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MINOR MENTION. N. Y. Plumbing Co. New spring goods...

Yesterday David Ferris, of this city and Mary Gallagher, of Chicago, were granted license to marry.

The Eastern Star sociable will be held this evening at Masonic hall.

The new elevator for the Oden house arrived yesterday, and workmen are busy getting it in running order.

Unity Guild has postponed its meeting, which should have occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock...

All members of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium are requested to be present at the meeting...

The funeral of Hertha, the eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. Ellen Jensen, took place at the residence...

Mr. F. C. Reed, manager of the motor line, arrived home from Philadelphia yesterday noon, and reports that the new motors are shipped and will be here in five or six days.

Arrangements are being made for the annual meeting of the city marshals and chiefs of police of the great state of Iowa...

The annual meeting of the club, for the election of officers, was last evening postponed until this evening, there being so many of the members who desired to attend the Ragan lecture.

A man who is charged with forcing doors of freight cars and abstracting fruit was brought in from Avoca yesterday afternoon.

The breaking occurred Thursday night, The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific road, at the sufferer.

Yesterday afternoon Master Bridge Builder Carroll, of the Rock Island, received the sad intelligence from Atlantic that his sister-in-law had died of heart disease early in the day.

Secure your reserved seats to-day at Bushnell's for the three following Ragan lectures.

Tipton has bargains in real estate.

Personal Paragraphs. Mrs. E. A. Morehouse is visiting in Indianapolis and Cincinnati.

J. F. Record, the Glenwood merchant, was in the city yesterday.

John Y. Stone, Esq., left for Avoca last evening upon legal business.

E. W. Ticknor, a former resident, now of North Bend, is at the Kiel house.

The condition of Mrs. Edmondson was considered yesterday a shade more favorable.

Mrs. J. W. Squire and son, Louie, have returned from their trip to Hot Springs, Ark.

J. N. Cassidy is home from Brockridge, Colo., where he went to look after his mining interests.

Dr. Rice was reported yesterday as being in a critical condition. It is hoped that a favorable change will speedily follow, but his friends are very anxious.

Mr. N. Merriam, of Omaha, was on this side yesterday, looking after his property interests. It is expected that he will soon begin the erection of his new brick block on the old Catholic church property, the old building now being torn down.

I. M. Hayes, the Minneapolis speculator, who had so large a part in the opening of the boom here a year ago, is in the city looking after his interests in the Manawa addition. He is making his home in Chicago at present and will remain here but a short time.

Valuable Testimony. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 1, 1888.—Western Wheel Scraper Co., ME. Pleasant, Ia.—Gentlemen: We witnessed the contest trial between your Western Reversible and the Goulds & Austin Reversible road graders at Plattsmouth, Neb., this day and are free to say that the Western proved by its work to be superior in every respect. It is reversible in fact, while the long axle on the Austin prevents working in ditches and against banks. The Western did the work with less draft and was much the easier handled by the operator.

BIRD CONTRACTED, County Clerk. MATNAOH SPINK, County Sup'l. FRED CRASLER, R. R. Contractor.

Wm. NEVILLE, R. R. Contractor. ROSE FRYZELMAN, R. R. Contractor. COX O'CONNOR, Alderman. P. McCALLEN, Alderman. THOMAS MITCHELL, C. M. HOPE. J. P. ACTILL. E. R. TODD.

CHARLES MARTIN. After the contest of graders the agents for the Gould & Austin grader pressed the county commissioners for them to express their preference for one or the other of the graders and they were refused several times, but when urged upon to do so they said that the vote stood two for the Western and one for the Gould & Austin.

If any person doubts the above statement they may correspond with any of the county commissioners at Plattsmouth, Cass county, Neb., and learn the facts in detail.

The board are in the habit of dividing preference with each other even though there be only one of the board ask it.

The simplicity, draft and ease of operating the Western are some of the many points in its favor.

The machine was operated by several persons who never had seen one before, and yet they did good work from the start.

The person who operates the machine need not move from his tracks and yet raise, lower, reverse or shift the blade from one side to the other with ease. The machine had been used in a gravelly road previous to this contest.

Had it been sharpened, as was the Goulds & Austin, before the contest, says Mr. E. H. Todd, the Western would have come out with a unanimous vote in its favor.

For all purposes, says the street commissioner of Plattsmouth, I prefer the Western.

