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MINOR MENTION.

N. V. Plumbing Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co. Coat The March term of the superior court will commence next Monday.

Altemar Vice Jennings has been elected president of the city council at its meeting Monday night was read yesterday morning with a great deal of interest by the citizens, and especially by the taxpayers of Council Bluffs.

All members of the Germania society will meet on Thursday evening, the 23rd of March, at 712 West Broadway, at 8 o'clock sharp, to elect officers for the coming term.

James Howard took a fancy to a bolt of plaid on exhibition in front of the Boston and Chicago at 712 West Broadway, at 8 o'clock sharp, to elect officers for the coming term.

Arrangements were made to sell the furniture and fixtures of the Pacific house yesterday, but there were not enough bidders on the ground. Shortt Hazen decided to postpone it until Saturday.

Harry Hamilton, a confidence man, who was arrested here a year ago for a trick turned in Omaha, has been released recently after serving a short term in the penitentiary at Lincoln, Neb.

Putnam's trial, No. 21, Improved Order of Red Men, will meet this evening in regular council in its stables, corner of Broadway and Main street, at the eighth room, at 7 o'clock sharp.

The regular assembly of Encampment No. 8 and Ladies' Auxiliary No. 7, Union Veteran Legion, takes place at the hall at 7:30 o'clock this evening. All comrades are requested to be present. B. W. Hight, colonel; W. F. Baker, adjutant.

J. J. Pearson commenced a suit against Mary J. Hunt, wife of E. H. Hunt, at 6:00 o'clock this evening. Her husband is at the jail. She claims that her husband has converted all the property of her husband to her own use, and has refused to set aside a balance in any account of what was done with the estate.

J. J. Crow, who keeps a saloon at the corner of Broadway and Thirty-third street, was arrested last night for the violation of the prohibition law. He is held in the city jail.

Rebecca Cannon, charging him with disturbing the peace, a difficulty between Croome and small boys was the cause of the disturbance.

Josephine Cronkrite filed a petition in the district yesterday asking for a divorce from her husband, William Cronkrite, who she was married in June, 1871, in Knox county, Illinois. She lived in West Oak until last May. She gives habitual drunkenness as the cause.

Bishop Haman of the Evangelical association from Reading, Pa., will preach in this city Thursday evening, March 23, at 8 o'clock, in the Episcopal church, on the subject, "The Christian Mission has offered the use of his hall on Bryant street for the meeting. Everybody is cordially invited.

Lottie Fadden and Charles McCoy were before Justice Fox yesterday for a preliminary examination on the charge of adultery. The room was crowded to suffocation with a gang of loafers of the kind that usually frequent such places, and the case dragged along in a tiresome way. It will probably be completed to-day.

A man was seen coming out of the residence of T. J. Cady, 2301 West Broadway, last evening. Mr. Cady and his family are all away and the neighbors who saw the fellow knock this man out of the street when he was being put on him until the patrol wagon arrived. At the city jail he gave his name as Gordon Williams. It is not known whether he succeeded in stealing anything.

Keeping watch on the members of the street gang has proved too great a strain on the nervous system of the police, and a number of toughs have escaped recently. Hereafter they will have to run in pairs, if at all, for they are to be chained together by the heels. Those who will not be put on a bread and water diet, with the water largely in the majority. A vag named Campbell, who tried to evade the officer with his hands behind his back, was being put on him, but ran up against a snag in the shape of John Sandel's fist, is eating water.

The sisters of St. Bernard hospital have their large hospital so thoroughly equipped for giving proper care to the sick, and especially to the insane, that they are receiving patients from all parts of the city, and who have friends needing special care and attention should correspond with the sister superior and learn further details. The building is a very commodious and convenient one for such a purpose, is located charmingly, and under the careful supervision of skilled physicians, and experienced nurses there seems nothing lacking to make the hospital most successful in its work.

