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MINOR MENTION.

Wanted - A good girl for general housework. Mrs. H. W. Tilton, 527 Fifth avenue.

Citizens can obtain laborers and mechanics by going to Liberty hall or Dohany's old opera house on Bryant street, under the management of the U. S. P. Coy.

Women's Christian association will continue to serve meals today. The patronage of the citizens, as well as the soldiers, is solicited. 25 cents a meal. Ice cream and lemonade for sale all the time.

Poundmaster Ed Bates has diluted the life out of 104 dogs with pure, fresh Missouri river water since May 16. One horse was also put out of the way because it was cheaper to buy a shroud and coffin for it than hay and oats.

Messrs. Coulter, Locke and Reynolds, the three Toledo bicyclists, who are spending a few days in Council Bluffs while on their transcontinental tour, performed some interesting feats in their riding yesterday morning in front of the Ganymede club rooms, and W. C. Eckhoff shot them a number of times with a kodak.

Mrs. Captain W. Hayes had her husband arrested yesterday on the charge of assault and battery, as a sequel to the domestic broil mentioned a few days ago in The Bee. It is claimed that her undutiful husband said he would cut her up in little pieces rather than be separated from her by divorce proceedings. The captain is now in jail.

Good times are coming. Buy a home while you can get it cheap. We write fire insurance in the best companies. Also loan money for local investors. Lougee & Towle, 335 Pearl street.

Grand Plaza, Lake Manawa. Grand Plaza will be open to free admission every day up to noon. From noon until midnight an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged, which will admit to grounds and to concerts and entertainments. No return checks will be given.

No person of questionable character will be permitted to enter the grounds. No admittance to Grand Plaza will be charged to persons who desire to rent boats or bathing suits.

Ice cream and refreshments served in the pavilion of Grand Plaza.

Gas cooking stoves for rent and for Gas Co's office.

Domestic soap breaks hard water.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

B. F. Clayton of Indiana is in the city.

Hon. George W. Cullison of Harlan was in the city yesterday.

J. M. Bridge, editor of the Anta Republican, is in the city.

Mrs. J. B. Beard of Iowa Park, Tex., is in the city visiting her brother, N. P. Dodge.

Miss M. Rose Jansen of Quincy and Miss Daley of Des Moines are the guests of Miss Lillie Davis.

F. H. Hill and B. M. Sargent of the party fishing and recreating at Madison Lake, Minn., have returned.

Miss Clara Phelps returned yesterday morning from a three months' visit with her sister, Mrs. Randall, in Armstrong.

W. S. Prouty is home from Iowa City, where he has completed his course in the law department of the State university.

Charles Alexander of Missouri Valley, a former member of the Board of Supervisors, came in yesterday morning to see the parade.

Captain B. D. Beard, One Hundred and Forty-first Illinois of Fort Dodge, is spending the week with his uncle, Rev. G. O. Rice.

Mrs. Shepard, formerly in the employ of the Postal Telegraph company at Lincoln, Neb., has been placed in charge of the Council Bluffs office of that company. Mr. J. B. Sampley, who has been in charge of the office ever since it was established, will spend two weeks in the offices of the company at Chicago, and will then take charge of the new office of the Postal in Elgin, Ill.

Lake Manawa Railway Time Card.

Commencing Saturday, June 9, trains will leave Council Bluffs for Grand Plaza, Bathing Beach and Picnic Grounds at Lake Manawa as follows: No. 1, 9 a. m.; No. 2, 10 a. m.; No. 3, 11 a. m.; No. 4, 12 m.; No. 5, 1 p. m.; No. 6, 2 p. m.

Trains will run every twenty-two minutes thereafter until 10 p. m. Return trains will leave Manawa on the half hours up to 10 p. m., when they will return every twenty-two minutes.

Paris green, 25c. Davis, the druggist.

Washerwomen use Domestic soap.

Commencement Exercises.

