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A $10 office in the Bee building carries with it all of the conveniences and advantages in the way of heat, light, janitor service, all night and all day and Sunday elevator service. A $10 office is now vacant. Call at once. R. C. Peters & Co., ground floor Bee building. I—823

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LOST

LOST—Wednesday, bead watch fob, "W." and Maltese cross. Reward. 109 Stanford circle. —304 3x

$100 Reward

Stolen, Tuesday night, August 23, 1904, from J. C. Anderson's pasture, David City, Neb., one light gray mare, 6 years old, half Shire bred, weight about 1,500 pounds, small wart on right ear, nice, smooth mare; also one fair leather saddle and bridle, nearly new. $50 of the reward will be paid for the return of the property in good order by the owner, J. G. Anderson, and $50 will be paid by Butler county for the arrest and conviction of the thief. Wire any information to the sheriff, I. J. West, David City, Neb. Lost—M319 3

FLORISTS

HESS & SWOBODA, 1415 Farnam. —116

L. HENDERSON, 1519 Farnam. Send for price list of cut flowers and plants. —117

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HAWAII, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. September 12, for dispatch per s. s. Alameda.

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PHILIPPINE ISLANDS and GUAM, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. September 28, for dispatch per U. S. Transport.

MANCHURIA and EASTERN SIBERIA at present forwarded via Russia, instead of via Japan, the usual route.

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Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific.

EAST.	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago Daylight Limited	a 3:55 am	
Chicago Daylight Local	a 7:00 am	a 9:35 pm
Chicago Express	b12:01 pm	a 5:15 pm
Des Moines Express	a 4:30 pm	b11:50 am
Chicago Fast Express	a 6:40 pm	a 1:25 pm
WEST.		
Rocky Mountain Limited	a 2:20 am	a 2:50 am
Lincoln, Colorado Springs, Denver, Pueblo and West	a 1:30 pm	a 5:05 pm

Chicago Great Western.

St. Paul & Minneapolis Limited	a 6:30 pm	a 7:15 am
St. Paul & Minneapolis Express	a 7:30 am	a 9:20 pm
Chicago Limited	a 4:50 pm	a10:30 am
Chicago Express	a 4:30 am	a 4:05 pm

Union Pacific.

The Overland Limited	a 9:40 am	a 3:05 pm
Colorado & California Express	a 4:15 pm	a 6:40 am
Chicago-Portland Special	a 4:30 pm	
Eastern Express		a 6:30 pm
Columbus Local	b 6:00 pm	b 9:35 am
Colorado Special	a 7:45 am	
Chicago Special		a 6:50 am
Pacific Local	b 3:50 pm	b 7:35 pm
Fast Mail	a 8:50 am	a 3:20 pm

Chicago & Northwestern.

Fast Chicago	a 5:50 pm	7:30 a.m
Local Chicago	a11:30 am	
Mail	a 5:10 pm	8:30 am
Daylight St. Paul	a 7:30 am	10:00 pm
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Limited Chicago	a 8:30 pm	9:15 am
Local Carroll	a 4:05 pm	9:30 am
Fast St. Paul	a 5:15 pm	7:05 am
Local Sioux City & St. Paul	a 4:00 pm	a 9:30 am
Fast Mail		a 3:50 pm
Chicago Express		a 2:45 pm
Norfolk & Hoosteael	a 8:05 am	10:35 am
Lincoln & Long Pine	b 8:05 am	10:35 am
Deadwood & Lincoln	a 2:50 pm	5:10 pm
Casper & Wyoming	a 2:50 pm	a 5:10 pm
Hastings-Albion	b 3:50 am	5:10 pm

Missouri Pacific.

St. Louis Express	a10:45 am	a 6:30 pm
Kansas City & St. Louis Express	a11:45 pm	a 7:00 pm
World's Fair Special	a 6:20 pm	a11:30 am

Wabash.

St. Louis Cannon Ball Express	a 6:30 pm	a 8:30 am
New World's Fair	a 7:45 am	a 9:00 pm
Local from Council Bluffs	a 9:15 am	a 3:00 pm

Illinois Central.

