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Midnight Music on the Ball. Snore, snore, snore. In the sleeper the living night; And oh that my ears with cotton Were filled and plugged up tight!

THE YOUNG ARTIST. On a cold, cheerless afternoon in November a young girl stood where the light fell through a small, dingy window upon the still more cheerless aspect of the room she occupied. Poverty was plainly to be seen in the scant furniture and in the clean but threadbare rug carpet.

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rosenip flush to her cheek. Well, those sittings were delightful affairs to both parties. Also to the widow, who, however, could not see the two people in the next room. Nevertheless she kept up a running conversation continually through the open door.

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COUNCIL BLUFFS. ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

A MIGHTY MONSTER. The Remains of a Mastodon Found in a Clay Bank Here. The Animal Must Have Been Immense in Size.

Yesterday in digging away the bank for the new Stutman street school some huge sized bones were discovered by Mr. J. W. Kelly, the contractor, who instead of carelessly tossing them aside as a more ignorant man might have done, took pains to scrape off the dirt, and thus giving an idea of the strangeness and value of the find, carefully laid the pieces aside and turned them over to Mr. Graham, of Oliver & Graham, who took them to the store on Broadway, where they can be seen by any one who desires.

There have been already a dozen or so pieces of bone taken out, and others will probably be found. These were found about twenty-two feet below the surface of the yellow soil, and it is estimated that they must have laid there 2,000 years or more. These pieces of bone are crumbled somewhat on the exterior, and are but broken portions, but yet some of them are so well preserved that they give an idea of what the size of the animal must have been.

The best piece found yet is a part of a shoulder blade. The socket has a diameter of 6 1/2 inches, and around the shoulder of the socket joint measures seventeen inches. The blade, where broken off, is 2 1/2 inches thick, and measures 37 inches around. From this piece of the shoulder, it appears that the bone entire must have been nearly four feet across.

Several vertebrae were also found, one of which is quite well preserved, measures fifteen inches in circumference and is three inches thick. A portion of the thigh bone was found 16 feet from where the shoulder blade was dug out, so that an idea of the length of the animal may be gained. A portion of one of the bones of the leg was also found. This is the first find of any mammoth bones in this part of the country, and will naturally excite much interest and comment.

Lawn Tennis. This afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock, the concluding games of the ladies and gentlemen's doubles and the gentlemen's singles will take place on the Council Bluffs Lawn Tennis club grounds, for the championship. The ladies and gentlemen's doubles take place between Miss Lizzie Brown and M. Z. Haas, vs: Miss Nellie Chapman and Mr. R. S. Ryan. The gentlemen's singles are R. T. O'ficer vs. R. S. Ryan and E. E. Hart to play the winner.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed May 23, 1884, and reported by P. J. McMahon, Council Bluffs: Frederick Fleur to Frederick Freese, m. s. w. 7. 74. 42. \$2,800. H. W. Wilson to Fred. A. Worth, part lot 2, block 40, Allen and Cook's add, to Hoeca. \$700. Bingham Graybill to Christian Ulfor, lot 17, block 9, Underwood. \$1. W. Siedentopf to Fred. Sperring, lots 3, 4, 9, 10, and 11, block 30, Burns' add. \$225. A. T. Farley to W. T. Wilcox, part lots 1, 2, and 3, block 1, Arnold's 2nd add. to Oakland. \$650. Total sales, \$4,390.

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