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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

HOME AGAIN.

Mayer Vaughan, City Treasurer, Clerk and Contractor Reagan Back Again.

Their Reception at the Depot.

Last evening the bond-sellers returned from the east, arriving over the C. & Q. at about 7 o'clock. Alderman Myntzer, John Jay Frayne, Wm. Patton and others of the special admirers of "the Carter Harrison of the Missouri slope," as they delight to call the little mayor, arranged a reception for him at the depot. The band was there ready to play "Return, Ye Wanderers, Return."

"When Vaughan Comes Marching Home Again" and other appropriate airs. Besides the three named there were Alderman Keating, C. Wesley, Alderman Guise, Mr. Lander, Thomas Millett, Cap. Russell, Pete Drury, Henry Wagner, George Smith and Jerry Myers.

On the arrival of the train the band struck up with "Sweet are the Bonds that Join," which a hoarse informal hand-shake greeted the mayor, the city treasurer, and Mr. Reagan. These gentlemen were escorted to the carriage in front of the house. Mayor Vaughan says it will not be necessary to sell the balance of the bonds for thirty days or so, yet, and as the market is growing better every day it is deemed best to wait. The paving bonds not yet sold amount to \$55,000. None of the sewerage bonds have yet been disposed of.

After reaching home, the Mayor was called upon by a number of his neighbors and friends, to whom he made a short speech.

DIFFERENT KINDS OF RACES

Roman, Obstacle, Daring, Flat and Hurdle Races and Curious Annual Contests.

Among the features to be exhibited this year by the Barnum and London shows will be the four horse Roman chariot racing, double team Roman standing racing, exciting male and female jockey racing, high elephant hurdle racing, camel racing, with real Nubians as riders, dromedary racing, flat races, foot races, running races, wheelbarrow races, comical sack races, giraffe races, monkey jockey races, man-horse races, and the most laughable and humorous of all is what is known as the obstacle races. In these latter a number of persons will participate and the fun will consist in the efforts of the contestants to surmount the numberless impediments and obstacles which have been placed at intervals on the racing track. These obstacles will be cunningly contrived boxes with covers, through which the runners will have to pass first into one head foremost and then on the next feet first, then to walk a pole laid horizontally, then through swinging barrels, which turn and twist and frequently lay the runner flat on his back in the wrong direction, then over gates, hurdles, greased poles, then through the meshes of a large three-sided

puzzling trap net, which is a very ludicrous performance, as the runners are floundering around in this net like so many flies caught in a spider's web. After this the runners pass over the three hurdles and other impediments until the final goal is reached in a state of exhaustion by the racers. To stimulate the contestants, Mr. Barnum has arranged a series of cash prizes. All these new performances are added to the regular exhibition, which takes place in three rings and upon a stage, and which is kept complete and intact, the entire eighty acts being given, and the truth is that never in the history of the circus has there been so great and grand an amusement enterprise as the one now presented by the United Barnum and London nine shows, and which comes here on Thursday, September 25, with the great free street parade in the morning at 8 o'clock.

E. Knabe was arrested for disturbing the peace last night.

The Home of the Friends association propose to issue a small paper, the composition to be done at the Home. The material has already arrived.

About eight o'clock last night a three year old girl, Mrs. Marcus was run over by a bus belonging to Jake Rogers and driven by a man named Hughton in front of the child's residence on Broadway between Scott and Sixth streets. Both front and rear wheels went over the child who was picked up by Dr. Clenver and taken in the house. She received internal injuries which may prove fatal.

A mass meeting will be held this evening at the opera house, by the republicans. The Boys in Blue and the Blaine and Logan clubs in uniform will meet at the republican headquarters at seven o'clock sharp. The republican club will be in attendance at the opera house where the arguments and personal attack made by Mr. Pusey will be replied to. Ladies are especially invited.

Notes From Neola.

Neola, Iowa, September 15, 1884.

To the Editor of THE BEE:

Fine weather and prospect of excellent corn crop, therefore farmers are well pleased and merchants smile benevolently.

Political parties are rushing. We have two clubs. A Blaine and Logan club was organized Sept. 5. It starts with a membership of 17. The Cleveland and Hendricks club will have a meeting Sept. 17.

Our school opened on Monday the 8th inst., with Mr. F. A. Turner principal. School began Monday of this week, in the Parsons district, with Miss Josie M. Cutler, teacher. Large attendance is reported in our schools and a good corps of teachers.

D. D. Watson, artist, is erecting a gallery on Third street, adjoining the bank building.

Mrs. T. M. Thomas, of Council Bluffs, was in the city last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Morgan.

