COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Photo supplies and cameras, 541 B'dway.

Mr. and Mrs. John Short are very ill from the grip.

John Crook of Utah is a guest of the family of A. Pilling.

Misses Lucy and Woods of Logan are guests of Mrs. W. S. Baird.

Miss Nellie Hilliard of Missouri Valley visited friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Dawson of Atlantic, who has been visiting here, has returned home.

Miss May Howard of Kahoka, Mo., is visiting Mrs. I. V. Howard, 1104 Fourth avenue.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Baldauf, 828 Broadway, died yesterday from spinal troubles.

Christian Science service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. in Beno's hall. Entrance on Pearl street. All welcome.

The Monday Musical club will meet with Mrs. I. M. Treynor on First avenue Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Thomas R. Kirkland, aged 23, and Bertha Welch, aged 18, both of Omaha.

The work of paving Madison street will be completed next week, when Contractor Wickham will begin work on the alley adjoining the city building.

Ada Rehan silver statue will be on exhibition at the Boston Store this week. Special bargains will be offered in every department during this sale.

Work on Indian creek is progressing rapidly and the channel will have been deepened from Tenth street to Nineteenth avenue by the close of the present month.

Misses Lida and Hariette Crittenden left last Tuesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where they expect to make an extended visit with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, formerly of this city.

The two men, Smith and Martin, having completed a term for vagrancy, were released yesterday. During their confinement the police endeavored to locate the owners of some jewelry they had, but were unable to do so.

The regular meeting of Excelsior lodge No. 259, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, will be held Monday evening, November 9. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of the W. M.

Young man, you can make no mistake in buying your candy at Riekman's. Old man, middle-aged man, you man with a family, make some loved one happy by stopping at Riekman's on your way home and getting a box of his pure candies.

A "change" will now be the order of the day. Money wagered will "change" hands. Offices will "change." The administration will "change," even every voter will "change" his shirt and send it to the "only" Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway; telephone 157.

The rally in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian association at 4 o'clock today is for men and women. The singing, speaking and praying will be interesting and edifying. A cordial invitation is extended; come and fill the rooms. Henry Coker, secretary.

Burglars made a raid upon the grocery store of V. Badollet, who applied to the police yesterday morning for help in catching the thieves. The safe was opened, the cash drawer smashed and about $5 in money taken. A large quantity of the best groceries in the place was taken.

Today being the nearest Sunday to November 10, the birthday of Martin Luther, St. John's English Lutheran church will commemorate the event by special services at 10:30 a. m. A fine program for the occasion will be rendered by the Sunday school, and the pastor, Rev. G. W. Snyder, will deliver an address. Services also at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

The Woodward Theater company presented "Only a Farmer's Daughter" last night to a crowded house. On account of the McKinley ratification, the performance was postponed about an hour. The company is doing excellent work. The beautiful play of "Hazel Kirke" will be presented tonight. Each woman will be presented with a large chrysanthemum this evening. Thursday night "East Lynne" will be given. Saturday evening will witness the first production of a play written by Mrs. Anna Richardson of this city.

C. B. Viavi Co., female remedy. Medical consultation free Wednesdays. Health book furnished. 309 Merriam block.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250.

Letting Go Their Bargains.

The Durfee Furniture company will celebrate the close of the great political contest by giving the people something else to rejoice over. They have started a great clearance sale, and will give bargains in every line of furniture in the house. Bedroom suits, rockers, couches, chairs, odd and fancy pieces of the newest goods in the world are offered at prices that will make even the defeated politicians happy again. Come around to 336 and 338 Broadway and look at some pretty things.

Purity is the chief quality of Riekman's unexcelled candies. This same standard is kept up in his entire line of sweets whether the price be 10 cents or 60 cents a pound.

School of Household Economics, adaptation of food to individuals.

District Court Notes.

In the case of George C. Brown against Mary C. Brown an answer was filed by the defendant. The suit is an unusual one, and involves the possession of the remains of Edgar L. Brown, the deceased husband of Mrs. Brown, the defendant. He died last April and was buried by his brothers. They refused to allow his wife to take any part in his burial, and she had the body taken up from the grave at Fairview cemetery and placed in her own lot. It was then again resurrected and placed in the original grave by the brothers, and they obtained a temporary writ of injunction against the wife. In her answer she states that the allegation of the plaintiffs in using two names to designate her "is unconscionable and contemptible." She asks that their petition be dismissed and the injunction against her obtaining possession of the remains of her husband be dissolved.

