# THE OMAHA DAILY BEE, MONDAY JANUARY 4, 1886.

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THE DAILY BEE PRACTICAL LOVE MAKING. COUNCIL BLUFFS. A Farmer Meets, Woos and Wells His Bride All in One Day. MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 4. OFFICE: No. 12 Fearl Street. Delivered by carrier in any part of the city at twenty cents per week. H, W, TH.TON, - - Manager.

Court-Witnesses Who "Forgot" Items About the Bluffs.

### The First "Progressive" Tea.

Those favored with invitations to the progressive tea and euchre party," given by Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baldwin, Friday evening, were on the tip-toe of ex-The county board of supervisors meet pectancy, there having been nothing of The snow storm interfered with street the nature of this entertainment given before in this city. The curiosity was Regular monthly meeting of the city only satisfied, but the expectancy of rare enjoyment more than realized. The The Presbyterian pews are to be rented affair was one of the most brilliant and elegant which ever interested the social Most of the trains arrived on time from circles of Council Bluffs. There There were only eighty-six arrests in was about seventy-five in the company. The residence, No. 114 South Sixth street is one of the most luxuriously furnished homes in the December, as shown by the police record. The new national bank, bearing the name of the city, conimenced business Saturday. city, and the interior furnishings are in rare good taste. This night, brilliantly lighted, and the parlors filled with so gay Permit to wed has been granted to C. M. Thompson and Miss Marie C. S. Sora gathering, the scene was one of beauty indeed. The first portion of the evening Next Friday evening the Royal Arcanum was spent in progressive euchre. Mrs. D. W. Bushnell won the first prize among the ladies, it being an artistic specimen of the porteing specimen to be a specimen is to give a social in its hall, for the mem-There will be an adjourned meeting of Fidelity Council No. 156, R. A., Monday evening. D All officers elect are requested of the porcine species, a beautiful bisque. Miss Maria Phillips won the booby prize, a brass candlestick holding a decorated candle, lighted. Mr. Paddy White, who figures quite fre-quently in court, wants Justice Frainey F. W. Loomis won the gents' prize, a whisk broom in a bronze holder Mr. F. A. Conover took the booby prize for gents, it being a bottle of catsup, a hint F. W. to fine the old lady for playing the part of John L. Sullivan, the old man getting

the worst of it. The installation of the new officers of Abe Lincoln post G. A. R. will take place at Osborne post, in Bloom & Nix-on's hall, Monday night January 4. The public are invited to be present.

TELEPHONES.

MINOR MENTION.

Reiter, the tailor, for winter goods.

County offices change hands to day.

The public schools open to-day.

BURINESS OFFICE, No. 43.

NIGHT EDITOR, No. 23.

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to be present for installation.

There was a change in the distribution of the police force which went into effect yesterday. Capt. Williams and Officer Towns go on day duty, and Officers Brooks and Beswick go on night duty.

By a telegram from Leavenworth it appears that Ed. Tillman, who was supposed by some to have been the man killed by the cars here last Thursday, is alive and well, a resident of that city.

At the Congregational church yesterday morning there was an observance of the communion, and reception of new members. Seven were added to the rolls, four by profession of faith and three by letter

Fred Nugent, one of the brightest in the galaxy of the mayor's constellation, has laid down his policeman's billy to take up a pair of shears on the Des Moines Leader. Capt. Williams will succeed him on the beat.

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This is the week of prayer and will be observed in concert by the Baptist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches. The meeting this evening will be held in the Baptist church. Subject: "Praise and Thurkergings" and Thanksgiving."

Young Blakely, one of the three boys recently sent to the county jail for vagrancy, starts in the new year with a broken arm. While in his cell, as the great cylinder was being revolved, his albow stuck out too far, and being caught, his arm was thus broken.

Jailer Shontz has prepared to retire from the charge of the county's revolving jail to-day. He has served faithfully and well for four years. His successor, James O'Nell, will receive from him twenty-six prisoners. When Shontz came in he had but seven.

An account appeared in the BEE

HUGHES' DYING STATEMENT. The First Progressive Tea-Doings in

Who Shot Hughes - Various

for him to "ketch-up."

At 11 o'clock the refreshments were served, and here the novelty appeared of continuing the progressive element be continuing the progressive element be-yond the region of cards. Little tables were placed in position and six courses were served. Between each course the gentlemen "progressed," the ladies keeping their places. The gen-tlemen between each course moved to the next table, and so on, until after all courses were served they returned to their original corners. The courses were varid and elegant, it requiring about two hours to serve them all. First came oysters on the half shell, then cold turkey and olives and pickles, then sliced ham. ever to show goods. Pearl street. and olives and pickles, then sliced ham, coffee and hot rolls. The next course was of chicken salad, with bread cut in the shape of hearts and diamonds, a

