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MINOR MENTION.

Mayne Real Estate agency, 535 Broadway.

The trial jury will be on hand in the district court next Monday morning.

The Central Labor union held a largely attended meeting last evening at Liberty hall.

This evening a choice concert is to be given in the parlors of the Grand hotel for the benefit of Grace Episcopal church.

The Ganymede Wheel club will have a smoker at the club headquarters Saturday evening, November 24. The first gun will go off at 9 p. m.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. George Keeline fell from the buggy yesterday noon while being driven down Broadway, but fortunately escaped injury.

Encampment No. 5, Union Veteran Legion, meets in regular session this evening at 8 o'clock, and they will nominate officers for the ensuing year. A full attendance is desired. Ladies' Auxiliary No. 17 will meet at the same time and place.

The Woodmen of the World will unveil the monument to Dr. J. F. White in Fairview cemetery next Sunday afternoon with suitable ceremonies. Sovereign Root and several other members of the order from Omaha are expected to be present.

St. Trinity Methodist church, corner of Fourth street and Ninth avenue, revival services are in progress. Rev. H. L. Powers of Lincoln, a traveling evangelist, makes the interesting address. Great interest is being shown by the church.

John Woodward occupied the jail all day by himself yesterday, the first arrest in forty-eight hours, and the first occupant of the jail had had for nearly the same length of time. He was a vag and had no visible means of support, excepting a young lady on Pierce street. Fourteen days is the size of the meal ticket awarded him by Judge McGee at the city's expense.

D. Macrae, Jr., as assignee of W. N. Young, the druggist, has filed a report in the office of the clerk of the Grand jury, in which he gives the value of the stock as found by the inventory as \$1,973.30. He also states that the rent of the building where the store is in \$75 per month, and that the stock can be sold at wholesale within a very few days it will be absolutely necessary to move it to a cheaper building and fill up the stock with what is now lacking, in order that it may be closed out at retail.

There is an improved lot on Broadway, in same block with postoffice, 50x132 feet, south front, which you can buy of us for \$6,000. Easy terms. Louge & Towle, 235 Pearl street.

FURS! FURS! FURS!!!

Best stock of furs and muffs in the city. Call and see our line and compare prices.

Underwear and hosiery at greatly reduced prices. Don't fail to see our stock before buying. FOWLER, DICK & WALKER.

A musical treat given by the best Omaha and Council Bluffs talent at the Grand hotel parlors this evening. Only 50 cents. An unusually choice program.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

General G. M. Dodge of New York is spending a few days in Council Bluffs.

Ed E. Beknap is confined to his residence on South First street with bilious fever.

Miss Helen Shepard and Miss Agnes Wink have returned from a visit with friends in Hastings, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Brownell, who have been visiting their nephew, A. M. Hutchinson, will leave today for their home in Wells, Ia.

Mrs. W. C. Stacy left last evening for Mobile, Ala., to join her husband, who has been visiting their eldest son for the past two weeks. They will spend the winter there and may locate permanently.

Remember the musicale at the Grand hotel parlors this evening, for the benefit of Grace Episcopal church. A fine program. Admission 50 cents.

Cops Cheer and Herb Tons.

Can be purchased only of the G. R. Wheeler Brewing company, Wheeler & Herold, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Washerwomen use Domestic soap.

Wife Under False Pretenses.

Judge Smith yesterday had under consideration the question whether the fact of a man marrying a woman under false pretenses would entitle the woman to a divorce.

Mrs. Amanda Silvers says her husband, George Silvers, since their marriage a few months ago, had been in the habit of getting drunk, talking bad to her, and sometimes amusing himself by striking at her or indulging in other acts of violence to her. She admitted that when she had made his acquaintance she knew he was a drinking man, but his apparent affection for her made her promise that if she would marry him he would reform. She married him, supposing that she was doing good missionary work, but the missionary seemed to have less influence after marriage than before, and the attempt to run a reformatory for unrepentant drunkards turned out not to be a blooming success. Her case was taken under advisement.

Flowers for Thanksgiving.

We are now looking orders for chrysanthemums, roses, carnations and other flowers. Don't forget to place your order in time. Telephone 90. J. F. WILCOX, Florist.

Grand Hotel, Council Bluffs, Reopened.

Newly furnished. Every modern convenience. First class in all respects. Rates, \$2.50 to \$5.00. E. F. CLARK, Proprietor.

Selected hard wood for heating stoves.

H. A. COX, 37 Main street, Tel. 18.

Ten per cent discount on all trimmed hats this week at Miss Hagdahl's.

Domestic soap breaks hard water.

Men Will Esterian.