Claims were filed yesterday against the Manawa Railroad company for settlement by the receiver, C. R. Hanna, as follows: S. S. Keller, $89.39; Cook & Judson, $55.10; S. H. Ford, $22; Hammer Lumber company, $5.62; Lemp Brewing company, $101.25; Council Bluffs Gas and Electric Light company, $157.60; J. R. Snyder, $3.23; Wilson & Drake, $67.60; W. A. Maurer, $65; H. C. Cory, $17.47.

A decree was entered in the case of Leonard Leutzinger et al against George Scherer, foreclosing a mortgage.

St. Peter's Lyceum Entertainment.

St. Peter's Lyceum will give an entertainment at Hughes' hall Monday evening for the benefit of St. Peter's church. The program will be given as follows:

Song—"Boys of Chicago".....Lizzie Toller
"Vacation"—Comedy in two acts.....C. Townsend
Characters—Mr. Pemberton, president of the Empire bank, John Toller; Herbert Wells, alias Jim Parr, I. Baumeister; Curtis Dunbar, a "truly good" young man, J. Rosse; G. Elliot Brayton, L. Neumayer; Old Obadiah Siggins, H. Rohling; Young badiah, his son, J. Steinhofel; Jack Ashton, of the New York Daily Cyclone, J. Rosner; Raggles, S. Schott; Dick Percival, H. Kilian; Dennis Clancy, W. Swassing; Toots, a negro cook, B. Klein; Ghost, F. Kleffman.
Song—"Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground".....T. Wack and J. Meis
Music by the Omaha Zither club.
Admission, 25 cents.

Acknowledgment of Services.

C. M. Harl, president of the McKinley and Hobart club, the organization that performed the hard and heavy work of the campaign, received substantial recognition yesterday in the following telegrams:

CANTON, O., Nov. 7.—Charles M. Harl, President McKinley and Hobart Club: I am grateful for the greetings of the members of the McKinley club and of their sound money democratic allies. The patriotic people, without reference to political affiliations, contributed to Tuesday's victory, which preserves the national honor and assures sound currency.
WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Charles M. Harl, President McKinley Club: Please extend my hearty congratulations to the members of your club, and thank them for the efficient and loyal work they have done in this campaign. M. A. HANNA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS CELEBRATES

General Jollification Over Election of William McKinley.

NOISE OF EVERY IMAGINABLE KIND

Torchlight Parade Accompanied by Displays of Colored Fire, Blasts of Steam Whistles and Brilliant Displays of Fireworks.

Council Bluffs celebrated the election of William McKinley as president of the United States with a monster demonstration last night. The cold weather had but little effect on the enthusiasm of the immense crowds that turned out to jollify, though it kept many of the delegations from the surrounding towns at home and materially reduced the size of the parade. As it was, however, the demonstration was one of the largest in the history of the city.

There had been but a few days for preparation, but they proved ample to get an immense consignment of fireworks from St. Louis and pass the word around for all to turn out and join in the general rejoicing. Omaha sent over a large contingent headed by the John L. Webster Flambeau club and the Seventh Ward Military band. Keg Creek township brought in a mounted company of over fifty and good sized delegations came in on all the evening trains. Long before the hour of starting the blowing of horns and discharge of firearms proclaimed the opening skirmish. Washington avenue from Eighth street east soon became jammed with a mass of men, horses and wagons. The traction engines kept up a chorus of shrill screeches, the Massillon Harvester company having a dozen graduated whistles attached to the boiler of its engine.

From the tangled mass a long line was formed and shortly before 8 o'clock the parade was started. About a hundred wheelmen, captained by H. K. Smith, led the parade. The wheels were decorated with lanterns and the riders kept up a bombardment with revolvers. They were also decorated with wide sashes of yellow, which was the predominating color of the parade. Following the wheelmen came Colonel Dailey, marshal, and about fifty mounted aids. A company of about 100 horsemen helped to swell this advance guard of the cavalry. Dalbey's band headed a detachment of the Traveling Men's Sound Money club and the McKinley Marching club. Perhaps no organization in line presented a better appearance than the Colored Voters' Sound Money club.

