

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Record of Events on the East Side of the Missouri.

General and Profound Exhibitions of Mourning in the City.

Other Events of Interest in That Community.

ABATE THE NUISANCE.

A morning paper, in speaking of the sidewalk embankment in front of Mr. Short's store, on Main street, remarks: "If in the wisdom of the city council the regular grade has been placed on a level with the tops of the windows of the majority of the houses and places of business on west Broadway, that wisdom should be exercised in seeing that persons who build to the established grade can have a decent walk over which to pass, instead of being compelled to climb a mud pile." We have yet to learn why the city council allowed that mud hill to be erected on Broadway, to the great inconvenience of every pedestrian on our streets. Probably, however, they have a good and sufficient reason.

PROCLAMATION.

President Garfield expired last evening at 10:35. The nation is in deep mourning, and I therefore earnestly request that all business be suspended, and that the public buildings and stores of the city be closed this forenoon, out of respect to the memory of the Christian statesman and martyred ruler of the republic.

W. R. VAUGHAN, Mayor.

The above was penned by our mayor on receipt of the sad intelligence of the not unexpected demise of President Garfield, and he ordered the bells of the city to be tolled. Whatever faults Mr. Vaughan may have, every citizen must acknowledge that from the time President Garfield received the fatal shot until his death, Mr. Vaughan has evinced the deepest sympathy, not only as a private citizen, but as mayor of the city.

TAKES IT BACK.

The Council Bluffs Globe takes back in its Monday evening issue what it said on the Saturday evening previous about the suit to recover the fireman's fund, claiming that the Saturday evening article crept in inadvertently, and from this on declares that it will support the city administration and allow no one to cast aspersions upon their acts hereafter. So far as THIS BEE is concerned, we shall continue to commend all the good our city fathers do and condemn every act not in the interest of our city.

OFFER THEIR SERVICES.

THE HONORABLE W. R. VAUGHAN, MAYOR, AND THE CITY COUNCIL:—We do most respectfully tender you, free of charge, our professional services to assist your city attorney in defending the case commenced by C. H. Scott against your honorable body for the small sum voted by your council to be expended to entertain the visiting editors and prominent firemen during the firemen's tournament, as we believe that you acted wisely.

- D. B. Dalley, Geo. F. Wright, Frank K. Trimble, D. C. Bloomer, Wm. A. Mynter, Flickinger Bros., John Lindt, Geo. Carson, Chas. M. Harl, M. P. Brewer, Jacob Sims, John Jay Frailey, W. F. Sapp, and others.

The above appeared in a morning paper yesterday. City Attorney Holmes says there is nothing small about him unless it may be his feet. That he is perfectly willing to undertake the defence of the case with half the above to assist him and that Mr. Scott may have the rest.

A JUSTICE'S VENTURE.

One of the grandest affairs that ever took place in Harden township occurred at the residence of Mrs. E. S. Platner yesterday forenoon. Charles Platner, it will be remembered, was nominated by the citizens of Harden for the high office of justice of the peace, and fought bravely through the campaign, coming out ahead of the ticket by an overwhelming majority. After getting there, however, he happened to remember an engagement he had made with a certain young lady about this time, and thinking he would not be able to occupy both offices at the same time, resigned the office of justice of the peace to which he had been elected by an indulgent public, and put his whole heart and soul into matrimonial work. He wooed and won the hand of a young lady named Smith, not a lady of wealth but of true womanly qualities, just such a bride as the acquire needed to help him on the farm. Yesterday the esquire led the fair one to the altar and they were made one in the flesh. Several of the friends of both bride and groom witnessed the imposing ceremonies. At noon they came to this city and took the early train for a wedding tour. We understand that the esquire took along one car load of fat steaks.

A DRUNKEN CHIFFLE.

A poor cripple named Wm. Nash was on the street Tuesday afternoon, and some one was found mean enough to get him drunk. He was conveyed in a helpless condition to police headquarters, where he remained overnight. In the morning, on account of his condition, Judge Burke took pity on him and discharged him without fine or costs on his promise to leave the city. He started away and had not gone far when he fell into the hands of another man who sold him liquor and he became drunk again, as the saying is, and was picked up. Judge Burke says he will take pity on him again but in a different manner. He will give him a small hammer and set him to pounding rocks, and if he ever catches the man who sold the poor cripple the rot-

but he will pound him with the hammer.

POLICE CASE.

