

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE WEEK

Last week there were only two men who were absolutely sure that they would attend the shoot to be held at Seneca, Kan., the first of next month...

Rasmussen, center; J. Pjerru, left guard; H. Churchhill, right, with H. N. Nelson, sub. This was the lineup with the Bellevue team last night and the score shows that they are exceedingly interesting for the college boys...

The local Young Men's Christian association athletes are busy these days and nights, and it only takes a look into their gymnasium any hour of the day, after noon until 10 o'clock at night, to prove the truth of their complaint that the quarters provided for them are not a third large enough...

The bowling interest keeps hiking right along and if anything is stronger than at the first of the season. There are but nine more games to be played to decide the supremacy in the local league...

The basketball team of the association that played the Bellevue college team last night is one of the strongest amateur organizations of the kind in any town and while their squabbles have thus far been mostly confined to their own little coop...

Gun club shoots are thick on the calendar these days and will continue to be throughout the summer. From May 11 to 28 the Iowa State Sportsman's association will hold one at Spirit Lake...

WOMEN CATCH ON QUICKLY

Prove Worthy Imitators of Crooked Politicians in Colorado

TESTIMONY IN THE SHAFROTH CONTEST

How Women Voters Voted Early and Often, Stuffed Ballot Boxes and Conspired Against the Integrity of Citizenship.

When Congressman Shafroth of Colorado resigned his seat in the house of representatives the day after his election at the same time that his election was procured by fraud, public interest naturally turned to the sources of a scandal so glaring as to compel an open confession...

Scenes at the Polls.

One witness, Edwin V. Brake, describes how a man named Owens and his wife came to register. "They stood for an hour to an hour and a half next the clerk," says Brake...

Joseph F. Maxwell testified that a number of women were put on the rolls who did not register and were not residents, one of whom, Alice Hill, was a girl only 17 years old.

Maxwell said he discovered a woman voting in one polling place under the name of Mary O'Leary in another as Mary C. Bates. He arrested her, and she made a confession, which shows that the market rate for women's votes was \$1.

How Good Women Were Treated.

The kind of experience good women had to undergo at the polls is illustrated in the testimony of A. Newton Patton. He brought two girls named Baker to the polling place to register, both republicans.

Woman Out-herods Herod.

A pleasanter side of woman's attitude for politics is given in the testimony of Mrs. Mary McGrath, a republican, who discovered that she had a number of republican women to register, but the clerks would not allow them to do so.

Ottis Will Be Probate.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Much valuable real estate in the business district of Chicago was devised by the will of the late Frederick R. Ottis, which has been filed in the probate court.

RHEUMATISM THE PLAGUE OF OLD AGE



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lots with my left hand so as to disguise my handwriting. "They numbered and folded the ballots, and each took charge of some of them."

But the testimony of Mrs. Beatrice Muhleman was the prettiest thing in the two big volumes of evidence. She was a member of the conspiracy; but some of the democrats testified that she was a republican spy.

Miss Beswick's Tireless Activity. Miss Beswick's last job that day was to arrange a scheme by which the republican judge of election was to be ousted and a democrat put in his place.

A Human Interest Incident. Miss Sarah E. Stout was a republican challenger, and her testimony sheds a delicate light on the human interest side of woman suffrage.

challenging votes all day, and it doesn't do you any good. "Mr. Sooo used to be my beau," was the crushing answer.

Another delightful picture of woman exalting the franchise was contributed by William H. Medaris. "A woman wants to vote. She wanted to there was no McKinley ticket. She said she wanted to vote the Roosevelt ticket."

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