

LOCAL NEWS.

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 1895.

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DES MOINES PASSENGER TRAINS

Table with columns for ARRIVE, DEPART, and various train routes like Chicago, St. Louis, and Burlington.

Mr. Cherfee was a Des Moines visitor this week.

Mrs. Archie Mickles has been ill for several days past.

J. M. Ruff spent Monday in Stuart, the guest of his son, Edwin.

Mrs. Wm. Crockett's daughter, Orrie, has been quite sick for several days.

Frank Lewis and Moss Epperson left for St. Paul Wednesday evening.

Arthur Jones left for Macon City, Mo., Wednesday to spend several days.

Mrs. Bower and daughter Ethel, returned from Mt. Pleasant this week.

Mrs. E. L. Robinson returned from a two weeks visit in Story City Tuesday evening.

Jno. Hardy is to be about but carries his arm in a sling, the result of rheumatism.

Mrs. Wm. Coalson has been quite sick for the past few days, but is now convalescent.

Thomas Williams, who has been sick with rheumatism for several days is much improved.

Miss Ada Jordan left for St. Joe Monday evening after visiting several days in this city.

Miss Lizzie Pate, of Galesburg, Ill., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Bower of 933 Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaCour returned home Saturday after several days visiting in New Orleans and Chicago.

Chas. Clark, of 1705 Des Moines street, has been ill for several days, but is convalescent at this writing.

Henry Sheeley left Tuesday to attend the grand lodge at Chariton, from which he will go on a visit at Farmington.

Mrs. James Wood has gone to Ottumwa. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Jeannette upon her return home.

Mrs. Thomas Williams entertained a few friends Monday at tea in honor of Miss Hopkins, of Corning, and Miss Jordan, of St. Joe.

Miss Josie Rivers, accompanied by her two little brothers left Thursday for an extended visit with their grand parents in Tennessee.

There will be a union picnic held at Dean's grove, on Four Mile creek, near Youngstown, the first Sunday in August. Come out and help us.

Mrs. Smith, Miss Rosa James and Miss Anna Taylor, of Muchachinock, were in the city this week to attend the funeral of the late George Carter.

Mrs. Sheely, Mrs. McCowen and Miss Emma Jackson contemplate leaving for their home in Farmington, Iowa, to visit their parents for several weeks.

Mr. Jefferson Logan returned from Savannah, Mo., Monday, where he was called by the illness of his mother, who, it is gratifying to know, is much improved.

Father Bell is much improved and is now considered out of danger. He is a remarkable man and though nearly 85 years of age is still a good specimen of sturdy manhood.

The King's Daughters will give their first entertainment next Wednesday night. It will be called the "Rain Bow" entertainment and promises to be a unique affair.

Mrs. H. H. Hooker gave a nice little ice cream and cake party in honor of Misses Jordan and Hopkins Monday evening. After refreshments croquet furnished the amusement.

Don't forget the Old Settlers' picnic next Thursday afternoon. It is useless to say everyone who attends will have a good time. The Old Settlers know just how to entertain their friends and are making preparation for a grand feast and jolly good time. Men, women, children and babies all invited to enjoy their hospitality.

Misses Amelia Williams and Susie

Turner entertained a number of their friends at the home of the latter Thursday evening. The evening was delightfully spent in games, and dainty refreshments were served. All report a good time.

Mr. J. P. Sheeley, of Muchachinock, was in the city this week to attend the funeral of George Carter.

Mrs. Luella M. Shelton, of Ottumwa, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Williamson for the past three weeks, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Lewis gave a very pleasant picnic for her Sunday school class at Greenwood Park Wednesday. The little ones are enthusiastic in praise of their teacher and the good time they had.

The Afro-American Protective Association will meet at the court house Tuesday evening, July 30. Business of importance. By order of CHARLES WOOD, President. E. S. WILLET, Secretary.

Mrs. A. S. Barnett is quite sick at Cottage hospital. Her baby died last week of cholera infantum, thus the mother is brought to bear two-fold suffering. She has the sympathy of all in her hour of sickness and bereavement.

MARRIED—Mr. Henry Cooper of Burlington and Mrs. M. A. Brown of this city. The contracting parties are well and favorably known and the union will be a happy one. Congratulations are here extended by their many friends.

