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SNAP SHOTS

ABOUT THE CITY

This pesky weather!

Frank Woodard, of Exeter, Nebr., has accepted a position in Gene Lewis barber shop.

The Odd Fellows anniversary exercises and ball next Tuesday evening promises to be largely attended from the different cities of the Hills.

A. D. Clark, formerly of Buffalo Gap, now of Iowa Falls, Ia., was in the city Thursday. He has valuable mining property in the northern Hills.

Mr. I. L. Hanford has decided to remove to Wisconsin within a few weeks and engage in the newspaper business. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hanford will sincerely regret their departure.

The Burlington line has put on the through sleeper to Chicago, and the elegant chair cars, of which the STAR mentioned a few weeks ago. This is a grand system of railway, that never does anything by halves.

A section man on the B. & M. was badly crushed by being run over by a hand-car Sunday, between the abdomen and Hill City.—*Deadwood Pioneer*. Indeed the man must be seriously hurt for running over either place means almost certain death.

There was a rain-makers convention at Rapid City Monday. The moisture that was then falling and had been pouring down for 24 hours, somewhat dampened the ardor of the delegates, and they wisely postponed having any experimental rains until some time in June or July.

T. S. Hawley purchased the remaining groceries of the Skinner stock on Wednesday and has already set up store keeping in that most excellent location. He will carry a general stock of goods, of which he proposes to keep the people posted through the STAR.

This has been a week of miserable weather, with rain and snow. It has been almost impossible to get about. It is probably safe to estimate that about four feet of snow has fallen, but it melted nearly as fast as it fell, and there was not over 20 or 24 inches on the ground at any one time.

Frank and Will Thayer and C. R. Cushman, with their wives, returned this week from a hunting expedition into Nebraska. They have been out ever since the unpleasant weather began, and have had the hardest kind of luck, so far as capturing geese and ducks is concerned. Yet there were many pleasant incidents connected with the trip.

Last fall Rev. Cook, an Indian preacher from Pine Ridge agency, made a trip to several towns in the Hills in company with Bishop Hare, and assisted in the confirmation services of the Episcopal church. His eloquence and ability was a subject of much comment. It will grieve those who then met him to learn of his untimely death at the agency on the 17th inst.

C. C. Wilson, a brother-in-law of E. J. Moore, has moved his family to this city, from Columbus, Nebr. Mr. Wilson is a mail agent on the Deadwood and Lincoln R. P. O., and has invented a mail sack fastener that does away with the strap, and the sack can be locked in one fourth the time that the present sack requires. He is making an effort to have the government adopt it, and it certainly has the appearance of being an invention that would fill a long felt want.

A Chicago telegram of the 12th, speaking of the new time table upon the C. B. & Q. system, which takes effect April 24, and new arrangements thereunder says, "Express No. 5, leaving at 5:45 p. m. for Omaha and Denver and all local points in Nebraska and Northern Kansas, will run as heretofore, except that connections will be made at Lincoln for Deadwood, Hot Springs and all Black Hills points, and it will be furnished with through sleeping cars from Chicago to Deadwood."

Last Friday forenoon while the Catholicon omnibus was passing along side the Elkhorn railroad, and was at a point just below the new bridge, near the electric light plant, an engine came along frightened the team so that they shied off, rolling the bus, occupants and all over into the creek. There were Mrs. Booker, Mrs. Barnard, Miss Green and a little child named Rimmer. They were considerably bruised up, but none of them seriously hurt, which is surprising. That is rather a dangerous place, and one has to keep pretty close watch in driving along the road in that locality.

Sol Starr has again been nominated mayor of Deadwood. He has already been mayor there for seven years consecutively.

The Elkhorn train brought in six car loads of freight Monday, which is sufficient evidence that business is rapidly increasing.

Will Brightman's brother came in from Lyons, N. Y., Wednesday, and will visit for a few weeks and may conclude to remain.

The ground hasn't been so thoroughly soaked for about three years. It looks now as though an old fashioned harvest would be garnered by the farmers.

Work upon the Minnekahta hotel has had to be abandoned once or twice during the past week because the quarry could not furnish stone fast as they could be used on the building.

The plentiful moisture of this spring is hailed with delight by farmers and stockmen, for it almost assures them of good crops and excellent grass for stock.

Hot Springs is decidedly in it when it comes to improvements. More money is being expended in building and street improvements than in any other city in the state. This is a fact.

