

THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Wednesday Morning, March 26.

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OFFICE: No. 7 Pearl Street, Near Broadway.

MINOR MENTION.

Additional local on seventh page. Neil Voorhees' little child is quite ill.

Brown's minstrels appear at Bloom & Nixon's Thursday evening.

Judge Aylesworth proposes building a large addition to his residence.

C. A. Morgan is putting up a dwelling on Benton and Harrison streets.

New spring goods just received at J. Reiter's, the tailor, 310 Broadway.

For cut flowers, plants, etc., go to W. H. Foster, the Harrison street florist.

Charlie Walters expects to put an addition to his dwelling house on Gray street.

Two drunks were disposed of in the usual manner in the police court yesterday.

H. Jensen, formerly with P. C. Miller, has opened for himself at 17 N. Main St.

Mr. Tibbits, the grocer, is erecting a cottage on Seventh street. He has the frame already up.

Mr. Larson has put up a nice little square house on Graham avenue, and got it ready for plastering.

Mr. Hollenbeck is finishing a small dwelling house on Avenue E, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

The hearing of the civil suit of Ollison against Bechtel continues to take up the time in the superior court.

N. Williams has commenced laying the foundation for three houses near the corner of Gray and Broadway.

Bruce Howe expects to put up another dwelling house to take the place of the one burned near the county farm.

The printers want the use of the council chamber for the meetings of their union about once a month, Sunday afternoons.

Peter Millard was arrested yesterday afternoon for being drunk and disturbing the peace and dignity of the great state of Iowa.

It is now proposed to get four or five carloads of stone from Macedonia, and set the city prisoners at work pounding them up.

Mrs. Clark has bought the property corner of Harmony and Benton streets, and is preparing to make some marked improvements.

Conrad Geise found his dog ailing yesterday and had him killed at once, rather than run any risk of his getting worse and biting others.

Complaint was lodged before Justice Schurz yesterday that Paul Blacklock had a glandering horse. The steed was killed and buried at once.

One bad hole on Broadway, where a sewer had broken through, was yesterday marked by a tall pole with the placard, "Mud ten feet deep."

Mr. Jennings, in the eastern part of the city, has put quite an addition to his barn, about thirty feet, besides putting up additional sheds, etc.

There has been so much trouble of late about mad dogs that the council will probably take some action to have all dogs either tied up or muzzled.

The police have received orders to promptly arrest any confidence men seen inside the city limits, but they say that after a diligent hunt none are to be found.

The Odd Fellows' mutual protective association has not grown in numbers very rapidly of late, and a plan is now on foot to unite with the Fort Madison organization.

The water works company here offered to the city a nominal sum the heavy rollers used by them in their work. They will serve well to pack down some of the street fills made.

Mayor Vaughan says that if any one will present proof at any time of any police officer violating any of the rules established by him, he will dismiss the offending officer summarily.

Skidd and Styers, the two young men arrested for having a row in the Junction saloon, had a hearing yesterday before Judge Aylesworth. Skidd was fined and his companion discharged.

There is considerable agitation in favor of an inspection of meats. There is talk of having a special inspector appointed. How about the superintendent of markets? Is not that his business?

There is talk of having a gas inspector appointed, so that any gas consumer who is dissatisfied with his bills can call in the inspector and get a report on the meter, etc., the fees to be paid by the consumer.

The curbsones taken from the government lots and carted up to the city building are to be carted back again. Mayor Vaughan having so ordered, thus rebuking the petty action of the city officials, who took them.

The Baptist church social will be held Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Filbert, 710 First avenue. Mrs. George, Mrs. Wesner and Mrs. J. E. Brooks assisting in the entertainment.

Justice Abbott was yesterday called to

The roof of the new city jail leaks badly, and yesterday had to be repaired. The cement floor was long since found to be of no account, so that from top to bottom the new city jail seems to be anything but what it ought to be.

The Coy house to marry Ambury Bates, of Sioux City, and Miss Amanda Gray, of Logan. Mr. Bates will be remembered by many as having assisted Mr. Contry in the construction Council Bluffs telephone system.

The United States court opened here yesterday, Judge Love presiding. Little was done beyond hearing of motions and the empaneling of the juries. Marshal Root, H. M. Love, clerk, Attorney Runnells, and assisted by W. T. Rankin, were among the prominent present.

