

BREVITIES.

—Paterson sells coal.
—Oranges, 25c per dozen, at Buffett's.
—Whipple, McMillan & Co., the jewellers, Creighton block.
—Additional store rooms fronting on Harvey street will be built by Dewey & Stone.
—Wastin—Fifty thousand dollars of county bonds. H. T. Clarke.
—The Invaders, in Erin Aroon, give a family matinee to-day at 2:30. Tickets, 25 and 15 cents.
—Her & Co. are making preparations to begin their new building on Harvey street immediately.
—The next reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Lincoln or vicinity, in September.
—Gertrude Mason, a little pupil of the High school, was badly hurt on Wednesday afternoon while out coasting.
—Oysters, 25c, 30c, and 40c, at Buffett's.
—It is reported that Mary Anderson is to be married to George Riddle, the well known Shakespearean reader at Bedford.
—M. A. E. Tonnell, general manager of the H. & M., offers a reward of \$2.00 for the party or parties who burglarized the B. & M. safe at Bloomington Monday night.
—The work of tearing down the old Emigrant house of the U. P., which was partially destroyed by fire recently, has been stopped. It is reported, by the insurance men, who are interested in it to the extent of \$2,000.
—Among other things taken from the safe at Wahoo on the night of the 22d last, was a ticket to Saginaw, the purchaser of which will be interviewed on his arrival at this point.
—A woman who Thursday purchased a ticket to Virginia City, called at the depot ticket office yesterday and wanted her money refunded. She said that "she and her old man made it up last night." She was referred to Charlie Stebbins.
—Lovers of music are the worst sufferers from the cold weather. Minnie is unable to make a creditable street parade, and when the U. P. band went to the rink Tuesday night, in full force, their horns froze up, and not a note could they get out.
—Clark, of The Nonpareil, says: "The question what to drink is daily getting to be one which leaves the thirsty man more in doubt and perplexity." Strange that he never thought of this until the high price of eggs drove Tom and Jerry out of the market.
—A lady and gentleman from Omaha while enjoying the sleighing in Council Bluffs yesterday afternoon, were unfortunately enough to have the runners of their delicate cutter twisted off by the street car track while turning off Broadway into Pearl street.
—The county commissioners are considering the question of lowering the grade of Farnham street on the west end of the city, in view of the fact that it is the main thoroughfare to and from the city. They will determine the question before the court house foundations are laid.
—The American Express company has lately made permanent and public an excellent feature, practiced for some time past, the transportation of money by telegraph. The Western Union Telegraph company sends money by telegraph, and the American Express company now advertises it as a regular feature of its business.
—The Council Bluffs Nonpareil speaking of the appearance of the Invaders in that city, says: "Erin Aroon was witnessed last night by a refined and delightful audience, which filled the hall with applause. Sale of reserved seats commenced today at Max Meyer's. Admission 50 cents."
—Jewelry of all designs MADE AND REPAIRED on the shortest possible notice, at EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, The Jewelers, opp. U. S. P. O.
—Buy Bess' Candy Pulling and So-called to-night.
—WHAT YOU CAN BUY.
A new arrival of handsome gold watches, ladies and gents, all styles and prices, just being opened at Whipple, McMillan & Co.'s, and you can buy one cheaper than ever before. The patterns are neat and unequalled. Something entirely new.
Creighton Block, Fifteenth Street.
—PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.
H. W. Chace has returned from Fort Bridger.
Rev. Geo. Little came in from the west yesterday.
Hon. A. J. Poppleton was in Lincoln Thursday.
Ex-Mayor Galey, of Lincoln, was in the city yesterday.
Judge Bartholomew, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.
Judge Hawes has returned from Lincoln and resumed the judicial ermine.
Frank E. Cox left Friday for the west to look after the cattle interests of Cox & Carter.
Mr. A. S. Penney, business manager of the Erie Evangelical company, was in the city yesterday.
Miss Jennie Woolworth, daughter of Hon. J. M. Woolworth, returned from the east yesterday.
John G. Jacobs, Esq., our genial county coroner, has come to East Berlin, Penn., to be absent from two to four weeks. It is rumored that he will not return alone.
Mr. M. A. McNamara, who is reported seriously ill by Friday's Herald, is not so bad, as we are very glad to learn, but is up and about, and will be able to attend to his business again in a day or two.
For Sale—Six-horse power Baxter engine and boiler, in good repair. Apply at Bee office.
—SOLID SILVER JEWELRY,
Something New, at EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, Opposite U. S. Postoffice.
—Buy Bess' Candy Pulling and So-called to-night.
—FURS! FURS! FURS!!!
Ladies' and gents' fur goods of every description at the Fur Manufacturing, opposite postoffice, Omaha. All goods are warranted.
—HENRY G. RICHTER,
Furrier.
The first arrival of Men's, Youth's and Boys' clothing, Spring Overcoats, surprises anything ever brought to this market, is now ready for inspection, at M. EGGERTS', Mammoth Clothing House, Cor. 10th and Farnham.

