THE DAILY BEE.
COUNCIL BLUFFS
Wednesday Morning, July 29.
SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
By Carrier - - - - - - - - 50 cents per week
By Mail - - - - - - - - $10.00 per year

MINOR MENTION.

Reiter, merchant tailor, for fine goods.

Good full spring lounges from $7.00 up, at Mantel's.

Great bargains in cooking stoves, tinware and crockery at Mandel's.

The school board will meet this afternoon for the transaction of some general business.

The city council will now take a rest until next Monday night, when the regular monthly meeting will be held.

Little Ada Hesse, daughter of C. K. Hesse, now suffers from a broken arm, the result of a fall from a hammock.

John O'Haron, Nels Peterson, and Peter Rice were yesterday assessed the usual amount in police court for being drunk.

Puritan Cavalier to-night at opera house.

The ladies of the Broadway Methodist Episcopal church will entertain a sociable at the church parlors next Thursday night.

Do not miss Stephen A. Douglas to-night.

This evening Stephen A. Douglas, Jr., is to give his celebrated lecture in the opera house on "Puritan and Cavalier." A great oratorical treat is promised.

Messrs. John Devine and Harcourt, of the Swanson Music company, have just bought themselves wagons, with which they will now work the country and pour music into the ears of the farmers.

Reserved seats 50c at Foster's drug store.

The Harmony mission ladies are to give their sociable at No. 221 Harmony street this evening, instead of Friday night, the change being made on account of there being other social doings arranged for Friday night.

The weeds growing on the vacant property nearly opposite the old court house form too luxurious a crop, and should be cut down, as they give strangers coming up from the depots a very unfavorable opinion of the city.

Tickets for Douglass at Foster's drug store.

A tramp was landed in jail yesterday who had no money or valuables, but had a curious and interesting collection of the bills of fare of many hotels throughout the country. He was evidently posted on what constituted a good meal.

The BEE office has added to its decorations a life size portrait of Gen. Grant, hand painted. Everybody should have one of these beautiful pictures for memorial decorations. The price is $2.50, and they can be procured at H. P. Niles, 110 Main street, or at Bushnell's.

To-night Stephen A. Douglass at opera house.

John Maher is to have his case inquired into by Judge Aylesworth this afternoon. It is claimed that Maher was so full of fighting whisky that he tried to slug one of his fancied enemies with a stone, but did not do the David act very well, and got laid in the cooler.

P. C. Ratchford one of the employes at the transfer, has been called upon to mourn the loss of his little babe, aged only two weeks, who died yesterday morning. The funeral will take place at the family residence, No. 1619 Ninth avenue this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

In the work on the Indian creek sewer a difference has arisen between the city city council and the contractor, and not being able to agree the points of difference have been referred to Judge Aylesworth as arbitrator, and he listened to the statements of the parties yesterday afternoon.

John Cook, who works at the transfer, had fresh trouble with his wife on Monday night and was placed in the cooler. Yesterday morning the matter was examined into, and it appears that she had slapped him and he had then choked her, and as both seemed to blame and both seemed willing to try and live together in peace, the judge let them go with some good advice as to settling domestic difficulties.

The new jail will be ready for the plasterers next week, and will be ready for occupancy by the first of September. Some steps should be taken at once to provide sewerage, and as a cesspool will have to be temporarily provided, this work will have to be started soon, if it is to be done by the time the jail is completed. Supervisor Kirkwood was in the city yesterday, and was considering the matter.

Samuel I. DeForest, of Earling, was in the city yesterday in company with Miss Mary A. Nevills, of the same place, and through the ministrations of Rev. Father McMenomy, the two were happily joined as husband and wife. The happy couple were accompanied by R. Daniels and wife, of Earling, and together they made a merry party at the Pacific, and left on the evening train for home.

From the reports of the state geologist, backed up by close analysis and expert testimony, it appears that the soil found in the bluffs is almost identical with the celebrated Loess soil of the Rhine, which has made the grapes of that part of the world so famous. There is no doubt but that this can be made likewise a famous section for grapes, for the conditions of soil are not surpassed even by the grape region of the Rhine, while the climatic conditions are quite favorable.

Robert England, who has been at work at the Pacific house for a short time, yesterday pitched on to the head waiter, George Harter, and the two had a lively time for a few minutes back of the hotel. England got a clip on the side of the head which caused the blood to flow freely, and both got arrested, and will have a hearing this morning. From what could be learned it appeared that it was a rather unprovoked assault on Harter, who has the reputation of being very quiet and peaceable, and never having trouble of this sort with anyone.

DRESSED KIDS.

They Array Themselves with Stolen Watches and then Start for Omaha.