The lecture to be given Friday evening at Broadway Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. Z. Armstrong, is for his own benefit. The reverend gentleman has so many friends here that the house should be packed. His subject, "Wit, Wealth and Wisdom," or "Life Among the Mountains," is a taking one.

There are no special policemen in the city now. Some think they are such, but their authority ended with the coming in of the new city government, and none have asked to be reappointed. Hereafter special policemen are to wear the regular police hat, and wear their star outside their coats, so as to be readily seen.

Justice Abbott and a jury have had their attention taken up for two days in hearing the case of B. F. Crofts vs. H. F. Hattenhauer, in which the plaintiff sought to recover about \$47 which he claimed were wages due him. The defendant denied that he owed the young man anything, but the jury brought in a verdict of \$12 in favor of the plaintiff. Both sides were dissatisfied, and the case is now to go to the superior court.

No one can complain that there is not enough force of water at the drinking hydrants. In turning the faucet one would be almost as careful as in handling a gun, for it goes off when least expected and douses the drinker completely. The other day Mr. A. W. Street got a warrant at the auditor's office for the amount in the library fund, he being one of the trustees. Stepping to the hydrant with the warrant in his hand to get a drink, he was surprised to have a stream thrown all over him, and the warrant was so drenched that it nearly annihilated the public library fund, the warrant being made illegible.

Where is the mayor's office? That is a hard question to answer. Most cities—first-class cities—have such a place, but Council Bluffs has simply a desk squeezed up in one corner of the city clerk's office. The mayor tried to occupy it yesterday, and his conferences with callers were first broken into by a brace of soiled doves who wanted to pay their fines, and then a swarthy one appeared. A peddler broke in next, and then some other equally annoying caller, who wanted something or other of somebody else. For a "first-class" city, Council Bluffs cannot take much pride in pointing to its mayor's office.

Mueller, on Main street, sells not only the lowest but gives a present with each purchase for one dollar. Go and see him first.

PERSONAL.

Postmaster Fred Eastland, of Neola, was at the Pacific yesterday.

Bob Harris, the sensational Missouri Valley newspaperman, was in the city yesterday.

E. A. Stone, of Anita, was in the Bluffs yesterday.

J. E. Addy, who represents a Chicago house, was here yesterday interviewing the music trade.

B. F. Crossdale, of Little Sioux, is at the Pacific.

Marshall Holloway, of Plum Hollow, is in the city.

W. P. Ferguson, of Shenandoah, and Geo. Ferguson, of Glidden, were yesterday with the Ferguson of the Pacific house.

John T. Stuart, of Shenandoah, is in the city attending the U. S. court.

W. S. Goodall, of Emerson, Iowa, is at the Pacific.

C. C. Williams, of Missouri Valley, arrived in the Bluffs yesterday and was quartered at the Pacific.

J. A. Freyhan, now of Omaha, was greeting his old acquaintances here yesterday.

A. B. Keith, the Danison editor, was at the Ogdens yesterday.

J. G. Anderson, of Keokuk, is at the Ogdens.

H. C. Hadley, of New York, reached the Ogdens yesterday.

T. O. Carlisle, of Missouri Valley, is in the city, and making headquarters at the Ogdens.

J. Y. Fuller is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia, but hopes are entertained of his speedy recovery.

B. J. Johnson is in the city. He is the owner of the three paces, Westmont, record, 2:15; Lone Jack, 2:17; and Fritz, 2:24.

W. A. Jackson, of Chicago, B. L. Hines, of New York, and C. C. Noble, of Goshen, Ind., all commercial tourists, and lively ones, were at Bechtel's yesterday.

H. Landers, of Keokuk, one of the largest dealers in poultry and fish in the state, and N. Parker, also of Keokuk, are in the city as members of the grand jury in the United States court.

Vote of Thanks.

At a meeting of the Ancient order of Hibernians, of Council Bluffs, held on 23d inst., a vote of thanks was extended to the visiting brothers from Omaha and Dunlap, who so nobly and generously participated with us, and the citizens of Council Bluffs generally in the celebration of Saint Patrick's Day, and for their attendance at our hall in the evening. By order of the COMMITTEE.

Appreciated.

