

SET OTHER TERMS

Placing of Wires Under Ground Not Sufficient Concession by Company.

BASIS OF UNION ELECTRIC

Aldermen Agree Upon Demands to Be Made Upon Central Union—Hold meeting This Evening.

The city council will meet in special session this evening for the purpose of reaching some understanding with the Central Union Telephone company as to its rights in this city.

Ordinance Offered.

The ordinance offered by Mr. Mann attorney for the company, which provided for the placing of the wires underground, it seems was not a sufficient concession on the part of the corporation and the council expects to make demands that will, if carried to a successful conclusion, place both companies upon the same footing and show favoritism to neither corporation.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight, with the lowest temperature about 29 degrees above zero.

With a decrease in intensity in the northern anti-cyclone, and the appearance of an area of relatively low pressure over the Red river valley, moderating weather has occurred from eastern Montana and eastern Wyoming to town and Minnesota and in the middle Atlantic states and New England. Freez-

Calumet Baking Powder. A friend of the Home—A foe of the Trust. Moderate in price—Makes purest food.

Closing Out Sale

In order to make room for our immense line of spring goods, which will soon begin to arrive, we have decided to close our entire line of Overcoats and Winter Suits at a price that will make them go fast,

25% to 33% Discount During this Sale. For Cash Only

Don't miss this opportunity, where you are able to get a pick of the cleanest and finest line of clothing in the three cities.

GUSTAFSON & HAYES

ing temperatures are again noted on the coast of Texas and almost to the coasts of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama, while the storm that remains central over the east gulf is causing rains from Texas to South Carolina and snow in northern Georgia. Snow buries have also occurred at scattered stations from the upper Mississippi valley to New England. Generally fair conditions will continue in this vicinity tonight and Thursday, with warmer tonight, due to the low pressure now over western Minnesota.

J. M. SHERIER, Observer. Temperature at 7 a. m., 12; at 2:30 p. m., 20. Minimum temperature in 21 hours, 16. Velocity of wind at 8 a. m., 6 miles an hour.

CITY CHAT.

Insure with McKee. Leaf lard at Gilmore's. Best coal in town; page 7. Buy a home of Reidy Bros. Tri-City Towel Supply company. Only prepared coal in town; page 7. For bus or express, Spencer & Trefz. For bus, baggage, express call Robb's. Nothing cleaner than Mueller's cook stove coal. For good coal, telephone Mueller Lumber company. No one can sell coal for less than Mueller. High grade. Important price savings on furniture at McCabe's. See ad. Coal, coal, all kinds coal at lowest prices. See ad, page 7. The stage of water was 4.20 at 6 a. m., and 4.40 at noon. Nothing better than Mueller's coal for furnaces. See ad, page 7. Ice cream and ice cream soda at Peterson's, 1314 Third avenue.

Mrs. Austin's pancakes, really superior to everything. Ask your grocer. Mrs. Austin's pancakes, really superior to everything. Ask your grocer. Mrs. Austin's pancakes, really superior to everything. Ask your grocer. Thursday at 2:30 p. m., at McCabe's, 28 to 68 cent wool waists, 25 cents a yard.

Plenty of black bass, catfish and brook trout at Aten's fish market, 1510 Second avenue. Plenty of fresh fish and oysters every day at Aten's fish market, 1510 Second avenue. Frog legs and plenty of fresh cooked lobsters at the Aten fish market, 1510 Second avenue.

Opening of the new draperies, portieres, couch covers, imported madras, etc., at McCabe's. The ferry, T. J. Robinson, undaunted by the ordeal of winter of the past few

PRESENTS POSERS

Peoples Sovereignty League Has Questions for Local Candidates.

ANSWERS TO BE PUBLISHED

Organization to Promote Initiative and Referendum Formed at Moline.

Hereafter local candidates for aldermen, members of the legislature, state senate and congress will have to run the gauntlet of a series of questions at the hands of the Rock Island council of the Peoples' Sovereignty League of America. If the questions which will be published, are not answered in a satisfactory manner the candidates cannot expect the support of the league, to which all voters are eligible as members.

This organization was formed at a meeting last evening at the Art Gallery at Moline. Its prime object is the furtherance of the initiative and referendum. There are no initiation fees or dues, and no bars to membership other than those which prevent an individual from wielding the franchise. It is nonpartisan. Its constitution, which is in the form of a declaration of principles, is being circulated and signature constitutes membership.

Officers Elected. The first set of officers chosen last evening are: President—J. A. Logsdon, Moline. Vice President—Marshall Beck, Moline. Secretary—E. H. Putnam, Moline. Treasurer—C. R. Walker, Rock Island.

days, came up from the boat yard this morning and continued its record breaking season of activity.

The Ideal restaurant makes a specialty of a fine dinner every day. Try it, 1614 Second avenue. Travel over the Rock Island bridge yesterday included 1,371 foot, 984 teams and 294 street cars.