Phil Pickering, the Northwestern engineer, who had an encounter with his huckster, a man named Paxton, at Boone last Friday, arrived in the city last evening with nothing but the remnant of a black fence around his eye to remind him of his trouble. The details of the encounter seem to have been somewhat distorted by the newspapers. Paxton, he claims, climbed onto his engine for the purpose of having trouble. He had been drinking whisky. He applied a number of abusive epithets to Pickering and finally struck him. Pickering then lay flat on his back with his hands behind his back, while Paxton fell down, striking his face on the way down, against a water cock and receiving a bad wound near the eye. Pickering had no weapons except the two whips which nature had provided him, and he seemed to get along quite well. An investigation of the case by the officials of the company resulted in Paxton's discharge and Pickering's exoneration.

The Grand Hotel. Council Bluffs. Most elegant hotel in Iowa. Dining room on seventh floor. Rates, \$3 to \$5 per day. E. F. Clark, Prop.

For warming guest chambers, bath rooms, etc., our gas heaters are just what you want. Look at them. Clean, convenient, cheap. C. B. Gas and Electric Light Co.

Bourgeois and Muslin House. Fine muslin and dress fabrics, each or payments. 114 Stutsman street, C. Bluffs.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. H. W. Byers, a prominent attorney of Harlan, was in the city yesterday visiting his brother, Clint Byers.

Mr. E. J. Lewis has closed out his dairy business and goes on the road on the April representing J. D. Stuart, the manufacturing druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dutton of Leavenworth, Kan., are visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tilton and Mr. and Mrs. P. Pryor.

Dr. R. H. Hutchins, grand president of the Iowa Legion, was in the city yesterday. Dr. Des Moines, was in the city yesterday. The guest of County Auditor J. M. Matthews.

Why let children die with diphtheria? You can save them by Dr. Jefferis' remedy. Has been used successfully for 25 years. Price \$3.00. For sale by Council Bluffs druggists, also at 2404 Cumings street, Omaha.

DeMotte's Lectures. Secure tickets for DeMotte's Illustrated lectures, March 24 and 25, at Hart's jewelry store.

Marriage License. The following marriage license was issued yesterday: Name and Address. Age. John L. Yallier, Pottawattamie county, 23. Bertha H. Ford, Pottawattamie county, 19.

Coal and wood; best and cheapest Missouri hard wood in the city; prompt delivery. H. A. Cox, No. 4 Main.

Finest Aristo cabinet photos, \$25 per dozen. Ashton's studio, 18 North Main.

Geo. S. Davis, prescription druggist.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Mayor Lawrence's Message Received with General Satisfaction.

CITY AFFAIRS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

Economy and Retrenchment Have Been Practiced by the Administration—A Showing of Which All the Officials Should Feel Proud.

The message which Mayor Lawrence read before the new city council at its meeting Monday night was read yesterday morning with a great deal of interest by the citizens, and especially by the taxpayers of Council Bluffs.

It was not so much a message, in the commonly accepted sense of the term, as a general report for the mayor made in reference to the ordinances that he may desire to have passed, but confined his attention solely to looking over the work of the city government since his election a year ago.

He intends, however, to write a supplementary message, in which he will make a number of interesting suggestions with regard to the policy of the coming year.

The report shows that the administration has fulfilled the duty imposed upon it by the people a year ago in every respect. Mayor Lawrence was elected after a red-hot campaign, in which the watchword was "cut down expenses." That was practically the only issue. He at once set about making reductions in every direction. Unnecessary salaries were cut off and the forces were reduced in this way to the smallest number consistent with the proper discharge of the duties of the various departments. A similar reduction was made in salaries all along the line, but in spite of the reduction there has not been the slightest feeling of retrenchment in any department. Work went along fully and smoothly and vasty more economically than in the preceding administration, where there seemed to be a constant effort to see how much money could be spent without raising a kick on the part of the people. The city government has been more than paid for by the results in the several departments, and appearances indicate that a surplus of something like \$12,000 will be added to the treasury. The report is one which should cause a feeling of satisfaction among the taxpayers, and with the same kind of a reduction during the coming year and a further reduction of 6 mills on the dollar of the city's debt, the city government will give the lie to the howls of disgruntled politicians even more than that of this year has done.

