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NOT IN IT.

Chamberlain Secured the Democratic State Nominating Convention.

But the Democratic Delegates from the Hills

Fought them Hard.

It was a good aggregation of Hot Springs democrats that went to Yankton with the hope of securing the state nominating convention for this city but they lacked just a few votes when the final struggle came. On the first ballot the vote stood: Chamberlain 23, Hot Springs 18, Madison 13; second ballot, Chamberlain 25, Hot Springs 20, Madison 9; third ballot, Chamberlain 28, Hot Springs 21, Madison 5; and Chamberlain had it. It was a close fight and the boys from this city, although defeated, deserve much praise for their good work.

The elegant soda fountain at Root's pharmacy has been put in running order for the summer.

Jeff Askins, well known as a very fine cook, has purchased the Arlington restaurant, and is doing a good business.

Mr. Boydston, of the Edgemont Express, was in the city Friday and Saturday of last week, and made the STAR fraternal calls.

Editor Harris, of the Hatchet, has moved to his ranch, and hereafter his "range and ranch" column will doubtless be over run with wisdom.

Andrew W. Olson and family, who have been living on their ranch north of Buchanan's old place, will leave shortly for Chicago. He will return in a short time.

Mrs. John Brightman arrived last Friday morning from Lyons, N. Y., and they have gone to keeping house in a little cottage west of the Hot Springs house.

One of the most beautiful pins we have ever seen was lately sold to A. A. Powell by Jeweler Blakeslee. It was a lovely oval surrounded by thirteen small diamonds, making it exceedingly handsome, and expensive.

DIED—At the Parrott house on Saturday, May 21st, Patrick Hackett, of Edgemont. He was a B. & M. employe and came to the city to take the Keeley cure, but was taken sick with pneumonia before they began treating him for drunkenness.

The stone work on the new Minnekahta hotel is nearly finished and Barney Mullen may well feel proud of his work as up to the present not an accident has occurred, nor has a man been hurt. Gus Ryan is right on his heels with the plastering.

DIED—Of Bright's disease, on Saturday, May 21st, Martin Peterson, at his home on Horsehead, aged 52 years. Mr. Peterson was the father-in-law of H. C. Firestone, and was one of the oldest residents of this county. He was buried at the cemetery in this city on Monday.

Capt. Lucas went over to Hill City on Tuesday morning in the interest of the Gold Cure company, of which he is a member, and also to try to induce some of the old veterans to come over and participate with the G. A. R. boys at the Springs in decorating the graves of their departed comrades on Memorial day.

Mr. Wm. Marshall, of Fremont, Neb., who has been taking the baths at the Sanitarium for rheumatism for the past three weeks, has so far recovered as to be able to be around the city. He was out riding yesterday and expressed himself surprised at the energy that our citizens are displaying in making improvements.

Judge Duffy, of Omaha, arrived last Monday for a couple of weeks rest and recreation. The Judge is an old Iowa acquaintance of Judge Cull, and they have been greatly enjoying the renewal of friendship of former times. Judge Duffy was for several years one of the circuit judges of Iowa, and is now one of Omaha's most prominent attorneys.

Mr. Pools has greatly improved the appearance of his property on Jefferson avenue and Fifth street by planting about 180 trees and shrubs in the yard. There are several varieties including cottonwood, cedar, arbor vitae, hawberry, etc. Nothing will make a yard so attractive as beautiful trees and shrubbery. A little money invested in this way will repay property owners many fold.

The dance given in Harry Sparks' building, Tuesday evening, for the benefit of Andrew Lunsford was a success and proved an enjoyable affair for those who attended. It will be remembered that Mr. Lunsford had his injured in an accident some time ago and the proceeds of the ball go towards defraying his expenses in seeking surgical treatment at Ashland. During the early part of the evening the band discoursed several pieces of music.

Sheriff Gifford has men at work running a pipe from the water main to his residence.

Mr. G. A. Eastman is contemplating the erection of a neat residence in the immediate future.

Hawley & Horrigan, of the Panic store, are sporting a bran new grocery wagon. She's a daisy.

Hon. H. A. Godard has moved into the city and is living in the Jackson building at the lower end of town.

Mrs. I. R. Crow, wife of the enterprising editor of the Cascade Geyser, departed for Chicago Thursday evening.

