

The Daily Bee COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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That Council Bluffs has had a year of great prosperity, and great advancement is evident from the showings of facts and figures already given in THE BEE. It remains with its citizens and business men whether this growth shall continue, or whether there shall come stagnation and decline. This city has almost unparalleled railway facilities. It has many marked advantages for manufacturing enterprises and wholesale establishments. It remains simply for Council Bluffs to use its facilities and improve its opportunities.

This city is in condition to reach out much further into the surrounding country for business than it has yet done and to draw trade here from a much larger territory than is yet covered.

In thus gathering in the business which ought to be tributary to Council Bluffs, all must concede that THE BEE is an invaluable help, of which every business man should avail himself. Besides its large local circulation it finds its way into almost every nook and corner of a large field, east, west, north and south, where its competitors are almost unheard of.

The wide awake and enterprising business men and manufacturers of Council Bluffs need but little more than a reminder of THE BEE's extensive circulation to cause them to realize that by no other advertising medium can they so readily reach the trade which they are seeking.

MINOR MENTIONS.

J. Mueller's Palace Music Hall.

Subscribes for newspapers and periodicals at H. E. Seaman's book store.

Fifteen-inch ice is the result of the cold weather.

There are still frequent delays in the arrival of trains.

There was no preaching service in the Presbyterian church yesterday.

CHEAP RAILROAD TICKETS.—Buy them from D. W. Bushnell, 5 doors north of postoffice.

Justice Vaughan issued a warrant Saturday for the arrest of Charles Grant for jumping a board bill due Mrs. A. H. Osborn.

Leave to wed was on Saturday given to J. A. Green, of Noel, and Sarah Rezan, of this city.

The two fellows lodged in jail for seven days each for carrying concealed weapons were released Saturday and were given their revolvers again.

Mr. Steinhilber, the furniture manufacturer, met with an accident Saturday by which he lost a thumb. A circular saw flew out of place and in doing so struck his hand, severing the thumb instantly.

There are not enough drunks being cared for at the calaboose to carry up stairs what coal is needed for the city building, and the officials have to attend to the fires themselves.

The Whist club will be entertained this evening by Mrs. S. F. Pusey and Mrs. D. W. Bushnell at the residence of Mrs. Pusey, 605 Third street.

C. D. Taylor now suffers from a fractured arm, caused by being struck by a timber blown over onto him by the wind as he was passing the new opera house.

The sparring match Saturday night between Prof. Doherty and Jack Smith did not draw very well, and proved rather a tame affair. Four rounds were had and the contest was decided to be a draw, even if it did fall to draw a crowd.

Officer Tyson yesterday found a man at the transfer who was either too drunk or too crazy to care for himself. He had a ticket to Helena, a valise, and about \$7 in money, and had to be taken to the calaboose until his head cleared up.

Mrs. E. D. Colander died quite suddenly Friday night in childbirth, leaving a husband and four children, for whom the tenderest sympathy is felt. The funeral services are to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the house, No. 212 Grace street.

On Saturday night at the residence of I. W. Cooper, Thomas Wyman, of Bloomington, Ill., was married to Miss Ollie Roper, Rev. Mr. Lemen officiating. They will make their home in Bloomington.

The requisition in the case of Mrs. Johnson and the man Strapp, arrested at Kansas City, for adultery, arrived here Saturday from Des Moines and was immediately forwarded. The man and woman are expected to be brought back here to-night.

Some escaping steam filled the basement of the Ogden house Saturday, causing some alarm, it at first appearing to be smoke, and giving rise to the belief that the house was on fire. The difference between steam and smoke was discovered just in time to prevent the alarm of fire being turned in.

N. M. Pusey, A. B. McKune, and J. W. Peregoy, being firm in intention upon resigning as directors of the driving park and fair association, T. P. Treynor, D. F. Elcher and J. T. Stewart were elected in their places. The directors are to meet to-morrow evening to elect officers.