Commencement exercises will be held this evening by the juniors and minors of St. Ann's academy. The following program was rendered:

- Festival March... Waldman
Misses Eugene Lynch, May House, Nellie Dunn, Mayme O'Neill, Roy Rogers
Opening Chorus - Sing, Sing, Carol Forth
Junior and Minors Accompanist, May Rogers
Greeting... Miss Agnes Fry
Valse Duet... Misses Krutz
Misses Cleo Hart, M. Carroll, May Rogers, Genevieve Wickham, Leah Mark, Dollie Wickham
Duet - Why Not... Little Polks
Accompanist, Eugenia Lynch
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Misses Ida Chapin, Mary M. Farrell, Millie Kimball, Kittle Sullivan, May Foster
American Air... Haumbach
Misses Nellie Dunn, Frances Frost, Eugenia Lynch, Genevieve Hampton, Jennie Murphy, Mayme O'Neill
Operetta - Happy Family... Gabriel
Juniors and Minors
Father Time... Miss Frances Frost
Accompanist, Miss May Shirley.

Special Military Sale. Miss Ragdale, 10 Pearl street, will sell nicely trimmed Legerhorn hats for \$1.25, former price \$2.00; best hats at \$5.50, former price \$10.00. This week.

The third piece of new and improved machinery for the season has been put in place in the Eagle laundry. Tel. 157.

A nice, cool swim at Manhattan beach, Lake Manawa, is the proper thing to take these hot days.

No fake advertising or false promises at Pierce's shoe store, but real bargains.

Cleaned Out a Clothes Line.

W. S. Williams, who lives on Washington avenue, was paid a visit Tuesday afternoon by a clothes line thief, and a whole line full of clothes was taken. He suspected Charles Lawson, who has been implicated in a number of such occurrences, of being the guilty party, and swore out a search warrant for Lawson's house, corner of Fourth avenue and Twenty-eighth street. Constable Baker went to the house, but failed to find any of the missing stuff.

Grand Plaza telephone 45. Grand Plaza bathing beach. Grand Plaza picnic grounds. Grand Plaza's cornet band beats them all. Grand Plaza's fine row boats are all the best.

Grand Plaza excursion accommodations can't be beaten. Afternoon and night concerts at Grand Plaza, 2 to 6 and from 7 to 10.

Manager of Grand Plaza can understand 25 languages. So all nations will feel at home.

"He that does not visit Grand Plaza knows nothing, and will be for all time to come branded a traitor to enterprise." - Eugene.

If you are going to have a picnic, visit Brown's C. O. D. first, and get one of those elegant lunch baskets at one-half regular price.

How far will a \$60? Long ways at S. A. Pierce & Co's shoe store.

There's only one bargain shoe store in Council Bluffs, and it's Pierce's.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Yesterday Was the Grand Day of the Grand Army Encampment.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE YEAR

Clinton Selected as the Place for Holding the Encampment Next Year - It Was Hot but the Veterans Turned Out for the Parade.

Yesterday was the biggest day of the whole year with the Grand Army boys, for it was the day when they not only determined who should be the standard bearer for the organization for the ensuing year, but when they got out with their drums and fifes and perpetrated another grand march, not to the sea, but to be seen. The people from outside town in this vicinity appreciated the fact that it was the big day, too, for every train came in loaded down with people who were bent on having a day's pleasure, and before the day was over they had had it.

In the morning a business session was held at the opera house and the all important matter of choosing officers was settled once for all, with this result: Commander - George A. Newman of Cedar Falls.

Senior Vice Commander - J. C. Millman of Logan.

Junior Vice Commander - W. Ellis of Villisca.

Medical Director - Dr. E. H. Hazen of Des Moines.

Chaplain - B. F. W. Cozier of Cofax.

Then came the exciting business of the day, the selection of a place for the next encampment. Sioux City and Clinton were the main candidates, and delegates from various portions of the state extolled the good points of the two cities for over an hour. Efforts were made to postpone the election until today, but it was defeated.

When the result was announced Clinton carried off the prize by a big majority, whereas a representative of Sioux City said: "We'll come up to Clinton next year, sit on your lumber piles and eat your hard money."

This ended the business of the day and an adjournment was taken until this morning. The members of the council of administrators will be chosen, the officers will be received and the incoming officers will be installed.

MAJORS HAVE A LIVELY TIME.

The Woman's Relief corps held a rather stormy meeting at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in the First Baptist church. It was behind closed doors, and of course it cannot be told just what was going on, but it is learned from interested parties that there was a great deal of excitement. It was the intention of the women to elect all their officers, but it took Dr. E. H. Hazen of Des Moines to anticipate that the only thing accomplished was the election of the president. As already stated by The Bee, there were three candidates prominently mentioned in connection with the place, one of them being Mrs. Flora Evans of Clinton, who held the honor of president of the corps for the past year.

