

THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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MINOR MENTION.

Bricks for sale in large or small lots by J. A. Weaver, 815 Seventh avenue.

The proceedings of the city council last evening will be found on another page.

The funeral of Mr. Charles Houck was held yesterday, under the auspices of the masons.

The congregational folks have a social this evening at the residence of Mr. Phillips, on Bluff street.

Miss Charlotte Thompson appeared at the opera house last evening in her new play, "Phyllis Danhor."

For low prices in boots and shoes call at R. I. Skiles', 102 Main street. The new boot and shoe store.

Fifteen more injunction cases are said to be on the point of being started, and the papers will probably be served this week.

Retter, in order to close out his present stock of tailoring goods, is putting prices at 25 to 35 per cent below cost. No. 810 Broadway.

To Clothing Dealers—We are now prepared to furnish Rubber Clothing in any quantity wanted. Z. T. Lindsey & Co., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

J. G. Clark, the fellow arrested on suspicion of being a burglar, and having in his possession a brace, bit and plane, is now lying in the county jail as a vagrant.

The new clerk made another formal demand on the old city clerk, yesterday morning, to turn over the office, books, and papers, but the old clerk refused, and held on.

Wood is so scarce for fuel at the fair grounds that, it is reported, those who remain there with the horses are tearing down fences, etc., to build fires to do their cooking, etc.

Tom Horan, Tom Bonstead, Stephens, Maring, Andrew Thompson, John McLaughlin and John Hosen were fined yesterday for being practically anti-prohibitionists.

Thomas H. Paste, who has already been to the asylum at Mount Pleasant twice, is again being examined by the board with a view of sending him back, his head seeming to trouble him again.

Three carloads of horses arrived yesterday for the running meeting, making over fifty horses now at the track, and there is every assurance that when all are here there will be over a hundred, the finest gathering of running horses ever seen in this part of the country.

The district court was to have met here this morning, but in accordance with a telegram from Judge Loofborow, who is at Des Moines, the court will be adjourned until Friday morning, and the jury will be excused until next Monday, as there is some doubt as to whether the judge will be here before that day, the judicial contest now occupying his attention, and it being uncertain when it will end.

Little Fannie Cade, aged about thirteen, died yesterday after an illness of nearly two months. Her case was a peculiarly sad one, the illness seeming to have been caused by jumping rope, she having gone beyond her strength in jumping the rope over two hundred times without stopping to rest. The violent and continued exercise seems to have affected her stomach, and at last ulceration resulted, and finally death.

There have been many surmises about the old well found on Pearl street. The Bee learns from an old resident that the well was in use when the Bloom & Nixon hall was built, and that afterwards it was covered, and a force pump set in the sidewalk for public accommodation, the pipe leading to the well in the street, but after a while the pump was locked, so that it could not be used, and soon after was removed altogether, being considered a nuisance. The well was left covered over. This was in 1873.

T. K. Steteler, of Des Moines, the traveling passenger agent of the Northern Pacific railway, was one of the callers at the Bee office yesterday, and kindly supplied the office with copies of two new publications, issued in the interest of the road, but containing much interesting reading matter. In regard to the scenery and attractions of the far west, and needed information in regard to all matters concerning which any one intending to take a trip would be glad to learn. One is entitled "The Wonderland Route," and the other "Alice's Adventures in the New Wonderland," and both are very attractive publications, which may be had by anyone requesting Mr. Steteler to do so.

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

Sale of Bonds. The county board met again yesterday morning and completed the sale of the bonds offered for sale to the highest bidder. Woodbury & Moulton, of Portland, Maine, were the purchasers, their proposition being to take the \$30,000 jail bonds drawing five per cent interest, at a premium of \$290, these bonds being payable as follows: \$5,000 in six years; \$5,000, in seven; a like amount in eight, in nine, and the last \$5,000 in ten years. The bonds, drawn by the board, will be due to be paid by the county.

FLASH IN THE PAN.

The City Council Carefully Avoids a Quorum.