A still alarm was sent in from the pawnshop opposite the city building, and Chief Templeton hurried to the spot. There was some fire in and about the stovepipe hole in the flue, and after trying to reach it with water thrown from a dipper, the chief who is used to throwing a spray over tobacco, filled his mouth with water, turned himself into a nozzle, with occupancy and engine combined, and

THE NEW OPERA HOUSE

The Public Waiting Anxiously for its Completion—What It Will Be Like.

The new opera house, whose walls are now reared at the corner of Broadway and Seventh streets, will go far towards meeting a long felt want here, as for years this city has been without any suitable amusement place. The new building has a frontage of 60 feet and a depth of 155 feet and it is arranged to seat 1,200 persons. (Generally the seating capacity of public buildings is overestimated and overestimated, but the figure stated is avowed to be close to the accurate fact. There are to be two galleries extending clear around. The stage is to be 38,400 feet, which will be indeed a roomy one, and in dimensions will compare well with the best theaters in the country. The proscenium is to be 31 feet. The curtains and scenes are to run by weights, and will have all the latest and best appliances for quick and easy handling.

There are four direct exits, one on the west side, one on the east and two from the stage, the main one in front being fourteen feet in width. For the dress circle and first gallery there is to be a stairway of twenty feet, and for the second gallery one of fifteen feet, giving three chances for exit. The offices and stores in the front are to be disconnected by iron doors, and every precaution possible taken to prevent fire.

The main auditorium is to be finished with a dome about eight feet in diameter. The whole building is to be heated by steam, and special attention has been paid to the plans to having the building well ventilated. There is to be a separate entrance on Seventh street leading to the stage, and to the dressing rooms and closets (for the actors). There are also four star dressing rooms back of the proscenium.

For the better accommodation of the public there is to be a parcel cloak room and toilet conveniences, and off from the first gallery a smoking room. It is expected that the building will be finished early in the season, as all the needed material is ordered already, and work will be pushed right along.

The estimated cost of the building when finished is about \$70,000. It seems that at this figure there must be some neglect in furnishing it as attractively and comfortably as the amusement public will demand. It is hoped that there will be no such paucity shown in finishing the new building that has been shown in the management of the old one, but with the opening of the new place there will be a resurrection of enterprise in management, and some care for the comfort of the people.

The present opera house, or hall as it is more properly called, has been and is almost worse than none. Its situation over a stable, on a side street, its inconveniences and lack of comforts and accommodations, keep many from attending entertainments there, and there is no first class company which can do itself justice in appearing upon what is called its stage, there being no room for scenery, and no conveniences for property presenting a play. Council Bluffs has on this account been given the go-by by many companies, and those of our citizens who wanted first-class entertainments have had to go to Omaha.

It is with some impatience, therefore, that many wait for the completion of the new opera house, and some curiosity as to whether in its furnishings and furnishings it will be such a place as Council Bluffs needs. If so, it will be hailed with delight, and liberally patronized. If not, the city will wag on in the old way, catching a few of the cheaper sort of shows, and occasionally giving a good company a chance to do discredit to themselves and destroy all enjoyability of a play by presenting it on a bare and stunted stage; to an audience wriggling about in an uncomfortable and definitely decremented auditorium. Council Bluffs has long felt the need of a good opera house, and it is hoped that the promise of one now held out will be speedily fulfilled and made satisfactory in all respects.

In the meantime there is little use of expecting anything really enjoyable in the amusement line. The best companies shrink from coming here, and even if they do come, neither they nor the public can be accommodated so as to do credit to the owner or give much satisfaction to the latter.

Ladies' and children's wool hoods at Harkness, Orcutt & Co. The most brilliant shades possible, on all fabrics are made by the Diamond Dyes. Unequaled for brilliancy and durability. 10 cents.

When you feel out of sorts, have the blues, melancholy, etc., it must be indignation that all you. Brown's Iron Bitters cures it.