Next came several hundred youthful republicans, the McKinley Junior Guard. They were all in uniform, carrying torches. Fifty of the last youngsters held to a long rope, at the end of which several hundred old tin boilers, cans and sheet iron of all shapes and sizes had been attached. This produced a magnificent chorus of campaign harmony.

As a direct refutation of the "coercion" cry of the campaign the presence of hundreds of railroad employes was noticeable. They carried an abundance of transparencies, among which were the following: "There is No Coercion with Us;" "Gold, Paper, Silver, All Sound;" "We Were Coerced, Nit."

To equalize the youngsters in front another large company followed this delegation of the railroad men. They had a rare collection of cow bells, horns and tin cans and did their share to keep up the bedlam. Then followed the McPadden Drum corps, the Old Soldiers' Sound Money club, the McKinley Guards with shotguns, a company of mounted horsemen from Keg Creek and a large number of citizens on foot carrying torches.

All along the line of march the crowds greeted the parade with the wildest enthusiasm. Coming up Main street and countermarching on Broadway the parade was but one glare of fireworks. The parade disbanded at the corner of Pearl and Broadway, though many of the marchers were forced to leave before the finish on account of the cold. The crowds then filled the Bryan and McKinley headquarters, where rousing ratification speeches were made.

It was after 9 o'clock when the tumultuous crowds on the streets began pouring into the headquarters building. The McKinley headquarters, which are commodious enough to seat 2,000 people, was quickly filled to the doors. It was the irony of fate that suggested the occupancy of the Bryan headquarters in the other portion of the building. It had been opened and lighted and used by several hundred people as a vantage point from which to view the procession as it passed. At the conclusion of the parade the Omaha band and the John L. Webster guards entered the Bryan room, and within a few minutes the room was filled to overflowing. John N. Baldwin and C. G. Saunders were the speakers. It was expected that John L. Webster and Congressman Hager would be present and address the crowd in the McKinley headquarters, and the room was filled before the parade had ceased marching. President Harl of the McKinley club presided, and in the din of booming shotguns, cannon firecrackers and screaming tin whistles announced that Hager and Webster had been obliged to disappoint them. Hager could not reach the city in time and Webster was laid up with a sore throat and a hoarseness that made it impossible for him to speak. Mr. Harl read telegrams from McKinley and Mark Hanna thanking the club members for the great work they had accomplished. Continuing, Mr. Harl said that Bryan had asked the people to study the silver question. The result of Tuesday indicated that they had studied it and had given an answer that was heard around the world. Mr. Harl pointed out the fact that already more than 25,000 men had been called from the ranks of the unemployed and given work in the reopened factories and mills.

Emmett Tinley, the bright young democrat who helped to lead the revolt that carried so much of the best brain and heart of the western Iowa democratic party into the ranks of the McKinleyites, and Judge McGee, another democrat who had placed national honor and national prosperity above party considerations, also spoke.

Fashions.

Fashions for November is a number that will be eagerly sought for by our customers. Those who secure the publication each month will have at the end of the year a volume of unexampled beauty. Amelia E. Barr's exquisite romance is continued, and another chance afforded our readers to secure the $50 prize.

A new competition is introduced with valuable prize offer and awards of previous contests. A charming Thanksgiving story of an "Authorized Runaway Match" will please the readers. A few other articles can only be mentioned by their titles:

Winter Sports: Ice skating, curling and road skating; illustrated.
Home Made Christmas Gifts; illustrated.
New Dances and New Dancing Shoes; illustrated.
Home Dressmaking; illustrated.
Physiognomy, Graphology and best stories.
Articles upon winter cookery.
Absent-minded stories, etc., etc.
Call and obtain a copy of this November issue.
BOSTON STORE,
Council Bluffs.

Hard Winter Promised.

