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TUESDAY MORNING, JAN. 25.

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MINOR MENTION. Pants to order, from \$5 up, at Reiter's. To-morrow the semi-annual examina-tions in the public schools commence, continuing three days.

Odell & Day have bought \$25,000 more

of the city sewer bonds, the purchase being made for other parties. The machinery is being put in place in the paper mill, and the mill is expected to start up in the course of a week

Johnathan W. Warfel, one of the Nonpareil compositors, was married Sunday night to Miss Eliza E. Roper, of this city. The employes of the Council Bluffs National bank, together with some of their friends, made a jolly sleighing party last

Mrs. Mary Frainey has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her hus-band, the late James Frainey. The-es-

tate amounts to about \$10,000. There were two drunks polished off in the police court yesterday, one a colored man, Bill Criss, the other a white man; They were both fined.

The Harmony mission ladies have social this evening at the residence of Mrs. Booth, on Benton street. Music and refreshments are among the attractive features provided. To-night Rev. G. W. Crofts gives a brief talk at the meeting at the Y. M. C.

A. rooms. These meetings continue to grow in interest, and will be continued through the week. It was not Arch Harvey, the colored man, who was arrested for stealing a deer from Louie's restaurant, but James

Harvey, who gained some notoriety as the bartender for Gerstenberg. The awning over Reiter's tailoring establishment became so weighted with snow that yesterday it took a tumble, proving an overwhelming avalanche for

an unfortunate passer by, but not seriously injuring him. Charles Denny, a switchman in the Northwestern yards, while making a coupling Sunday night, was struck in the stomach by a coupling pin. It is feared that he is injured more seriously inter-

nally than appears at present. Col. E. J. Abbott has given the the Abe Lincoln post, G. A. R., a very pleasing bit of handiwork. It is a bar and pendant monogram, cut from wood, and nicely decorated, making a very handsome and appropriate ornament for the hall. It was designed and made by him-

A horse belonging to L. Neunas and attached to a sleigh took a lively spin down Broadway yesterday morning. chief damage was the breaking down of the cigar sign of T. D. King & Co. A lady passing along the street had a narescape from being run over by the flyaway steed.

A number of prominent Masons from here attended the funeral of Conductor Manning at Missouri Valley Sunday. Among them were E. L. Shugart, Z. T. Lindsey, Charles Duquette, Mr. Van Giesen and Dr. Lacy. There was a large number present from Blair, Neb., a special train being run from there.

Mrs. James Craig was happily surprised last evening by a visitation of a party of her friends, who captured her at her home, No. 812 Third street. The occasion was her birthday, and the other members of the family being in the secret, everything was arrainged for a merry-making, and such was the result.

Mrs. Partridge applied at police headquarters Sunday night for an officer to arrest her boy, who was roaming the streets drunk. An officer started out after him, but found that some one had knocked the boy down in a quarrel, blacked his eye and scratched his cheek, while some other fellow had picked him up and carried him to his home.

The mayor yesterday telegraphed Mr. Griffin, of Eastport, Iowa, that the lat-ter's runaway daughter is here in a sportter's runaway daughter is here in a sport-ing house, and that the police would ar-rest her if he would guarantee to come after her. The girl is quite young, and says that if she is sent to the reform school she will have to go, but as soon as she gets out she will return to her fast life. The girl seems to have hardened rapidly in her fast life.

Money to loan on chattels, by Forres 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. Correct Abstracts of Title and Real Es-

tate Loans at McMahon & Co's, No. 4 Substantial abstracts of title and real estate loans. J. W., & E. L. Squire, 101 Pearl street.

Where the Crowd Goes. "Please take our 'ad' out of the paper," said the gentleman in charge of the bankrupt sale at Beno's old stand to a BEE man yesterday, "we have had such an immense crowd all day we can't wait on more than half our customers. After advertising we expected to do a large business, especially on account of the low price we put the goods out at, but I have ordered all our advertising discontinued to-morrow, at any rate, and see if we can do justice to our customers. Come around Tuesday and perhaps I'll have an 'ad' for Wednesday's BEE." So the BEE man departed, leaving a regular jam of customers purchasing at the bank-

Best coal and wood in the city at Gleason's, 26 Pearl street.

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

Does everybody know about the low prices at the Boston boot and shoe store? No. 417 Broadway.

Personal Paragraphs.

E. E. Hart has returned from his trip H. W. Young, of Sioux City, was here yesterday.

Robert Fitchet, of Chicago, spent yes terday in the city with friends.

C. Haldene, of the firm of Wright, Baldwin & Haldene, has returned from his eastern trip. W. S. Draper, of the Western Manufacturing company, of Lincoln, Neb., was in the city yesterday.