false pretenses, was commenced and will be concluded to day. Rankie is the man who represented himself as a great Col-orado cattle dealer, and succeeded in happy conceit for such an oceasion, then came "mesro" pudding and cake, and the finishing course was frozen rum punca, served very temptingly in half borrowing a small amount of money at borrowing a small amount of money at Borrowing a small amount of money at Borrowing. Since the examination of the case has begun it appears that dur-ing the past few years he has succeeded in borrowing, on various pre-tenses, money from different Council Bluffs people, Mr. Gregory, Mr. Platner, and others. The several victims have kept rather close-mouthed about the way they were duped, but now that the fellow Every detail of this hospitable attention to the wants and wishes of the guests was marked by elegance and novelty. The guests were enthusiastic in their praise, and they could hardly have been otherand they could hardly have been other-wise. Among those who participated in the happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Pusey, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cory, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sapp, Dr. and Mrs. Macrae, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rice they were duped, but now that the fellow Sapp. Dr. and Mrs. Macrae, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Kice, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. G. Keeline, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kim-ball, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Champ, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gault, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conover, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. Horace Everett, Mrs. W. S. Ament of Kearney, Neb., Mrs. J. McCon-nell Mrs. Sketon Mrs. George T.

they were duped, but now that the fellow is put on trial, one after another of the victims speak out, and the revelations, following one upon another, cause much merriment. It is natural for a man to keep his shame to himself when he is victimized, but equally natural when one confesses his freshness for all the others to come to the front with frank statements.

The District Court.

What Williams Has Done. A specimen of business done lately by R. L. Williams, 18 North Main street, Council Bluffs, and who also has a branch office at 1111 Farnam street, Omaha: Water motors sold to Chicago meat

run sausage n

week ago of the death of Ralph Potter, a brother of Mrs. S. M. Hayt, of the People's store, at Waverly, Iowa. Mrs. Hayt returned from Waverly on Satur-day morning and says that death was caused by an overdose of laudanum, taken by mistake. He was 20 years of age; was in the cattle business with his older brother, and was an exemplary young man with a promising future.

Be sure and ask your grocer for the bread made at Smith & Loerke's bakery, No. 523 Main street. It is the very best made. Try it and be convinced.

Having put in a complete new stock of clothing, furnishing goods, hats, cans, etc., Fox & Hughes, No. 915 Main street, invite the public to give them a trial. Their expenses are small and they can and do sell cheap.

All kinds of interior drapings, cornice poles, shades, etc., the very cheapest in the west at E. Stockert & Co's.

## Practical Cupid.

A few days ago Mr. Christian M Tomeson, who has a large farm near Mineola, came to this city and interviewed some of his friends on the ques-tion of matrimony. He explained the situation in a very common sense way, to the effect that he was old enough to marry, and had a good home to which to take a wife. In fact he ought to get married, but he knew no one to ask. He preferred a wife of his own nationality. One of his friends, knowing a worthy young woman, Maren C. Sorenson, who who was employed as a do-mestic in Mrs. Anderson's boarding house on North Main street, took him around there. The practical farmer watched the girl as she went about her work, and her appearance and the rep-resentations made of her character satis-fying him, he made quick work of it, His want of a wife was seconded by her want of a home, and a marriage license was procured at once. Justice Hend-ricks tied the knot and the farmer started for home with his quickly won bride. The couple looked as beaming as it they had been months consuming the old man's gas and coal in going through the several courses of sweetmeats of a regular courtship.

Best coal and wood in the city at Glea-son's, 26 Pearl street.

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

Try'John Templeton's "Rose" cigar.

For first class Missouri wood call on Gleason, at his coal office, 26 Pearl street.

For everything in the grocery line give the new firm of Kintz & Kleeb, 162 Broad-way, a trial Everything new and fresh. Fancy groceries a specialty.

#### Personal Paragraphs.

Personal Paragraphs. Mr. Raymond, of Raymond & Camp-bell, received another telegram yesterday from Fargo, bidding him come at once, as his brother, John B. Raymond, was not expected to live. J. B. Raymond was formerly a delegate to congress from Da-kota. He has been dangerously ill with typhoid pneumonia, but recovered some-what only to suffer a relapse which does away with all hope of his recovery. Mrs. Dr. Simons of Leadville who was

Mrs. Dr. Simons, of Leadville, who was called here by the death of Mrs. Mueller, has returned home.

Rev. J. F. McDowell this week is to visit Boone, where he is to have a public discussion with Rev. J. D. Pigg on the seventh day question, the discussion to last four days.

Money to loan on chattels, by Forres Smith, 130 Main street.

Nellie Sackett, Molhe Rice, Kate Pusey, Jessie Walker, Clara Bebbington, May Chapman, Lulu Jones, Marie Phillips, Carrie Stevens, Nellie Chapman, Nellie Robinson, Belle Hatcher, Lizzie Brown, Messrs, Fred Loomis, Ernest Hart, James Bowman, W. F. Sapp, jr., Henry Atkins, T. B. Baldwin, Leonard Everett, Richard Ryan, Charles Haas, George Brown, J. Ware Foster of Omaha, Jack Carrier same of Omaha, Frank Lawrence, Horace Evans, H. A. Woodbury.

nell, Mrs. Skeiton, Mrs. George T. Phelps, Misses Lou Loomis, Julia Officer,

Cottage ranges, Garland stoves Ra-diant Homes and Hub Heaters of the very latest patterns at bed rock prices, at Cooper & McGee's, No. 41 Main street. Goulden, for meat market, now occupied by Pace & Schmidt; W. W. Dearborn, for

For hardware and house furnishing get prices of Cooper & McGee, No. 41 Main street.

