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MINOR MENTION.

Additional local on seventh page. Cheap railroad tickets at Bushnell's. Remember the noonday prayer meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms.

Union revival meetings every afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Presbyterian Church. Leave to wed was yesterday given I. N. Empie and Josie Ridpath, both of

this city. another exhibition at the roller skating founded, for there upon the floor of one from the county treasurer's books, will rink this evening.

of Duncan vs. Miles was on trial, it being was removed to D. M. Connell's a claim for damages for a dog killed by undertaking establishment, and there Miles.

Theodore Hessel is to be the editor, will presented too sickening a sight to atmake its first bow to the public this tempt to describe in detail. It appears week.

Officer Cusick is now suspended until out, both started to run out in their further orders.

One Omaha man was over here yesterday wanting 150,000 brick. Council

Bluffs is short on brick, and has a good shead of her, but it seems that soon after deal of building of its own on hand.

ening, and it is now planned to give a gold medal to the most graceful skater.

that it belonged to Deputy Sheriff Clat-Chicago, it is said that she became be-terbuck, who had left the pony standing trothed to an enginer on one of the railwhile he went about some business on

Of the talented lady who is to appear at Dohany's new opera house, Monday home with the worthy couple at the night, the 18th, for the benefit of the Bluffs house. Home of the Friendless, the Kalamazoo

It was not until the excitement of the fire had somewhat subsided that it was (Mich.) Telegraph says: "Marion B. Fire had somewhat subsided that it was realized how badly Mr." Bastian himself was injured. The alarm was given by one lecture of the season. As an orator, few of the girls in the house and on being the whole tax of the whole surpass her in eloquence and power."

There was a close call for a fire on Upper Broadway yesterday, in a little house above the Weston house, occupied suffocated but the fresh air at the bottom by a man named Vogt. Some paper near the stove caught fire in some way, dow, where he was helped out by Mr. but the blaze was discovered in time to Mikesell and Mr. Pierces. He not only be suppressed before any great damage had a narrow escape from being burned, was done.

the Bluffs house fire showed that the boys, from chief down, are about as plucky a set as any city can show up. It He is about 65 years old, and to meet was a hard siege, and the boys were with such revereses at that age, and such nearly frozen, but covered with ice they a shock, is hard of itself, while his inkept at their posts, and some of them juries are of such a nature as may prove took big changes in twing to save the took big chances in trying to save the

Attentton is called to the card of J. H. Armstrong, the civil engineer, which and \$500 on the clothing, furniture, etc. appears in another column. Mr Arm-

The exhibition of fancy roller skating given by Bertie Bliss last evening at the rink was very pleasing, and was heartly enjoyed by a large gathering. The little fellow is almost as skillful as Daniel, and, considering his age, is more of the first to find the body. The chief bea wonder. The lookers-on were very enthusiastic at the many fancy movements made by him, and the grace and case longing to Mr. Bastian, and as he enterwith which he executed them.

Some object to the building of a new court house, because the crops were so poor last year that they cannot bear the burden of an extra tax. If it shall pass there will be no extra tax this year, and none in five years except to pay the interest. The extra tax for five years on a quarter section of improved land will only be a few cents, and there are very few farmers who will have to pay to exceed one dollar extra any year.

The noon day prayer meeting still continues at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., No. 12 North Main street. All are invited to attend. Business and professional men will find it a pleasant place to spend a few moments. The meeting is very informal, and any person can come oners, "Doctors" Reeves and Turner. in or go out at any time he desires, without interfering in the least with the ex-

The necessity for the immediate locat ing of a hose cart on Lower Main street was made very apparent at the Bluffs house fire. Had there been such a hose the struggle to get them through. He stopped over night here, thinking it cart thus located it could have been at better to take the morning train, as that the fire in time to have thrown streams went right through, for by taking the from the hydrants in time, probably, evening train he would have to lay all to have saved much of the building and it would probably have aved at least one life. The first five minutes at a fire is worth an hour's work minutes at a fire is worth an hour's work walled for them in the evening was inafter that. It is hoped that the city formed that Sheriff Guittar could not council will not delay longer in giving that part of the city better fire protection, especially when it can be given so easily.

HORRIBLE HOLOCAUST

The Burned Body of a Girl Found in the Ruins of the Bloffs House Fire.

Peter Bastian, the Proprietor, Also Seriously Injured,

The burning of the Bluffs house, which occurred yesterday morning between 12 and 1 o'clock, proves to have been a thought. There were in the house about eighteen persons, boarders and all, and the building burned so rapidly thatit was with difficulty that the inmates, all of whom were asleep, escaped. When the For Every Voter on the Court House building was all in flames, it was whispered about that there was one girl missing, and that she must be still in the building, but there seemed no certainty as to this until the fire had been so subdued that the building could be entered. Bertie Bliss, the boy wonder, will give It was then found that the fear was well-In the circuit court yesterday, the case house, was the dead body of a girl. She thoughtfully: the remains were cared for. The en The new Scandinavian paper, of which tire body was horribly roasted, and that the girl's name was Emma Neisins. The police force is being reduced in She was sleeping in the same room with numbers. Hayes has resigned, and Mrs. Bastian, and, when the fire broke night robes, the smoke being then so Messrs. Schneider & Beck have cleared stiffing that they could hardly breath. out their first floor and it will hereafter Mrs. Bastian thought of her little grandbe entirely devoted to their wholesale child, and turned back to save the child, and, getting it in her arms, with difficulty make her way out of the burning building, and in doing so thought the girl was starting she must have fainted or been The first "club night" at the roller overcome with the suffocating smoke and

victim to the devouring flames. Marion B. Baxter spoke to crowded houses in this city. On the rostrum she in appearance. Her old home was in is bright and interesting, speaking with great ease and fluency. Her lecture was full of pathos and tenderness.—Hillsdale Business.

