COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.
Leffert's glasses fit.
Stockert sells carpets.
A store for men—"Beno's."

Diamond betrothal rings at Leffert's, 409 14-K and 18-K woulding rings at Lottert's, MUST AGREE TO KEEP TERMINAL IN CITY

Pleture framing C. E. Alexander & Co. Joe G. Bone left yesterday for Kansas City to spend the holidays with relatives and friends

Ht. Alban's hall.

Robinson Bros.' great clearance and rumage sale is still on. A great opportunity
for Kmas shoppers.

Dr. Donald Macrae, jr., and wife arrived home yesterday from a month's visit
in New York City.

Mrs. P. Kiriey is reported to be seriously
ill at the home of Mrs. J. E. Goodenough,
into Seventh avenue.

Resulting prices of Robinson Bros.

st presents of latest Christmas extra fine jewelry, watches, dia-and silverware at Robinson Bros.

D. Johnson and son, Fred, and daugh-s, Misses Maud and Neille, will go to-to Lincoln, Neb., to spend Christmas h Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Townsend. Mrs. and Mrs. T. K. Townsend.
Mrs. Kate Cramer, wife of J. A. Cramer,
all Fourth avenue, died yesterday morning, aged 5 years. Besides her husband,
our daughters and one son survive her.
Mrs. J. H. Carse of this city and Mrs.
ichn Fillins of San Francisco have been
alled to their old home in lowa City by
the death of their sister, Mrs. Jennic
beharty.

Dr. G. A. Spaulding, Attorney A. L. Preston and H. V. Battle, deputy clerk of the district court, all of Avoca, were in the city yesterday exchanging holiday prectings with friends.

R. A. Norton and Frank Poteet, charged with robbing an old man named S. J. Lumming, took a change of venue yesteray from police court to the court of ustice Ouren, where they will have a saring today.

on his promise to appear in policethis morning.

J. Ketth, traveling auditor of the
Pacific, who was recently transto Portland, Orc., arrived home to
Christmas with his family. Mr.
expects to remove his family to
and in the spring.

fire department was called at I
k yesterday morning to the residence
J. Lee. 238 Williams street, where
shes set fire to a coal shed, which
lestroyed. Prompt work on the part
firemen alone prevented the flames
spreading to the house.

Jam W. Koller of Omaha and Mrs.
hen, arrested Tuesday night on comof Koller's wife, had their pretry hearing continued restorday in
c Careon's court until December 20,
who spent Tuesday night in the
jail, succeeded in furnishing ball
mum of \$500 yesterday and was re-

Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

CHRISTMAS

HOLDING TABOR LINE DOWN

Council Committee Will Grant No Right-of-Way North of Broadway.

nance Framed in Time to Present to Regular Meeting of Council in Junuary.

Aldermen Lougee, McDonald and Casper

emprising the special committee of the council to which was entrusted the task of drafting an ordinance granting the Council Bhiffs, Tabor & Southern Electric railway franchise, will hold another meet be able to agree on an ordinance in order that same may be submitted to the city council at its regular meeting in January. From the position taken by Alderman Lougee it is doubtful if the franchise will permit the Tabor line going north of Broadway for its passenger business. Alderman Lougee will insist that the track of the company so far as its passenge service is concerned, shall terminate at Broadway. He favors the company running on Fourth street to Broadway, where there is ample room for a "Y," so that the cars may be turned. Another sugges tion made by Alderman Lougee is that the Tabor line use the tracks of the present motor company on Pearl street from Fifth avenue north to Broadway and then turn south again on Fourth street or Main

Speaking on the question yesterday Mr Lougee stated that under no circumstances would a franchise be given the Tabor company which would permit it running its passeager trains through the city direct to Omaha. If the company wanted a franchise, he said, it would have to make Couneli Bluffs the absolute terminal of its pas senger business

De Long's Three-Cent Sale.

This morning at 8 o'clock we will place on sale doll commodes, carpet sweepers, toy brooms, iron toys, doll washboards tables, money banks, large size Filipine dolls, fancy candy boxes, story books, Christmas tree dolls and large ornaments. China figures and many other articles, all at 8 cents each while they last. Get in early if you want the big snaps. Harvey De Long, printer and stationer, 307 Broad

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

Approve Paving Assessments. The city council met yesterday mornin and after inspecting the recently completed paving on North Second street and on Tenth avenue between Main and Fourth streets, approved the assessment schedules as prepared by the city engineer. The total cost of the paving on North Second street amounted to \$3,057, of which the city will have to assume \$542, the abutting property not being of sufficient value to do so. The total cost of the paving on Tenth avenne was \$1,710.52, and the council decided that the abutting property was well able to bear the entire assessment.

