

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.
 Moore's food kills worms and fattens.
 Budweiser beer. L. Rosenfeld, agent.
 Victor hot water heaters at Bixby's.
 Estep, undertaker, 28 Pearl street.
 C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and opticians, 27 South Main street.
 Get your work done at the popular Eagle Laundry, 7 1/2 Broadway. Phone, 157.
 County Superintendent Sawyer asks all persons who will take teachers during the institute to write him at once, stating location, terms and number desired. Those who do not write may come to the Bloomer building on Monday morning, June 26, and give the information at that time.
 N. Y. Plumbing company, Tel. 259.

Lake Manawa, the favorite summer resort for Council Bluffs and Omaha people, will be opened for the summer season this afternoon. The lessee of the resort is W. W. Cole, manager of the Trocadero theater, Omaha. In every respect the place will have the carefully conservative management of a live, energetic, hustling showman of many years' experience. Never before has the place been in such good hands, and never before will there be so many attractive features presented as there will be this summer. The bathing, boating, and fishing features of the resort have always been unrivaled in this section. This summer they are better than ever before. An entire new lot of practically unsinkable boats is at the disposal of all and the bathing houses are new, clean, comfortable and situated close to the beach. The high water of the late spring filled the lake to a point at least five feet higher than ever before reached and the new water brought with it fish of all kinds in countless numbers. Features the place did not before possess are a theater with full stage equipment, a restaurant and an elegant dancing pavilion on which at all times there is a band or orchestra. The grounds at night will be brilliantly lighted by electricity. A large number of trees have been planted and the lawns have been grassed which makes an elegant retreat from the hot weather. The attractions in the theater this week are the five Cornallias, lady and gentlemen acrobats, the greatest ever brought to America; the DeWolfis, musical grotesques who are not only excellent musicians, but who use electricity to light their whimsical bodies in a most mystifying way; Carl Charles, the famous hand balancer; the Verano, the singing and dancing comedienne; Nello, the juggler; and Master Goff, the phenomenal cornetist. The bill will be changed weekly and some new, unique and startling features will be shown during the summer. Manager Cole has made arrangements with the railway for better transportation facilities. The cars will be run between Council Bluffs and the lake every twenty minutes.

Attend the Modern Woodmen dance Thursday evening, June 22, in K. of P. hall.

Buy hardware of Peterson & Schoening.

Supervisors Adjourn.

The Board of County Supervisors adjourned yesterday afternoon until next Wednesday without taking action in regard to raising the assessment. City Assessor Hardin did not turn the books over to the board yesterday as he had promised, but in their place submitted a recapitulation of the assessment that showed the following figures: Total valuation of Council Bluffs for assessment purposes, \$2,574,896. Of this \$416,906 is personal property, which leaves the assessment of the realty of the city at \$2,157,990.

The actual value of the moneys and credits listed is \$188,627; of the capital stock of corporations, etc., \$422,629; merchandise, \$593,814. Except in the valuation of real estate the figures compare favorably with those of last year.

J. W. Kirk was appointed deputy sheriff at Manawa without expense to the county. The question of a county exhibit at the Omaha exposition and offering premiums to the different townships for the best display was discussed, but no action taken. The majority of the members are opposed to making any appropriation for such a purpose. Sheriff Morgan submitted his semi-annual report, which showed that fees taxed amounted to \$2,363.38, of which \$2,449.89 had been collected and \$1,144.95 turned over to the county treasurer.

A fine \$450 piano, Hazelton, walnut case, for sale at \$225. Must be sold, as party wants to leave the city. Address Rock box 267, city.

Big bargain, Peterson & Schoening.

Welshbach burners at Bixby's. Tel. 193.

Drink Klein's summer drinks.

Hear the most interesting concert of the season at the Congregational church Monday night. The DeMoss family hold audiences spellbound. Their vocal numbers are classical, their violin and their bell ringing enchanting. Forty-two instruments used. Tickets at Mueller's Music store; 35 and 25 cents; children 15 cents.

Explains Lighting Proposition.

E. L. Draffen, president of the Municipal Construction company of Chicago, which has made a proposition to the city to build an electric lighting plant to be owned and operated by the city, held an informal conference with the members of the city council yesterday afternoon and explained his proposition. A majority of the city officials are in favor of municipal ownership and if the project can be wrapped around with the proper safeguards so as to protect the taxpayers and the city's interests there are good prospects of the proposition being accepted.

By Mr. Draffen's figuring the city will own the plant in about twelve years at a no greater outlay than it pays every year at present for lighting the streets.

The city's contract with the Council Bluffs Gas and Electric company expires next December, although the company's franchise does not terminate for seventeen years yet. The matter will be presented at the meeting of the council tomorrow night.

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PARTLY IN FAVOR OF CITY

Judge Aylesworth Decides Suit Against Motor Company in Superior Court.

MUNICIPALITY TO RECOVER \$6 853.11

Holds that Defendant Corporation is Not Liable for Cost of Paving Between Tracks in Front of Intersections.

Judge Aylesworth of the superior court handed down his decision yesterday in the suit of the City against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company, giving the city a decree for \$6,853.11. This is the suit in which the city sought to recover from the motor company the cost of filling ditches on Avenue A from Fourteenth to Thirty-sixth street; for replacing the pavement on Broadway torn up by the motor company when laying its tracks; for the intersection paving of Broadway from Twelfth to First street; for the intersection paving on Pearl street to the junction of Main and from the junction of Pearl and Main to the Rock Island depot; for the intersection paving on Fifth avenue from Pearl to south Eighth street and for the grading at intersections of Avenue A and Fifteenth to Twenty-sixth street, inclusive.

