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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. New spring goods at Reller's, tailor.

Additional Council Bluffs news on the seventh page.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s July books are out and being delivered.

There will be a meeting in the Tabernacle this evening. Everyone is invited.

Allen & Rapp have rented a portion of the J. J. Brown building, first floor, and will fit up a first-class restaurant.

The Bee job rooms in Council Bluffs yesterday received another large new press, the increasing business necessitating increased facilities.

Some unknown nipped a gold watch from Goldstein's pawn shop on Broadway.

The sneak act was very slyly done and no clue seems to show up.

The city council is to meet Friday night for the allowance of bills, so that the employes of the city may get their pay in time to celebrate the fourth.

John Short is complaining bitterly that some one is tearing to pieces and carrying off a vacant house near the transfer belonging to him.

The colored man Smith, charged with trying to carve a dancing party with a razor, was to have had a hearing before Judge Aylesworth yesterday, but the case was continued until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Laura Maleco, a woman of the town, and John Morris who claims to have worked in Fowler's packing house, came over from Omaha last evening under the influence of liquor, and were placed in the city jail.

A farmer's team, standing on Main street, near First avenue yesterday, became frightened at a circus band, and broke into a run.

The frightened horses dashed right into Hayless park, and came to a stop against the iron railing, the wagon being smashed, and one of the horses having one of his legs cut.

The Ogden house has to be reopened next week. The rooms alone will be used at present, and those occupying rooms can secure their meals out.

The opening of the hotel will prove an accommodation to many, as the city will be full of strangers during the coming week, while the celebration and the races are in progress.

With the sloping, sandy beach, fine hotel, boat club houses, convenient bathing accommodations, rapid transit to and from the city, steamers, and those occupying rooms supplied the need, and those in search of recreation and pleasure need not go to away from home.

The next improvement needed there is electric lights to guide the late rower to a safe landing. It will come.

Remnant sale this week at Harkness Brothers.

Latest improved gasoline stoves at N 504 Main street. W. A. Wood.

The Press Association. The meeting of the Press association was held here yesterday, and quite an elaborate programme was arranged.

It was expected that there would be forty or fifty members present. Arrangements were made by the citizens to have carriages furnished the visitors for a drive about the city.

The Fifth regiment band had planned on serenading them in the evening, and other details were provided for. The number of visitors was, however, small, there being hardly a half dozen.

Among those present were J. Fred Myers, of the Des Moines Review; A. L. Howard, of the Sidney Times-Union; C. K. Kennedy, of the Villisca Review; Ed Russell, of the Corning Free Press; A. H. Smith, of the Harrison County News, and C. C. Snyder, of the Red Oak Express.

These gentlemen were at the Pacific house, and held a meeting for the transaction of routine business and adjourned. They were driven about the city and made to enjoy themselves so far as possible in the limited time, for they left on the evening train for home.

It is hoped that the next time a meeting is arranged to take place here there will be a larger attendance. Council Bluffs gladly welcomes these gentlemen, and would like to have an opportunity of entertaining every editor in western Iowa.

Order your bathing suits at Harkness Brothers.

J. W. & E. L. Squire make beautiful abstracts of title and deserve the success they are enjoying.

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A Pastor Married. Last evening there was a wedding at Saints' church, which interests a large number of friends, and calls forth many congratulations and well wishes.

The bridegroom was Rev. J. F. McDowell, who has served so acceptably as the pastor of this church. The bride was Miss Lizzie Williams, an accomplished lady and a worthy mistress for the manse. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. H. Foresett, of Omaha.

Personal Paragraphs. Rev. Father Lennahan, of Denison, is the guest of Rev. B. P. McMemony.

Miss Flora Longmaid, in company with Miss May Clark, of Omaha, leave this evening for a month's visit to friends in Michigan.

Rev. Father Charles Ziegler, of St. Louis is in the city, having come to attend the commencement exercises at St. Francis academy last evening.

H. Ouren, of Livingston Springs, was in the city yesterday. His son, who was in the Kiel hotel under treatment, is now at home. There seems little change in his condition, though hope is fed upon the fact that he is no worse and at times shows signs of improvement.

The lots in Lake View addition are all large, high and dry. The buyers of these lots at the auction sale on Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., will double their money in a short time. They command a beautiful view of Lake Manawa.

Other agents may talk as hard as they please about the Hartman piano. It got away with them for all that. The Mueller Music company sell always only the best.

At cost! We will sell refrigerators for the next thirty days to make room for fall goods. Cole & Cole, 41 Main street.

The best summer corset at Harkness Brothers.

CONFERRING THE HONORS.

The Graduating Exercises of St. Francis Academy Last Evening.

THE GAS BURNING TOO HIGH

Iowa Editors in the Bluffs—A Cold Water Injunction—Installation of the New Presbyterian Pastor—Personal.

St. Francis Academy. The exercises of the sixteenth annual commencement of St. Francis academy were held last evening. The programme was lengthy, but it presented an interesting showing of the result of the educational processes of the academy upon the girls and misses of all ages.

The musical features of the programme were especially fine. The sisters gave excellent instructions in this art, and the pupils show proficiency.

The graduating class consisted of five young ladies, and they acquitted themselves well. Miss Sophie Gerner gave a well-written essay on "Veritas." Later in the programme she gave a recitation, "The Rhyme of the Duchess May." She has more than ordinary elocutionary ability, and her selection was very pleasingly rendered.

Miss Anna Blanchard's graduating essay was on "The Scroll of Life." It was a thoughtful, gracefully worded one and well presented.

Miss Katie Connors gave a very poetical, yet practical sermon in her essay on "Wear Your Velvet Within."

