

THE DAILY IEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS. Friday Morning, April 4. SUBSCRIPTION, RATES. By Carrier - 30 cents per week. By Mail - \$10.00 per Year. OFFICE: No. 7 Pearl Street, Near Broadway.

THE LONG AGO.

How Council Bluffs Was Reached Thirty Years Ago.

The Appearance of the City.

W. H. Taft is preparing a series of articles on the history of Mills county, Iowa, for the Malvern Leader, and in his opening he gives a vivid picturing of the modes of traveling from the east to Council Bluffs, and the appearance of the city thirty years ago.

Towards this young city, which was then the chief frontier town or jumping-off place, streams of west-bound movers made their way across the state of Iowa, over different routes, the principal one from Des Moines, the present Iowa City capital, thence to Fort Des Moines, Adel and the Missouri river.

This was the oldest traveled route between the east and the west borders of the state, and on this, the larger areas of water were crossed by (toll) bridges, while on other thoroughfares it was either forry or ford.

As these palatial coaches dashed, rattle-like, over the broad highways, glimpses could occasionally be had of toiling pilgrims urging the slow oxen with their heavy loads of schooner built wagons containing the earthly possessions of their owners.

At each of these stations, stops were made and while passengers obtained meals, if desired, horses and drivers were changed for a fresh start.

The Spiritualist society which has been occupying a hall on Main street has removed to the opera house.

One Saturday drunk pleaded guilty in police court yesterday. A busy day indeed for the \$2,000 judge and \$1,200 clerk.

Work on the paving will commence next week if the weather is favorable, 16,000 granite blocks being already here ready to commence with.

The Presbyterian social was held last evening at the residence of Mrs. Thomas Officer, who was assisted by Mrs. Dr. Green and Miss Weirich.

The plans for the new Catholic church have been received, and it is expected that the work will commence as soon as the old church property can be sold.

Chief of Police Skinner has received word that the colored man Hall, wanted here for stealing \$40 from the estate of Allen Forbes, had been arrested in Leavenworth.

Mr. Herzman, who sold out here to Mr. Howe, writes from Fargo, where he is now located, that he thinks of coming back to Council Bluffs and going into business here again.

Frank Hart, who got in the pen by the too free use of his pen in writing a fictitious order for bond, was yesterday fined \$10 and costs, and not being able to pay was placed in the jail.

The books and papers pertaining to the office of the superintendent of the American Express company were yesterday being shipped to Des Moines, where S. G. Stanton will receive have his headquarters.

Harry Stern, of Stern & Kohn, is going to Red Cloud, Neb., to engage in the wholesale and retail liquor business there.

Nick Fitch's farm, which is located in a bend of the river about ten miles south of the city, is being cut away. The river at that point has been open all winter, and this spring it has kept cutting until about forty acres have gone, and the water is within 300 feet of his house.

Victoria of Calumet (1168), dam a pure Galloway cow, purchased by S. R. Foss, Crete, Neb., for \$25.

Humphreys (1862)-Calved April 30, 1882; bred by John McCormick, Leoschick, Dalhart, Mo.; sire Duncanson (1315), dam Rosa of Leoschick (2789); was sold to A. Cochran, Little Sioux, for \$299.

Black Peter (2221)-Calved March 28, 1882, bred by Thomas Wilkin, Tinwald Downs, Dumfries; sire Farmer's Fancy (1593), dam Lady of Tinwald Downs (6668) by Scottish Chief Drumming (1818); bought by J. C. Gregg, St. Joseph, Mo., for \$375.

Hartmann-Calved December 2, 1882, bred by James Miller, Taylor, Mo.; sire Prince Victor the Elder (2269), dam Lady Lindsay 5828 by Colonel Gordon (1602), g. d. Lady Bonfield 890 by Sir James 2nd 378, g. d. Lady of the Lake 869 by Dutchman 364, g. d. Lizette of Portlenth 250 by Young Andrew 6. 5 d. Lively 256 by Earl of Buchan 97, g. d. S. R. Foss, Crete, Neb., purchased for \$299.

Troquois (Vol. IX.)-Calved January 13, 1883, bred by James Mack, Earside, by Forre; sire Eclipse of Earside 2662, dam Maid of Moray 4th 419 by General 1297, g. d. Maid of Moray 3rd 3711 by Jester 472, g. d. Maid of Moray 2112, bought by M. S. Holderbaum, Dexter, Ia., for \$350.

Faxon Cowes (Vol. VIII.)-Calved January 14, 1883, bred by George Williamson, Shenandoah, Eldon; got by Getaway 24 2022, dam Faxon's Cowes (633), by Cupid 34 2038, sold to S. R. Foss for \$380.

Maroon (Vol. IX.)-Calved February 2, 1883, bred by James Bruce, Collette, Gentry; sire Eclipse of Earside 2662, dam Maid of Moray 4th 419 by General 1297, g. d. Maid of Moray 3rd 3711 by Jester 472, g. d. Maid of Moray 2112, bought by M. S. Holderbaum, Dexter, Ia., for \$350.

Variety of Closeburn (4522)-Ear Mark 22; Foot Mark F.-Calved March 30, 1882, bred by Frederick E. Vickers, Closeburn 1260, by Theophilus; sire Prince Victor (1609), dam Edith of Closeburn (3758) by Watty (1072), g. d. Nellie of Troquois (8129), sold to L. W. Grier, Wahoo, Neb., for \$440.

Ethelred (2049)-Calved April, 1882, bred by Messrs. Little, Moor Farm, Longtown, Lancashire (115), dam Moor Flower, sold to L. H. Egan, Fremont, Ia., for \$340.

Nell of Auchenby (471)-Ear and Foot Mark 21-Calved February, 1881, bred by Mrs. Margaret Douglas to Smith, Corscote, Dalhousie; sire Alton (1407), dam Jean, bought by S. R. Foss, Crete, Neb., for \$340.

J. Ernsted, of Logan, was at Bechtel's yesterday.

Mrs. Gowdy, of Springfield, O., who has been visiting L. W. Tulley's family, returned home last evening.

Will J. Trotter, of Avoca, was in the city yesterday, but not "boycotting" very badly.

W. M. Carlisle, of Missouri Valley, was at the Pacific yesterday.

J. E. Hathaway, of Milwaukee, is at the Pacific.

J. W. Smith and wife, of Sedalia, Mo., were at the Pacific yesterday.

J. W. Havens, formerly a newspaper man here, has now retired from the Creston Gazette.

E. P. Cadwell, of the law firm of Sims & Cadwell, has started on an extended trip, going first to Minnesota and then to Oregon, where he has some landed interests. He expects to be absent a month or two.

T. J. Parish, of Kearney, Neb., dined at the Ogden yesterday.

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