A. Whitney complained at police headquarters that he had been assaulted by one Jack Shields. Jack was arrested, taken to the calaboose, and Whitney was arrested for being drunk. Jack not being in funds was locked up, and Whitney put up \$7 for his own appearance in the morning to answer the charge preferred against him, and also, to testify as to the assault Jack made upon him. The case was called at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and Whitney not being on hand Jack was discharged.

ANOTHER LANDMARK GONE.

The old frame building on Broadway occupied by Mike Nolan was placed on trucks and yesterday started for a vacant lot near the transfer. The lot upon which it has stood is owned by Burham & Tulley, the Pearl street real estate dealers. We understand that they will very soon commence the erection of a very fine brick building on the spot. Thus one by one are all the old rookeries that have had their day giving place to modern improvements.

THE BLUFFS IN BRIEF.

Five hundred yards of black cambric was used in draping the Ogden house in mourning.

W. W. Dean, who has charge of the extensive farm of Hon. C. R. Scott, at Scottville, and who also acts as postmaster at the same place, called at THE BEE office yesterday. Mr. Dean says that the corn on the Scott farm and all through that section is very fine indeed. The talk of a short crop in that part of the state is all bosh.

Mrs. Davenport, the librarian, has opened a morning school in the library room.

The democracy once had a "Cooper" with which they swore they would "scoop-her." So they laid down the tin, but the girl she sailed in, sinking barrel staves, mallet and "Hooper."

W. R. Vaughn draped his horse and the Dexter buggy in black out of respect to the memory of our deceased president.

The Grand Army hall is draped in mourning very deeply. We understand that the material used was donated to the boys by Col. D. B. Dalley.

The Council Bluffs Globe is dressed in black out of respect to the memory of Garfield.

We noticed the following business houses heavily decked with crape: E. L. Shurtz & Co., Olive & Graham, E. Burhorn, Pace & Smith, John Shickston, H. P. Niles, Lutz & Lange, F. W. Spetman, Groneweg & Schoontz, Noble's hotel, J. W. Baird's office, and Smith, Carson & Hart's law office.

Hon. C. R. Scott left for his farm at Scottville, but will be on deck, however, when the injunction suit comes up.

J. A. Phillips and Miss A. M. Moore, of Dunlap, this state, were in this city yesterday, guests at the Ogden.

Charley Sherraden, one of the photographers of the city, is making preparations to take the photograph of the first Herdic cock ever run on our streets.

Alonso Furnold, of Central City, Colorado, was in town yesterday. Mr. Furnold is on his way to Cincinnati, Ohio, to represent the I. O. O. F. lodge, of which he is a member as a delegate before the grand lodge of the order which convenes soon in that city. He is a cousin of Dr. A. H. Studley of this city. While here he drove over the city and expressed himself much pleased and thinks we are indeed the central city of America.

THE BEE reporter had the pleasure yesterday of an introduction to W. H. Officer, of Springfield, Ill., who is in the city on a visit. Mr. Officer is a very pleasant gentleman, and although not blessed with the wealth that his brother, Hon. Thomas Officer, the banker is, resembles him very much. If he is as good a man he is all right without the money. Mr. Officer was well acquainted with Abraham Lincoln and that is honor enough.

The Rescue engine rooms on North Main street are very prettily decorated with black crape. They have suspended over the entrance a beautiful flag trimmed with the same. The initials "J. A. G." are shown on black cloth, which is conspicuous over the doors.

The Council Bluffs insurance company's office is quite heavily draped in mourning for our lamented chief.

Mrs. Jane Baldwin is having the front of the United States express company building, corner Broadway and Pearl street, newly painted. It will change the look of the building materially.

The Union Pacific transfer building was heavily draped in black yesterday.

Bloomer school building and all other institutions of learning are heavily festooned with crape.

L. F. Murphy, president of the school board, as a reminder to the children of our schools of the respect and esteem a president holds in the hearts of a free people, ordered all buildings to be draped in mourning.

By order of Gov. Gear Rev. Mr. Rogers ordered the state institution for deaf mutes to be draped in mourning.

Gov. Nance may have issued the first proclamation, but we don't believe Nebraska can produce a city whose mayor draped his house in mourning out of respect for the deceased president.

The Grand Army boys were to the front to show their grief for the fallen soldier. Their building was almost the first to appear in the garb of mourning. Their large silk flag, costing nearly \$500, has been hanging in front of their hall since the sad news reached this city. It looks beautiful yet sad in its beauty. It is hoisted and draped with black lace.

for picking a man's pocket yesterday down at the transfer. He was taken before Judge Burke and will have his trial to-day.