The rest of the programme consisted of instrumental and vocal selections, recitations and operettas.

The audience was very large and all seemed delighted. At the close the honors, graduating medals, etc., were conferred. The following were those who won these honors:

Highest honors graduating medals conferred on Miss Katie Morris, Miss Sophie Gerner, Miss Anna Blanchard, Miss Katie Connors.

White Rose for amiable and polite deportment, awarded by vote of the board to Miss Mary Coleman.

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Deserving of honorable mention for improvement in lady-like deportment, Miss Alice McGrath, Miss Maud Young, Miss Annie Murphy.

For general good deportment and excellence in studies: Miss Hattie Hegg, Miss Mary Coleman, Miss Mary Murray, Miss Maude Davis, Miss Aggie Murray, Miss Lizzie Tholl, Miss Aggie Cook, Miss Ethel Bellati, Miss Magdalen O'Donnell, Miss Tessie Coyne, Miss Nettie McAtee, Miss Angie Wickham, Miss Mary Mumr, Miss May Wilson, Miss Cora Bailey, Miss Mary Henkle, Miss Kittie Dunne, Miss Jennie Keating, Miss Nellie Lacy, Miss Mary Hosman, Miss Jessie Lacy, Miss Jennie Henry, Miss Nellie Moore, Miss Annie Kilmartin, Miss Alice Drees.

For amiability, application and attendance: Miss Mary O'Neill, Miss Minnie Bunting, Miss Mollie Lacy, Miss Cecilia Hughes, Miss Annie Nugent, Miss Kate Mountain, Miss Mamie Madden, Miss Lena Tholl, Miss Louise Herman, Miss Florence Murdock, Miss Minnie French, Miss Nellie Jones, Miss Emma Schneider, Miss Clara Connors.

For politeness and neatness: Miss Lillie Hillias, Miss Ella Coughlin, Miss Maggie Gibbons, Miss May Rolston, Miss Katie Judge, Miss Maggie O'Connor, Miss Anna McCarthy, Miss Josie Perigo, Miss Mabel Love, Miss Daisy Young, Miss Ida Kane, Miss Grace Waggoner.

A Cold Water Injunction. J. J. Shea is having trouble with the water works company. The company claimed that they were water rent due and Mr. Shea claimed that the amount due, if any, was due from the owner of the house, Mr. Wheeler, and not from him. He was willing to pay from the time that he agreed to take water but don't believe in back pay which ought to be collected of another. While this difference was still unadjusted the company went to the place and shut off the water. Mr. Shea got a plumber to turn it on again. Then he went before Judge Aylesworth and got an injunction restraining the water works company from interfering or from turning the water off from the house. The water works company filed a motion to have the injunction dissolved. Before this matter was heard the water works company, as is claimed, went to the house, and despite the injunction took up the box, where the water is turned off and and took it out, thus cutting off the supply. Then Mr. Shea caused a warrant to be issued for Harry Birkin-

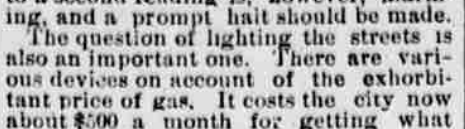
ing, the engineer of the company, and H. P. Warren, the bookkeeper, for them to appear and show cause why they should not be fined for contempt of court. These two gentlemen appeared before Judge Aylesworth yesterday afternoon, and gave security for their appearance on Friday morning, when the case will probably be heard. There may be some interesting decisions grow out of this case, and water consumers will watch the outcome. It is certainly refreshing to note that the injunction cases, which have been heretofore against whiskey, are now involving cold water.

It is getting to be a serious state of affairs when a thirsty soul cannot get either strong or mild drinks, whisky or water, without having the liquid filtered through an injunction.

No Light Matter. The action of the city council in passing the gas ordinance to a second reading has called forth much indignation. The assurance has been privately and informally given that this obnoxious ordinance would not receive any further attention. It now seems that the ordinance is one notch nearer the top, and is in a much better condition for having sneaked through in some form. The gas company is managed by shrewd men, who are naturally and to a certain extent justifiably looking after their own interests.

Any proposition to renew the charter should be looked upon with suspicion and handled with care, but when that proposition embodies the condition of this city paying twice as much for gas as is paid by other cities, it should have been dropped into the basket. This city has for years been paying enormous prices for gas, and the company has had a monopoly. The price of gas has of late been nearly three times what other cities have been paying, and now it is claimed that if a generous reduction is thrown off enough so that Council Bluffs will only have to pay about twice what other cities pay. The price of gas has been \$1.00 a thousand for years, while in smaller cities a better quality has been given for less than \$3.00. There has been little agitation on the question, because the citizens were so confident that the ordinance for a renewal of the charter would not be given even a second reading. This having been done it is time that the citizens should be aroused, and express their minds freely. Good gas at a cheap price is what is demanded. The present company has had a chance for several years to meet this demand, and not having done so it seems that the city council should be in no haste to renew the monopoly. There has been, and is now much faith in the wisdom and caution of the council, and the people look

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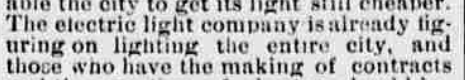
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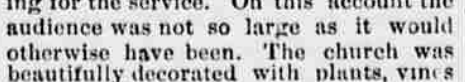


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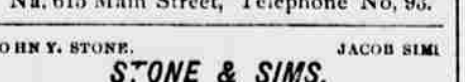


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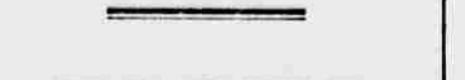
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