

CITY CHAT.

J. S. Gilmore is in Chicago.
Cralle & Co.—reliable livery.
M. Schnell is at St. Joseph, Mo.
The best broom—Lee's Little Gem.
K. P. Hubbard went to Chicago this morning.
G. W. Cash has returned from his Nebraska trip.

The Standard club gives its opening ball Nov. 5.

Gas with Welsbach lights is cheaper than electric light.

C. G. Stevens, of Mount Vernon, Ia., is visiting friends in the city.

Gas with Welsbach lights is as cheap per candle power as kerosene oil.

Extension tables \$3 this week at Spicer's, 313 Brady street, Davenport.

Mrs. and George Wagner are visiting their son, Ernst Wagner, at St. Louis.

Dancing school at Roche's hall Tuesday evening. Good order guaranteed.

Dr. A. Grassau has returned from a business trip to Grinnell and Brooklyn, Iowa.

The Moline Plow company has renewed operations after a protracted shut down.

Thomas E. Kunkle, of Springfield, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mixer today.

When ordering carriages remember Cralle & Co. Careful drivers and moderate charges.

Rockers and chairs, new styles, low prices at Spicer's, 313 Brady street, Davenport.

A 2-pound package of oat meal 5 cents. Rio coffee 17 cents a pound at Horton's.

Charcoal, hard and soft coal, coke, hard wood and kindling at McKown's. Phone 1198.

Mrs. C. Tegeler and daughter, Miss Mildred, have returned from a three weeks' visit to Chicago.

The infant daughter of Prof. and Mrs. P. M. Lindberg, 945 Forty-fifth street, died this morning.

On and after Oct. 15, the Verne Swain will leave Davenport at 2:30 and Rock Island at 2:45 p. m.

Welsbach lights give twice the light with only one-half the gas used with the common gas burner.

Mrs. Moses Bowen has gone to Clatskanie, Kas., where her son is sojourning for the benefit of his health.

Henry Burris is attending the state grand Masonic lodge (colored) as a delegate from the Rock Island fraternity.

This is the week when bargains are ripe at McCabe Bros'. Pluck them while they hang within reach. No chairs.

Cape Cod cranberries 7 1/2 cents a quart, and sauer kraut 15 cents a gallon, pickles 19 cents a gallon at Horton's.

Full line furs, capes, cloaks, etc. Repairing and manufacturing given prompt attention. T. Richter & Sons, furriers, Davenport.

The Democrat announces that Davenport's new federal building will not be ready for occupancy until about the first of next year.

The warmth of feeling experienced at the McKinley club home coming last evening, was even sufficient to thaw out the frosty Mr. Gest.

Choice bargain snaps in ladies' coats, jackets and capes this week at McCabe's. A word to the wise—buter drop in this week and see.

The parties suspected of assaulting Charles Muse Sunday night, have left the city, so Chief Etzel says, and their whereabouts is unknown just now.

The numerous friends of Judge Glenn will be pleased to hear of his recovery from his recent illness. He opened court at Monmouth yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taber desire to publicly express their thanks to all assisting in their recent affliction, and especially to those sending floral tributes.

Mrs. Frances Frank Mixer, J. R. Kimball and E. G. Frazer have returned from Springfield, where they attended the Illinois Federation of Woman's clubs.

Jasper Tice, a bailiff from Mount Sterling, is in the city today to accompany James Thompson, under arrest here, and wanted in that town, for wife abandonment.

E. Ferguson and William Rutliff, two of the young men caught in Dora Foster's resort on Twenty-fifth street Sunday night, pleaded guilty to being inmates of a disorderly house before Magistrate Schroeder and were assessed \$8 and costs apiece.

Mrs. L. M. Conover and Mrs. J. W. Elliott are attending the state convention of the Order of the Eastern Star at Peoria as representatives of the Rock Island branch.

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The groom, who is an employee of Deere & Mankin company in Moline, has been married twice before. The couple will reside at 1315 Forty-fourth street, this city.

This is the first day of registration for the coming election. The judges were on hand at the voting places in each ward engaged in transferring names from the old to the new poll books and registering the names of those who have changed voting places since the last election.

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Commissioner Medill says that the announcement in the newspapers was the first intimation that he had that there was anything wrong. He had reason to believe that the specifications were being carried out by the contractors, who by the agreement are obliged to employ union labor, and he expressed himself as very much put out that the labor organizations should make such claims when there was no cause.

River Rapids.

The Winona and Long passed up and the Verne Swain was in and out. The water was stationary at 1.15 at the bridge this morning, the temperature being 60.