In his decision Judge Aylesworth held that the city could recover for the cost of filling Avenue A and found for it in the sum of \$6,559.22 on this count. He also held that the city could recover for the paving between the rails and one foot outside of the motor company's tracks in front of Bayliss park and the engine house on South Main street, both being city property, and on this count gave the city a decree for \$323.89.

As to the recovery for the paving between the motor company's tracks and one foot on the outside in front of the street intersections Judge Aylesworth found in favor of the motor company. The city sued for \$6,323.89 and interest from 1891. The court's decision in favor of the motor company on this point arises from a defect in the city ordinance. The ordinance provides that the motor company shall pay for the abutting property owners the cost of the paving between its tracks and for one foot on the outside, but does not provide that the company should pay the city for like paving in front of the street intersections.

The suit was originally instituted in 1891, but no effort was made to bring it to trial until City Attorney Wadsworth assumed office, when one of his first acts was to insist on having the case disposed of. It was tried before Judge Aylesworth on an agreed statement of facts.

It is believed that the city will appeal from Judge Aylesworth's ruling as to the company's liability for the paving at the intersections.

For Sale—A fine toned piano at \$52.50. Decker, good condition, ornamental case; a bargain for somebody. At Bourgeois Music House, 335 Broadway, where they sell graphophones, Edison Records and where the organ stands upon the building.

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Bicycles at Peterson & Schoening's.

KRUEGER TAKES HIS OWN LIFE.

Railroad Mechanic from Creston Shoots Himself While Demented.

"I am Adolph Krueger from Creston, Ia., 699 South Elm street." This written in pencil on a sheet of note paper and enclosed in a blank envelope served to identify a man whose lifeless body was found yesterday morning in the yard of the Casady homestead on Washington avenue. A gaping wound in the right side of the head, from which the man's life-blood had oozed, and a revolver lying within a few inches of the nerveless hand seemed to clearly indicate that it was a case of suicide.

Residents in the neighborhood had been aroused about 3 o'clock in the morning by the report of what sounded like a pistol shot. No particular notice was paid to it at the time. The body of Krueger was discovered by the driver of a grocery wagon shortly after 7 o'clock.

Coroner Treynor was notified and the body was taken to the undertaking establishment of W. C. Estep. Undertaker Estep searched the man's pockets and discovered the paper which gave the clue to his identity. A few feet from the dead man an empty whisky flask was found.

Coroner Treynor impaneled a jury and the inquest was partially held. The only evidence forthcoming was that of several of the residents in the neighborhood who had heard the shot and seen the body lying in the grass in the yard of the Casady home.

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Pick pockets

Are a class of people everybody others and society shuns. They pick your pocket and are thrown into prison for the offense. But many times people have their pocket picked in a more genteel way. We refer to those who go to another store and pay more for their carpets than we ask for the same quality of goods. By this way your pockets are picked, but you don't know it until you find out our prices. We are the leaders in the largest and best stock of

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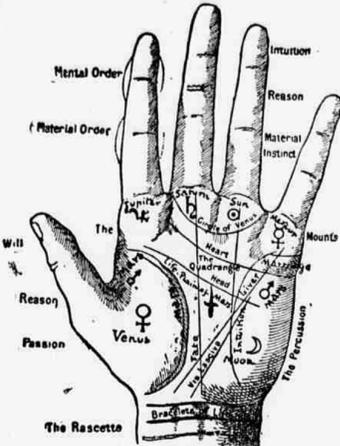
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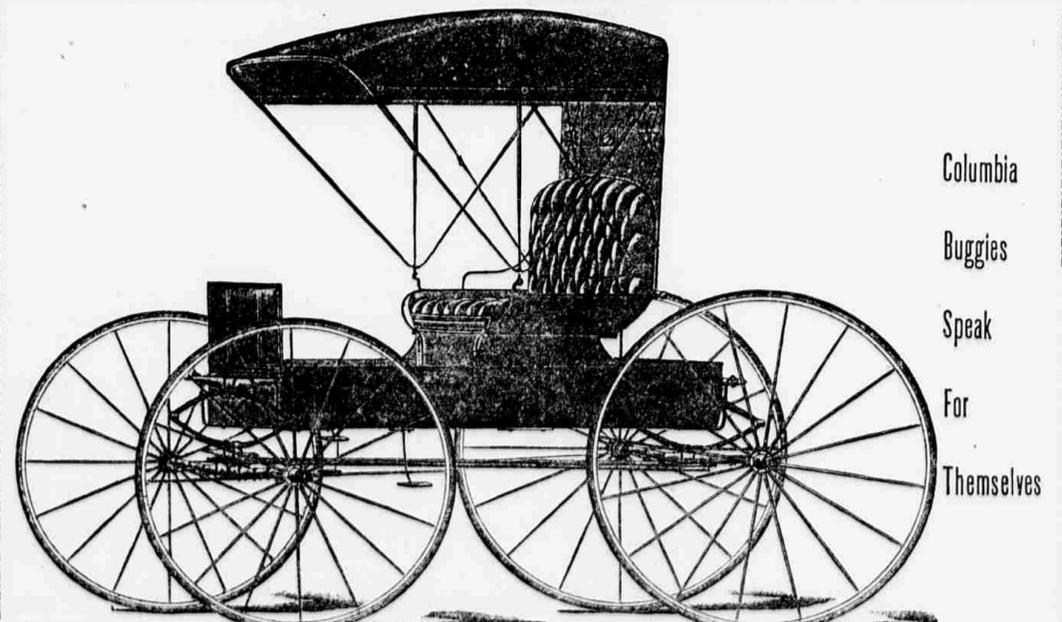
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