Miss Myrtle Moran came in yesterday from Beemer, Neb. She expects to sojourn for a few weeks in Hot Springs.

It is reported that the first issue of the Black Hills Democrat will be published at Lead City on June 11th. It will be issued weekly.

G. N. Miner has had his residence in Mammoth Spring addition painted and fixed up very nicely. It now presents a very attractive appearance.

President Hancher returned on Wednesday morning from Omaha, where he has been in attendance at the Methodist conference for the past three weeks.

Alexander Thompson, an old timer in the Hills, arrived at the Soldiers' Home from Deadwood on Saturday and is taking a course of the gold cure with Dr. Howell.

Billy Bruner has opened up a cigar, fruit and confectionery store in the room lately occupied by Fred Hickey as a restaurant. There is a barber shop located in the same building.

Mr. L. B. Hall, a prominent merchant of Crawford is at the Parrott, and taking in the sights of the magic city. He is highly pleased with the improvements he sees on every hand.

DIED—In Cold Brook, John Cornage, age 70, of peritonitis. The deceased came from Jasper, Minn., and is father-in-law of Mr. Kingstone. The remains will be shipped to Jasper, Minn., for interment.

Drs. Jennings and Howell have fixed up the rooms formerly occupied by Drs. Whitfield, in the Minnekahta block, for the treatment of the liquor habit. From present indications they are making quite a success as they have about twelve patients under their care.

George Hepler, who takes care of the electric light plant, took a double header from the gallery in the plunge bath, Tuesday and as a consequence of striking too hard on the bottom, he now uses several sections of court plaster distributed about on various parts of his head.

On Wednesday evening Messrs. A. D. Wood, H. T. Catlin and I. R. Crow, accompanied by their wives, attended the annual ball given by the conductors of the Long Pine division, order of railway conductors. They report a most delightful time.

The cow boys of the Z. Bell ranch started on their round up this week. Their first drive will be made on Hat Creek, from there east to the White river, when part of them will strike for the head of Bad river and its tributaries on the reservation. Our latest advices are that stock is in fair condition.

D. Anderson, a prominent wholesale merchant of Chicago was with us this week, on one of his biennial trips, partly on business and partly on pleasure. On Monday he departed for the east. He was surprised at the rapid strides our city is making and will return again in a short time. He made his headquarters at the Parrott.

A few minutes before the storm on Monday a flock of birds driven before it were attracted by the light in the Parrott house and flew into the hallway and circled around the electric light for quite a while. Uncle John Stabler thought he was going to have quail on toast for the boarders for breakfast, but the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft aglee.

The rapidly-becoming-famous Orphean Quartette will go to Buffalo Gap next Wednesday and will entertain the people of that place with some of their choicest selections. The STAR feels safe in guaranteeing the people of that place one of the finest entertainments they ever listened to. No finer male quartette ever visited the Hills.

Charles Lanfer, who has been at the Soldiers' Home since last fall, returned to Yankton on the 20th inst. This is the man who after serving three years re-inlisted and repaying of his bargain, stole the discharge of his partner, named Lanfer, and raised a family under that assumed name. On making application for pension the true Lanfer was found employed in the pension bureau, and of course the fictitious Lanfer was arrested and bound over in the sum of five hundred dollars. By request of his bondsmen he returned to Yankton to have matters straightened out.

William Allen is over from Cascade on business.

The Parrott house has a bran new upright piano in their parlor.

Mr. Hobson, of Newcastle, is over from that berg, taking a course of baths.

The Union and Phillips-Boomer blocks are nearly completed to the second story.

The family of Charley Canfield, Jack Davis' new assistant, will move to Hot Springs next week.

N. Fodrea, a travelling man from Omaha, is soliciting orders and taking the baths in our city.

A number of seats have lately been placed in James' Park and also in the vicinity of the pavilion.

The city engineer has been at work this week running the lines for the new side walk from the Catholic to the city.

Rev. Dobson, of Rapid City, has been here a couple of days on his return from the General Conference at Omaha.

They are making a collection of petrified wood at the Catholic and have already secured several very fine specimens.

J. W. Jones, of the Herald, expects to take a trip to his old home in Iowa in a short time, and will be absent a month or more.

Our former townsman, A. M. McCarty now a merchant of Oelrichs, is in the city on business and is quartered with mine host Gillespie.