From invitations received by friends in this city it appears that Frank Brewster is to be married February 2, at Osecola, Neb., to Miss Belle Pulver. The lucky young man is well known here, having resided here for some time.

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POINTERS ABOUT THE POOR

Some of the Troubles of Fairly Distributing Supplies.

TAKE THE THAW IN GOOD TIME.

Merry Social Doings at Avoca-The Gerstenberg Nest Still Troublesome - Personals and Paragraphs About the Bluffs.

More Blessed to Give Than Distribute. The labor of raising money and supplies for the relief of the poor of the city seems to have been far easier than that of properly distributing what has been thus gained. The ladies who gathered at the headquarters of the committee, on Pearl street, had all they could do yesterday, as on Saturday. At an early bour in the morning there was gathered a crowd of men, women and children waiting for the doors to open, and throughout the day the applicants continued to come. Many of these did not appear to be suffering Some of the men were hale, hearty look ing fellows who seemed able to work, and to whom a chance to do manual labor would apparently be the truest charity. Some of the females were nicely dressed, feathers, white aprons, frizzes, earrings, and other indications of partial prosperity appearing in the crowd. Still there were many who not only appeared to be in want, but who doubtless were so. Some of the cases would call forth

sympathy from a stone. The great trouble was to discriminate and place the relief where it would do the most good. The ladies very wisely adopted a rule for The ladies very wisely adopted a rule for their guidance. In no case was any relief given unless the facts had been learned by actual investigation, or the case was youched for as worthy by some member of the ward committees. Great care is thus being taken to prevent waste and fraud. In many cases the committee simply take the address and then look the matter up in detail.

Some annoyance has been caused by the exaggerated reports as to the amount of provisions, clothing, etc., to be dis-tributed. The supply of these articles was nowhere nearly as large as most sup-pose. Some of the clothing contributed was absolutely worthless and had to be thrown away, as it was unfit for use. The supplies that could be used to advantage were quickly disposed of to those known to be in need. Some complaints can justly be made about persons contributing worthless stuff, but such complaints are few. There was a lot of tea, for instance, which the committee did not dare to give out, it seeming to be ground hay mixed with copperas, or some such mix ture. A little tin cup used to dish it out was quickly covered with verdigris, and the committee became alarmed lest the tea would poison those who used it.
On the other hand there was cause for

complaint about those who desired help. In some cases those who sought relief were very particular what they took. Some would not take a new, serviceable shoe because it tied with a string instead of being furnished with buttons and a button hook. There were in the gather-ing of supplies five barrels of broken erackers. These erackers, right from the factory, are as nice as any that can be bought for money. It is well known that bought for money. It is well known that many of the best families in the city purchase at the factory broken crackers for their own table use, these crackers being nice and fresh, and for many purvoses just as good as the whole ones, while they sell a little less. Many of those who claimed to be really suffering for food turned up their noses at these broken crackers. This was enough to make one feal that they isnd better no without food. feel that they had better go without food a while longer. Such foolish nicety robbed many of the cases of the sympathy which they would otherwise have gained. As was to be expected, many of those were first to apply for help merited it the least. One man, with two hearty looking females, drove up to the rooms in a wagon drawn by two horses. He admitted that he owned the horses and wagon, but said he had been troubled with rheumatism, and in the extreme cold had not been able to work. His claim will be looked into. One nicely dressed young lady, apparently healthy, asked for help without a blush. She claimed she was sent by one of the com-mittee, but was directed to go back and get a written order first. She departed and did not appear again.

Many of the cases prove to be chronic

ones. They are needy, and probably always will be dependant on others. These seem the saddest, for they are the most hopeless, and it seems impossible to so help them that they will become self supporting. Another class of cases quite plentiful is where the wife and mother, with a large family of little ones, are really suffering, and yet a hale, hearty husband and father is lying about, doing nothing for their sup-port, and drinking up whatever the others of the family can get. It is difficult to handle these cases. The man ought to be made to work, or alman ought to be made to work, or allowed to starve, but the family cannot be allowed to suffer on his account, and if they are helped the man goes on, cating and drinking and sleeping, lazily spending day after day without an effort to help his condition. Dr. Lawrence, who has had a good deal of experience in this sort of work, says that he has tried different way to reach these cases, but has almost given up trying. He has sometimes placed the provisions in some neighboring house, directing the family there to deal out a little at a time to the needy family, taking good care to do so when the good for nothing man was away from the house. Still this did not work, for the man would find out, and would so abuse his family that they would resort to all schemes to get food for him, or things to sell for whisky rather than

suffer his abuse.