Let em roll. Skating rink open every night, music by the small boys.

A dance for the benefit of the Neola string band will be given Saturday evening, September 20. Joe.

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IOWA ITEMS.

The total enrollment of the Keokuk public schools is 1,995.

A covey of burglars were pulled in Creighton by the authorities and landed on the stone pile.

The price of soft coal has advanced to fifty cents a bushel at Des Moines since the miners' strike began.

The synod of the Presbyterian church in Iowa will meet at Cedar Rapids the middle of next month. About 140 ministers will be present.

Survivors of the Sixth Iowa infantry and other soldiers of the late war will hold a re-union at Albia, Monroe county, on the 24th and 25th inst.

There is some talk of holding a grand re-union of Iowa soldiers at the state fair grounds in Des Moines next year in October, and if liberal terms can be had of the railroads the meeting may be held.

A suspicious character was arrested in Des Moines the other day, and on his person were found fifty knives and seven revolvers. He had been carrying on an aggressive campaign.

The supervisors of Polk county have granted thirty-two permits to sell intoxicating liquors for "medical, culinary, sacramental and scientific uses." This looks as if Des Moines were running a medical college.

Mrs. DeOrville is the hero of an adventure in Des Moines. Finding a pair of burglars in her kitchen early one morning, she braced her arms against her sides and gave her lungs a twist that woke the echoes for blocks around, and dashed in among them. The crooks were paralyzed by the yell and the apparition, but recovered and fled, gave the woman a farewell kick and scouted. She was not injured.

Des Moines Leader: A gentleman of a pugilistic turn was prowling around the Rock Island depot Sunday morning, apparently anxious to eat some one. He declared he was high heeled roller; that he could whip his weight in buzz saws, and generally pointed that locally a live crocodile. He kept this until he came across a quiet, demure, inoffensive looking little man sitting on an express trunk. He struck a snag then. The man knuckled him down, crawled all over his frame, stamped on him and thumped the back of his head until he howled like a spaniel's pup. Finally the fellow got on his feet, and the way he made for the adjoining lumber yard would have given Tom Brock the jim jama.

STICHS

Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, throbbing pains of the stomach, etc. A nodular like protrusion, producing a very disagreeable feeling particularly at night after getting warm in bed, is very common attendant. Internal, External and Hemorrhoidal Piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Ross's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the tumors, slaying the intense itching, and effecting a permanent cure whose other name is Dr. Ross's Pile Remedy, which acts upon the system, produces permanent disability, but try it and be cured. Schroter & Becht, 127 N. 5th St., Omaha.

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JOHN C. BRECKENRIDGE.

Outline of His Varied Career on the Pacific Coast.

San Francisco correspondence of the St. Louis Democrat. The peculiarities of this coast is the strange mingling of all nationalities to be found here and the breaking down of race prejudices. About the only instance of race hatred is that of the Caucasian toward the Chinese, and this is due mainly to differences which ages could never remove. This tendency of all nationalities to drift out to this coast in quest of fortune has resulted in bringing here many descendants of famous men. Some worthily uphold the historical family name, but the greater part are renegades who seek, in the western country, to escape from the restraints which society and civilization impose in older settled lands. Many of these men have had remarkable careers, which could be paralleled nowhere outside of this country of sudden vicissitudes in fortune. One of the strangest of these careers is that of the son of the famous Senator Breckenridge, of Kentucky, who is now living in this state, who was chosen at the last election as a member of the state assembly at a large salary. He became engaged to one of the daughters of Lloyd Tevis, the brains and executive head of the great express firm of Wells, Fargo & Co. Tevis, one of whose nephews recently committed suicide in St. Louis is a millionaire who has made his money unaided except by abilities of a very high order. There is no abstruse mystery at a bargain on this coast. In connection with J. B. Haggis, another Kentuckian who counts his wealth by the millions, Tevis has bought up whole square miles of land in Kern, Tanare and Fresno counties, getting it for a mere nominal sum under the desert land act. The land is good grazing and farming land, and is being irrigated, just like that in California and Wyoming, which has been seized up in precisely the same way by big land grabbers and speculators. In this way Haggis and Tevis have succeeded in getting hold of about one-fifth of the land in this state, and their herds of cattle literally feed on a thousand hills. They have tried all kinds of experiments in agriculture and irrigation, they have been successful in raising wheat in the neighborhood of their vast domains; they are as much lords of the counties in which they have secured so great a foothold as were the mediaeval barons of England.

