

CITY CHAT.

Fresh fish at Brower's. "Indigo" at the theatre tonight. Fresh oysters and fish at Young's. Head lettuce, cabbage and parsnips at Young's. George Dixon, of Rushville, is in the city today. DePauw quartette this evening at the Baptist church. Mr. Hough, the humorist, at the Baptist church this evening. James Taylor, of Taylor Ridge, was in the city yesterday. H. P. Raymond, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting Rock Island friends. The charming opera, "Indigo," at Harper's theatre tonight. For Sale Cheap—Two lots in South Park. Apply to J. M. Buford. Richard Mansill left last evening on a visit to friends in Jackson, Miss. Wonder if Searle and Kenworthy took their retainer fee in hot tomalloys. Col. Henry Curtis and H. B. Sudlow have returned from their southern trip. Charles Kahlke has returned from Chicago, where he has been attending a medical college. The democrats of the First ward hold their caucus tonight to nominate a candidate for alderman. For Sale Cheap—Several good violins. Must be sold in next 10 days. Call at 844 Twenty-first street. Wanted—A first-class meat cook at Flynn's restaurant, 3045 Fifth avenue. Wages \$30 per month. It has been suggested that Searle and his associates banquet their friends at their hot tomalley establishment. "I care not what others may think, but as for me, give me a hot tomalley or give me death."—Ambitious local barrister. Garusey square having been filled is now in readiness for the grading, and the matter should receive the early attention of Commissioner Buncher. The republicans of Moline have nominated L. F. Cralle and Thomas Jenkins for supervisors, C. L. Waters for assessor and H. W. Hyde for collector. If you want fun, hear the college boys this evening. They are real live, jolly fellows; good music; popular songs; impersonations and humorous recitations—Baptist church. The Union heads its report of the democratic city township convention "The Hot Tomalley Ticket." The ticket will be a hotter dose for the republicans than tomaloes. It will be hot shot. A. J. Allen, contracting agent for Goodyear, Eich & Schilling's Minstrels which are to appear at Harper's theatre next Tuesday evening, was a caller at THE ARGUS office yesterday. There will be a concert by the famous Swedish Concert company at Knowles' hall, Moline, Friday evening, March 18. This is the last entertainment on Christ church course and all should attend. The only observances of St. Patrick's day in Rock Island this year were the usual services in the churches this morning, and tonight the annual ball of St. Patrick's Benevolent society will be held at Armory hall. W. T. Sugden, township collector, desires to again call the attention of tax payers to the fact that he will be required to turn over his books to the county collector on the 20th inst. If taxes are paid before that time advertising and other costs will be saved. A team drawing a load of hay down Second avenue became frightened at an electric motor car when opposite May's grocery late yesterday afternoon, and overturned the load of hay so that the hay blocked the street cars for a little while but doing no other damage. A team belonging to William Bailey, of Coal Valley, while standing hitched on Nineteenth street near Sixth avenue, became frightened by an electric car about 6 o'clock last evening, and before they could be quieted down had almost demolished the buggy by kicking. Mrs. George Allen died at her home, corner of Seventh avenue and Twenty-fourth street, at 7:50 o'clock last evening of consumption, aged 38 years. She leaves besides her husband three children ranging in age from eight to 14 years. The funeral occurs from her late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Everts Commandery, No. 18, K. T., has arranged to attend the twenty-fifth triennial convocation of the grand encampment of the Knights Templar as a commandery, which occurs at Denver, Aug. 9 to 13. They will go in two special Pullman palace cars over the C. B. & Q., and at the close of the convocation will enjoy an extended trip through the west. The Sir Knights will be accompanied by their ladies. Chairman Wheelan, of the democratic

