THE DAILY BEE.

COUNCIL BLUFFS

Monday Morning, Dec. 17.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

No. 7 Pearl Street, Near Broadway.

MINOR MENTION.

Holiday goods at Seaman's.

See Joseph Reiter's fall goods. Cheap Railroad Tickets at Bushnell's. Christmas cards and toys at Seaman's. There was only-one drunk in the city

calaboose yesterday. The Round Table is to meet to-morrow

evening with Miss Beebe. The bricklayers' union is preparing for

a dance next Friday evening. There was something in the wind yes-

terday. It proved to be snow. Shenandoah is to have a musical treat

Thursday evening, it being a concert by the Omaha Gles club. G. A. Robinson, at the Pacific house, is local agent for the Sloam springs,

whose card appears in another column. In the district court Saturday the time was taken up with the trial of the damage case of W. C. Barton vs. Elizabeth M. Lackey.

The city calaboose is getting worse and worse, when a man seventy years old, blind and almost too drunk to move, et. The Electric Lamps Started Up or capes easily.

It is passing strange that there are so few fire a'arms, considering the carclessscattered about.

Col. Chantry's little daughter Lilly, who had the sensational escape at the railway bridge near Malvern, has so far recovered from her injuries as to be able to resume her school duties.

There was a large and closely attentive audience at the Baptist church last evento say on the "Origin of Life." The dis- tention also to the enterptise. cussion of this interesting question was made entertaining as well as thoughtful, and a synopsis of the line of thought fol-lowed will be given in to-morrow's Bee.

Conductor Fred Bliss has a son Bertie, ten years old, who is a wonderful adept on roller skates. Bertie in company with Miss Nellie Fuller, who is also a wonder on rollers, are giving exhibitions of fancy skating at various rinks in this state. Mr, Fuller, the father of the girl, accompanying them. They expect to be in Council Bluffs about the holidays.

PERSONAL.

W. D. Cromie, of Woodbine, Iowa, was in the city yesterday, and made his headquarters at the Pacific.

A. W. Borbone and E. R. Thompson represented St. Louis at the Pacific house yester-G. W. Hopkins, of San Francisco, is at the

Mrs. O. M. Brown and her sister, Miss Nellie Rollinson, left last evening for Chicago

on a brief visit to relatives and friends there. It is reported that Frank Shinn, of Car son, is to move his law office to Glenwood, J. Morgan, the retired editor of The Globe.

has returned from Washington. Mr. Silloway, proprietor of the Ogden, and also of the Forthwestern at Cedar Rapids, is here for a brief stay, accompanied by his wife

and daughter. Col. O. M. Druse, of The Nebraska Farmer. Lincoln, Feb., spent Friday in Council Bluffs, accompanied by his wife and daughter.

R. S. Hair, of Chicago, is at the Ogden. Chauncey T. Bowen, of New York, president of the Electric Light company, is at the

S. M. Drummond, of Davenport, was among yesterday's sojourners at the Ogden. T. L. Slocum, of Des Moines, Sundayed

the Ogden. Frank C. Armsbury, a former resident this city, but now in the office of J. H. Arthur, the Blue Line agent, at Burlington, has been spending a few days with old friends here. they have been visiting relatives and friends

for about two months. H. S. Stephenson, of Shenandoah, was at Bechtele's yesterday. W. W. Carlisle and F. P. Carlisle, of Mis-

chas. A. Croney, having sold out his interest in the Clarinda Herald to A. A. Thompphone superintendency. His experience in being found fault with in the newspaper business, an experience which all newspaper men have in common, fits him well for hearing the "Hello" and its accompanying grumblings

SMASHED HIS SKULL.

A Well Digger Struck by a Falling but much farther west. Bucket of Clay.