It was into this family of large wealth, and the influence which wealth brings with it, that Breckenridge entered. He was abundantly supplied with money, and he had the Kentuckian's passion for cards and horseflesh which is capable of getting away with an ungodly amount of coin. He went down some of the paternal stock ranches in Fresno county and led the life of a wealthy southern planter in the olden time. He lived a free life, became a great favorite with the men among whom he mingled, plunged more and more into dissipation and debt, until finally his wife returned to her home in this city, and for three or four years she was kept busy paying his debts. The grounds alleged were cruelty and intemperance. No answer was made, and Mrs. Breckenridge, still a young and very pretty woman, obtained her legal liberty. The husband remained about Fresno, and one day when one of his cowboy friends was arrested for some infringement of the law, Breckenridge volunteered to defend him. The knowledge of law and the natural eloquence which he showed in the little county court-room made his reputation among the lawless community. He secured the acquittal of his client, and from that time on if any festive cowboy got into trouble he steered straight for Breckenridge's office, his law as a lawyer and public speaker became noise throughout the country; the moral fables which he had betrayed, and which might have damaged him in a more strait-laced community, rather tended to help him here among men whose code of morals was very like those of Bret Hart's heroes.

So the son of a famous father became the popular idol of his country, and at length reached his zenith in the election of a large vote. He went in on the strictly anti-monopoly issue, which was the war cry of the democrats. With most of them it meant nothing more than a sop to the public to secure votes, and they joined hands with the railroad company to defeat any legislation aimed at the abolition of freight contracts, freight rates, and the evasion of state taxes. But with Breckenridge his extreme anti-monopoly doctrines were evidently a mental legacy from his father. The man with whom the southern wing of the democracy tried to overthrow Douglas, and with whom they counted on crushing Lincoln, had more extreme views than any other politician of his time. His aim seems to have inherited with the fortune of his father much of his peculiar mental twist. He did good service in the last state legislature and at the extra session in showing the unsoundness of the railroad position, and the urgent necessity for some legislation which should curb the power of the big monopolies in this state. He spoke with so great feeling and conducted the fight with so great ability that he gained much reputation throughout the state, and his name has been frequently mentioned for congress. He would no doubt have run at this election had it not been for his friendship for Sumner, who desires re-election. He was among the chief supporters of Thurman for the presidency, and at the Chicago convention sanctioned the Ohio man's nomination.

Young Breckenridge has recently come into notoriety owing to the marriage of his divorced wife to Fred Sharon, the only son of the ex-senator from Nevada, defendant in the famous scandal suit. It seems that young Sharon has long been enamored of the beauty and accomplishments of Mrs. Breckenridge. His attention to her having reached the ears of her late husband he swore a mighty oath that he would kill any man that had the presumption to marry his wife. The result was that Sharon was privately married to the fair lady, and the pair have already left the city for an extended honeymoon in Europe when the late husband No. 1, breathing vengeance and arms, arrived on the scene. He threatens to have the blood of the millionaire's son, but the prospects are that time will heal his resentment, and, like most Californians, he will take another chance in the matrimonial lottery.

TEACHING THE INDIANS.

How the Agents are Hampered—A Note From General Armstrong.

To the Editor of the Boston Advertiser—

Will you kindly let an Indian agent speak for himself? The following is from Major John G. Gassman, in charge at Crow Creek and Lower Brule, Dakota, of over 2,000 Sioux. Speaking of this former place he says:

The school accommodations of this agency are entirely inadequate, there being room provided for only 35 children whereas there are here, at present 140 of school age. The hope of the Indians is in the schools; we may induce the old people to work on their claims, build houses and stables, and take care of their cattle. This is about all. But their children will be what we shall make them. I am aware that great and good work is being done for them at Carlisle, Hampton, and other places, but the great work must be done at home on the reservations. All children of the proper age should be in school now and should have at least two years of training at our home school before being sent away. From these agency schools should be selected the brightest, strongest and most promising boys and girls for the above mentioned institutions, and there be trained to become teachers in the agency schools and also. It seems to me a great waste of money to take utterly uneducated children from their Indian homes. Schools for Indians in the states are greatly hampered in their noble work, because of the unprepared material they have to work upon; one must prepare and select the material here. I am simply recommending carrying out the treaty of 1868 which provides that for every 30 children there shall be a school house and teacher provided.

I am greatly distressed at the meagreness of this year's allowance of funds being \$2940 less than last year, an amount in despair at the small progress made, and must resort to some one who will at least give me a word of comfort in my anxiety. It seems as if the "powers that be" are determined to weary the souls of their faithful servants. I trust in God's just judgment, and believe the time will come when the people will realize the magnitude and sacredness of this work, and make a determined, intelligent effort for the salvation of those poor people.

