

THE DAILY BEE COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 23. OFFICE: No. 12 Pearl Street. Delivered by carrier in any part of the city at twenty cents per week.

MINOR MENTION. Pants to order, from \$5 up, at Reiter's. A Parlor Match is booked here for the 28th.

Evangelical meetings are to be kept up nightly at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. this week. The funeral of the late Joseph Beck was held yesterday afternoon.

Rev. William M. Hays, D. D., of Chicago, preached yesterday in the Baptist church, and to-day leaves for Omaha. Jim Brady and Arch Harvey have been arrested and lodged in jail for stealing a deer from the storehouse of Louis Metzger.

The police force was changed about a little yesterday. Officer O'Brien now goes on duty with Captain Williams, Officer Towns being changed to night duty.

Sheriff Todd of Carroll county arrived here yesterday with two prisoners, John and William Bowman, who were placed in the county jail for safe keeping. They have been found guilty of larceny and sentenced to twenty-two days each.

Still another gun is fired in the fight for the office of coroner. A petition of quo warranto was filed Saturday, in which Dr. Bellinger wants full to show by what right he claims to be the coroner of the county.

The city council proposes to pass an ordinance to clean up the city. If it don't clean up the snow any better than the summer ordinance cleaned the alleys, a snow shoveler will be better than an ordinance for most people.

Some of the citizens have got needlessly alarmed by the report that the city council is about to pass an ordinance requiring all the snow to be cleaned off the street. Such is not the intent of the proposed ordinance. It is simply to make property owners clean out the gutters and clean off the sidewalks.

A short time ago a boy named Blakely, who was confined in the county jail for some petty offense, had his arm broken by getting it caught in the bars of the cylinder. It is said that the boy's mother has employed an attorney to commence suit against the county for damages. The suit will involve some peculiar points and be watched with interest if pressed to trial.

E. Davis, who has been sentenced at Harlan to the penitentiary, is none other than J. R. Harris, who lived at Neola for several years. He left Neola for O'Brien county, and since then it has been discovered that he was forging notes and raising money on them. He was quite well thought of when living at Neola, and the discovery of his crookedness was quite a surprise to many of his friends. He now goes to the penitentiary for two years.

Somebody stole a little sled belonging to a son of Fred Nugent, and sold it to an old man named Pierce, who keeps a second hand store on Broadway. Mr. Pierce has lived here some time, and has become a pretty good reputation, but it does seem that a man of his age and experience should be more careful in dealing with boys. Some time ago he sold, or traded, to a boy, a large disk knife. Several instances of his dealings with children indicate that he is not very particular about his buying or selling.

The Notary in a recent editorial supposed to be original, says: "Mrs. Whitney owns a magnificent residence on Fifth avenue, in this city. It is furnished regally, and is said to be worth \$700,000." This is a strange item of news to the residents of Council Bluffs, who never suspected that there was such a palatial residence in this city. The explanation appears in the fact that the dear old grandmother in clipping editorials for her scrap-book never gives credit, and often forgets even to change the wording when necessary to make sense.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. Higgins, of Omaha, was riding along Broadway, the driver hurrying the team so that she might catch the 3:30 dummy train. The horses were speeding along at a lively gait, and when near the corner of Main and Broadway a girl employed in the family of T. W. McCargar was struck by them. The horses were frightened and made a jump, which probably saved the girl from serious injury, for her escape could not be accounted for otherwise. She was knocked down, and the horse, sleigh and all seemed to pass over her, and yet she was not injured seriously. Mrs. Higgins was glad for the girl, and placed her in good hands, leaving her name and address, so that she could be communicated with further if necessary. She thus did all she could to atone for the accident.

Money to loan on chattels, by Forbes Smith, 130 Main street. Cottage ranges, Garland stoves Radiant Homes and Hub Heaters of the very latest patterns at bed rock prices, at Cooper & McGee's, No. 41 Main street.

The "Pop" Ordinance. Mayor Vaughn denies the published statement that he has advised the saloon men not to pay their license for January. He says he has never given them such advice, but has left them to act as they see fit, or to get such counsel as they may desire.

