THE DAILY BEE.

OMAHA.

Thursday Morning, Jan. 17.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

—A party of seven miners, from the far west passed through this city yesterday on the Denver train, bound for Africa.

—The funeral of little Sammy Harris, two-year-old son of R. A. Harris, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of Mr. Harris, 1707 Cass street.

—A quantity of laces and other goods were taken from a woman yesterday, who was peddling upon the street without a license. Judge Beneke has charge of the finery.

—There were five cases of intoxication in police court yesterday morning. They were each fined $5 and costs. One paid, while the other four were sent up on the hill to board it out with the sheriff.

—The Denver train from the west yesterday morning was late, and did not reach this city until 10 o'clock. The sleeping cars of the train were better filled than they have been for several weeks before.

—A team attached to a covered wagon, evidently an express wagon, dashed madly down Ninth street about noon yesterday. The wagon maintained its equilibrium and no damage was done.

—J. B. Southard, the newly appointed deputy county clerk, leaves soon on a trip to Chicago. After his return he will tackle business in the office, where being an excellent accountant he will prove valuable.

—M. Toft, proprietor of the People's bank, left yesterday for New York, Boston, and other eastern markets to buy a stock of goods for a wholesale notion house, which he will open for business here after his return.

—Mr. Naiden, who has been for some time past in charge of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul ticket office in Council Bluffs, has been appointed ticket agent for the same company in Omaha. He will run both offices for a while, at least.

—A drunken soldier was taken into the city jail by Officers Matza and Turnbull last night about 10 o'clock. He was a terrible wiry fellow and fought all the way to the jail, and after he was landed within the walls it took four men to search him.

—The will of Mrs. Mary E. Van Tassell, the lamented wife of R. S. Van Tassell, and who was well known in Omaha, was submitted to probate before Judge Bergman, of Cheyenne, yesterday. The amount bequeated in the will is about $80,000, left in trust for the three children of the deceased lady. E. W. Whitcomb was made executor and trustee. The bond required of him was $160,000, which was furnished.

—The Omaha National bank have just completed, in the basement of their building, a magnificent vault, which is both fire, burglar, water and air proof. In this vault is arranged a large number of boxes or drawers, which will be rented to the public at from $5 to $50 each. It is just such a thing as Omaha has long needed, and papers or valuables placed in that vault are as safe as if buried a hundred thousand leagues below the surface of the earth.

—R. A. Bachmann, who was so unfortunate as to have his hand taken off while coupling cars at Council Bluffs a few days since, and who has since been at St. Joseph's hospital, in this city, desires to express his sincere thanks to his many friends, who have been so kind to him in his late misfortune. He has received many calls and many little acts have been performed which have conduced to his comfort. The wounded arm is getting along nicely, and aside from a little pain which is felt in the hand which is not, Mr. Bachmann suffers very little.

—Mr. E. P. Vining, the new commissioner of the railroad pool, has make a selection of two of his associates. They are both men who have long been known as possessing a degree far a above the average in their respective branches of business. They are Messrs. G. W. Boyden, stenographer and W. H. McMillan, rate clerk, both of the general freight office of the Union Pacific. Both left for Chicago yesterday. It is reported that Mr. McMillan will be succeeded by J. A. Monroe, the assistant general freight agent of the Union Pacific. Mr. Boyden's successor has not yet been named.

—A very pleasant party was given Tuesday night at the residence of Mr. John Logan, corner of Fourteenth street and Capitol avenue, it being the occasion of his sixty-sixth birthday. A few of his intimate friends met at the home of Mrs. Macks, just across the road, and together went over to Mr. Logan's, completely surprising him. Before taking their departure they left a large arm chair for Mr. Logan to spend his declining years in. Dancing was indulged in, and a number of the visitors made things lively by a few nice songs. Mr. Logan is an old settler in Omaha, and his friends hope that he may live to see many more happy birthdays.

—Constable Edgerton returned Sunday from Atchison, Kansas, with Maud Milton, otherwise Millie Ray. This woman was for some time in a house of ill-fame in this city, having come here from St. Joe about six weeks ago. On Thursday evening she took a sudden notion to leave, and packed up her own clothes, and also some of the best apparel belonging to her landlady, the latter including a valuable dolman, two silk dresses, a gold chain and some other articles, all of which was recovered when she was arrested. When she was arrested she agreed to return without the requisition, and was accordingly brought up and lodged in the county jail. The woman is in a delicate condition and the matter will probably be settled by her friends.