There were a number of interested spectators waiting at the city building at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the promised meeting of the city council, which body had adjourned until that time. Among the waiters were the members of the county board, and the county attorney, who desired the council to take some immediate action in regard to having a sewer laid on Fifth avenue, so that the new court house and jail might be provided for in this respect, the board not wanting to go ahead with the buildings until this should be settled.

Among the other anxious waiters was the old city clerk, Mr. Troutman, who was in his chair and accustomed place, while the new clerk, Mr. Dalrymple, held down a chair inside the railing and busied himself quietly reading an old volume of the city ordinances. A minute or two before 4 o'clock Alderman Mynster peeped into the building and departed. About ten minutes later Alderman Gelse put in an appearance and took his seat, patiently waiting, while the outsiders present put in their time chatting and wondering whether the absent mayor and other aldermen were afraid to come together and have another clatter.

At half-past 4 o'clock Supervisors Rishton, Jones, and Trum put out so as to catch the train for home, leaving Supervisors Kirkwood and Graham to wait for and work with the council. The clerk received a telephone message from the mayor about that time, stating that he had missed the dummy and could not get over from Omaha, and that the council had better be adjourned until 7 p. m. On learning this, the waiting crowd dispersed and all business went over to the evening session.

Another attempt was made last evening to secure a quorum of the council. The mayor and two democratic aldermen were present, but the republican members did not put in an appearance. The council is to meet again at 4 this afternoon.

To the Public. My wife, Mary Gerdes, having left my bed 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.

THE PARTY ORY.

Those Who Raise it Have Not the Right Sort of a Record.

In the unpleasantness which is now troubling the city council and officials, the cry has been raised that there being a republican majority in the council, an attempt is being made to use this power for party purposes. The Bee has never been partisan in local matters, and regrets that the present attempt of some is made to drag in party matters, but if this issue is to be the war-cry, the facts should be understood fairly. The present council has had the choosing of four officers, and, although there are four republican members and two democratic, an equal division has been made, two officers of the democratic persuasion being chosen, and two republicans, the newly elected chief of the fire department being a democrat, and also the city physician. The city clerk and the poll-tax collectors are republicans.

Such is the division of the honors by the council, although having a republican majority. Last year there was a democratic majority, and there was not a single republican who was given anything, and one of the last acts of the old council was to put into democratic hands the work of compiling and printing the ordinances, although the work is necessarily one which falls under the supervision of the new council, and must be settled for by the new council.

It does not come with good grace for anybody to thus try to make a party fight in these matters, but it comes with peculiarly bad grace from the democratic members of the council, who were also members of the old council with such a record, and they ought to drop this part of their squall as being inconsistent and too baby like.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Poulson has returned from California, and will remain here for a few weeks.

Fremont Benjamin, the Avoca attorney, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his wife.

J. S. Goshorn, the adjuster for the Cedar Rapids insurance company, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. A. Troutman and children have gone to Peoria, Ill., to visit her friend, Mrs. S. F. Hawkins.

Constable Jack White is reported as very ill with pneumonia, and yesterday his condition was very alarming.

E. M. Hayes, who lives on High School avenue, is now the father of a bright, new boy, who arrived yesterday.

Frank S. Pusey left yesterday over the Wabash for St. Louis to meet his family, who are en route home from Texas.

Mrs. M. H. Tinley and oldest son expect to start for California on Monday next on account of Mrs. Tinley's poor health.

The many friends of Bob Huntington now have a chance to congratulate him in earnest, he having just captured his bride one of Davenport's favorite daughters.

Otis Haynes and his son, B. A. Haynes, have returned from a month's visit in Nebraska, Mr. Otis Haynes being now connected with the western mutual benevolent association.

William Masfield, of Norwalk township, has been presented by his wife with a twelve pound boy. Mr. and Mrs. Masfield are accumulating much rich treasure for their old age, having now twelve children living.

Mrs. R. E. Adolf left last evening for Kenosha, Wis., to join her son Charles, who is getting his stock farm well under way. Her other son, John W. Adolf, accompanied her to Omaha and saw her safely started on her journey, and then returned to remain here.