Chicago Express	a 7:50 am	a10:35 pm
Chicago Limited	a 7:50 pm	a 8:05 am
Minneapolis & St. Paul Express	b 7:50 am	b10:35 pm
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BURLINGTON STATION—10TH & MASON

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago Special	a 7:05 am	a 3:35 pm
Chicago Vestibuled Express	a 4:00 pm	a 7:30 am
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Chicago Limited	a 5:05 pm	a 7:40 pm
Fast Mail		3:45 pm

Burlington & Missouri River.

Wymore, Beatrice & Lincoln	a 8:50 am	b12:05 pm
Nebraska Express	a 4:50 am	a 7:40 pm
Denver Limited	a 4:10 pm	a 6:45 am
Black Hills & Puget Sound Ex.	a11:10 pm	a 4:: pm
Colorado Vestibuled Flyer		a 3:30 pm
Lincoln Fast Mail	a 2:47 pm	a12:05 pm
Fort Crook & Plattsmouth	a 7:52 pm	b10:15 am
Bellevue & Pacific Junction	a 7:50 pm	a 8:27 am
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Bellevue and Plattsmouth	b12:15 pm	

Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs.

Kansas City Day Express	a 9:15 am	a 6:36 pm
St. Louis Flyer	a 5:20 pm	a11:05 am
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WEBSTER DEPOT—15TH & WEBSTER.

Missouri Pacific.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Nebraska Local, via Weeping Water	b 4:10 pm	a12:35 pm

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha.

Twin City Passenger	b 6:30 am	b 9:10 pm
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COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

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Schmidt's new studio, 406 Broadway.

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Western Iowa college opens September 1.

Open Sunday. Tucker's B'way studio.

Students enrolled in the Western Iowa college any week day.

Special attention given to pictures for wedding gifts. Alexander, 333 Broadway.

Callers received at Western Iowa College evenings. Information given and rooms shown.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jacobs, jr., of 1012 Seventh avenue, yesterday, a daughter.

Mrs. S. Brown of Los Angeles, Cal., formerly of Omaha, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. M. Cherniss of 1003 Avenue A, enroute home from the St. Louis exposition.

The free public library will be closed all day Monday, it being Labor day, and on Tuesday until 2 p. m. on account of the laying of the cornerstone of the new Carnegie library building.

A meeting will be held in the Modern Woodmen of America hall in the Merriam block this evening to complete the charter membership list of the Junior Woodmen, a new branch of the order including youths from 12 to 18 years of age.

E. P. Schoentgen of the Iowa State Capitol commission arrived home yesterday morning from Chicago, where, with the other members of the commission, he made an inspection of fire safety contrivances in many of the largest buildings in the Windy City.

John Davis, 2128 Sixth avenue, has been called to Sacramento, Cal., by the sudden death of his son, John Davis, jr. Although the son recently wrote that he was ill, his death was entirely unexpected and came as a great shock to his family. The remains will be brought here for burial.

Harry Gilman, charged by Huida Hulbert with disturbing the peace by using unparliamentary language and assaulting a man named Taylor in her house, was fined $25 and costs in police court yesterday morning and ordered committed to the city jail until the fine was served out. Later in the day Judge Scott released him during good behavior.

As the members of the public library board have failed to reach an agreement on a suitable inscription for the cornerstone of the Carnegie library building, the stone will probably be laid next Tuesday without any inscription appearing on its surface. The inscription will be put on later after the board decides on what it wants.

The special committee of the city council to which the matter was referred and the committee from the West End Improvement club held a meeting last evening at the city hall to discuss the question of paving Lower Broadway. The committee is expected to make some recommendation at the meeting of the city council next Monday night.

Bertha Niebbecke will appeal from the action of the Board of Commissioners on Insanity in adjudging her insane and ordering her committed to the state asylum at Clarinda. She has secured the services of Attorney H. J. Chambers and he is preparing the necessary papers to bring the case before a judge of the district court. Bertha will be kept at St. Bernard's hospital until the court passes on the appeal.

These special officers have been appointed for duty at the street fair and carnival: G. L. DeWitt, J. C. Baker, O. E. Beswick, J. W. Kirk, Andrew Lorenzen, G. L. Martin, D. Maltby, J. A. Crafts, Dan Ellis, John McGirl, John Rea, Thomas Eaton, F. E. Vander, W. J. Halladay, L. C. Stiles, E. E. Campbell, A. W. Meisner, Henry Lauch, Ben Darnell, J. W. Scott, Wallace McFadden. They will be in charge of Lee Alberti, constable in Justice Ouren's court.