A fatal accident occurred on the farm there is apparently a strong desire to serve of Mr. Bradock, north of Imogene, Mills the railways, of which it is an acknowlcounty, last week, two men, Charles Huston and Alex, Labor, being engaged dressed in the west for the in digging a well there. Huston was in stockmen claim that several carloads of the well digging, and Labor was doing the hoisting, and when the bucket, filled with clay, was about ten or fifteen feet above Huston's head, the hook gave way, letting it fall upon him. It was with difficulty that the man could be got out, and then it was found that his skull was crushed in, and fragments driven into his brain, and although he was still alive, yet there was no possibility for even the best surgical skill to save him.

stockmen claim that several carloads of cattle can, when slaughtered and dressed, be shipped in one car, thus cutting down the cost of transportation greatly, making quite a profit to be divided between consumer and producer, instead of being given to the railways.

It is also claimed by cattle men here that the loss by shrinkage on live cattle is about twenty per cent., so that there would be an additional saving in dressing the beef here.

In view of these and other facts it ap-

ba Visitors.

A MERRY TIME. The Turners Dedicate Their New Hall With the Aid of Oma-

A number of the German citizens of Council Bluffs, organized as a Turn-Verein, last evening dedicated their new hall at 525 South Main street last evening. In response to the cordial invitation issued, about thirty of the Omaha society came over to join the doings. They were hospitably received and cared for, and in turn added much to the enjoyment and success of the entertainment. The evening abounded in music, and it was

excellent. The Omaha Tur-ner quartette, with H. Hau-bens as leader, wielding the beautiful little ebony, gold mounted baton, which ous recitation. There were gymnastic exercises by some af the Omaha Turners. A happy dance formed the closing of an evening spent in music, muscle and mirth, and the Omaha visitors were taken home at a late hour by a special train. Such occasions cause the ties between the two cities to be pleasanter and stronger, and this occasion will doubtless lead to other social reunions of similar

Mrs. A. Bryan, having moved her dressmaking establishment to 604 South Main street, up-stairs, wishes to call the attention of her old costumers to the fact that she is now prepared to give personal attention to the cutting, fitting and re-pairing of dresses and cloaks; also all kinds of children's clothes.

arrangement.

LET THERE BE LIGHT.

Broadway.

The much talked of electric lights ness with which ashes are dumped and were started on Broadway Saturday evening, and naturally attracted much at-The crush which is an every Sunday tention, not because the citizens had occurrence at the postoffice is a strong never seen the electric lights before, but showing of the need of the new govern- because they had never seen them in Council Bluffs, and it was the opening Todd, living near this city, went across Rev. Mr. Mackay last evening delivered another of his excellent series of permanent and it is to be hoped prosper-where her husband, from whom she had lectures on "Women" This time it was ous. The start Saturday night was a separated, lives, for the purpose of ob-"Woman in the Home" that he dealt mere test, to determine how well the wires and machinery had been arranged, One by one the sensational coal finds in Western Iowa proves to be mere sensations. The one at Manning has dropped out and the little hole abanders of the company, being sure it is right, can safely go ahead, and in a day or so will through a window, carried the sleeping have everything arranged so as to keep the lights burning every night. Mr. Vaughn is certainly entitled to credit for his enterprise in overcoming obstacles, and getting the light started in Council Bluffs, while Prof. Story, the company's electricianist, has certainly proved that he has a skillful knowledge of all the details of the apparatus. Change To T. tails of the apparatus. Chauncy T. Bow en, the president of the company has aring, to hear what Rev. J. G. Lemen had rived here, and will give his personal at-

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

It Provides for More Street Filling But No Fire Alarm.

A meeting of the city council was held Saturday evening, and arrangements were made for filling First avenue from Sixteenth to Eleventh streets; Tenth street from Thirl to Fifth avenue; Thirteenth avenue from Main to Sixth street; and

also a new sidewalk on Benton street. The council took no action at all concerning the fire alarm question. The public is getting very impatient at the dilatoriness of the council in this mater, as at present the city is worse off than if it had no alarm, the present sys-

tem being so unreliable. The council after considering a few bills adjourned until Tuesday evening.

Go to Hurlburt's fancy steam dyeing and French dry cleaning works at 34 Pearl street.

DRESS BEEF PARADE.

A Showing of Petty Spite and Railway Control.