The weather man has given out the warning that there will be a rigorous winter this year. Preparations to withstand the chilly blasts are in order. What you need is warm underwear, warm gloves, warm shoes. Hughes, the men's outfitter, 415 Broadway, has them.

The young man that wishes to make a favorable impression should not forget the effect of a handsome box of candy. Riekman's is the place to get them.

Lowney's chocolates have an enviable reputation for purity. Riekman's is the place to get them.

School of Household Economics, proper combinations of foods.

Don't forget that Hughes has the finest line of men's furnishings in the city.

A Gala Week at the Boston Store.

Grand Special Attraction for This Week---Nov. 9th to 14th.

THE ADA REHAN SILVER STATUE.

This largest mass of precious metal in the world has been viewed by 20,000,000 people. It was the crowning glory to the World's Fair. It comes to Council Bluffs at the cost of a small fortune, after which it will be taken to Europe to be exhibited in every city in the old world.

FREE EXHIBITION

BOSTON STORE, COUNCIL BLUFFS.

In addition to the above attraction we inaugurate for this week a value giving sale of a magnitude never before attempted in Council Bluffs.

Ladies' Capes and Jackets

Ladies' Black Beaver Capes, large storm collar, trimmed with fancy black braid, a $5.00 value at
$2.75.

Ladies' extra grade Beaver Capes, collar and cape trimmed with silk braid, extra full sweep, actual value $6.00, for this week,
$4.50.

30-inch French Plucked Coney, extra full sweep, large collar, satin lined, value $12.50, special at
$9.00.

30-inch Astrakhan Cape, lined with heavy brocaded black satin, very full sweep and large storm collar, value $27.50, for this sale at
$20.00.

Ladies' Plush Capes, trimmed with braid, and jet collar edged with fur, value $12.50, at
$9.75.

Ladies' heavy black Niggerhead Cloth Jacket, strapped seams, boxed front, value $12.00, at
$7.50.

200 ladies' Tailor Made Jackets, made from melton, boucle, cheviots, beavers, etc., fashioned with Franklin and English box and new double-breasted front, tight and well fitting backs, garments richly trimmed with braid and fur, fancy strapped and braided seams, $15.00 value at
$10.00 AND $12.00.

Ladies' mixed brown and green Jackets, fancy slashed collar and lapel, large pearl buttons and silk lined, value $17.00, at
$12.00.

Prints and Domestic Dept.

Manufacturers prices will prevail during this sale on all Staple Goods in our Domestic snd Print Department.

Domestic Department.

36-inch Unbleached Muslin, 3¾c yard.
Heavy Unbleached Muslin, soft finish, value 6¼c, at 5c yard.
Fine Bleached Muslin, finished soft for needle, 8c value, at 6¼c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 12½c.
All Linen Crash, 6c yard.
Turkey Red Table Damask, value 25c, at 17c a yard.
50c grade Red Damask at 39c.
Heavy Twilled Toweling, 6c value, at 3½c yard.
Unbleached Table Damask, pure linen, value 35c, at 25c.
62-inch pure white Table Damask, value 58c, at 39c per yard.
Pure white Bleached Napkins, full dinner size, value $1.50, on sale at $1.00 per dozen.
Heavy White Shaker Flannel, 3¾c.
Unbleached Canton Flannel, 4c yard.

Print Department.

Best grade American Indigo Blue Print, value 6c, at 3½c yard.
Best Light Prints, 4c yard.
Tartan Red Prints, 5c yard.
Best Apron Check Ginghams, value 7c, at 5c yard.
All standard Prints, including Simpson's gray and Mourning Prints, 5c yard.
Plain Turkey Red Prints, 5c yard.
Extra quality Dress Ginghams, large plaids, at 5c yard.
Large plaid Outing Flannel, value 7c, at 3½c yard.
Remnants of Outing Flannel, in dark and medium colors, value 8½c, at 5c a yard.

Silks and Dress Goods.

Fancy Novelty Dress Goods.

AT 5c YARD.