—The residence of Mr. E. Van Tuyl, west of this city, was entered by burglars Monday night, and a watch and several valuable articles of clothing were taken. The burglary occurred after half past three o'clock and without disturbing any one. The front door was found open in the morning.

—A little boy on Farnam street yesterday excited considerable sympathy from the fact that he had upon his feet a small pair of boots, the tops of which only came about half way up to his knees. His pants did not cover his knees, and his legs were entirely bare. They were red and chapped by the wind, and in one little bare hand the little fellow carried an empty bottle. The poor little waif was crying as if his heart would break, and a reporter tried to talk to him, but he was German and could not understand. It was a sight that would excite the sympathy of a heart of stone.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chilblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped hands, and all skin eruption, garanteed to cure in every instance, or money refunded. 25 cents per box.

THE CITY OF REFUGE.

From the East and the West They Flee to Omaha for Refuge.

A Thirteen-year-old who Swore She Would Go to Omaha when a Denver Justice Refused to Marry Her to a Man of Thirty-two.

The question now arises, what is there about the city of Omaha that suggests peace and safety from all the officers of the law, and why is it that people have an idea that an Omaha justice will marry anybody, no matter what age, color or nationality.

There seems to be a prevailing mania among the evil doers of Iowa to slip over into Omaha, where they are invariably captured and taken back from whence they came. Now the Iowa craze has extended to the city of Denver, where a mere baby of thirteen summers, who had obtained the consent of her mamma to wed with a man of thirty-two years.

From the Denver News of recent date is gleaned the following:

"When a woman wants to marry she wants to marry bad, and she generally does marry. There are instances of where girls just entering their teens adopt the idea, and all the persuasive eloquence of parents falls by the wayside, and they are compelled to yield to the desires of the daughter. Just such a case as the latter fell under the observation of a News reporter last evening.

On Wednesday evening there registered at the Washington house D. S. Hastings and wife, Miss Nellie Hodges and Mr. George Fisher, all of Idaho Springs. Miss Hodges is the daughter of Mrs. Hastings by a former marriage. She is a pronounced brunette, with large, black, piercing eyes, and a rosy, ruddy face. In stature she is rather petite, and would readily pass for a girl of 10, but is, according to the mother's statement, 13 years of age. She is the heroine, even if she is a girl. The hero is Mr. George Fisher. He is a stalwart sort of a man, is 32 years of age, and apparently well to do, but is not of a very prepossessing appearance.

Nothing of an extraordinary nature about the parties developed itself until yesterday afternoon. Then it became known that Fisher and the girl were bent on getting married, and he and Hastings went out and returned about 5 o'clock with the necessary marriage certificate. Then a carriage was called and the party went out to seek a justice of the peace. They went to Justice Jeffries' residence and presented themselves before the local ermine to be united. At times Justice Jeffries is inclined to be humane, and instances are on record where tears have saved a vag from a term in the county jail. He read the license, which said the girl was 18 years of age. He scanned her closely and compared her with her mother who would knock the beam at 200. A series of questions followed when the mother finally confessed that her Nellie was but 13 years old, but she had her consent to marry. The justice refused to perform the ceremony, and then followed a series of wails and weeps. Nellie clung frantically to George as if her heart would break, and called him her dear George, and he took her to his massive bosom and called her 'little pet.' Mr. and Mrs. Hastings wept copiously and would not be comforted. Everybody wept but the feelingless justice. This state of affairs lasted about five minutes. Finally Nellie tore herself away from the bosom of her dear George. She looked at the justice, her eyes flashing a fire that would have been scorching to anybody but a cruel justice. She pleaded with him to perform the ceremony, and thus make her one of the happiest women in the world. The justice was immovable. He was deaf to the pleadings, and tears, and entreaties of the little woman. He had been caught once or twice for doing just what these people wanted him to do, and had resolved to never again be a party to such a transaction.

