DAILY BEE. THE COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Monday Morning, Dec. 24.

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IOFFICE: No. 7 Pearl Street, Near Broadway.

MINOR MENTION.

See Joseph Reiter's fall goods. Additional local on seventh page. Cheap Railroad Tickets at Bushnell's Get your husband a Christmas gift at Seaman's.

There will be no Round Table meeting this week.

street.

Orcutt for Christmas goods. Lutz & Lange have put a new elevator into their large cigar and tobacco establishment.

The electric light showed up better than ever Saturday night. Its success seems assured.

A special meeting of the board of trade is called for this evening to cosider business of importance.

The Congregational Sunday school is to have its Christmas entertainment Thursday evening at 5 o'clock.

There will be a Christmas tree, with a musical and literary entertainment at the Baptist church this evening.

porter: T. W. Carter is booked at police headquarters for disturbing the peace, and N. Johnson for cruelty to animals.

Horace Everett has drawn up a petition, which is now being circulated, asking the board of education to abolish corporal punishment in the schools.

The police officers were changed yesterday, Mullen and Hayes going on day duty, the others on night. Officer Bes-wick has been added to the night force.

The Shenandoah Normal school has the Normal school at Bloomfield, Davis county, profossors, scholars, apparatus and all. had its strength increased by swallowing

Invitations are out for a gathering of friends this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Upton, to witness the christening of their little son, George Adams.

Miss Kate Wickham has been presented by her pupils in the Bloomer school with a beautiful copy of Coler-idge's Ancient Mariner, besides some other gifts.

H. E. Remer, the new proprietor of Larson's laundry, was yesterday married to Mrs. Ella Williams, Rev. J. G. Lemen performing the ceremony. The newly wedded ones started east yesterday on a short trip.

On Saturday afternoon there was a wedding at the parlors of the Creaton house, Andrew Lawson and Anna H. Armstrong, both of Carson, being the contracting parties, and Rev. J. G. Lemen officiating.

The spiritualists, besides their regular Council Bluffs team took place at the circular Tuesday evenings, have arranged driving park Saturday afternoon. Earlfor a meeting every Thursday evening at ing was represented by Dr. F. S. Mc- He Is to Be Placed Upon the Circuit

or get to the depot ahead of time, are compelled to wait outside in the cold. There was quite a crowd thus caught yesterday, and the Union Pacific officials ought to have heard the complaints passed on them.

WANTS TO GET OUT.

leased From His Life Sen-

tence at Fort Madison.

sion of the legislature.

Toilet sets of various kinds at Bush-

POPPING PIGEONS.

Meet at the Driving Park.

for everyone.

third.

tifty birds a side for \$200.

Gold pens at Bushnell & Brackett's.

Last Chance

Talk at the Transfer.

auses are affecting business. It is sad that Charles Wells, the cor

avenue, up stairs.

Pearl street.

nell & Brackett's.

The Royal Arcanum has elected as its Arother of the Sunday evening lecofficers: Regent, M. A. Upton; vice re- tures was given last night at the Baptist gent, I. M. Traynor; orator, James Pat- church, by Rev. J. G. Lemen. These terson; past regent, J. H. Arthur; secre- lectures seem to be not merely drawing tary, H. J. Rifenberick; collector, P. large audiences, but exciting thought R. Belden: treasurer, M. L. Jacque-nin: warden, Andrew Dalrymple: sen-try, F. M. Corbally. For trustees, Marshall Key, T. E. Cavin, James Patterson; medical examiners, Dr. A. P. Hanchett, Dr. T. E. Lacey.