Reticence of Important Witnesses. The death of Hughes has put a still bills furnished for nearly every building put up during the last season, including more serious aspect to the case of "the skylight glass furnished to parties in Omaha and Lincoln, Nebraska major," who now lies in jail for having fired the shots. The grand jury has been Rooling done and slate furnished for Geo. W. Champ's new building; J. A. Miller's new dwelling; C. Geise, on malt examining into the case, but no indictment has been returned. Now the corhuner's new dworing, C. Gerse, on main house; new addition to Deaf and Dumb asylum; new schoolhouses, etc., besides furnishing by the carload to C. Specht and Raemping & Bolte, Omaha, and Ne-braska, Cornice, works, Lincoln, and oner's jury, consisting of M. B. Brown, M. H. Ferris and C. D. Walters, have been examining into it. A number of witnesses were examined Saturday afternoon and the inquest was continued yes-Union Pacific railroad, marble, iron and terday. The doctors testilied as to the character of the wounds. From most of the other witnesses ex-amined there was little to be learned. slate mantels to different parties; also a large quantity of the beautiful rolled ca thedral glass, now so generally used in dwellings, churches, etc. Since the beginning of the new year he has contracted with F. Grass to fornish The two most important witnesses George Gerspacher and James has contracted with F. Grass to formism one of the popular Kieckhofer elevators, for which he is the exclusive agent; also the plate glass front of the finest im-ported French plate for the alterations to be made in the building now occupied by D. Maltby, and has also contracted with forming & Schwarten to hold their O'Neil. The latter was the night clerk, and was in the office when the "major" be-gan shooting at Hughes. He ought to be able to tell a good deal about the affair, but yesterday he was not to be found and the common report was that he had skipped from the city. He is a mere boy, and it looks as if some undue influence had been brought to bear upon him. Groneweg & Schoentgen to light their new office with the Chicago incandescent gas light, also Phonix saloon. J. K. De Haven's drug store and other places. Fine wire work, for office of J. W. Rode-George Gerspacher was expected to tell all about it, as he was there through it all. Right after the tragedy he gave the BEE man quite full particulars about the af-fair, as did also O'Neil, but when brought fer, L. Kirscht & Co., Council Biuffswater works and Groneweg & Shoentgen's new office. Illuminated tile, etc., for C. Straub's new building. New show cases for J. C. DeHaven, L. D. Crockwell, L. before the jury, and sworn, he seemed to be able to tell very little, and not to be sure of even that.

C. Brackett, Leutzinger's bakery, Nicoll's bakery. Fine large five ton scales for Sackett & Preston, besides sure of even that. Gerspacher gave a very muddled ac-count of the affair. He explained his lack of recollection by the fact that he was pretty drunk, and a good deal excited at the time of the shooting, and that the statements made by him the next mornnumerous small ones for others. Awn ings for Bracket, Bell & Hall, Givens, Wilson, Foxley, Dickey & Son, P. C. Devol, Butt's commission house, Broadway house, Ratekin's, and numerous others. ing even were not clear to nisi, as he hardly knew then what he was saying. ne makes a specialty of acting as broken for the purchase of anything wanted hardly knew then what he was saying, although to all appearance he was as sober as a prohibitionist. On the stand he would not swear whether it was the "major" or some one clse, who fired the shots. He saw the "major" pull something from his pocket, and thought at the time it was a gun, but couldn't tell. He had his own finger hurt. He might have said that it was shot by the "major," but he did not know how he did hurt it. He thought he must have hurt it with a "goose-neck," which he had in his hand that night. He didn't know that he had this in his hand, but he thought so, and some one told bim so. Such was about the way he testified and at such figures as to effect a saving to his customers over the lowest wholesale prices. Chronic Sciaticia Cured.

ASHLAND, Mass., Jan. 92, 1883. For the last two years I have hobbled around on crutches. During that time I was afflicted with sciatic rheumatism. I not only suffered terrible pain night and day, but was utterly helples. After using every possible effort to get well and exhausting the best medical advice, I was Such was about the way he testified throughout his examination. He seemed induced to try four Allcock's Porous Plasters. These I wore on my side, hup-bone very cautious about saying anything that would jeopardize the reputation of the "major," although immediately after the shooting he was not backward in ap plying all sorts of epithets concerning and thigh. In one week I was almost entirely free from pain and strength re turned to my palsied limb. I continued using these Plasters with the most sur prising these Frasters with the most sur-prising results for three months, when I became perfectly cured and abandoned the use of crutches. Persons desiring further information can address me. Post Office Box 184. J. F. GATES. him. It is understood that the defense when the case comes to trial, will be that sev-eral of the party had revolvers, and that

it was simply a question as to which would first get "the drop" on the other, and that the shooting was done in self-defense. Immediately after the shooting when the officers and newspaper men and that the shooting was done in self-defense. Immediately after the shooting when the officers and newspaper men were asking of the eye-witnesses for particulars, there was no claim or intimation that there were any revolvers except that used by