NOT A BLIZZARD.

But a Genuine Cyclone of Big Improvements.

The Omaha Bankers on Their Mettle.

For some days past there have been rumors abroad to the effect that there were to be several new bank buildings erected in Omaha during the coming season, but until Friday nothing definite has been learned that could be given to the public. A Bee reporter called to-day upon the representatives of the different banks, and is able to state the facts as received from headquarters.

On Tuesday last the lot occupied by Saxe's drug store, corner of Farnham and Fourteenth, was purchased by the State Bank. This lot has a 22-foot frontage on Farnham and adjoins a lot of the same size, which the representatives of the bank desired to purchase also, but have not yet completed the bargain. Mr. Murphy stated to our reporter to-day that if this lot was secured they expected to erect thereon during the coming summer a fine building, three stories high, suitable for their purposes.

If the lots could not both be had by the bank they would not build. As to the general design of the bank nothing was known except that it would be such as to suit their needs for some time to come.

Our reporter next called upon Mr. Herman Kuntze, of the First National bank, who, in response to his inquiries, said that they should build this summer upon the corner at present occupied by them. It was their intention to take out the east wall of the present bank, to take in the adjoining lot, and to build a good substantial building thereon. He did not expect to make it very fine, but would add a third story and make it such as to be what they had need for some time and would be a fine building.

Mr. J. H. Millard, of the Omaha National bank, said that it was true they had been after the same lot purchased by the State Bank. They have one or two other good sites in view, and if they could secure either one they would build during this summer.

"What kind of a building?" asked our reporter.

"Well, as to that, I can't say," was the reply, "but it will be a creditable building and one that will answer our purpose as long as we are in the banking business."

With the assurance that Omaha would not suffer at the hands of the bankers this year, the firm of Caldwell & Co. was next visited, and Mr. Hamilton smiled as he said, "We shall wait until the others build and then beat them all."

He said they had been in need of more commodious quarters for some time, and might possibly build this summer, but he thought not. When they did build it would be on the corner at present occupied by them, and they would wait and see the other banks and go them one better. With this comforting information our reporter was forced to be content.

IN THE LEAD.
As usual, Whipple, McMillan & Co. are ahead in the jewelry business. They received, yesterday, a large invoice of gold and silver watches—the finest lot ever exhibited in the city. Do not fail to see them. All marked at low figures.

Creighton Block, 15th Street.

FLEMING'S
Smoked Trout
Smoked Halibut
Smoked Haddock
Smoked Salmon
Smoked Bismarck

THE BEST PLACE to get your watch repaired and have a thorough good job done, is at EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, The Jewelers, opposite U. S. P. O.

Imperial Whist Club.

The members of the Imperial Whist club are requested to meet at their rooms on Sixteenth street, Saturday evening, for important business. By order of the president.

J. C. WILKINS, Sec'y.

Deaths Record.

WEDNESDAY—Gustav Arthur, infant son of O. W. and Katie Wedell, died at 6 a. m., January 28, 1881, aged 12 weeks. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. Sunday, from the residence, No. 136 Jackson street, between Ninth and Tenth. Interment at Prospect Hill.

REYNOLDS—At his home on First street, in Council Bluffs, Thursday, January 27, 1881, Martin Robert Reynolds, of congestion of the lungs, aged 27 years.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, east side of South First street, on Saturday morning, the 30th, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are requested to attend without further notice.