The Grand Army boys of Council Bluffs voted their heartfelt compliments, thanks and a God bless you, to the noble citizens who so nobly contributed to the soldiers' relief fund. Our compliments to you, most respectfully. COMMITTEE.

OAKLAND LEAVES.

Gus Seiffert will Recover from His Gunshot Wounds--Other Items Gleaned for The Bee.

Correspondence of THE BEE.

OAKLAND, Ia., March 24.—Quite a serious accident happened in our usually quiet village last Saturday afternoon, and caused great excitement and anxiety among our citizens for a few hours. The cause of the excitement was the accidental shooting of Gus Seiffert by Elmer Freeman. They were out duck hunting, and when about one-half mile from town Seiffert was walking about two rods in advance of Freeman, when Freeman's gun went off, the whole charge striking Seiffert in the lower extremity of the back, falling him to the ground. In a few moments word was brought to town and a team at once dispatched after the unfortunate man. The wound was dressed by Drs. McConaughy, Stewart and Bueler. It was found that about 160 No. 4 shot had entered the body. Although the wound is a serious one, the chances are favorable for a recovery. Mr. Seiffert is the proprietor of the lumber yard here, and nephew of Hon. Mr. Seiffert, of Avoca, and one of the best business men in Oakland.

Late in the afternoon of the same day word was brought to town that the house of James Humbert was on fire. Mr. Humbert lives a short distance from town on the Carson road. By the timely effort of a few the house was saved after it had been damaged about \$100, which was fully insured.

The funeral of Frank Rudolf took place on Friday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. Thompson.

John Norton, of the firm of Norton & Bryant, has been very sick, but is improving.

Rev. D. C. Morris has been sick for the past week.

A telegram was received here on Saturday that Thomas Collison, a former citizen of Oakland, was very low and requesting friends to come at once.

Charley Norton, of Avoca, was in town over Sunday. J. T.

A FAIR AFFAIR.

The Lucky Ones at Weston and the Fair a Big Success Financially.

WESTON, Iowa, March 23.—The Catholic fair here passed off quietly and was a grand success considering the weather, mud and rain. The Currie band, from Underwood, furnished the music for the occasion. Your humble correspondent held ten tickets in the fair, but it was like the Dutchman's "nix come rouse."

The lucky parties in the fair were as follows:

The Hon. G. A. Holmes, of Council Bluffs, drew the 5-year-old horse.

Mr. Richmond, of Council Bluffs, was the lucky man on the harness. Miss Nelly Kinney, of Hardin township, drew the lady's saddle. Ewing Hall, of Hazel-dell township, drew the marble-top bureau. Peter Killian, of Neola township, drew the center-table. Henry Mathison, of Weston, drew Father Mc's photo. Thomas White, of Weston, drew the silver tea-set. The silver headed cane was voted to Jacob Grove, our wide-awake farmer of Weston. The silver lantern was voted to our popular granger and farmer, Henry Mathison, of Weston. Richard Early, of Weston, was our lucky young man on the silver ring. Our young and enterprising farmer, Thomas White, drew the scarf. Michael Bone, of Harrison county, drew the rocking-chair. The proceeds of the fair amount to \$640. More anon. JUSTICE.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record in the recorder's office, March 25, reported for THE BEE by P. J. McMahon, real estate agent:

C. R. I. & P. R. R. Co. to J. P. Michelson, nw 1/4, 3, 77, 43, \$305 60.

F. Schrader to John Lehmkul, part of sw 1/4, 24, 74, 42, \$1,100.

Silas O'Leary to J. H. Henry, nw 1/4 and el 1/4, 23, 76, 41, \$2,540.

George M. Griffith to J. H. Henry, sw 1/4, 34, 76, 41, \$670.

J. D. Austin to Beasley Bros., lot 7, Findales sub, \$350.

Aaron Higgins to J. H. Henry, se 1/4, 28, 76, 41, \$3,000.

G. A. Sage to S. E. Bender, part nw 1/4, 12, 75, 40, \$150.

T. J. Aiken, \$8,115.60.

Total sales for the week, \$36,870.60.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Special advertisements, such as Lost, Found, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the low rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first insertion and FIVE CENTS PER LINE for each subsequent insertion. Leave advertisements at our office, No. Pearl Street, near Broadway.

WANTED.—Two good broom makers and sweepers at Plattsmouth broom works; steady work.