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Funeral of Mrs. Lougee.

The esteem and love in which the late Mrs. Eldin H. Lougee was held was evidenced by the large number of sorrowing friends who attended the funeral services at St. Paul's Episcopal church yesterday afternoon and by the numerous beautiful floral tributes which covered the casket and almost filled the chancel of the church. The services were conducted by the rector, Rev. H. W. Starr, the music being rendered by the vested choir of the church. Interment was in Fairview cemetery, the cortege to the graveyard being a long one. The pallbearers were: Fred Empkie, L. Zurmuehlen, jr., A. W. Casady, Dillon L. Ross, Wood Allen and H. S. Ogden. The members of the Woman's auxiliary of the church in which Mrs. Lougee was a devoted worker, attended the services in a body.

Plumbing and heating. Sixby & Son.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported September 2 to The Bee by the Title Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs:

Henry H. Spalti et al to Joshua H. Spalti, lots 20 and 21, block 1, Oakland, w. d.	$ 4,000
John H. Spalti to Joshua H. Spalti, lot 9, block 4, Oakland, w. d.	4,500
Henry H. Spalti et al to Joshua H. Spalti, lot 10, block 4, Oakland, w. d.	4,500
Luke Dermody and wife to Charles Schmidt, jr., part lots 3 and 4, block 19, Avoca, w. d.	1,000
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PARKING SCHEME IS OPPOSED

Member of City Council States Reasons for His Stand on Matter.

INSISTS IT LEAVES STREET TOO NARROW

Cuts Broadway Down to Twenty-Seven Feet Each Side of the Parking, Which Would Be Scant for Business Purposes.

"Business men whose stores front on Broadway in this vicinity should carefully investigate the proposition before they acquiesce in the establishment of a park in the center of Broadway at the intersection of Fourth street," was the statement of an alderman yesterday who has been asked to vote for it. The alderman in question, after looking into the matter thoroughly, announced that he was opposed to the scheme.

He said: "On paper the proposition to beautify the street with a small triangular park looks good, but closer investigation shows that it is not. It is contended that the width of Broadway, except at this point, is fifty-four feet and that this width would be sufficient there for all traffic. This may be very well, but if the park is put there the street will not be fifty-four feet wide. There will be simply two alleyways, so to speak, each twenty-seven feet wide. Two passageways of twenty-seven feet each do not afford the same convenience that a street of fifty-four feet in width would. I do not believe this phase of the matter has been given sufficient attention by the business men whose stores front on this portion of Broadway. With the park occupying the center of the street they would have left only a street of twenty-seven feet in width opposite their stores and with wagons backing up to load and unload how much space would there be left on each side of the park for the public travel of vehicles?"

Since this was explained to them a number of the business men on this section of Broadway have declared themselves unalterably opposed to the proposition.

City Attorney Snyder when asked yesterday, gave it as his off-handed opinion that the city council had not the right to give away a portion of the street for park purposes under the circumstances. It is understood that the matter will be brought before the city council next Monday night unless those back of it realize that the sentiment against it is too strong.

Firemen Squabble Over Cup.

Sheriff Canning, under a writ of replevin issued by the district court of Adams county, recovered possession of a silver cup won by the Neola fire team at the tournament of the Southwestern Iowa Firemen's association in Malvern.

A protest was filed against the Neola team and the judges, after the cup had been awarded, ruled the Neola team out. The team, however, refused to surrender possession of the prize and the Southwestern association brought replevin proceedings in the Adams county court. Neola, being in Pottawattamie county, the writ was issued to Sheriff Canning.

When Sheriff Canning appeared at Neol yesterday morning with the writ there was considerable excitement. The fire bell was rung and for a while it looked as if the officer would have trouble before securing the cup. When it was seen, however, that it would be useless resisting the order of the court, the team reluctantly handed over the coveted prize. It is said the Neola firemen will not let the matter rest here, but will appeal to the courts to recover possession of the cup.

Dredge Out of Commission.

A broken pinion put the Indian Creek dredge out of commission yesterday, much to the mortification of Admiral Weaver, as it will be at least forty-eight hours before the broken piece can be replaced. The work of excavation has now passed the Nineteenth avenue bridge and the Nineteenth avenue sewer now has an outlet into the creek.