Finding that she could as easily move the corner stone of the city hall building as to move the justice, Nellie became furious. She stamped on the floor with her little foot, and climaxed the entertainment by saying: "Mr. Justice, I will be married! Yes, sir, I will be married to-night, if I have to go to Omaha." The party then took to their carriages, and went out in quest of some one empowered to perform the marital ceremony, who would not allow a few years' shortage to stand in the way of a girl's happiness.

At 10 o'clock last night the party was still on the search, having failed utterly in getting their hearts cemented through a due process of law, and may be compelled to return to their home in Idaho Springs without having accomplished their soul's desires."

THE BEE reporter is watching anxiously the appearance of the illy-mated couple, when he will accompany them to the nearest justice of the peace and see that the knot is properly tied. Come right along there is lots of room.

A Startling Discovery.

Mr. Wm. Johnson, of Huron, Dak., writes that his wife had been troubled with acute Bronchitis for many years, and that all remedies tried gave no permanent relief, until he procured a bottle of *Dr. King's* New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, which had a magical effect, and produced a permanent cure. It is guaranteed to cure all Diseases of Throat, Lungs, or Bronchial Tubes.

Trial bottles Free at C. F. Goodman's Drug Store. Large size $1.00.

POLICE POINTERS.

A Man With His Head Badly Cut, and a Deserter in the Toils.

Yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock a man was hauled to the city jail in an express wagon. He was unloaded and taken inside and placed in a chair. His face was smeared with blood and he looked as if he had been through an election free fight.

A BEE reporter endeavored to talk with him, but he was almost too full for utterance, and moaned or whined. He did not not know where he had been or what had happened. His head had a deep gash in the back part, and from the driver of the express wagon we learned that he had been in a saloon near the depot, and had got into a fight, and had been struck on the head with a beer glass. What saloon the row occurred in, or who it was that had struck him, the driver was unable to say.

The fellow himself could not even tell what his name was.

A DESERTER.

Yesterday afternoon Officers Sigwart and Lane marched into the city jail a man whose dress indicated that he belonged to the regular army. His name is Rowe alias Davis, and he left Fort Omaha one week ago this morning. Officer Lane has had his eye upon him for several days and yesterday roped him in.

He was stopping with a woman of the town, down on the bottoms, in a little hut and as he has been away from the post a week he is a deserter.

The two officers will take him out to the Fort this morning and claim their $30 reward.

For ornamental trees, roses, shrubs, clematises, &c., buy from the Bloomington Nursery Co. of Ill., which contains 600 acres of fine stock. For spring planting of nursery stock, address E. H. Elliott, Omaha, N. B.—Edmond Paulsen, is authorized agt. 2t

THE BOSS VAULT.

The Omaha Safe Deposit Vault Completed and Now Ready for Business.

A Valuable Acquisition to the Places of Safety in This City.—A Description of the Vaults.

The Omaha National Bank has during the past nine months, at an expense of $25,000, caused to be constructed within its building a fire and burglar proof vault, which is constructed on the most approved and modern plans for safety and security, and is unsurpassed for character and completeness. The Bank is now prepared to rent safes in this vault, and to receive for safe keeping valuables of all description, such as Bonds, Certificates of Stock, Deeds, Wills, Valuable Documents, Coin, Plate, Jewelry; also clothing and other personal effects. Safes of all desirable sizes, built inside of this absolutely fire and burglar proof vault, are rented at $5 to $50 each per annum. The larger safes have combination locks. The smaller ones are provided with two keys, one of which is to be held by the renter and the other by the vault-keeper, these being the only keys in existence that will unlock his safe, and the safe can only be unlocked by the joint action of the renter and the vault-keeper. The locks to these safes are all different and are changed with every change of the renter. Each safe has within it a tin box, in which to place the valuables deposited. The boxes or cases are not to be opened within the vault, but must be removed to an adjoining room fitted up for the purpose, where the owner, in perfect seclusion and privacy, can examine his securities, &c.

A renter wishing to visit his safe, must be identified by the vault-keeper, who will always accompany him to the vault, and to guard against fraud or imposition every renter is to be identified in the most thorough manner before gaining access to the safes, by a particular mode of identification. In case of the death of any renter, no one but his legal representatives, duly authorized, will be permitted to have access to his safe, in order that the interests of his heirs may be completely protected.