Yesterday afternoon the police arrested two boys, giving their names as Harry Evans and Charles Cameron, the former being about twelve years of age, and the latter not over nine. The boys were charged with stealing three gold watches at the store of Mrs. Davis, on Broadway. It seems that the boys had managed to slip an outside show case around in such a manner as to give them access to the door of the case, which they opened, took out the watches, and skipped away. They were found taking the dummy for Omaha, and as they were arrested, one of the boys dropped one of the watches out of the car window, but it was soon found. On being searched at the station another of the gold watches was found on a smaller boy, who had ingeniously hidden it in his pantaloon leg, in such a manner that it almost escaped the fingers of the officers. This little fellow seemed to be sharp and nervy, far beyond his years, and did not flinch a bit, but took the proceedure as coolly as though he had been used to such scenes and experiences. The older boy broke down and cried, but neither would say much about the matter, beyond the fact that they belonged in Omaha. A silver watch was found on the older boy, but he insisted this belonged to his father. There were also found on the boys some rings, two watch chains, and some trinkets. Word was sent over to Omaha to see if they had friends or relatives there.

Fine new selections of 50 cent music books, also choice selections of 5 and 10 cent music at Mueller's, 103 Main street.

GETTING WILD.

Another Cemetery Suit Started Against the City.

The investigation of the cemetery matter bringing out the fact that the city has for years owned what is known as the potter's field, and that the cemetery association is not the owner of that part of the grounds, those who are fighting the cemetery commenced another action yesterday, this time against the city, asking for an injunction to prevent the further use of the potter's field. Some idea may be gained of the fierceness and desperation of these men, by their petition, in which statements are made which cannot seem but ridiculous to those who have inspected the cemetery, or who are knowing to the facts. The petition claims the following startling assertions:

"That there is within said cemetery grounds a tract of land used and occupied as a potters field for the burial of dead paupers, who die with infections and other diseases. That there are innumerable interments therein of such persons; that they are huddled together indiscriminately; that in some cases they are not buried over eighteen inches deep; that attempts have been made by the sexton of said cemetery to bury paupers therein on top of each other; that said grounds are permitted to be and unkept and unprovided for. That the waters are allowed to run over and into said graves, wash the dirt therefrom and expose the coffins and corpses of some of the bodies therein."

Dr. Wiles, Eye, Ear and Throat specialist, 5 Everett block.

ALL ABOUT AVOCA.

An Irate Son-in-Law Pounds the Old Man.

AVOCA, Iowa, July 27.—On Saturday evening, Thomas Schneider, a carpenter, had some difficulty with his father-in-law, Gotfeild Nogle, an old man of sixty-six years, knocking him down, for which he was arrested. He pleading guilty, was fined five dollars and costs.

It is rumored that the first of August will bring about a change in the banking house of J. W. and E. W. Davis. The institution to be incorporated and C. N. Voss, of the Centennial mills, to go in as cashier. In connection with the above rumor it is stated that the Hon. E. W. Davis will severe his connection with the bank and that he will soon go to Minneapolis, where he will go into business.

Mrs. J. C. Hetzel and daughter May who have been visiting in St. Louis for the past seven weeks returned Saturday evening, bringing her niece Miss Effie Johana and friend, Mrs. Baker, who will visit here a short time.

Mrs. E. Cook went to Des Moines this morning for a short visit.

The two story brick of G. Diederich is nearly completed, making the nicest store room in our city, with pleasant rooms for offices in the second story.

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SUSPICIOUS FELLOWS.

Officer Kirk Gets Onto a Brace of Them, But One Flies With a Bullet in His Arm.

Yesterday morning two young men were noticed trying to sell some pocket knives at the Union Avenue hotel, and they giving appearances of being crooks, Officer Kirk arrested them, but one made a break and took to his heels, making lively time towards the transfer. The officer turned the other one over to a stranger standing there and put out after him. After calling to him to stop and not being obeyed, the officer fired at him three times, and the last shot the fellow's arm dropped, as if hit, he fell a little backwards, and his hat fell off, but he rallied and away he sped, and was soon lost sight of on the bottoms. The officer thinks he hit the fellow. The other suspect was taken in charge by Deputy Marshal Bates, the stranger holding him till his arrival, and was taken to the police station, where he gave his name as Henry M. Grover. There were found upon him twenty-one new pocket knives, a revolver and some smaller articles. He would say nothing about himself, and this strengthened the suspicion that the goods were stolen somewhere, and he was held to await further investigation.

BOTHERED WITH BRIDGES.

While Litigations Drag, Our Streets are Liable to Blockade.