Before the Bar. There was little business of interest in police court yesterday. The case of A. Reiter for assault was dismissed. The hearing of I. M. McIntyre's case for car breaking was continued until Wednesday.

The case of Murphy and Lee for the larceny of a watchman from Robinson Bros. will be called next Monday.

Ladies wishing to patronize the Woman's exchange can do so by calling upon any member they choose to fill their orders.

Grooming of the Fashionable Girl. The latest development of the luxurious habits, says the New York Sun, is to put young girls into the hands of a skilled nurse during the season, so that the strain of the whirl of pleasure may not tell upon them too severely.

The woman's duties are nearly as severe as if she were training her protegee for the prize ring. Callisthenes immediately on arising, a perfumed bath and massage with a French brain bag of odorous emollients, hair brushing for twenty minutes, manure, breakfast. Then the nurse is not in request again until it is time to dress for the evening.

Then comes another bath, followed by a cup of tea. On the return of the belle at 3 in the morning, the nurse is at hand again to brush her hair, give her a cup of hot tea, and smooth her by gentle massage into dreamless sleep.

A luxurious picture, but what a satire upon the pleasures supposed to be found in the life of a society favorite. I am almost afraid to add that it is said that by the aid of this treatment girls last at least ten years longer than those who are left to their own devices, lest some of my readers should be tempted to adopt the system.

ARRESTED AS AN INCENDIARY

Hill Brought Back From Kansas on a Serious Charge.

PLEASANT EVENING IN PARIS.

The City's Credit Improving - The Chautauqua Rally - Sloman Gets a Verdict - A Light Attorney Fee - Personal Paragraphs.

Arrested For Arson. Captain O'Brien, since retiring from the police force, has been busying himself with a little private detective business.

Yesterday from Kansas, bringing with him the first fruit of his labors in the form of a man named Robert Hill, who is charged with arson. Hill formerly lived in Rockford township, and there had a little farm. The house was insured for \$100. The property was mortgaged, and sold subject to this mortgage.

It is charged that Hill in short time ago returned to the place, and at night the house was burned. The next day he is said to have applied to the insurance agent to secure the \$100, the amount of the policy. It was refused, and he disappeared. It was not until other evidence is secured indicating that he was the one who caused the building to be burned. Captain O'Brien went to Horton, Kan., and there found Hill at work as a carpenter. He arrested him, and Hill, not objecting to return, there were no requisition papers asked for, and the prisoner was brought here without delay.

TIPTON HAS HOUSES TO RENT. Tipton has a family horse, phaeton and harness to trade for a lot.

An Evening in Paris. The opera house was packed last evening at the Ragan lecture. It was a purely paper house, no tickets being sold, all present being there by complimentary invitation.

The first of the series of four illustrated lectures in this course was presented last evening to an audience composed of the most intelligent element in the city, and the success of the three other lectures made to depend largely upon their verdict. The lecture was upon "Paris," and by it one was able to learn really more of that wonderful city than could be gained by an expenditure of much money and much time in a personal visit.

The views were clear, with photographic accuracy and so realistic that one forgot that he was not looking indeed upon life scenes in Paris. Mr. Ragan is a very pleasing speaker, and has the happy faculty of carrying his hearers along through the various scenes without their attention being distracted by being drawn to the speaker himself.

The next lecture will be on Wednesday evening, May 9, the subject being "The Rhine and Switzerland." The sale of tickets will begin at Bushnell's this morning. The ladies of the Congregational church are to be congratulated on having secured so important a series of entertainments, and it is hoped that they may realize a goodly benefit.

The oldest firm, and largest stock of wall paper in the city. All the new shades in ingrains and valours. A few patterns in gilt at 10c per roll at Niles, 402 Broadway.

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All For Chautauqua. The meeting at the opera house Sunday in the interests of the Chautauqua assembly will be presided over by Lucius Wells, president of the board of trade. T. J. Evans, Thomas O'Brien, George E. Wright, F. B. Hill, H. H. Van Brant, George Metcalf, E. L. Shigart, E. P. McConnell, J. B. Atkins, S. Farnsworth, P. C. DeVol, A. D. Foster, N. P. Dodge, L. W. Tulleys, A. T. Ellwell, F. M. Gault, W. H. Burns, S. S. Stevens, F. A. Nash, M. Marshall, M. J. Alworth, J. McClintock, J. M. Lane, H. C. Chrysler, Mayor M. F. Rohrer, F. O. Gleason, E. W. Wines, W. W. Collins, W. C. MacCarty, J. P. Weaver, C. R. Hanon, John Bennett, John Beresheim, J. D. Edmondson, C. B. Waite, Thomas Bowman, William Moore and L. Stewart, vice presidents, are requested to take seats on the stage. Addresses will be delivered by Colonel C. S. Chase, E. Rosewater, Mayor W. J. Broatch, G. M. Ellsworth and John Evans, of Omaha, and by E. A. Aylesworth, Leonard Everett, C. M. Harl and J. E. Harkness, of this city.