The Plattdeutschen Schwestern will give their annual masquerade Feb. 10, at Turner hall. General admission, 25 cents. Prizes will be awarded.

Expert manuring, shampooing and thorough treatment of the hair and scalp given by Mrs. Sol Levi, 736 Seventeenth street. Old 'phone west 59.

The Vestment guild of Trinity church will hold a tea and sale of articles suitable for valentine gifts in the choir room at the rear of the church, Saturday from 2 to 5 p. m. A program will be rendered during the afternoon.

Enthusiasm increases in McCabe's clearing sale of china, glassware, housefurnishings, jewelry and silverware. Every day brings forth new bargains. As one lot is closed out another takes its place. It will pay you to go every day.

Officers of Bethany Home have decided that, inasmuch as the institution is supported jointly by Rock Island and Moline, the trade shall hereafter be divided between the two cities. They have already taken steps to deal with local and Plow City merchants during alternate periods.

FIRE UNDER AN OIL SHED

Narrow Escape from Serious Conflagration—Small Damage.

The fire department was called at 1:10 this afternoon to Moeller Bros. grocery store, Fifth avenue and Twenty-first street, fire having been discovered under the oil shed, in the rear of the store building. The origin is unknown. It started, apparently, from the outside, and the flames rapidly spread in the oil-saturated wood. Fortunately the flames did not reach the store of oil. The floor and one side of the building were burned. The damage is about \$30.

Clinton Contractor Suicide. Butler King, a prominent resident of Clinton and member of a leading contracting firm, was found dead in his room at the Grand hotel; in that city yesterday morning. He had shot himself with a 32-calibre revolver. His suicide followed a protracted spree.

WHY MANY PEOPLE SUFFER FROM CONSTIPATION.

A Sure and Safe Relief. Constipation is most often caused by a torpid liver or failure of the stomach and bowels to perform their proper functions. The condition is commonly due at first to irregular habits of living and improper food, and if properly treated can be readily relieved. It is, however, too often aggravated and made chronic by the use, as medicine, of powerful and expensive drugs, which purge and perhaps give temporary relief, but are so drastic in effect as to damage the tender lining of the stomach and bowels, leaving a condition worse than at first. This can, however, be avoided, and the bowels gently and thoroughly opened by the use of nature's own remedy—the famous Natural Mineral Laxative Water—HUNYADI JANOS—which has been relieving suffering mankind all over the world for nearly half a century. One dose, 1/2 a tumblerful, drunk on arising in the morning, (slightly warmed for best results) will, within an hour, bring a delightful and refreshing relief. A whole bottle costs but a trifle, and it is best to keep one always on hand. Every druggist keeps it.

Print Flyer

Thursday and Friday all day, best 8c dark style, extra wide dress prints, per yd 5c

Opening of the New Draperies, Portieres, Couch Covers. Imported Madras, etc.

TAPESTRY Curtains, in rich Oriental and Indian colorings, plain and two toned colors, 36 to 50 inches wide, per pair, \$4.75, \$3.98, \$2.87, \$2.25, \$1.87, \$1.48 Couch Covers prolong the life of couches, and often add to the room decoration. Artistic couch covers can be had here at, each, \$3.62, \$2.68, \$2.25 and - - - \$1.48 Have the Old Pieces of Furniture Upholstered now before the spring rush. Beautiful line of Repps, Brocatelles, Velours, Gobelin Tapestries, at yard, \$2.25, \$1.87, \$1.25, 75c and - - - 62c Skillful workmen in our Upholstering Dept. to attend to your wants. Work called for and delivered.

Some Exceptional Bargains in Blankets for Prompt Buyers

Thursday at 9 o'clock and while the lots last: \$1.50 soft fleece, great big, gray blankets, one pair to a customer 88c \$1.25 comforters, covered with good robe prints, well stitched, each 79c \$2.75 best Silkoline comforters, hand knotted, each 1.75

Furniture Department, Important Price-Savings

\$6.50 for Mission Rockers, upholstered in Chase leather, weathered oak finish, with large flat arms. \$13.50 for solid oak sideboards, carved tops and doors, silver drawer, lined drawer for knives, forks, etc., large lined drawer, and two door cupboard. \$2.50 for Parlor Tables, 24x24 in. tops, set best golden oak, piano polish. \$9.50 for Princess Dressers; golden oak, 18x36 in., French bevel mirrors.