city-township committee, calls a meeting of the committee and all democratic candidates at Turner hall tomorrow evening at 7:30 to discuss matters of importance and also to fill the vacancy on the township ticket caused by T. J. Medill declining to accept the nomination for assessor. Edward Lieberknecht is suggested for the nomination and would make a strong candidate. A north bound freight on the C. B. & Q. broke in two on the hill near Ophlem this morning, letting the last section back into an extra freight that was following, blocking the track so that all trains were delayed. An extra in charge of Conductor Coel was sent out from this city to bring in the passengers from the Bear-town accommodation which was blocked out by the wreck. The wreck was cleared up later and both trains reached the city about 2:30 this afternoon. The committees appointed from the three cities in the interests of river improvements, met at the Harper house last evening, all the members of each committee being present. President Smith, of the Davenport Business Men's association, was called to the chair, and J. W. Atkinson, of Moline, was chosen as secretary. After a lengthy discussion it was decided that owing to the lateness of the season, the appropriation bills for this session of congress having all been prepared, that it would be inexpedient to call a convention now, and it was then decided to call a convention early next fall, and the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the chairman. Secretary W. B. Ferguson, of the Rock Island Car Journal Lubricator company, is now comfortably located in his handsome suite of offices in the building which the company is to occupy on Eighteenth street and Sixth avenue. Mr. Ferguson although interested heavily in the recently organized National Ore Reduction company, of Pueblo, Col., of which he is also a director, will remain in Rock Island and look after the business management of the Lubricator company. The affairs of the Northwestern Mutual Fire Insurance company, of which he has been so long secretary, have been wound up, and the Mississippi Valley Mutual company will in a short time be in the same condition.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

The Meeting of the Base Ball Directors at the Harper Yesterday.

The Club to be Incorporated at Once and the Work of Getting a Team Together Began—An Opinion on Base Ball.

At yesterday's meeting of the board of directors of the Twin-City base ball club at the Harper house, C. C. Hodges was elected president, H. R. Chapman, of Moline, vice president; Edward Kreis, secretary; Oscar Peal, Moline, treasurer; W. R. Moore, Moline, league director. It was decided to incorporate the club with a stock of \$3,500 under the name of the Rock Island and Moline Base Ball club, and to call in 25 per cent of the capital stock within 30 days, the treasurer and secretary to give bonds in the sum of \$2,000 each. The president was asked to ascertain what terms Harry Sage could be secured on as player and manager, and to report at the next meeting of the directors. Rock Island is just beginning to wake up to the realization that it will have base ball in earnest the coming season and the long summer afternoons will no doubt find the grand stand and "bleachers" packed with excited crowds of base ball enthusiasts. Erasmus Wiman, of New York, well known as a man of sound judgment in an interview with a representative of the Chicago Daily News on different subjects expressed himself on base ball as follows:

"While I have no direct concern in any base ball venture I maintain the liveliest interest in the prospects of this great source of amusement. I have the most intense admiration for any device or organization that can confer as much pleasure of an innocent character to so great a number of people as does base ball. "I also have great regard for the first class business sagacity in the administration of so great a trust for the public as has been shown by such men as Mr. Spaulding, Mr. Day, Mr. Young and others. "What do you think of the outlook for the approaching season?" "I regard it as excellent. The waste of competition has well nigh ceased. Skill and ability are pretty thoroughly developed, and there is no doubt that in the lovely summer afternoons soon to dawn upon us there will be conveyed to tens of thousands a degree of innocent amusement which only well conducted base ball affords."

TOWARD \$30,000.

More Columbian Subscriptions Coming in.

The Soliciting Committees Meet Again Tonight—Notable Incidents.

The Rock Island soliciting committees for stock in the Twin-City Columbian exposition meet again tonight to report progress. The subscriptions are running up toward \$30,000, which mark will be reached by next Monday night. This morning the government engineer corps, headed by Maj. Mackenzie, took over \$300 in stock, every man in the employ of the office with one exception, and including Charley Arnold, subscribing for shares. Late subscriptions are:

- THE PRESS. A Mackenzie..... 5 W E Sweeney..... 10 C W Durham..... 5 T J Medill..... 5 R S Blakemore..... 2 W A Thompson..... 2 H Bosse..... 2 A J Sibbal..... 5 Charles Arnold..... 1 George F Staudhar..... 5 C R Berg..... 1 C P Omergy..... 5 F B Martin..... 2 George Ackley..... 1 H C Connelly..... 5

Democratic County Convention.