Rev. C. M. Williams, D. D., M. D., will preach at the East Side Baptist Church on Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Williams recently resigned the pastorate of the Zion Baptist Church at Denver, Colorado. All are cordially invited to attend.

We hope to hear of some of the young ladies taking civil service examinations which are held at the government building. There are many positions in and about the building held by women, and the only way to get them is to take the examination and be placed on the eligible list. It is not only a privilege but a duty.

There is one thing that we feel especially proud of. While the woman's club was debating the advisability of admitting colored women of intelligence and character the woman's club of Des Moines had no trouble or discussion over the matter, but admitted all worthy applicants without bringing up the question of color. Mrs. Thomas McDaniels and Mrs. J. H. Poindexter have been members of the Des Moines Woman's club for a number of years. Mrs. McDaniels attended a state meeting held in Osakalooa several years ago and had the pleasure of listening to Mrs. Cady Stanton.

How many visit the city library and spend their leisure hours in reading some useful book or interesting magazine? Everybody is made welcome. There are interesting and instructive books on all kinds of subjects. It is the privilege of all well-behaved people to go there. There is no law against any one reading the books and papers therein contained. The civil rights law has no bearing on the city library. It is surprising that there are so few of our young people who visit and spend their leisure hours in putting useful knowledge in their heads. The Negro is noted by his absence.

A. P. A. COMMITTEES. Members appointed by president of various committees: Executive committee—Chairman, A. G. Clark, Osakalooa; J. T. Blagburn, Des Moines; Miss Lottie Green, Newton; T. P. Davis, Colon; Miss Cora Bass, Clive; B. F. Taylor, Boone; A. Burles, Boggsstown; Jas. Hamilton, Ottumwa; E. A. Lewis, Warren county. Insurance committee—Chairman, Geo. E. Taylor, Osakalooa; R. D. Turner, Des Moines; Miss Pennie Taylor, Ft. Dodge; C. S. Bass, Clive; Mrs. L. M. Shelton, Ottumwa. Co-operative committee—Chairman, C. B. Woods, Moines; Miss Nellie Whitsett, Newton; B. J. Shephard, Osakalooa; E. S. Willet, Des Moines; Rev. Lomax, Ottumwa. Finance committee—Chairman, T. E. Barton, Des Moines; H. H. Lewis, Des Moines; Wm. Coalson, Des Moines; Jeff Logan, Des Moines; John Hardy, Des Moines; E. S. Willet, Des Moines; Dr. Ed Johnson, Des Moines; R. D. Turner, Des Moines; C. B. Woods, Des Moines; J. H. Shephard, Des Moines; W. A. Sirey, Des Moines. Emblem committee—Chairman, Jas. Hamilton, Ottumwa; E. S. Willet, Des Moines; R. D. Turner, Des Moines; Mrs. Geo. E. Taylor, Osakalooa; Miss Eldora Green, Newton.

Mass in a Groz Shop. Mass in a saloon was one of the oddities in Chicago last Sunday, says the Chicago Chronicle. It was celebrated in the suburb of Hawthorne, the attendants being Polish Catholics, who have lately been deprived of their pastor, Rev. Father Conan, a German, who until three weeks ago preached English and German on alternate Sundays. No priest having been appointed to take Father Conan's place, the Poles spied the vacant saloon and rented it. The bar, glasses, etc., had not been removed, but they were covered up. A connecting room in the rear was used as an altar room and when all was ready the priest was secured and services held, all apparently being contented with the hastily improvised church.

JETSAM. The cabmen of Paris are forbidden to smoke pipes while driving a fare. A dog market is held every Sunday in Paris, where it is possible to buy anything from a black and tan to a large mastiff. The old Putnam house in Rutland, Mass., where Gen. Rufus Putnam lived, is to be preserved as a historical landmark of the "Father of the Northwest." The plant phytolacca electrica, a plant capable of giving electric shocks of somewhat startling severity, is most remarkably disliked by the animal world. It will surprise some people to know that Seattle witnessed last week a reunion of the "old-timers," some of whom settled in what is now the state of Washington about fifty years ago.

