
This little lock of his golden hair.

Chorus—  
A curl from the Baby's head, yes, a curl from the Baby's head,  
It will never grow old, this treasure of Gold—  
Next my heart I'll wear it till dead.  
A curl from my Baby's head, yes, a curl from my Baby's head,  
It will never grow old, this treasure of gold.  
This curl from my Baby's head.

THE LAWNS.

The artistic arrangement of the lawn is to the owner of every country place, a matter of the first importance, or should be. Time was when flower beds plentifully bespiced its green surface, and made of even the smallest plot a very garden of brilliant coloring, attracting the eye of every beholder. But the fashions change here as well as elsewhere, and behold, now, the popular taste would point toward the larger expanse of green with its modicum of shrub and tree, while the old time flower bed and its occupants smile at you through the garden fence. Care should be taken to have a firm, beautiful sod in the first place, to which end a thorough preparation is essential, and whether it is to be sowed or sown, frequent top-dressing will insure its continued beauty, especially if cut close and often. As to the management, a continuous variety in form, color and expression would lend themselves to the eye and hand of the true lover of artistic beauty. Here a certain species of tree, dainty and delicate in nature, yet perfectly hardy, would form a beautiful mass, when grouped with the dwarf arbor vitae and Irish juniper, while there are for separate planting the varieties of Norway spruce, white spruce and hemlock, the larger varieties to be kept within bounds by cutting back, while the dwarfish kinds may follow their will.

Congressman Laird.

[From the Lincoln Journal.]  
Sergeant A. C. Parkinson, of the senate, who has been in Washington, D. C., for a couple of weeks, was in the city yesterday. It is understood that as soon as he passes the civil service examination he will be appointed special pension examiner by his erstwhile friend, Corporal Tanner. "In my short stay at the national capital I saw Congressman Laird frequently, and I was very much surprised at his condition," said the sergeant. "He is under the doctor's care and in a short time he will be himself again. There is no reason, whatever, to think that his illness will be fatal. He has a good appetite and does not sleep every day. The boys out here ought to encourage him by writing once in a while. It would do him good. A little quiet and care will bring him around."

In a Critical Condition.

On Monday evening of this week, Charlie Suter, a fireman on the U. P. out of Omaha, formerly a B. & M. employe out of McCook, was seriously injured in a wreck in the vicinity of Hammond's tree house, North Omaha. The engine toppled over, Suter receiving a dislocated shoulder and injury to spine. His condition, says the Bee, is critical.

Cupid Hath Wings.

"FAINT heart fair lady never won."  
Thus saith some Gentle Solomon;  
But bravest hearts, since time's beginning,  
Have lost fair ladies after winning.  
—Kemper Bocoek, in The Century Bric-a-Brac.

J. A. Snyder, of McCook, purchased the furniture of the Sargent house on Saturday last and the hotel is now under the management of Mr. John Morgan, an able and experienced hotel man. Harper left Sunday evening for Kansas City. Several parties mourn his departure. County Treasurer Goodrich came up from Lincoln, Saturday evening, returning again Tuesday evening to complete some real estate deals he has on hand.—Courier.

POSTMASTER PEARSON, of New York, has given out a long statement defining his position. He says no employe of the New York postoffice has been treated with undue severity under his regime. He has never, he says, allowed himself, in the performance of his duties, to be swayed by either personal or political bias. Mr. Pearson is evidently very anxious to keep his head on his shoulders.

The Connecticut legislature has the power to commute sentence of death. A strong lobby was present the other day when a case in point came up and the nutmeg lawmakers let the man off from the penalty of his crime. Connecticut needs a revision of her constitution. It is a wonder since her legislature is a criminal court of appeal, that it has time to attend to anything else.

HON. JOHN M. THURSTON is to deliver the annual address at the commencement of the Iowa state university at Iowa City in June. The Des Moines Register congratulates the university that it has secured an orator of national reputation for this important occasion.

JAMES E. KELLEY of Bloomington has been appointed and confirmed receiver of public monies at that place, being the first land office appointment made in Nebraska.

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Publication of Summons.

CORA E. KELLEY, Plaintiff, vs. District Court of Red Willow County, Nebraska.  
ALEXANDER M. KELLEY, Defendant.

ALEXANDER M. KELLEY, Defendant, will take notice that on the day of April, 1889, Cora E. Kelley, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the District Court of Red Willow County, Nebraska, against said defendant, alleging that on the 15th day of July, 1888, and at divers and sundry times before and after said date, defendant committed the crime of adultery with one Ella Rogers; and the object and purport of which is to secure a divorce from you on said ground.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of May, 1889.

CORA E. KELLEY, by J. BYRON JENNINGS, her attorney. 45-4ts.

ORDER OF HEARING.

The State of Nebraska, ss.  
Red Willow County, ss.  
Rod Willow County, ss.  
On the 20th day of March, 1889, William Cary, father of John Henry Cary, made and filed in this office his sworn statement duly attested and stated that he desired to relinquish all right to the custody of, and power and control over John Henry Cary, his minor child, and all claim and interest in and to his services and wages; and also came John Calhoun and Susan F. Calhoun, and made and filed in my office statement under oath, duly attested, that they desired to adopt said John Henry Cary as their own child. I have therefore appointed the 6th day of May, 1889, at one o'clock, P. M., at my office, in Indiana, as the time and place where a hearing will be had in said matter, at which time and place all persons interested may appear.

THE BEE is not satisfied with the secretaries appointed by the board of transportation. But perhaps the secretaries need no better recommendation than the Bee's opposition. At any rate the secretaries are entitled to an opportunity to display their several abilities before being criticized.

SENATOR LINDSAY has made a record during the late session that his constituents may well be proud of and has justified them for returning him for a third term. The people of Lincoln will long remember his fairness and public spirit and wish him a long and successful career.—State Journal.

THE first assistant postmaster general has discovered that the appointments made by his predecessor were politically bad and physically unfit for the positions, and must go. Mr. Clarkson is developing a wholesome regard for reform without civil service trimmings.

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