

THE BELVA DEAR OF POLITICS

An Interesting Chat With Mrs. Lockwood on Her Trip Up Salt Creek.

The Defeated But Undaunted Candidate for the Presidency.

She Strikes Town With Flying Colors and a Full Head of Steam.

A Rattling Record of National Politics--Her Chances for a Place in Cleveland's Cabinet.

There probably is no better known lady in these United States to-day than Mrs. Belva Lockwood. She has attained considerable prominence as a barrister and during the late presidential campaign was the nominee of the woman's suffrage party for the office of chief executive of the nation. Her name has been upon the tongue of almost every man, woman and child in this country. She has generally been spoken of in a light and pleasing manner and her running for the presidency was generally considered a joke.

The distinguished lady Saturday was in Omaha. She arrived upon the morning train from Des Moines, where she spoke Friday evening and was on her way to Lincoln where she spoke Saturday night on the subject of "Social and Political Life in Washington."

Hearing that she was at the depot a Bee reporter hastened thither, only to find that she had gone up town. He followed in hot haste and upon reaching the corner of Tenth and Farnam streets, saw a lady, about medium size, with a pleasant face, sharp brown eyes, and a wealth of iron gray hair, who was combed back under a tawny brown hat, which was surmounted by a long, brown ostrich tip. Her form was wrapped in a rich Russian circular. She was apparently a stranger in the city and was waiting for a street car.

Her appearance was that of a woman who had seen much of the world and a reporter at once sized her up as Mrs. Belva Lockwood, the object of his search. Approaching her he ventured to inquire, "Is this Mrs. Belva Lockwood?" The sharp eyes were turned upon him and almost before he had finished his question it was answered in a short, business like, and yet courteous, way, "Yes, sir, and who are you?"

"I am a reporter of the OMAHA BEE," "Yes, and what shall I tell you? Go ahead with your questions," answered Mrs. Lockwood, with the air of a woman who was in the habit of being interviewed and, in fact, greatly enjoyed it.

Before time was given for a question, Mrs. Lockwood said, "I was sitting in the depot this morning and a newsboy entered, shouting morning papers. I called the lad up to me and asked, 'my boy, what papers have you?' He named over his papers and among them was the OMAHA BEE. I said, 'give me an OMAHA BEE.' Your paper has said a great many mean things about me and I have had a great many copies of it sent to me. I understand the editor is an anti-woman's suffragist and I have heard of him and would like to see him."

The reporter remarked that it was really too bad that the editor had gone to Washington, for he knew it would be a pleasure for him to meet the lady and cross swords with her upon the suffrage question.

The first subject touched upon by the reporter was the object of her visit to the western country. She said she was on a lecturing tour. That many people throughout the west had expressed a desire to hear her speak and that she was on the purpose of gratifying that desire. After talking a while the conversation drifted to the presidential question.

"What do you think of the coming administration?" asked the reporter.

"Oh! that will be all right, and the people in this country will be surprised. You know we all thought that if Cleveland was elected the country would be turned upside down, but Cleveland has been elected and the country is still safe. I think the administration will be a wise and conservative one."

The reporter was aware that he was now treading upon dangerous ground and cautiously inquired, "are you looking for a place in Cleveland's cabinet, Mrs. Lockwood?"

PULPIT ECHOES.

An Elegant Sermon Preached by the Rev. Harsha Yesterday.

"Eating and Drinking Unworthily, do we Eat and Drink Condemnation to Ourselves?"

The following discourse was eloquently delivered by the Rev. W. J. Harsha, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, yesterday morning:

YOUTHFUL TOUGHS.

The Gang of Boys in Training for The Penitentiaries.

Few people are aware of the number of small boys in this city who are in thorough training for the jails, penitentiaries and gallows. It is truly appalling. Perhaps there is no class of persons who are permitted to see so much of the petty crime of any city as the reporters of the daily papers. Reporters are daily among all classes of society and from the palace hall down to the meanest and lowest hotel they make their rounds and very little escapes their watchful eyes and listening ears.