The men of the Presbyterian church are making arrangements to drive the women temporarily out of the field, which they have so far monopolized, and will give a social in the church parlors about the middle of next month. No woman will be allowed to do anything toward making the preparations. The dances will be the product of masculine hands, the gentlemen will present the program of the evening, and they will even go so far as to wash the dishes, unless they change the plan now agreed upon. It is thought that as an innovation this will at least draw a crowd.

Wanted, trade or sell, high grade bicycle, 30 lbs., good as new, in first-class shape; will take good carpet in part pay. S. 21, Bee office.

At Grand Hotel Postal Telegraph office shorthand reporter and typewriter will write letters, depositions, etc., very cheap.

James & O'Keefe, real estate and insurance, 17 Pearl street.

Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway, for good work. Tel. 157.

The laundries use Domestic soap.

Marriage Licenses.

The following parties took out marriage licenses yesterday at the county clerk's office:

Name and Address. Age. Edward J. Shurtz, Council Bluffs, 25

Lulu Lee, Council Bluffs, 25

George Pfeifer, Mills county, Ia., 25

Ed B. Venable, Mills county, Ia., 25

Archie Venable, Mills county, Ia., 25

Nettie McNay, Pottawattamie county, 22

Leonard B. Warner, Lemars, Ia., 40

Mrs. Emily Gray, Lemars, Ia., 40

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

Dr. L. U. Parsons, Archer block, Tel. 213.

Davis sells drugs, paints and glass cheap.

Domestic soap outlasts cheap soap.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Ex-Officer Will Give a Hearing by the City Council Committee.

WILL REPORT TO THE COUNCIL MONDAY

Witnesses Testify to Much the Same Matter as Was Brought to the Attention of the Mayor—Walt Denies the Stories.

At the request of ex-Policeman J. A. Watt the city council met last evening as a committee of the whole for the purpose of investigating the question of whether Mayor Cleaver had been justified in laying him off after the rather peculiar disclosures that were made about a month ago. A dozen or more witnesses testified, but whether their testimony will be considered by the council sufficient to warrant his discharge can only be told next Monday night, when another meeting will be held for the purpose of deciding the case.

Ann A. Smith, who lives at 125 South Fifth street, made affidavit that about October 1 a man in charge of the chain gang cut off limbs of the trees in front of her premises. She asked him to leave them there for firewood, but he replied that the city needed them to make an embankment on Indian creek, and he carried them off. The wood never reached Indian creek, however. Watt declared that no such conversation ever took place with him. Mayor Cleaver's charge that he had persisted in using one of his own teams of mules in connection with the work of the chain gang was denied by him, and so was the charge that he allowed bottles of whisky to be slipped into the hands of the men working for him. He admitted, however, that he had sometimes on hot days allowed the men to drink beer.

Martin Olson testified that he had used Watt's team in the employ of the city, and had paid Watt half of what he received in pay. The wood that was picked up about the city he had at first thrown in Watt's yard, but he had later taken it to his home. Watt told him, saying that there would be a kick made if it should be found out that he was replenishing his stock of winter fuel in that way.

Officer Sleed said that he saw a bottle of whisky pass into the hands of a man on the chain gang, and told Watt at the time. Watt replied: "Well, we mustn't see too much in a place of this kind." At another time Sleed remonstrated with a man whom he saw give a bottle to one of the men, but the free judge dispenser replied that he had the permission of the man in charge of the gang, who was Watt.

J. N. Wolf, another member of the force, said that in May last he saw Watt enter his house at the corner of Broadway and First street, at 12:30 p. m., and immediately went to the police station, arriving there just in time to hear Watt report by telephone from Schubert's store, corner of Broadway and Twenty-third street, fifteen minutes after he had seen him. Wolf then went back up the street and met Watt just coming down in a car. Watt emphatically denied all this.

The most serious charge was that Watt took a city prisoner to his house one afternoon and put him to work cutting up the wood which he had picked up from beneath the trees of other property owners. He said he had agreed to pay the tramp 75 cents, which was to be applied on his fine, but the real testimony unfortunately happened to be all the other way. The payment of the 75 cents seemed to have been thought of after Watt had learned that his scheme was discovered. Marshal Canning took the money and still has it.

BENNINGTON BROS.

Silks and Dress Goods.

Sale commences Thursday morning.

8,000 yards of 24-inch plain china and surah silks, all staple and light shades, never sold for less than 50c and 65c, entire lot today at 25c yard.

22-inch black taffeta silk, 1.00 quality, today 75c yard.

24-inch black taffeta silk, worth \$1.35, now \$1.00 yard.

46-inch black and navy all wool storm serge, 46c yard.

40-inch all wool black henrietta, 28c yard.

100 pieces half wool novelty 36-inch dress goods, always sold at 25c and 30c, today 15c yard.

Nice white shaker flannel, 35c yard.

CLOAK SALE CONTINUES.

Children's \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 heavy winter jackets today again \$1.50 each.