50 pieces Scotch Plaid Dress Goods, beautiful styles, value 15c, at 5c yard.
Double Fold Plaids, in all the new colorings, value 20c, at 12½c a yard.
Double Width Brilliantines, in black, navy, garnet and brown, value 25c, at 14c.
38-inch all wool French Serges, in a full assortment of colors, a bargain at 25c a yard.
All Wool English Ladies' Cloth, in black and full assortment of colors, at 25c a yard.
Fancy Changeable and Novelty Dress Goods, the 25c grade at 15c a yard.
An assortment of 100 different styles of Fancy Dress Goods, in all wool Boucles, Fancy English Coverts, Jamestown, etc., worth up to 90c, choice of the lot, 50c.

Silk Department

Full line of China Silk, all colors, 25c yard.
Extra White Japanese Wash Silk, 40c value, at 25c yard.
Heavy Black Brocaded India Silks, 75c value, at 50c yard.
$1.25 quality Brocaded Black Gros Grain Silks on sale at 75c yard.
Beautiful line of Fancy Figured Taffeta Silk for waists, worth 69c and 75c, on sale at 50c a yard.
27-inch Black Dress Satin, the $1.50 quality, at $1.00.

SOCIETY HEARS THE RETURNS.

Telephone Service Listened to by Several Pleasant Parties.

Election parties were held at a number of residences throughout the city Tuesday evening and proved decidedly interesting. The returns were received by special bulletins. Mrs. I. M. Treynor kept open house until an early hour in the morning. Her guests were Mrs. B. M. Sargent, Mrs. S. Farnsworth, Mrs. Pontius, Mrs. Key and Mrs. McCune. Mrs. E. W. Hart entertained Miss Eleanor Montgomery, Miss Joe Vincent, Miss Maude Oliver and Miss Florence Martin. Mesdames Fred and John Davis had a merry company of girls at their homes watching the ticker. In the party were the Misses Farnsworthy, Miss Keating and Miss Moore. The bulletins were watched with much interest by a number of women at the home of Mrs. Harl, on Oakland avenue. In the party were Mrs. Foster, Mrs. W. G. Doyland, Mrs. Street, Mrs. Murphy, Miss Carrie Murphy, Mrs. F. C. Lougee, Mrs. W. C. Estep, Mrs. Finley Burke, Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. J. J. Steadman, Mrs. Hugh Cole, Miss Penn of Mount Pleasant, Mrs. J. H. Senseney, Mrs. H. A. Orcutt, Mrs. J. H. Arthur, Miss Hattie Slead, Mrs. Slead and Miss Nettie Hunt. During the evening the gentlemen called. Refreshments were served.

A few friends gathered informally at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Roe on Tuesday evening to hear election returns via telephone. Mr. Harry James presided at the receiver and Mr. James Rice and Charles Haverstock reported the messages to the guests. At 11 o'clock refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Rice and Mrs. Cass. The following were present: Messrs. and Mesdames C. B. Waite, J. Mueller, P. J. Montgomery, Harry James, W. Haverstock, C. H. Van Court, Bloomer, John Davis, Cass, Bell, G. Biersherm, C. Taylor, Kimball, Rev. and Mrs. Askin, J. C. Bixby, Searle, A. Hazelton, S. F. Henry, James Rice, Mrs. Ogden, Charles Haverstock, Mr. Tom Askin.

Election Bets Settled.

Considerable excitement was occasioned on Broadway and Main street yesterday morning over the settlement of an election bet. The wager was a new hat, and a dispute arose over the price and style. The McKinley and the Bryan man had different views on these subjects, as they did on the outcome. It was finally decided to leave the question for settlement to Tom Hughes, the men's outfitter, 415 Broadway, where both the style and the price were quickly and satisfactorily arranged.

Royal Arcanum hall, Nov. 12, at 2 o'clock, at School of Household Economics, Mrs. Harriet MacMurphy will give a course of lectures with demonstrations by a noted chef.

Don't forget Hughes is the men's outfitter, at 415 Broadway.

Cut Glass.—Beautiful.

Just received a complete line of the richest cut glass manufactured. Low prices. Rich designs. Useful articles. Jacquemin & Co., 27 Main street.

Don't forget that Hughes has the most stylish hats in the city.

School of Household Economics, eating to live, or living to eat.

Council Bluffs Churches.