Linoileums, Imported and Domestic

NEW patterns for Spring, 1906, now on sale. Unique designs and colorings in inlaid, wood files, granites, wood planks, printed and plain goods. We show a very attractive assortment of these goods. To start them moving at a rapid pace we offer six (6) good patterns, per yard 39c

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Following are the market quotations today:

Wheat. May, 85 1/2, 85 1/2, 84 1/2, 85. July, 84 1/2, 84 1/2, 83 1/2, 83 1/2. September, 83 1/2, 83 1/2, 82 1/2, 82 1/2. Corn. May, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2. July, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2. September, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 44 1/2. Oats. May, 30 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2. July, 29 1/2, 29 1/2, 29 1/2, 29 1/2. September, 28 1/2, 28 1/2, 28 1/2, 28 1/2. Pork. May, 14 1/2, 14 1/2, 14 1/2, 14 1/2. July, 14 1/2, 14 1/2, 14 1/2, 14 1/2. Lard. May, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2. July, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2. September, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2. Beans. May, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2. July, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2.

Receipts today—Wheat 7, corn 260, oats 80, hogs 40,000, cattle 17,000, sheep 17,000. Hog market opened steady. Hogs left over 8,600. Light 5.60@5.80, mixed and butchers 5.60@5.85, good heavy 5.60@5.85, rough heavy 5.60@5.70. Cattle market opened steady. Sheep market opened slow. Hogs at Omaha 9,000, cattle 9,000, Hogs at Kansas City 14,000, cattle 10,000.

U. S. Yards, 8:40 a. m.—Hog market steady. Light 5.55@5.75, good heavy 5.55@5.85, mixed and butchers 5.55@5.82, rough heavy 5.55@5.65. Cattle market strong. Sheep market steady. Hog market closed strong to a shade higher. Light 5.55@5.77, rough heavy 5.55@5.65, mixed and butchers 5.55@5.85, good heavy 5.55@5.85. Cattle market closed strong to 10c higher. Sheep market closed slow.

New York Stocks. New York, Feb. 7.—Gas 99 1/4. U. P. 155. U. S. Steel preferred 110. U. S. Steel common 44 1/2. Reading 137 1/2. Rock Island preferred 65 1/2. Rock Island common 27 1/2. O. & W. 52 1/2. Southern Pacific 67 1/2. N. Y. Central 148 1/2. Missouri Pacific 101 1/2. Metropolitan 120 1/2. Manhattan 160. L. & N. 150. Snelgers 162 1/2. C. P. I. 72 1/2. Canadian Pacific 172 1/2. Illinois Central 173 1/2. Penna 141 1/2. Erie 45 1/2. T. C. I. 157 1/2. C. & O. 59. B. R. T. 84 1/2. B. & O. 113 1/2. Atchison 92. Locomotive 75 1/2.

LOCAL MARKET CONDITIONS.

Today's Quotations on Provisions, Live Stock, Feed and Fuel.

Rock Island, Feb. 7.—Following are the wholesale quotations in today's market:

Provisions and Produce. Butter—Dairy, 20c to 22c. Lard—8c@10c. Live Poultry—Spring chickens, 10c a pound; hens, per pound, 9c; ducks, per pound, 11c; turkeys, per lb., 13c to 15c. Geese, per pound, 10c. Vegetables—Potatoes, 65c. Eggs—Fresh, 18c@20c. Feed and Fuel. Grain—Corn, 42c@45c; oats, 30c@32c. Forage—Timothy hay, \$9@11; prairie, \$7@9; clover, mixed, \$7@8. Straw, \$5 to \$6. Wood—Hard, per load, \$5@5.50. Coal—Lump, bushel, 13c; slack, per bushel, 8c@9c. Live Stock. Cattle—Steers, \$3@5; cows and heifers, \$2@4; calves, \$5@7. Sheep—Yearlings or over, \$2.00@3; lambs, \$4@6.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$4.75 to \$5.25.

IS AN ABLE MONOLOGIST.

Montaville Flowers to Give Recital at Augustana College Friday, Feb. 9.

The interpretive recital of Ben Hur to be given by Montaville Flowers at Augustana college, Friday evening, Feb. 9, has been highly commended by such men as Gen. Lew Wallace, Dr. Gunsalus, Bishop McCabe, Booker T. Washington, etc. Mr. Flowers is one of the ablest and best known monologists in the country and his recital of Ben Hur is one of his best. Reserved seats are now on sale at the Harper House pharmacy at 50 cents.

Sues for Divorce.

Charging her husband, Thomas Panis, with extreme and repeated cruelty, Mrs. Flora Panis has brought suit in the circuit court for divorce. They were married March 14, 1904, and separated Jan. 21, 1906. John Looney is attorney for the complainant.

Newspaper "Tips" Sacred.

London, Feb. 7.—The court of appeals has rendered the interesting decision that newspapers cannot be compelled by the courts to divulge their

sources of information except under special circumstances. The point was raised in a libel suit against a trade paper.

PRISON FOR CARELESSNESS

Sentence of Muscatine Driver Who Caused a Death, Confirmed. William Moore, a horse trainer, who ran over and caused the death of Thomas K. Winnemore, an old man, at Muscatine, must serve 10 months in jail for manslaughter. The case, which was originally tried three years ago at Muscatine, was carried to the state supreme court and the verdict has just been sustained.