Because of their familiarity with such scenes it may be that they do not give to reading public that which would interest them greatly. In the city of Omaha may be found a large number of boys, all the way from six to eighteen years of age who are daily engaged in committing petty crimes and misdemeanors.

Almost daily some of these young criminals are before the courts of justice to answer to the charge of petty larceny. It cannot be wondered at, however, when the manner in which they are raised, or rather allowed to come up themselves, is taken into consideration. Many of them have no other or mother and the only home they have is the streets of the large cities and by constant companionship with older and more hardened criminals, stealing, lying, cheating, swearing become second nature to them. They know not the sin they commit and fear not the penalty of the law. They are as much at home behind the bars of a jail as anywhere else on earth.

One case now in hand will serve to illustrate fully the truth of what has been said. In the city jail last night were four lads, none of them over fourteen years of age, charged with petty larceny. Two of them were children of Owen Connolly and wife. In an adjoining cell was Mrs. Connolly, charged with drunkenness. This is a usual thing for her, and every few days she is arrested upon a like charge. Her husband, who is a well known man in the city, is a great drunkard. He is in the jail at the same time with her and the same circumstances what can be expected of their offspring? They are allowed to roam the streets at will and naturally drift into mean things at an early age. It is a pity that the courts should be so often called upon to receive these young criminals. It is a pity that the courts should be so often called upon to receive these young criminals. It is a pity that the courts should be so often called upon to receive these young criminals.

Not the Man. Some weeks ago a sharper, Dr. Leo, was arrested in Helena, Ariz., and brought to Memphis, Tenn., where after trial he was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary for some swindling work he had done in that city.

Leo's plan of operation was almost precisely the same as that of C. C. E. Fuller, the man who succeeded in clearing out one or two Omaha merchants last December. His schemes differed only in such minor particulars, as a sharp rascal would naturally think of introducing by way of nature. It was at first believed by well posted parties in Omaha that Dr. Leo, and "O. E. Fuller" were one and the same impostor. With a view to solving the question, Detective Charles Emery wrote to W. C. Davis, chief of police at Memphis and in answer has received a letter which details Leo's general appearance, in this regard, etc. While in many particulars the description tallies with that of the Omaha swindler, yet in other and important points it will not answer. It is not probable that the previous swindler, which has hitherto been kept secret, is correct.

Y. M. C. A. Notes. The visit from the members of the Council Bluffs association on last Thursday evening was greatly enjoyed. The programme was one of variety and interest. The recitation of the "Big Days of My Life" was especially amusing and called forth much laughter and applause.

The gymnasium of the association is now in running order and receives many visitors from the young daily. Any young man of good moral character may become a member and enjoy its benefits by paying \$2 a year. The choral club, which meets every Friday night now has over thirty members but a larger number is wanted. You are invited to come.

Death of Samuel Meinrath. Mr. Samuel Meinrath died in this city Saturday evening, aged 65 years. The deceased was the father of Mrs. Andrew R. Sawyer and has three sons doing business under the firm name of Meinrath Bros., in Kansas City, St. Joseph and Omaha. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and until two years ago resided in Boston, Mass., where he was extensively known. He was gentle, kind, and beloved by all who knew him.

CHANGING THE CHARTER.

An Important Meeting of the Board of Trade, and Citizens--Facts and Figures Discussed.

A meeting of the board of trade and citizens to discuss proposed amendments to the city charter regarding the city government and public work in contemplation was held last evening.

The committee to whom was referred the financial condition of the city, reported as follows:

Table showing financial condition of the city with columns for bonded indebtedness, floating indebtedness, and estimated expenses for 1885.

A Red Hot Scene.

The west-bound Missouri Pacific train was the scene of a lively time last Wednesday night.

"About a dozen Papillon and Springfield gentlemen bought return trip tickets from Papillon to Omaha via the Union Pacific. In the evening they were on a Missouri Pacific train.