Services will be held in the First Congregational church, corner of Sixth street and Seventh avenue, today. The pastor, Rev. John Askin, D. D., will occupy the pulpit. Morning subject, "Seekers After Christ;" evening subject, "Defective Reformation."

Services at St. Paul's church as usual. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 10:30; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening service and sermon, 4:15. Subject in the morning, "Politics and Religion." Every one welcome. Seats all free.

At the Trinity Methodist church services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. W. Brewer. Class meeting, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Epworth league, 6:30 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m.

Second Presbyterian church, corner Logan and Harmony streets, Rev. Alex Litherland, pastor: Morning subject, "Completed Manhood;" evening, "Requisites for Service." Sabbath school, 12 m.; Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m.; Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

"Hear Ye Him," (10:30 a. m.) and "When the Son of Man Cometh Shall He Find Faith on the Earth?" (7:30 p. m.) will be the themes at the Christian chapel, corner Scott and Mynster streets, today. Rev. J. H. Wright, who arrived in the city from Chicago yesterday, will deliver the sermons.

Services in Grace Episcopal church today: Holy communion at 8 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:30; Sunday school, 3 p. m.; Baptismal service, 4 p. m.; evening service and sermon, 7:30; morning prayer at rectory, 208 Stutsman street, daily at 9; confirmation instructions Tuesday evenings at church at 8 o'clock.

Rev. W. W. Harsha, D. D., of Omaha will preach in the First Presbyterian church at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. today. A joint meeting of the elders and trustees in the study on Monday at 7:30 p. m. An election of elders will be held on Wednesday evening after prayer meeting. A full attendance is earnestly requested. Preaching next Sabbath.

Services today at the First Baptist church, Bayliss Park, at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "What Baptists Believe." Sunday school, 12 m.; Juniors, 3:30 p. m.; Baptist Young People's union, 6:30 p. m.; subject for evening service, 7:30 o'clock, "Soul Elevation." V. C. Rocho, pastor.

Services at the Broadway Methodist Episcopal church today, Rev. J. H. Senseney, pastor: Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.; preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor; Sunday school at 12 m.; Junior league at 1 p. m.; Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. The evening service will be a revival service. All are invited to attend.

Get your winter supply of coal now before the rush and rise in prices. L. M. Shubert will fill your orders promptly and his prices are the lowest. Telephone No. 70; 628 West Broadway.

Dr. Pangle's Diphtheria Specific.

Call at Dr. Pangle's office and get his infallible diphtheria specific. Tested through three epidemics and never failed.

A good smoke, a fragrant smoke will bring ease and contentment. Riekman has the kind of cigars that will make you better contented with yourself and life in general.

Gloves, large and small, for dress and warmth, driving gloves, mittens, the kind you want when you go to see your girl, all can be had at Hughes', the men's outfitter, 415 Broadway.

Ada Rehan.

Ada Rehan silver statue will be on free exhibition for the week, November 9 to 14, at BOSTON STORE, Council Bluffs.

Sewer Pipe, Fire Brick, Belting.

Wholesale and retail. J. C. Bixby, 202 Main street.

F. W. Dean, M. D., eye, ear, nose and throat. 241 Merriam block.

School of Household Economics, principles of home making.

Special sale trimmed hats at Miss Ragsdale's, Pearl street.

Don't forget that Hughes has the greatest assortment of gloves in the city.

Hoffmayr's fancy patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it.

Riekman keeps the finest line of confectionery in the city, seasonable fruits, oysters, a full stock of cigars and tobacco, ice cream and ices in brick or any other style. Prices guaranteed.

Day & Hes, 39 Pearl street, Council Bluffs, have some extraordinary bargains in fruit, garden and farm lands near Council Bluffs. Now is the time to buy real estate.

Enameled brass-trimmed beds $3.95 this week at the Durfee Furniture Co.

Lundgard, the Tailor, 130 S. Main street.

A Few Reminders.

Don't forget that Hughes has the finest line of neckwear in the city.

For sale, 250 chairs, suitable for hall use. A bargain. 415 Broadway.

Don't forget Hughes has the warmest line of underwear in the city.

For Stabbing Story.