Mrs. Evans was elected president, and she was elected by a large majority. She was elected by a large majority. She was elected by a large majority.

Mrs. Evans expressed her thanks and appreciation for these gifts in a few well chosen words. When the hour for the parade arrived there was a sweltering atmosphere, the sun being at its zenith, and the heat was so oppressive that the perspiration to the surface and sent visions of liquid refreshments bustling through the brain even of the most hardy of the men who marched and to the thousands of citizens who stood along the side of the streets on which the procession passed, was the fact that 2:30 o'clock, the hour at which it started, was about the hottest in the entire day.

Many of the old soldiers preferred to look on than take an active part in the parade, and yet the line was long and enthusiastic.

FORMATION OF THE LINE. A platoon of police was followed by six companies of United States regulars from Fort Omaha, under command of General Broke and headed by the band from that post, which, with its beautiful uniforms and brilliant music, made a great addition to the procession.

The regulars, one company of whom was composed of Indians, executed some very skillful military maneuvers while marching. Then came Dalbey's band of Council Bluffs, followed by a large company of Sons of Veterans from Missouri Valley.

The Omaha Guards, with their white trousers, made something of a departure from the regulation blue uniform, and with the Thurston Rifles of Omaha did some very clever work. Then came the Missouri Volunteers, followed by the members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Much as platform orators are accustomed to bewail the fact that the old soldiers are passing away, the fact that the living soldiers will soon be a thing of the past, yesterday's parade proved one thing to the satisfaction of all, and that was, that they will be several years yet before encampments will go out of style for lack of men to go to them. Now and then one would be seen who looked a trifle feeble with age and whose limbs tottered a trifle as he walked, but most of them looked as hale and hearty as possible, while the vigor with which they vociferated their camp calls and their army songs as they passed along bore evidence that something besides consumption would have to take them off.

The Grand Army boys were frequently interspersed with drum corps, the one under the lead of Wall McFadden, the well known drum major of this city, being worthy of special mention. Major Hendershot, the "drummer boy of the Rappahannock," accompanied by his son, who is something of a boy himself by this time, attracted a great deal of attention, the major handling the sticks with all of his old time vigor and skill.

The rising generation also had its place in the parade, the Council Bluffs contingent being represented by the Dodge Light Guards and the High school cadets. Both of these organizations are finely uniformed and splendidly drilled, and their appearance as they marched along the street was the signal for frequent outbreaks of applause. The Lincoln post of Council Bluffs and Crocker post of Omaha brought up the rear.

The line of march was somewhat changed from that published in the official program, which, by the way, has turned out to be anything but an official program throughout the encampment. The reviewing stand was erected at the intersection of Broadway and Fourth street, and from it Department Commander J. C. Millman and his staff viewed the procession as it passed by on Broadway. Hats were lifted and salutations exchanged on both sides, and the old call of "Here's your mule," brought forth an occasional cheer.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED IN LINE. Commander Schaller, after it was all over and the vets had disbanded, stated to a Bee reporter that the parade was fully as large this year as it was last. This is something to be proud of, inasmuch as the railroads, with their usual discrimination against Council Bluffs, furnished a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip this year, as compared with a rate of one fare every

year previous. The hard times, together with this unjust discrimination, might reasonably have been expected to reduce the attendance, but it is estimated that there were at least 1,500 Grand Army men in the parade.

Some criticism was heard of the action of the parade, it is not known just whom, in all the excitement, the parade was held in the kind of a rig that was prepared for him. The carriage was all right, but there were the horrid bare and immense blanket, announcing the fact that the rig was from the "down in the heel livery stable." The committee might not have been responsible for this exhibition of bad taste, and it is to be hoped it was not.

The operation of handshaking had not become monotonous at the close of the second day, and there were no prospect that it would be immediately discontinued. Last evening an enthusiastic member of the Woman's Relief corps, who had put in a day of it, came up to refresh and, exhibiting a good deal of palm all worn out, exclaimed: "There, see what I've done, just shaking hands." She was not the only one.

