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### MINOR MENTION.

New York Plumbing Co.

New fall goods at Reiter's.

Cooper & McGee sell stoves.

The city council meets to-night.

Buy Seal brand oysters, the best.

Cheap railroad tickets at Bushnell's.

Garland cook stoves are the best made. Get one of Cooper & McGee.

One dozen cabinets and a large panel for $2.50 at Schmidt's gallery.

Mrs. Don. Southerland of Creston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Swanson.

Ed. Waterman rejoices as becometh one who is the father of a little maiden.

The letter carriers in this city have handled during the past four years 5,257,146 pieces of mail.

A terrible storm is predicted to take place here to-morrow. It will be known as the democrotic county convention.

The funeral of William H. Officer is to be held at the residence of his brother, Mr. Thomas Officer, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Justice Hendricks yesterday afternoon tied the knot, and tied it tight, uniting J. W. Clark and Jennie Ferguson, both of Omaha.

Hans Christofersen was yesterday happily united to Miss Emma Denham, of Chariton, Iowa, the ceremony being performed by Justice Frainey in his office.

The colored folks' ball takes place to-night in Bloom & Nixon's hall, on Pearl street. A regular old time "cake walk" will take place, and numerous "prize" waltzes.

W. H. Burns, agent of the Union Pacific, has had a telephone put into his office, No. 197, and one into his residence, No. 66. Telephone subscribers should make a note of it.

The Union Pacific has completed 100 more feet of platform at the Broadway depot, thus making about four hundred feet of platform along the dummy track.

The republicans framed a strong county ticket yesterday, and if they work for it, and stand by it, they will doubtless swing the most of their candidates through.

The Scandinavians of the city are requested to meet at the Danebo hall, No. 525 Main street, to-morrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a Scandinavian democratic club. By order of the committee.

Arrangements are being made for the meeting of the Southwestern Iowa Press association, to be held here November 16. A programme is being prepared to fill the day with interest to all concerned, and the gathering will indulge in a banquet in the evening.

The Nonpareil still insists on keeping at the head of its columns, "For mayor, J. F. Evans." There's nothing like sticking to a good cause to the last, but when the old lady wakes up and finds that the election was over several days ago, she will be surprised at the result.

The social hop to be given by Abe Lincoln post G. A. R. this evening promises to be a success every way. The committee of arrangements have selected as floor managers Colonel W. F. Sapp, Vic Kellar, George Metcalf and Charles Sheraden. Good music has been secured and all the details carefully provided for.

The republicans evidently believe in picking out the best possible men for county supervisors. Sam Frum has served in the board, and his record is enough to recommend him. Mr. Waite is a thorough business man, of well known integrity and ability, and certainly there can no fight be made upon him personally.

H. J. Chambers, whom the republicans renominated for recorder yesterday, run like a deer at the election which carried him into office for the first term, and as he has so conducted the office as to increase rather than diminish his popularity, he will prove a swift one in the coming race.

The nomination of J. M. Matthews as clerk of the courts is one in which the republicans showed much wisdom. He is without doubt the strongest man whom they could have named, and it will be a hot race between him and the present democratic incumbent. Matthews as superintendent of schools made friends throughout the county, and he has kept them. He has many good points as a man and official, and the republicans acted wisely in selecting him.

The many friends of Mr. Jacob Sims rallied about his cause nobly yesterday, and seemed bent to nominate him for county attorney, but the claim that if nominated he would be made the special target of the anti-prohibitionists, and doomed to defeat, caused many of them to conclude that it was not advisable to put him on the ticket. Mr. Sims has been active as the attorney for the prohibitionists, and the opponents of that measure would have slaughtered him had he been put up, as many desired. Colonel Daily, the nominee of the convention, is not open to any such objection, and he will doubtless prove a strong candidate.

