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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Reiter, tailor. Fall goods cheap.

The pork packing houses will open shortly.

Excavations will begin to-day for the new patrol house foundation.

Fritz Meyer has opened a restaurant in the old Rapp & Allen building on Main street.

The county court house was heated by steam yesterday for the first time this season.

Ladies, see combined writing desk and sewing machine. Domestic office, 105 Main street.

George Herbert, city marshal of Atlantic, has signified his intention of resigning next week.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ingoldby occurs at the Catholic church at 10 o'clock this morning.

Frank L. Lowery and Rosa Riche, also John Gottsch and Maggie Langmack, all of this city, were yesterday given permit to wed.

W. H. Breck, generally called "Tex" by his intimates, opens a restaurant to-day on Broadway, corner of Ninth street, opposite the dummy depot.

William Fitzgerald, formerly of Sullivan & Fitzgerald, the grocer, has opened the south store under the Creston house and will open a first class grocery.

The Dodge Light Guards on next Wednesday go to Sioux City to see the corn palace. There will be some thirty-five or forty there.

A. J. Greenmayer, the cattle man, yesterday sold to John F. Kessler, of Nebraska, 500 head of stock cattle. This is the sixth batch of 500 head sold this season by Greenmayer.

The resignation of Captain Messemmer, of the Dodge Light Guards, has not yet been acted upon, and although he is now a resident of Omaha, is very apt to take charge of company A upon their trip to Sioux City next Wednesday.

Yesterday morning, at 5 o'clock, Miss Nora Norman passed away from this life, after a lingering illness, aged fourteen years, ten months, seventeen days. Funeral services at the parents' residence, No. 108 Tenth avenue, to-day at 2 o'clock p. m.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bartel Wershberg, No. 908 Sixth street, is today shrouded by a terrible affliction. Four months' anticipation had been busy with the future, and the home was already filled with childish laughter and the parents' heart made glad in the bestowal of heaven's best gifts. Alas, for human hopes. The mother presses to her breast the cold forms of her twin babes, whose eyes never opened upon earth and whose hearts never responded to her loving embrace. Death, where in the morning life should have been; tears, where smiles should rest. At 2 o'clock p. m. yesterday the little forms were laid to rest.

List your property with Cooper & Judson, No. 120 Main st.

Personal Paragraphs. E. L. Squire has gone to St. Louis.

Ex-Congressman Hopburn, of Clarinda, is attending United States court.

Mrs. William Groneweg is slowly recovering from her serious illness.

J. E. Goets, of Jefferson, Ia., was in this city yesterday on his way to San Diego, Cal.

O. Nelson, E. S. Warren and Dan McLaughlin were a trio from Glenwood yesterday, at Kiel's hotel.

E. C. Brock, one of the Nebraska missionaries of Peregrine & Moore, came in off the road yesterday after a short trip.

Rev. G. W. Crofts, the noted preacher of this city, at Sheldahl attending the meeting of the Congregational association.

W. W. Chapman has returned from an extended eastern business trip, during which time he purchased a large stock of goods for his business.

Chy W. Holmes and family, of Elmira, N. Y., leave for home to-day, after a four days' visit to Mr. Holmes' cousins, Mrs. Harle, Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Sheely.

Money to loan. Cooper & Judson.

Unhappy Couples. There were few assessments at the police court yesterday morning.

Jako Shoup contributed \$8.10 for his little indulgence and went on his way rejoicing.

Mary Scheye appeared and swore out a warrant charging her husband, Frederick Scheye, an elderly German, with assault and battery.

She said she put her out of the house and locked the door, refusing to let her have her clothes. When brought into court from his home on Third avenue he asked for an interpreter, and Mayor Groneweg being in the room his services were called into requisition.

After quite an extended argument between the two, Judge Aylesworth concluded that it was nothing worse than a family quarrel and discharged the defendant upon payment of costs, which amounted to \$4.00.

The young man Mary was advised to go home and get dinner for her lord and master, and be careful in the future that only one got mad at a time. The judge remarked that the next time she married a younger man might be more conducive to domestic felicity, and casually spoke of one or two things to be guarded against in her present relations.

One thousand head of one, two and three-year-old steers for sale. Will give credit to reliable parties. Enquire of A. J. Greenmayer, 623 Mynter st., tele. 21.

Visit the new jeweler, C. Voss, No. 415 Broadway, if you wish anything in his line. He has a fine assortment of the best goods.

J. W. and E. L. Squire lend money.

New Fire Hydrants. The committee of the council and the manager of the waterworks yesterday located three new fire hydrants—one on Graham avenue, 500 feet from the intersection of Graham avenue and First street; one on First street, 500 feet from the intersection of First street and Graham avenue, and one on Fifth avenue and Bluff street. The committee also located a hydrant at Sixth and Pacific avenues to be put in after the property owners made the necessary agreement with the waterworks company.

Dr. J. T. Van Ness, physician and surgeon, office room 8, Opera House block, will attend professional calls day or night. Residence corner Eighth avenue and Fifteenth street.