Any renter may at his option appoint a deputy to act in his stead.

Residents in the country or surrounding cities, having no safe deposit facilities wishing to deposit bonds or valuables in this vault, may send them through an express company, who will be responsible for their safe delivery, and obtain a certificate of deposit for the same, as may be directed.

Strangers visiting the city and having in their possession money or valuables, will find it to their advantage to deposit the same for safe keeping in this vault. Arrangements can at all times be made for temporary storage of valuables, but no safe to be rented for a term less than one year. Every means that inventive genius can devise has been employed in the construction of this vault. It is 9x10 feet in size, the walls being of hard fire-proof masonry 30 inches thick. They rest upon solid foundations, which reach to depths below, and are lined with Chrome steel three inches thick. The vault is provided with two steel doors, the inner door being three inches in thickness, and the outer door three and a half inches; the inner door being protected with two Yale combination locks, and the outer by a Yale chronometor or time lock, and automatic bolt work furnished by J. C. Harris, of Chicago. No spindles, no screws rivet or bolt coming to the outer surface of the doors or vault. All work is secured together by machine screws, from outside in, and all plates and screws are tempered drill proof. All this work being furnished by the Omaha Safe Works, under the special supervision of W. B. Avery, of Chicago, superintending expert.

The great increase of burglary and theft and the skill and ingenuity employed by evil disposed persons, renders the absolute security provided by this vault, a great necessity, and fills a want long felt in this city.

Buy your fruit trees, raspberries, blackberries, grapes and nursery stock of any kind from the Bloomington Nursery Co. It contains 600 acres of fine and good cultivated stock. For particulars address E. H. Elliott, Omaha. N. B.—Edmond Paulsen, is authorized agt. 2t

The Riley-Whitney Wedding.

Cards received by friends in this city announce the wedding of Mr. James E. Riley, of Omaha, and Miss Katherine M. Whitney, of Plattsburgh, N. Y., which took place at Plattsburgh on the 10th inst.

Mr. Riley, who is a young gentleman of marked ability, and has been an extensive and successful contractor in this city for the past year and a half, will return with his bride, and they will be given a warm welcome. They intend to make their home here, where Mr. Riley has considerable property.

The Irish National League, of which Mr. Riley is the esteemed president, will undoubtedly show that it holds him in still higher regard since he has become a Benedict.

Get your timber trees, such as cotalpa, cottonwood, white ash and many others of fine variety from the Bloomington Nursery Co., Bloomington, Ill. For particulars and prices address E. H. Elliott, Omaha, Neb. N. B.—Edmund Paulsen, is authorized agt. 2t

SNEAKED AWAY.

Wm. Snell, Through Whose Carelessness Jessie Snell Came to Her Death,

Was Bailed Yesterday Noon and Immediately Skipped the Town.

Wm. Snell, the man through whose gross carelessness Jessie Snell came to her death at the "road house" last Saturday night, has skipped the town.

The body of his victim has been lying at Drexel & Maul's undertaking rooms ever since the shooting. Every day a large number of sporting women have visited the place, and every day they have volunteered to pay the expense of a decent burial and buy for the unfortunate woman a grave in other grounds than the Potter's field.

Snell knew of this, but while he was behind the bars he refused to listen to any such proposition, and stated that in a few hours he would be at liberty and would, himself, provide the means by which the victim of his recklessness should be properly and decently interred. So at his request the body of the dead woman has been kept to await his orders.

Yesterday parties came down from Valentine and yesterday noon they went upon his (Snell's) bond and he was released from custody. Did he at once hasten to the place where his former mistress lay cold and stiff in death, and there do the least that any human being could do, provide for her burial? No, he quietly slipped down to the depot and took the noon train west, leaving behind him many a curse.

A great many people who had seen Snell at the inquest Monday afternoon had been tempted to sympathize with him. He really did look badly and his affected grief had a good effect. But how changed the feelings of the community toward him. He has acted the part of the sneak and the coward.

His pretended desire to provide for Jessie Snell a suitable burial, was only a ruse to work upon the feelings of the community that he might more easily escape from jail. The probabilities now are that no more will be seen of him. His bond will be forfeited, and he will return to the wild west, there to take another mistress, and in his drunken moments shoot from her slippers the heels, and snuff the candle in his more playful moments. One thing is certain, Omaha has no earthly use for such men as Snell and the farther they keep away the better it will be for this place, and possibly for them likewise.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well.

