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MINOR MENTION

Brother Stone-Linens, towels, muslin.

Mrs. M. Jones of Macdonalds, Mrs. J. C. ...

There will be a Valentine social Tuesday evening at the Episcopal cathedral church.

The funeral of Mrs. Bump will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 208 St. Ann street, instead of at the time first announced.

All members of the Modern Woodmen of America are requested to meet at the Knights of Pythias hall at 7 o'clock this evening to arrange for the funeral of our late neighbor, Marcus D. Great.

Henry Page, who was accused of stealing a case of blackberry brandy from a lower Main street house, was discharged by Judge McEneaney yesterday morning.

Preaching tonight at the First Presbyterian church and each evening this week by Rev. J. M. Wilson of Omaha.

William J. Misner died yesterday afternoon at 10 o'clock in his residence, 910 Avenue A, of consumption, after two years illness.

A meeting of the executive committee of Associated Charities and others interested in the work will be held at DeLoon's Mission on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

All members of Hawkeye lodge No. 154, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, are requested to meet at Odd Fellows hall at 7 p. m. sharp tonight to make arrangements for the burial of Brother Grant M. DeGroot.

The literary society of the Western Union college will give a Valentine social Wednesday evening.

Joseph Gilmore is suing the Chicago & Northwestern railway for \$250 damages for the destruction of forty-seven tons of hay by a spark from one of the company's locomotives.

The committee of anti-prohibition republicans who were appointed to look after the interests of the local option bill now pending before the legislature, leaves for Des Moines today.

Lee Forman was tried on the charge of obtaining a livery rig on false pretenses and was discharged by Judge McEneaney yesterday morning.

Burglars entered the store of Rudolph Teller at the corner of Main street and Tenth avenue Sunday night by forcing open the door and carrying away a quantity of goods, among other things missing being a cheese, some canned goods, cigars and a quantity of clothing.

Buzz J. Swanson, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Swanson, died at 5 o'clock yesterday morning of pneumonia.

The wife of William Butts, who is in jail for a thirty-day term for stealing the contents of several clothes lines, was taken to the Woman's Christian association hospital yesterday afternoon.

Little Fadden, who was charged by Charles McCoy with killing a cat, was heard by Justice Field yesterday when it was developed that she was trying to get rid of her paramour and shot the door in his back.

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What Does It Mean? That was the question asked by almost every person that passed the Boston store two weeks ago.

The case of the arrival of the first lot of our wall paper stock, consisting of all grades of paper hangings from the brown backs to the silk papers.

White blank gills, 10c and 12c. Full gilt and bronzes, 10c to 15c.

These papers are all straight goods and bought from the combination, but that makes no difference to us. We sell wall paper same as dry goods—small profits and large sales.

P. S.—If you want any papering or painting done do not fail to give us a chance to furnish an estimate. Our prices are as low as Bros. do our papering and painting this season, and their name is enough to satisfy you that everything done will be first-class.

BOSTON STORE, Petheringham, Whitelaw & Co., 401-403 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

Ladies, if you desire absolute peace in the kitchen ask your grocer for J. C. Hoffmayer & Co.'s Fancy Patent Flour. Trade mark—Blue Rooster.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS Charles Alexander, jr., has gone to Missouri Valley for a three weeks visit with his family.

F. H. Hill of the big firm of Emplie, Shugart & Co. left yesterday for a business trip to Wheeler county, Nebraska.

Mrs. F. S. Stelling and little son of Chicago are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. F. M. Palmer of Fourth avenue, who is slowly recovering from an illness which has a fall. Mrs. Stelling expects to remain several weeks.

The Council Bluffs Paint, Oil and Glass company is having made 1,900 Hot Bed Sashes which it is going to sell at a low price, being done in Council Bluffs. All in want of sash should patronize home industry by at least getting their prices before buying Masonic Temple building.

Favorable inducements will be offered to a "selling man" for our city prices on best hard and soft coal before buying.

Everybody knows Davis sells drugs.

County Treasurers Organizing—The county treasurers of this state are to have a meeting in Des Moines today for the purpose of forming a state organization similar to that already in existence among other county and local officers.

Marriage Licenses—The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday:

Thomas D. Thompson, Council Bluffs, 22; M. J. Jones, Columbia, Mo., 21; J. P. M. Jones, Council Bluffs, 41; Jennie F. Center, Carson, 20.

"World's Fair Trip" at Broadway church tonight. Franz Adelmann, violin; Mr. Harzback, flute; Mr. Engel, cornet.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Republican Ward Delegates for Thursday's Convention Selected.

MOTOR COMPANY GIVEN A ROAST

Resolutions Adopted by Conventions of the Second and Sixth Wards Pledging All Candidates to Work for Reduced Rates.

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SENATOR BROWER'S STAND

Mason City Statesman Denies the Republican Party Pledges Observed.

HE ANSWERS A PETITION FIRMLY

Reminds His Constituents that They Understood the Sentiment He Represented When a Candidate and Should Know What to Expect.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Senator N. V. Brower of Mason City passed through this city today on his way to Des Moines. While here he sent his reply to those who petitioned him at Mason City last Friday and adopted resolutions expressing their wishes regarding legislation affecting temperance.

After stating that he had read the resolutions and had given them careful consideration and assuring the citizens that he was willing to give respectful attention to the wishes of any of his constituents he said his final action would be controlled by the party which elected him and upon whose platform he stood and that no man could have misunderstood him when a candidate. He then says:

"In looking over the names of your committee and of those associated with them in enough of them who were engaged in this movement it strikes me that there were last campaign in an attempt to defeat the resolutions. I am sure that you are taking advantage of the large majority of my constituents."

"You have given me the platform of the Bennett-Mitchell crowd of last fall and the party I stand for set down on that class of irreconcilables very heartily at that time. I am sure that you are taking advantage of the large majority of my constituents."

"My deliberate conviction leads me and my conscience dictates to the command of my party rather than the request of a small number of citizens who are being misled to be hasty impulse and miskeal zeal."

"Frank D. Jackson, not Bennett Mitchell, was elected senator from this district and he is the platform in the light and spirit of the discussion on the Struble amendment, will be the kind I will work for in future campaigns."

"He believes the final action of the legislature will be along the line of a local option bill."

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION. State Association Meeting Will Attract Large Attendance.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—The twenty-fourth annual state convention and first athletic contest of the Young Men's Christian association of Iowa will be held at Davenport, February 15-18, and promises to be the most interesting state convention yet held.

The Young Men's Christian association has had a wonderful success in their athletic contest. It is expected that between 300 and 400 young men from all parts of the state will attend this meeting.

Section conferences will be held for members of district and association committees. The following are the local directors, railroad men and those interested in boys' work. Reports will be given from the city, railroad and college departments.

The following are the local directors: Geo. S. Burroughs, D.D., president of Wabash college; John R. Mott, college secretary of the national conference; C. W. Wright, state secretary of South Dakota; Rev. H