The police picked up a black pony on Pearl street, but it was soon ascertained that it below it to be soon ascertained that it below it to be soon ascertained that it below it to be soon ascertained to be soon a living in Crown Point, Ind. While in ways, and he being transferred to this part of the line, she concluded to come here where she could be nearer to him, and at the same time have a pleasant

aroused Mr. Bastian jumped up, lighted a lamp and started through the house. we expect that in five years from now its increase, aided by accumulating railroad of the room revived him enough so that he The work done by the department at inside by hot steam and injured by the ness there, his house being full every night, and his business seeming prosperous. To offset his loss of \$3,000 there is an insurance on the building of \$1,500,

The origin of the fire is still a mysstrong is a new-comer here, but is by tery. The barking of the dog roused one of the girls, who on awakening rushed through the house sounding the He has opened an office in the new opera alarm. The fire originated in the ell house block, and will give his attention used for a kitchen, and spread so rapidly to all kinds of engineering, land survey- that it was scarcely ten minutes before the whole building was in flames.

the first to find the body. The chief being anxious to get out a trunk which contained money and valuable papers beed the room where the trunk was, after the fire had been subdued enough to al-

THE CANNON GOES OFF.

The Sheriff of Memphis Takes His Prisoners, the "Doctors," Back to Tennessee.

Yesterday morning Sheriff Cannon, of Memphis, Tenn., took the two prisback to Tennessee, they having concluded not to fight with any more habeas corpus proceedings, it being evident that they saw more trouble ahead in case they

in the hands of the local sheriff, then the court could inquire further into the matter on a writ of habeas corpus, but if in the hands of Sheriff Cannon, then the inquiry could go no further than to ascer-tain whether he really was the agent of the state of Tennessee and armed with a genuine warrant issued by the governor of Nebraska. The Ne-braska officials have been especially in-terested in watching the proceedings for they had some curiosity to know whether any Iowa court would feel that it had the authority to interfere with the action of the governor of Nebraska in response to the demand of the governor of Tennessee. It is unfortunate that the case was not pressed to a decision to satisfy more terrible affair than was at first the curiosity at least, "the doctors' spoiling it all by concluding to go along voluntarily.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

and Jail Propositions,

The day is fast drawing near when this county will have to decide whether it will have a new court house and jail or not. What the voters need is facts-not a mere howl-and the following, taken of the chambers, in the lower part of the be, or should be, perused carefully and

The county bonds will be all paid by June, 1884, when the county will be en-

tirely out of debt. The state of Iewa levied one-half mill extra tax to pay the balance on old war and defense bonds, and to assist in com pleting the capitol, and the tax of 1882 and 1883 pays that debt, thus taking off one more half mill.

The present valuation of the county is nearly eleven millions, and one mill on the dollar on that sum makes eleven thousand dollars. Eleven thousand dollars will pay the

interest at 51 per cent on two hundred thousand dollars. The one-half mill bond, and one-half mill state tax off after June 1884, now being paid, will ray the interest on the two hundred thousand. Every tax-payer can see on the back of his receipt just what he is paying taxes

for. He can see that the whole amount for state, county, state school, poor, bridge, county bond, and insane, amount to a total sum of 14½ mills on the dollar, skating rink will be next Monday even. fell to the floor, there lying in an uncon- or \$14.50 on \$1,000 valuation. scious and helpless condition an easy He can see also that all the remainder

of his tax is purely a local tax, and is made by each local school district, town dred thousand. The only place this bond tax can

pear will be in the tax levied by the board of supervisors, which will take the place of the present one-half mill state, or one-half mill bond tax. Now, conceding the above facts, the tax as levied by the board of supervisors need not be increased for the next five

years, if the county valuation does no ncrease one cent in that time. Then at the end of five years, when we do begin to pay a part of the princi-pal, is it not fair to expect that the valuation of the county will be increased enough so that the tax-levy for principal

the one mill levy? property in her limits, will pay fully one half of the whole county tax?

Now we would ask the farmers, in the face of the fact that Council Bluffs citizens almost unanimously are willing to erty perfectly secure? and a jail strong enough to hold a criminal after he is caught? And any candid man will admit, if he will take the trouble to examine, that neither the court house or jail are quantities calculated, in any way secure.

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It was scrub day at the new jail yes-

The lecture of Marian B. Baxter, to be given at the new opera house, on "The Handwriting on the Wall," will doubtless draw a crowd, not only because of the merit of the entertainment, but because of the fact that all the recepts go to the benefit of the Home of the Friendless, the lecturer charging nothing for her services and Mr. Dohany generously donating the hall.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. J. Manz, the popular "con" who runs or the Union Pacific between Omaha and Grand Island, and his family were visitors in this city yesterday. E. A. Stevens and P. E. Flemming, of the

Dan Morris-Sullivan company, are at the Ogden. R. Simmons, of Cleveland, O., was among

yesterday's Ogden house arrivals. Art Little, of Oskaloosa, was in the city

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'n	8:25 p m	Pacific Express,	5:35 p m
,		BICAGO, MILWAUKER AND ST. PAUL	
31	5:25 p m	Express.	9:40 a m
	9:45 a m	Express,	6: 5 p m
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3	5:30 p m	Atlantic Express,	9:40 a m
2)	9:50 a m	Day Express,	6:50 p.m
	7:15 a m	*Des Moines Aso immodation, *At local depot only.	4:43 p m
9		"WABASH, ST. LOUIS AND PACIFIC.	
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ì	4:50 p m	Cannon sall, "At Transfer only.	11:15 a.m.
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