DOMESTIC INFELICITY. Henry Gitlitz Pines Out the Story of His Troubles in a Court Petition.

Henry Gitlitz, a farmer of considerable means, has settled in his own mind the question whether marriage is a failure or otherwise, and the experiment seems to have been an expensive one, judging from the tale that is unfolded in a petition filed in the district court yesterday. Gitlitz took out a license to marry in this city April 19, 1889, the bride being Martha C. Brunon of this city. At that time Gitlitz was 50 years of age and his bride ten years his junior. He owned a little over 124 acres of farm land in Boone township, and in fact, that was all he had in the world, for his property was married and went to live on the farm.

Soon after the marriage Gitlitz found that married life was not all it was cracked up to be, and in fact, he was very soon after the ceremony was performed Mrs. Gitlitz so far forgot the kitchen ways by which she had entangled her husband's heart as to call him by short and bad names, and he had to make out a deed turning over every acre of land he owned. Gitlitz lost no time in complying with her request, made in no correct a manner, and the deed was executed and placed on record.

Now, as it is in his petition, she has gone a few steps further and driven him from home. After she got his property she seemed to have no further use for him, but has ever since made a practice of striking him, beating him, attacking him with an axe, threatening to kill him, and in other ways giving him an object lesson of what a bespeckled husband looked like. She finally drove him from the house with his children and he is afraid to go back for fear that she will carry her threats into execution.

He now demands that he be given a divorce, and that the deed to the property above referred to be declared null and void, for he alleges that it was executed through fraud and duress, and that there was no consideration therefor. He also asks for the woman's love which he was looking for when his wife stood over him with an axe, ordering him to sign the deed, having promised a minus quantity.

A Palace Show Store. After a good deal of delay necessitated by the complete remodeling of the big store building formerly occupied by the wholesale cigar house of Perogay & Moore, F. H. Evans is ready to receive his friends and the public in the largest and finest show store west of Chicago. The building extends through the block from Pearl to Main street, with magnificent plate glass fronts on each street. The room is thirty feet wide, and the great depth and high ceiling give an impression of vastness. The store will be a visitor for a congregation of the many who seek of goods that fills the shelves reaching from the floor to the ceiling, sixteen feet high. It required a \$50,000 stock to fill the shelves, and all of Evans' cleaning out about all of the old stock in the Broadway store during the great out sale prior to moving, nearly the entire stock is new goods bought directly from the factories. The fixtures are of the newest and hand-somest designs, and all works of art will repay inspection. The show windows are large enough for good sized rooms and show their contents conspicuously from front and sides.

But it is the stock that attracts the most attention. It covers every grade of footwear. Every taste and every opinion can be satisfied. The stock of medium priced and middle grade goods takes up the greater part of the space, and this line, as in the finer grades, is so large and complete that every desire of man, woman or child can be satisfied without delay.

In prices, the great question that concerns the public most, the fact must not be overlooked that Evans has never been undressed, but has always been the leader of low prices. He has furnished more genuine bargains to the people of Council Bluffs and Omaha, and for several hundred miles around than any other dealer. His new and better facilities for doing business and his immense stock will give him a better chance than ever to give all classes of people bargains that are genuine, and yet can be gained upon it that every representation will be honestly made, and that the guaranty given will in every instance be made good.

Mr. Evans is being heartily congratulated upon his enterprise, and he is congratulating upon the busy spring season with the best wishes of the people.

Amusement Attractions. This evening Mrs. W. J. Florence appears at Dohany's theater in "The Mighty Dollar." To see Mrs. Florence as Mrs. General Gilgory is to bask in a sunshine of laughter. The cheery, chatty, witty, gossipy, eccentric, but always warm-hearted and lovable American woman, ever ready to help her friends in trouble, especially when she says, "romance is at the bottom of it all," the pungent satire conveyed in the quaint interludes of her character, in her own words, the American woman who has "lived so long abroad," "Do excuse my French," has filled crowded theaters with laughter, while it has taken a whole town to get her out.