Major Gassman is an ex-Episcopal minister of great experience among the Sioux, and of high character and ability—one of the few first-rate Indian agents of the 35,000 red-men's children of school age, not over 5000 are likely to go to school away. The work on the reservation is great, and vital to the progress of the Indian. I know of no good Indian agent who is not sadly hampered in his work. The Indian department at Washington asks for what is necessary, but congress refuses to give it. The work of reclaiming over 200,000 red-skinned savages is trifling compared with the difficulty of getting more adequate appropriations. Millions for food but a paltry sum for good management and education seems to be the policy.

S. C. ARMSTRONG, Hampton, Va., Aug. 30, 1884.

The Prairie Dog-Out.

"Bill Nye" in New York Mercury.

There's no one talking, roughing it in pleasant weather with good company and a little civilization as possible is pleasant and healthful. Shooting or fishing all day in the mountains, with plenty of blankets, a bonfire and a briar pipe at night, after a sage chicken, or trout, or elk supper, is not all that roughing it after all, but a dog-out is certainly the abomination of desolation. I can stand a grown person's dose of poverty, I believe, and never equal; but I will never sleep in a dog-out until this mortal has put on immortality. I've slept in a log cabin with no roof over it whatever, in logging camps where I could count the principal stars of the firmament with the thermometer was below 40 degrees, and have rolled myself up in a pair of government blankets and the zone at a height of 9,000 feet above high-water mark, with the Irish Deep coyote snoring in the distance, and singing as loud as a steam whistle; but I never slept in a dog-out. That is a joy that I never have experienced. The dogs are so bad, however, whether it be the original Mexican dog or sun-dried brick, or the corruption thereof, which is found further north, and which is sordid. These houses are built of the rough, square block out from a grassy flat, and some of them are good looking and comfortable, but the dog-out is a hole in the wall with a dirt roof over it in which you live like a prairie dog and get fresh air on ground level every day if the Indians will let you. The rustic dog-out I am glad to see, is not holding its place in our modern architecture, and looks now as though it might some day disappear entirely. It had its good points and it had its disadvantages. In the days when they lay the ground up and down the land seeking whom it might devour, the dog-out was a boon to many, for the householder could come at any hour of the night and fall into his house. But here the way was opened for a serious drawback. The architecture of the house allowed the vagrant and high-spirited Texas steer to fall into the house also, and no one knew, when he sat down to dine, whether it would be a stray pack jack or an absent-minded grizzly that would fall through the roof into the pork gravy or fill the slum-gully with hair and gravel. Others may like excitement at meals, but I do not. It certainly does not aid digestion, and a man who has done a good day's work and whose coffee does not wish to do so again.

But the deserted dog-out is the most cheerless place I know. The drainage of a dog-out is never good, and after the inhabitants have gone and there is no one to get the water out on bail, the home-like and cheerful air that should dwell there is gone. Does reader, if you are disposed to brace up your weary nerves and regular pulse, let me ask you to spend the night in a deserted dog-out in the bosom of the earth 100 miles from food or water. If you do not hope before the rosy moon that some border ruffian will come and kill you, you must be indeed hardened. I would rather crawl into the sack of a grizzly bear than to spend the night in the deserted dog-out of my most intimate friend.

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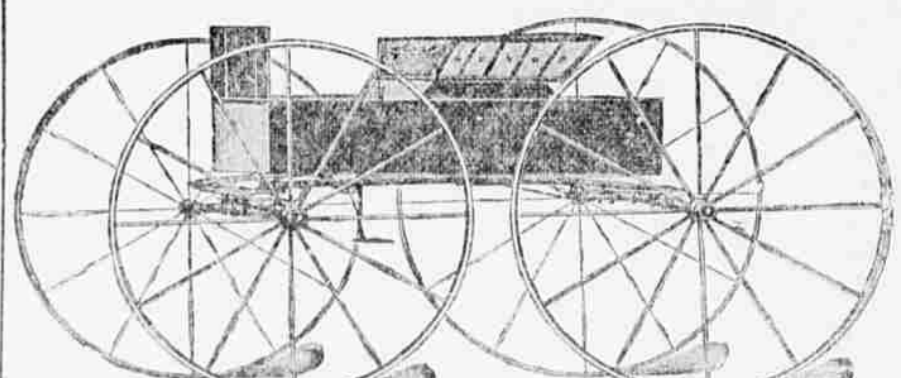
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