The Nonpareil spends over a column n attempting to show that it is impracticable to dress beef anywhere west of the Mississippi river, and that therefore—the conclusion is what it seems to ploat over the new enterprise in Omaha will prove a disma! failure. The whole tone of the article is such that considerable indignation has been aroused, not because the

citizens of Council Bluffs mourn greatly at any attack on Omaha, but because of Mrs. E. J. Abbott and Mrs. Hammer have the littleness of an editor who, for the returned from Chicago and Cleveland, where sake of making a thrust, is willing to advertise, so far as his crippled circulation will permit, that his own city is a poor place for the investment of capital in a legitimate enterprise. He says that if it had not long since been shown to be impracticable to dress beef in the west, that est in the Clarinda Herald to A. A. Thompenterprise would have been started in son, for some months past the local editor of Council Bluffs two years ago, and warns the paper, now purposes to enter upon a tele- capitalists not to invest any money in any such enterprise here or in Omaha, or in

fact anywhere in the west. The motives so apparent as the inspiration for the article are pronounced by many citizens here as despicable. There are those here who know whereof they speak, and who declare that it is not only practicable to dress beef in the west, but that the time is fast coming when it will be dressed, not only here,

Besides the desire to thump Omaha even to the injury of Council Bluffs, in the west

pears that it is practicable to have beef dressed in Council Bluffs and shipped from here, instead of sending the stock through alive, and having it dressed

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NEOLA NEWS.

Various Items Captured by "The Be Man There.

Ngola, Iowa, December 15 .- William Sells, formerly with M. H. Hagerty, is now buying stock for B. T. Lovell, Esq. Mr. Lovell is to be congratulated on valuable an addition to his business.

Mr. Baman, proprietor of the "Blue Front" harness shop, reports trade in his line very brisk at present. He says the was lately presented to him, furnished rich music indeed. Wm. Stocker, of people have not the time to spare to visit Omaha, gave a very amusing and humor. other towns to buy goods as long as the price at home is cheaper.

John Roane, who went to Chicago last week with two cars of cattle, is again visible on the streets. The festival for the benefit of the Presyterian church, on the evening of the

13th inst., was quite a success finan-William G. Clark, formerly of Little Sioux, has come to Neola and taken up his abode. He will be one of us hence-

Last Sunday morning Mr. James Fol-let lost seven head of fat hogs by theft. He says he is the victim of an open dayight steal, and that he knows who go his hogs, but does not desire to give his neighbor notoriety until it is necessary. He surmises that the party w'll soon feel chilly and pay for them.

Mrs. Ida McGrew has returned to

Council Bluffs, after a brief visit withher parents and relatives here. More anon.

Six per cent city and farm loans. S. W Fergusson & Co., 39 Pearl St. mw&

MOTHER AND CHILD.

Mrs. Todd's Daring Feat. Stoux City, Iowa, December 16 .- The Journal prints an account of an abduction case of more than ordinary interest eight years. The mother repaired to a point near the husband's residence. through a window, carried the sleeping child away, without even stopping to take its clothing, and drove twenty miles ous undertaking, the time being 2 o'clock in the morning. From here she went to the residence of her father, a wealthy farmer. The husband will try to recover possession of the child by law. The dar-ing and successful feat accomplished by Mrs. Todd has made her a heroine, and she has the sympathy of everyone.

Rev. Mr. St. Clair, of New Albany, Ind., has been assigned to the pastorate of the Methodist church at Malvern to fill the va-cance caused by the death of Rev. Mr. Ed-

COMMERCIAL,

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Eggs—Ready sale at 20c per dozen.
Lard—Fairbank's, wholesaling at 11c.
Poultry—Firm; dealers are paying chickens 16c; live, 2 50 per dozen.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 50c; onions, 40c; cab ages, 30@40c per dozen; apples, 3 00@3 5 per barret

per barrel
Flour—City flour, 1 50@3 40,
Brooms—2 00@3 00 per doz,
Live srock.
Cattle—3 00@3 50; calves, 5 00@7 50,
Hogs—Local packers have commenced buying now and there is a good demand for all
grades in car-load lots at 4 50@4 85.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.-Special advertisements, such as Loss Found, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Board ng, etc., will be inserted in this column at the fow 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. Pearl Street, near Broadway

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