uneral of Rudoiph Prasse will be afternoon at 2:20 o'clock from the residence, 260 Sixth avenue, and at will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

N. Graves, paster of the Fifth arrive by noon today. Harvey De Long. Methodist church, will conduct wices. Mr. Prasse, who died at a printer and stationer, 207 Broadway.

lucky than rich. Not more than a month ago J. E. Wolfe, the old man who became for \$5,000, attempted to murder his wife in the Royal Arcasum hall, and when Wagner ran to her assistance he was made the for the crazed man's revolver. Wagner, however, had a fortunate escape,

SUGGESTIONS

Rings, Rings, Rings of

every design and descrip-

tion at all prices, brooches,

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sterling silver

bon bon dishes

sterling butter spreads,

jewel cases,

soup dishes,

silver toilet

1.50 Spoons and Forks and Pancy

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A Large Assortment of Cut Glass, Sterling Novelties and Spoons.

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Rogers' The Spoons,

mone Pancy Tea

That he was born under a lucky star was again evidenced Tuesday night. ossing the Northwestern tracks on Broadway shortly before midright Wagner stepped back to allow a freight train to pass him and was struck by passenger train No. II. He was thrown some fifteen feet clear into the middle of the street, and when picked up was unconscious with the blood streaming from a long gash in the back of his head. He was carried into the depot and those about him concluded was mortally injured. By the time mpany's physician arrived Wagner had recovered consciousness, and after his wounds were dressed was able to walk to while painful did not confine him to bed yesterday, as he was able to walk to the doctor's office to get them dressed, and he expects to be able to resume his duties as faultor by the first of next week.

Something Doing at De Long's. Big 3-cent sale beginning at 8 o'clock and running as long as the goods last. Four-tain pen sale at 10 o'clock-\$4.00 gold mounted Waterman fountain pens at 31.98. Harvey De Long, printer and stationer, 307

A fine triplicate ebony bevel mirror today for \$4.50 at Leffert's.

Matters in District Court. The Wabash Railroad company was made defendant in two suits begun in the district court yesterday. In one Stiles & Douglass of goods shipped over the defendant com-pany's road to Des Arc, Kan., in July last, during the time of the floods. The plaintiffs allege that the goods were never de livered or accounted for by the railroads In the other suit G. C. Plumer, a farmer of Lewis township, demands \$200 for sev eral head of cattle killed at different dates during the last two years by the defendant company's trains. It is alleged on behalf of the plaintiff that the railroad was negligent in not keeping the fences along its right-of-way in repair and thus permitting the cattle to stray onto its tracks.

Harriet A. McKibben, wife of J. W. Mc-Kibben, began suit against P. Ehlers, asking \$172,45 actual damages and \$500 exemplary damages for the alleged unlawful attachment of personal property in a hotel conducted by Mrs. McKibben and her husband in Minden. Ehiers is owner of the hotel building and it is claimed that the property attached was exempt, as McKibwas the head of a family.

Everything in Leffert's store is on sale at a big discount today and tomorrow N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250; night, F 667.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were filed yesterday in

the abstract, title and loan office of Squire

Select your presents at Leffert's where you can purchase solld gold rings, watches,

Wagner is Lucky.

diamonds, bracelets, clocks, chains, cut glass, silverware, hand-painted china and all kinds of solid gold jewelry at about onethird off today and tomorrow.

> Dr. J. F. Walter was arrested yesterday morning on an information filed in Justice Ouren's court, charging him with crimina practice. The complaint was made by L. C. Larsen, father of Elna Larsen, a young girl who is said to be in a critical condition as the result of the alleged criminal treat ment given her by the defendant. Th mestic in a number of the prominent fam-ilies of the city and her parents are al-most distracted over the disgrace. Wulter furnished a bond in the sum of \$1,000 with liminary hearing was set for January 13.
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> An information has also been filed against Mrs. Merriam, alleged to have been employed by Dr. Walter to nurse the girl. The warrant for Mrs. Metriam's arrest has

> not yet been issued, as it is understood she will appear in court whenever called upon. Dolls Packed for Shipment. Our large \$1.56 dolls will be packed for express shipment for Mc extra. Would it tickle your little friend to get an express package three feet long? Dolls shipped teday will arrive at any destination within 50) miles on Christmas day. Harvey De Long, printer and stationer, 307 Broadway.

Do your shopping today at Leffert's.