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottles, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by C. F. Goodman.

A RICH HARVEST.

The Ice Crop Now Being Gathered for Next Summer's Use.

An Army of Men at Work on the Missouri, Cutting and Harvesting the Beautiful Chrystal.

For a week past, over five hundred men have been busily at work on the surface of the Missouri river, cutting and housing the annual harvest of ice. They have been employed by various parties, all of whom firmly believe in the fact that "no man can gather cherries at the season of Christmas," or 16 inch ice in the middle of August. The time of the ice-harvest, unlike that of human souls, is governed by the caprices of the weather.

Upon the river there is every appearance of winter, and it is a pleasing sight to stand and watch the little army of men as they move to and fro, and although they have but a few days practice each year, yet everything moves like clockwork, under the watchful eye of an experienced foreman.

There men are paid upon an average of $1.50 cents per day. Very few of them stay more than a day or two, and new men are constantly being set at work.

About 1,500 tons of ice is taken from the river, and placed in the various houses in an about the city, daily. The cost of housing this ice is from 73 to 75 cents per ton.

There has never been a time when the ice was better than now. It is clear as crystal, without any snow or shell ice on top, and is from sixteen to eighteen inches in thickness. The cakes are about 20x30 inches in size.

The scene in the field where the marking, plowing, and cutting is done is extremely interesting. The marker goes over the field first, taking in several acres at a time, and cross-marks the ice as a farmer would his cornfield. The marker does his work with the accuracy of an architect, so far as human eye can discern. He is followed by a six-inch ice-plow, drawn by two horses. The 6-inch plow is followed by another, which cuts to the depth of 8 inches, and that uy still another which goes to a depth of 18 inches. Then the men with corking bars, saws, and splitting bars, divide the field into sections, and the towing begins.

About 150,000 tons of the chrystal stuff will be put up in this city this season, and as there will be close competition among ice dealers next summer, the consumer may fancy to himself that he is already being supplied with the prettiest ice ever harvested in Omaha, and at a very small expense.

At the meeting called for the election of officers of the Woman's Christian temperance union, the following ladies were elected: Mrs. C. B. Souel, president; Mrs. J M. Cain, first vice-president, and other ladies representing the different churches; Mrs. L. G. Charlton, secretary; Mrs. G. W. Eastman, treasurer. The meeting was well attended and very harmonious.

A Coming Musical Event.

February 15th we are to have the first concert of the Philharmonic society, on which occasion the society will be assisted by the Emma Thursby Concert company, composed of Miss Emma Thursby, soprano, Mr. Lewis H. Glover, tenor, and the Chevalier De Kortaki, pianist. The Glee Club and the Philharmonic Society are caring well for our musical taste this season.

The Philharmonic is a society of mixed voices numbering sixty-five of the best voices in the city, including those in the Glee Club, and is under the direction of Mr. Blakeley.

Rehearsals are actively in progress, and there will be one for the ladies of the society, Thursday afternoon this week, at half-past two, and one for the whole society in the evening at half-past seven. Mr. Blakeley is a Director of commanding abilities, and there is so much enthusiasm and interest in the society in its work, it is fair to predict that very fine results will be accomplished. Mr. Blakeley says there is no question but what the material—voices and musical ability—for it are first-class.

THE STATE FAIR.

Located at Omaha for One Year More.

Proceedings of the State Board of Agriculture.

The state board of agriculture, in session at Lincoln, elected Hon. J. B. Dinsmore, of Sutton, as president for the ensuing year; R. Daniels, of Gilmore, and J. B. McDowell, of Fairbury, vice presidents; ex-Governor Furnas, of Brownville, secretary, and Chris. Hartman, of Omaha, as treasurer.