Ladies' finest quality seal plush saques, in small sizes, were \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$35.00, we carried them over from last season, only sizes 32 and 34. Get them today \$5 each.

BENNINGTON BROS., Council Bluffs.

Will Give a Straight Shot.

The city council at its next meeting will have up for consideration the question of granting a right of way to the Omaha Bridge and Terminal Railway company over Union avenue, and an ordinance is now being drawn up by City Attorney Hazen, which will undoubtedly be passed sooner or later. At a meeting held not long ago the company requested to draw a profile map showing exactly what it wanted, more specifically than in the ordinance which it had presented for the consideration of the aldermen. The profile has been drawn, but the councilmen have no better idea than they had before what the purposes of the company are.

Instead of responding to the request of the council for a more light, the company merely presented in a map with a long red line drawn the entire length of Union avenue, from the transfer to the Ninth street depot. There was never a switch nor turnout along its entire extent, although Mr. Webster, the representative of the company, had told the council he wanted to connect with the Terminal line, which runs north on Eighth street for Broadway. Some of the aldermen, but in this act a determination to keep them in the dark so far as possible as to the designs of the company, and they have accordingly refused to show a little determination themselves.

The ordinance which the city attorney is now drawing up grants the right of way for a single track railway along the entire length of Union avenue, but says not a word about switches or turnouts. If the Terminal people want to connect with any other road they will have an entirely new ordinance prepared. It is the expectation of the city officials that a howl will go up from the company before it is passed, and that possibly they may come out more fully than they did in their first information.

Another provision of the charter will be likely to cause the company to show its hand. Some have thought that the Terminal company is merely being used by the Union Pacific to cure its defective title to Union avenue. If this is the case, the franchise would be sold as soon as passed, and the Union Pacific would be the purchaser. But the ordinance provides explicitly that the charter shall not be assigned to any person or corporation without the express permission of the city council. If the company objects to this condition it will be fair to presume that the company wishes the charter for speculative purposes, or else is trying to pull some one else's irons out of the fire.

Dry pine kindling for sale. Cheaper than coal. H. A. Cox, 37 Main street. Telephone 48.

Scientist's muscle horse has few expenses; high grade planks are sold reasonably. 118 Stutsman street.

Broke Goldapp's Nose.

Pat Gill, who works on John Coyle's farm, was of Mansura was on trial yesterday afternoon before Justice Fox on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder. It is charged that Coyle had been in the habit of letting people into the timber of one Charles Goldapp, a neighbor, to get wood. When they came out he would stop them and collect money for the wood, which was turned into his own pockets. Goldapp, it is claimed, learned of this, and one day took Coyle to

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Trolley Car and Fire Truck Collide.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 21.—A trolley car on the Orange line struck a fire truck on Plane street today and upset it. Fireman Denman was so badly injured that his recovery is impossible. John B. Snowshoe, driver of the truck, lost an arm and Fireman Heston, Gilboley and Denver were seriously injured. The passengers in the trolley car were not hurt.

Missouri Odd Fellows Meet.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 21.—The forty-seventh annual session of the grand encampment of Odd Fellows of Missouri convened here today. The reports of officers, which were presented and read at the morning session, showed the order to be in a prosperous condition notwithstanding the past business depression and its membership was constantly increasing.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Generally Fair and Colder Weather for Nebraska Today.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The forecast for Thursday is:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Generally fair; colder; winds shifting to northeast.

For Missouri—Generally fair; warmer in the eastern portion; south to southeast winds, becoming variable in the west.

For Iowa—Generally fair; warmer in the eastern portion; cooler in the western portion; variable winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Nov. 21.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall, compared with the corresponding day of past four years:

1894. 1893. 1892. 1891.

Maximum temperature... 49 59 33 46

Minimum temperature... 18 23 15 28

Average temperature... 29 42 26 36

Precipitation... .00 .05 .00 .12

Normal temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day since March 1, 1894:

Normal temperature... 37

Deficiency for the month... 8.8

Accumulated excess since March 1... 8.8

Normal precipitation... .04 inch

Deficiency for the month... 1.56 inch

Total precipitation since March 1... 15.36 inch

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Reports from Other Stations at 8 P. M.

STATIONS. STATE OF WEATHER.

Omaha... 40 40 00 Cloudy.

North Platte... 48 40 00 Part cloudy.

Valentine... 40 34 00 Clear.

Chicago... 42 32 00 Part cloudy.

St. Louis... 44 30 00 Clear.

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Davenport... 37 20 10 Snowing.

Des Moines... 40 30 00 Part cloudy.

Kansas City... 32 24 00 Clear.

St. Paul... 40 30 00 Part cloudy.

Salt Lake City... 44 34 00 Cloudy.

Portland... 40 30 00 Part cloudy.

Helena... 32 40 00 Clear.

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T indicates trace of precipitation.

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