

The Bismarck Tribune.

The Pedestrian Fraud.

Harriman—so called—but S. K. Hunt by baptism, who has been advertising himself as the great transcontinental pedestrian, the man who beat O'Leary, "drowned" the fleet footed Indians, won the championship belt, and with his seven-league boots walked over the mountain peaks of the rugged Rockies and away with mighty strides along the storm-lashed shores of the Pacific, has been proven to be a complete and galled fraud. The fact of the matter is, Hunt is not walking to the coast and has ridden nearly every mile of the distance from Duluth. The most interesting feature of his "beating" though the northwest is the fact that he has stepped beyond the limit of the ordinary fraud and left his managers and co-workers in the lurch. Mr. Bell, Harriman's manager, states positively that he assisted in putting the pedestrian on the freight cars at Jamestown at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, and on the evening of that day, the great tramp of d. b. fame strode gallantly into Bismarck, and announced the fact that he walked from Jamestown, a distance of 101 miles in 19 hours. After skimming around Bismarck and Mandan, and raking in all the gate money possible, he arose from his slumbers at one o'clock Saturday morning and stole silently away, to find new fields to conquer and more suckers to delude. Hunt was in the city two years ago and left his bills unpaid as he did along the line, and he is now repeating the practice which then gained him a reputation as a fraud. The towns west of Bismarck will soon be favored with a visit from the walkist, who will tell them startling tales of wonderful endurance and make still more wonderful exhibitions of flint-like cheek and giant gait. The men, McDonald and Coleman, who are traveling with Hunt, are branded by Manager Bell as tramps, and instead of being hired by opposing parties to guard against deception, are "standing in" with "Harriman" and assisting in duping the public.

A Coat Short.

The following confirmation has been kindly sent into the TRIBUNE by some considerate friend:—

EDITOR TRIBUNE—I wish to call your attention to the fact that Mr. Charles E. White of Sank Rapids, Minn., (who is stopping at the Merchants hotel) through his coolness and unflinching courage was the person who averted a great calamity and conflagration which started in Proctor's hall last Friday evening. Mr. White rushed to the front and coolly pulled off his overcoat and spread it on the blazing oil, putting out the fire but of course ruining his coat.

A CITIZEN.

Thanks, Mr. Citizen, for the information, but at present it is difficult to know just what to do about it. Now, if Mr. White had pulled off his conflagration and spread it on the coat, or if the coat had spread Mr. White coolly on the burning oil or had Proctor's hall stepped coolly to the front and saved the conflagration from the burning oil white Proctor spread the overcoat on the fragments of broken chandelier, or had the conflagration been coolly spread on Mr. White and averted a calamity, the public might be interested in the coolness of the burning oil. However, Proctor should be informed of the fact that Mr. White coolly ruined his coat instead of jumping from the second story window as did several who had no overcoats and coolly contemplated death.

Building and Loan Association.

The Bismarck Building and Loan association has issued a neat pamphlet containing the constitution and by-laws of the association. The capital stock of the association will be \$500,000, divided into 2,500 shares of \$200 each, payable in weekly installments of twenty-five cents per share, and the capital stock may be increased to \$1,000,000. As stated in the pamphlet, the object of the association is to afford to its members an opportunity for a safe investment of their weekly savings, and to aid them in the acquisition of homes. The board of directors shall consist of nine stock holders and the following persons: C. S. Weaver, H. J. Whitley, E. McMahon, Harvey Harris, John Malloney, J. O. Grout, Geo. P. Flannery, C. H. Bradford, and J. W. Raymond, who shall hold office until the next annual election. Copies of the constitution and by-laws will be distributed among the laborers and mechanics of the city.

Bound for Bismarck.

