

THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS. Tuesday Morning, May 19.

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MINOR MENTION.

The board of supervisors meet to-day. The new presbyterian church has its pipe organ in place.

Bricks for sale in large or small lots by J. A. Weaver, 815 Seventh avenue.

The circus drew a good crowd yesterday, and left last night for Missouri Valley.

The monthly business meeting of the Young Men's Christian association was held last evening.

The running team of the fire department has about decided not to take part in the state tournament.

Some interesting Council Bluffs news, necessarily crowded off this page, will be found elsewhere this morning.

Judge Lyman and F. M. Hunter have formed a partnership in the practice of law, making a strong firm indeed.

The congregationalists are to have a social, Thursday evening, at the home of Miss May Phillips, on Bluffs street.

Hugh Goss finds time from his labors as janitor of the Bloomer school building to flit with the muses, and has produced some very creditable amateur poetry.

The hall to be given to-morrow evening, by the Pottawattamie grove of Druids, is to be held in Everett's hall. A jolly time is promised to all who attend.

There was a crowd on the streets yesterday, it being circus day. There was little disorderliness, and the police did not have so much to do as they anticipated.

Max Mohr, who is always doing something to improve his Creston house, has now put a very neat iron railing around the desk in the office, and is making other improvements.

The district court adjourned over yesterday until next Thursday, the judge having other business on hand, prominent among which is the hearing of the judicial contest at Des Moines.

M. C. Gaines and G. F. Bordman, who have been associated in the selling of oil, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Gaines will continue in the business, and will continue to deliver to his customers by wagon.

This evening there will be a happy wedding at No. 814 Sixth street, the parties being Mr. M. F. McCune and Miss Edith Leckwood. Mr. McCune is car repairer at the transfer, and well known among the railway boys.

The iron pipe for the extension of the water mains along Pearl street has arrived, and is being strown along the street ready for the laying. Arrangements are also being made so that the supply may be utilized in running a water motor in the Buz job rooms, for the press, and the Herald office also is planning to do away with steam and use a water motor.

The Barbour dramatic company opened at the dime museum last evening, and will continue there this week, and perhaps longer. This afternoon the children have a free matinee, and this evening the company give another of their regular entertainments, which, with the other attractions of the museum, affords an excellent opportunity of getting a great deal of amusement for a very little money.

In another column will be found some practical, interesting reading matter, furnished by P. C. DeVol, one of Council Bluffs' oldest and most reliable business men. Mr. De Vol has been in business here since 1861, and there is probably no man in the city who has built up a more solid and clear record, and in his line of trade there is none better posted, and knowing better how to satisfy the public both in quality and price.

This morning the wide-awake dry goods house of Cocke & Morgan have something new to say to the readers of the BEE. The firm has jumped into a remarkably large business for a comparatively new house, and the class of goods kept by them and the wonderful bargains offered indicate that they not only propose to keep their trade, but to increase it. They are demonstrating that enterprise and fair deal will draw trade to this city from a large extent of country. Each mail brings them many orders, in addition to their home trade, and they take such special pains to satisfy these small customers, that this part of their business is rapidly increasing also.

It is suggested that one of the ways to stop the false alarms, so frequent of late, is for the council to amend the fire ordinance so that that the minute men and others will not be paid any extra amount if the alarm proves to be false, and then there will not be any object in any man connected with the department allowing any false alarm, and no one can charge that they may be interested in having false alarms, as is now so often intimated, and perhaps unjustly. Let the men be paid well enough for attendance at actual fires, so that they can afford to turn out for false alarms without extra pay, and every man will then be directly interested in detecting whoever is guilty of sending in a false one. This change is said to have been tried very successfully in other cities of this size.

To the Public.

My wife, Mary Gerdes, having left my board and bed without cause or provocation, I hereby notify the public that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her. HENRY GERDES. CO. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 16, 1885.

MUSTERED OUT.

The Heroes to be Remembered on Decoration Day.

The committee having in charge the designating of the graves of soldiers to be honored on decoration day, have prepared the following list:

In Fairview cemetery—Chris Welrich, Alexander Shoemaker, Dr. W. H. Osborn, Joseph Wheeler, A. B. McKune, J. W. Phillips, Valentine Fleck, William Knox, Prof. Masse, Louis Henn, William Springer, D. A. Cunningham, E. M. C. Mansfield, A. E. Steinmetz, Jason Hubbard, William Fuller, William J. Fuller, J. J. Jackson, Thomas Seymour, James Allison, H. Fisher, — Rust, F. B. Dantger, Orrin Horshay, S. H. Cassidy, Herman Borch, Homer C. Ball, Austin Huffman, W. H. Tyler, H. Smith, Jacob Betz, Dr. Cole, John Watts, John J. Dutcher, Fred Lord, Prof. George Houser, Allen Forbes, (colored), Charles Blazley, — Osborn, — Osborn, — Tyler, — Tyler, Lieut. A. A. Osborn, Thomas Long, Lorenz Paul, C. F. Overton, William Stevenson, O. H. B. Arnd Homer Cougheney, E. P. Gilman, Samuel Weirich, George Bowers, John Scharfield, John Slagg, H. C. Packard, E. P. Gelger.