Harkness, Orcutt & Co. have still a few fine silk dollmans. Call and see them.

A CLOSE CALL. Sheriff Jones, of Crawford County, May Well Congratulate Himself on Escaping a Horrible Death.

J. D. Jones, the well known sheriff of Crawford county, and whose fame and face are made familiar here by frequent visits, had the other day as narrow an escape from a horrible death as ever falls to the lot of an ordinary mortal. He was standing at the depot at Vall talking with a friend and prepared to take the train. It was a little late and made but a short stop, and Mr. Jones was still on the platform talking, when the train started up. He grabbed for the iron hand rail of one car, but missed them, and falling forward against the side of the car was thrown around and tumbled between the platform and the track, his legs lying across the rail. Several bystanders were so sure that he was so horribly mangled that they could not look at him, much less sit to his assistance, but one, Robert Young, more cool headed than the others, jumped to the rescue

PERSONAL

G. F. Crawford, the butter and egg man, is on the sick list.

John Y. Stone, of Glenwood, was at the Ogden yesterday.

Governor Wm. Hale, of Wyoming, spent Sunday at the Ogden.

R. Britton, who is teaching at Walnut, was in the city Saturday.

C. E. Dix, cashier of the Savings bank, is confined to his room with malarial fever.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cake spent Sunday at the Pacific house, and attended church here.

J. T. Stewart and his son Charles left yesterday for Chicago. The latter expects to go east and in a few days will be in Europe.

Mrs. S. Dye, of Macedonia, is reported as still very low, but with fair prospects of final recovery.

P. M. Pryor has returned from his trip to Wisconsin, leaving his wife to remain there with friends for a week or two longer.

D. W. Motlar has one more grandchild, the happy father and mother being Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson. This makes nine grandchildren for "Davy," but the others are all boys, while this is a girl, which makes him feel as though now he was something of a grandmother as well as grandfather.

John Linder and Henry Wagner have returned from their trip to Sioux Falls. Mr. Linder while there completed the settlement by which Mr. F. S. Jensen steps out of the firm of Linder, Jensen & Kiel, at that place, leaving the firm Linder & Kiel, the same as here. Henry, while there bought two improved farms about fifteen miles out of Sioux Falls, for which he paid \$31,000. Among those met during their trip was the sheriff of Minnesota county, who was on a sad errand, that of taking his brother to the insane asylum, to which he only two weeks ago took another brother, while his father too, is mentally a wreck, all seeming to be especially insane on the subject of religion. On the home trip Linder and Wagner stopped over at Sioux City and took a meal, and as a relic of the kind of soup they were furnished they left at the BEE office the half of a rusty nail, found in one of their plates. They now want the rest of the recipe.

Table linens, napkins, doilies, towels and crapes cheap at Harkness, Orcutt & Co.'s.

Weak muscles and nerves, sluggishness of thought and inactivity, cured by Brown's Iron Bitters.

Fair and Festival. The ladies of the Baptist church will give a fair and festival at Dohany's opera house, Tuesday, the 16th. Supper from 5 p. m. on during the evening. Tableaux at 8 p. m. Several scenes drawn from incidents of the war of the rebellion. Admission only 10 cents. All are cordially invited. Jan 12-14.

Riches in Hop Farming. At the present prices, ten acres in Hops will bring more money than five hundred acres in any other farming; and, if there is a consumer or dealer who thinks the price of Hop Bitters high, remember that Hops are \$1.25 per lb., and the quantity and quality of Hops in Hop Bitters, and the price remains the same as formerly. Don't buy or use worthless stuff or imitations because the price is less.

COMMERCIAL

Dealers are paying 38c for corn here today; oat and freight to Chicago 16c; Chicago market for new mixed corn, 46c@47c.

COUNCIL BLUFFS MARKET. Corrected daily by J. Y. Fuller, merchandise broker, buyer and shipper of grain and provisions, 39 Pearl street.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 77c; No. 3, 65c; rejected 50c; red demand.