have almost ignored these lines of thought before. Prang's celebrated Christmas cards at Bushnell & Brackett's. It appears that communications, some of them anonymous, are now being sent Buy your harness, whips, saddles, etc.,

to the lecturer, and some of these he of Beckman & Co., 519 south Main handled to his own advantage last evening His main effort in this last lecture

ject is Viewed From a New Standpoint,

Go to the carpet house of Casady & was to show the fallacy of so-called Christian evolution. There are some reject the materialistic who idea that all life was evolved from matter, but while they place God as the author of all life, they claim that, though the germ was God-given, yet it was only a germ, and that the various forms had An Attempt to Get Finis Allen Rebeen evolved from this. The speaker, while acknowledging that this was a A petition for the release of Finis Al-len from the penitentiary at Fort Madi-fallacious. He claimed that nowhere A petition for the release of Finis Alson, where he is serving a life sentence for had there been found any facts to show son, where he is serving a life sentence for the murder of John Long, in Fremont county, is to be presented to the legisla-ture at the coming session. The grounds urged for his release are thus given, with other details, by The Shenandoah Re-sorter:

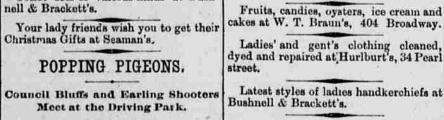
no forced to hold that God gave a special That he is innocent; that he was congerm of life as the starter of each species, victed through the false testimony of an and if so, then they might as easily believe that God made a distinct creation of

alleged accomplice who has since con-tradicted herself on many of the mate-rial points of her testimony; that undue influences were brought to bear on his every species. He made a strong and original argu-ment on the ground that men confounded conviction. Much interest is manifested development or growth with evolution. here in regard to the petition, and it is Development made wonderful changes believed that a remonstrance against the and improvements, but it rever made

petition will be circulated, signed and eagles of pigeons, or oaks from wheat sent to the legislature, praying it not to Some one sent him a clipping showing what Dr. McCosh, president of the Prince-ton college, held, he being the foremost accede to the petition of the prisoner. This brings the horrible Long murder again before our citizens. Mrs. Long, who according to her own testimony of the Christian evolutionists, and the speaker showed by Dr. McCosh's own anguage that he admitted there was no the murder of her husband, lives now, we understand at Avoca, in this state. Notwithstanding the conviction of Finis Allen for the murder, very many believe that there is still an unrevealed mystery Connected with this truly howible official connected with this truly horrible affair ument was based on a narration of the which time alone will develope. Be this as it may the Long murder will soon again occupy public attention, until it is set at rest by an investigation and decihabits of the honey-bee, the description of which was full of entertaining scientific

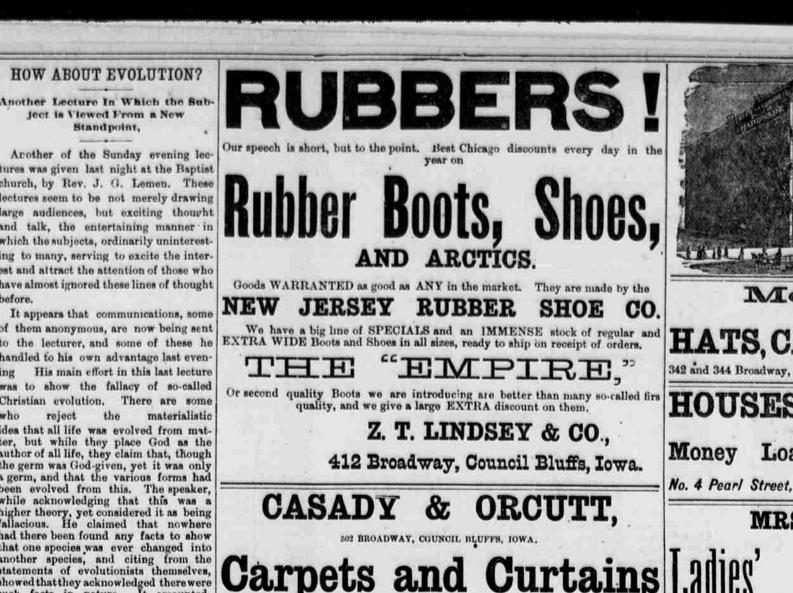
facts, clinched with strong arguments against the evolution theory. Next Sunday night he proposes to lec-ture on "The Formation of Man," which Seaman keeps suitable Christmas Gifts will be still more interesting, doubtless, as it brings the discussion closer home to

everyone.