One of the amusing features of the day was the appearance on the streets of an old gentleman who claims the name of Merriam and who announces that he has figured out an entirely new system of politics, religion and economics. He ran up to an aged veteran who was sitting quietly in a doorway and commenced elucidating his ideas and the veteran listened in patience, without saying ah, yes or no. Finally the old man said: "Well, I've been looking for a man that's got more whistles in his head than I have, and I guess I'll take you. I've got three whistles myself."

Gus Heiser of the 117th Pennsylvania heavy artillery, a member of the Abe Lincoln post of this city, made a rather unique banner, consisting of an ordinary broom, bearing the portrait of General Grant on one side and General Benjamin Harrison on the other.

One somewhat interesting thing about the senior and junior vice commanders, General W. W. Ellis, is that the former has but one arm and the latter but one leg. No matter which of these gentlemen have to take the place of the department in case of the disability of the department Commander Newman, something is sure to be missing.

DISCOMFORTS WENT FLYING. About 7 o'clock in the evening a storm came up, which speedily sent the decorations on the streets flying. The wind blew and the rain fell, and it seemed, so disagreeable generally that the hopes of making the closing camp fires the best of the lot went glimmering. The meeting at the Woman's Relief corps was not attended by more than twenty-five persons, and it was decided to adjourn to the opera house.

The opera house was the recruiting point of the old soldiers, and was filled to full capacity, every seat being occupied and 100 people standing in the aisles. Dr. F. S. Thomas presided. After a talk by Dr. E. J. Babcock, Miss Myrtle Parks of Waterloo, Neb., sang two solos and had to respond to an encore each time. Judge George Carson delivered an address of welcome, which was responded to by Colonel George A. Newman. Miss Bessie Weidensall of Council Bluffs rendered a violin solo, after which Dr. E. H. Hazen of Des Moines stepped before the footlights and with an eloquent speech presented J. J. Steadman, past department commander, a magnificent silver service on behalf of the department of Iowa. Colonel Steadman accepted the compliment with his usual grace, putting his hands on the shoulders of the speaker and saying: "I am well and plenty of it, at least in a case of this kind. His reference to Abraham Lincoln was received with cheers and applause from the vets."

The Dudley Buck quartet sang "The Artillerist's" oath and being recalled sang a war song.

GENERAL DODGE TALKS. After two recitations by Miss Edyth Thomas, General G. M. Dodge read a program in which he recalled largely in reminiscences of the war. His account of an interview with President Lincoln was highly interesting, and he was a friendly throughout the war for Generals Grant, Sherman, Sheridan and others gave rise to numerous anecdotes, which were listened to with the most rapt attention. Grant, he said, was so constituted as to care little for small things, but when great crises arose he always rose to the occasion.

After the Dudley Buck quartet had sung another selection, "The Vacant Chair," Judge Given made a speech. Mrs. Millman closed the program with a recitation, and it was after 11 o'clock when the audience left the building.

Members of the Army of the Potomac who had made arrangements to hold their camp fire last evening in the Grand Army of the Republic hall were obliged to give up the program they had arranged to give themselves up among the other gatherings about the city. The wind storm was responsible for their disappointment, the direct cause being the breaking of an electric light wire by a falling branch of a tree, and thereby cutting off the lighting facilities of the hall.

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Sun umbrellas, four special bargains, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$1.98; figured dress silks, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c; good line of all wool chasubles, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c; hosties reduced, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c and 55c; best goods at 1/2 price reduction, 5c chasubles 10 yards for 19c; 12 1/2c canton cloth and satens 8 1/2c; 8c chiffonette 5c; cloaks (second floor), see values offered at 6c, \$1.98, \$2.50 each.

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His unkempt wardrobe and haggard look made him a pitiable object as he stood trembling before the wrathful judge in the court of Judge McGee yesterday morning. He had been found occupying a lower berth on the

sidewalk about 3 o'clock in the morning, and had been run in as a suspicious character. In explanation he pulled out of his pocket a copy of a local paper, and read it, but the editorial advice given strangers "to be on the lookout, and avoid the fire alarm ring while you are crossing the street, get to the sidewalk as quickly as possible and don't venture into the street again until after the fire department has gone by." He said he had heard the fire alarm early in the morning, he driven through the streets at a terrific speed, in this case went up another street, the impudic stranger might have waited until this time. Judge McGee discharged him with the remark that he thought he had been punished enough by reading the local paper.

