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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. New spring goods at Reiter's. Furnished rooms to rent, 325 Scott. Tickets for the coming P. E. O. art entertainment can be secured at Harkness Bros., or at Bushnell's.

J. Mueller has had an attractive and substantial fence put in front of his residence, using Beckman's patent locks.

The fence of the old city pound was torn down yesterday, and a new one will be built in the rear of the patrol house.

The excavation for the addition to Nemeyer's hotel was completed yesterday, and workmen commenced clearing down the east wall of the old building.

Special Communication Excelsior lodge, No. 259, A. F. and A. M. this (Friday) evening. Work on the second degree. Visiting brothers cordially invited. By order, W. M. M. J. J. J.

If any one supposed the fire department boys had become rusty from inaction, the record of yesterday should remove such supposition. Scolden a better run been made than that on the first call.

It has not been stated whether, in the improvements being made upon the Ogdon house, a fire escape will be added. If all means this most important factor in the protection of human life should be added.

The machinery for the new knitting factory is all in position, and everything is in readiness for a start as soon as the yarn arrives. This is expected daily, and it is now the intention to put the machines in operation the first of next week.

Last evening a goodly number of ladies and gentlemen had the pleasure of meeting Judge Deemer and wife at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Daily. The evening was passed very pleasantly, and the guests were most hospitably entertained.

The P. E. O. society has arranged a novel and pleasing entertainment of statutory and music, to be held at the opera house on the 19th. A large number of Rogers' best pieces and groups will be exhibited, affording a rare chance indeed, the proceeds are to go to the charitable fund.

The preparations being made for the grand May pole ball of the Independent hose team on May 1, indicate quite an elaborate affair. A beautiful wreath will be prepared to crown the finest appearing lady on the floor, as the time honored May queen. A number of ladies are already preparing their costumes for the occasion, in hopes of securing the prize. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the amateur running team, who enter the state races in June.

Warburton & Iwarsen, fashionable dress makers, No. 32 Pearl St. Sheafe loans money on real estate. S. B. Wadsworth & Co. loan money.

For all female diseases consult Drs. Moser & Van Ness, opera house block, rooms 4 and 5, Council Bluffs. Correspondence solicited.

Personal Paragraphs. H. H. McCloskey, a druggist of Glenwood, was in the city yesterday. Fred Meyers, a prominent Glenwood contractor, was a visitor in the city yesterday. Ballington Booth and wife are the guests of Rev. W. H. W. Rees while they are in the city.

Mr. Dooley, of the Ogdon house, returned yesterday from a trip to his old home in Illinois. Mr. Richard O'Brien returned yesterday from a visit to friends and relations in Rock Island. Senator Groneweg and Representative Lyman have returned from their legislative duties at the capital.

H. Gules, living on South Eighth street, is able to be about his home, being laid up for two months with lung fever. W. C. Garmon, formerly with Eisenman & Co., has entered the employ of John Beno & Co., where he would be glad to see his friends and old customers.

Mr. S. E. Hunt, one of the new proprietors of the Ogdon House, will arrive here next week to attend to the arrangements for opening the house on May 1st. Mrs. S. W. Milton, nee Emma Fredrickson, of Arlington Heights, Ill., and Mrs. Elam Clark, of Omaha, will receive old friends of twenty years ago, at Mrs. George C. Fair's, 928 Third avenue, Saturday, from 2 to 4 p. m., April 14.

W. F. Sapp, Jr., yesterday received the sad news that his mother was in a very critical condition. His father left several days ago for New York, on receipt of the first news of her illness, but later reports were more favorable. The father is still in New York, and many anxious friends wait for later advices, hoping they will be more favorable.

Miss Eno, who has been visiting friends here for some weeks, has called here yesterday rather unexpectedly. Her departure is regretted by not only her intimate friends, but by many others as well. During her stay here she has been very accommodating in the use of her gift of song and has placed the music lovers of many obligations by the pleasure she has so freely given them.

TWO WINES TOO MANY. Hugh Thompson Finds Himself in Great Trouble Over It.

THE CHAUTAUQUA GROUNDS. They Will Be Looked Over To-Day—Three Fires Give the Boys Exercise—Last Night's Concert.

He Loved Too Well. There was a deal of dirty clothes washed before the jury in the district court yesterday. It was the necessary result of the attempt to get Hugh Thompson sent to the penitentiary for bigamy. Thompson is a little man, aged thirty-nine, whose face and form are quite familiar to Omaha citizens, he having for seven years been the water inspector. He is now superintendent of the water works at York, Neb. The present case is brought at the instance of wife No. 2, wife No. 1 having died some time ago.

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by the sectional, "bloody shirt" canvass already commenced by the republican party for the purpose of blinding the people with passion over their fight for now and by whom they were being plundered.

At the close of Mr. Cullum's speech the senate resumed the consideration of the bill to provide for the admission of South Dakota and the organization of the territory of North Dakota. Mr. Turpin spoke in opposition to the bill, and declared that the committee and in support of that of the minority. South Dakota, he said, was not a territory, or a division of the union; it was merely a geographical expression, further, he declared that the people of a territory to establish a division of it and said that the people of the whole union had the right to be heard as to the propriety of such a division. There had been an expression of popular will at a convention held in Aberdeen in December last. The people of the whole union were against a division and desired an enabling act as provided in the minority bill.

Mr. Cullum spoke in favor of the majority bill. He reviewed the history of the question, he declared that every instance where a vote was taken in favor of the admission of the state of South Dakota, the republican party had assented to it, and the democrats all against it, and when the bill went to the house of representatives that distinguished democratic body referred it to the committee on territories where it was once reported back adversely. This territory had been knocking at the doors of congress for years, and the people majority and larger than any other territory ever admitted as a state. The whole opposition to the admission of Dakota was based on the fact that the democrats did not assent to it, and that the republican party thrust upon the country until after the next presidential election.

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