One of the class of worthy cases is that One of the class of worthy cases is that
of a woman living on lower Broadway.
She has three little children, the oldest
only 5 years old, the youngest a babe.
She is not strong, and cannot leave her
little family to work out. She does what
she can to earn money by knitting,
doing plain sewing and such work. Her husband was a mechanic, doing well at his trade, being an excellent carpenter and stair builder. While at work on the Masonic temple here, earning \$2.75 a day, he suddenly disappeared, deserting his wife and children, going no one here knows where. She has not heard from his wife and children, going no one here knows where. She has not heard from him since Some think he has got to drinking, and some say that the man became crazed and wandered off. However this may be the wife and little ones were left with no means of support. They were occupying rooms in a little house, owned by a woman who could ill afford to give them help, but this woman has generously given them the use of the rooms free ever since. She has also helped the family in other ways. A little help has been had from the county, but with all this the struggle against the wolf has been a hard one. Her relatives are all in the old country, and not able to help her. Thus she finds herself in a land of strangers, deprived of husband, and with the burden of supporting herself and three helpless ones. The woman was nearly heart-broken over the disappearance of her hasband, but she has rallied with a brave heart, and is keeping her little flock together and struggling on.

on.
Such is but one of the many worthy ones whom the committee are finding out, and to whom relief will be given. Those who have contributed of their means to furnish relief to the suffering should realize that the real work falls on

those who have to distribute, and the committee, instead of being a target for fault-finding, should receive the sympathy and the cordial support of all. They are using wisdom and care in distribut ing, and are entitled to the confidence and help of all in this work, as in the giving.

If you buy footwear without first get-ting prices at the Boston boot and shoe store you will lose money.

Father Lenaben's Farewell. Rev. Father Lenahen, pastor of St. Mary's Cathlie church, Sioux City, has announced his intention of leaving his charge and entering a Jesuit college in St. Louis. The reverend father is well known in Council Bluffs, and has frequently occupied the pulpit in Father McMenony's church. His friends here are numbered by the score, and his departure from the scenes and friendships of many years labors will be sincerely regretted by all.

The Sioux City Journal of Sunday gives the following account of a farewell call on Father Lenchan:

An adjourned meeting of the friends of Father Lenchan met at Justice Foley's office last evening to receive the reports of committees and to take final action expressive of their pastor, who is about to leave Sious City to leave Sioux City.

The finance committee reported receipts amounting to \$333.50. The committee on resolutions, through its chair-man, Mr. James P. Wall, reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Rev. B. C. Lenehan, rector of St. Mary's Catholic church, who for many years has labored among us in the service of God, is about to leave Sioux City for another field of duty; and
Whereas, By his great zeal, eloquence
and broad and liberal charity he has endeared himself to all the people of Sioux
City of every creed; therefore be it

Resolved, That we part from him with deep regret, regret which mere words can but poorly express; that our prayers and best wishes shall be with him for his temporal and eternal happiness; that rec-ognizing the usefulness of his life, a life devoted to his spiritual labors and not to the accumulation of the world's goods, and solicitious of his temporal comfort, we tender him this token of our affection. urging its acceptance in the same spirit

in which we offer it.

The finance and resolutions commit tees, numbering fifteen gentlemen, then proceeded to Father Lenehan's residence, where the presentation was made on bewhere the presentation was made on behalf of the meeting, of the father's friends, and the people of Sioux City generally, by John Brennan, who was appointed for that purpose. Responsive to some brief remarks by Mr. Brennan, Father Lenehan replied in language and mannar so feeling as to being fears to manner so feeling as to bring tears to the eyes of the visitors. He said that he expected the kindly impression that had been made by his friends, but the financial part of it was unexpected. He should soon retire from the labors of the parish priest to enter an institution where he might impart to young men intended for the priesthood the experiences of eighteen years in the priesthood. If he were to occupy the position of pastor and could have a choice of location, there s no parish within the jurisdiction of the bishop that he could select in place of Sioux City. In conclusion he expressed his gratitude and affection for the people of Sioux City and his sincere regret at parting with them.

All About Avoca. Avoca Iowa, Jan. 25.-Weather topic exhausted. Once in a while we hear of a train that has succeeded in shoveling its

way through. The coal and ice men are the only happy ones, the demand for coal keeping the former busy, while our ice houses are being filled with some very nice ice by the latter. The alarm felt among our ice consumers in the early part of the winter that there would be none fit to put up has long since vanished, and they are almost pursuaded to think from present indications that there will be plenty of ice six months hence.

Sleighing would be fine but for the drifts, making the roads alomst impasasble in places. F. G. Hetzel, our popular hardware

man, nevertheless sails around town in a new cutter.
The many different designs of sleds, cutters or anything one has a mind to call them, that were visible on our streets yesterday was really amusing, from the stylish turnout of our liveryman, George Dudley, down to the dry-goods box with

runners, home made.