Catholic cemetery—Perry Smith, John Dally, — Lon, — Lon, and Walter Burke.

George Zimmerman at Walnut hill, Ed J. Clark and — Mudge at D. B. Clark's cemetery.

Moses Nixon at Hazel Dell cemetery. C. H. B. Marahal and Jerry Wells at Garner cemetery.

Any who may know of soldiers' graves not named in this list will please report the same in person or by postal card to Wall McFadden or N. S. Russell.

NEATLY NABBED.

A Pair of Pickpockets Arrested on the Circus Grounds.

Yesterday a neat capture was made by Deputy Marshals Edward Bates and George Guanello. They were watching for crooks at the circus grounds, and soon noticed two young men evidently trying to pick pockets, and keeping close on their track saw one of them put his hand into the pocket of a lady, but instead of grabbing the fellow too soon, as is generally the case, or else too late, they so managed it that just the moment the fellow had gained possession of the lady's purse, they nabbed him and his companion. There was nothing that they could say in defense, and the one in possession of the pocket book frankly confessed that he had taken it, but said that he was out of money, food and work, and that he was too proud to beg, even if not too proud to steal. The two were taken to the city jail and put into the steel cell. They gave their names as James Howard and William Keating. The lady whose pocket was picked was Mrs. Lizzie Hasty, who lives at No. 111 Washington avenue. There was only \$1.10 in the pocketbook, so that they could have made no big haul for the risk of being sent to the penitentiary.

DELAYS OF THE LAW.

Another Hitch in the Prohibition Cases.

Yesterday was the time set for the hearing of the injunction cases by Judge Connor at Glenwood, but instead of the day developing any sensational features in the prohibitory fight, a continuance was granted until this morning, this being by consent of the attorneys on both sides. The cases brought before Judge Aylesworth here seem to have become stultified indefinitely, it being understood that they will not come up until the cases at Glenwood have been heard.

Come and see goods and prices at the new boot and shoe store of R. I. Skiles No. 102, Main street.

The Two-Thirds Majority.

Once upon a time a fellow who understood human nature pretty well, and who delighted to play upon it, went into the banks of the town in which he lived, and asked the cashiers and other skillful accountants what he represented to be a problem that had been given up by all the school teachers, it being: "What two whole numbers multiplied together would make seven?" The expert accountants studied over it quite a while, and several gave it up, when one simple fellow solved it by saying, "seven and one."

This is about the way with the question raised by the mayor, "what is two-thirds majority of a council of six members?" If there had been no question raised, and such an air of mystery put around the matter, any school-boy would say "two-thirds of six is four," but now he has got the brains of two or three of his pets all mixed up and tired out over his discovery that two-thirds of six is five. This new system of mathematics may do in some cases, but the people demand a return to the Jeffersonian simplicity.

Substantial abstracts of titles and real estate loans, J. W. & E. L. Squire, 10 Pearl street.

A Flaming Chariot.

One of the most unique adventures that ever came to our attention was related by John J. Vanderveer, who came in last night. John works the road for Van Brunt, Thompson & Co., of Council Bluffs, and yesterday took a team and buggy to drive from Orest to Dorchester. He is addicted to the weed (the moral of this story will be found a strong one against the tobacco habit) and begged the tedious hours of the drive by puffing a fragrant Havana. The top of his buggy was down and he did not know of the combination which the breeze and his cigar had formed against him until the smell of burning leather caused him to turn around, when he discovered that the inflammable buggy top was in a brisk blaze. He stopped and tried to put the fire out, but succeeded in doing nothing but burning his fingers badly. He then got a wrench and attempted to take the top off the buggy, but he could not work it. Finally in despair he jumped into the buggy and, grasping his seat, he leaned forward and tried to put the fire out, but succeeded in doing nothing but burning his fingers badly. He then got a wrench and attempted to take the top off the buggy, but he could not work it. Finally in despair he jumped into the buggy and, grasping his seat, he leaned forward and tried to put the fire out, but succeeded in doing nothing but burning his fingers badly. He then got a wrench and attempted to take the top off the buggy, but he could not work it. Finally in despair he jumped into the buggy and, grasping his seat, he leaned forward and tried to put the fire out, but succeeded in doing nothing but burning his fingers badly.

cess, but he says the wear and tear on the finances and nerves are so great that he couldn't be induced to repeat it.—[Lincoln (Nebr.) Journal.

PERSONAL.

John P. Organ, of Neola, reached Bechtel's yesterday. F. J. Hinckson, of Glenwood, spent circus day at Bechtel's. F. Bartlett, of Binghamton, was a guest of the Ogden yesterday. E. W. Haney, of Tabor, was among those at the Pacific yesterday. J. F. Burke now starts on a business and pleasure trip to Canada. Bob Flynn, one of Des Moines' best known tourists, was at the Ogden yesterday. Joe La Chapelle, the Glenwood newspaper man, was at the Pacific yesterday. Miss Mabel Smith, of Rockford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Thompson, on Sixth street. Will J. Trotter, the legal editor of Avoca, was in the city yesterday, and a guest of the Pacific. District Attorney Thornell arrived in the city yesterday to attend to his duties in the district court. The news now comes that J. C. Morgan, who formerly edited the Globe here, and who is now in the newspaper business at Kearney, Nebraska, has been appointed postmaster of that place. Maj. Coon, of San Francisco, is at the Revere house. He has a brother living at Logan, and another at Avoca, and will visit them before his return, as well as go to Illinois, where he has some property interests. The major has in San Francisco a large lodging house, with rooms furnished up elegantly, there not being one furnished at a less cost than \$500, and many of them still more costly.