A motion was made that a committee of three be appointed to revise the premium list, and the following gentlemen were appointed: E. A. Barnes, Wm. Gill and E. N. Grenell,

Chris. Hartman, treasurer of the board, submitted a report of receipts and expenditures as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	$ 2,987 65
State appropriation	2,000 00
Booth privileges	925 00
D. H. Wheeler, for "Speed"	1,080 00
D. H. Wheeler, for stalls	438 00
"Slips" for vehicles	160 00
M. Dunham, amount colected of Thayer	4 50
M. Dunham, lumber sold	34 00
Gate receipts	7,503 50
State appropriation	2,000 00
B. & M. Railway admission tickets	1,370 50
U. P. " " "	1,146 50
C. St. P., M. & O. " "	585 00
Sioux City & Pacific, " "	396 50
Samuel Reese & Co	25 00
Total	$20,716 05

EXPENDITURES.

On vouchers, as per itemized report	16,839 26
Balance in treasury	$ 3,876 49

The committee on nominations reported the following names for members of the state board of agriculture for the ensuing year: Chris. Hartman, Omaha; G. W. E. Dorsey, Fremont; J. F. Kinney, Nebraska City; W. H. Barstow, Crete; E. McIntyre, Seward; J. B. McDowell, Fairbury; W. B. White, Tekamah; S. M Barker, Silver Creek; L. A. Kent, Minden; Davis Richardson, Burlingame; H. D. Kelley, Madison; W. E. McCloud, Waco; R. R. Greer, Kearney; F. M. Dininny, Tecumseh; E C. Codman, Guide Rock. The report was adopted.

LOCATING THE FAIR.

Three state fair propositions were submitted to the board yesterday—one from the Omaha Driving Park association, one from Grand Island, and one from Lincoln. The Omaha Driving Park association, signed by J. E. Boyd, president, was to give the grounds for five years, the state board to keep grounds and buildings in repair, and pay ten per cent out of the fair receipts for the use of grounds and buildings. The board concluded it could not consider any such proposition, as it would cost at least $3,000 a year to repair the grounds and buildings. Even the best friends of Omaha could not vote for it."

Grand Island's proposition was not considered.

Lincoln proposed to give bonds in the sum of $50,000, and erect buildings equal to those of Omaha and donate the use of them for five years, everything to be arranged as desired by the board. They pledged $20,000 to carry out their proposition, and more if necessary.

Finally it was concluded to locate the fair at Omaha for one year more at least, and postpone the question of the five-year location until 1885. A resolution to this effect was almost unanimously adopted. The board, in thus locating the fair at Omaha, took advantage of the fact that it had the privilege of the grounds for another year upon the same terms as last year.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

A Meeting of Pioneer Council No. 118—A Big Banquet and Suitable Addresses.

A meeting of Pioneer Council No. 118, of the Royal Arcanum society, was held Tuesday for the purpose of being instructed in the new work which went into operation January 1st. This work, which was exemplified in the presence of some fifty members, was superintended by Hon. H. E. W. Campbell, representative of the supreme regent of the Royal Arcanum, who was visiting the city. Mr. Campbell is regarded as one of the most prominent men connected with this young but flourishing organization and devotes his time exclusively to organizing councils, and looking after the interests of the order generally. He has visited all the principal cities of the Union and has everywhere met with signal success. After the business of the council, which included the initiation of two new members, had been disposed of they adjourned to Campbell's restaurant on Douglas street, where a very elegant banquet was laid out. The banquet was got up in honor of Mr. Campbell's visit, although the members had very little time for preparation, the affair may truthfully be included among the most brilliant that have taken place in the Gate City this season. The menu comprised all the delicacies and luxuries procurable, and presented a sight that would have gladdened the eyes of the most fastidious epicure.

Regent W. J. Kennedy, of Pioneer Council 118, presided, and among the guests from abroad we noticed: Messrs. R. H. Miller, of Otoe Council No. 159, Nebraska City; Arthur Gibson and G. W. D. Reynolds, of Fremont Council No. 354, Fremont, Neb., and the guest of the evening, H. E. W Campbell, of Boston, Mass.

After the substantials had been disposed of, speeches were made by various members present, and some of them were very bright and witty.

It was at a late hour that the company dispersed after having tendered a vote of thanks to the distinguished visitor.

CASTORIA

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Infants and Children

Without Morphine or Narcotine.

What gives our Children rosy cheeks,
What cures their fevers, makes them sleep;
'Tis Castoria.

When Babies fret, and cry by turns,
What cures their colic, kills their worms,
But Castoria.

