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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing company.
A. J. Mandel is breaking ground for a new residence on Graham avenue.

The George Marshall property at the corner of Ninth street and Fourth avenue has been purchased by J. M. Palmer for \$5,000.

Yesterday's incoming trains on the Union Pacific, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific were respectively three, five and seven hours late.

Bricklaying on the foundation of the Merriam block was commenced yesterday morning. The work will be pushed rapidly from this time forward. It will require about two weeks to complete the foundation.

The marshal's attention was yesterday called to an open well in the vicinity of the vinegar factory that was in a dangerous condition. The hole is about seven feet in diameter and a stranger narrowly missed driving into it the other evening. It was covered up by Deputy Marshal White.

F. J. Brezee, taxidermist, has just completed a fine case of birds for Dr. H. S. West. The case contains 100 specimens, which are mostly rare birds of the doctor's deadly shotgun.

The collection is valued at \$275, and will be placed on exhibition to-day in the window of the Council Bluffs Carpet company.

Mrs. Felix H. Crocker has filed a petition for divorce in the district court. The petition recites that the plaintiff and defendant were married in Council Bluffs in 1867, and resided there until March 23, 1888, when the plaintiff left the defendant on account of his having become an habitual drunkard. She prays for alimony, divorce and the custody of their five children.

Ed R. Fitzgibbon, a Council Bluffs boy, has taken the place vacated some time ago by Harry Jackson as newsboy on the dummy and at the transfer. Ed will make a good one. He has served his term on the streets and is a real hustler. Harry will continue in his present position in the passenger department of the Union Pacific.

At an adjourned meeting of the school board Tuesday evening the bids for the grading of the Hill school grounds were opened, but no contract was let. The matter will come up for further discussion at the regular meeting next Monday evening, at which time the janitors of the several school buildings for the ensuing year will be appointed, and other important business transacted.

Alderman Lacy is now confined to his bed by the strict orders of his physician. He had another severe hemorrhage Tuesday. He is in the best of spirits and "feels like a fighting cock," but is obliged to remain quietly in bed to prevent him from yielding to his impulse to get out and rustle. If he can be kept perfectly quiet for a few more weeks he will then be able to resume his accustomed duties without any serious inconvenience.

A jolly party assembled at Keller's furniture store and proceeded to the residence of Thomas Quinn, on Park avenue, where the estimable wife of that well known citizen was duly surprised in the most approved manner, on the occasion of her birthday. The evening was passed in a highly enjoyable manner, with conversation, social amusements and refreshments. The entertainment was of the most royal kind, and the numerous guests thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

The creditors of Charles D. Harmon held a meeting yesterday to see what action should be taken in regard to settling up the matter. It was fully decided that the hotel at Lake Manawa should be kept running, and another meeting was ordered for this morning, when the appointment of Harmon's successor will be made. Several parties are desirous of running the hotel until the expiration of the lease, and there will be no difficulty in arranging for its continuance.

GREAT SALE

Of Council Bluffs Lots at Auction.
I will offer for sale and sell without reserve to the highest bidder one-half of all the lots in Cochran's addition to Council Bluffs.

One lot of every other pair throughout the whole addition will be sold with the privilege to the purchaser of the remaining lot at the same price. The ground on which the addition is laid is known as the old fair ground, forty north of the Union Pacific and south of Broadway. The number of lots are 100, or four to the acre.

TERMS.
Ten per cent of the purchase money cash in hand. The balance in nine equal annual payments to be evidenced by notes bearing interest at 5 per cent per annum, secured by mortgage. The property purchasers will get warrants deeds, title perfect.

I will also sell on the same terms and at the same sale 100 lots in Central division and Street's addition on grounds joining on the north. Some of these lots are situated on Broadway.

DAY OF SALE SEPTEMBER 12.
The place of sale will be on the grounds on Wednesday, the 12th of September, 1888, and continue from day to day till all is sold.

The lots and blocks will be numbered on stakes and maps furnished bidders on day of sale. Other particulars on day of sale. A. COCHRAN.

For bargains in real estate see E. H. Sheafe & Co., Broadway and Main street, upstairs.

Artists prefer the Hallett & Davis piano, at C. B. Music Co., 224 Broadway.

Personal Paragraphs.
Hon. James Mickelwait, of Hastings, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Dr. Phelps and children have returned from an extended visit to friends in Vinton and Cedar Rapids.

Charles Francis Adams, president of the Union Pacific, and Director Ames are expected to arrive in this city Saturday.

