

COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION.

Photo supplies and cameras, 541 B way. For Justice of the peace: S. T. Walker. The Cushman case has been continued until November 10.

Miss Nellie Johnson, at Ark. from a Nebraska City. S. P. McConnell of Gordon, Ark. from Blumre, is in the city.

Mrs. J. Boyd Allen is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Hanly, Avenue F. Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. Squires returned yesterday after a month's pleasant trip in the theater.

A case of diphtheria was reported yesterday at the residence of B. A. Wyman, 512 Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Moll of Philadelphia, who have been visiting the family of W. C. Estep, have returned home.

In the case of Mary West against George West a motion to strike the petition of the plaintiff was filed yesterday.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Hugo Foster, age 25, and Bertha W. Basch, age 25, both of Pottawattamie.

The police have been notified that a set of single harness has been stolen from the home of Jorhan Peterson on Sapp avenue.

Robert Graham, John Oliver, James Anderson, Harry and Will Keeline report a fine time while hunting. They were gone a week and the game was very good.

Al Raschall will be taken to the penitentiary this afternoon by Sheriff Moran to serve a three year's sentence for burglary.

Miss Laura Flickinger has returned from a long visit to Independence. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Flickinger.

In the case of Anna Fralor against August Uhlman an answer was filed by the defendant giving a general denial to the petition of the plaintiff.

H. M. Daniker, F. J. Hoagland and J. C. Deekin are here from the State university at Iowa City. Hoagland has been appointed assistant librarian of the law library at the university.

Washington, the colored man held for stabbing Story in the Diamond saloon Saturday night, is still in the city jail. The hearing of the case has been continued until next week.

TRAITOR FIRES ON THE FLAG

Unknown Bryanite Empties a Shotgun Into Old Glory.

NARROWLY ESCAPES WITH HIS LIFE

Veteran John Berlew Chases the Coward and Fires a Dozen Shots, Killing the Shotgun.

The most exciting incident of the entire Bryan campaign occurred at 7 o'clock on Sunday evening. It had all of the elements of a tragedy.

John Berlew, an old soldier, who has a war record of which he is justly proud, and whose patriotism will brook no insult to the flag under which he lives and for which he fought, made a determined but unsuccessful attempt to kill an enthusiastic Bryanite.

On Saturday (flag day) there was no residence in that portion of the city that had a more conspicuous or prouder flag floating over it than the specimen of Old Glory that Berlew raised above his home.

It was attached to the tallest flag pole he could find, and that pole was raised on the highest gable of his house. Every window in the house was adorned with pictures of McKinley and Hobart, but there was nothing about the place that was worthy of the heart of the old soldier as the magnificent banner that floated from the house-top.

On Sunday evening the greatest possible light was offered to that flag. It was fired upon and killed with shot.

The treasonable act was committed just before dark. Berlew was sitting in his front window looking upon the street.

The fellow who fired on the flag scented the danger and was urging his horse out of the neighborhood at the top of his speed. Berlew took deliberate aim and began sending the bullets after the fleeing horseman.

The shooting created intense excitement in the neighborhood, and a large number of people gathered. The wounded horse received much sympathy, and there were many expressions of regret that the traitor who fired on the flag had not received the bullet intended for him.

It is desired that the citizens exercise this power conferred upon them, or promptly file the official report, and at the station, if of any branch of the office observed by them. If strange persons are seen loitering or lurking about the residence portions of the city, that fact ought to be promptly reported to an officer, or at the station.

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Lost, on North Eighth street, old handbag containing about \$5, some old coins, small C. ring; \$5 reward for return to Bee office.

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Campaign badges free at Hughes, the men's outfitter, 415 Broadway.

REPUBLICANS CONTINUE TO BE QUITE CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

Everything points to the largest vote in the history of Council Bluffs today. Up to last night the work of getting voters in shape was continued, and arrangements have been made for carrying for any naturalization that may come up today.