H. H. Nichols, of Marshalltown, was in the city yesterday, at the Ogden.

J. W. Scott, of Atlantic, was in Council Bluffs at the Ogden yesterday.

There were ninety-five arrivals at the Ogden hotel Tuesday.

D. H. Solomon, of Glenwood, was in the city yesterday.

A young man in the employ of W. A. Mynter fell from his team yesterday injuring his arm quite severely.

Two quite good-looking females amused themselves yesterday forenoon sitting in the shade of a large box-sider playing with cards. There was no money up, or at least there was none in sight, consequently the game was legitimate.

COTTON EXPOSITION.

Space All Occupied and Many Firms Denied Admittance.

Special Arrangements for the Accommodation of Guests.

Correspondence of The Bee.

ATLANTA, Ga., September 17.—A great deal has been said about the business boom, but there is one here in Atlanta that is as much ahead of that as that was ahead of the panic of a few years ago. It is the International Cotton Exposition. Your readers have already been advised of the rapid growth that has attended this enterprise, but no one except those who have been at the headquarters and watched its growth from day to day can have any adequate idea of the immense results that have been attained from a very insignificant beginning. For the last two months it has been customary to speak of the Exposition as a World's Fair, and it still bears that name officially. It deserves the title "International" but it has ceased to be a world's fair and becomes an American one with a considerable sprinkling of foreign parts thrown in. In other words, while Europe and Asia will be represented in certain specific industries the great bulk of the exhibits will be from the United States and territories; but these will be so immense, diversified and important that no visitor will regret the absence of Egypt, Abyssinia, Madagascar and other semi-barbarian nations in remote corners of the world.

Beginning as an exhibition of the cotton industry developing into an exposition of all extant fabrics, and finally enlarging its scope until every industry known to civilized man was admitted, it has become in the generality of its exhibits, although not in the residences of the exhibitors, a world's fair, and consequently no one who sees it will criticize its managers because they have adopted the name that the press of the country has united in ascribing to it.

Last Saturday night the executive department shut down and refused to receive additional applications from the would-be exhibitors. The department of allotment had reduced the space asked for by those who had already applied to the least possible area consistent with a suitable exhibit of their goods. But after all this had been done it was found as the result of a careful computation by a man of great experience in such matters that at least two acres more floor space would be needed to meet the wants of those to whom permits had been already granted. This being the case, it was time to shut the door and to insist that all eleventh hour applicants should remain outside.

Strangely enough, but peculiarly American for all that the people who had applied at the eleventh hour were not satisfied. They waited until they found that the exposition had all it could attend to, and when satisfied of that fact, and assured that it was to be a great success, they insisted upon admission and persisted in their applications after being assured by the director general that it was apparently useless. The exposition has verified many a prophecy that nothing succeeds like success.

There are several things in connection with the entries made that surprise a person familiar with the history of former great Expositions. One of these is that the manufacturers of this country have almost universally written apologies to the department of allotment because they were so driven by business that they were not able to decorate their goods, but were obliged to content themselves with the actual articles prepared for sale. This seems a matter of universal regret on the part of the manufacturers, but to my mind it is one of the most hopeful things connected with the Exposition, for what the southern people need especially is to see displays of the best products of American skill and ingenuity that have been built for practical business, and the absence of gold and silver plating instead of marbling will add to the value of the exhibition.

One dining hall has been in successful operation during the past summer, and another will be established in its immediate neighborhood by one of the most successful caterers of the New England States. The first is intended to be a first-class establishment in all respects with a cuisine second to none in any part of the United States, and will be for the entertainment of families. This is situated on a beautiful wooded slope with good drainage in every direction. It will be enclosed with a strong board fence with an ornamental frontage facing Ogdenhorpe Park. All the streets between the tents will have plank sidewalks. The dining hall and cook house will be frame buildings, but the lodging places of the guests will be tents made of the best canvas that can be procured in the market. Prices at this hotel will be very reasonable, and any of your readers who desire to secure accommodations there can make their arrangements for any length of time by addressing the proprietor, Mr. L. Y. Jenness, Encamp-

ment Hotel, Atlanta, Ga. The other camp will consist of quite a number of very large tents, each one properly floored and provided with cot beds. These tents encircle a large one, which will be used as a dining hall. This is intended for the entertainment of men only, and the proprietor, Mr. Geo. A. Chaffee, will be ready.

Arrangements have been completed within a few days that will add greatly to the comfort of the crowds of visitors expected besides relieving Atlanta from the fear that she will be unable to provide for her throngs of guests.

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