

DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Monday Morning, May 13. SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

MINOR MENTION.

The city council meets again to-night. Standard fiction 39 cents at cheap book sale.

Manufacturers book sale, one week, 502 Broadway. Bricks for sale in large or small lots by J. A. Weaver, 815 Seventh avenue.

The preachers are still devoting their time to the discussion of the prohibitory law.

Now is your only chance to buy a library for less than half price at Manufacturers book sale.

The Rev. Mr. Harris, of Omaha, preached in the baptist church here yesterday.

Come and see goods and prices at the new boot and shoe store of R. I. Skiles No. 102, Main street.

The latest styles of summer millinery at the lowest possible prices, at Mrs. A. O. Rogers, 341 Broadway.

The board of county supervisors meet to-morrow to dispose of the new jail bonds to the highest bidder.

All the latest styles, to order and ready made at the new millinery store of Mfs. A. O. Rogers, No. 341 Broadway.

McCaulley history of England, bound in cloth, five volumes, only \$1.98 regular price \$5.00, at Manufacturers book sale 52 Broadway.

The ladies of the catholic church are preparing to hold a fair for the benefit of the society, the latter part of this month, lasting two or three days.

Pottawattamie Grove, No. 33, Ancient Order of Druids, will give a ball Wednesday evening, to secure funds for the purchase of a new banner for the grove.

The Rev. T. F. Thickett, former pastor of the baptist church here, preached in the union chapel, on Harmony street, yesterday afternoon.

The evidence in the judicial contest, between Judge Aylesworth and Judge Looftbourrow, having been taken, the case will be submitted before three chosen judges in Des Moines.

At the dime museum to-morrow afternoon there is to be a free matinee for the children, the Barbour dramatic company to present that charming Irish drama, "Kathleen Mavourneen," which will afford the young folks a great treat.

The "carnival of nations," given by the ladies of the episcopal church last week, took in about one thousand dollars, so that after all expenses are paid there will be over five hundred dollars net profit to help in the building of the new church.

Two representatives, George Holmes, and George A. Seybold, of the Plattsmouth live stock company, were in this city on Saturday, and bought a number of colts from Messrs. Schluter & Bowley, which were driven to Plattsmouth, previous to being taken to the company's ranch in Custer county, Nebraska.

On Saturday Mr. Sam Rodda, of the firm of Eiseman, Rodda & Co., celebrated his birthday, and the clerks expressed their good will by the presentation of a handsome tea-set, Charles Morris making the necessary speech with good taste. Mr. Rodda was too greatly taken aback by the surprise to rally his oratory more than enough to say a hearty "thank you."

This evening the Barbour dramatic company open at the dime museum, and will probably remain several weeks, as they have in other places succeeded in drawing delighted crowds for many successive nights. To-night they present that popular play, "Black Diamonds," and from the press notices given them elsewhere the public may expect to have one of the best entertainments ever given for such a nominal sum.

Readers of the BEE will find information of interest to themselves in the advertisement of Eiseman, Rodda & Co., which appears in this issue. This firm has a well-earned reputation as well as a stock of immense proportions, and persons wishing anything in their line would do well to give them a call and see for themselves. Their mailing department is one of the best conducted departments in the establishment, as to system, and any one at a distance wishing to deal with this house will find them prompt and attentive to all correspondence.

Substantial abstracts of titles and real estate loans, J. W. & E. L. Squire, 10 Pearl street.

Real Estate Transfers. The following are the transfers of real estate as recorded in the office of the registrar, and reported to the BEE by A. J. Stephenson, for Friday, May 16, 1885:

G. W. Turner to J. D. Myer, 1/2 sec 22-74-43; \$2,400. Aaron B. Forrester to Mathala J. Winans, 1/2 sec 33- and part sec 28-75-40; \$1,500. Citizens savings bank of St. Louis, to William Preston, lots 9 and 10, block 10, Williams' first add.; \$750. W. J. Lasterwasser to J. M. Flayler, part of sec 14-25-75-44; \$474. Total sales, \$5,125.

To the Public. My wife, Mary Gerdes, having left my board and bed without cause or provocation, I hereby notify the public that I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her. HENRY GERDES. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 16, 1885.

Purify your blood, tone up the system and regulate the digestive organs by using Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all druggists.

MUCH MOUTHING.

The Mayor and Aldermen Still Fighting Over Fractious.

A Bid for the Workingmen.

The city council held a special meeting Saturday evening, on call of the mayor, for the avowed purpose of considering the veto of the resolution under which the council had proceeded to the election of the city officers. When the council had gathered they learned to their surprise that the mayor was not ready to have them consider the veto, but had prepared two others, and wanted more time to amend his veto of the election of officers.