The assessors have completed their books and turned them over to the board of equalization. The total assessed valuation of the city, as it appears from these books, is \$4,002,840, and the total assessed valuation as shown for 1884 was \$3,900,000, the increase over last year

thus being \$130,000. This does not seem to be much of an increase, considering the building improvements made here and the rise in the value of property, but from the assessors it is learned that some of the outside, unimproved property has been reduced a little, the former assessments on this class of property being deemed too high. It is also thought that the assessed valuation is not, on an average, more than 25 per cent of the real cash valuation, and if this is true the total cash valuation of the property in the city is over \$16,000,000. In view of the city's needs the board will probably make a general raise, and bring the amount up to somewhere near what should be.

BOTTLED BEER.

The elegant delivery wagon of Ed Maurer's extensive bottling works of Omaha, was visible on the streets here yesterday. Mr. R. C. Lange, who is manager of the new establishment, was showing up some of their excellent Tony Faust's bottled beer which in quality and purity excels any beer made in the United States, and is equal to any imported beer. It is made out of the finest Canada barley and imported Harver hops; not being steamed, it is the finest beer ever put up in bottles. It is for sale for medicinal purposes at all the favorite resorts.

DR. CROSS NOT DYING.

The report that Dr. Cross is liable to die, if kept in confinement at Glenwood a month longer, seems to be without any foundation in fact. He is naturally a little bleached and some thinner, but his friends declare they have no fear of his dying, and as they have no alarm there is doubtless no occasion for others to feel any.

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Grand Army of the Republic.

The Lincoln post, attention! All members are requested to meet at the Grand Army of the Republic hall on Sunday, the 24th, at 7 o'clock, p. m., sharp. J. W. LINDY, P. C. JOSEPH CROMER, Adjt.

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Coal—Delivered, hard, 9.50 per ton; soft 4.00 per ton. Lard—Armour's, wholesaling at 7 1/2.

Flour—City Flour, 1.50 @ 2.00. Brooms—1.75 @ 2.00 per doz.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle—Butcher cows \$3.25 @ 3.75. Butcher steers, 3.75 @ 4.00.

Sheep—3.00 @ 3.50. Hogs—3.00 @ 3.75.

PRODUCE AND FRUITS.

Eggs—9c. Butter—Receipts are increasing; choice creamery, 22 @ 24; choice country, 15c; good 12 1/2 @ 14; poor to fair, 10 @ 12. Roll butter should be wrapped in bleached butter cloth and closely packed.

Poultry—Demand strong; supply light; live spring chickens, good size, \$5.00 per doz.; live old chickens, light and medium weight, \$3.50 @ 3.75 per doz.; live old chickens, heavy weight, \$4.00; live turkeys, 10 @ 11c 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. Ostrich—None in market; choice stock would likely bring \$1.75; sprouted and poor, \$1.00 @ 1.25.

Beans—Clean stock in good demand at \$1.25 @ 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 65 @ 70c. Good natives are going at 60c in bulk; small lots of sacked, 65c.

THOS. OFFICER, W. H. M. PUSEY

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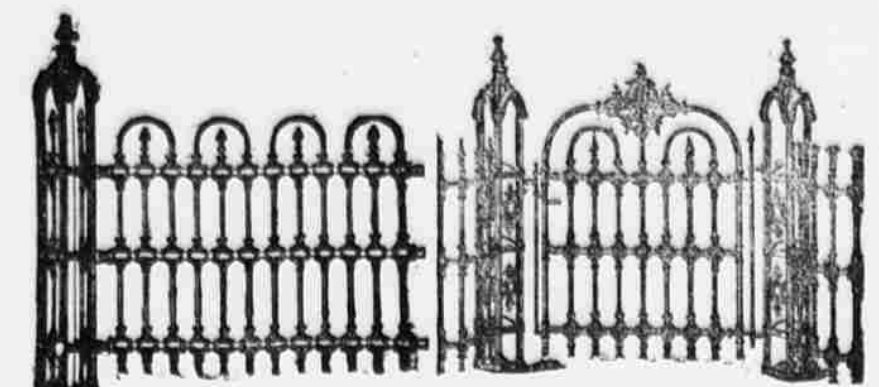
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