It is understood, however, that Judge Aylsworth is of the opinion that the present "pop" ordinance is not valid, and that if the issue is squarely presented to him, he will so hold. That will knock the life out of the city's present system of collecting licenses under a prohibitory law. One or two cases are now pending before him, and his decision in these cases is looked forward to with much interest. If he decides as it is intimated he will, the ordinance will not be in very good shape for urging the saloon men to pay licenses. It has generally been conceded that the ordinance would not stand a test in the courts, but both sides have avoided making a test. Now that some propose to test it, there is naturally a hanging off to await the result.

Does everybody know about the low prices at the Boston boot and shoe store No. 417 Broadway. Try Adams Bros' goods and see if you don't get your money's worth in boots, shoes, slippers and rubbers. For first class Missouri wood call on Gleason, at his coal office, 26 Pearl street.

Office Warning. The members of the Council Bluffs branch of the Equitable Life Insurance company of Waterloo and their friends had a sort of social gathering and house warming at the company's new office, rooms 12 and 13, Reno building, on Saturday evening. About fifty ladies and gentlemen were entertained and a nice lunch was furnished by William Randall, superintendent of agencies, in whose office they were gathered.

HAPPY HAPPENINGS HERE.

How Society in the Bluffs Has Been Enjoying Itself.

BAPTIZING A CALICO STORE. Installation of Harmonious Ladies—Doings of the City Fathers—The "Pop" Ordinance Threatened—Uncle Sam's New House.

The Social Doings. The event of the past week was the charity ball, which was given on Thursday evening in Masonic hall. It being the first charity ball given in this city, as an initiatory, it proved a great success, clearing \$1,030.00, besides several hundred dollars in contributions, aside from groceries, provisions, etc.

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able comment. "I'm in favor of it," said an unscrupled gentleman, "and have no way to reciprocate, and in attending lawn parties, etc., if the club was made a permanent one and we were paying our monthly dues, and knew the club was benefiting the expense of the entertainment, we, or at least I, should feel that we were not infringing on the hospitality of our host." Another member of the club remarked: "During my long residence in Council Bluffs I never have been able to attend such select balls or dances as have been given by the Imperial club this season for so little money. Of course very select dances have taken place before, but you see members of this club have paid in \$5 and a series of dances have been given every two weeks, and the \$5 that each member was taxed covers the expense of all the dances, and in all ways are to have, I believe, eight socials, which is an unusually cheap season's entertainment. I sincerely trust the club will be continued during the summer and continue enjoyable entertainments." The above are only samples of the way many members feel and talk.

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

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

GRAND OPENING SALE At the Bankrupt Store, Commencing To-Day, No. 18 Main Street, Bene's Old Stand.

The best silks, black and colors, 50c per yard. Cashmere, double width, 10c per yard. Best gingham, 4c, 5c and 6c per yard. Best calico, 2 1/2c and 3c per yard. Muslin, 3c, 4c, 5c, and upwards. Canton flannel, 4c, 5c, 6c and 7c.

Best table linen, Turkey red, 25c per yard. Best quality damask linen, 30c, 40c and 45c per yard. 100 dozen towels, 20x30 inches, at 2 1/2c apiece. Linen napkins, 3c, 4c, 5c, and 6c.

Bed comforts filled with the best cotton at 28c, 47c, 50c and 92c. Bed spreads, 35c, 45c, 50c, 61c and 83c. Shawls, 45c, 60c, 70c, 90c and \$1.25. Shirting, fast colors, 5c, 7c and 10c. Fifty pieces of carpets, 15c, 18c, 25c, 29c, 35c and 45c. Floor oil cloths, 10c, 12c, 20c and 35c. Mats, 35c, 45c, 60c, 75c, \$1.25 up to \$2.25.

