

THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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Minor Mentions.

Reiter, the tailor, for fall goods. The police made ninety-eight arrests in the month of October.

Justice Friday yesterday tried the first trial of the case of Frank A. Korkley, of Omaha, and Sarah P. Stone, of Sioux City.

Vote for Dr. F. P. Bellinger for coroner.

Permission to marry was given yesterday to Benjamin Anderson and Mathias J. Walters, both of this county.

This city is to have a new weekly paper, "The Council Bluffs Bee." It promises to be more weekly than a good horse.

Vote for Dr. F. P. Bellinger for coroner.

The excavation of Bryant street commenced yesterday and the laying of blocks will commence to-day or to-morrow.

Chris Straub is getting along well with his large new building on Main street. He expects to have the tin roof on by Thursday.

Vote for Dr. F. P. Bellinger for coroner.

Chief Skinner and Officers Tavis, Shields and Cosick now form the day police force, and Officers Austin, Kirby, O'Brien, Smullen and Captain Walters make up the night force.

Mr. Kremer, of the Colorado house, now mourns the loss of a watch and chain and several small articles of less value, and expects a discharged employe of going through the house.

A farm house in Hardin township, owned by Alderman Shogart, and occupied by John Jenkins, took fire at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and burned up with all its contents. The family escaped. Damage, \$300; insurance, \$300.

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The new Episcopal church is assuming form and comeliness, and as the roof goes on the building begins to show up for what it is one of the handsomest churches in Iowa.

The catholic citizens have been greatly exercised about the record of Judge Whiting on the matter of taxing church property, and called a meeting last night to talk over the matter, many insisting that they would not vote for him because of his opposition to the church.

Vote for Dr. F. P. Bellinger for coroner.

Mr. Maxon, the architect, has just completed plans for a new brick business block to be built in Walnut by J. B. Johnson, who has already made some of the best building improvements in Council Bluffs. The new building will probably cost \$5,000 or \$6,000.

William Lathrop and Charles Pillsbury were last evening thrown out of their buggy and Pillsbury's right hand was badly bruised. A fine race between Pillsbury in reaching over the dashboard broke it and fell. The horses then became frightened and Lathrop also was thrown out and somewhat bruised.

Yesterday all the employes about the transfer were being measured for uniforms, the order having gone forth that all the employes should be arrayed in official garments and wear badges. The new suits are to be made by some St. Louis house, and are to cost \$2, and the men are given three months in which to pay for them. Blue is to be the color, with the usual insignia of rank.

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The BEE made a brief announcement of the death of Louis H. Brisson, a young man well known in Macedonia. It first appears that the cause of his sudden death was that he was off on a trip purchasing land, and was exposed to a storm from which he caught a severe cold, and not being in rugged health he sank very rapidly, and only reached home on Friday he was buried Friday under the auspices of Rugby Lodge, A. F. and A. M. He was aged twenty-five years.

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The Home steam laundry is now open for the transaction of business. The machinery being brand new and of the latest improved pattern, we can guarantee good work, equal to eastern laundries. The ironing department is under the supervision of a Chicago lady, who is equalled by few and excelled by none. Work called for and delivered free. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Telephone No. 158. We solicit a trial of our laundry work. Geo. W. Schindele & Co., No. 510 Broadway.

A few days ago a carload of new voters were brought to the campaign, and under the guidance of an attorney lately converted to democracy. The excursionists all became citizens before their return, taking out their second papers in the superior court. It is said that the singular discovery has been made that of between twenty and thirty of these new citizens, nearly all made affidavit that they had taken out their first papers a few days ago, but had lost them. The proportion of those who had lost their first papers to those who had them, was so large that the matter has attracted some attention and caused some talk.

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Council Bluffs is much livelier than some would imagine who listen to none but the croakers, who are everlastingly howling about the city going to the bows. With paying going on in several parts of the city, a high force of men at work on sewers, a little army working on the new bridge, another force on the new court house, preparations being made for a large force on the new government building, and the number of private improvements being made, Council Bluffs shows evidences of prosperity and growth not to be found in any other city in Iowa. The most the city needs is to get rid of a few chronic croakers, and maintain confidence of the citizens themselves in themselves and their chances.

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Politics occupied the time and attention of many yesterday. All the active participants in the campaign were engaged in putting on the finishing touches of war paint for the fight to-day at the polls. The only exciting incident, and in that there was no more spilled, was the street meeting of Perry Reed and Phil Armour, the two candidates for the general election. Reed, in contrast to his general men, was very much excited about a report that Armour was telling to the effect that he (Reed) had worked against the court house, and was not friendly to this charge, and was quite wrought up about it. It was the first indication that he was deficient in coming election, and the prospect of disappointment seemed to irritate him.