The democrats of Rock Island county are hereby requested to send delegates to a convention to be held at the court house in the city of Rock Island Thursday, April 14, 1892, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to the democratic state convention which assembles at Springfield, Wednesday, April 27, 1892. The basis of representation at said county convention will be one delegate for each township and a so upon the vote for Cleveland and Thurman in 1888 apportioned among the different townships, precincts and wards in the ratio of one delegate to every 50 voters, and one delegate for every major part thereof, and according to which the following will be the representation:

- Cardoys..... 3 Canoe Creek..... 2 Hampton, 1st precinct..... 3 " 2nd..... 2 " 3rd..... 2 Black Hawk..... 4 Coal Valley..... 2 Bowling..... 2 Andalusia..... 2 Buffalo Prairie..... 4 South Moline..... 4 Drury..... 3 Moline—1st Ward..... 3 " 2nd..... 3 " 3rd..... 3 " 4th..... 3 " 5th..... 3 " 6th..... 3 " 7th..... 3 " 8th..... 3 " 9th..... 3 " 10th..... 3 " 11th..... 3 " 12th..... 3 " 13th..... 3 " 14th..... 3 " 15th..... 3 " 16th..... 3 " 17th..... 3 " 18th..... 3 " 19th..... 3 " 20th..... 3 " 21st..... 3 " 22nd..... 3 " 23rd..... 3 " 24th..... 3 " 25th..... 3 " 26th..... 3 " 27th..... 3 " 28th..... 3 " 29th..... 3 " 30th..... 3 " 31st..... 3 " 32nd..... 3 " 33rd..... 3 " 34th..... 3 " 35th..... 3 " 36th..... 3 " 37th..... 3 " 38th..... 3 " 39th..... 3 " 40th..... 3 " 41st..... 3 " 42nd..... 3 " 43rd..... 3 " 44th..... 3 " 45th..... 3 " 46th..... 3 " 47th..... 3 " 48th..... 3 " 49th..... 3 " 50th..... 3 " 51st..... 3 " 52nd..... 3 " 53rd..... 3 " 54th..... 3 " 55th..... 3 " 56th..... 3 " 57th..... 3 " 58th..... 3 " 59th..... 3 " 60th..... 3 " 61st..... 3 " 62nd..... 3 " 63rd..... 3 " 64th..... 3 " 65th..... 3 " 66th..... 3 " 67th..... 3 " 68th..... 3 " 69th..... 3 " 70th..... 3 " 71st..... 3 " 72nd..... 3 " 73rd..... 3 " 74th..... 3 " 75th..... 3 " 76th..... 3 " 77th..... 3 " 78th..... 3 " 79th..... 3 " 80th..... 3 " 81st..... 3 " 82nd..... 3 " 83rd..... 3 " 84th..... 3 " 85th..... 3 " 86th..... 3 " 87th..... 3 " 88th..... 3 " 89th..... 3 " 90th..... 3 " 91st..... 3 " 92nd..... 3 " 93rd..... 3 " 94th..... 3 " 95th..... 3 " 96th..... 3 " 97th..... 3 " 98th..... 3 " 99th..... 3 " 100th..... 3

The caucuses in the several townships will be held at 8 p. m., and in Moline and Rock Island at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday, April 9, 1892. The different delegates will also report names of committee men for their respective townships, precincts and wards. T. S. SILVER, Chairman. D. S. W. GOULD, Secretary pro tem.

Wrenched Out of Shape.

Joint enlarged and contorted by rheumatism are among the penalties for allowing this obstinate malady to gain full headway. Always is it dangerous from its liability to attack the vitals—invariably it is agonizing. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has in nothing more clearly asserted its supremacy to the ordinary remedies for this malady than in its power to expel the rheumatic virus completely from the blood. It is safe, too, while no cathartics, vomitum and mineral poisons prescribed for it are not. The efficacy of the Bitters as a cleanser of the circulation is also completely shown when the poison of malaria infects the vital fluid, or where it is contaminated with bile. Constipation, dyspepsia, "la grippe," kidney and bladder trouble, nervousness and debility are also cured by the Bitters, and the aged and infirm derive much benefit from its use.

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