The case of Dr. Seamon and his attorney, Frank Trimble, growing out of a dispute concerning the possession of a horse, was yesterday taken from Justice Schurz to Justice Hendricks, on a change of venue, and continued until this morning. In the meantime Constable Ricketts got possession of the horse again, on the chattel mortgage held by John Ahles, and it was yesterday sold at public auction. The complication increases, and who will pay for the horse finally is a subject of guess, but at the present rate its value will soon be eaten up in costs of suits. Trimble denies that he took the writ of replevin from Justice Schurz's table on the quiet, and claims that he received it from the hands of the justice. He disclaims all stealing of the instrument or other unprofessional acts.

Just received, Ladies' fine shoes, best makes. Prices low. Geo. Blaxim, 807 Main.

Electric door bells, burglar alarms, and every form of domestic electrical appliances at the New York Plumbing Co.

J. Ernsdtorf, having taken entire control of the Phœnix chop house, desires to state that he has secured the services of Charles Decker, a first-class cook of New York city. The best the market affords, night and day, in the best style of the art. Will also have a regular bill of fare.

Seal brand oysters at H. J. Palmer's.

### Oyster Supper.

The ladies of the Methodist church will give the first oyster supper of the season this evening at Cocke & Morgan's old stand, corner of Broadway and Fourth streets. Refreshments served from 6 to 10 p. m. Supper, 25c. Oysters, 25c.

Don't forget the Good Templars ball at the Masonic temple on Thursday evening, 14th inst. Tickets for sale at Bushnell's book store.

A car load of large, heavy mules, also a lot of fine, large heavy brood mares for sale by Schleuter & Boley, Council Bluffs.

# MAKING A STRONG TICKET.

The Republicans Name Men Whom They Think Will Win.

DR. BELLINGER CLEARED.

Plans of Sunday School Workers—A Shark's Head—Happy Social Gathering—The News About Town.

### The Republican Convention.

The republican county convention met in the temple hall yesterday, John M. Matthews, chairman of the committee, calling to order, and reading the call.

T. P. Treynor, was selected as temporary chairman, and for temporary secretary, H. T. Thomas, of Macedonia.

On motion of J. M. Matthews a committee on credentials was appointed, consisting of B. F. Clayton, of Macedonia, J. B. Mattock, of Crescent; J. A. Haker, of Avon; W. F. Sapp, jr. of Kane; J. K. Annis, of Washington.

As a committee on permanent organization the following were appointed: W. J. Trotter, of Knox; R. Campbell, of Keg Creek; A. T. Flickinger, of Kane; F. W. Williams, of Kane, and H. S. Smith, of Hardin.

While the convention raised a cry for Major Lyman, who responded to the unexpected call, briefly. He thanked the republicans for the manner in which his nomination had been given by acclamation, and without opposition. He deemed it an indication or the endorsement of his course in congress He was thankful, also, for the support thus far given in this campaign. He thought that the great need was to get out the republican vote. If that duty was performed there was no question as to the result in this county. At the last election there were enough republicans who stayed at home to have made a sweeping majority. He urged every republican to see that every vote in his township was cast on the coming election day, and then there could be no doubt as to the result.

The committee on credentials reported all the townships represented except Rockford, Silver Creek, Wright and Wareland. The following was the list of delegates:

KANE—FIRST WARD.
Henry DeLong, Joseph Plumer, M. I. Sears, F. M. Williams, W. McFadden.

SECOND WARD.
J. M. Matthews, C. S. Hubbard, A. S. Hazelton, John Fox, C. M. Harl, Ed Mott, J. A. Spaulding.

THIRD WARD.
George F. Smith, John Lindt, W. F. Sapp, jr., E. Rosecrans, W. E Haverstock, D. B. Clark.

FOURTH WARD.
F. H. Hill, A. T. Flickinger, I. N. Treynor, George R. Hunt, J. W. Kilgore, D. E. Gleason, A. J. Brown, C. D. Arnold, Belknap—William Lyman, L. B. Robinson, C. H. Converse, Henry Cooper.

Knox—W. H. Van Brunt, J. A. Hake, C. H. Morton, W. J. Trotter, C. I. Swartfager.

Neola—O. J. Smith, B. E. Clark Charles Brisbin.

Hazel Dell—A. W. Johnson, S. S. Works.