The bar fixtures and furniture of the St. Louis house will be sold at sheriff's sale, Monday, Oct. 2, at 9 o'clock a. m.

For Sale Cheap—Lots near the bridge to parties who will build at once. Address or call on J. R. Rice, No. 110 Main street, Council Bluffs.

Watches, clocks, jewelry, etc., the best in the city. C. S. Jeweler, No. 415 Broadway. Repairs a specialty.

BURIED BENEATH A BANK.

A Laborer the Victim of Another Fatal Landslide.

A SUCCESSFUL SYNDICATE.

Marriage of Edward Dowling—The Purchaser of the Silver City Stock Arrested—More Fire Hydrants—Personal.

Fatal Land Slide.

An accident occurred yesterday morning at the corner of Fifth and Glen avenues by which one life was lost and others momentarily jeopardized.

A man named Robert B. Martin was the victim of the disaster. Coroner Faul was immediately summoned and proceeded to empanel a jury.

The body was ordered removed to the undertaking rooms of Morgan, Keller & Co., the patrol wagon, which was early upon the scene, serving as a means of conveyance.

The facts regarding the sad affair may best be learned from the testimony of eye witnesses, which is here given as brought out at the inquest.

Jess Lifer, with two other men, was helping to load a wagon with dirt, when almost without warning the bank caved, and before he could get out was knocked under the horses and partially buried by the falling mass.

Helped excavate the body, which was about two and one-half feet under the surface, with the neck across the tire of the rear wagon wheel.

E. D. Gleason—Arrived just after the accident and assisted in excavating the body, which was buried to the depth of two or three feet, with neck across the tire. Didn't notice the bank previously.

The location was Fifth avenue, in the street.

Jess Lifer, Recalled—At the time of the accident, was working for John Kelley, who was a few rods away.

John Kelley—Was near by when the accident occurred. Am always very careful about the bank, and didn't think there was any danger. Do not know the deceased. Came to me about an hour previously wanting a job. Took him to take a shoveler and go to work. Considered him sober.

The jury then retired and shortly returned a verdict in accordance with the testimony.

Martin was a married man about thirty-five years of age and lived with his wife at 613 Tenth avenue. He had been a resident here since last April, coming here from Plattsmouth, and worked for some time at his trade, painting, for D. S. Breneman.

Attorney Ewing, of Iowa City, a brother-in-law of the deceased, was notified of the event, and was also Mr. E. M. Stewart, of Elm, Mich., the father of Mrs. Martin, who started last night for this city. The funeral will be postponed until his arrival.

No blame was attached to any one, but the need of increased vigilance and extra precautions on the part of those having such work in charge, is very evident to everyone.

A Successful Syndicate. The forty acres formerly known as the K. C. tract, and later put into the Omaha addition, has been owned by a syndicate, which, by its trustee, has sold off a goodly portion of it.

The unsold lots, together with the cash and notes, were divided up yesterday among the individual members now owning an interest. Those who were in at the finish were J. C. Shriver of Omaha, N. Merriam of Himebaugh & Merriam, Samuel Haas, H. W. Tilton and S. Saunders & Son. There has been a wonderful advance in the value of this property since the original syndicate was formed. Two years ago there was no activity in this property at all, with a market value of perhaps \$100 an acre, with no one wanting to buy.

The original syndicate bought it at \$300 an acre, and the newspapers of this city, with the exception of the Bee, were slow to believe that it was not a mere bit of wind. The investors were satisfied, and the property began at once to advance.

Some of the rapidly advancing owners sold out their interests at double what they paid, and others sold at \$500 an acre. It was platted, and lots have been selling rapidly from \$250 upwards.

Those who have bought lots have been fortunate also, for these lots are sure to double in a much shorter time than such a profit could be realized by ordinary investment. The closing division proved a satisfactory one to the syndicate, who have made a handsome return on their investment thus far.

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857; Pekin, 1,000,000; Nanking, 1,000,000.

The round numbers given as representing the three Chinese cities named have a very suspicious look, and perhaps they ought to be thrown out of the account entirely.

Certainly, Chinese or Japanese estimates or partial enumerations are not to be placed beside a properly taken census. A singular illustration of the folly of estimates was furnished by the case of Tokio, which was once believed to be the most populous city in the world, and to have 4,000,000 inhabitants.

When a census came to be taken the population of the city was found to be as stated above, and this number includes the suburbs. The population of the city proper was but 811,510. In the figures given for Vienna, the suburbs are also included.

As London is not a city, in the proper sense of the term, but an aggregation of municipalities, the population given is that of the metropolitan and city police districts which cover a very large area, about twenty square miles.

A similar area about New York would take in all of Kings county, half of Queens, Westchester, and Richmond counties, as well as Jersey City, Newark, and numerous smaller towns in New Jersey, with an aggregate population at the last census of at least 2,350,000, and, of course, a much larger population now.

Living Inhabitants of Caverns. October Scribner: The living inhabitants of caverns, those which make these regions of continuous darkness their abiding places, are numerous and of the greatest interest to the naturalist.