The bridge at Nineteenth avenue was easily removed, the derrick of the dredge lifting it bodily from its foundations and depositing it on the bank as rapidly as if it had only been a shovel load of mud. The other bridges which will be encountered on the voyage to the mouth of the creek at the Missouri river, it is expected can be raised in the same manner with the exception of one bridge belonging to the Burlington railroad, which will be removed by the railroad company. This bridge is on a switch track at present not in use, so the railroad company will not be inconvenienced any.

Forgets Where His Home Is.

Walter Rogers, a young man 24 years of age, who was found wandering about the city yesterday morning by the police, was taken before the commissioners on insanity. He claimed that his home was in Louisiana, but could not remember the town. He said that a few weeks ago he was discharged from the hospital for the insane at Independence, this state, and started to make his way to Colorado. When he reached Kearney, Neb., he became homesick and turned back, succeeding in making his way to Council Bluffs, which he reached Thursday night. He was placed in the county jail, but will be released this morning and allowed to continue his way south. The young man is apparently somewhat simple minded.

Child Wanders Away.

The 2½-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbel of 726 Mynster street gave her parents considerable cause for anxiety yesterday afternoon. The child, bareheaded and barefooted, went into the yard to play shortly before the dinner hour. When the meal was on the table the child was not to be found. She could not be located in any of the neighbor's yards and the dinner went untasted, the anxious parents fearing that the child had been kidnaped. Finally the police were asked to assist in the search and the little one was found nearly two and a half miles from home at 1511 East Broadway.

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Boy Breaks Both Arms.

Climbing a tree in Bayliss park last evening to capture one of the carnival and street fair balloons to which was attached a coupon for a season ticket, proved disastrous for George Ehle, the 15-year-old son of Frank J. Ehle of 228 North Second street. The boy, when about twenty feet from the ground, climbed out on what proved to be a dead limb, which broke under his weight. Young Ehle in falling broke both arms just above the wrist joints. He was taken to Dr. Seybert's office near by and later to his home.

Boys Sell Stolen Wheel.

Joe Lee and Roy King, boys, were arrested yesterday afternoon just after they had sold a bicycle which, it developed later, they had stolen from in front of the public library building in Omaha. They were taken back to Omaha last evening by Officers Dunn and Ferris. When arrested young Lee claimed the wheel was his property and that he had bought it in Sioux City. He said his home was in Dakota City, Neb. The boys sold the wheel for $2 and divided the money. When confronted by the Omaha officers they admitted the theft.

BROKEN NECK MAY NOT BE FATAL

Treynor Man Shows Indications of Recovery.

Although suffering from a broken neck and paralysis of almost the entire body, John Wortman of Treynor, Ia., a farmer, is likely to live, and the attending physicians have strong hopes of at least his partial recovery.

About two weeks ago Wortman fell from a load of hay and sustained a fracture and dislocation of the spinal column at the conjunction of the neck and shoulders. Complete paralysis below the point of injury ensued and the man was brought to Mercy hospital in this city. An operation was attempted a few days ago, but as soon as the anesthetic was applied the condition of the patient became so critical that the physicians decided to abandon the operation, at least for the time being. Wortman was placed in splints and bandages and has been extended under a steady pull with the object of bringing the severed portions of the spinal column together again. Sensation has commenced to return in the portion of the body below the injury and much to the surprise of those attending the case, yesteredy there seemed to be a strong possibility of the man's partial recovery at least.

Monona Republicans Organize.

ONAWA, Ia., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The Monona county republican central committee met at the office of J. A. Pritchard, county chairman, yesterday to form plans for the coming campaign. Every town in the county was represented and there was a fair attendance from the county townships. There seemed to be a demand for speakers and at least one speech will be made in every town in the county. Senator Hubbard, the congressional nominee, is in demand, and at least two towns filed claims for his services. Senator Hubbard is very popular in Monona county, where he has quite an extensive acquaintance, and there seems to be a general desire to hear him speak. Chairman Pritchard will attend the meeting called by the state chairman in Sioux City, September 8, when the general plans for the campaign in Monona county will be formulated and active work commenced at once.

Business Changes at Creston.

CRESTON, Ia., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Swan Bros. have sold out their large department store to the M. Koehler company. The Messrs. Swan have not stated their future plans, but it is hoped that they will still remain in Creston. Mr. Koehler, who assumes charge of the business under the new firm, is an energetic business man, and was formerly