Mr. Reynolds was purely a Council Bluffs young man, having grown up from childhood in that city, and graduated in its high school. He was employed in the Union Pacific shops in this city for some time; subsequently fired and afterward run a locomotive for that company. He was highly respected by all, and his death brings sorrow to a large circle of friends.

Straw—Arthur Shaw, son of Ezra and Mary Shaw, died January 27th, aged six years. Funeral Sunday at 10 a. m., from the residence of his parents, 827 North Sixteenth street, Burial takes place at Prospect Hill cemetery. Friends invited.

THREE FIRST-CLASS TICKETS TO CHICAGO for sale at reduced price, at EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, Jewelry Store, corner 15th and Dodge Sts., Opp. U. S. Postoffice.

BONNER 1309, Douglas street, has the largest and best stock of House Furnishing Goods in the city. 324-4

BETWEEN TWO DAYS.

The Little Railroad Matinee at Blair.

Miscellaneous Railroad Items.

Appropos of the reported railroad "racket" at Blair, a representative of The Bee called yesterday at the office of the St. Paul & Omaha line, where he corralled the genial Joshua, with the following result:

Reporter—How serious is the row at Blair?
Mr. Budd—There is no row there at all.

Rep.—Why, the report is the C. B. & Q. is cutting rates from that point.

Mr. B.—There's nothing in that at all. Some Chicago parties bought a few cattle there and telegraphed us for fourteen C. B. & Q. cars, which I replied I could send if that road would furnish them. They did so, the cars were sent up, loaded and sent down Thursday. All there is of it is the parties buying the stock expected to ship via C. B. & Q.

Rep.—Well, Mr. Budd, you place the matter in a very laudable shape, but there must be something about it that you have not mentioned, or this report would not be in circulation.

Mr. B.—Oh! there was no trouble at all. (With a rough smile.)

Rep.—Of course I am satisfied now on that point, but, pardon me, how did you load this stock? I am informed that the S. C. & P. folks have the only stock-yards at Blair, and would not permit you to use them.

Mr. B.—We constructed some between two days! The stock must be loaded, and therefore we went to work and loaded it of course, but there was no difficulty between the roads, certainly not, everything was very harmonious, etc., etc.

The reporter withdrew at this remarking to the gentleman that he was evidently cut out for a railway official, as he was possessed in an eminent degree of that faculty "to make the worse appear the better reason," etc.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

We last evening had the pleasure of a call from Mr. E. A. Alexander, general traveling agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, whose headquarters are at Chicago. Mr. Alexander is an excellent representative for a road which will soon be one of the most prominent before the people of this country of great railway lines, and we shall be glad to meet him again. He says that the country traversed by the completed portion of the Northern Pacific road, is attracting more settlers from all parts of the globe than any other section of the American continent, or indeed, any other part of the world. It covers the northern portion of the northern tier of states and territories from Lake Superior to the Pacific ocean, and has proved the most prolific in producing the greatest fruits of the soil of any yet opened in the world. The soil takes no chance there, but finds its labor abundantly rewarded. The great railroad now traverses the state of Minnesota and the territory of Dakota, and has already penetrated the rich territory of Montana.

It is gradually pushing its way to completion, and there now remains less than 500 miles to accomplish that end. This, with the early closing of the short gap in the Southern Pacific, will give the country three through lines to the coast, and practically settle the monopoly business heretofore enjoyed by the only completed line to the Pacific coast.

SCRAP IRON.

Two new Southern Pacific engines went west Thursday.

An especial car came on No. 4 Thursday with the officers of the Oregon Steamship company.

The Wahoo depot robbers are still at large.

The Northwestern mail train arrived an hour and a half late Thursday, and the Rock Island was over two hours behind. Snow and cold weather.

"Omaha Bluffs" passengers going west, keep your seats for the Union depot, "is the way the accommodating and well posted brakemen in the employ of the Rock Island road announces the arrival of the trains of that company at the Fifth street depot in Council Bluffs.

A bill has been introduced in the Kansas legislature calling for an inquiry into the reasons for the removal of the Kansas Pacific headquarters to Omaha.

The Iowa pool roads, together with the Wabash, have organized the Western Weighing association, which is to weigh all cars at Council Bluffs. All collusion with shippers' thus prevented on that part of any road belonging to the association.