GARDNER TOMORROW NIGHT. Thursday evening Charles A. Gardner (Karl) will appear at Dohany's theater in "Fatherland." The New York World says: "It is refreshing to listen to Charles A.

Gardner roll off witticisms in the German dialect, warble tuneful ballads like a Tyroler, in his pleasing comely "Fatherland." His manner is irresistible, while his methods are ingenious and original. For a generation Mr. Gardner has appealed for public favor through this medium and has never yet found it wanting. His imitations are many, but none have acquired the true charm which is the secret of Mr. Gardner's success. His vehicle of amusement gives him many opportunities which he fully improves in every respect. His work is most efficient, and the mounting of the play commendable.

"THE DANGER SIGNAL" is the title of the play which is announced as the attraction of Dohany's on Sunday evening next, with winsome Rosabel Morrison in the leading role. The play draws its force from the fact that an express train is in danger of an accident at a railroad crossing and that the heroine, at the risk of her own life, waves the danger signal in time to rescue many lives. The play deals with modern life and abundant strong scenes and stirring climaxes, interspersed with many laughable incidents and comedy flashes. The play is from the pen of Mr. Henry C. DeMille, author of many successful plays, "The Wife," "The Charity Ball," "Men and Women," "The Lost Paradise," and many other brilliant productions in the Lyceum theater, New York, and at which house "The Danger Signal" was first produced to enthusiastic audiences. The company supporting the play consists of a number of novel and realistic effects are introduced in the play, consisting of a monster locomotive and a train of iron and steel propelled by steam, standing with working gear exposed for fully ten minutes in full view of the audience. A rotary snow plow, a freight train and a passenger train, with the engine of a locomotive, tender, three coaches 150 feet long and twelve feet high, crossing the stage at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

Spring Announcement. We are now fully prepared to show you one of the most carefully selected stocks of spring dresses ever shown in Council Bluffs. If possible we have taken more care than ever before, especially with our exclusive patterns, which are composed of all the leading novelties of England, France and Germany.

Among other things shown is shown is our large line of plain goods in all the latest weaves, also an endless assortment of medium priced domestic goods in mixtures, plaids and checks.

Slits of all the latest makes, including ka-ki, habutai, china, bengaline, muslin, taffeta, in plain, figures and plaids.

The indications are that this is going to be one of the largest silk seasons ever experienced in this country. We took advantage of the same and placed a large importation order, the last of which has just arrived.

100 pieces new styles China silks at 45c. Inferior quality and styles shown elsewhere at 50c.

Imported Japanese silks in solid colors and figures at 75c. See other qualities at 10c and \$1.00.

Ka-ki wash silks in bright and medium dark stripes, warranted to wash, are woven colors, not printed. Very appropriate for waists, wrappers and children's dresses. 21 inches wide at 75c yard.

For \$1.00 we show the best 46-inch whip cord and India twill in America in forty different shades. Same goods retail usually for \$1.19 and \$1.25. See them.

Figured crepons, in dark colors only, offered at our counter for 67c. A yard same goods cost in the factory \$1.00. A bargain. Every store has a 50c line of goods, but our spring assortment is bewildering, showing over one hundred pieces in plaids, stripes, mixtures, seorges and plain hennicats.

We have a full assortment of 600 lbs. in the following new weaves: Eppinghly, sellor coats, ottoman, phosphorus biges, whip cords, serges at our usual low prices.

In wool challies we have a larger assortment than before, showing over 500 different patterns. The latest styles in new mixtures imported by us from Alsace.

Imported patterns, exclusive styles in the new phosphorus effects, at \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$13.50, \$15.00 a pattern.

Scotch plaids in light medium and dark colors, 36 to 48 inch wide, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 in 40, 48, 54-inch goods.

Waterproof tweeds, full 58-inch wide, in checks, plaids and mixed effects, very desirable for traveling suits, our price only \$1.25.