When the conductor came round he refused to acknowledge the U. P. tickets. The first man he tackled remonstrated, but without avail. The train was stopped and the passenger put off.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Charity Union, a Society for the Relief of the Worthy Poor.

Articles of incorporation for a new charitable organization to be known as the "Charity Union of Omaha" have been filed. The promoters are Fred Nye, Alfred Millard, Henry D. Estabrook, James M. Ross, Clement Chase, Frank D. Muir, W. J. Jackson, Frank Irvine and Edward Peck.

A Great Play.

Saturday night the opera house was filled to witness the second production in this city of Barley Campbell's great drama, "Siberia."

Heavy Damages.

Suit was instituted Saturday in the district court of Papillon, by W. H. Haynes against the Union Pacific railroad company for \$25,000 damages.

Does Belva "Smile?"

The Des Moines Leader, referring to the hand car incident related by Mrs. Lockwood in an interview with a Bee reporter says: "Mrs. Lockwood after the train left this station, inquired of the brakeman if any spirits could be obtained on board."

Electing Day Episode.

CHICAGO, January 31.—Julius Yastaw, one of the deputy United States marshals, tried on the charge of murder for having killed a man on the day of the recent national election.

Deconstructive Explosions.

PITTSBURGH, January 31.—Three explosions of natural gas occurred this morning. Six persons killed, twenty injured, and six houses were wrecked.

State Jottings.

Subscribers have formed a literary association. The business of the Red Cloud post office for 1884 amounted to \$25,000.00.

Earthquake in New York.

New York, January 31.—A very slight shock of earthquake was felt in Westchester county at 4:30 this morning.

Three Persons Burned to Death.

ALTONA, Pa., January 31.—The residence of George Linn (elder) burned this morning. His wife and two children were burned to death.

A NOTEABLE SALE BY AUCTION.

The Household Effects of the Sprague Mansion Under the Hammer.

The valuable furniture from the Sprague mansion in Canochet, says a Providence, R. I., telegram to the Boston Advertiser, will be sold by auction, in January, by the architect Charles, trustee and assignee of the Sprague property, who had the articles taken from Canochet about two years ago, since which time they have been stored.

PELSONAL.

William Bristol, Jr., Buffalo, N. Y., Jacob Holzman, New York, E. R. Johnson, Chicago, A. E. Rice, Stuart, Neb., registered at the Paxton last night.

J. R. Kimball, New York, F. L. Homer, Chicago, J. M. McIntyre, Milwaukee, C. A. Brodie, Detroit, E. H. Nash, St. Joseph are registered at the Millard.

Clinton Snowden, one of the brightest of eastern journalists, formerly managing editor of the Chicago Times, and more recently of the New York Journal, arrived in the city last night and will spend a short time visiting his old friend, Judge Hall.

Chas. Chase, Plattsmouth, F. J. Richards, Lincoln, John Wiggins, Columbus, W. H. Masterson, Grand Island, F. P. Arnold, Madison, J. B. Blackburn, Geo. Crane, Columbus, Neb., W. H. Maublay, Philadelphia, C. E. Kendall, New Ulm, Minn., and W. H. West, Chicago, are stopping at the Metropolitan.

Mr. E. Meinrath, of this city, received a telegram yesterday announcing the serious illness of his father, at Omaha. He left on the first train for that city. The message stated that his father was dangerously ill, and his recovery was almost despair of.—St. Joseph Herald February 1.

A Fullerton correspondent writes: On Friday last O. D. Fitch & Co. turned their stock over to the creditors. Their liabilities are small and they will soon return to business again. Slow collections caused the failure.

—J. Fuller, who for some time past has worked for the city on the sewer, has been discharged. He was given \$100 to purchase a new suit. He left with a pony, made one purchase, on which he paid \$20, and with the remaining \$80 and the balance of the suit, he returned to his home. He was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th.

The Elk Cret & Johnson county Echo says: "Some of our farmers who have a large number of hogs at their places are being annoyed by a pest which is doing them a great deal of damage. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs."