George W. Turner, chairman of the republican city central committee, said that he would give a reward of \$100 for the conviction of any one causing or procuring any such plan as mentioned by the free silver men. He further added that every official ballot that could be found to be illegal would be rewarded with the same reward.

The polls open this morning at 8 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock. The polling places are: First Precinct, First Ward—Ch. Sorenson building, 114 East Broadway.

Second Precinct, First Ward—W. W. Longfellow building, 123 East Broadway.

Third Precinct, First Ward—George Schindler building, 17 North Main street.

Fourth Precinct, Second Ward—L. P. Service building, 734 West Broadway.

Fifth Precinct, Third Ward—C. H. Sheafe building, 23 South Main street.

Sixth Precinct, Third Ward—A. J. Stevenson building, 823 South Main street.

Seventh Precinct, Fourth Ward—D. C. Bloomer building, 502 Pearl street.

Eighth Precinct, Fourth Ward—H. McArde building, between Sixth and Seventh streets, 412 South Second street.

Ninth Precinct, Fifth Ward—County building, 1120 Fifth avenue.

Tenth Precinct, Sixth Ward—County building, 1211 South Second street.

Eleventh Precinct, Sixth Ward—Midway building, 2029 West Broadway.

Twelfth Precinct, Sixth Ward—Anton Berlew, Cut-off island, Thirteenth street and Avenue R. Kane Township, Outside—R. Green's building.

BRITISH EAST SPEECH MADE

His Wild Flight Across Nebraska Ends an Exciting Stumping Tour.

OMAHA HEARS HIM IN SIX PLACES

Curious Crowds Jam Halls to See the Boy Orator and to Watch the Great McKinley Parade.

In comparison with the grand and unrivaled McKinley demonstration that kept the city in a blaze of light and a roar of enthusiasm from the early evening hours until dawn, the speech made by the boy orator to Candidate William J. Bryan was a literal and unadorned treat.

The free silver men have come out with a scare about an alleged plan to work a fraud by means of a marked ballot. It is the same old story of getting an official ballot marked with the name of the candidate for the new one by the receiver from the judge, which in turn acts as his voucher for the \$2 he is to receive for his vote.

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The mounted marshals and the constable of honor in which were Mr. Bryan, Judge Doane, Dr. Mercer, Dr. Link, and Mr. Dahman, followed by the carriage containing the state officers and the reception committees; the alleged Old Veteran Bryan club, and a long heterogeneous and straggling procession of men and women, including many boys and children.

Boyd's speech reached, and it looked as if there were few left frantically cheering. The parade structure was packed from pit to dome, and the street in front for a distance of a hundred yards either way a seething sea of struggling and shouting humanity. Police men everywhere were busy for a time it looked as if Mr. Bryan's carriage would be picked up bodily and carried away, and it was not until the mad rush had subsided that the greatest exertion entrance to the theater was obtained for the candidate and immediate relatives.

A thunderous wave vibrated through the hall and the audience rose to their feet and introduced Mr. Bryan, and it was several moments before a sufficient subsidence of the uproar was reached to allow the speaker to be heard. In the bright glare of the electric light Mr. Bryan looked badly. His handsome and classical face was pale and beset with wrinkles, and his eyes were red and lustreless, and he looked generally so as if he had passed through a hard winter.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen: It gives me great pleasure to greet the citizens of Omaha, and to find an enthusiasm here which indicates what they will do for me. I am glad to find that you are for me, while the enthusiasm which you manifest here has been seen all the way across the country. I am glad to find that you are for me, while the enthusiasm which you manifest here has been seen all the way across the country.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK. The speaker was loudly applauded, notwithstanding the presence of gold badge wearers. GRAND ISLAND, Nov. 2.—This was the extreme western point of the day's tour, as it is the most western place visited by Mr. Bryan during the campaign.

WOODWARD THEATER. Two Weeks, Commencing Monday, November 5. Opening Bill, The Great Comedy. THE MIDNIGHT WATCH. Price—10 cents.