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Finest display of meershaum and smokers' goods for holiday gifts. T. D. King & Co., Cigars and Tobaccos, 513 Broadway.

The very latest New York styles received weekly at M. O. A. Rogers.

RUSHING THE RAILROADING.

Fifteen Hundred Cars Crowd The Transfer Yards.

THE BATTLE AT THE POLLS.

An Interesting Report of the Y. M. C. A.—Recent Events—Foundation of the New Court House.

A Rush at the Transfer.

Business at the freight transfer in this city is heavier than it has been in a long while past, and the number of cars arriving at this point is greater than most people would think. Three engines are kept busy day and night to handle the immense number of cars at this point, but with seemingly little effect, as the place of the cars which are disposed of is soon refilled by others from either the east or west.

On Sunday evening at 8 o'clock 1,500 cars were lying in the yards waiting to be switched, and in all probability a large number of these remain waiting, as with heavy strings continually being pushed into the yards from the east and west it is almost impossible to handle the work with so few engines.

This is the way a great many cars get lost, as the consignee thinks, and starts out "tracers" for his goods, only to find them some day long gone.

Since the competing roads have increased in number in Nebraska, or at least since there has been so many competing points on the line, business at the transfer has been completely reorganized, inasmuch as now every possible bill of goods is loaded "straight" all the way from the east, and is pushed over the bridge with all possible speed, not now necessitating a transfer to Union Pacific cars, as was the habit some time ago.

One of the reasons for such a rush of business is caused by the troubles in the coal regions of the west, and a large amount of the business handled here is transferred to the coal regions of the west, in connection with the winter rush of commercial business.

Be sure and ask your grocer for the bread made at the Baker's bakery, No. 223 Main street. It is the very best made. Try it and be convinced.

Prepare Your Ballots.

The following have been selected as the judges and clerks of election to-day: First ward—Western house, Judges, N. W. Williams, Alex. Glen, G. Holmes; clerks, Vic Jennings, R. T. Bryant.

Second ward—No. 556 Broadway, Do-han's opera house, Judges, S. S. Keller, C. E. Stone, A. C. Rhoadbeck; clerks, W. L. Frank, K. E. Connor.

Third ward—No. 365 Main street, Nor-ris & Landstrom's old stand, Judges, R. Huntington, Sr., E. Rosencrans, E. Britton; clerks, J. L. Calhoun, H. P. Warren.

Fourth ward—No. 503 First avenue, H. H. Oberholzer's office, Judges, Henry Paschel, M. D. Grant, E. A. Becker; clerks, C. H. Gilmore, E. B. Bowman.

The polls are to open at 2 o'clock and close at 6 o'clock. The judges and clerks are expected to report for duty an hour before the opening of the polls.

Ed Wright, stenographer, 551 Mills street, Announces his work. Type writer, copying and reporting.

An Interesting Report.

The following is the third quarterly report of the Young Men's Christian association of this city, from August 1, to November 1, 1885:

It gives us pleasure to report another quarter of untiring work in our association. One of the greatest steps taken was the organization of a boy's branch. This band of bright little fellows meet each Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The first half hour is spent in the gymnasium where all exercise in class. This is done systematically with a view of developing the boys physically. At the end of the first half hour, all go into the parlour where the next is spent with the leaders talking over some current topics, some practical lessons on some Bible study. One week the life of Grant was reviewed, another the proposed new bridge was discussed. An evening was spent in telling different things men do, another in "difficult things we do." As bible lessons, we have had the lives of Joseph and Daniel, and a history of Noah's time. There is a great field opened for successful work among boys and we expect to cultivate the field as best we can.

The usual lines of work, as set forth in our other reports, we have continued to follow.

The rooms over the savings bank, corner Main street and Broadway, are centrally located and have become a pleasant resort to men. Some who have cheerful homes come often that they may encourage and stimulate those who live in boarding places and have none of the home comforts.

Strangers in the city seek out our rooms that they may gain such information as arrival and departure of trains, connections made, location of churches, public buildings, places of interest, boarding houses, furnished rooms, etc.

The gymnasium is much more commodious than at the old place, and from ten to thirty persons can exercise at a time without interfering with each other.

We hope to be able at an early date to add some necessary attractions to the parlour and social rooms, then we will be better prepared and receive and entertain any young man who desires to spend his evenings in good company.