Drs. Fred and Meli Bellinger have received the sad news of the death of their father, I. H. Bellinger, who lived at Laurens, this state. He was seventy-two years of age.

If you have property for sale at a bargain list it with us and we will advertise it free of charge. A. A. Clark & Co., corner Broadway and Main, over American express.

S. B. Wadsworth & Co. loan money.

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Try the Monarch flour, for sale only at Fearon's.

TO BE JOINED BY LIGHTNING.

Consolidation of the Electric Motor and Horse Car Lines.

CHAMPION CROQUET PLAYERS.

A Fendish Plot Against Two Denison Girls—Beware of Well Water—Fingers Smashed—The Police Pick-Ups.

An Electric Wedding.

It has for some time been believed by many that when the Broadway bridge should be completed the electric motor line, which is to run across it, would be consolidated with the present street car line, which is owned by the Union Pacific. It is now reported that the consolidation is already consummated. It is stated that the electric motor company has bought the street car line, and that the horse cars will be done away with, and the electric motors will run over the line from the Methodist church to the west end of the Broadway bridge.

It is also reported that rates will be made as low as ten cents for single fare between the two cities, and that the commutation tickets will be in some forms as low as 5 cents a trip.

It is difficult to get at the exact condition of affairs, as those who are directly concerned are naturally close-mouthed and prefer to let the rumormongers do the talking, for which all are looking so eagerly.

It is also reported that the electric motor service in Omaha will be extended through Council Bluffs, so that the wedding of the two cities will be a close one. The electric motor company evidently proposes having the fares so low as to encourage constant daily travel by a large number of persons.

Money loaned on furniture, pianos, diamonds, houses, buggies or anything of value, at low rate of interest. No publicity; fair and honorable dealing. A. A. Clark & Co., office cor. Broadway and Main, over American Express.

The young ladies of the Episcopal church will entertain a sociable at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Stillman on Willow ave., Friday evening, August 17th. Ice-cream and cake served.

Full line of sheet music at Council Bluffs Music Co., 224 Broadway.

A Fendish Attempt.
A desperate attempt to commit a criminal assault occurred in Denison Monday night between 9 and 10 o'clock. The Gregory residence is situated in a quiet neighborhood near west Denison, near the public school building. It is a cozy, retired place partly surrounded by trees, and is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and their beautiful and interesting daughters, the Misses Shope. Aggie, the elder, is seventeen, and her sister Kate fifteen years of age. The young ladies occupied a room in the second story, fronting the south, a window opening out to a porch roof. Shortly after retiring Miss Aggie thought she saw a dark object flit across the window, but on investigation saw nothing and her fears were not excited. A little later she saw the outlines of a man between her and the window, and the figure sprang to her side. As she attempted to shriek the villain forced a handkerchief saturated with chloroform, into her throat. She struggled violently and succeeded in awakening her sister, who gave the alarm. As Katie cried "Murder, murder!" the scoundrel turned upon her and told her if she did not cease her outcries he would kill her too. Inferring that Miss Aggie was dead, the chloroform having taken effect, Mrs. Gregory responded at once to the outcry and the villain beat a hasty retreat through the window, without having accomplished his intention of strangling one or both of the ladies. Miss Aggie was with difficulty resuscitated from the effects of the chloroform, and her escape from death was almost miraculous. The circumstances point to a deliberate attempt to make a criminal assault upon these young ladies, rather than an effort to secure plunder. Happily the ruffian was completely foiled in his purposes, although he nearly added murder to the stains upon his miserable soul. He effected an entrance to the house by climbing the lattice work on the porch, and removing the screen from the window. In escaping he dropped an ounce chloroform bottle near the porch. It was nearly empty, had a glass stopper, and a druggist's label had been carefully scraped off. Enoch then remained to indicate that it was an Iowa label. Another clue is the handkerchief which was left in Miss Shope's throat. Other circumstances indicate that the ruffian resides in Denison, and all good citizens will eagerly unite in hoping that the coils of justice may tighten around the brutal fiend.

Patrons of the Pacific House have none but words of praise for the attention given them.

A. A. Clark & Co. negotiate loans on farm and city property.

Get prices on California peaches, by the box, at Fearon's.

Can't Find a Court.