Ottoman in a full line of shades, would be cheap at \$1.00, offered at our counters for 75c a yard.

BOSTON STORE, Fotheringham, White & Co., 425 and 427 Council Bluffs, Iowa.

N. B.—Kid gloves dyed and cleaned. Agents for the celebrated Standard paper patterns. Mail orders promptly attended to, all orders sent prepaid.

Take the Children. The DeMotte lectures are interesting and instructive for the children. Take them.

Got a Title from Above. Edward Hermes, a well known character about town, was arrested yesterday charged with stealing a lot of fence posts and wire from a place near the river owned by Homer Farnham. When brought before Justice Veen he told a weird tale that caused some hilarity among the court loungers. He stated that he had had a dream in which Christ appeared to him and told him that the land in question belonged to him and that he was to go and take possession. He did as he was told, and the first act of ownership he tried to perform was to sell the land to a theatrical company, which was somewhat questioned when Hermes replied that he'd know when he got there. Bond was given for his appearance Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Boycotted. Our competitors have boycotted us, so C. Hoffmayer & Co. refuse to sell any flour beyond what is required to hold up the price on it. But we can and will give you flour guaranteed as good, if not better, than Hoffmayer's Fancy Patent, at \$1.00 per sack.

Gardland Flour, the best flour made, at \$1.10 per sack.

Acme hard winter wheat flour at \$1.00 per sack.

Gilman Challenge flour, every sack warranted, at 90c.

Daisy flour 75c sack.

Pearl flour 60c sack.

Reliable flour 50c sack.

Rye flour 85c sack.

Rye Graham flour 85c sack.

Wheat Graham flour 25c sack.

Corn meal 10c sack.

20 lbs. granulated sugar for \$1.00.

Special for this week only at Brown's C. O. D.

The Germania society will give a grand ball in Mason hall on March 25. Music will be furnished by the Iowa Omaha military orchestra. All societies and lodges of this city, Omaha and surrounding towns are invited. The same invitation is extended to the general public. Admission, 50c. Ladies, free.

Active demand for acreage in the Klein tract testifies to its location, cheapness and desirability for fruit, gardening and suburban property. From 1 to 40 acres for sale, 2 1/2 miles east of post office, by Kay & Hess, 30 Pearl street.

Word of all kinds, coals and coal. L. G. Knotts & Co., 710 Broadway.

Who Wrote the Treatise. The question of who wrote the treatise clerk having been settled, considerable interest now expressed as to who will be the duties. From persons who claim to know the report comes that G. M. Wilson, now employed in the county auditor's office, will

succeed R. V. Innes as clerk of the superior court and S. Lohr will take the place now occupied by E. J. Abbot, reading clerk and deputy at the city building. It is also said that the Germania society has elected Frank Guanello will be street superintendent in place of A. E. Avery, who has held the office for so long and under administrations of so many, but none have acquired the true charm which is the secret of Mr. Gardner's success. His vehicle of amusement gives him many opportunities which he fully improves in every respect. His work is most efficient, and the mounting of the play commendable.

Mrs. Pfeiffer has returned from her eastern business trip, and announces the purchase of the largest stock of millinery she has ever brought to the city, and her two Broadway stores will this spring be more than ever the emporium of fashion. The styles are radically new this season, and the ladies will find great delight in looking at the many new and wonderful creations of millinery beauty. The date of Mrs. Pfeiffer's spring opening has been fixed for Friday and Saturday.

DeMotte Illustrated Lectures. Prof. DeMotte's lectures were the most interesting delivered at the Chautauqua last summer. Hear him at Broadway church Friday and Saturday evenings.

Early Seed Potatoes. Three hundred bushels of pure early Ohio seed potato, at Thomas Highton, 2406 West Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Free treatments daily from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Council Bluffs Medical and Surgical Institute, 26th and Broadway.

If you have property to sell, list it with me. I have customers for bargains. H. G. McGee, No. 10 Main street.

Emma Kennard, stenographer, notary depositions, commercial work, letter writing, 106 Main.