The wife of Mr. Ryan one of the B. & M. engineers, is quite sick. On account of a wreck somewhere on the road Mr. Ryan is not at home.

The plunge bath is well patronized these warm days. Work on the toboggans has been suspended until a supply of copper can be procured from the east.

Mr. Muggy formerly of the Avenue house, has fitted up a neat boarding house opposite the Buffalo Gap Co's. lumber yards and is now ready for business.

Joe Vincent has had the sidewalk in front of his store littered with a car load of furniture that he received this week. Joe is bound to keep up with the times.

Arthur Woodward lately employed by Jack Davis went out on the B. & M. yesterday morning to Hill City, where he has accepted a position in a barber shop.

The "rheumatic run" on the Elk-horn fairly shines now, as they have a neat new coach and baggage car. The old ones were taken up to the Belle Fourche run.

J. A. Stanley has been busy during the week moving his household effects to the city. He has rented the Cromwell building and will occupy it until his residence is finished.

Grading on River avenue is progressing finely the last few days. If the present rate of progress is maintained it will not be long until the work will be finished.

The Herald of Wednesday strikes the right keynote when it declares war on the worthless dogs that infest the town. Tax the dogs and then kill those that are not tagged.

You shouldn't forget the strawberries and ice cream to be dished up by the ladies of the Congregational church this evening, at Harry Sparks' building on Chicago avenue.

Street commissioner Brennan has for some time been industriously engaged in putting down cross walks and improving the condition of the streets in general. All these changes are duly appreciated by our citizens and Mr. Brennan grows more popular.

Mrs. Richer, mother of J. A. Richer, and Miss Carrie Ketchum expect to go to The Dalles, Oregon, in a few weeks. Miss Ketchum's father makes his headquarters at that place and the ladies will probably reside there permanently.

E. Phernetton reports that he has struck a well of flowing, warm water, the temperature of which is about 90 degrees. This water contains good medicinal properties and it is the intention of Mr. Phernetton to erect a large bath house in the near future.

Theatre goers of the city and vicinity will be pleased to know that E. L. Webster, manager of the Peavey Grand Opera House, Sioux City, is desirous of booking first class troupes for the Black Hills circuit. He has written Frank Evans in regard to the matter and also about the prices for the opera house in this city. None but the very best talent will be sent out as the name and reputation of this gentleman guarantee. This is refreshing news for Black Hills people who have been compelled so often to witness the performances of alleged stars that would be failures in every walk of life except perhaps as hobos. Clyde Gould is no longer in the employment of Mr. Webster.

G. A. R. and W. R. C.

Will Observe Memorial Day.

The members of the Woman's Relief Corps and of the Grand Army will assemble at the Dudley building, near the Elkhorn depot, at 10 o'clock a. m. Supplying themselves with flowers, they will take carriages and proceed to the cemetery under the direction of the marshal of the day, and the escort of the band. On arriving at the cemetery the ceremonies of the G. A. R. ritual will be observed, including the strewing of flowers over the graves of soldiers and also decorating the "Monument to the dead in unknown graves". At the close of the ceremonies the procession will reform and return to the city and there be dismissed. At 2 o'clock p. m. the public ceremonies will be held in the opera house according to the following:

PROGRAM.
MUSIC.....Band.
VOCAL MUSIC....."Cover Them Over."
CHILDREN'S EXERCISES.
MUSIC, "Rest Comrade, Rest," Orphean Quartet.
ADDRESS.....Comrade E. G. Johnson.
MUSIC, "Sleep Sacred Dust," Ladies Quartet.
BENEDICTION.....Rev. E. E. Frame.

MARRIED—At Watertown, S. D. on Monday, May 23rd 1892, Mr. J. W. Driscoll, of Madison, Minn. to Miss Fannie Stanley, of Hot Springs. The wedding ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. H. Donaldson. The groom is a prominent young attorney of Madison, Minn., and the bride is the daughter of Mrs. W. H. Stanley, of this city.

Overby & Butler's minstrels drew out a rather small crowd last Saturday evening. The play was the same as that given by them some time ago and was so weighty that several in the audience felt unable to stand the burden and left before the end. The troupe went to Crawford Sunday evening but so far we have not heard how successful they were.