The following telegram from La Crosse, Wis., to the Minneapolis Journal of yesterday, is perfectly reliable and will interest the owners of real estate in this city:

La Crosse Special: E. P. Reynolds, of Rock Island, and C. C. Smith, of La Crosse, have taken a contract to build seventy five miles more of the Bismarck extension of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern from Pipe Stone, Minn., to Bismarck, Dakota. This, with the previous contract from near Spirit Lake, Iowa, to Pipe Stone, makes a total of 150 miles to be open by January 1, 1885. The surveys are for a high line. It is nearly all embankment work with very few cuts. What cuts will have to be made are light. This is to keep out of the way of drifting snow. From 200 to 300 teams are now at work and the number is being increased as rapidly as possible. This is one of the heaviest contracts that will be taken in the west this year.

A Dangerous Trap.

Complaints concerning the artesian well—or rather the hole for an artesian well—in the northwestern part of the city have been sent to the TRIBUNE. It is stated that the large opening which is over a thousand feet deep, is open, and on several occasions children have been seen playing near the shaft with nothing to prevent them from tumbling in. The authorities will, no doubt, see that all necessary steps are taken to secure safety and prevent a terrible accident which is liable to happen at any time.

Emmons County Democrats.

The democrats of Emmons county met in convention Saturday, the 3rd inst, and chose Mr. B. S. Whitney as delegate to the Pierre convention, which will be held on the 14th. Mr. Whitney is a representative young man, and if he attends the convention will represent Emmons county with credit to himself and constituents.

THE Brookings Press says the convention at Pierre will consist of 52 members and that it is doubtful if there are that many democrats in the territory. In and all true Dakotians

the TRIBUNE is free to say that the territory contains many very excellent gentlemen of the democratic persuasion and if the body of Pierre is composed of timber similar to that sent from Bismarck, then that convention will be as dignified and respectable a body as ever assembled in the territory, either republican or democratic. The gentleman selected to represent Burleigh county democracy, Messrs. Smith, Thompson, Bragg, Hollembaek and Carland are among the best citizen's of Bismarck, respected by all regardless of party fealty.

Nine Physicians Outdone.

Mrs. Helen Pharvis, No. 331 Dayton street, Chicago, Ill. is now in her sixty-eighth year, and states that she has suffered with consumption for about ten years, was treated by nine physicians, all of them pronouncing her case hopeless. She had given up all hopes of ever recovering. Seven bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption completely cured her. Doubting ones, please drop her a postal and satisfy yourselves. Call at Peterson & Veeder's drug store and get a free trial bottle.

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WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Merchants National Bank of Bismarck," in the city of Bismarck, in the county of Burleigh, and territory of Dakota, has complied with all the provisions of the Revised Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, JOHN JAY KNOX, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the Merchants National Bank of Bismarck, in the city of Bismarck, in the county of Burleigh, and territory of Dakota, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5,169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

JOHN JAY KNOX, Comptroller of the Currency. [No. 3,169.]

MAIL LETTINGS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., March 1, 1884. Proposals will be received at the Contract Office of this department until 5 p. m. of May 3, 1884, for carrying the mails of the United States upon the routes and according to the schedule of arrival and departure specified by the department in the territory of Dakota, from July 1, 1884, to June 30, 1886. Lists of routes with schedules of arrivals and departures, instructions to bidders, with forms of contracts and bonds, and all other necessary information, will be furnished upon application to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

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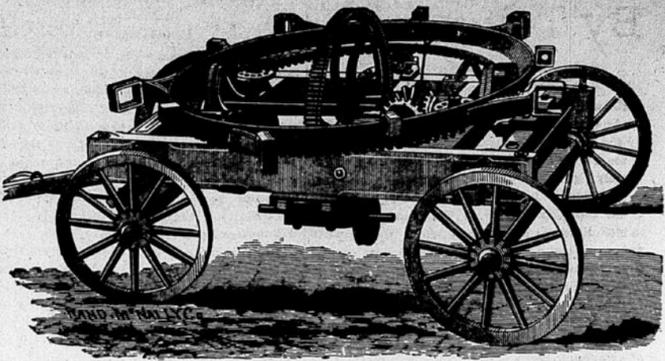
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