MARRIED—At Odell, on Saturday, April 16th, by Rev. Frame, Mr. W. M. Thom to Miss Grace Austin. The groom remembered the STAR on Monday last and we hereby extend most cordial congratulations to the happy couple.

The Moodie boys received word Wednesday that their mother was not expected to live, and Sandie was going that evening, but the delay of the trains held him here and fortunately, for yesterday he received a dispatch that she was somewhat improved and to wait until he should bear again.

Jim Carney, of Deadwood, was in the city Thursday. He had started south to spend some time, hoping to benefit his health, which has been poorly all winter, but the train did not go beyond Buffalo Gap on account of heavy snow and Jim concluded to put in the day here.

Hot Springs is rapidly gaining notoriety as a good trading point, and farmers come here from the interior of Custer county, and from the reservation on the east, the Nebraska line on the south and Wyoming on the west. They come here because they can buy goods cheaper here than at their small trading points, and when they do come they purchase in extensive quantities. Hot Springs does a big business.

Col. Clough, of the Soldiers' Home board, came down from Deadwood Monday night and remained over Tuesday. He is the commissioner from the eighth judicial district upon the Russian relief work, and reports excellent success in the northern Hills. They propose to send nothing but flour, all of which will be purchased in the Hills. President Hancher, of this city, is the commissioner from this judicial district, and is devoting what time he can spare in working for aid for the destitute and suffering Russians.

E. R. Adams, a well known resident of this county for the past six years, but who has been absent for something over a year, until a month ago, has rented Geo. Gibson's residence on Seventh street, and will at once fit it up for manufacturing compound oxygen, and will treat patients with this wonderful remedy, besides selling it in wholesale quantities. The oxygen is similar to that manufactured by Starkey & Palen, of world-wide repute, and will be used in connection with these mineral waters. Mr. Adams thinks he will have a panacea for everything to which flesh is heir. We shall have more to say of this institution in the future.

Will Stanley reached home on Saturday last and reports a very pleasant time at Sioux Falls attending United States supreme court, the people of that lovely city taking especial pains to treat the Black Hills contingent in a most royal manner. Will says there are no less than 100 people making their home in Sioux Falls, temporarily at least, for the purpose of procuring divorces through the lenient law of this state. Why some of the eager throng doesn't come to the Springs to while away their idle days and months, in waiting to be legally disbanded from the ones they had sworn to love and cherish, we do not understand. Here they have the most beautiful, charming scenery with which nature has adorned the earth; here they may indulge in society's magic charm, or stroll amid the scenes of nature's lonely loveliness. By all odds Hot Springs, as in everything else, surpasses all other cities in the state as a resort for divorce seekers. Publish it to the world.

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Such was Dickover's Majority for Mayor.

Full many a thought of winning, high esteem
The dark unfathomed mind of statesmen bear;
Many politicians find the soap suds
While trying to climb the political golden stair.

It was a bad day—in some respects. It rained and snowed. Some people were "snowed under." Some got in out of the wet; some didn't. It wasn't an enjoyable day for everybody. The storm—of snow and ballots—was too severe for them. The Australian ballot system of voting works like a charm—in the opinion of the victors. Some didn't vote who should, and some voted who shouldn't. The latter were judged, and the former ought to be. This is the way the thing resulted:

FIRST WARD.

MAYOR.
Joseph B. Dickover.....153
John Stabler.....19

TREASURER.
James S. Moodie.....26
Edmund Petty.....136

POLICE JUSTICE.
M. L. Kanable.....137
Edgar J. Moore.....29

CITY JUSTICE.
Edward Calhoun.....63

ALDERMAN.
Henry Marty.....141

SECOND WARD.

MAYOR.
Joseph B. Dickover.....72
John Stabler.....13

TREASURER.
James S. Moodie.....24
Edmund Petty.....65

POLICE JUSTICE.
M. L. Kanable.....47
Edgar J. Moore.....35

CITY JUSTICE.
Edward Calhoun.....71

ALDERMAN.
R. F. Connor.....79
Harry Sparks.....6

THIRD WARD.

