

The Daily Bee COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Tuesday Morning, Dec. 19.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
By Letter, 25 cents per week.
By Mail, \$1.00 per year.

Office, No. 7 Pearl Street, Near Broadway.

MINOR MISCELLANEOUS

—J. Mueller's Palace Music Hall.

—Dishes, glassware, lamps, etc., at 303 Broadway. Howe & Son.

—Old papers for sale at THE BEE office at 25 cents per hundred.

—Conrad Geise is making ready to cut and pack ice for his brewery.

—Subscribe for new papers and periodicals at H. E. Seaman's book store.

—Furniture of all kinds repaired by Howe & Son, 263 Broadway.

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—Julius Pappo, of Marysville, Iowa, while attending the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias in this city, lost a locket, not of value of itself, but of special value to him on account of its containing pictures of his family. At the time of the diamond ring robbery the Ogden house lately there was a locket found, and it now proves to be the one lost by Mr. Pappo, and it has now been returned to its rightful owner.

—Mrs. Sarah Smith, who is known by many here, died at the residence of her son-in-law, W. E. Weller, at Perry last Sunday, the cause of death being cancer of the bowels, and her age being 54 years. Mrs. Smith formerly lived here with another son-in-law, G. C. Cutler, a conductor on the C. & G. Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Besides her two daughters, Mrs. Willis and Mrs. Cutler, she leaves another daughter, Mrs. A. Anderson, who resides at Westdale. Mrs. Cutler is now ill herself, and it is doubtful if she will be able to attend the funeral.

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worked by confidence men unless some of the trainmen either close their eyes or a consideration or else give them pointers. The faces of some of those sharpers must be rather familiar to the railway men as well as policemen by this time, and the fact that they keep on the work without arrest or molestation looks suspicious.

—The jail seems to be a temptation rather than a terror to some. Young Immon, who was lately sentenced for burglary, has just been released, his fifteen days being up. His sentence, which the judge had given him before his name "Eliza" was written on the paper, was to his dismay and jolly down-holders. They young Englishman, it is said, who knows a who's who in Mrs. Davis' stars for the avowed purpose of getting into jail, has turned to again, much to his disappointment, the grand jury not finding sufficient against him to incriminate him. He threatens now to send something to say a jail until warm weather and work is over plenty.

—Mrs. O'Hearn and Mrs. Simons, wife and mother, two in one lot, near the C. & G. depot, have opened war on each other about the wash which is used in common. Mrs. O'Hearn has had Mrs. Simons arrested for threatening to expose to the public what was in the wash.

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A LUSTY LINCOLNITE.
Whose Suspicious Actions Attract the Attention of the Police.

HIS PED OF "FLOWERS" PROVES TO THORNY ONE AND HE SILENTLY DISAPPEARS.

There have been some speculations aroused by the appearance here of a middle-aged man, a young woman and a girl aged about twelve years. The police investigating last night learned from the girl that her name was Helen Barnell, and the man was her father and his name John Barnell, but the woman was not her mother. Her mother was still living in Lincoln, from which place they came last Tuesday. The little girl makes the terrible charge that her father has forced her time and again to submit to his sexual desires. While the police were talking with the girl the man suddenly and suspiciously disappeared. The young woman, on being interviewed, had very little to say about the charge made by the little girl, but as far as herself she said her name was Martha Flowers and that she came here also from Lincoln, but that she had not yet married Barnell but expected to marry him as soon as he should get a divorce from his wife in Lincoln. The man, woman and child have been occupying one room together on Bryant street. The police have separated the girl from the young woman, and have also sent word to Lincoln for corroborations of some of the statements.

Call at Harkness, O'cutt & Co.'s and see the beautiful faces they have just opened for the holiday trade.

Call at the Exotic or gallery, corner Main street and First avenue. Holiday pictures; fest. work. dec 12 10:

J. M. PHILLIPS'.
HEADQUARTERS FOR HOLIDAY SHIRTINGS,
413 BROADWAY.

*Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound strengthens the stomach and kidneys and aids digestion.

Fine Dalmatian, at Harkness, O'cutt & Co.'s.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT MRS. NORRIS', 126 MAIN STREET, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

Go to Harkness, O'cutt & Co.'s for diamonds for brilliant diamonds, white diamonds and fine silk domes.

Doll's Dolls! A very fine stock of wax, china, bisque and i-darous dolls at D. Haven's. 19 21.

Diamonds cheap at Harkness, O'cutt & Co.'s. 123 4.

PERSONAL.

Ex-Sheriff Riel was in the city yesterday.

Major J. S. Wool, of the C. & G. & Q. visited this city yesterday.

Judge Lothrop, of the circuit court, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. Wm. Hale, governor of Wyoming, was in the city Sunday.

Joseph Ries, of the Illinois State Legislature, was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Butler, the well known merchant of Mequon, who is visiting in Milwaukee, who has given a public reception to his enthusiastic admirers there.

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