Dislike for Butcher Knives. Lottle Wood began suit for divorce yesterday in the district court from Charles Wood, to whom she was married just three months ago. When Mrs. Wood became the wife of Charles Wood on September 23 last she was not quite 16 years of age, while her husband was about old enough to be her grandfather. Less than two months of married life sufficed for the young wife and on November 6 she packed ser trunk and returned to her mother. Her husband, she said, illtreated her and frequently threatened to take her life. She stood the alleged abuse for a while, but when her husband persisted in taking a butcherknife to bed with him at night and keeping it under the pillow, as she says he did. Mrs. Wood decided that it was time for her to leave him and seek the protec-

Big Dolla at De Long's. Doll three feet high, \$1.55. Only a few left. Harvey De Long, printer and sta-

Charged with Bieyele Theft. Lee Graham, said to live in Omaha, inder arrest at the city jail charged with the theft of a bicycle belonging to George Mr. Prior is foreman of the Omaha Print-ing company and makes the trip daily. when weather permits, between this city and Omaha on his wheel. Graham stole the wheel in Omaha and rode it over to this city and was arrested while trying to dis-pose of it at a bleycle store on Broadway. The fact that he first asked \$10 for it and then offered to sell it for \$3 aroused spa-plelon and resulted in his arrest.

Another Pountain Pen Sale. \$4.00 gold mounted Waterman fountain pens on sale this morning at \$1.50. mencing at 10 o'dlock. Harvey De Long, printer and stationer, 207 Broadway.

It's sometimes a hard problem to decide just what to buy, but there is this about it, if the present comes in a jeweler's box and from Leffert's you can depend that who ever receives it will know, first of all that it is a piece of jewelry, the best of all presents. Coming from Leffert's insures that gratifying certainty that it is the best goods on the jewelry market.

This will be a memorable day in jewelry selling. We propose to make it so by low prices. If you are in doubt as to what to buy, by all means come to our store and the prices will convince you that it should be jewelry.

A Most Important Reduction

We have nine very handsome desk sets containing sterling silver, seal, pen holder, letter opener, ink eraser, blotter, sealing wax, all in an attractive case, a beautiful present for a lady. The prices on these sets were \$9.00, \$10.50, \$12.00, \$14.00 and \$16.00, They have been reduced to \$7.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. These are exceptional Pearl handle sterling fruit knives, cut from

\$5.50 and \$6.00 to \$4.50 and, for the set of eix...... \$5.00 Pearl handle, sterling mounted nut picks, that were \$5.50, reduced to, \$5.50

A Reduction of 25 Per Cent

on Sterling Silver and Plated Cups, Napkin Rings, Sterling Dinner Bells, Jewel Boxes, Candelabras and Trays.
A fountain pen makes a fine gift for a gentleman. We have a big line of the Parker Ren from \$1.50 km wing Sets in gold and silver plate, 25.00, 55.00, 54.00, 32.50 \$2.50

Rogers' 1847 Al Quality R. Wallace & Son's

Pirst quality, sterling gray finish, something new and very swell in tableware, including individual pieces of all kinds.

Bet of half dozen best silver plate fruit knives, former price \$2.00 and \$1.50

Child's Sets

Bets that were \$2.00,

Discount

On Latest Style Handbags

In genuine alligator, seal, walrus and Morocco leathers; colors, red, blue, black, tan and gray, in three lots, worth \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50; others \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and up to \$10, priced at \$2.00, \$1.50 and

at \$10.00, \$7.50, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.50, \$3.50

Specials in Purses, Cigar Cases, Card Cases and all leather goods. Travelers' Sets in leather cases are the \$1.75 threat and most complete in the city.

If you wish to make a useful and valuable present, see our line of swell Umbrellas.

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For this day's great business we have made extra preparations to wait on you promptly and carefully with a largely increased force of competent sales people, extra bundle wrappers, and every one of our quick delivery cash clerks working in the busiest sections of the store.

> These, in connection with our wide, roomy atsies, well lighted and conveniently arranged departments, and the splendid conditions of the assortments in the different tines, all combine to make this a popular, easy trading place suring this busiest of

> FOR THE WOMEN we show the best values and the greatest assortment of high grade GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, UMBREILLAS, FANCY APBONS, NECK-WEAR, WAISTS, FURS, FANCY NOVELTIES, KNIT SLIPPERS, PURSES, WRIST

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Marriage Licenses Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

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A vote given with each one-cent

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35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and Children's Tapestry Slipper a full line at 35c.

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Perk roast, per pound. Fresh ham, per pound. three pounds. Three pounds. Three pounds. 25c 6c Best lard. 124c GOOD BUTTER, 20c

Turkeys, Goose, 12c; Ducks, 12c; Chickens, 10c; Oysters bolld, 35c quart, Celery.

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