

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells glass. Sherraden makes photos. Weibach burners at Sixty's. Tel. 100. Budweiser beer. L. Rosenfeldt, agent. Traveling book. A. H. Reed, 511 Broadway. Elmer's six-day watches. Schmitt's. Pictures and frames. Alexander's, 233 B.Y. Mrs. M. M. Duncan is reported to be seriously ill. W. A. Gervais, restorator, 54 Merriam block, Council Bluffs. C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and opticians, 27 South Main street. Get your work done at the popular Eagle Laundry, 124 Broadway. Phone 155. W. C. Eaten, undertaker, 28 Pearl street. Telephone Office, 97 residence. Mrs. John Wagner of Walnut is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. Knepper. Mrs. Swan has gone to Illinois, N. Y. to make an extended visit at the home of her water. Sheridan coat makes a large frame and clear line but is not made at citizens. Fenlon & Foley, sole agents. The Misses Christie Wells and Caroline Fisher returned from Sioux Falls, where they spent Thanksgiving. The youngest Michael Boyle, who was killed Saturday evening by the falling of the lumber, will be held by Coroner Trever at 1 o'clock this afternoon at Undertaker Ebersole's establishment. The funeral of the late Jacob W. Schupp will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Francis church. The Rev. Father Smith and internment will be in the Catholic cemetery. C. E. Brown, a farmer living about twelve miles south of the city, has filed information in Justice Peirson's court against one of his farmhands named Will Kneissman, asking that he be bound to keep the peace. Brown and Kneissman had a dispute over wages and Brown claims Kneissman has threatened to do him bodily injury. Edward Long, arrested Saturday evening for being drunk and disorderly, is the man who had been arrested by Justice Peirson before Judge Aylesworth in police court this morning. Long and Garvey are lawyers in a scolding case on the Northwestern road just north of the city. The foot race between Reddy Ross of this city was pulled off yesterday afternoon at the Olympic park in the presence of a large crowd, considering the frosty condition of the weather. The race was won by Ross by about eight inches and was one of the prettiest ever seen here. "Combe" gave Ross twenty dollars. The time was ten seconds and he won \$300 a side. Mayor Jennings received word yesterday from Mayor J. M. Redmond, president of the Iowa League of Municipalities, that he had been appointed to a city government and legislative committee on the part of the state. The other members of the committee are: C. S. Moore, Mayor; J. H. Quigg, Sioux City; John T. Edwards, Des Moines; Des Moines; J. E. DeWitt, Muscatine. Charles Dewey, who about a week ago was arrested for the theft of an overcoat at the Northern depot, is behind the bars at the city jail again. He attempted to play the role of a burglar yesterday evening and was caught in the act. He was taken to the city jail, where he was confined by the sheriff. The child ran down to the store and told her father, Huber promptly turned himself over to the police, and Dewey was only let out of jail Saturday morning. N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250.

TO SETTLE PLUMBERS' STRIKE

Reference to Local Trades and Labor Assembly a Way Out.

INDICATIONS POINT TO THIS MEANS. Objection to the interference of the Omaha Union to the Principal Cause of the Bosses Holding Back.

There are good prospects that the plumbers' strike will be called settled in a few days at the latest. The bosses objected chiefly to the Omaha union dictating that their business. It now looks as if the whole question will be turned over to the Trades and Labor assembly of this city to settle and if that is done it is believed there will be no difficulty in arriving at a settlement which will be entirely satisfactory to both sides.

GOETHE AT A FIRE.

How He Helped the Jews of Frankfurt Put Out a Conflagration. In connection with the celebration of the Goethe anniversary which has just taken place in most of the large cities of Germany, an incident is recorded by the Jewish Chronicle of an act of kindly heroism on the part of Goethe toward the Jews of Frankfurt. His connection with the Jewish quarter of his native city is too well known to any acquaintances with the details of his life to need any relation here; readers of Lewes' 'Life of Goethe' may find there the significant fact that the young man spent as much time in the Judengasse as he acquired so full a knowledge of 'Yiddish' as to venture on writing a short play in the dialect. It is, therefore, clear that he must have numbered many friends in that part of the city, and it would afford much pleasure to those interested to trace some of these friendships. During the early years of the eighteenth century Frankfurt was the victim of several serious outbreaks of fire, in the course of which hundreds of houses were destroyed and many families left destitute. In consequence of the great misfortunes the city experienced a terrible scare whenever smoke of fires, ringing of bells, beating of drums, clattering of firearms, and all that was available to attract attention in the dead of night, quite out of proportion to the danger. The youthful Goethe received early impressions of these scenes and carried them into his poetic and imaginative brain. But that he was practical as well as imaginative the following incident bears testimony.