The following were the vetoes which he thus sprung on them instead of the veto filed some days ago:

To the honorable common council of Council Bluffs--Gentlemen:--I return to you herewith the resolution offered by Alderman Siedentopf, with an amendment of Alderman Shugart, and passed by your honorable body May 11th, 1885, said resolution being hereto attached. I am opposed to said resolution because it is in violation of an ordinance that establishes the office of street commissioner. This office must be repealed by an ordinance. The resolution also grants the right to aldermen of each ward to employ a man who shall have charge of the "ward work" at the cost of two dollars per day, or a total of eight dollars a day. Thus it will be seen that it will not be economy to displace the street commissioner, whose pay is \$3 a day, for sub-street commissioners at \$8 a day. I do therefore veto this resolution, and refer the same to this body, hoping that you will use more caution, and less haste in covering defects, and that you will not try again to vitiate an ordinance by resolution. Respectfully submitted, etc.

The other veto was against the ordinance recently passed requiring that dirt haulers should use tight wagon boxes, so that the dirt would not rattle off, and drop onto streets over which they passed. In vetoing this, the mayor says: "Said ordinance was drawn and introduced at the instance and upon the order of Alderman Shugart. I am opposed to this ordinance, because it will work a hardship on our dirt haulers, as it requires the wagon bodies to be perfectly tight. This would necessitate the purchase of new wagon bodies, require more time to unload the dirt, and force the teamster to haul a lighter load, as his wagon body will be heavy, and also it designates within an inch how full the wagon shall be. For a violation of the ordinance the teamster is guilty of a misdemeanor, and he may be fined \$20 for each offense. The acts prohibited are not criminal in their nature, but by the terms of the ordinance it made a misdemeanor, and a lawful but transient traveler might innocently be made amenable to the same, and as an ordinance to be valid must be reasonable and consistent with the laws and policy of the state, and must not be unequal, oppressive, or vexatious; therefore, in my judgment, this ordinance is illegal, against public policy, in restraint of labor, and undemocratic, and can benefit no one but those who deal in wagons, and there is an ordinance regulating the hauling of dirt, passed in June, 1884, that in my judgment is sufficiently strong to protect the city's interests. I do therefore return the ordinance, etc.

The mayor was considerably sparing over these vetoes. The motion to carry over the ordinance over the head of the mayor was carried by a vote of four to two, Ald. Mynster and Geise alone supporting the mayor's veto. There being two-thirds of the council thus in favor of the vetoed resolution and ordinance, it was insisted that the veto was void, but the mayor claimed that it required a two-thirds majority--whatever that is--and when an appeal was made from this decision, he declared all appeals out of order. This high handed way of running the whole business was galling to the aldermen, but there was nothing to do but submit, and wait for some future action to bring the mayor to his senses.

There was one square at down on the mayor, however. It was apparently his desire to make a little political capital for himself among the working men and dirt haulers, and in doing so there was a chance to try to put Alderman Shugart in the position of being responsible for the obnoxious ordinance. In his veto this charge was put by an intimation that Alderman Shugart, being engaged in selling farm wagons, had some selfish motive in getting this ordinance passed, and the veto puts the alderman in the position of father of the ordinance, whereas, the facts appear that the ordinance was agreed upon in the committee of the whole, and unanimously, and passed in a like manner, all the members voting for it, and that Ald. Mynster was quite prominent in the preparation and passage of the ordinance. At least, the council at this meeting passed a resolution declaring that Ald. Shugart was not the father of the dirt haulers' ordinance, and even Ald. Geise voted for this resolution. Ald. Mynster being the only one who opposed it. It seems therefore, that if this was a hardship on the workingmen, that the whole council should bear the blame, instead of its being put on to one.

The FEE man saw the mayor yesterday and asked him about the situation, "Now, I notice," said the mayor, "that the BEE speaks of the veto power as being some newly discovered toy, that I am just playing with. The fact is that I have had the veto power for more than a year, and before this I have used it but once, and that was to keep the Union Pacific from laying sidings instead of granite for paving, and thus kept the city from having inferior paving. In regard to the city clerk, I have withdrawn my veto, simply to amend it, for I want to state as an additional reason for not wanting a change, that there a good many cases now pending in court, in which the clerk is an important witness, and a change just now would be risky, as he knows all about the records and the cases. I do not feel any ways hard to any of the aldermen, but I want the city's interests protected."

"Why do you not leave this matter of a two-thirds majority to arbitration, which is the way of settling that it should be adjudicated in court?" "I am willing to listen to any proposition that the other side would make, and yet this is an important matter, and the thing could not be settled by an arbitration. It isn't merely whether the present city clerk shall stay in office, but whether four men shall have the power to run all the city affairs." It was suggested to his honor that under his own view three men, himself and two aldermen, could stop everything,

and it seemed to be simply whether four men should have the "say," or three men, and he went off thinking over the problem.

"BATTLE OF THE KEGS."

Pointers in the Prohibition Cases and Some Fresh Facts.

What Judge Looftbourrow says.