The bridges of the city seem to be causing much trouble, and more trouble is threatened. The bridge at Seventh street is not being used, because the county will not accept it, claiming it is not according to contract, and it promises to remain as an obstruction, and worse than no bridge at all, while the matter drags drearily along in the courts. Now more trouble is threatened about the Broadway bridge, across the creek. The Oakaloosa company has injoined Raymond & Campbell from going ahead with that bridge, and is proceeding to put in a bridge despite the county which has annulled the contract which was made some time ago with the Oakaloosa company. This bridge may be placed in controversy, and travel on Broadway cut off. The mayor was yesterday consulting with the city attorney, to determine what the city should do to protect its rights.

A Grand Excursion.

Arrangements have been made for a grand excursion to Colfax, on Thursday, July 30th, leaving Council Bluffs at 9:25, and arriving there in the afternoon, with leave for the excursionists to leave for home at any time they may choose. The fare for the round trip has been placed at $4.95. This gives the people of this vicinity an excellent opportunity to visit this popular and pleasant resort, and to have a merry time with very little expense. Those desiring further particulars can obtain them by calling at the ticket office, No. 507 Broadway, or by addressing S. S. Stevens, general agent Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, Council Bluffs.

PERSONAL.

A. M. Beardsley is reported as being on the sick list.

Miss Sophy Murphy, of Hartington, Neb., is a guest of the Misses Paschel.

Robert Kirkwood, chairman of the county board of supervisors, was in the city yesterday.

F. M. Gault, agent of the Wabash, started last evening for the east, expecting to meet his wife in Detroit.

Charles Craig and Miss Alma Craig, of Oskaloosa, are in the city, visiting James Craig, their uncle.

Dr. West, dentist, over BEE office.

Substantial abstract of title and real estate loans. J. W. and E. L. Squires, 102 Pearl street.

Tight Fitting Clothes.

The tailoring and gents' furnishing goods establishment of W. D. Hardin, on Broodway, was seized yesterday on attachments of creditors. One attachment was in favor of J. N. Cassady, on a claim of about $6,635. Another was in favor of Gallup, DeGraot & Co., eastern creditors, claiming $500, and the third was a landlord's writ for rent due McGeeseman, $600. It is said that the stock will hardly reach over $2,000, and the total assets not over $3,000.

Read Judd & Smith's offer o $1,000 w in another column.

Wants a Settlement.

All persons indebted to me and those to whom I am indebted, will please call for a settlement of accounts *before* August 1st, as on that date I shall retire from business.

MRS. S. P. JONES, Milliner,
No. 14 Main street.

Tremendous Success.

The man who makes the Hardman piano is a hardman to beat. The Mueller Music Co., 103 Main street, only sold seventeen since June 1st.

IOWA ITEMS.

The Grand Lodge of the colored Masons of Iowa are in session at Keokuk.

The Burlington Hawkeye came out Tuesday morning under new management.

Creston's boat crew is composed of six young ladies, "just to sweet for anything."

The Louisa county poor house contains six children, from 5 to 12 years old, for whom homes are wanted.

Storm Lake reports a decrease in the number of saloons and a corresponding decrease in drunkenness and crime, as a result of the prohibitory law.

The now notorious Sprelman pension case of Fairfield, is involving a number of theretofore reputable business men in its crooked and perjured meshes.

The wife of Rev. John Light, of New Boston, an aged lady, was struck by a freight train Thursday evening as she was crossing the track and instantly killed.

William Shaeffer, a Davenport machinist, after notifying several friend of his determination to commit suicide, took a dose of arsenic and passed in his checks on Friday.

Mrs Hannah Cutile, a widow of fifty-seven, took a dose of strychnine in Des Moines, Saturday, mistaking it for quinine, and died before the nature of her sickness was known.

Up in Maquoketa last week, Mary Shubbuck, a young lady who had soiled her good name, was married to John Riggs, a well-to-do farmer from Adams county, from whom, the Sentinel says, she required the conveyance of half of his estate before the the nuptial knot was tied.

An expose of a swindle of considerable dimensions is promised from Ida county. The Maple Valley bank, of Ida Grove, has recently received for collection from a St. Louis bank a large number of notes against farmers in that locality, none of whom have any knowledge of ever signing the paper referred to, which has the appearance of having been printed after the signature was secured.

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE.—Special advertisements, such as Lost Found, 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 insertion. Leave advertisements at our office, No. 1 Street, near Broadway

WANTS.

FOR RENT—House No. 411 North Eighth street, 5 rooms, cistern, house raised and lot filled. In good repair.

FOR RENT—House No. 132 Harrison street. 3 rooms, convenient, and in good repair.

FOR RENT—House No 248 Scott street, three minutes walk from Pacific house, 4 rooms, good well, cistern, etc. McMahon & Co., 4 Pea l street.

