

THE SUNDAY BEE.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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MINOR MENTION.

Election day to-morrow.

New York Plumbing Co.

New fall goods at Reiter's.

Cooper & McGee sell hardware.

Buy Seal brand oysters, the best.

Cheap railroad tickets at Bushnell's.

Officers Stevens and Tamisera yesterday

went on duty.

S. Swanson will today move into his

new home on Glen avenue.

Every group of men on the corners yester-

day were talking politics.

The Rock Island sent east Saturday

night thirty-five cars of stock.

Lester & Allen's minstrels will show at the

opera house next Saturday.

The regular monthly meeting of the

city council will be held to-night.

The Arion bell ringers yesterday

stopped at the Pacific house while en-

route east.

Dominick Sierlock was boisterous and

drunk last night near the Colorado hotel

and was jailed.

Beginning with to-night the night

police force will now go on duty at 7

o'clock instead of 8 as heretofore.

A drunken colored vag named Wallace

was last night arrested for posing around

the parlor door of Neumann's hotel.

The Woman's Christian association

will have a meeting this afternoon at

8 o'clock in the Ogden house, room 8.

Mrs. Turk, who was on Saturday taken

to the county jail, she being insane, will

be examined by the commissioners to-day.

The Milwaukee will sell tickets to

Astoria at one and one-third fare on No-

vember 3, to persons desirous of attend-

ing the sale of lots at Manila.

A special car of the Central Pacific

yesterday went east over the Chicago,

Rock Island & Pacific road. In the car

were the California millionaire, Flood,

and his family bound for the East.

A man yesterday applied to the chief

of police for an officer to go to Kansas

City to hunt up his wife who had skipped

away with another man and \$200 of his

money. The chief has not enough men

for city duty without sending any away

on such a hunt.

Beginning with to-day, tickets for the

ferry cars between this city and Omaha

will be on sale in the ticket office, and

those entering the cars will be required

to hand their tickets to the conductor.

The former custom of allowing the pas-

sengers to pay in the cars being done

away with.

The Rev. Mr. Buckner says that there

is a colored man going around town

named Charles Curtis, who is striking the

different candidates and claiming that

he carries the colored peoples votes in his

pockets; that this man Curtis cannot

carry any votes, his pocket having been

long since worn out.

One of the city pastors announced as

his evening topic, "One Trial of the Sin-

ner Better than Many." By a twist of the

types it was made to read "One Trial of

the Sinner Better than Many." Several

old bachelors rushed to hear the dis-

course, expecting to hear the clerical

orator preach against matrimony.

Personal Paragraphs.

M. Cohen, of Chicago, is at the Ogden.

W. Bates, of Marion, is at the Pacific.

N. Moore, of Delaware, is at the Pacific.

J. B. Hank, of Ida Grove, is at the

Bechtel.

A. F. Nixon, of Chicago, is stopping at

the Pacific.

Thomas Kavanagh, of Des Moines, is

at the Pacific.

A. W. Johnson, of Sandwich, Ill., is at

the Bechtel.

N. H. Adams, of Philadelphia, is an

Ogden guest.

M. H. Knowlton, of Des Moines, is a

Pacific house guest.

M. T. Moryington, of Chicago, is a

Pacific house guest.

A. W. Coston, of Cincinnati, spent

Sunday at the Bechtel.

J. N. Bishop and wife, of Dutton, Mo.,

are at the Ogden house.

R. W. Fisk and wife, formerly of Man-

ning, are at the Ogden house.

M. Murray, of Little Sioux, came in

last night and is at the Pacific.

George W. Gunnison and F. A. Jones,

of Sidney, are stopping at the Ogden.

W. H. Taylor, of the Marcellus Manu-

facturing company, is in off the road.

The daughter of J. N. Brown, who has

been sick with diphtheria, is recovering.

C. J. Beckman leaves to-day for the

east end of the county to introduce his

patent fence lock.

Mrs. J. C. Bixby, who has been very ill,

is improving rapidly, and is considered

as being wholly out of danger now.

Harry Inman, who has been confined to

his home for the past week by illness,

went yesterday for a short time.

F. M. Gault, general agent of the

Council Bluffs & St. Louis road, returned

yesterday afternoon from St. Louis.

Al Slocum, manager, and E. E. Wade,

agent of the Laramie road, returned

in last night from Des Moines and

are at the Ogden.

Miss Anna Clark, daughter of Mrs.

Bradbury of the Essex house, has gone to

London, England, to the consumptive's

hospital for treatment.

Dan Farrell, the well known sheriff of

Mills county and chairman of the demo-

cratic congressional committee of this

district, came to town last night to confer

with the democratic wire pullers and is

at the Bechtel hotel.

Charles F. Cook and wife, of St. Louis,

are at the Ogden house, having become

Society City attending the funeral of the

mother of Mr. Cook. They will leave

this afternoon for their home.

Prof. De Normandi, a young man who

recently came to Omaha from the east,

presided over the organ in the First Con-

gregational church yesterday. He is an

organist of rare skill and evident culture,

and his playing attracted much attention

and excited much praise.