The cases of Rev. Henry DeLong and W. C. Utterback, the law and order constables who were arrested a week ago for the larceny of beer kegs and bottles from saloons that they raided, were called before Justice Biggs at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. No evidence was taken in the cases, and they were taken to Squire Schurz court on a change of venue. Squire Biggs was charged with being prejudiced in the matter, and the same charge is made against Squire Schurz. It will be impossible to take the cases to Squire Barnett's court, as that gentleman is subpoenaed as a witness. He has been trying the seizure cases of the league, and it is claimed that he was subpoenaed in the present case merely to prevent the defense from carrying it to his court.

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Clover Leaf creamery butter 25 cents a pound at Fearon's.

Travelers! Stop at the Bechtels.

Stop at the Pacific House. The most centrally located hotel in the city.

Innocents Abroad.

The city exchequer was not greatly increased by yesterday's contributions of police court victims. Herman and Emil Koch were charged with disturbing the peace, but were discharged on payment of costs.

Bert Poland and George Donaldson, two boys living in the southern part of

this city, were arrested for jumping on moving trains in the vicinity of the cannery factory. Both were released.

Charles Wheeler and Ed Bragg were two runaway boys from Red Oak, who started out to see the world, but their travels were interrupted when they reached this city. A kind-hearted watchman allowed them to pass the night in a passenger coach in the yards, and had them arrested the following morning. They will be held to await instructions from Red Oak.

A list of over twenty vacant dwellings for rent can be obtained at office of E. H. Sheafe & Co., corner Broadway and Main streets, up stairs.

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Croqueting With Croquet.

It is announced that the so-called champion croquet team, consisting of Messrs. A. D. Foster, H. H. Field, Renhu Bryant, and Ira Scofield, intend going to Shelby to-day to play a match game with a team at that place. The Council Bluffs champions did not go away from home to get chances to test their worthiness of holding the championship. There is another croquet team, and possibly more than one, who will gladly cross mallets with them. The one referred to is composed of Chas. Hunter, G. L. Wyckoff, W. Raymond, and Dr. D. W. McDermid. A match at home would be an interesting event. Fix the date.

Money loaned at L. B. Crafts & Co.'s loan office, on furniture, horses, wagons, personal property of all kinds, and all other articles of value without removal. All business strictly confidential.

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E. H. Sheafe & Co., make long or short time loans on real estate, in sums to suit, at lowest rate of interest. Office Broadway and Main street, upstairs.

The Hackneyed Tale.

Three soiled doves from the "Row" yesterday started out to work a dirt hauler, by the name of Bob Stack, for his little pile. They secured a hack and began a howling trip. Stuck stayed by them for a while, but finally jumped the game. The hackman demanded his fare, but the trio had no money, and were driven to the station, where the driver asked for the fare of the hackman. Marshal White poured oil upon the troubled waters, and advised the hackman to let them go and look to gentle Bobby for the pay. The advice was taken and Jehu departed to look up the owner of the dirt wagon and mules.

New stock of new grass seed at Fearon's.

All kinds of produce cheapest at Fearon's.

Beware of the Wells.

There is an old well on the vacant lot next to the Brown building. It is being used by many, who probably do not realize the danger there may be in so doing. Few wells in the heart of the city are fit to use. With the peculiar heat here and the fact that old wells are now used as cess pools, it is extremely hazardous to use well water. Too much care cannot be taken. All's not well that ends in a well, not in Council Bluffs.

Buy mantels, grates and hearth furnishings of the New York plumbing Co.

Pacific House is open to the traveling public, notwithstanding to the contrary.

Lost Two Fingers.

M. K. Shettle, while at work in J. F. Cody's shop, yesterday, got his right hand caught in a planing machine. The middle and the third finger were both taken off at the second joint.

A delegation of republicans, numbering about 120 persons, went out to Glenwood last evening to take part in a ratification meeting. A very creditable procession marched down to the "Q" depot at 6 o'clock to take the train. The line was headed by Duff's military band of fifteen pieces, followed by gaily decorated delegations from the Tippecanoe, Young Men's Republican, and Colored Republican clubs. Decorations of the red, white and blue abounded, and the greatest enthusiasm was manifest.

An Absolute Cure.

The ORIGINAL ABSETINE OINTMENT is only put up in large two ounce tin boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands, and all skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of piles. Ask for the ORIGINAL ABSETINE OINTMENT. Sold by Goodman Drug Co., at 25 cents per box—by mail 30 cents.

To-night will be held the regular monthly meeting of Harmony chapter No. 15, O. E. S. A good attendance is desired. By order W. M.

Presbyterian Whiskers.