In order to meet the demands of a growing trade Messrs. Berry & Matteson have decided to make a few changes in their restaurant about the first of the month. They are going to fit up a neat dining room where the hungry can be fed at all hours and in proportion to the size of their pocket-books. Ice cream parlors will also be opened by these energetic young men in a short time.

FOR CHURCH GOERS.

Episcopal services at the opera house at 8 o'clock Sunday evening, Rev. Geo. P. Ware officiating.

Rev. J. W. D. Anderson, the new M. E. pastor, was given a reception at the college chapel last Saturday evening, when many of our citizens improved the opportunity of making the acquaintance of their new pastor and his family. The evening was very pleasantly passed. The following day Rev. Anderson preached his first sermon to his Hot Springs congregation, and every one was greatly pleased with him. He is an able, pleasing speaker.

Rev. W. B. White, of Lincoln, Neb., is here on business connected with the Seventh Day Adventists. He has been seeking a place to hold a conference of that order and has succeeded in obtaining the Chautauqua grounds for that purpose. Mr. White says the session will commence on the 6th of June and may last several days, but he cannot say as to how many delegates will be in attendance. He departed on a tour of the northern Hills Wednesday morning.

A Bird's Eye View.

A bird's eye view of Hot Springs has never been taken, but Mr. Greening representing an illustrated publication of Minneapolis, was here a few days ago and made arrangements for having such a view made, and it with minor illustrations and a good write up of the city, will be published in the journal he represents. A special artist will be here in a few days to make the sketch of the entire city, reaching from the Catholic hotel to the vicinity of the chautauqua grounds. This will doubtless be the finest illustrated edition ever published in the interests of Hot Springs.

According to the census of 1890, Chicago takes rank, by virtue of her population of 1,098,576 people, as the eighth largest city on the globe.

Most of us desire, at one time or another, to visit a city in which so many persons find homes, and when we do, we can find no better line than the Burlington Route.

For further information address H. T. Catlin, Agt., Hot Springs, or write to J. Francis, General Passenger & Ticket Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Memorial Services.

Sunday next at 3 o'clock p. m. at the Soldiers' Home, Prof. Maynard will preach a memorial sermon. This will be an interesting service. All are invited to be present. Old soldiers are especially invited.

Not Strictly "In It."

It now looks as if Hot Springs would secure both the republican and democratic state conventions. If this should prove to be the case the town would be strictly "in it." It is acknowledged that the hotel accommodations of Hot Springs are superior to those of any town in South Dakota.—*Rapid Republican.*

Ladies are requested to call at Minnekahta Cash Store and examine the Magnificent Stock of Chamber Sets—The finest ever brought to Hot Springs. M. S. JAMES.

Slight Wreck on the B. & M.

Tuesday evening as the B. & M. train from Minnekahta was rounding the curve opposite the Chautauqua grounds a box car loaded with lumber toppled over, the lumber having slid, making it top heavy. It dragged for about four rods when the train was brought to a stop, the coupling broke and the balance of the cars remained on the track. The sudden jerk threw an old gentleman, A. M. McPhail, from his seat in the passenger car. He fell against the stove cutting himself over the eye and also bruising his left knee. He was able to be around the next day. The section hands worked all night clearing up the wreck, and the train went out next morning on time.

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

For 75 cents.

The coming campaign promises to be a warm and exciting one, and every one should keep posted upon affairs as they progress. During the campaign, or until Dec. 31st the STAR will be sent to any address for 75 cents. This is only about 2 1/2 cents an issue, which any one can afford. Send in your subscriptions early and receive the benefit of the low rate. Seven months for 75 cents.

A full assortment of the best make of Stone Cutters' Tools can be found at Brayton's. 3-5.

For the National Republican Convention held in Minneapolis, June 7th the "Elkhorn" will sell tickets May 31st to June 4th at one fare for the round trip final limit of ticket June 25th. This is your chance to visit the twin cities. Your ticket can be stamped for return at either St. Paul or Minneapolis. A. D. Wood, Agent.

Harry Clark and Frank Evans have sent east for a large twenty-five cylinder phonograph which they expect to arrive most any day now. After the phonograph arrives it will require a day to set it up and on the day following ladies will be admitted free.

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

Late last evening Rev. E. E. Frame received information that the strawberries for the festival this evening will be on hand without doubt.