ADJUTANT GENERAL BYERS MAKES HIS ANNUAL REPORT TO GOVERNOR.

In his report to the governor, Adjutant General Byers gives the following complete and concise history of the movements of the Iowa regiment in the Spanish-American and Philippine wars.

HISTORY OF THE IOWA REGIMENTS.

The Iowa regiment in the Spanish-American and Philippine wars. The first report was submitted in May 25, 1898; left Des Moines May 28; arrived at Cienfuegos May 31; assigned to the Third brigade, Second division, Third army corps; assigned for attached service in Porto Rico, but was not moved; returned to Des Moines August 30.

IOWAN ROBBED OF A FORTUNE.

Loses Nearly Four Thousand Dollars at Sioux Falls Hotel.

VICTIM, ALBERT MUELLER OF GEORGE. Sells a Store and Visits Some of the Dakota Towns Gambling Resorts, but Loses Little in that Way.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Dec. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Albert Mueller of George, Ia., who has been in Sioux Falls for several days on business, today reported to the police that he had been robbed of \$3,000 in cash. Mueller, a well-to-do merchant, owned a store at George and Sutherland, Ia. He came to Sioux Falls a few days ago on a business transaction, bringing with him \$2,500 in cash. His interest in one of his stores was disposed of recently and in payment he received \$1,000 in cash.

HE WAS BORN SO.

Troubles of a Man Who Has a Genius for the Inopportune.

"There goes a man," said a Canal street philosopher, according to the New Orleans Times-Herald, "who has made a failure of it in spite of exceptional equipment for success. He is, however, a highly educated and as industrious as a beaver. He has no bad habits, and I couldn't name a man in New Orleans who possesses a kinder disposition, yet he is continually out of a job, and is studiously avoided by everybody who knows him."

UNIQUE MARRIAGE CUSTOMS.

Peculiarities of Courtship and Marriage in the Transvaal. In view of the recent developments of strategic military movements of the Boer forces under the command of General Piet Joubert in the war with England, it may be interesting to note some of the peculiar characteristics of this exclusive and retiring race of people, who care for nothing but to be left alone to govern themselves as best they see fit.

After the slow thinking and often slower moving Boer makes up his mind that he loves the girl of his choice he brings for her approval some "inchergoer" (confectionery) made in his own kitchen. The whole of the gift which he offers with so much trepidation, and then the happy actor is allowed to sit in the midst of the coffee-drinking family for an hour or more. If the lady receives the love token with a certain amount of interest, she declines to begin talking to him, but she must seek elsewhere for conquests. Finally, after enduring the agony of the coffee-drinking, he is left alone with the girl. But the wise tact, according to custom, puts a limit on his words. He is permitted to speak only in the wax candle, which is a mute statement. "So long art thou welcome, and no longer." The happy swain sits and stares at his innamorata until the candle burns to the mark. He then makes his departure. If, however, he loves her wisely, but too well and overstates his time limit, never again does he have the opportunity of seeing his sweetheart alive.

After the courtship has progressed sufficiently, the young man stands and with the aid of a wife, and if these are satisfactory the wedding ceremonies are arranged. The marriage chamber is prepared, the bed and box being decked out in white with bands of gold and silver. A row of chairs is arranged for the guests who are to assemble, witness and take part in the ceremony.

Non-Sinkable Boats. The latest invention for saving life comes from London and is a non-sinkable boat. If people would pay as much attention to the preservation of life in other ways, there would be a great improvement. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a life preserver, discovered 50 years ago. It cures dyspepsia, indigestion and all forms of stomach trouble. It is an excellent tonic for the whole system and may be had from any druggist.