—It is working right along with the people. The agitators and prime movers in the work have about finished their mission and as far as their work is concerned it is about as a standstill, but the movement is growing as the people grow and it will ultimately end all rights. A street car was taken by Mrs. Lockwood and the reporter and the lady went

THE TREE PLANTING.

The Number and Kind of Trees Planted During the Past Year.

The following complete list of trees planted and prizes awarded last Arbor Day, will be found of interest:

Table listing names of individuals and the types and quantities of trees planted during Arbor Day.

For largest number planted on Arbor Day--H. H. Shedd, Ashland, 850.

Second largest number planted on Arbor Day--M. Bessing, Merriland, 400.

Third largest number planted on Arbor Day--W. P. Standish, Friend, 250.

A Red Hot Scene.

The west-bound Missouri Pacific train was the scene of a lively time last Wednesday night.

"About a dozen Papillon and Springfield gentlemen bought return trip tickets from Papillon to Omaha via the Union Pacific. In the evening they were on a Missouri Pacific train.

When the conductor came round he refused to acknowledge the U. P. tickets. The first man he tackled remonstrated, but without avail. The train was stopped and the passenger put off.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Charity Union, a Society for the Relief of the Worthy Poor.

Articles of incorporation for a new charitable organization to be known as the "Charity Union of Omaha" have been filed.

The promoters are Fred Nye, Alfred Millard, Henry D. Estabrook, James M. Ross, Clement Chase, Frank D. Muir, W. J. Jackson, Frank Irvine and Edward Peck.

A Great Play.

Saturday night the opera house was filled to witness the second production in this city of Barley Campbell's great drama, "Siberia."

Heavy Damages.

Suit was instituted Saturday in the district court of Papillon, by W. H. Haynes against the Union Pacific railroad company for \$25,000 damages.

Does Belva "Smile?"

The Des Moines Leader, referring to the hand car incident related by Mrs. Lockwood in an interview with a Bee reporter says: "Mrs. Lockwood after the train left this station, inquired of the brakeman if any spirits could be obtained on board."

Electing Day Episode.

CHICAGO, January 31.—Julius Yastaw, one of the deputy United States marshals, tried on the charge of murder for having killed a man on the day of the recent national election.

Deconstructive Explosions.

PITTSBURGH, January 31.—Three explosions of natural gas occurred this morning. Six persons killed, twenty injured, and six houses were wrecked.

State Jottings.

Subscribers have formed a literary association. The business of the Red Cloud post office for 1884 amounted to \$25,000.00.

Earthquake in New York.

New York, January 31.—A very slight shock of earthquake was felt in Westchester county at 4:30 this morning.

Three Persons Burned to Death.

ALTONA, Pa., January 31.—The residence of George Linn (elder) burned this morning. His wife and two children were burned to death.

A NOTEABLE SALE BY AUCTION.

The Household Effects of the Sprague Mansion Under the Hammer.

The valuable furniture from the Sprague mansion in Canochet, says a Providence, R. I., telegram to the Boston Advertiser, will be sold by auction, in January, by the architect Charles, trustee and assignee of the Sprague property, who had the articles taken from Canochet about two years ago, since which time they have been stored.

PELSONAL.

William Bristol, Jr., Buffalo, N. Y., Jacob Holzman, New York, E. R. Johnson, Chicago, A. E. Rice, Stuart, Neb., registered at the Paxton last night.

J. R. Kimball, New York, F. L. Homer, Chicago, J. M. McIntyre, Milwaukee, C. A. Brodie, Detroit, E. H. Nash, St. Joseph are registered at the Millard.

Clinton Snowden, one of the brightest of eastern journalists, formerly managing editor of the Chicago Times, and more recently of the New York Journal, arrived in the city last night and will spend a short time visiting his old friend, Judge Hall.

Chas. Chase, Plattsmouth, F. J. Richards, Lincoln, John Wiggins, Columbus, W. H. Masterson, Grand Island, F. P. Arnold, Madison, J. B. Blackburn, Geo. Crane, Columbus, Neb., W. H. Maublay, Philadelphia, C. E. Kendall, New Ulm, Minn., and W. H. West, Chicago, are stopping at the Metropolitan.