Of the several hundred species known to students, by far the greater part belong to the group of articulated animals, insects, and crustaceans, those being the forms which, of all animals, are the most varied in structure and best suited for the odd chances of life which the caverns afford.

As the reader well knows, the great problem now before science is to determine how far the shapes of living creatures are determined by the circumstances of the world about them, and how far this determination has been brought about through a process of selection, in a natural way, of those varieties which have some accidental special fitness for the conditions in which they live.

Cavern-animals afford us a capital bit of evidence toward the solution of this problem. The prevailing color of their forms with those which live in the upper world of sunshine and changing seasons shows, beyond a question, that they are all derived from similar forms which once dwelt in the ordinary conditions of animal life.

What, then, are the effects arising from the complete change in the circumstances of these underground creatures?

The facts are perplexing in their variety, and by no means easy to work out, but the following points seem to be well established, viz: There is a manifest tendency of all gaily colored forms to lose their hues in the caverns and to become of an even gray color.

Some of the most striking examples are seen in the case of the cave salamanders, and on it no conclusions can be based. The changes of the structural parts are of more importance; these, as might be expected, relate mainly to the organs of sense.

The eyes show an evident tendency in all the groups to fade away. In the characteristic cavern-fishes they have entirely disappeared, the whole structure which serves for vision being no longer produced. In the cray-fishes we may observe a certain gradation.

Some species which abound in caverns are provided with eyes; others have them present, but so imperfect that they cannot serve as visual organs; yet others want them altogether. One species of pseudo scorpion, as shown by Prof. Hagen, has in the outer world four eyes, while in the caves it has been found with two eyes, and others in an entirely eyeless condition.

Some cavern beetles have the males with eyes, while the females are quite without them. As a whole, the cavern-animals exhibit a singular tendency toward visual organs, not only to lose their functions, but also to disappear as body-parts. At the same time there is an equal, or even more general development of the antennae and other organs of touch; these parts become considerably lengthened, and apparently of greater sensitiveness, a change which is of manifest advantage to the individual.

Purity of Natural Gas. Z. L. White, in the American magazine for October: The natural gas burns absolutely without smoke, dust or odor. Beautifully decorated tiles used in the construction of a furnace, grate, or boiler, or soiled after a while, year, although they may have been in contact with the flames of burning gas for months.

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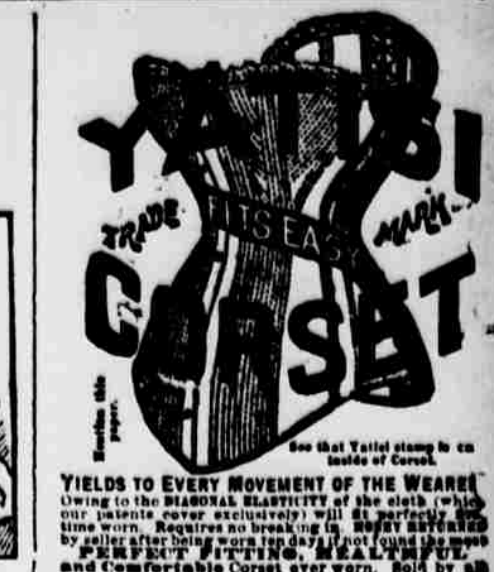
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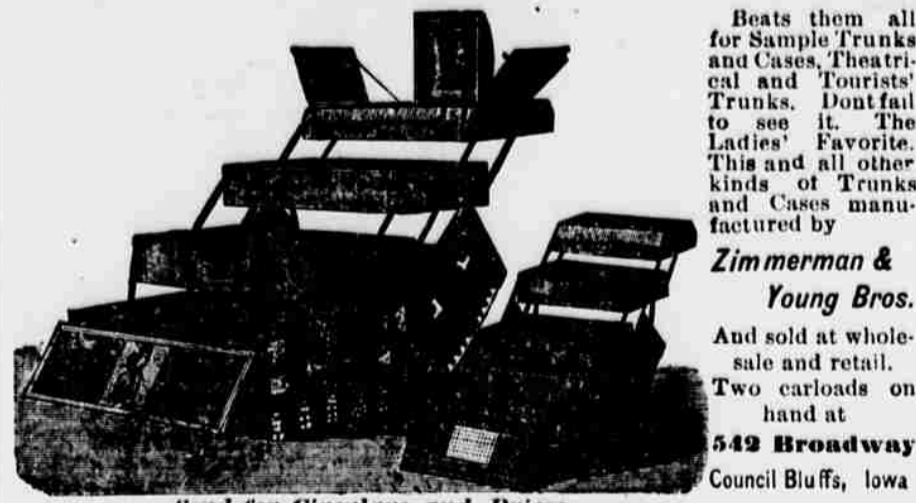
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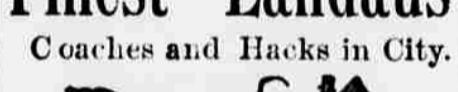
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