Pocket books, 5c, 8c, 15c to 48c. Ten thousand yard of stout linen faces at 1c per yard; 3,000 yards at 1c; 1,500 yards at 5c; 1,200 yards from 1 inch to 6 inches in width for 5c per yard. Silk Spanish laces, 9c, 11c, 18c, 19c; best, 25c. Embroideries from 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c, 7c, 9c to 13c. Best yarns; best Germantown; best zephyr 4c an ounce. Best pins 2c; needles 3c.

Silk ribbons 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c per yard and up, silk velvet ribbons in all colors 2 inch wide, 10c per yard. Ladies' hose 3c; gents' half hose 5c, 7c, 9c and 12c a pair. Ladies' cloaks \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 to \$1.75; plush cloaks \$3, \$4, \$11.50 to \$17. Don't and Clark's, 15c, 18c, 25c and 45c. Linen handkerchiefs 5c, 7c, 9c, 11c and 15c. Face veiling 15c, 25c and 27c per yard. Corsets 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 100c, 110c, 120c, 130c, 140c, 150c, 160c, 170c, 180c, 190c, 200c, 210c, 220c, 230c, 240c, 250c, 260c, 270c, 280c, 290c, 300c, 310c, 320c, 330c, 340c, 350c, 360c, 370c, 380c, 390c, 400c, 410c, 420c, 430c, 440c, 450c, 460c, 470c, 480c, 490c, 500c, 510c, 520c, 530c, 540c, 550c, 560c, 570c, 580c, 590c, 600c, 610c, 620c, 630c, 640c, 650c, 660c, 670c, 680c, 690c, 700c, 710c, 720c, 730c, 740c, 750c, 760c, 770c, 780c, 790c, 800c, 810c, 820c, 830c, 840c, 850c, 860c, 870c, 880c, 890c, 900c, 910c, 920c, 930c, 940c, 950c, 960c, 970c, 980c, 990c, 1000c.

Remember the place and number, No. 18 Main street, Bene's Old Stand. Store will keep open until 9 o'clock every evening. All are cordially invited.

More Water Than Fire. About 9:30 o'clock Saturday night one of the barbers in Charlie Heister's shop, looking out of the window, noticed smoke pouring forth from the upper windows of Cooke & Morgan's dry goods store, No. 347 Broadway, and started the cry of fire. An attempt was made to turn in the electric alarm from several boxes. The box at the corner of Main and Broadway was fused with for five minutes, before it could be made to work. Frank Levine worked over a box near his place until he turned the handle off. At last the fire department caught the alarm, but one of the engines went flying up to Geese's brewery. The Rescue company was more fortunate in locating the fire, but when the boys reached the place the store was so filled with smoke that it was almost impossible to locate the flames. Hose was dragged through the building and into the second story. In the meantime No. 1 had come back from its wild goose chase, and started a stream right into the second story windows. The flames were soon put out, and the stock and building saved. Later investigation showed that the fire itself had done very little damage, the damage being mainly by water. The fire had originated in the second story, under a lot of flannels and domestics piled up against the wall. These goods had been burned a little, and the wall scorched, but the loss by the flames did not amount to more than a nominal sum. Just how the fire originated is a mystery, and everyone feels entitled to make a guess, while none seem to have any very plausible theory of its cause. The water so liberally poured into the building did considerable damage. It ran into goods on the first floor, doing heavy damage there. Just what the total loss will be is difficult to now estimate, but the loss, whatever it may be, is well covered with insurance, there being a total of \$13,750 on the stock. The building was only nominally damaged. It is owned by D. C. Bloomer, and is insured for \$4,000.

Best coal and wood in the city at Gleason's, 26 Pearl street. The city council last night failed to get a quorum and will try again at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Harmonious Installation. At the meeting of Harmony chapter, No. 25, O. E. S., last Thursday evening, the following officers were installed: Mrs. G. H. Jackson, W. M. E. R. Fonda, W. P. Mrs. Charles Brinton, A. M. Miss Carrie Huntington, Sec. Mrs. E. Harris, Treas. Miss Emma Potter, Cond. Mrs. J. K. Cooper, Adah. Mrs. S. Nash, Ruth. Mrs. E. B. Gardner, Esther. Mrs. L. A. Holton, Martha. Mrs. H. Hawley, Elesta. Mrs. H. Miller, Warda. S. S. Nash, Sent.