What quickly cures Constipation,
Sour Stomach, Colds, Indigestion;
But Castoria.

Farewell then to Morphine Syrups,
Castor Oil and Paregoric, and
Hail Castoria.

Centaur Liniment.—An absolute cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, Burns, Galls, &c., and an instantaneous Pain-reliever.

OMAHA, Jan. 16, 1884.

To the Editor of The Bee:

The members and all ladies who believe that the liquor traffic is responsible for much of suffering which makes the Woman's Christian Aid Association a necessity, are earnestly requested to meet with the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms Thursday, January 17th, at 2:30 p. m. sharp, as important work is to be considered. By order of the president.

MRS. L. G. CHARLTON, Secy.

RAILROAD SMASH-UP.

Trains No. 11 and No. 12 Collide at Full Speed East of Sidney.

On Monday night an accident occurred on the Union Pacific railroad, east of Sidney. Two engines collided, and one of them with seven cars was thrown from the track. A BEE reporter learned the collision was between trains No. 12 and No. 11; that they had collided east of Sidney, somewhere, and that there had been a wreck. This was confirmed by after reports which came through a more reliable source than conjecture, and it was also learned that in addition to seven cars of No. 11 being wrecked, both engines of the colliding trains were badly demoralized, and the head brakeman on No 11, Vernon, had his leg broken. The track was clear for the west bound passenger, so no delay of other than freight travel occurred. The loss to the company is probably about $20,000.

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This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. Royal baking Powder Co., 106 Wall Street New York.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ Specials will Positively not be inserted unless paid in advance.

TO LOAN—Money.

MONEY TO LOAN—The lowest rates of interest Bemis' Loan Agency, 15th & Douglas 234-tf

MONEY TO LOAN In sums of $300 and upward. O. F. Davis and Co., Real Estate and Loan Agents, 1505 Farnam St. 203-tf

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A night watchman in a business house. Address by letter with references and salary expected, and state age and whether married or single. "X. Y." Bee office 840-16

WANTED—A girl for general housework at south west corner of Howard and Fourteenth Sts. 137-17§

WANTED—Immediately a good girl for general housework, at the 3d door west of 20th St., on south side of Harney. 841-16§

WANTED—First class coat makers, highest prices paid and steady work guaranteed at Apel & Co's, Denver Colorado. 833-17

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 113 south 17th street. 816-16§

WANTED—A good competent girl to do general housework. Liberal wages paid. Apply at 1815 Douglas street. 817-16§

WANTED—Good steady girl for general housework at 516 south 10th street. 821-16§

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply immediately at 2006 California street. 830-17§

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WANTED—A German dining room kitchen girl. Hesse and Hoppe, 418 S. 13th St., between Harney and Howard. 565-tf

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WANTED—A situation by a man who is a perfect dinner cook. Address Cass Becker, City parlor restaurant, 21 and 23 Broad St., Council Bluffs. 836-17§

WANTED—Situation as house keeper, nurse or cook, thoroughly competent and good reference. "Y. Z." Bee office. 838 17§

WANTED—A situation as waiter by a young Gman. Can give best of references. Addr "C. E." Bee office. 839-16§

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FOR RENT—A nicely furnished front parlor to let with or without board, 1613 Dodge street. 848-2.1

FOR RENT—A cottage of four rooms 14th and Chicago. Inquire of Thos. Swift, 15th and Chicago streets. 845-16§

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FOR SALE—Farm 16 acres, new house, barn and outbuildings, shade and fruit trees, small fruits in abundance; excellent location, 4 miles from post-office, ¼ mile from school. Just the thing for "truck" farm or dairy. Price $2,800. Will raise in 30 days. G. K. Doane & Co., Real Estate Agents, 15th and Douglas streets. 671-tf

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TAKEN UP—On my premises on Dec. 15, 1883, in West Omaha, one Cream Colored Pony. Small white spot in forehead, mane and tail a little darker than the body. JAS. E VANDERCOOK. 825-5t 1ewk§

STOLEN—From stable on 17th St. bet. Burt and Webster, one large black pony, mare about six years old small ears, no shoes on, plain halter marks, property of Geo. McKenzie. Leave at Atwood & Fox's Red barn, on 10th and be rewarded. 842-17§

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