

THE DAILY B COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Monday Morning May 1.

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MINOR MENTIONS.

—Second-hand, or buildings to be removed, bought by W. R. Vaughan.

—Joseph Reiter makes suits up to the latest styles at 310 Broadway. April 21st.

—The district court for this county spends two weeks from to-day.

—The Bescue company has its May-dance at Bloom & Nixon's this evening.

—If you desire to sell your house or lot, notify W. R. Vaughan as to the price.

—For first class butter tubs be sure and call upon Joseph Ross, 615 Upper Broadway. April 21st.

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—A pleasant surprise and presentation occurred at the office of the Council Bluffs insurance company Saturday evening the victim being Charles Dunn, the cashier of the company, who was presented with an elegant gold watch and chain as a token of the esteem and respect felt for him by his employees and associates. Mayor Lyman made the needful speech.

THE LAND OF NOD.

—Further particulars have been learned concerning the babe which was left on the train, of which Fred L. Paine is the conductor. It has developed that the mother of the babe thus deserted is a chambermaid at Jefferson, who heartlessly gave the child to another woman to dispose of. This woman boarded the train and left the babe for the railway boys to look after. The little thing has been restored to its heartless mother, and the authorities have taken steps to force her to take care of it.

—John Jones, living a short distance out of the city, has had a horse stolen, and thinking that he had secured track of the thief, a warrant was issued Saturday afternoon by Justice Frahey. The name of the horse thief is not known, the papers were made out for "Frank James." It seems that "John Doe" and "Richard Roe" are soon to drop into oblivion, and "Jesus James" and "Frank James" are to supplement them. Constable Fox is the officer who is after Frank James.

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