Boomer—L. S. Axtell, Thomas Page.

Crescent—R. C. Menery, J. B. Matlock.

Norwalk—Henry Cook, J. Carlisle.

Garner—A. F. Clatterbuck, M. Gullop, J. Y. Cadwalder.

York—W. A. Pruitt, B. Erchenbuger.

Lewis—T. P. Treynor, W. H. Shea.

Layton—W. I. Longnecker, W. S. Packard, H. V. Beatty, W. C. Black.

James—W. M. Maxwell, James Adams, A. W. Halladay.

Center—George Gage, J. Buffington, Charles Robinson.

Valley—W. S. Williams, H. Vieth, W. C. Baxter, B. F. Stevenson.

Lincoln—G. H. Thorley, H. B. Jock.

Grove—A. W. Price, Thomas Street, Alex Osler, C. H. Coy.

Macedonia—B. F. Clayton, J. C. Bradley, H. C. Thomas.

Carson—G. D. Eustace, R. F. Jones, H. Lowe, C. D. Taylor.

Hardin—H. A. Smith, B. R. Chambers.

Minden—P. Ehlers, I. Thomas.

Keg Creek—L. H. Forbes, R. Campbell.

Pleasant—S. B. Frum, H. C. Burgman.

Washington—J. K. Annis, G. G. Lambert.

A. L. Hazleton, of this city, suggested that as all the delegation were not full they should be empowered to cast the full vote. His motion to that effect was carried.

The further suggestion was made that as the delegates were not all "full" an adjournment should be taken to give them an opportunity to get so. A motion was passed taking a noon recess until 1:30 o'clock.

On reassembling Mr. Frank McElrath was admitted as a delegate from Silver Creek, and Henry Goss to represent Rockford.

The convention then proceeded to make nominations.

For county clerk, B. F. Clayton presented the name of Elmer E. Smith of Macedonia. Layton township presented the name of W. L. Packard. C. S. Hubbard named J. M. Matthews of this city.

J. B. Mattock moved to vote by townships and wards, the first ballot to be informal.

The informal ballot resulted: Matthews 56, Smith 20, Packard 14.

Mr. Clayton moved that the informal ballot be considered formal, and that Mr. Matthews be declared the nominee. Carried.

Mr. Kilgore moved that H. J. Chambers be renominated by acclamation. Carried unanimously and enthusiastically. Calls for Mr. Chambers caused him to respond briefly, heartily thanking the convention and repledging fidelity to the party.

The nomination of county attorney came next. Colonel D. B. Daily and Mr. Jacob Sims were named. Frank Shinn was named by Carson delegates. Macedonia seconded it. An informal ballot resulted: Daily 37, Sims 36, Shinn 19.

A delegate stated that Mr. Shinn's name being presented without his knowledge or consent he withdrew the name. The formal ballot resulted in the nomination of Colonel Daily, who received 52 votes, while Sims received 38. On motion of Mr. Trotter the nomination of Colonel Daily was made unanimous.

The position of coroner was then filled. C. S. Hubbard named H. H. Field. The nomination was made by acclamation and unanimously.

The duty of nominating two men for county supervisors came next. W. M. Maxwell, of James; Peter Peterson, of Boomer; S. B. Frum, of Knox; J. P. Bolden, of Hazel Dell; J. B. Matlock, of Crescent; E. P. Brown, of Neola; C. B. Waite, of Kane, were named.

The informal ballot resulted: Waite 55½, Frum 01, Peterson 28½, Brown 20 Maxwell 19½, Matlock 5, Bolden 3.

The formal ballot resulted: Waite 65, Frum 41, Peterson 40, Maxwell 18, Brown 16.

Mr. Waite's nomination was made unanimous.

The name of E. P. Brown was withdrawn, also the name of Mr. Maxwell.

The formal ballot resulted: Frum 50, Peterson 40.

The nomination of Mr. Frum was made unanimous.