Our news in regard to the new shops to be built on the present site of the old government corral, was correct except that the Union Pacific already owns the ground which is leased to the United States at one dollar per year and now reverts to the original owners.

Special U. P. car No. 100 went south on the Lincoln train Friday with J. T. Clark and party on board.

The trains were late again Friday the Northwestern, 24, the Rock Island, 2, and the west bound U. P. train 1 hour. Cold weather east is the cause.

The latest styles of WATCHES and JEWELRY have been received by EDHOLM & ERICKSON, The Popular Jewelers.

Best fruits and candies at Tizard's.

Workingmen know where to go for your drink of pure Kentucky 10 cent whiskey, imported gins and Irish whiskeys, Budweiser beer. Agent for St. Gotthard Bitters.

D. L. McGUCKIN, 314 South 10th St.

Just received at The Bee Job Rooms the newest line of diminutive Paper and Envelopes and Cards, suitable for Children's Birthday Parties. Call and see them.

SAD ACCIDENTS.

A Little Boy Has His Skull Fractured by a Vicious Pony.

A Woman Disfigured for Life by Blue Vitriol.

Yesterday afternoon quite a serious accident occurred to the servant girl of Judge Savage, of this city. From the facts, as we have them, it appears that the girl was engaged in dissolving indigo-blueing with oil of vitriol, and by some slip of the hand the bottle containing the acid to fly into the girl's face and eyes. The extent of the injuries sustained were not ascertained, but it is stated that her face will be somewhat disfigured. Dr. Denice was called and did all he could to alleviate the pain.

SAD ACCIDENT.

A most serious accident and one which, it is feared, will prove fatal, occurred this morning. Frankie, the little son of Mr. Geo. Barker, of the Omaha Gas Co., went out to the stable attached to their residence on St. Mary's avenue, about 8 o'clock to see to his pony, which was standing in the stall. As he passed the animal gave him a kick which struck him in the forehead, producing a terrible fracture of the skull, and tearing the scalp loose in a horrible manner. The unfortunate lad was picked up and carried to the house, where he was soon attended by Doctors Peabody and Peck, who have called upon requisition all the skill possible, but at a late hour this afternoon it was feared that the wounded boy could not recover. It is a very sad accident, and one which we trust may prove less terrible than there is now cause to fear.

LOOK AT THIS.

50c Dress Goods for 15c.

25c Dress Goods for 10c.

The greatest bargain ever offered in Omaha. No humping about this; come and see, at the Boston Store, on Tenth and Jones.

327-6.

Largest assortment of Gorman's solid silverware, at EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, The Jewelers, opp. U. S. Postoffice. Meals at all hours at Tizard's.

A Pleasant Reception.

Last evening a pleasant little reception was given by Mr. Julius Meyer at his rooms, in honor of the anniversary of his brother, Mr. Adolph Meyer. Quite a number of friends were invited, and to say that they were generously and sumptuously entertained but fairly expresses it. Champagne flowed in abundance, and a delightful lunch was served.

Congratulatory speeches were made by Messrs. Blum, Andrew Rosenwarter, Mendelsohn and others. All enjoyed themselves to the utmost, and amid the sweet strains of music the guests drank to the "Long life and prosperity" of the generous host and the Meyer brothers.

OLD JEWELRY

Can be melted over and made into any style to suit, at prices to suit all customers, EDHOLM & ERICKSON'S, The Jewelers, opposite Postoffice.

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Police Court.

In the police court Friday Thomas Belton was fined \$5 and costs for disturbing the peace.

Pat Galligan was Thursday bound over in the sum of \$900 to appear before the February grand jury.

The celebrated Tom cat case was dismissed by the complainant.

Six lumps discharged Thursday morning from Tom drunk last night, and being put in jail had a free fight. They were this morning sent to the county jail for ten days.

Oysters in every style at Tizard's.

Real Estate transfers.

J. D. Fouts and wife to Henry Anderson and N. B. Berggren w. d., \$14,400, w. d. lot 8, all of sec. 6, 114, r. 10 e.—\$400.

Edwin A. Phelps and wife to Julius F. Phelps, w. d., lot 1, block 54, Omaha.—\$1000.