The two Neally boys, Will Washington and Charles Turner, the young negroes who were supposed to know about the cutting affray in the Diamond saloon during the Bryan demonstration last Saturday night, had a hearing in the police court yesterday. John Story, the Omaha man who was stabbed, was unable to be present and prosecute the case. The testimony showed that there was no reason for suspecting that any one but Washington was responsible for the stabbing. The others were discharged and he was held. A new information was filed in Justice Cook's court, and the other three negro boys were again arrested. They were released under $400 bonds to appear for hearing on Monday afternoon. There was no difficulty in securing responsible bondsmen for the $1,600 demanded to keep the colored boys out of jail.

CATCHING FROGS FOR MARKET.

The Way the Marylanders Take the Favored Product.

Within recent years a large trade has grown up in Kent county in providing frogs for market, relates the Baltimore Sun. The catching of frogs for their legs has become a business, and the financial returns are rather handsome to the few engaged in the industry. Along the small streams tributary to the larger rivers the big green or mottled black frogs may be found by thousands under the tufts of flag or coarse grass. One frog shipper has sent to the Baltimore market hundreds of frogs' legs each season, and has so increased the demand by the superior size and flavor of the Kent product that he finds it impossible to meet the requirements of the trade.

Frog legs are consumed principally by the patrons of the principal restaurants. Frogs, when cooked, are a delicate white meat, and much more tender than fried chicken. Very nourishing, and easily digested, and are recommended, when stewed, as one of the best diets for invalids with delicate stomachs. Only the hind legs and quarters are eaten, and they are sent to the market ready skinned and salted for cooking.

The market frogcatcher's method of capturing his game is to secure a small, flat-bottomed boat, easy of management, and in the late afternoon, when everything is still, he noiselessly pushes his little craft along the shores of the small creeks and coves. The bull frogs, as they are commonly known, because of their deep, resonant voices, are found sitting in a shallow pool or in the mud under tufts of heavy grass or flag. The novelty and sport of capturing this wily game are worth a row of ten miles on a hot afternoon. Two and sometimes three ordinary sized perch hooks are bound together and baited with red flannel. The hooks are attached to a line of about four feet, and the line is attached to a long, tough angle rod. Approaching the game noiselessly and with extreme caution, the red flannel is gently moved within a few inches of the frog's mouth. As quick as lightning and with a sharp croak, the frog dashes forward and swallows bait, hooks and all. Then follow as gamey struggles as any sportsman ever saw with hook and line.

The amateur frog hunter usually provides himself with a cat-and-rat rifle, the shells loaded with mustard-seed shot, and shoots his game, but this is unsportsmanlike, and is only popular with the uninitiated. Mill ponds, too, are favorite haunts for the frog, and on a clear night the deep roar of the bullfrog chorus may be heard for more than a mile.

The old-time afore-de-war Kent county cook has solved the mysteries of the perfect preparation of the frog, and those who do not know how delicious frogs' legs may be made have many a dainty dish in store for them. After skinning, the legs should be placed in cold water for several hours, then placed on a plate and salted. In several hours more they are ready for cooking. The legs of medium-sized frogs are preferable, as the very large legs are liable to be coarse in the texture of flesh. The most popular way in Kent to cook them is by frying, but there are other ways of making dishes of them to please the palate of the most exacting epicure.

The Crop of Apples.

Statistics of this year's crop of apples are beginning to come in. The New England Homestead estimates the crop in the United States at a little less than 59,000,000 barrels, as against 57,000,000 barrels in 1894, and 60,500,000 barrels in 1895. It appears, then, that the crop which was supposed to be phenomenal, is so only in certain sections, and the general average is low rather than high. New England and New York, however, report over 16,000,000 barrels, as against a little more than 7,000,000 last year; while Michigan has the largest and finest crop she ever had. This is a situation where facilities for distribution are needed, in order that all parts of the country may have their share of the fruit.

Onto His Job.

Indianapolis Journal: "Woman come in and asked for consummated lye," said the grocer's new boy, with a grin.

"You didn't try to correct her, did you?" asked the grocer.

"Me? Naw. I'm onto my job better than that. I just handed her a can of consecrated lye and didn't say a word."

ELECTRO-PHOTOGRAPHY.