MAYOR.
Joseph B. Dickover.....53
John Stabler.....144

TREASURER.
James S. Moodie.....162
Edmund Petty.....24

POLICE JUSTICE.
M. L. Kanable.....81
Edgar J. Moore.....103

CITY JUSTICE.
Edward Calhoun.....111

ALDERMAN.
Joseph Vincent.....150

RECAPITULATION.
Dickover.....278 102
Stabler.....176
Moodie.....212
Petty.....225 13
Moore.....167
Kanable.....265 98

Then the yelling and hurraing by the friends of the winners was deafening. The band was out, and with a big, happy crowd promenade through the snow, slush and mud about the city, and had a grand jubilee. To the victors belongs the crowing, and they improved the opportunity. No one regrets that the whole thing is over. Now let's to business.

The Michigan republican convention has set afloat an Alger boom. There is not any amount of serious doubt that Alger, however worthy and deserving he may be, will be able to secure any delegates outside of his own state. The mass of the people are for Harrison and favorite sons must be content to wait for a few years. There never was but one man—Blaine—that could have stood any chance against Harrison. Blaine's withdrawal makes the selection of Harrison certain.

For the general conference, Methodist Episcopal church at Omaha commencing May 1st, the "Elkhorn" will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip. Selling April 28 to 30, good returning on or before June 1st.

A. D. WOOD, AGT.

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned will receive bids up to and including May 1st for grading Chicago avenue from 5th street to the angle of Chicago avenue toward Lincoln avenue, with 500 yards more or less of gravel. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. C. DICKOVER,
City Auditor.

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned will receive bids up to and including May 1st 1892, for the grading of River avenue from 8th street to and across 6th street, according to profile on file in office of city engineer.

J. C. DICKOVER,
City Auditor.

Jeweler Blakeslee has the finest line of Hot Springs souvenirs, spoons you ever saw—the falls and plunge bath.

The Motor Line.

There has been a well founded rumor floating about the city for a few days to the effect that the Elkhorn line had granted the motor line company the privilege of using their right of way through the city to the union depot. The rumor has been chased down by the STAR and we find that it is a fact. We are informed by those in position to know that this will insure its building. Mr. Lenhart is expected within a few days.

The May Louise Aigen Co.

This excellent company of popular people played at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week to small audiences, owing to the miserable condition of the weather. On Monday evening they played Mabel Heath, and greatly pleased the people. Miss Aigen is a talented young actress, and her style is finely adapted to this popular drama. She is very fine. Mr. Fred Huebner is also an actor of considerable note, who succeeds in pleasing his audience. Sid Hawkins is at home in Irish impersonations and kept the audience delighted with his wit, songs and dances. It was a pleasing drama. On Tuesday night they put "Prisoners of War" upon the boards and although it is a rather weak affair it is not entirely devoid of merit. Sid Hawkins with his comical Irish phiz kept the audience in good humor. The company was unfortunately here in having such unfavorable weather, but they anticipate returning in a short time, and are deserving of good houses.

For the Grand Lodge A. O. U. W.

At the meeting held in Lead City, S. D., April 15th, 1892, the committee consisting of representatives from Hope, Harmony, Deadwood, Prospect, Key City and Minnecala lodges, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the representatives of the Black Hills Lodges use all honorable means to induce the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., of the Dakotas to hold its next annual session at Hot Springs, South Dakota.

Johnny Richer, of this city may be given credit for securing this endorsement for Hot Springs, and he will leave the 7th of May for the Grand Lodge session in the eastern part of the state, where he expects to put in some hard work for Hot Springs. But what he wants of Hot Springs is some views of prominent buildings, and any matter that would tend to create a favorable impression of this city. He desires to show the city up as it is—its excellent accommodations and attractive features—and must be assisted by the people. It will repay the people of this city to do all in their power to secure this session, and if the board of trade or some organization cannot take it in hand, let each individual do something.

On Account of the Storm.

The recital which was to have been given Monday night by the students of Prof. Stinson has been postponed to Saturday evening, April 30th, and it will be given at the Baptist church. The college recital will occur tomorrow (Saturday) evening as advertised.

The Easter exercises by the M. E. Sunday school did not take place last Sunday evening, but the program will be carried out at the chapel next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

On account of the stormy weather the Baptist entertainment has been postponed one week, or until Friday evening, April 29th.

COLLEGE DEPARTMENT.

All the students having been invited, the society meeting was quite well attended last Friday evening. A couple of the professors also visited us that evening. The trial proceeded without serious discussion of law and created considerable amusement. The cross examination was not so severe but that the witness kept quite cool. Mr. Eaton decided the questions placed before him with great dignity. After being out about fifteen minutes the jury returned a verdict that the defendant was in no wise responsible for what was charged, and court adjourned.