Go to Seaman's and get Gifts for your sons and daughters. The promised pigeon shooting match between the club at Earling and the

JUDGE LYMAN.





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Empkie Hardware

their hall in Shugart's block, for the free Kenna, Ed. C. Brown, Al. Dickey, T. C. discussion of scientific questions. All are cordially invited to attend these discus-

Prof. De Jalma, the mysterious fireeater, seems to be a very clever performand F. B. Evans. er of more tricks than one. One of his must successful ones was that of not showing up Saturday evening, leaving several hungry creditors with unpaid

A disgraceful row is reported as having taken place Sunday at the Le Fleur place, back of Slim Jim's saloon, on Broadway. A young fellow named Phillips is said to have had his head cracked open. The police ought to investigate that place on general principles.

N. C. Taggart, superintendent of con-struction of the waterworks, who is about the tie for third money, Brown won. to leave for his home in Philadelphia, has been presented with an elegant gold watch chain, by the employes of the company, who desired to express in some way their respect for him, and appreciation of his many manly qualities.

John Lindt, who has been honored by being elected for a third term as commander of the Abe Lincoln post G. A. R., was on Saturday evening presented by the post with an elegant gold-headed cane, J. E. Metcalfe making the presentation speech, and the recipient respond-ing appropriately.

A gentleman who came in at 6:40 p. m. (Omaha time) Saturday evening was heard to remark that there must have been lots more snow here than in Omaha. He was walking on the newly laid brick sidewalks which has two or three inches of sand on top, with a sprinkling of snow on top the sand.

Cuff Johnson, a tinted fellow, is wanted to answer to the charge of having thumped his woman unmercifully. Officer Beswick got hold of him Saturday night, but Johnson got away, leaving the collar of his coat in one of the officer's hands and the back of his coat in the other, Johnson running off with the

H. C. Atkins, W. S. Keeline and F. R. Bullard, the enterprising trio of young men who are determined that Council Bluffs shall have a good ice skating rink, have secured ground near Union avenue and Broadway, flooded it with water Saturday, and are now prepared to get fences, buildings, etc., ready, so that the rink may be opened in a few days.

the rink may be opened in a few days. A man who has been at work on Van Brunt's farm, husking corn, was in the city Saturday night and fell in with a colored and two white men, who, after starring him about town, got him down steering him about town, got him down on Washington avenue, near Benton street, and relieved him of what money he had, about \$6 in all. He was too drunk himself to give any very clear discription of the men.

The Union Pacific Broadway depot is not open on Sundays except on the arrival and departure of the dummy train, so that passengers who miss one dummy,

Brown, while Council Bluffs had on the

grounds, M. F. Rohrer, N. S. Hall, Geo. the district and circuit court benches is at last settled. As has been conceded Ferguson, Oscar Keeline, W. D. Hardin by all, Judge Loofbower, of the circuit

In the first match the Council Bluffs court, is to take Judge Reed's place in team scored as follows out of a possible the district court, the latter becoming JAMES FRANEY. total 12. The Earlingites scored: Ed. Brown 4, Dickey 2, McKenna 0, total 6. Ist of January. There have been sev-In the second match Council Bluffs eral aspirants for the circuit court bench, took 21, as follows: Keeline 9, Hardin but Major Joseph Lyman, of the law 6, Evans 6, while Earling had 18, Geo. firm of Sapp & Lyman, though not a

C. Brown taking 8, Calison 6 and May- known aspirant, is the one who is to take the place. It has been understood that In the match for a \$50-divided into first second and third money—purse, the following was the result: Evans 8, Kee-to take it, and on this being known a number of others appeared as aspirants, and their names and chances have been pretty thoroughly discussed. It appears that Mayor Lyman has concluded to ac-A free for all was then shot, resulting -out of a possible five: Mayrent 3,

Brown, Rohrer, Guibert 2 each, Fergu-son, Dickey, Hall 1 each. In shooting appointment. This will cause a revision of some of the political slates which have off Guibert won second money and Hall been made up for the coming campaign, and squabbles for honors. Another match has been arranged to Judge Lyman, as he is now to be

take place at Earling, January 4. As a special match on that day, C. T. Collison and W. D. Hardin will shoot a match of known, although a comparatively young man, brings the bench the experience gained from a long and busy practice, great legal learning, much dignity and character, and his friends are justified m Mrs. M. Carroll, fashionable dress-making, cutting and fitting a specialty. Apprentices wanted. No. 726 First expecting that he will do honor to the position in all respects.