The Biograph is the Kinetoscope Enlarged to Life-Size.

The rapid evolution of the kinetoscope is one of the marvels of the present year, says the Baltimore Sun. In 1887 Mr. Edison conceived the idea of reproducing to the eye the effect of motion by means of a swift and graded succession of pictures. The idea was suggested by a child's toy, "the wheel of life," and for several years experiments were conducted at his Orange laboratory, until finally the device was completed. Now, with the nickel-in-the-slot machine, one may see a prize fight, a celebrated dancer or a train in motion, all in miniature, it is true, but none the less vivid and realistic. Even if the kinetoscope had never been developed beyond this point it would still have been a most wonderful invention, but it has not stopped there. Mr. Edison himself has contrived the "vitascope," while Mr. William K. L. Dickson of New York has perfected the "biograph," and both are most remarkable inventions.

The biograph is the kinetoscope on an enlarged plan. The latter gave the pictures in miniature. The former reproduces them life size, and the action is perfect. A New York paper, describing an exhibition of the biograph at the Olympia theater, says of one of the pictures which is produced: "The finest was one of the Empire State express going at sixty miles speed. The train is seen coming out of a distant smoke cloud that marks the beginning of a curve. The smoke puffs grow denser on the vision and soon coach after coach whirrs to the front, and it seems as though the entire left hand section of the house would soon be under the wheels that are racing for New York."

This, it must be admitted, is far ahead of the little figures which dance up and down in the nickel-in-the-slot machine, but the possibilities are still greater. The biograph is but a step farther toward the kinetophonograph, by which in a a few years we may expect to enjoy grand opera with not a singer upon the stage except the figure projected upon the canvas by the new invention. Miss Dickson, the sister of the inventor, tells us what we have in store in the following extracts from a little volume recently issued.

"The rich strain of a Seidl or Damrosch orchestra, issuing from a concealed phonograph, will herald the impending drama and attune the hearts of the expectant throng. The curtain will rise, exposing some one of the innumerable phases of pictorial art, some English pastoral, some fastness in the Alps or Himalayas, some tempestuous ocean scene, quickened with the turbulent anguish of the sea, some exquisite landscape steeped in the jeweled lights of sunset or the roseate sheen of the morn. The actors will enter singly and in groups, in the graceful interweaving of social life, the swirl of the dance or the changeful kaleidoscope of popular tumult. The tones will be instinct with melody, mirth, command, every subtle intonation which goes to make up the sum of vocalism; the clang of arms, the sharp discharge of artillery, the roll of thunder, the boom of ocean surges, the chant of the storm wind, the sound of Andalusian serenades, and the triumphant burst of martial music. All these effects of sight and sound will be embraced in the kinetoscopic drama, and yet of that living, breathing, moving throng not one will be increased in a material frame. A company of ghosts playing to spectral music."

And Mr. Edison himself says: "I believe that in coming years, by my own work and that of Dickson and others, who will doubtless enter the field, grand opera can be given without any material change from the original and with artists and musicians long since dead." May we all live long enough to witness this blending of science with the arts in the most perfect development the world has ever known.

Solving the Pole Question.

A railroad telegraph superintendent, in speaking of telegraph poles, says:

"In Arizona there is a sort of woodpecker that picks the poles absolutely to pieces, thinking there may be some insects inside of the wood. They hear the humming and haven't sense enough to know what causes it. Then near the hills the black bears imagine each pole contains a swarm of bees, and they climb to the top and chew the glass insulators to pieces. But the sand storms are the things that create the most havoc. When the winds blow strongly the sand is drifted at a rapid rate, and the grains cut away the wood at a fearful rate. It was a common thing to have an oak pole worn to a shaving in a day's time, while I have seen poles just ground to the surface of the earth during a single storm.

"Things got so bad out there that the company decided to substitute steel poles for the oak and cedar, but that didn't remedy the evil at all. The sand just wore away the metal on each side of the pole until the center was as sharp as a razor, and all the Indians used to shave themselves on the edge. We finally managed to fix things. Just painted the poles with soft pitch. The pitch caught the sand, and now every pole is about two feet thick and solid as a rock."

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