In the course of a personal letter from Judge Looftbourrow to Mr. Jacob Sims, of this city, the following statement is made in regard to the Carroll county cases:

"Five applications for temporary injunction were heard before me at Carroll and injunctions granted in four of them, and refused in one, on the ground solely that the facts shown in that case did not, in my judgment, justify the issuing of the writ. No question was presented involving the constitutionality of the law, but in two cases a plea was set up that the bill containing the injunction clauses had not passed the lower house of the legislature, and therefore was not a law, but this defense was not sustained. The newspapers have indulged in all sorts of reports, but the facts are as above stated."

This prop being taken away, the saloon men found comfort and hope in a telegram from Muscatine, Iowa, as follows: Judge French, of the circuit court, today rendered in writing an important decision bearing upon injunction proceedings under the state prohibitory law. French holds that the first injunction proceeding instituted against a saloon shall have priority over any other injunction proceeding against a saloon. This is regarded as a great victory for the saloon men, as when injunction proceedings have been instituted by friends of the saloons against nearly every saloon in Muscatine. The temperance alliance will appeal the case to the supreme court.

The injunction cases started by the temperance alliance of this city against six of the saloons, and before Judge Connor at Glenwood, to-day. The defendants expect to gain a victory, on the same grounds as set forth in the above telegram, as they claim that the injunction cases brought before Judge Aylesworth, in the superior court here, were brought before the six cases brought by the temperance alliance, and they will insist on these six cases being dropped on the ground that these other cases have the priority. It is understood that the cases brought before Judge Aylesworth are brought in the interests of the saloon men, in order to prevent other suits being successfully carried on. This seems to be the policy of the attorneys for the saloon men, and it seems to be the intention to keep these cases hanging along so as to prevent other cases so long as possible. The decision above given is looked upon by them as strengthening their position, as shown in this policy, and hence they start for Glenwood to-day with high hopes of returning with victory perched upon their banners.

If they should chance to be disappointed in this great will be the fall thereof, for they are quite confident, and feel that in this sort of proceeding, by keeping cases continually pending, they will be able to prevent the enforcement of the prohibitory law.

Poor Old Lady!

The Nonpareil devoted a lengthy and leading editorial Saturday morning to trying to advertise the BEE. Small favors are thankfully received, and the BEE would not appear to be ungrateful to the Old Grandmother, but it cannot but remark that it has been so long since she wrote anything original for her scrap-book that she makes sad work of it. She naturally complains that the scrap-book cannot get enough advertising to fill it, so that she has to devote seven columns to a free advertising of her own office. She blames the BEE for getting so much business while she is living on crusts, which are rather hard for her failing teeth. The BEE is sorry, but will have to continue to accommodate merchants, who want to advertise, not for charity's sake, but because it pays them. The Old Lady gets a little mixed, but doubtless this is due to her dotage, for she says in one place that the BEE has so little circulation that everybody who pays for any space in it is foolish, and in a few lines further on she claims that the BEE has so large a circulation that it draws all the trade from Council Bluffs to Omaha. The BEE is naturally proud of its having a larger circulation than all the other papers of Omaha and this city combined, and as the Old Lady does not seem to be well posted as to what is a large circulation, she ought to look over the sworn statements of the BEE, which is the only paper which dares to give its patrons the free chance to inspect the books for themselves, and the only one which dares to publish its circulation, under oath.

COMMERCIAL.

COUNCIL BLUFFS MARKET. Wheat--No. 1 milling, 70; No. 2, 65; No. 3, 60. Corn--New, 28c. Oats--For local purposes, 20c. Hay--\$ 90 per ton; baled, 60. Rye--25c. Corn Meal--\$1.50 per 100 pounds. Wood--Good supply; prices at yards, 1.00. Coal--Delivered, hard, 9.50 per ton; soft 4.00 per ton. Lard--Armour's, wholesaling at 7 1/2. Flour--City brand, 1.50; 2nd, 1.40. Beans--1.75; 2nd, 1.60 per bush.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle--Butcher cows 3.25 to 3.75. Butcher steers, 2.75 to 4.00. Sheep--3.00 to 3.50. Hogs--3.50 to 4.00.

PRODUCE AND FEEDS.

Eggs--9c. Butter--Receipts are increasing; choice creamery, 22c; choice country, 15c; good 13c; poor 10c. Lard--Butter should be wrapped in bleached butter cloth and closely packed. Poultry--Demand strong supply light; live sheep all the other sizes, \$3.50 per doz; live old chickens, light and medium weight, \$3.50 to 3.75 per doz.; live old chickens, heavy weight, \$4.00; live turkeys, 10c per lb. At present the weather is too uncertain to ship dressed poultry; however high prices can be obtained for choice stock arriving in good condition. Game--Demand is only for fresh killed ducks; mallards, \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50; teal, 1.00. Onions--None in market; choice stock would likely bring \$1.75; sprouted and poor, \$1.00 to 1.25. Beans--Clean stock in good demand at \$1.25 to \$1.35 for mediums, and \$1.50 for navies; dirty stock is dull at \$1.00. Potatoes--The freight war has given us choice Wisconsin and Minnesota at 55c to 70c. Good natives are going at 60c in bulk; small lots of sacked, 65c.

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