New York Tribune: A paper in this city the other day spoke of a certain distinguished clergyman as having Presbyterian whiskers. I am unable to describe such whiskers exactly, but I am under the impression that they are side whiskers set pretty well back on the face, and having no connection with the mustache. Indeed I don't know but the mustache should be shaved to bring out the beauties of the idea of Presbyterian whiskers. The Methodist type of hirsute adornment is somewhat different, consisting of a full beard, well trimmed, and with no mustache. It used to be so that you could nearly always tell a Methodist parson by looking at his beard; but that's those good old days are gone, and you can now see Methodist clergymen with fashionably trimmed beards and mustaches, so that it is difficult to tell them from Wall street brokers. In the Protestant Episcopal church these different types of face adornment are shaven and shorn, just like the Roman Catholic brother. By the way, one reason for this regulation, I believe, is that it enables the officiating clergyman to partake of the holy communion more decently and reverently. The parson churchman doesn't cultivate any type of whiskers, but follows whatever fashion best suits his physiognomy. The Presbyterian used to cultivate the low brush beard, but that is a thing of the past. The Presbyterian type of whiskers, the object being to make the whiskers as silky as possible, while at the same time a special effort was made to have the face soft and of a bloodless whiteness. As the old-fashioned evangelist clergymen were men of singularly pure lives and given up excesses of any kind, they generally took that way. The effect of all this was enhanced by the high silk hat, clerical dress and white

chocker which they habitually wore. There are queer inconsistencies in human nature. These men spent their lives in denouncing the formalism of Rome, and in this, as in other things, they adopted a most rigid formalism; but perhaps such men consoled themselves with the reflection that he was his own pope. The High Churchman doesn't run so much to peculiar styles in whiskers as to Anglicanism in dress and pronunciation, and the cultivation of a dignified port, suggestive of the English bishop. Sometimes they look very pompous and forbidding; but at heart they are good fellows and do a useful work for their church. A little familiarity with them will rub off their ecclesiastical veneer, and discover to be practical Americans with a genuine love of the democratic social system out of which they have been produced.

Chicanery at Work.

Interested and unscrupulous dealers, actuated by cupidity, occasionally represent other dentrifices as equal or akin to SOZODONT. Reject these substitutes always, and insist upon having that genuine reproducer of dental beauty for your money, for it alone is money's worth.

Larry Jerome's Funeral.

New York, August 15.—The funeral of Lawrence W. Jerome took place at the family residence this forenoon. The widow was not present, being seriously ill at Sharon. Interment will be at Greenwood this afternoon.

Drink Malto, 25 cents a bottle.

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NOTICE.
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WANTS.

HOUSES for rent by Johnston & Van Patten, 31 Main st.

FOR SALE—The best small fruit and vegetable farm in Pottawattamie county, two miles from Council Bluffs, at a price that will sell it on remarkably easy terms. Title perfect and property in good condition. Possession given at any time. Reason good. Selling. R. T. Bryant & Co., 625 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

WANTED—Stocks of merchandise to exchange for city property in Council Bluffs, Omaha, or western land or chattels of any kind. We make exchanging a specialty. R. T. Bryant & Co., 625 Broadway.

WANTED—Stocks of merchandise. Have also western land to exchange for goods. Call on or address Johnson & Christian, Room 35, Chamber of Commerce, Omaha.

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MRS. M. B. SNYDER, SPECIALIST. Diseases of Women and Children, 307 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

A House Made of Hay.

Philadelphia Times: A strange sight is afforded at Fairview, Bergen county. On the Bull's Ferry road, adjoining Henry Tussen's residence, a thrifty man has reared a three or four acre patch of ground and planted it with small vegetables. His garden thrives finely, and is admired by passers-by. The man has no house, and could not afford to rent or build one. So he constructed a dwelling out of hay and rough planks. Close to the road, looking like a hay mow, is this strange habitation. The hay has been skillfully fastened to the board framework, and the hut, shaped like a tent, makes a dry and comfortable house for a man of the gardener's tastes and necessities.

In another column of this issue will be found an entirely new and novel specimen of attractive advertising. It is one of the neatest ever placed in our paper and we think our readers will be well repaid for examining the SUPPOSED display letters in the advertisement of Prickly Ash Bitters.

American farmers are growing increased quantities of oats. Last year the acreage of oats in the United States was 25,750,000, this year it is 27,000,000, an increase of about 5 per cent.

Pozzoni's Complexion Powder produces a soft and beautiful skin; it combines every element of beauty and purity.

An "inch of rain" means a gallon of water spread over a surface of nearly two square feet, or a fall of about two hundred tons on an acre of ground.

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