An Old Ex-Senator. The Hon. J. W. Bradbury, formerly United States senator from Maine, celebrated his ninety-third birthday a few days ago at Augusta. He was born at Parsonfield in 1802, and was elected to the United States senate in 1843, serving six years.

AN AUSTRALIAN TOWN.

The Railway That Was to Have Made the Klamoses' Fortunes.

As we look away from the cliff, dazed with color and drunk with ozone, the eye rests gratefully on a placid undulating landscape spread out in varied tints of green, says the Westminster Review. Sleek horses are rolling on verdant slopes that kiss the blue waves; dark "coral" trees, spreading like cedars, crown the heights here and there; while gleaming villas and cottages, clustered amidst luxuriant foliage, indefinitely suggest a Normandy village. Down in the hollow lies the little town proper, trim, white, about the size of a tablecloth. Yet the miniature place has pretensions of its own and justifies them by supporting three doctors, seven dentists, half a dozen well-appointed hotels, an imposing Italian architecture—and a tangible consequence of those "great expectations" which Klama and its railway have so far failed to realize. That railway was to have made the fortune of the Klamoses. As soon as its advent was announced they looked with profound disdain on the tiny harbor and diminutive steamers which had hitherto brought them in contact with the outer world; they proposed to cut a dash, become fashionable and excite the envy of adjoining townships by their commercial prosperity. Hitherto the prosperity had been of the quietly picturesque order; fat farmers, jogging down the hillsides on sleek nags and leading other horses, pannier-laden, deposited pats of sweet butter and snowy eggs on the Sydney steamer and then, feeling that life, with a bi-weekly packet to rejoice over, was full of zest, gathered in groups to interview stray arrivals and discuss city news—greatly to the advantage of the obsequious publican. But the railway was to change all this; the railway was to make Klama its terminus, to shower daily papers and gay visitors on the little town and turn Sleepy Hollow into a scene of bustling activity. As it happened, the railway did nothing of the kind; it shot ahead to its present terminus, Novra, utterly ignoring the rival claims of Sleepy Hollow. The farmers ceased to amble down with their market baskets, but the visitors came not, nor the bustle, and the day is far distant when the Sydney paterfamilias shall bring his olive branches, with their spades and pitchforks, to the sore discomfort of the dreamy idler. Meanwhile Klama makes the most of its weekly audience, where horses and bugies are sold at the foot of the light-house hill, and of its one yearly disputation, the agricultural show held on the heights behind the town.

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Ladies' Wash Silk Waists, worth \$1.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. At \$1.75 Each. Sizes 32, 34, 36, 38.

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Our Discount Sale will last up to 9:30 p. m. Saturday. Come and bring your friends.

HARRIS-EMERY Co. The announcement has been made public that President Seth Low would give to Columbia College its new library, to cost about \$1,000,000, and W. C. Schermerhorn would give \$300,000 to pay for the erection of one of the buildings on the new site. The New York Evening Post says in this connection: "President Low's magnificent gift of \$1,000,000 to Columbia College for a library building, makes, we believe, nearly six millions the college has received in gifts since he succeeded to the presidency. This may fairly be said to 'beat the record' among American colleges, if we except the foundation of the Chicago University."

The Englishman's Neatness.

Americans are often puzzled to account for the neatness of attire which distinguishes most English gentlemen. Few will deny that as a rule Englishmen are always well dressed. The following information comes directly from an English source, and has the weight of preponderant logic on its side: "Most Americans buy one suit and wear it until they buy another—that is, after the first is worn too much to appear genteel. In England we do the thing different. Instead of one suit we buy three or four, or perhaps half a dozen at the same time. We wear one suit to-day and another to-morrow, changing as often as the fancy takes us. Result, neatness and variety, what is called being well dressed. It costs a little more to start with, but it is economy in the end. After the first cost, it takes no more to keep up the supply than to buy single suits, as it is only necessary to add a single suit at a time."—Washington Post.

A Ludicrous Mistake.

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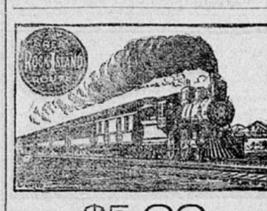
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