COAL—20c to feeders and 30c to shippers.

OATS—Scarce and in good demand; 30c@32c.

HAY—40c@60c per ton.

RYE—40c; light supply.

COIN MEAL—1 25 per 100 pounds.

WHEAT—Good supply, prices at yards, 5 00c@6 00c.

COAL—Delivered, hard, 10 50 per ton; soft, 5 00 per ton.

BUTTER—Plenty and in fair demand; 25c.

EGGS—Scarce and in demand; 30c per dozen.

LARD—Fairbank's, wholesaling at 13c.

POULTRY—Firm; dealers paying 13c per pound for turkeys and 10c for chickens.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 45c; onions, 25c; cabbages, 30c@40c per dozen; apples, 2 50@3 50 per barrel.

WHEAT—Crystal Roller mill flour retailed at 3 25 for distard winter; 2 80 for gold-en wheat; 2 60 for hard tick.

Wheat prices for flour, 2 40@3 25.

BROOMS—2 00@3 00 per dozen.

STOCKS.

CATTLE—3 00@3 50; calves, 5 00@7 50.

HOGS—Receipts very light to-day on account of delayed train. Market firm at yesterday's prices.

"Durability is better than show." Durability of health is worth more than the wealth of a Vanderbilt. Kidney-Wort is man's co-laborer in maintaining health. With healthy liver, bowels and kidneys, men and women will always be in good health. If the bowels are torpid, it piles torment, if the back is full of pain, get a package of Kidney-Wort and be cured without more suffering.

Free of Cost.

All persons wishing to test the merits of a great remedy—one that will positively cure Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, or any affection of throat and lungs—are requested to call at C. P. Goodman's Drug Store and get a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, FREE OF COST, which will show you what a regular dollar-size bottle will do.

Honest and Liberal.

When the Hops in each bottle of Hop Bitters (at the present price, \$1.25 per lb.) cost more than a bottle is sold for, besides the other costly medicines, and the quality and price are kept the same, we think it is honest and liberal in the proprietors, and no one should complain, or buy or use worthless stuff, or cheating bogus imitations because the price is less.

COUNCIL BLUFFS SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Special advertisements, per Line, Found, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first insertion and FIVE CENTS PER LINE for each subsequent insertion. Leave advertisements at our office, No. 7 Pearl Street, near Broadway.

WANTED.—Everybody in Council Bluffs is to take this line, 30 cents per week, de livered by carriers. Office, No. 7 Pearl Street, near Broadway.

For Sale and Rent

OLD BRES.—In packages of a hundred at 25c a package at this office, No. 7 Pearl Street.

Miscellaneous.

A N office, most advantageously situated, offers a desk room in return for services, gas, fuel, etc., furnished. Address, "Office," BEE office, Council Bluffs.

REMOVAL.—Geo. R. Beard, dealer in wall paper and window shades, will move January 15, from No. 11, Pearl street, to new, next Gibson block, 22 Main, and 33 Pearl street, near door to postoffice. Jan 14-15

FOUND.—A college society pin. Come to the BEE office, pay for this ad, prove property and get the pin. 437-15

D. H. W. L. PATTON.—Physician and Oculist. Can cure any case of sore eyes. It is only a matter of time, and can cure generally in three to five weeks.—It makes no difference how long diseased. Will straighten cross eyes, operate and remove Pterygia, etc., and insert artificial eyes. Special attention to removing cataracts. 437-15

COUNCIL BLUFFS RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC.

Depart. Arrive. Atlantic Ex. 5:20 p.m. Pacific Ex. 9:15 a.m. Ex and Mail 9:25 a.m. Ex and Mail 6:25 p.m. D. Moines ac. 7:15 a.m. Des Moines ac. 4:30 p.m.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON AND QUINCY.