Sewer connections and house sewers laid by N. Y. Plumbing company.

Travelers! Stop at the Bechtels.

Sheafe loans money on real estate.

The Chief's First Arrest. Chief Lucas yesterday arrested an insane man at the dummy depot, and took him to the county jail for safe keeping. He was attired only in a shirt and pants, the remainder of his clothing being found near the depot, where he had evidently deposited it. For several days past he has been seen by passengers on the dummy train running about on the bottoms near the Union Pacific bridge in an entirely nude condition. His identity is unknown, and the insanity commissioners will meet to consider his case. He does not show any disposition to injure anyone, but he seems to be hopelessly insane, being, as one of the officers expressed it, "as crazy as a bedbug."

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District Court. Yesterday, at noon, the case of C. H. Sloman was given to the jury. A clock thief reported an agreement and rendered a verdict in his favor for \$2,000. The case will probably be appealed.

The case of the county against French was called. Upon the agreement of the attorneys a jury was waived, and the case continued until the 15th inst. At the close of the afternoon session the entire parcel was excused until Monday.

Tipton has furnished rooms to rent.

Union Abstract company, 236 Main street.

S. B. Wadsworth & Co. loan money.

Will They Sell Whisky? The druggists of the city held a meeting yesterday afternoon at Gilbert's ice office to decide on some plan of action to govern them in the future in regard to the handling of intoxicating liquors. The present permits expire in August, and the new law that is the cause of the agitation goes into effect before that time. Under its provisions the druggist who handles liquor is constantly in jeopardy. No definite action was agreed upon at yesterday's meeting, and an adjournment was taken until next Friday evening, when the matter will come up for final action.

One Dollar Attorney's Fee. The second trial of the case of Fremont Benjamin vs A. W. Coffman has hardly resulted more satisfactorily than the first trial. In the first trial the jury disagreed. This time the jury was out from 5 o'clock in the evening until 5 o'clock the next morning, and then returned a verdict for the plaintiff fixing the amount at \$1. It will be remembered that \$2,500 was the amount claimed by Benjamin for his services as attorney.

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WANTED—Housekeeper—Elderly German lady preferred. One child to care for. Inquire at Bee office.

FOR RENT—The corner office over the R. C. & C. H. R. ticket office, now occupied by Forest Smith. Also the residence of 12 rooms, also the dwelling house on Woodbury avenue, known as the McGee place, with one acre of land. The next day he is said to have applied to the insurance agent to secure the \$100, the amount of the policy. It was refused, and he disappeared. It was not until other evidence is secured indicating that he was the one who caused the building to be burned. Captain O'Brien went to Horton, Kan., and there found Hill at work as a carpenter. He arrested him, and Hill, not objecting to return, there were no requisition papers asked for, and the prisoner was brought here without delay.

LOST—A bunch of small keys. Reward for same will be paid by Horace Everett.

FOR SALE—Lumber yard and fixtures doing a business of \$20,000 per year in a live Nebraska town. Also a residence of 12 rooms, with associate buildings. Apply to Johnston & Van Patten, 31 Main st., Council Bluffs.

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FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, 11 1st ave. References wanted.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 40 acres near stock yards, South Omaha, Neb., Johnson & Christian, Room 35, Chamber of Commerce, Omaha.

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Advertisement for H. F. HATTENHAUER, offering fine carriages and buggies.

Advertisement for PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY, listing various professionals like architects, engineers, and lawyers.

Advertisement for M. MARCUS, a naturalist and taxidermist, offering mounts of birds and mammals.

Advertisement for CHANGE OF FIRM, mentioning Troxell Brothers and their business location.

Advertisement for RUSSELL & CO., featuring automatic cut-off engines and other machinery.

Advertisement for P. C. DEVOL, a dealer in fresh goods at low prices.

Advertisement for GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES, highlighting their quality and variety.

Large advertisement for COUNCIL BLUFFS CARPET CO., featuring various carpet styles and promotional offers.