F. Stanton Lewis, et al. to Eugene M. Exley, q. c. d., lot 1 and 4, block 11, Kountze & Rutledge's add., Omaha.—\$100.

State of Nebraska to C. C. Houzel, et al. w. d. sec. 36, 114, r. 12 e.—\$800.

Wm. Ballenger and wife to Edwin H. Walker, w. d. lot 3 and 5, in sec. 28, 116, r. 13 e.—\$250.

Franklin Davis and wife to Sarah J. Walker, w. d. lot 2, block 96, and lots 5 and 7, block 99, Florence.—\$100.

Elizabeth and Edwin H. Walker, w. d. lot 1 and 19, block 96, Florence.—\$2.

Jeanie L. Maginn and L. F. Maginn to E. H. Walker, q. c. d., lot 7, block 96, Florence.—\$20.

Hans Hansen and wife to Knud Nelson, w. d., lot 2, block 364, Omaha.—\$1,200.

Patrick Hammon to Sabina Hammon, w. d., lot 2, block 1804, Omaha.—\$350.

The New Evangelist.

The Boston Journal of a late date speaks of the company as follows: "Where all the people came from that filled the five places of amusement in this city, was a query that few could answer. As was plainly shown at the Globe, Evangelist was a sufficiently attractive character to call out a large audience, and a more delighted and amused crowd never congregated elsewhere. As a comic opera, the piece certainly stands without a rival; and when interpreted in the charming manner that marked its presentation last evening, it is sure to draw Miss Scurlie and Miss Jarboe, assisted by the splendid company of which Geo. Foutage and Harry Hunter are the leading ones, are sure to fill the house during the remainder of the week."

—For Lands, Lots, Houses and Farms, ask over Ben's' new column on first page Brevities.

WHAT'S WANTED.

But Not Likely to be Had Very Soon in This Section of the Country.

No Harm Done, However.

Our lady readers will be interested in the following constitution adopted by the Women's Suffrage association previous to their final adjournment at Lincoln Thursday. The president, one vice president and one member of executive committee are chosen from Omaha:

CONSTITUTION.

ART. 1. The name of this society shall be the Nebraska Woman Suffrage association, and its object shall be to secure to women political equality with men.

ART. 2. All county and local organizations having the title of "Woman Suffrage Association" may at their request become auxiliary to this association.

ART. 3. The officers of this association, to be elected at the annual meeting, shall consist of a president, a vice president at large, vice presidents (one from each judicial district), a recording secretary, a corresponding secretary, a treasurer, and an executive committee of seven. Their duties shall be such as ordinarily pertain to such offices in like organizations, and the president of each auxiliary county organization shall be ex-officio vice president of the general association.

ART. 4. It shall be the duty of this association to call a state convention each year, at such date and place as may be deemed best, at which every county and local society auxiliary to this association shall be represented by five of its members; and other conventions may be called at such time and place as the executive committee may determine.

ART. 5. The regular annual meeting of this association for the election of officers and other business pertaining to the organization shall be held at Lincoln, in the third week of January in each year.

ART. 6. All persons twenty-one years of age or over, resident in Nebraska, subscribing to this constitution may become members of this association, and the membership fee shall be \$1.00 annually, payable on being enrolled a member, and thereafter payable at the beginning of each official year.

ART. 7. A majority of the members present at each regular meeting, not less than ten, shall constitute a quorum.

ART. 8. This constitution may be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any annual meeting, a notice of such proposed amendment having been given to each member through the secretary, at least three months before said annual meeting.

Acquitted of Malicious Prosecution.

The case reported in Thursday's Bee, as tried in the United States court—Fuller vs. Stagle, Johnson & Co.—for malicious prosecution and false imprisonment, and asking \$10,000 damages, came to a close last evening, the jury bringing in a verdict for the defendants. The case has occupied the time and attention of Judge Dauby, a jury, and a host of the best legal talent in the state for the past two days. The firm were exonerated from the charge of malicious prosecution, etc., but they cannot say that they have secured the several hundred dollars that the plaintiff was indebted to them at the time of his arrest.

The Lincoln Journal says: "Col. Saythe, of Omaha, distinguished himself in his address to the jury. His arguments were forcible and logical, and his standing as one of the foremost members of the bar of this state has not been impaired by his address of yesterday."

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