For hardware and house furnishing get prices of Cooper & McGee, No. 41 Main street. If you buy footwear without first getting prices at the Boston boot and shoe store you will lose money.

The New Postoffice. "Well, what have you in the way of news for the 'EE readers in regard to Uncle Sam's building," queried one of the BEE force of Mr. C. E. Bell in the superintendent's office last Thursday.

"Nothing particularly interesting," answered that gentleman, "but I suppose the fact that we have unloaded four cars of cut stone and have eight cars more on the way, makes it appear that work will soon go on in earnest. We have started the brick work, but it has been too inclement for the winter, and they had to quit, but every day that it is pleasant enough you may just assured they will work. If we get pleasant weather you'll see her shoot up, I tell you."

A.C. BURNHAM, Pres. L.W. TALLEY, Vice-Pres. JAMES N. BROWN, Cashier. Council Bluffs National Bank 102 MAIN STREET. Capital.....\$100,000 Authorized Capital.....250,000 Stockholders Represent.....1,000,000 Do a general banking business. Accounts of banks, bankers, merchants, manufacturers and individuals received on favorable terms. Domestic and foreign exchange. The very best attention given to all business committed to our care.

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Railway Time Table. COUNCIL BLUFFS. The following is the time of 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.

Table with columns for destination (Chicago & Northwestern, Chicago & Rock Island, Chicago & Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chicago & Burlington & Quincy, Union Pacific, Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Great Western, Northern Western, Northern Central, Northern Railway, Northern Terminal, Northern Union, Northern Express, Northern Mail, Northern Freight, Northern Passenger, Northern Goods, Northern Express, Northern Mail, Northern Freight, Northern Passenger, Northern Goods) and times.

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REMOVED. I wish to respectfully call the attention of my patrons and the public in general, to my removal from the old stand Nos. 7 and 9, Main St., to my new and commodious quarters, No. 226 Broadway, Where I will be pleased to see my many friends. With a large, new and complete assortment of all the latest styles of

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R. RICE, M. D. CHANCER of other tumors removed without pain or scarring. Specialties in all the CHRONIC DISEASES of all kinds a specialty. Over thirty years' practical experience. No. 11 Pearl Street, Council Bluffs. CONSULTATION FREE.

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 FIVE 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, Council Bluffs.

WANTS. FOR SALE.—Sealed bids will be received by J. W. Roster up to February 20, 1886, on eighty feet front, two story brick block, Nos. 22, 24, 26 and 28 Pearl street, between Broadway and First avenue.

FOR RENT.—The three-story brick business house formerly occupied by Gronoweg & Schenck, Enquire of McMahon & Co., No. 4 Pearl street.

SWAN & WALKER, No. 38 Main street, (under Citizen's Bank), real estate and mercantile exchange brokers. Our books are full of special bargains, but it is impossible to publish a reliable list from the fact of so many daily changes. What we ask is, if you want to sell or trade anything in our line, write us and we will send you a pile of bargains to select from. Lands improved or unimproved, city or town property, stocks of goods of any kind in any place, or such you have or wish you let us hear from you. Swan & Walker, Council Bluffs.

\$120 Made in 31 days by a lady agent of the "Equitable." We want six more live agents, male or female. Apply in person or by letter to Wm. Randall, Supt. of agencies, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

FARM FOR SALE.—At a bargain if sold soon. 161 acres, 6 1/2 miles southwest of Omaha, room house, excellent well and cistern, 2 barns, one for eight horses, one for 20 cows; hen, tool and wagon houses; 100 acres in timber; 4,000 forest trees, cotton wood, black walnut, ash and maple; good orchard, apples, cherries, plums, grapes and small fruits. Never failing stock water. J. P. OFFICER, 50 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

HOUSES FOR RENT.—At McMahon & Co's, No. 4 Pearl street.

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E. R. Cadwell, Real Estate, Probate AND DIVORCE LAWYER. No. 604 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

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