The programme for the seventh night, May 13, when there will be open doors, will consist of recitations by Miss Lampert, Miss Burger, Miss Havens; song by Mr. Boyden; essays by Miss White and Miss Deanna.

Miss Case's mother came up last Tuesday and Thursday evening the two started for Hay Springs, Neb. President Hancher was at Hay Springs Sunday and reports that it is not probable that Miss Case will return.

George Crook rolled Monday as No. 61. Misses Ira Frame, Bertha Handy and Ida Wilson were on the sick list the first of the week.

The missionary collection of the M. E. church on Sunday last was \$106.40. The Sunday school has not yet reported as the entertainment was postponed till next Sunday afternoon on account of the bad weather.

The Itinerant Club, of northeast Wyoming, meets at Sundance from Saturday till Tuesday. President Hancher will be there.

Thursday morning professor Maynard, of the language chair, received news of the death of his brother and left on the evening train. He will be gone at least a week, and perhaps longer. His work will be divided among the other professors.

Oil and Gasoline at Fargo's.

Grand Celebration of the 73rd Anniversary of Odd Fellowship.

AT HOT SPRINGS, APRIL 22, 1892.

PROGRAMME.

1. Reception and Entertaining Visiting Lodge.
2. Hot Springs Lodge, No. 112, Meet at Lodge Room and all Odd Fellows.
3. At 10 a. m. sharp, form grand procession at outer door of Odd Fellows Hall, on Seventh St.
4. Procession move to Minnekahta Opera House headed by Band.

5. At 11 a. m. exercises in Opera House.
6. Opening ode by the I. O. O. F. organization.
7. Address of welcome by Hon. J. B. Dickover, Mayor of Hot Springs.
8. Song by Quartette.
9. Response by G. M. Cleveland.
10. Song by Quartette.
11. Prayer by chaplain.
12. Anniversary exercises.
13. Music by band.
14. Oration by Hon. H. A. Piper, G. M. G. L. of South Dakota.
15. Singing by Quartette.
16. Music by band.
17. Closing ode by all Odd Fellows.
18. Benediction.
19. The afternoon will be devoted to sight seeing.

20. Grand Ball in the evening at the Soldier's Home, the proceeds to go into the relief fund of the Hot Springs Lodge No. 112, I. O. O. F.

The "Elkhorn" will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip for the Democratic State Convention held at Yankton, May 25th. Selling May 22 to 24, good returning May 29th.
A. D. WOOD, AGT.

Hawley & Horrigan.

Such is the name of the new firm that will now and henceforth be found on the corner of Chicago avenue and Seventh street. Mr. Hawley is well known here and his name alone commends the firm to the public, while his partner, Mr. Horrigan, came from Pierre a few months ago, and has been stopping at the Soldiers' Home. He comes highly recommended. The new firm will carry a full stock of groceries and provisions, clothing, notions, in fact everything usually found in a first class general store.

A Pure Baking Powder.

A baking powder that can be depended upon to be free from limes and alum is a desideratum in these days of adulterated food. So far as can be judged from the official reports, the "Royal" seems to be the only one yet found by chemical analyses to be entirely without one or the other of these substances, and absolutely pure. This, it is shown, results from the exclusive use by its manufacturers of cream of tartar specially prepared and refined by patent processes which totally remove all impurities. The cost of this chemically pure cream of tartar is much greater than any other, and it is used in no baking powder except the "Royal," the manufacturers of which control the patents under which it is refined.

Dr. Edward G. Love, formerly analytical chemist for the U. S. government, who made the analysis for the New York State Board of Health in their investigation of baking powders, and whose intimate knowledge of the ingredients of all those sold in this market enables him to speak authoritatively, says of the purity, wholesomeness and superior quality of the "Royal":

"I find the Royal Baking Powder composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder, and does not contain either alum or phosphates, or other injurious substance."

Prof. Love's tests, and the recent official tests by both the United States and Canadian Governments, show the Royal Baking Powder to be superior to all others in strength and leavening power. It is not only the most economical in use, but makes the purest, finest flavored and most wholesome food.

Notice to Teachers.