S. S. Stevens, general agent of the Rock Island, has returned from California, where he has been spending some time in the bettering of his health, which has improved some, but he is thinking of soon returning to the Pacific coast, and making his permanent home there, the climate seeming to agree with him better. Council Bluffs will regret losing him, and his friends hope that his health may so improve that a permanent stay may not be necessary.

Real Estate Transfers. The following are the transfers of real estate as recorded in the office of the registrar, and reported to the BEE by A. J. Stephenson, for Monday, May 18, 1885. Thomas Kearney to town of Oakland, lot 1, block 13, Oakland, \$75. Sarah M. Hare to T. Hare, lot 2, block 8, Hall's add, \$1,000. J. G. Carter to Henry Sieffert, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 2, Curtis' add to Hancock, \$200. Philetus Judson to Pottawattamie county, se 1/4, so 1/4, 2, 76, 44, \$30 50. Andrew J. Farris to James A. Bonham, part of se 1/4, ne 1/4, 25, 77, 43 and part w 1/4, sw 1/4, so and part nw 1/4, nw 1/4, 31, 77, 43, \$23,000. Herman Pleper to Otto Schnack, lot 4, block 8, Minden, \$1,500. Charles W. Nelson to Nettie J. Hunt et al., part of 27, 75, 44, \$225.

Young Men's Christian Association. The weekly literary and social of the Young Men's Christian association will be held as usual this evening at 8 o'clock. Both ladies and gentlemen are invited to be present. The large hall has been nicely seated and there is plenty of room.

PROGRAMME: General Singing, Talk on "What I Did With One of My Dollars," By a Number of our Boys, Song, ————— E. D. Stacy, Recitation, ————— Miss May Warburton. INTERMISSION. Song, with guitar accompaniment, (Mrs. M. H. Judd, Reading, ————— Miss E. Bushel, Solo, ————— Miss Lizzie Racer, Reading, ————— L. M. C. Meyer.

COMMERCIAL. COUNCIL BLUFFS MARKET. Wheat—No. 1 milling, 70; No. 2, 65; No. 3, 60. Corn—New, 25c. Oats—For local purposes, 30c. Hay—\$ 80 per ton; baled, 60. Eggs—60c. Wood—Good supply; prices at yards, 7.00@ 6.50. Coal—Delivered, hard, 9.50 per ton; soft 11.00 per ton. Lard—Armour's, wholesaling at 7 1/2. Flour—City flour, 1.50@2.00. Brooms—1.75@3.00 per doz.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle—Butcher cows \$2.25@3.75. Butcher steers, 3.75@4.00. Sheep—3.00@3.50. Hogs—3.50@3.75. PRODUCTS AND FRUITS. Eggs—9c. Butter—Receipts are increasing; choice creamery, 22@24c; choice country, 18c; good 12 1/2 1/4c; poor to fair, 6@10c. Roll butter should be wrapped in bleached butter cloth and closely packed. Poultry—Demand strong supply light; live spring chickens, good size, 35.00 per doz.; live old chickens, light and medium weight, \$3.00@3.75 per doz.; live old chickens, heavy weight, \$4.00; live turkeys, 10@11c per lb. At present the weather is too uncertain to ship dressed poultry; however high prices can be obtained for choice stock arriving in good condition.

Game—Demand is only for fresh killed ducks; mallards \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50; teal, 1.00. Onions—None in market; choice stock would likely bring \$1.75; sprouted and poor, \$1.00@1.25. Beans—Clean stock in good demand at \$1.25 @1.35 for medium, and \$1.50 for navy; dirty stock is dull at \$1.00. Potatoes—The freight war has given us choice Wisconsin and Minnesota at 65@70c. Good natives are going at 60c in bulk; small lots of sacked, 65c.

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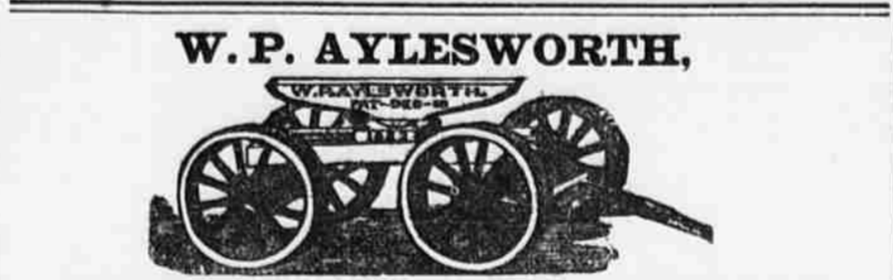
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