WANTED.—Experienced dining room girls. Wages \$15 per month; Ogdens house.

WANTED.—A first class Turner. De V. & Wright Council Bluffs, Iowa.

WANTED.—A live boy with pony to carry route for Bee. Call at Council Bluffs office.

WANTED.—Every body in Council Bluffs to take hairless. Delivered by carrier at only twenty cents a week.

LOST.—A water spaniel, brown and white; seven months old. Suitable reward for return to 136 Harrison street.

OLD PAPERS.—For sale at Bas office, at 25 cents a hundred.

FOR RENT.—Furnished room eight dollars.

FOR RENT.—A nicely furnished room for one or two ladies gentlemen at Mrs. A. A. Smith's, 125 South First street.

GENTS.—Ladies and gentlemen can make first class wages by selling the "Champion Broom Sweeper and Ironing Board." Retail at \$1.00. Any lady can do up a fine shirt without a wrinkle and give it as nicely as the best laundries can. Address for particulars C. B. S. & I. Co., has office, for one month.

ROLLER SKATING RINK. CORNER PEARL ST. AND FIFTH AVE.

Open 10:30 a. m. to 10 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening exclusively by the music club.

Music on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

ADMISSION.—25 CENTS.

No objectionable characters will be admitted.

CHAPMAN & MARTENS, PROPRIETORS.

LADIES! WE ARE RECEIVING SOME VERY FINE Shoes and Slippers. Gentlemen OUR FINE BOOTS AND SHOES For Spring Wear are arriving daily. Please call and see our New Stock. Z. T. LINDSEY & CO., 412 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

MAYNE & PALMER, DEALERS IN Hard and Soft Coal, AND WOOD, BULK AND BARREL LIME, LOUISVILLE AND PORTLAND CEMENT, MICHIGAN PLASTER, HAIR AND SEWER PIPE. COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

SMITH & TOLLER, LEADING MERCHANT TAILORS, 7 and 9 Main street, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA. Spring Goods Just Received.

J. H. ARMSTRONG, Civil Engineer, ROOM 6, NEW OPERA HOUSE, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA. All Orders by Mail Promptly Attended To.

CASADY, ORCUTT & FRENCH CARPETS Oil Cloths, Mattings, Linoleums, Etc. Come and be convinced that we are headquarters for all goods in our line. Cheapest place to buy House Furnishings in the City. COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

European Hotel. The only Hotel in this City on the European plan of "PAY ONLY FOR WHAT YOU GET." New Building--New Furnishings. ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS--CENTRALLY LOCATED. Fine Sample Rooms--Elegant Restaurant. PETER BECHTELE, PROPRIETOR, Nos. 336 and 338 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Geo. R. Beard, WALL PAPER! Largest Stock in the City And Lowest Prices Guaranteed. Window Shades, ARTISTS' Materials, ROOM MOULDING, CORNICE POLES AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES. Painting.

No. 32 Main Street and 33 Pearl Street, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA. NEXT DOOR TO THE POSTOFFICE. ORDERS BY MAIL PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Empkie Hardware Co. WHOLESALE Hardware 109 and 111 S. Main Street, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

Metcalf Bros., WHOLESALE DEALERS IN HATS, CAPS BUCKGLOVES, 342 and 344 Broadway, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

RESTAURANT AND CAFE, W. T. BRAUN Caterer to The Public. 404 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

Kimball & Champ, (OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE) MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE! Complete Abstracts of Title to all Lots and Lands in the County.

MAX MOHN, Proprietor, CRESTON HOUSE. EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS. Nos. 217 and 219 S. Main St., COUNCIL BLUFFS.

L. A. CASPER, FLORIST Cure or no Pay! Vegetable Gardener. SILOAM MINERAL SPRINGS.

EDWIN J. ABBOTT! Justice of the Peace. NOTARY PUBLIC AND GENERAL CONTRACTOR, 415 BROADWAY, COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Iowa Seed Corn FOR SALE BY J. Y. FULLER, Commission Merchant No. 2 Pearl Street, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

JACOB SIMS, E. P. CADWELL, SIMS & CADWELL, Attorneys-at-Law, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA. Office, Main Street, Rooms 1 and 2. Shugart & McStanton's Block. Will practice in State and Federal courts.

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