

THE DAILY BEE COUNCIL BLUFFS, Monday Morning, March 9.

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MINOR MENTION.

See J. Reller's new spring goods. The city council got no quorum Saturday evening.

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In response one of the two, Mr. Mott, devotes a column of the Nonpareil to abusing the Council Bluffs editor of the Bee. For this abuse the Bee man carries a white flag, for if a man is so ashamed of his official career that he gets mad when the record is given to the public to whom it belongs, then let him get mad.

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It is stated that while the contract for cutting down the ground for the St. Louis street school was let to Mr. Kelly for \$1,000, still the board allowed him over twice that amount, as he claimed he was losing money.

There is one cause of general satisfaction in regard to to-day's school election. The question of superintendency does not seem to come into the election in any form, none of the candidates named having any desire for a change, and none having any pet whom they want to supplant the present superintendent.

Dr. S. Mesher, of the Stour City Chronic Disease Institute, will be at the Scott house in this city, Thursday, April 24. Will attend to patients and all who are afflicted will do well to give him a call. Consultation free.

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offer bonds of responsible citizens, covering any possible damage to public or private property, why are not the people allowed to use the people's house, where there are no other buildings to use.

PERSONAL.

J. W. Squire and wife expect to leave this week for New Orleans. Z. T. Lindsey is in Chicago, looking after some goods for his customers.

John Hinkley, representing M. E. Smith & Co., left yesterday for Nebraska. S. O. Peterson, bank examiner, is in the city on official business.

Ernest Hart is expected home today from Kansas where he has been looking after the estate of his brother for a month past.

Gid Baxter, of Kansas City, representing the Vandalia line of which he is the general passenger agent, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Emma Kirsh left Saturday evening for Sioux City to remain this week, after which she will go to New Orleans to the exposition.

L. Oettinger, of Fremont, Illinois, spent Sunday in this city with friends and starts this morning to work up the vinegar trade in Nebraska.

Mueller's musical merchandise midgets, the Kaege brothers—A. L. and M. C.—start out on the road this morning with four big sample cases each. They expect to work Nebraska for all it is worth.

COMMERCIAL.

COUNCIL BLUFFS MARKET.

Wheat—No. 1 milling, 65¢; No. 2, 60¢; No. 3, 50¢. Corn—New, 25¢. Oats—For local purposes, 23¢.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle—Butcher cows 8 1/2 to 9 1/2. Butcher steers, 3 1/2 to 4 1/2. Sheep—2 1/2 to 3 1/2. Hogs—4 1/2 to 5 1/2.

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FORTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

OFFICE: NOS. 346 & 348 BROADWAY, NEW YORK. JANUARY 1, 1885. Amount of Net Cash Assets, January 1, 1884, \$53,477,840.80. REVENUE ACCOUNT.

DISBURSEMENT ACCOUNT. Losses by death, including reversionary additions to same, \$1,257,173.79. Endowments, matured and discounted, including reversionary additions to same, \$73,807.50.

CASH ASSETS, January 1, 1885, \$59,283,733.57. Appropriated as follows: Adjusted losses, due subsequent to January 1, 1885, \$3,001.00.

Divisible Surplus at 4 per cent, (Company's Standard) \$4,371,014.90. Surplus by the New York State Standard at 4 1/2 per cent, estimated at \$10,000,000.00.

Table with columns for Death-claims paid, Income from interest, and Assets. Includes data for years 1881, 1882, 1883, and 1884.

TRUSTEES. MORRIS FRANKLIN, DAVID DOWS, EDWARD MARTIN, H. SUTNAM GRANT, WM. H. APPLETON, HENRY BOWERS, JOHN MAHER, GEORGE H. POTTS, WILLIAM A. BOOTH, LEONARD L. WILFE, HENRY TUCK, WILLIAM L. STRONG, H. R. CLAFIN, ROBERT H. COLLINS, ARNOLD STEWELL, WILLIAM H. BEERS, ARCHIBALD H. WELCH.

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DRESS GOODS. First Grand Sale of Spring Dress Goods. 50 pieces Cashmere 12 1/2 worth 18c. 20 " De Bege 15c " 25c. 20 " Ottoman cord 20c " 25c.

WHITE GOODS. 20 pieces lace pique at 10c worth 20c. 20 French checked nainsook at 12 1/2c worth 20c.

GENTS' HALF HOSE. 50 dozen cotton stripes, at 5c worth 50c. 20 dozen stout Scotch mixed, seamless, at 10c, worth 15c.

EMBROIDERIES. 20 doz lines at 25c worth 50c. 25 " " 35c " 50c. 20 " fancy colored lines at 50c worth 75c.

We are Offering Domestic at New York Prices.

The above goods and prices are some of our special bargains. We have others but have no room to enumerate. These are a few of the bargains obtained by our buyer in his late trip to New York and Philadelphia.

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