DR. CORBUS AGAIN CHOSEN

Superintendent of Illinois Eastern Hospital Re-elected. Kankakee, Ill., Feb. 7.—Dr. J. C. Corbus has been reelected as superintendent of the Illinois Eastern hospital at the first meeting of the new board of trustees. C. R. Miller resigned his position as purchasing agent to accept that of assistant to State Treasurer Small. Charles Armitage, a clerk under Mr. Miller, was appointed to the vacancy. B. E. Sunny, of Chicago, was elected president of the board.

WORKING FOR THE BALLOT

Numerously Attended Meeting of Woman Suffrage Association Opens. Baltimore, Feb. 7.—The 38th annual convention of the Woman's Suffrage association began here today and will continue until the 13th. The meeting is one of the most numerous attended gatherings ever held by the woman suffragists in this country, nearly all prominent leaders of the cause being present.

Railway Men Here.

M. A. Patterson, assistant general freight agent of the Rock Island; and the following traveling freight agents, were Rock Island business visitors today: George C. Howe of Chicago, with the Baltimore & Ohio; G. A. Hart of Chicago with the Indianapolis & Louisville; O. L. Hill of Peoria, with the Chicago & Alton; A. L. Trowbridge of Chicago, representing the Missouri Pacific and other Gould lines; and Frederick W. Jones, of the Chicago & North-Western.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Jumbo Cottonbatts

Each one makes a quilt or comforter. 2, 3 and 4 lbs weight, at each, 75c, 59c and 39c

Thursday at 2:30 p. m., 38c to 68c Wool Waists, 25c yard

FIVE hundred yards wool waist cloths in plain and fancy styles, all wool challies, this season's best waist weavers, a snap and they won't last long at yard 25c

Valentines

DAN CUPID knew what he was doing when he showered those beautiful and humorous valentines at this store, and at prices equally attractive. A belated lot of about 1,000 of the best valentines you ever saw at the prices has just been placed on sale. Coming so late we would not have accepted them if they had not been so good; prices begin at six for 5c, or 1c each. Plenty of others, refined, artistic, sentimental, at most modest prices. Our valentine booth is a delightful place to enjoy a few leisure minutes.

ENTHUSIASM INCREASES

In the big sale of China, Glassware, House Furnishings, Jewelry and Silverware; Inaugurated Monday

EACH day's sales larger than the day before, showing conclusively that the values offered are exceptional. Hundreds of pleased buyers are proving our best advertisers.

Each day brings forth something new in the bargain sections. Not room enough to show everything at once—as one lot is closed out another takes its place. It will pay you to come every day.

Big Cuts in Cut Glass

Finest American cut glass bowls, vases, cream and sugars, perfume bottles, etc., etc., at prices that are hard to resist.

Haviland & Co.'s Dinnerware

Open stock sets, choicest patterns, at a discount.

Electric Lamps, Gas Lamps, Carving Sets, Coffee Percolators, priced way down.

Odd Pieces—Ebony toilet pieces at about half prices.

1 only Royal Doulton Chop set, 13 pieces, value \$16.99, for \$9.98 \$4 fine quadruple plated silver salad bowls at \$1.98 Two cut glass milks and pepper shakers, ten different designs, half price, each 5c Egg shell china tea cups and saucers, Japanese, worth up to 25c, each 10c Covered vegetable dishes, neat decorations, \$1.99 value—about 8 of these at 38c Granite iron water pails, value 50c, at 25c Haviland china plates and ice cream dishes, 25c Haviland & Co.'s china cups and saucers 38c \$4 fine quadruple plated silver bowls at \$1.98 Cut glass milks and pepper shakers, heavy solid silver tops, at, per pair, 98c and 75c Heavy solid silver teapots, full size, French gray finish, value \$6.00 for set of six, \$4.25 Two only, solid silver candle sticks, value \$8.50, at, each \$5. Two only, solid silver candle sticks, value \$11.50, at, each \$6.75 One only, silver baking dish, value \$6.75, \$3.98 Five only, Roosevelt soupspoons, very heavy, value \$2.25 at \$1.25 Hundreds of other items that will pay you well to look up at once.

DAVENPORT DOCTOR ON TRIAL

Dean of College of Physicians and Surgeons Witness in Benadom Case.

Much interest has been aroused by the trial of Dr. W. A. Benadom, alleged to be practicing medicine in Davenport without a license, which has been on in a justice court across the river for two days. The doctor's defense is that his father, Dr. J. W. Benadom, a regularly licensed physician, has been his preceptor, advising in all cases. Dr. Haley, dean of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, of Chicago, was a witness today testifying that the defendant had attended school at his institution.

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