Mr. Spencer Smith came to the front voluntarily, and made an earnest appeal for all republicans to turn out and vote. He insisted that the county was republican, if the republicans would only turn out and vote. He showed figures to the effect that while at the last election there were only 200 democrats who failed to vote, over one thousand republicans stayed at home. The republicans had not done right by the men they had nominated last fall. He urged them this fall to be loyal.

The convention then adjourned.

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### The Sunday Schools.

The move started some months ago for the organizing of a Sunday school assembly to be held here yearly is not stopped, although there has been little said about it publicly of late. Those interested in getting the plans arranged have been holding some meetings lately, and have decided to incorporate and proceed with the scheme. A committee is at work securing subscribers to the stock and there seems no reason why the plan should not work as successfully here as in other large cities. The peculiar advantage of this great railway center makes this a point where such an assembly would draw yearly thousands of of people from all parts of the west. If it can be put into successful operation it will prove a wonderful help to the city, morally, intellectually and financially. It is to be hoped that each citizen will take a practical interest in helping along the plan, and with a little help from each the success will be assured.

Another matter which is interesting the Sunday school workers and church people is the convention of the schools of this county, to be held next week. The officers of the association are: President, Rev. G. W. Crofts; secretary, Dr. P. J. Montgomery; committee—Harry Curtis, Mrs. P. J. Montgomery, Mrs. C. R. Allen, Mrs. P. C. De Vol; Don A. Judd, M. E. Irons, Mrs. M. A. Gaylord, Mrs. Morgan. Jos. Wells will serve as leader of song, and Miss Winnie Crofts as organist. The convention is to be held in the First Baptist church, commencing Thursday of next week, in the afternoon, and closing Friday afternoon. Among the speakers will be J. T. Love, Rev. Mr. Bates, Dr. Cooley, Dr. McCreary, Rev. Mr. Reichenbach, Dr. Montgomery, John H. Funk, state secretary, Rev. Elliot Carson, Mrs. H. M. Stevens, E. B. Stevenson, of Cedar Rapids, Sunday school missionary, and Mrs. Dr. Montgomery. The programme includes a number of practical and interesting topics, and the convention promises to be largely attended.

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### Home Again.

Mr. Mansel Wicks has returned from an extended eastern trip, visiting the scenes of his childhood and early manhood. During his visit east he was at Nantucket and there met three of his old shipmates, men with whom he sailed many years ago and whom he had not seen for forty-six years. Among the mementoes of the trip brought back by him is a shark's jaw bone, perfect in every respect, showing the full set of teeth, and being indeed a curiosity in this part of the world. It is to be seen at the BEE office, and will probably be placed in the museum of the Bloomer school. Mr. Wicks had a delightful trip, and has many interesting details to narrate. He is warmly welcomed here, but will probably not remain long, his expectation being to go again to Texas this fall to resume railway building, in which he has been engaged for so many years.

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### Dr. Bellinger Vindicated.

Judge Aylesworth yesterday decided the case of Dr. Bellinger, which has been pending before him for some days. He gave the doctor a vindication by dismissing the charge, and the doctor now steps forth free from further connection with the disgraceful showing of family history growing out of Charlie Allen's prosecution of his brother-in-law, Brownold. The case is a peculiar one, Allen making serious charges against his sister's husband, and his sister in turn giving some very damaging testimony in regard to the character of the other sister. The disgrace brought upon the whole family by these criminations and recriminations is such that it seems strange that one of the family should be anxious to have the details ventilated so freely. Dr. Bellinger is to be congratulated on being cleared of all connection with the dirty affair.

Substantial abstracts of titles and real estate loans. J. W. & E. L. Squire. No. 101 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

### A Pleasing Social Event.

The most brilliant social event for the season occurred last night at the home o Mr. and Mrs. Wies. The party was given in honor of the debut of their daughter, Miss Ida Wies. There were present about fifty young peodle of this city as well as a number from abroad.

Everard and Eulalia, by Ed. Wright, for sale by Bushnell & Crockwell.

See that your books are made by Morehouse & Co., room 1, Everett block.