FOR SALE—An elegant Wisconsin summer resort, 250 acres, 100 tillable, railway station and steamboat landing; frame house for homestead; pavillion, wine cellars, restaurant, ice house, tenement house, four cottages, barn, 300 fruit trees, 3 acres grapes, cow, horses, 13 boats, etc. A fine resort, 100 feet above Wisconsin river, and 120 feet above Barahoo. It will pay $5,000 a year. Address W. & S., BEE office, Council Bluffs.

FOR SALE—Lands improved and unimproved. If you want a farm in western Iowa, Kansas Nebraska or Dakota, let us hear from you.
SWAN & WALKER.

FOR SALE—Houses, Lots and Land. A. J Stephenson, 503 First avenue.

TO EXCHANGE—B. 6, b 9, b 10, b 13, are hotels in different locations for sale or for trade.

B 188, special bargain; 400 a improved farm worth $18,000, price for a short time $16,000, will trade for low priced Western lands. Swan & Walker.

B 201, saddlery Hardware manufacturing establishment stock and machinery, value $7,000, for western land Swan & Walker, Council Bluffs.

B 203, stock of dry goods, groceries and hardware, value, $5,000, in an good eastern Nebraska town or land. Swan & Walker.

B 204, stock of general merchandise in a good western Iowa town, value 4,000, wants an improved farm in western Iowa. Swan & Walker.

B 205, stock of hardware in Stuben Co., Indiana, for land, value about $4,000. Swan & Walker.

B 206, new stock of hardware in a live Nebraska town for land, value $3,000. Swan & Walker.

B 207, stock of agricultural implements and shelf hardware, value about 5,000, wants a good improved farm. Swan & Walker.

B 209, a $10,000 stock of clothing in a good Wisconsin city, ⅔ in lands and balance cash or improved security. Beautiful store room at low rent. Swan & Walker.

B 210, stock of mixed hardware in a live western Iowa town for cheap lands, value $6,000. Swan & Walker.

B 211, fine brick block, rents well, in a live central Iowa town one room occupied with general stock of goods, wants an improved farm, value; building 13,000, goods $7,000. Swan & Walker.

B 212 stock of boots, shoes hats, caps and clothing valued $3,000, in one of the best towns in Neb., valued $3,000 for lands. Swan & Walker.

B 213, a $3,000 stock of clothing, wants land in North Western Iowa, for $6,000, and will pay difference. Swan & Walker.

B 214, an $8,000 stock of drugs in central Iowa for land. Swan & Walerr.

B 215, another stock of drugs value from $500 to $700 with store building and lot value $800 in a good Nebraska town wants partly improved land. Swan & Walker.

For full particulars, write to or call upon Swan & Walker. If you want to sell, buy, or trade anything, tell S. & W. about it. Swan & Walker, Council Bluffs Iowa.

Railway Time Table.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

The following are the times of the arrival and departure of trains by central standard time, at the local depots. Trains leave transfer depot ten minutes earlier and arrive ten minutes later.

DEPART.		ARRIVE.
	CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN.	
9:25 A M	Mail and Express	6:50 P M
12:40 P M	Accommodation	4:50 P M
5:30 P M	Express	9:05 A M
	CHICAGO AND ROCK ISLAND.	
9:25 A M	Mail and Express	6:53 P M
7:25 A M	Accommodation	6:15 P M
5:30 P M	Express	9:00 A M
	CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL.	
9:20 A M	Mail and Express	6:50 P M
5:25 P M	Express	9:05 A M
	CHICAGO, BURLINGTON AND QUINCY.	
9:50 A	Mail and Express	7:10 P M
3:0 P	Accommodation	2:00 P M
:45 P	Express	8:50A M
	WABASH, ST. LOUIS AND PACIFIC.	
2:15 P M	Local St. Louis Express Local	—
3:00 P M	Transfer " " Transfer	3:20 P M
	KANSAS CITY, ST. JOE AND COUNCIL BLUFFS.	
10:05 A M	Mail and Express	6:40 P M
8:15 P M	Express	6:25 A M
	SIOUX CITY AND PACIFIC.	
7:20 A M	Mail for Sioux City	6:50 P M
7:30 P M	Express for St Paul	9:25 A M
	UNION PACIFIC.	
11:00 A M	Denver Express	4:35 P M
1:05 P M	Lincoln Pass O'a & R V	2:35 P M
7:55 P M	Overland Express	8:30 A M

DUMMY TRAINS TO OMAHA.

Leave Council Bluffs — 6:55—7:55—9:30—10:30—11:40 a. m. 1:30—2:30—3:30—4:28—5:25—6:25—11:45 p. m. Leave Omaha—6:25—7:25—8:50—10—11:15 a. m. 12:50—2:00—3:00—4:00—4:55—5:55