The STAR has received a large and complete supply of stationery, and is prepared for any class of printing.

Mrs. Chris. Mohler departed yesterday morning for Sioux City. Her husband is manager of the cable car line in that city.

For wedding stationery, or fancy ball programs, or an elegant class of work in any line remember that the STAR is fully abreast the times. t-f.

Ella Evans is expected home next week. Her nephew, Fritz Evans, will accompany her and will spend the summer in Hot Springs. Mrs. Fred Evans, Jr. is also coming in a short time to spend the summer here.

The STAR is prepared to do the very finest class of job work.

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

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.

If you would like to see an elegant display of fresh fish and vegetables you should drop in at the Pioneer meat market. Bob has them neatly arranged in the windows and can supply all demands.

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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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

F. E. & M. V. R. E.
BLACK HILLS PASSENGER.
Leaves Hot Springs..... 3:45 a. m.
Arrives "..... 9:15 p. m.
Chicago Express.
Leaves Hot Springs..... 7:30 p. m.
Arrives "..... 3:30 a. m.
Freight leaves at..... 10:00 a. m.
" arrives at..... 1:30 p. m.
A. D. Wood, Local Agent.

B. & M. R. R.
East, departs..... 5:40 p. m.
West, "..... 7:30 a. m.
East, arrives..... 8:30 a. m.
West, "..... 7:00 p. m.
Tickets on sale for all points east, west, north and south.
H. T. CATLIN, Local Agent.

Oil and Gasoline at Fargo's.

A splendid rainfall Monday night.

Panic store means low prices.

An arc lamp will be put in James' Park pretty soon.

Bran and mill feed at Fargo's.

Wanted—Country produce at Panic store.

Ice cream social at Harry Sparks' building tonight.

J. A. Clark, headquarters for finest sausage of all kinds.

Prof. Maynard moved into W. E. Benedict's residence Thursday.

See that new stock of Clothing, Boots and Shoes at Fargo's.

Mr. Del Coughney is recovering very slowly. He is not yet able to be up.

Everything in the hardware line sold very cheap at Brayton's. 2-4

Graders began work on the street in front of the Avenue house, Wednesday.

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

M. Alexander, of Buffalo Gap, was registered yesterday at the Gillespie.

Brayton handles the Lincoln Steel Range, the best in the market. 2-4

J. F. Wright, of Custer, was in the city yesterday. He is registered at the Gillespie.

A fine line of the Peerless Refrigerators can be found at Brayton's. 2-4

E. T. Roberts, of Sioux City, was looking after Hot Springs building stone yesterday.

Boards Wanted—At private residence. Enquire at the STAR office.

E. B. Chapman, of Omaha, who is interested in mining property in the Hills, is in the city.

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

Charley Canfield, formerly of Hermosa, has taken a position in Jack Davis' barber shop.

Go to panic store when you want to buy goods cheap.

Ben Hill, the well known and popular barber, now has a chair in the new shop on Eighth St.

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

James Carney, well known all over this section of the country, died at St. Louis Wednesday morning.

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

The workmen are now busily engaged in putting the roof on the new Minnekahta hotel.

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

Dr. Wade was called out to Minnekahta yesterday to attend station agent Elliott who is quite seriously ill.

Go to Coughney & Clark's for Golden Rod and Eureka flour. Headquarters for fresh vegetables, asparagus, lettuce, radishes, celery, onions, etc.

J. D. McDonald, of Wind Cava, is sojourning in the city on business. He is at the Parrott.

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

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Services held in St. Mary's Church, every Sunday by Rev. Father Cassidy.

EPWORTH LEAGUE—Meets in the Black Hills College every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Everybody invited.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Services in the Church on College Hill, every alternate Sunday, at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., by Rev. C. H. McKee, Baptist Missionary.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—St. Luke's Mission. Bimonthly services: By Rev. G. G. Ware, Rural Dean. Notice of time and place will appear in the local columns.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. E. E. Frame, Pastor. Services in the 1st Ward School House, every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. H. D. Smith, pastor. Services every Sunday. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Class meeting following 11 o'clock service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30. All services in the Black Hills College.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services in the Church on Minnekahta Avenue. Morning Service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school in Minister's Study class at 10 a. m. Thursday evening Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Ladies Aid meets Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m.