Mr. E. Meinrath, of this city, received a telegram yesterday announcing the serious illness of his father, at Omaha. He left on the first train for that city. The message stated that his father was dangerously ill, and his recovery was almost despair of.—St. Joseph Herald February 1.

A Fullerton correspondent writes: On Friday last O. D. Fitch & Co. turned their stock over to the creditors. Their liabilities are small and they will soon return to business again. Slow collections caused the failure.

—J. Fuller, who for some time past has worked for the city on the sewer, has been discharged. He was given \$100 to purchase a new suit. He left with a pony, made one purchase, on which he paid \$20, and with the remaining \$80 and the balance of the suit, he returned to his home. He was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th.

The Elk Cret & Johnson county Echo says: "Some of our farmers who have a large number of hogs at their places are being annoyed by a pest which is doing them a great deal of damage. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs."

—It is working right along with the people. The agitators and prime movers in the work have about finished their mission and as far as their work is concerned it is about as a standstill, but the movement is growing as the people grow and it will ultimately end all rights. A street car was taken by Mrs. Lockwood and the reporter and the lady went

CHANGING THE CHARTER.

An Important Meeting of the Board of Trade, and Citizens--Facts and Figures Discussed.

A meeting of the board of trade and citizens to discuss proposed amendments to the city charter regarding the city government and public work in contemplation was held last evening.

The committee to whom was referred the financial condition of the city, reported as follows:

Table showing financial condition of the city with columns for bonded indebtedness, floating indebtedness, and estimated expenses for 1885.

A Red Hot Scene.

The west-bound Missouri Pacific train was the scene of a lively time last Wednesday night.

"About a dozen Papillon and Springfield gentlemen bought return trip tickets from Papillon to Omaha via the Union Pacific. In the evening they were on a Missouri Pacific train.

When the conductor came round he refused to acknowledge the U. P. tickets. The first man he tackled remonstrated, but without avail. The train was stopped and the passenger put off.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Charity Union, a Society for the Relief of the Worthy Poor.

Articles of incorporation for a new charitable organization to be known as the "Charity Union of Omaha" have been filed.

The promoters are Fred Nye, Alfred Millard, Henry D. Estabrook, James M. Ross, Clement Chase, Frank D. Muir, W. J. Jackson, Frank Irvine and Edward Peck.

A Great Play.

Saturday night the opera house was filled to witness the second production in this city of Barley Campbell's great drama, "Siberia."

Heavy Damages.

Suit was instituted Saturday in the district court of Papillon, by W. H. Haynes against the Union Pacific railroad company for \$25,000 damages.

Does Belva "Smile?"

The Des Moines Leader, referring to the hand car incident related by Mrs. Lockwood in an interview with a Bee reporter says: "Mrs. Lockwood after the train left this station, inquired of the brakeman if any spirits could be obtained on board."

Electing Day Episode.

CHICAGO, January 31.—Julius Yastaw, one of the deputy United States marshals, tried on the charge of murder for having killed a man on the day of the recent national election.

Deconstructive Explosions.

PITTSBURGH, January 31.—Three explosions of natural gas occurred this morning. Six persons killed, twenty injured, and six houses were wrecked.

State Jottings.

Subscribers have formed a literary association. The business of the Red Cloud post office for 1884 amounted to \$25,000.00.

Earthquake in New York.

New York, January 31.—A very slight shock of earthquake was felt in Westchester county at 4:30 this morning.

Three Persons Burned to Death.

ALTONA, Pa., January 31.—The residence of George Linn (elder) burned this morning. His wife and two children were burned to death.

A NOTEABLE SALE BY AUCTION.

The Household Effects of the Sprague Mansion Under the Hammer.

The valuable furniture from the Sprague mansion in Canochet, says a Providence, R. I., telegram to the Boston Advertiser, will be sold by auction, in January, by the architect Charles, trustee and assignee of the Sprague property, who had the articles taken from Canochet about two years ago, since which time they have been stored.