Examinations for teachers' certificates are held on the first Friday in February, May, October and December. They can be held at no other time. All persons desiring to teach in the public schools will please take notice and be present for examination at these stated times, notice of which will be published in the county papers. The next examination will be held at my office at Hot Springs, also at the school house at Oelrichs on Friday, May 6th, 1892.

L. D. BROOKE,
Co. Supt. Fall River Co.

In Crane Bros. shoe department you will find the very latest fads. They have the Southern and Langtry Oxford ties, for both ladies and gents, besides numerous other styles. Their spring stock has just been opened up.

A nice line of baby carriages at Vincent's. 50

All parties knowing themselves indebted to C. M. Head or to Head Bros., call and settle same with Wm. J. Magowan, opposite First National Bank.

Bran and mill feed at Fargo's.

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Meals to your order from 6 a. m. to 12 p. m. daily at Fred's place one door west of Chicago avenue, on eighth st.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

F. E. & M. V. R. R.
BLACK HILLS PASSENGER.
Leaves Hot Springs.....3:45 a. m.
Arrives ".....5:15 p. m.
CHICAGO EXPRESS.
Leaves Hot Springs.....7:35 p. m.
Arrives ".....5:35 a. m.
Freight leaves at.....10:30 a. m.
Arrives at.....1:30 p. m.
A. D. WOOD, Local Agent.

D. & M. B. R.
East depart.....5:40 p. m.
West.....7:30 a. m.
East arrive.....5:30 a. m.
West.....1:30 p. m.
Tickets on sale for all points east, west, north and south.
H. T. CATLIN, Local Agent.

Attorney Wood was down from Rapid Tuesday.

S. E. Wilson returned Monday from a short business trip down the road.

Hard wood lumber and wagon stock at Vincent's. 50

Miss Werdna Kellar, sister of attorney Kellar, arrived last Friday from Russellville, Ky., and will spend the summer here with her brother.

Organ for sale. Inquire of Mrs. J. Lampert.

Isn't this the dampest weather you ever experienced?

Dr. Hargens now has his office over Root's drug store.

District court for this county has again been adjourned until the 30th inst.

Remember J. H. Clark handles the very best steak in the market.

Work on the Phillips and Union blocks will be commenced with renewed vigor next week.

Horse and buggy for sale. Inquire at the STAR office.

John B. Arnett, a leading attorney of Hemmingford, Nebr., was in the city over Sunday.

CHOICE GROCERIES at the Minnekahta Cash Store. The choicest stock in the city.
M. S. JAMES.

Landlord Austad, of the Avenue house, will erect a building as soon as the weather will permit for lodging his surplus boarders. It will be built just south of the hotel.

John Henton has 160 acres of land for sale near Hot Springs. Call and see him.

Eben W. Martin was down from Deadwood on legal business during the week.

SEED POTATOES—500 bushels "Mammoth Pearl" potatoes, finest in the land at Minnekahta Cash Store.
M. S. JAMES.

City Attorney Kellar is now able to be down to his office, which pleases his many friends.

Order a tailor made suit from those new spring samples at Fargo's. They will save you \$10.00 sure.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE—The largest and finest stock in the city at Minnekahta Cash Store.
M. S. JAMES.

Ben Franklin is quoted as saying, "he that is of opinion money will do everything may well be suspected of doing every thing for money."

Do you want to sell your house or lot? Do you want to rent or buy one? Go to Blunck, Williams & Co. who have a list of buyers and sellers.

Our new stock of Spring Dry Goods are here. Prices are as low as in Omaha or Chicago.
S. C. FARGO & SON.

Mayor Woods was re-elected mayor at Rapid City, over McGillycuddy, by 52 majority.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.—Choice bargains. Oak bedroom set, bookcase, 2 sewing machines, stoves, cupboard, chairs, etc. Inquire of I. L. Hanford.

Notice to Holders of City Warrants.
City warrants drawn on the treasurer of Hot Springs, S. Dak., and numbered as follows will be paid upon presentation: Nos. 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 165, 182, 183, 184, 187, 188, 189, 190.
J. S. MOODIE,
City Treasurer.

The wisdom of him who journeyeth is known by the line he takes; the judgment of the man who takes the Burlington Route to the cities of the East, the South and the West, is never impeached.

The inference is plain.
Magnificent Pullman Sleepers, elegant Reclining Chair Cars and world-famous Dining Cars on all through trains.

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