

## CITY CHAT.

See the London's confirmation suits.  
Henry Carse went to Chicago this morning.  
W. H. H. Dow was in from Coal Valley Saturday.  
Large assortment of confirmation suits at the London.  
Confirmation suits at the London at lowest prices.  
Spring gloves at Bennett's in all new shades and styles.  
W. H. Kistler, of Buffalo Prairie, was in the city today.  
J. W. Kretzinger, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city.  
Bennett's five hook Foster lace glove only \$1 at Bennett's.  
Bennett has the largest stock of ladies' gloves this side of Chicago.  
George Wilson, clerk at the Peoria depot, Sunday in Chicago.  
Jacob Hirst, of Cable, formerly of Black Hawk, was in the city today.  
C. L. Walker returned from a business trip to Chicago Saturday evening.  
Over one thousand dozen of ladies' gloves to select from for Easter at Bennett's.  
Mrs. Arthur Heurley, of Evanston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Crampton.  
Messrs. Edward, Stephen and W. C. Collins left for Chicago Saturday evening on business.  
You can save at least a couple of dollars by buying your confirmation suit of the London.  
A little son has arrived to brighten the home of William O'Neill and wife, 828 Third avenue.  
A little daughter was born on Saturday to Arthur Spaulding and wife, of 601 Thirty eighth street.  
Found—An envelope containing a lock of hair. Owner can have the same at police headquarters.  
Miss Alice Ryan, of Wilton, Iowa, who has been visiting in the city, returned to her home Saturday evening.  
The funeral of R. M. Lafferty was held at Davenport yesterday and conducted by Undertaker Knox of this city.  
Mrs. M. E. Crowell, who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Munger, left for her home in Oregon, Ill., this morning.  
C. W. Yerbury went to Cedar Rapids this morning to superintend the plumbing of the school building for which M. Yerbury has the contract.  
Mrs. Daniel Donoyan and family, former residents of this city, returned Saturday from Helena, Ark., and will hereafter make this city their home.  
Mrs. Wm. Kaiser wishes to extend her thanks to the Peoria State Insurance company for the prompt payment of her late husband's policy, received March 10.  
Thomas Cadwallader, of Chicago, has arrived in the city to look after the G. A. Fleming Fruit company's business here during C. P. Fleming's absence in California.  
John Adams and wife have returned from a week's visit in Chicago. It is supposed that Mr. Adams will now make an active canvass for the Seventh ward republican aldermanic nomination.  
The democrats of Moline had arranged for a grand demonstration tonight in honor of its member of the famous Illinois democratic 101, Hon. Geo. W. Vinton, but has been postponed owing to Mr. Vinton's illness.  
Seventeen carpenters employed in the Rock Island shops at Davenport were laid off Friday evening, the move supposedly being a part of the general retrenchment plan that all the Iowa roads are putting in operation at present.  
Al. Timberlake came on the streets this morning with a brand new express wagon from Wall's shop and will hereafter be prepared to do all kinds of moving and express business. Leave orders for him at Trenaman's harness shop or Market square.  
South Park chapel will hold a fair on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. Arrangements have been in progress for several weeks and everything indicates that it will be a success. Each evening there will be ice cream, cake and coffee served.  
The masquerade given by the Athletic club on Saturday evening had the largest attendance of any given during the season. The dancing was interspersed with some good gymnastic work. Bleuer's orchestra furnished the music and a general good time was had by all.  
Mr. George Walker today sold to Mr. E. H. Guyer, of Rock Island, the property of C. J. Colson situated on Fifth avenue, and at present occupied by Alene & Sundeen, for \$6,000. This is a fine two-story brick building with a 55-foot front. Mr. Guyer intends to improve.—Moline Republican.  
Geo. C. Robertson, who has been connected with the Mississippi Valley Insurance company for some time past, has given up his position and left this morning for Rockford from which place he will go to Florida where his children now reside.  
Fred. R. Davis, of Sterling, has succeeded Chas. Burger as electrician for the Brush Electric Light company. Mr. Davis is an expert in his line and will prove a valuable acquisition to Davis & Co.'s force. He is a brother to Mrs. Chas. K. Mixer, of this city.  
C. M. Biddison, formerly of this city,

now an engineer on the C., K. & N. railway, is in the city. Mr. Biddison is the patentee of an illuminated order holder for holding train orders, and is now on his way to Chicago to place it in the hands of some of the trunk lines in that city.

Mrs. Lucretia Marshall died at her home, 714 Fourteenth-and-a-half street, at 9 o'clock Saturday night aged 75 years. She had been a sufferer from dropsy for some time, to which she finally succumbed. She leaves one son and one daughter to mourn her loss, Austin, of Princeton, Iowa, and Miss Etta, who resides at home.

Matthias Gerhards, who has been boarding at the residence of John Ohlweiler and attending school in Davenport, was taken sick with lung fever a few days ago and on Saturday his condition had become so alarming that his parents Carl Gerhards and wife, of Hillsdale, were sent for and arrived Saturday evening. He is some better today however, and his friends feel much encouraged at his condition.

J. W. Truxtell and wife, of Moline, were thrown from their buggy while driving down Brady street in Davenport yesterday afternoon and fell with so much force on the brick pavement that both were badly bruised, but neither was painfully nor seriously injured. They were carried into Harrison's pharmacy where the necessary attention was shown them, and later conveyed to their home in Moline.

Mrs. M. P. Buford and daughter Miss Harriett, left this morning for Washington, D. C., where they will remain a few days, and on the 21st will sail for Liverpool from which city they will go direct to London, where in the near future Miss Buford will be wedded to Monsieur Jaen Patriot, of Lyons, France, after which the happy couple will make their home in Paris.