Rev. G. W. Crofts, pastor of the Con-

gregational church of this city, leaves to-

day for a few days to visit to Illinois

friends. He will go to Oregon, Ill., his

old home, where as a boy he learned the

printer's trade, and will there on Wed-

nesday, officiate at a wedding of promi-

nent parties. He will also call upon his

Savannah friends before his return, but

expects to reach home in time to fill his

pulpit here on Sunday next as usual.

Attention, U. V. L.

A special meeting of the Union Veteran

League will be held this evening in the

G. A. R. hall for the purpose of electing

delegates to attend the national conven-

tion at Pittsburg on Nov. 12. By order of

John Fox, Commander.

H. C. WARREN, Adjutant.

Order your coal and wood from the

Council Bluffs Fuel company before

another advance in prices. No. 539

Broadway. Telephone No. 136.

E. H. Sheafe & Co. loan money on

chattel security of every description, of

No. 500 Broadway, upstairs.

THE DAY BEFORE THE BATTLE

The Preparations Being Completed for To-morrow's Election.

THE TRAVELLING MEN BARRED.

October's Fire Record a Blank, Closing with a False Tap—The Neola Knights Again Heard From—Personal Points.

Preparing for Election.

The voters in Council Bluffs are a

little more familiar with the new registry

law than are the voters of most Iowa

cities, for here a special election has

already been held under it, yet there are

many who are not familiar with all its

provisions. Under the new law no

one can vote who has not already regis-

tered. There can be no "swearing in" of

those who neglected to register before

election.

A voter who has been registered may,

however, be challenged, in which case he

is obliged to take the oath and be ex-

amined, as under the old law.

One of the most important sections is

the following:

That during the meeting and counting of

the ballots in any voting precincts of such

cities, it shall be unlawful for persons to

congregate or loiter within one hundred feet

of the voting place, or to hinder or delay in

any manner any elector in reaching, or leaving

the place fixed for casting his ballot. It shall

be unlawful for any person to give, or to

display any ballot which he intends to cast, so

as to reveal its contents, or to solicit the vote

of any elector, or attempt in any way to

influence him in the matter of casting his

vote.

The law allows representatives of each

party, not exceeding three, to be present

at the election for the purpose of chal-

lenging votes and witnessing the counting of

ballots.

At the election here each voter can cast

two ballots, one on the regular election,

the other on the special election on the

question of voting aid to the new bridge

project. Two separate ballot boxes will

be at each polling place, and separate

poll books will be kept.

The following are the polling places,

clerks and judges:

First Ward—First precinct at No. 8

Stutsman street, near the corner of

Broadway, B. F. Evans, Jr., clerk; J. W. Williams

and Alice Glenn, judges; E. A. Wickham

and E. J. Abbott, clerks.

First Ward—Second precinct at Swan's

packing house, Upper Broadway. H.

Shoenaker, A. T. Bryant and A. H. Heis-

ler, judges; M. I. Sears and John Booth,

clerks.

Second Ward—First precinct at Dola-

ney's old opera house. John Kettering,

John Fox and R. Huntington, Jr., judges;

E. J. Whittier and George Barker,

clerks.

Second Ward—Second precinct at No.

830 Broadway, corner of Ninth street.

R. Phillips, G. L. Jacobs and David Jer-

man, judges; Ira Bengel, clerk.

Third Ward—First precinct at No. 27

Banner street, Hattenauer's carriage

factory. George Blaxinn, E. Rosenauer

and E. Britton, judges; Charles H. Gil-

more and J. H. Calhoun, clerks.

Third Ward—Second precinct at the

corner of Main street and Tenth avenue.

J. Sullivan, William Arnd and Pat. Gan-

nough, judges; J. C. Medlar and T. D.

Gayle, clerks.

Fourth Ward—First precinct at No. 508

First avenue. Henry Paschel, F. A. Con-

over and W. L. Hughes, judges; E. L.

Smith and George Hughes, clerks.

Fourth Ward—Second precinct at D.

Bradley & Co.'s warehouse. T. L. Smith,

M. De Gront and Mich. Coughler, judges;

D. L. Bates and R. Smith, clerks.

Fourth Ward—Third precinct at Bro-

ckner's hotel. A. J. Kahle, John S. Kinkle

and Mich. Boyle, judges; George T. Lacy

and J. G. Coggeshall, clerks.

One Fire Tap In October.

The fire alarm bell sounded yesterday

afternoon a minute or two before 2

o'clock. The alarm came in from the

herd barn, by the district telegraph,

but by some mistake word was tele-

phoned from the central office of that

company to the fire department, that

there was a blaze at Mrs. Robinson's

boarding house. The mistake was soon

discovered and a messenger boy sent

flying to the engine house, but the de-

partment was just rushing out and no

attention was paid to the boy, the fire

men hurrying to Mrs. Robinson's, only

to find no fire. In the meantime it was

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barn, turned in a police call, or intended

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