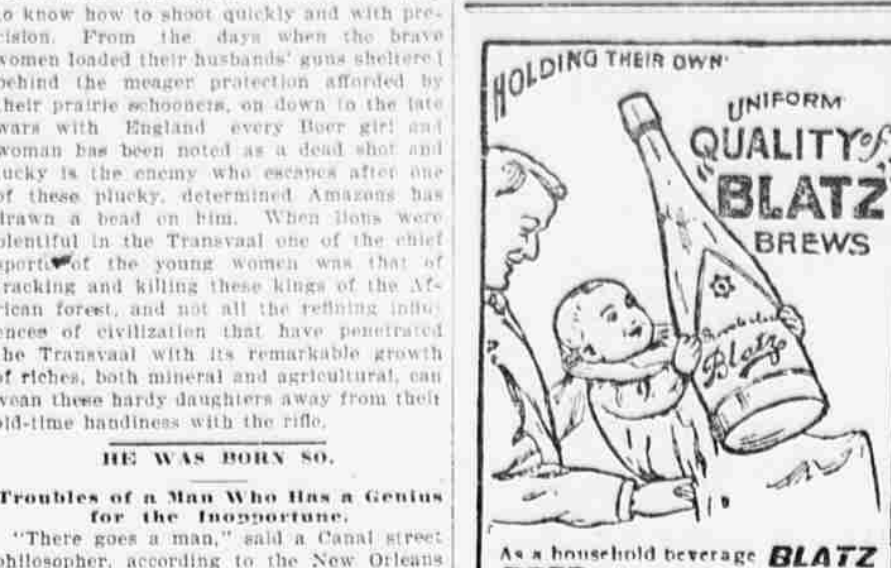
FORECAST OF THE WEATHER.

Fair Monday and Tuesday with warmer in Eastern Portion of Nebraska. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Forecast for Monday and Tuesday. For Nebraska—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair, with warmer in eastern portion; northerly winds. For Iowa—Fair Monday and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday in western portion; northerly winds. For Missouri—Fair Monday and Tuesday; west to north winds. For South Dakota—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair and warmer; northerly winds. For Kansas—Fair Monday and Tuesday; northerly winds. For Colorado and Wyoming—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair and warmer; variable winds. Local Record. OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL BLUFFS BUREAU. OMAHA, Dec. 3.—Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding days of the preceding years:

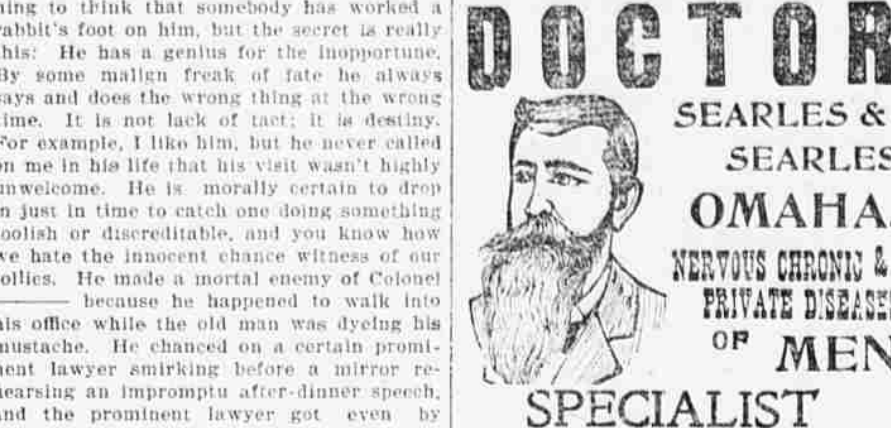
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Within the week every effort will be made by the officers of the American Boy Scouts to induce the publication of a national committee to select Philadelphia for the republican convention next year.

DETOUR, Mich., Dec. 3.—A special from the Upper Peninsula reports heavy snow on the coast. At Marquette the snow has fallen all the morning and is very deep. Reports from the western part of the state indicate some snow through that section.

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