PELSONAL.

William Bristol, Jr., Buffalo, N. Y., Jacob Holzman, New York, E. R. Johnson, Chicago, A. E. Rice, Stuart, Neb., registered at the Paxton last night.

J. R. Kimball, New York, F. L. Homer, Chicago, J. M. McIntyre, Milwaukee, C. A. Brodie, Detroit, E. H. Nash, St. Joseph are registered at the Millard.

Clinton Snowden, one of the brightest of eastern journalists, formerly managing editor of the Chicago Times, and more recently of the New York Journal, arrived in the city last night and will spend a short time visiting his old friend, Judge Hall.

Chas. Chase, Plattsmouth, F. J. Richards, Lincoln, John Wiggins, Columbus, W. H. Masterson, Grand Island, F. P. Arnold, Madison, J. B. Blackburn, Geo. Crane, Columbus, Neb., W. H. Maublay, Philadelphia, C. E. Kendall, New Ulm, Minn., and W. H. West, Chicago, are stopping at the Metropolitan.

Mr. E. Meinrath, of this city, received a telegram yesterday announcing the serious illness of his father, at Omaha. He left on the first train for that city. The message stated that his father was dangerously ill, and his recovery was almost despair of.—St. Joseph Herald February 1.

A Fullerton correspondent writes: On Friday last O. D. Fitch & Co. turned their stock over to the creditors. Their liabilities are small and they will soon return to business again. Slow collections caused the failure.

—J. Fuller, who for some time past has worked for the city on the sewer, has been discharged. He was given \$100 to purchase a new suit. He left with a pony, made one purchase, on which he paid \$20, and with the remaining \$80 and the balance of the suit, he returned to his home. He was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th, and he was seen at the depot on the morning of the 29th.

The Elk Cret & Johnson county Echo says: "Some of our farmers who have a large number of hogs at their places are being annoyed by a pest which is doing them a great deal of damage. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs. The pest is a small, black, beetle-like insect, which is very destructive to the hogs."

—It is working right along with the people. The agitators and prime movers in the work have about finished their mission and as far as their work is concerned it is about as a standstill, but the movement is growing as the people grow and it will ultimately end all rights. A street car was taken by Mrs. Lockwood and the reporter and the lady went

CHANGING THE CHARTER.

An Important Meeting of the Board of Trade, and Citizens--Facts and Figures Discussed.

A meeting of the board of trade and citizens to discuss proposed amendments to the city charter regarding the city government and public work in contemplation was held last evening.

The committee to whom was referred the financial condition of the city, reported as follows:

Table showing financial condition of the city with columns for bonded indebtedness, floating indebtedness, and estimated expenses for 1885.

A Red Hot Scene.

The west-bound Missouri Pacific train was the scene of a lively time last Wednesday night.

"About a dozen Papillon and Springfield gentlemen bought return trip tickets from Papillon to Omaha via the Union Pacific. In the evening they were on a Missouri Pacific train.

When the conductor came round he refused to acknowledge the U. P. tickets. The first man he tackled remonstrated, but without avail. The train was stopped and the passenger put off.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Charity Union, a Society for the Relief of the Worthy Poor.

Articles of incorporation for a new charitable organization to be known as the "Charity Union of Omaha" have been filed.

The promoters are Fred Nye, Alfred Millard, Henry D. Estabrook, James M. Ross, Clement Chase, Frank D. Muir, W. J. Jackson, Frank Irvine and Edward Peck.

A Great Play.

Saturday night the opera house was filled to witness the second production in this city of Barley Campbell's great drama, "Siberia."

Heavy Damages.

Suit was instituted Saturday in the district court of Papillon, by W. H. Haynes against the Union Pacific railroad company for \$25,000 damages.

Does Belva "Smile?"

The Des Moines Leader, referring to the hand car incident related by Mrs. Lockwood in an interview with a Bee reporter says: "Mrs. Lockwood after the train left this station, inquired of the brakeman if any spirits could be obtained on board."