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

Go to Hurlburt's fancy steam dyeing and French dry cleaning works at 34 SPECIAL NOTICES. NOTICE .- Special advertisements, such as Lost. Diphtheria is prevalent. Use Dr. Jeff-ries' (Council Bluffs) preventative and cure, or buy a coffin. "You pay your your money and take your choice." und, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the low rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first insertion and FIVE CENTS PER LINE for each subsequent in

sertion. Loave advertisements at our office, No. 7 Pearl Street, near Broadway To tell you of the hardware Christma goods at CASADY & ORCUTT'S. WANTS. WANTED-Boy, with pony, to deliver The Bas.

Freight business at the transfer is al-most at a standatill, there being only Address Jacob P. Bendickson, 231 Eighteenth ave. four or five cars a day where there were W. DUNCAN-Gun maker and repairer, No. 106 S. Main St., Council Bluffs, lows. as many hundreds before. Many ship-WANTED-Insurance agents to canyass Council Bluffs and county. Address D. Campbell room 2, 1308 Farnam street, Omaha. Dec6-33 pers are holding off in the hope of a railway war and reduced rates and other

WANTED Every body in Council Bluffs to take Delivered by carrier at only twenty cents a week. cents a week. CABINET PHOTOS #5 by the dozen at the excel-bior gallery, 100 Main street, Council Biuffa Dinner, and dupany fare both ways to Omaha cus-tomers on orders of \$10 and upwards.

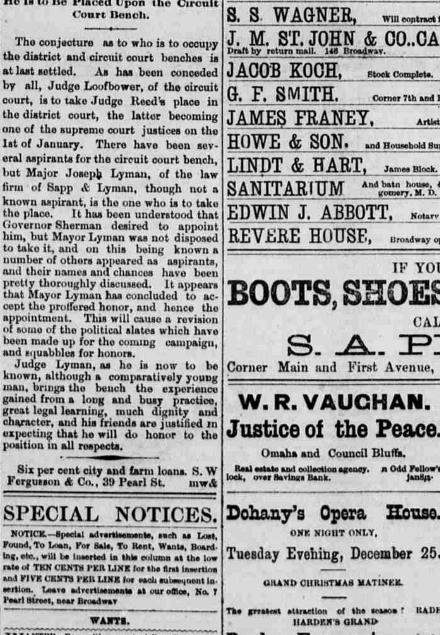
ductor who transfers the freight at the U. P. freight depot, has notified his men to hunt for new positions, and some think that the new railway arrangements are to result in most of the freight trans-

WANTED-Everybody to buy a Christmas pres-ent worth more than diamonus-a polloy in the Mutual Life Insurance company, of New York, (the largest company in the world) rates lower than any other company. M. F. Rohrer, agent, for west-em lowa, Council Bluffs. WANTED-To trade for city property, a stock of books, blank books, window curtains, and a general line of stationer's goods. A good bargain offered. Call or address H. E. Palmer, new opera house block. Council Bluffs.;

Buy your Christmas Gifts for your aisters, cousins and your aunts at Seaman's. IACOB SIMS. E. P. CADWELL

SIMS & CADWELL Opera glasses at Bushnell & Brackett's. Attorneys-at-Law If you want a Gift for your wife, you will find it at Seaman's.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA Office, Main Street, Rooms 1 and Shugari & Mo-Mahon's Block. Will practice in State and pdered Bushnell & Brackett keep every kind of holiday present you can think of.



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