Two fine entertainments were given, one by Miss Nellie Hatcher, of this city, the other by the McGibeny family, of Portland, Oregon. These were both well attended, but owing to heavy expenses, netted little for us.

The twentieth annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. of the state of Iowa, recently held at Davenport, the secretary represented the association, taking part in the discussions and presented papers upon different phases of the work.

We expect greater things in the future than in the past. The work is taking a more definite shape. The importance of reaching individual young men is plainly manifest in the minds of many of the members, and they are striving toward that end.

We extend our most hearty thanks to all who have aided us in any manner, and would be honored if them the same interest as heretofore.

HARRY CURTIS.

Every one buying 25 cents worth of T. D. King & Co., has a chance, free, in the great drawing, December 24.

Lamps cheap at Homer's, 23 Main St.

A Sure Foundation.

The work on the foundation of the new court house is being watched with much interest, as all feel that it is very important that so large a building, located on that site, must have the very best possible foundation. Piles are being driven, and upon these is placed a mass of broken rock cemented together with concrete, making a broad and thick bed almost equal to solid rock. It does not seem that the present foundation plan could be bettered. The piles are driven twenty-four feet. That care is needed

and extra precaution necessary is evident from the character of the soil, which is shown in the drying of these piles. With a hammer weighing 3,380 pounds, falling 38 feet, a pile is easily driven two feet each blow. The work is progressing well, and is being watched by many citizens, who are well satisfied that whatever the future may reveal, the foundation to the new court house is solid and sure.

Correct Abstracts of Title and Real Estate Loans at McMahon & Co's, No. 4 Pearl street.

For hardware and house furnishings at prices of Cooper & McGee, No. 41 Main street.

City Finances.

The monthly reports of the city fathers were presented to the council last evening. The auditor presented the following showing of the warrants issued and bills allowed during the month of October, and the amount of warrants issued and bills allowed by this council from March 16 to November 1, for ordinary city purposes, including such expenditures as come under the head of special assessments:

General fund warrants for October, \$ 4,989 20
Public fund warrants for October, 1,293 83
Total, \$ 6,283 03

The following are the ordinary expenses for October:

October, Year.
Bridges, \$ 611 00, \$ 697 25
Police, 883 82, 977 63
Printing, 147 85, 1,153 97
Parks, 419 03, 1,290 00
City hall, 1,290 00, 1,290 00
Engineer department, 234 83, 2,014 00
Damages, etc., 473 60, 1,543 00
Fire department, 288 08, 6,183 88
General fund proper, 529 33, 3,332 43
Grading, 2,015 99, 2,015 91
Streets and alleys, 2,015 99, 10,853 01

F. A. BENKE, City Auditor.

The city clerk also reports the following as the receipts of his office for October:

Permits, \$ 4 00
Licenses, 1,320 23
City criminal, 69 42
Civil cases, 25 25
Bond and fee, 21 10
Naturalization, 46 00
Total, \$1,806 27

Picot Ribbons in the latest colors at Mrs. Rogers.

The Merry Thinkers.

The Merry Thinkers met last evening at the home of Miss Emma Beebe and had a very enjoyable time. The following programme was provided:

Essay—"The American Poets of the Nineteenth Century."—Mr. Hazleton.
Recitation of the "Lionel Lincoln"—Miss Lizzie Millard.
"Selections from Bryant"—Mr. W. B. Souther.
Instrumental Music—Miss Lu Millard.
"Selections from Whitier"—Miss Marie Oberholzer.
Song—Miss Emma Beebe.
Discussion—"Was Bryant a Greater Poet and Man than Whitier?"—Affirmative—Miss Sophie and Mr. George D. Rice. Negative—Miss Anna Oberholzer and Mr. Elmer Steacy.
General discussion of authors.

If you wish to make legitimately from ten to fifty dollars per day write to Judd & Smith, No. 31 Fourth street, Council Bluffs.

Substantial abstracts of title and real estate loans, J. W. & E. L. Squire, 101 Pearl street.

A Worthless Husband.

Mrs. Barbara E. Hibbs has commenced an action for divorce from her husband, John J. Hibbs, to whom she says she was married in Camden, N. J., April 30, 1885. She claims that when she married him she did not know he was in the habit of getting drunk, but that she soon found it out, and that he was not only a habitual drunkard, but that when drunk he was very abusive and cruel to her. He had assaulted her, even when she had a little babe in her arms, and was arrested and fined for the assault. She claims that she is entitled to her freedom from the matrimonial bonds and the custody of the child.