## THE MAGICIAN'S TOOLS.

### A Glance at a Prestidigitateur's Chamber.

St. James's Gazette: Every trade has its tools, and that of the magician and caller-up of spirits needed several. All were exceedingly simple in themselves, but the conditions which hedged around their preparation or manufacture were so precise and onerous that only the adept thoroughly versed in the shibboleths of his art could hope to provide himself with really efficient and trustworthy implements. It was not enough that he should watch and pray. It was necessary for him to follow the instructions laid down in the books with the most scrupulous fidelity, since the slightest deviation would nullify his spells and perhaps cause them to recoil upon himself. It was, indeed, tempting Providence to fail in aught that was essential to the successful accomplishment of magical works. For although the magicians had dealings mainly with "devils and evil men," they never tired of convincing themselves and endeavoring to convince others that they were engaged in furthering heavenly designs. This belief, whether sincere or not, is the explanation of the grotesquely blasphemous prayers with which the literature of the occult abounds. Whether it was a client's fortune that was to be made in a night by the discovery of a hidden treasure or an enemy who was to be ruined, maimed, or put out of existence amid intolerable tortures, the blessing of God was asked all the same. Mysticism of all kinds has invariably flourished better under a mask of religion than when presented as mysticism pure and simple; and the more gross material forms of the occult would probably have obtained no following whatever had it not been pretended that they were permitted by the church and pleasing to heaven.

There were three instruments without which no magician's chamber was completely furnished. All were small and easily portable; and herein the ordinary maker of spells, the lowest and least considerable person in the magical hierarchy, possessed a distinct advantage over his friends the alchemists and the astrologer. The one needed retorts and crucibles, a fire and bellows to blow it withal; long ranges of bottles and jars full of powerful compounds; the other must needs have charts of the heavens, mathematical instruments, and great store of papers, observations, and horoscopes. The magician needs only the "white knife," the fearsome wand, and the magic mirror of steel or crystal. Other instruments he might have if he chose. He might have the "black knife," the sword with a round guard and a little cross at the extremity of the hilt, the stiletto, the sickle, or the small lance. But the three that have been mentioned were alone absolutely essential. The knife (with which the magic wand had to be fashioned) was, above all to be new and absolutely unused. The blade was of the finest steel and the handle of ivory. An ordinary knife with an ivory haft would not do. The weapon destined for these mysterious uses had to be specially made on the day of Mercury (Wednesday), when the moon was at the full, between midnight and three in the morning; and while the smith was at his work three low masses were to be said "for the intention" of the magician. When the blade had been fitted into the handle the ivory was inscribed with hieroglyphics with a specially prepared burin and exorcised cinnabar.

The wand was of three forms, according to the purpose for which it was to be used. It might be either round, like a ruler; sharp at one end, like the pointed sticks used by gardeners, but thicker; or a forked twig. The latter form was by far the holiest and best esteemed. The twig was always of hazel, very similar, it would seem, to those used for the discovery of water. It must have often been difficult to find one which fulfilled the inexorable conditions laid down by the early law-givers in matters occult. The night before the wand was required the magician went to the fields in search of a hazel twig which had never budded, forked at the end, and exactly nineteen and a half inches in length from the tip of the longer fork to the junction with the parent stem. When he had found it he carefully marked the spot, and returned the next morning, shortly before sunrise, to cut it. The psychological moment was when the sun first peeped above the horizon, and all virtue departed from the twig if it were not cut upon the instant. The leaves and small branches were then stripped off with the ivory-handled knife. While this was being done certain "grand and terrible words" were pronounced in the form of a prayer that the wand might be endowed with the strength and virtue of the wands of Jacob, Moses and Joshua. It was essential that while the leaves were being stripped and the prayer uttered the face should be turned toward the rising sun. But the twig was as yet by no means complete. The practitioner had now to seek a piece of wood, which he cut to exactly the same thickness as the two forked ends and leaving the twigs carefully at home, he took the piece of wood and knife to a smith, who worked up the fine steel blade into two ferrules, one for each tip. It should be said that the mystic properties of the knife had been increased by using it to cut the throat of a kid a day or two before the finding of the twig which had to be severed from the blade was still stained with the blood of the "sacrifice." Taking home the two steel ferrules, for which the small piece of wood had served as a pattern, the adept himself fixed them to the two forks of the twig, and then magnetized them with warm loadstone, to the end that the wand might attract to itself metalliferous treasures of all kinds. The veritable verge foundroyante, as the old French cabalistic writers termed it, was then ready for action.