Manhattan Beach. Steamboat landing for Manhattan beach at Lake Manawa is located at the foot of the street, just east of the board fence. Parties not desiring to enter the grand plaza take the road to the left on alighting from the train. The steamers Liberty and Rescue make ten-minute trips to and from the beach. No other steamboats land at Manhattan beach. Fare, 5 cents each way.

Genuine lightning ice cream freezers \$1.49 up; lamp stoves 75c; 2-burner gasoline stoves \$2.35. All summer goods must go at Cole's hardware store.

Mrs. Niles, m'r stamping patterns.

Knights of the Maccabees. The local tent of the Knights of Maccabees held its first meeting in the Danbo hall Tuesday night, and thirty charter members have put their names down on the list. The ritualistic work was performed by Deputy Supreme Commander F. E. Hand, assisted by Supreme Sentry P. W. Stevens.

The following is the list of officers elected: Commander, R. C. Waterman; vice commander, Rev. J. Indus, Farley; lieutenant commander, George A. Kellogg; recorder, George Curtis; chaplain, Albert A. Campbell; chaplain, Thomas P. Nugent; sergeant, O. J. Avery; tent physician, Dr. J. C. Waterman; master at arms, David Brady; first master of guards, John Gehrig; second master of guards, David M. Young.

Cutting a New Channel. For the past two weeks the "Big Muddy" has been making a big cut into the farms along its banks south of town, but while it has taken some big slices they are small compared to the big cuts T. B. Hughes of the "Mad River" has made in the channel of his uptown competitors. He has made a great cut in his former prices of men's underwear, straw hats and fine shoes. A visit will convince you that when it comes to big cuts, even the "Big Muddy" has to fall down.

Evans Laundry Company. 620 Pearl street. Telephone 230.

For cogs go to Cox, 10 1/2 S. Street. Telephone 48.

The laundries use Domestic soap.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Four men were burned to death by a fire Vermont republicans yesterday nominated G. A. Woodbury for governor.

Miss P. Jones Wilford arrived in New York yesterday. All of the crew of the wrecked steamer George Whalen have been picked up except the captain.

"Jumbo" Cantwell's band of Wealers has arrived at Milwaukee on a stock train and will start for Chicago tomorrow.

In the Prendergast case yesterday two jurors had been secured and a third had been passed by the court.

The Texas people's party state convention met at Waco yesterday but adjourned until today without transacting any business.

Pierce S. D. is greatly excited over the approach of Hogan's army. One hundred and fifty special police have been sent to the mine at the time, but the rest of them escaped.

Five prominent merchants of Bismarck have been arrested for conspiring with the Crows to stave the Northern Pacific train.

The Illinois millers were in session at Yorkville yesterday. They voted to carry on a fight against the Minneapolis Flour Mill trust.

Members of the prison congress yesterday the statement was made that 70 per cent of the deaths in prisons were from cholera.

Newell B. Parsons of Saginaw, Mich., who robbed his employers of \$63,000 in stocks and silver, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

In the armor plate investigation yesterday the testimony of Informer Sell was completed, but no new facts were developed. Charles H. Craig, a fellow workman of Sell, will be the next witness.

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has started to Scotland to collect evidence which will substantiate his claim to the great W. W. Phelps estate in New York amounting to \$20,000,000. The estate is now held by the state.

Strike Notes. The state coal miners' convention at Columbus, O., voted to resume work.

The Gogebic miners in Michigan all struck yesterday. The men in Wisconsin are still at work.

The conference between the Amalgamated association and the tin plate mills at Pittsburgh came to naught.

Miners at the Pittsburg, Kan., convention almost to a man say they came instructed to vote against a strike.

Deputies protected workmen from an angry crowd of strikers at Scottsdale, Pa., yesterday. The miners at Bessemer went to work yesterday.

The probabilities are that the sheet iron manufacturers and the amalgamated association will not agree and operations will close July 1, throwing out 12,000 men.

No operators appeared at the conference called at Pueblo, Colo., to discuss the coal strike and the miners put in the time discussing means of carrying on the strike.

Striking Huns at Weistown, Pa., are purchasing all the arms they can get hold of and trouble is feared. English speaking miners are leaving the section with their families to avoid getting mixed up in the troubles.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



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