Depart. Arrive. Atlantic Ex. 5:20 p.m. Pacific Ex. 9:20 a.m. Mail and Ex. 9:25 a.m. Mail and Ex. 7:00 p.m. N. Y. Ex. 4:00 p.m. Neb & Kas Ex. 8:20 a.m.

CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN.

Depart. Arrive. Atlantic Ex. 5:15 p.m. Pacific Ex. 9:15 a.m. Mail and Ex. 9:20 a.m. Mail and Ex. 6:15 p.m. Accom. (Sat.). 5:50 p.m. Accom. (Mon.). 1:45 p.m. KANSAS CITY, ST. JOE AND OGDEN RAILWAY.

Depart. Arrive. Mail and Ex. 9:25 a.m. Express 6:50 p.m. Express 9:10 p.m. Mail and Ex. 6:45 p.m. UNION PACIFIC.

Depart. Arrive. Overland Ex. 11:20 a.m. Overland Ex. 4:00 p.m. Lincoln Ex. 11:30 a.m. Denver Ex. 8:00 a.m. Denver Ex. 7:30 p.m. Local Ex. 6:20 a.m. Local Ex. 7:25 a.m. " Ex. 9:05 a.m. Emigrant 5:20 p.m. " Ex. 9:05 a.m.

WARREN, ST. LOUIS AND PACIFIC.

Depart. Arrive. Mail and Ex. 9:15 a.m. Mail and Ex. 4:30 p.m. Cannon Ball. 4:50 p.m. Cannon Ball. 11:05 a.m.

STOCK CITY AND PACIFIC.

Depart. Arrive. For Sioux City. 7:55 a.m. From Sioux City. 6:50 p.m. For Fort Niobrara. 7:55 a.m. From Fort Niobrara. 6:50 p.m. For St. Paul. 7:40 p.m. From St. Paul. 8:50 a.m.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL.

Leave Council Bluffs. Arrive Council Bluffs. Mail and Ex. 9:20 a.m. Mail and Ex. 7:25 p.m. Atlantic Ex. 10:15 a.m. Atlantic Ex. 10:10 p.m.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL.

Leave Omaha. Arrive at Omaha. Mail and Ex. 7:15 a.m. Pacific Ex. 9:45 a.m. Atlantic Ex. 13:30 p.m. Mail and Ex. 7:45 p.m.

Except Sundays. Except Saturdays. Except Mondays. (Daily).

Council Bluffs & Omaha Street R. R. Leave Omaha. Arrive Omaha. 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 p.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m., 9 p.m., 10 p.m., 11 p.m., 12 m. Street cars run half hourly to the Union Pacific Depot. On Sunday the cars begin their trips at 9 o'clock a.m., and run regularly during the day at 9, 11, 2, 4, 6 and 8 o'clock, and run to city time.

EYE AND EAR.

Dr. J. Meagher.—Oculist, Aurist, AND SPECIALIST.

In chronic diseases, offers his services to all afflicted with diseases of the Eye, Ear, or Chronic diseases of any character. Warrants a cure in a Rheumatic affections. Can be consulted by mail or in person at the Metropolitan hotel, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

NEW STORE.

New Goods.

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Justice of the Peace and Notary Public.

615 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

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Omaha and Council Bluffs.

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Orders filled in any part of the city. Orders by telephone promptly attended to.

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The finest quality and largest stock west of Chicago of wooden and metallic cases. Calls attended to at all hours. We defy competition in quality of goods or price. Our Mr. Morgan has served as undertaker for forty years and thoroughly understands his business. WAREHOUSES, 846 AND 857 BROADWAY. Upholstering in all its branches promptly attended to; also carpet-laying and lambrequins. Telegraphic and mail orders filled without delay.

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Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Beer and malt in any quantity to suit purchasers. Beer \$8.00 per barrel. Private families supplied with small kegs at \$1.00 each, delivered free of charge to any part of the city.

PETERSON & LARSON,

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No. 711 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Orders from the country solicited. City orders to families and dealers delivered free.

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