Do you smoke? Have you tried T. D. King & Co.'s Partagas? It's a champion. Just light one.

Ladies, don't forget that the Louis are at 25 Main street now. Come all.

Mme. Helen Merrill, hairdressing and manure. Room 312, Merriam block.

Williamson & Co., 106 Main street, largest and best bicycle shop in city.

Another improvement to the popular Schubert piano. Swanson Music Co.

FOR SALE—Citizens State bank stock. Submit cash offer. E. H. Sheafe.

Stop at the Ogden, Council Bluffs, the best \$2.00 room in Iowa.

Marshmallow caramels at Driesbach's VERY MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Searching Inquiry Being Made into Mr. and Mrs. Bodecker's Death.

FREEMONT, Ill., March 21.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The coroner's jury impeached to inquire into the mysterious death of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bodecker, supposed to have been murdered Saturday night and buried to the east of here, at the corner of Twenty-first street and Broadway, yesterday.

Two witnesses, Herman Somers, the day who sent in the alarm of fire, and Dr. O. E. Stearns, a physician, who assisted in the post mortem examination, testified. The citizens have declared that the matter must be cleared up to the bottom. There were present yesterday at the inquest representatives of the various life insurance companies in which Bodecker held policies. The fact that a man in such moderate circumstances should have worked to the bottom. There were present yesterday at the inquest representatives of the various life insurance companies in which Bodecker held policies. The fact that a man in such moderate circumstances should have worked to the bottom.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Domestic.

The lower house of the Pennsylvania legislature has passed the anti-theft bill.

President Thompson of the National Lead company denies that there is any disagreement between him and directors.

President Harper of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Insurance company denies that he attempted to bribe Kansas legislators.

By a vote of 21 to 19 the Minnesota house passed the senate bill extending full suffrage at all elections in Minnesota to women.

Grand Master Sargent of the Locomotive firemen thinks the decision of Judge Taft in the case of the Lake Shore engineers is bad for the firemen.

William Johnson, an engineer on the Wabash railroad, was instantly killed yesterday morning by a gas explosion on his engine at Worth, Ill.

A petition praying for the clemency of Governor Flower in the case of "Carlyle Harris has been prepared and will be put in circulation.

The Hoag manufacturing block, Chicago, occupied by a number of small concerns, was destroyed by fire last night, inflicting a total loss of \$200,000.

The rivers and streams of middle and southern California have overflowed their banks, doing much damage. In some sections the floods are serious.

At Pitkin, Ark., two young men named Curtis and Cattle became involved in a difficulty, caused Curtis with a knife, killing him almost immediately.

The American legation in Turkey has received word that the report of attacks on Americans in Asia Minor have been greatly exaggerated.

Customs officials at New York have seized the baggage of a party of Italian opera singers, claiming that an attempt has been made to smuggle into the country.

The brig Caroline Gray, which sailed from Rockland, Me., for New York February 17 and which was announced as having been given up as lost, arrived at New York yesterday.

Mrs. George Helming of Everett, Wash., who is reported to have left her home, two weeks ago to visit her sister at North Texas, has disappeared. Her party is suspected.

The Exchange Fire Insurance company, owing to losses by the Boston fire, and the fear that an evaluation of its resources might be found to be impaired, has decided to go out of business.

Richard Graham and Charles Wilson, two English coaching whips, have arrived in Chicago to perfect arrangements for the starting of several coach lines from the city to the four corners.

The settlement with the handsman of Thomas Asworthy, who absconded while city treasurer of Cleveland, O., has been effected. The handsman turning into the treasury a check for \$275,413.

Foreign.

Six more bombs were exploded in Rome yesterday and the people of the city are in a state of great alarm.

Dispatches from various towns in central and south Russia state that the floods due to the melting of the snow are widespread.

The Spanish government has rejected the proposals of the French government for the settlement of the Moroccan question.

The Spanish minister of marine, Admiral Cervera, has resigned his portfolio on the grounds that he cannot agree with the proposals of his colleagues in the cabinet for reform.

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