The water is rising at St. Paul and St. Louis with slight variations at intermediate points. The forecast says except a slight falling tendency there will be very little change in the river stage during the next 24 hours.

Judge Castleman's Funeral.

The funeral services of the late Judge Castleman will be held at Christ church, St. Louis, Thursday, and the interment will occur at Chipiannock Friday.

The Weather.

Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; very little change in temperature; light variable winds. Today's temperature, 70.

F. J. WALK, Observer.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

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Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be recommended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

For Something Nice

In the grocery line you can always rely on Hess Bros. Here is a list of seasonable vegetables and fruits.

Vegetables.

Spinach, Lima Beans, Oyster Plant, Radishes, Squash, Onions, Hubbard, Spanish, Egg Plant, Soup Beans, Peas, Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Wax Beans, Celery.

Fruits.

California Peaches and Pears, New York Grapes, Delaware Grapes, Oranges, Quinces, Preserving Pears, Pickling Pears, Michigan Peaches by the basket, choice Eating Apples, sweet Apples, Cranberries, Bananas, Oranges, Cocoanuts.

Dressed Spring Chickens, Oysters, canned and bulk, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Syrup, Chewst, Honey, and Hazel Nuts. All orders will receive our usual prompt attention. Respectfully,

HESS BROS.

SPECIAL :::

LADIES'

\$3.00 Welts.

Elegant Styles and All Widths. Better Values Than Ever.

HIGH SCHOOL SHOES.

Kangaroo Calf \$2.25 and \$2.75.

Cannot be equalled for wear. Very stylish also.

THE BOSTON

School Books

—AT—

Taylor's

1717 Second Avenue.



MONARCH OF THE BASE BURNERS.

The Riverside

Hard Coal Base Burner.

Smooth Castings. Perfect Mountings. Elegant Trimmings. With more good points than any stove made.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

DAVID DON,

1615-1617 - SECOND AVENUE.

Get off the Earth



If you are looking for a place where they cook and serve the succulent bivalve in more tempting styles than at KRELL & MATH'S. Their Baltimore broil, steamed, pan-fried, raw, fried or stewed.

OYSTERS

Are both delicious and nourishing and cooked in the highest style of the art. Direct your friends to us for a nice luncheon. We serve the finest of

Hot Coffee, Tea or Chocolate

And with a good sandwich—rolls and butter—or a nice slice of cream—apple or peach pie, which cannot be equalled in the city, will make a fine lunch.

KRELL & MATH

When you can't get home for your meal try our Oysters. They will satisfy you more than a solid meal.

Phone 1186 1715-1718 Second Ave.

NEVER AS PRETTY.

NEVER AS LOW IN PRICE.

Besides there is something in the touch, finish and style of

M. & K.

BOYS' WEARING APPAREL

That distinguishes it from all other makes and which merit alone can produce. Parents who take pride in seeing their boys look neat and natty, should, by all means, visit our boys' department.

NEW STYLES ARE NOW IN

And they are decidedly the sweetest, cutest, latest and handsomest we have ever shown. If you are looking for a little better article at a less price than you expected to pay, by all means visit

M. & K.

Sole agents for Dugan & Hudson's Iron Clad Boys' Shoes—The best shoe on earth, and a guarantee with every pair.

Headquarters for Fine Clothing and Shoes

McIntyre-Reck Dry Goods Co.

THE BARGAIN CENTER

1709 and 1711 Second Avenue, Rock Island, Ill.

PUSHING AND FORCEFUL BUYING

The past four weeks have placed a building LOT OF BARGAINS on our counters, which are being pushed out at a sacrifice. Things have to be sold unusually cheap just now, and we propose to be a little ahead in forcing prices to the lowest point.

BLACK DRESS GOODS. Are you interested? Read on and come early in the week: some of the best values will be sold out quickly. 40-inch Poplin of all wool makes, very choice figures. The quality at \$1.00. Each fabric 2-yard measure reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.00. 42-inch to 44-inch Poplin, reduced to \$1.00, now \$1.00. 42-inch to 44-inch Poplin, reduced to \$1.00, now \$1.00.

COLORED DRESS GOODS. Half dozen styles of bright, handsome plaids. Very valuable for children's dresses, will attract attention. The price is not the least of our features, ought to be a quarter. The price is not the least of our features, ought to be a quarter. The price is not the least of our features, ought to be a quarter.

CAPIES AND JACKETS. A word about our jackets. They fit like wax and wear well, and the price is always small. It is giving solid values that has made this the best of our department in Rock Island.

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