The Rock Island Industrial Home association through its committee composed of Messrs. T. A. Pender, P. J. Cary, T. F. Wheelan and R. C. Lloyd, today made the cash payment of \$5,000 to Mrs. Gordon for the property at the corner of Twentieth street and Fourth avenue.

The committee expects tomorrow to secure the east 22½ feet on Fourth avenue adjoining this property of the McParlin estate for \$1,500. This will give the association 97½ feet on Fourth avenue by 125 on Twentieth street.

Two young men from Moline drove down Moline avenue at a terrific rate yesterday afternoon, and spun around the corner of Twenty-third street so abruptly that the buggy was capsized and both occupants precipitated into the mud. They soon regained their feet and put off through an alley, but one of them returned afterward and drove the somewhat demoralized rig, the property of a liveryman, off.

The funeral of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Tomson, of Davenport, took place from the First Presbyterian church in that city yesterday afternoon. The church was crowded and an immense concourse of people attracted largely by curiosity, stood on the outside to get a glimpse of the double casket. This was so large that it was necessary to abandon the hearse and use an ordinary piano wagon which was suitably draped for the occasion.

Now behold how the party opposition to Hampton for collector doth manifest itself! In yesterday morning's Union appear the names of John Evans and W. H. Munger affixed to formal announcements of candidacy. The publication of W. J. Gamble's ineligibility seems to have inspired confidence among those who have gained distinction by self sacrifice for promotion of party. Who knows but we may here from Joshua next?

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

A Party at Sheriff C. D. Gordon's Residence Saturday Evening.

A very pleasant event took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gordon on Saturday afternoon, when about 20 of the little friends of Miss Olie Gordon gave her a complete surprise. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant time was spent in games and other social amusements. The following is a list of those present:

Bessie Nofsker Grace Nofsker  
Bessie Cleveland Mertie Buck  
Jennie Craig Katie Gilmore  
Mable Campbell Zandy Shaw  
Alma Damber Jennie Sturgeon  
Eva Beal Helen Louiey  
Myrtle Yerbury Maude Bear  
Nellie Craig Mary Barrick  
Lulu Harris Susie Gordon  
Eva Long Ada Hemenway  
Minnie Crompton.

## The Local Markets.

Business on Market square was very quiet today, owing mainly to bad roads. A few farmers were in town and prices remain about the same. The receipts included the following:  
Grain—Two loads corn at 45c, one load oats at 40c.  
Feed—Three loads hay at \$11.00.  
Stock—Hogs \$2.25 per cwt.  
Produce—Butter and eggs remain at about the same figure. Butter 25 cents per pound; eggs 15 cents per dozen.

I have had nasal catarrh for ten years so bad that there were great sores in my nose, and one place was eaten through. I got Ely's Cream Balm. Two bottles did the work. My nose and head are well. I feel like another man.—C. S. McMillen, Sibley, Jackson county, Mo.

Dress Linings Cut Free at dress cutting school over McCabe's dry goods store. The Ladies' Tailor Co.

Of all the liniments, oils and lotions upon the market, (and their name is legion) Salvation Oil is the best and most popular. Price 25 cents.

## Attention Veterans.

For the state G. A. R. encampment to be held at Decatur, April 8 to 10, Rock Island and Peoria railway will grant excursion rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale April 7-9 good for return until and including April 11. This rate is open to the public. It is expected to run through coaches to Decatur. Trains leave Rock Island 8:10 a. m., 2:20 p. m., 6:45 p. m. Arrive at Decatur at 2:50 p. m., 10:30 p. m., 11 a. m. Equally good time returning. For further information inquire of F. H. Rockwell, ticket agent; depot foot Twentieth street, or R. Stockhouse, general ticket agent, Rock Island, Ill.

## SERIOUS DANGER.

Threatens every man, woman or child living in a region of country where fever and ague is prevalent, since the germs of malarial disease are inhaled from the air and are swallowed from the water of such a region. Medicinal safeguard is absolutely necessary to nullify this danger. As a means of fortifying and acclimating the system so as to be able to resist the malarial poison, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is incomparably the best and the most popular. Irregularities of the stomach, liver and bowels encourage malaria; but these are speedily rectified by the Bitters. The functions of digestion and secretion are assisted by its use, and a vigorous as well as regular condition of the system promoted by it. Constipation and phlegm are thus defended against the inroads of malaria by this matchless preventive, which is also a certain and thorough remedy in the worst cases of intermittent and remittent fevers.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Harper's Theatre,  
J. E. Montrose, Manager.  
ONE NIGHT ONLY.  
Friday, March 20th.

LATEST NEW YORK SUCCESS.

—AIDEN BENEDICT'S—

—Spectacular Drama—

Fabio Romani!

—Presented by—

MR. WALTER LAWRENCE.

MISS FRANCES FIELD

and a company of players.

Thrilling and interesting Earthquake effect, simultaneous with an Eruption of Mount Vesuvius; Illumination of the Bay of Naples, Forming the most magnificent spectacular tableaux ever attempted on any stage.

Reserve seat sale at Harper House Pharmacy Wednesday morning, March 18.

Prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

## CITY-TOWNSHIP ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the seventh day of April, 1891, in the city of Rock Island, an election will be held for the following officers to-wit:

CITY OFFICERS.

One Mayor for two years.

One City Clerk for two years.

One City Attorney for two years.

One Alderman in the First ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Second Ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Third Ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Fourth Ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Fifth Ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Sixth Ward for two years.

One Alderman in the Seventh Ward for two years.

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Two Assistant Supervisors for two years.

One Assessor for one year.

One Collector for one year.

Which election will be open at 8 o'clock in the morning and continue open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Registering and voting will be done at the usual voting places in each ward.

ROBERT KOEHLER.

City and Town Clerk.

Dated March 14, 1891.

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