The preparation and sanctifying of a magic mirror was a much longer but less complicated process. It occupied forty-eight days between the advent of a new moon and the full of the following one. A piece of steel was polished until it shone like a mirror, and the sacred names "Jehovah, Eloim, Mitraton, Adonai" were written at the four corners of the face with the blood of a white dove. Then the steel was wrapped in a piece of fine linen and put carefully away until there was a new moon. The moment the sun had set on the given night the mirror-maker went to the window, and, regarding the moon and firmament devoutly, he uttered an appropriate Latin prayer. All this time a fire of laurel-wood had been burning in the room. The prayer ended, the piece of steel was held three successive times over the smoke, an invocation being repeated each time. The mirror was then breathed upon and a terrible adjuration addressed to Anael the angel by whose agency it is sometimes given to man to see into futurity. The ceremony was concluded by another prayer, followed by making the sign of the cross over the person of the magician and over the mirror. It was desirable to repeat the crossing of the mirror from time to time during the succeeding forty-eight days, and at the end of the sacramental seven weeks Anael appeared in the semblance of a lovely child. If the "intention" of the operator were more sacred, or his devotion greater than ordinary, Anael sometimes appeared at the end of a fortnight. The angel saluted the owner of the mirror, whom he commanded his companions to obey. The adept was then at liberty to see what he wished of the future lives of his clients and of events destined to convulse the world. After the first occasion a very short invocation sufficed to insure the presence of Anael, without which the mirror remained a mere blank piece of polished steel. Who can ever forget the powerful scene in "La Comtesse de Charny," where Cagliostro permits Marie Antoinette to see the events of her future life in a magic mirror such as that just described? Those there are still who declare that Joseph Balsamo was no impostor, and, if the truth is in them, the poor lady must have had good warrant for swooning when she glanced into the fatal sphere of steel.


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ASSETS.

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| Amount of bills, bonds and other evidences of debts discounted or purchased and actually owned by the bank | | $369,868 10 |
| The condition of the foregoing is particularly specified as follows: | | |
| Good $369,868 10 | | |
| In suit or judgment 1,284 65 | | |
| Past due 1,536 10 | | |
| Gold and silver coin and bullion | $ 26,719 07 | |
| Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidiary coin | 7,606 00 | |
| Drafts on solvent banks on hand and cash items | 492 93 | 34,818 00 |
| At New York | $ 61,627 49 | |
| At Boston | 3,421 20 | |
| At Chicago | 20,293 00 | |
| At St. Louis | 12,227 32 | |
| At Omaha | 23,633 12 | |
| At Des Moines | 8,642 45 | |
| At Sioux City | 11,760 27 | |
| Other banks | 3,948 34 | |
| | | 154,653 19 |
| Overdrafts | | 267 23 |
| The value of personal property | | 5,000 00 |
| Total assets | | $564,606 52 |

LIABILITIES.

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| The amount of capital stock actually paid up in cash | | $150,000 00 |
| Amount sight deposits | $209,282 38 | |
| Amount time deposits | 130,262 97 | |
| | | 339,545 35 |
| Indebtedness to banks as deposits | | 71,434 78 |
| Profits on hand | | 3,621 39 |
| Total liabilities | | $564,606 52 |

Amount of all liabilities to the bank on the part of the directors $23,382.04, of which $19,932.04 is only a contingent liability.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. D. Edmundson and Charles R. Hannan this 5th day of October, A. D. 1886.

(SEAL) ERNEST E. HART, Notary Public.

Examined by me this October 5, 1886, and found as shown by the above statement.

S. F. STEWART, State Bank Examiner.

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