WANTED—Wheat, corn and oats in carlots. Liberal advances made on all consignments, by J. Y. Fuller, Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Omaha, Neb.

For everything in the grocery line give the new firm of Kintz & Kleeb, 142 Broadway, a trial. Everything new and fresh. Fancy groceries a specialty.

Fell Thirty Feet.

W. J. Russell, a carpenter, while at work on Mr. Farnsworth's house on Eighth street yesterday, made a mis-step and fell from the top to the bottom, a distance of about thirty feet, his fall being partly broken by his striking against the joists on the second floor. How he managed to escape serious injury is a mystery. His face was badly scratched and somewhat bruised, and one of his legs was hurt, but no bones broken and no injuries received serious enough to prevent his walking home.

Cottage ranges, Garland stoves, Radiant heaters and Hub heaters of the very latest patterns at bed rock prices, at Cooper & McGee's, No. 41 Main street.

Personal Paragraphs.

S. G. Underwood was in the city yesterday.

D. M. Anderson, of Sioux City, was at the Pacific yesterday.

M. I. Brown and wife, of Fallerton, Neb., were at the Ozden yesterday.

Dr. C. B. Judd has returned from a business trip in eastern Iowa and northern Kansas.

John T. Cheney, the popular Sioux City hotel man, was in the city yesterday and dined at the Ogden.

Mr. Horace Everett returned yesterday with his family from the east. He has been spending a month in his old Vermont home, and has rejuvenated by delightful trips among the mountain scenery. Mr. Leonard Everett remains for a short time longer in New York.

Frank A. Shepard, who was formerly in the employ of Harkness Bros. of this city, but lately a resident of North Platte, Neb., returned to this city on Sunday morning with a heavy touch of malaria, and now lies at the residence of his sister, C. S. Shepard, of First avenue, dosing himself with quinine.

The City Council.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last night. The auditor was instructed hereafter to present no bills except those filed twenty-four hours before the meeting.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance punishing parties taking dirt from the banks of the sewer ditch.

Foot passageways were ordered built on the Seventh street bridge.

Seventh street was ordered graded from Myester street to Broadway.

The resolution passed at the meeting ordering Pearl street paved, was rescinded.

Bas street was ordered brought to grade.

The appointment of John Templeton

as assistant chief of the fire department, and the appointment of Charles Nicholson as driver of No. 1, were approved.

A resolution to close the saloons on Sunday was laid over until after the election.

A number of streets in the Third ward were ordered filled.

The council then adjourned until next Monday evening.

When you find United States Senators and Congressmen, singly endorsing Real Estate, Council Bluffs, you may rest assured that they have had satisfactory personal experience of its virtue.

The count to-night will be necessarily slow and tedious, as there is every indication that there will be a good deal of scratching of tickets, on both sides, especially in regard to local candidates. There is every indication that the republicans will be gamblers, however, on the scratching. For shortly Phil Armour will receive an enthusiastic support, not only of his own party, but also of many not of his political faith. Col. Sapp, who is being elected to the place rather than receive honor from it, will also secure many democratic votes, as with all his republican enthusiasm, he is a broad built man, who will legislate for the best interests of all, and in the coming session there is a special necessity for this county to be represented by men of experience and influence. On the other hand, Col. Keaty will receive a goodly number of republican votes here. From personal reasons, and not because of any opposition to Mr. Hake, who is as good and true a man as the republicans could name for the position. On the other nomination, it will be pretty straight work, comparatively, and the republicans feel confident, and with apparent good reason, of electing the entire county ticket.

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. 12 Pearl street, near Broadway.

WANTED—A German butcher. Good wages and steady job to good man. Address or call for P. B. Bee office, Council Bluffs.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; No. 100 Banner street.

FOR SALE OR RENT OR EXCHANGE.

No. 52—For sale or rent, on very liberal terms, the Council Bluffs Paper Mill company, with the large boarding house and three acres of ground.

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No. 54—A good business property and also a good residence property in the town of Cheyenne, Cheyenne county, Iowa, with a small farm in Dickinson county, Iowa, and a large tract of timbered land in Nebraska.

No. 55—A fine two story brick residence, one of the best locations in Council Bluffs, with a well improved lot, Kansas or Nebraska land, and a few other beautiful homes in Council Bluffs, which each payment will buy a lot of land.

No. 56—A beautiful tract of land in Iowa City, Iowa, will exchange for western lands. Value, \$10,000.

The above are only a few of our special bargains. We have several good articles of goods to trade for lands. SW & E. L. Squire, 101 Pearl street, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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