Mrs. C. N. Voss and Mrs. F. G. Hetzel entertained the M. L. P. E. club Monday evening, thirty-six being present. The gilt prize was won by Dr. F. A. Xanten and Mrs. F. C. Harlow, while Hon. D. Hunt and Mrs. M. Gardner carried off the

small tinware.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hodgson, Mr. and
Mrs. E. D. Hoopes, Misses Clara Norton,
Lotta Hancock, Hattie Bailey and Emma
Harlow complete the list of Avocaites who took in the masquerade ball at Walnut Thursday evening (and owing to the gentle zephyr that so arranged the beautiful snow as to stop the trains) were compelled to stay until Friday evening. Of course it could terminate in nothing else but "the very best time I ever had in my life." We all know its so pleasant waiting for trains.

The Social Hour club gave a party Friday evening, which was pronounced the party of the season. The number present, was enough to make it pleasant for all taking part, heretofore there hav-

mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coffman left Thursday morning for Waubaunsee, Kan., where Mr. C. has a brother. They expect to remain two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hardman, Gus Seiffert and George Harris, of Hancock, and W. H. Wigley, of Walnut, were Avoca visitors Wednesday evening, hav-ing come to meet with Lotta Hancock and her friends at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Harlow. The evening passed with the usual amusement, progressive euchre. Mrs. N. Hodgson and Dr. Xauteeu were the lucky ones, with Mrs. E. D. Hoopes and J. C. Hetzel, the happy possessors of "the twins."

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hancock and daughter Lotte, who have been visiting bere for

Lotta, who have been visiting here for the past two or three weeks, returned to Davenport Sunday.

Mrs. F. Benjamin and Mrs. E. W.

Barber entertain the euchre club next Wednesday evening at the residence of the former. They will have eleven tables. The Young People's Euchre club will be entertained by Dr. A. T. Huxley at the residence of Hon. J. K. Powers Tues-day evening.

day evening.

It is indeed a pleasure to note the success of W. R. Campbell, who has been working in the BEE's interest here and working in the Bee's interest here and surrounding towns. It does not reach us quite as early as the Des Moines Register, but what is a few hours to wait, when by waiting one receives three times the amount of general news. The Harlan, Carson, Oakland and Hancock people find it just the paper they want, and it reaches them as early as any daily. To all non-subscribers would say: Try the daily Bee, say for six months, and the result will be your name will remain on the subscription list as long as you wish a daily paper of any kind.

X. Y. Z.

Mrs. Meyers and Mrs. Bushnell will entertain the Married Ladies' Progressive Euchre club Wednesday evening at Mrs. Meyers' residence. The sleigh will start from the residence of J. N. Baldwin on Sixth street at 7 o'clock sharp. where members are requested to meet.

No Time for Delays.

The city council did not get a quorum vesterday afternoon and adjournment was taken until the regular monthly meeting next Monday night. The delay is a serious one to some of the business pending before the council. There is the ordinance in regard to the cleaning of snow from streets. That has not been passed beyond a second reading. The indications of a thaw shown yesterday, made more apparent the necessity of having everything arranged so as to prevent flooding of streets. There is a large quantity of snow, more than has been on the streets of Council Bluffs for years. When this goes, if allowed to remain as now piled up, it may cause serious trouble, especially if the thaw is a rapid one. There was considerable work done yes-terday by private parties. Some of the gutters were cleaned out, where the snow was piled nigh. If allowed to remain a thaw would cause many a basement to be flooded, if this were not done. Many will neglect this until required to do so

Another serious matter pending before the council is the proposed extension of the new sewer ditch, so as to have an outlet south of the city. At present the ditch has no fall and no outlet, and there seems to be no preventative of the present ditch filling up and overflowing, in case of rains and thaws. About \$21,000 has been spent in making the ditch thus far. It is estimated that it will cost \$3,000 more to extend it to an outlet. Already ditch has filled up, owing the lack of an outlet, and about \$6,000 has been spent in re-digging the ditch. The old council wanted to extend the ditch south of the limits and secure the needed outlet, but did not feel that the city could afford to do so then. As a result of this economical delay the city has had to pay extra almost as much as it would have cost to have made the extension last year. Still there remains the work to be done. If not done there is a probability not only of damage by floods, but also of the ditch filling up again, necessitating another expenditure of several thousand dollars, perhaps. In view of such possibilities it seems that the council should act prompt ly, and decide either to extend the ditch or to take some other course, as may seem best under all the circumstances. Another important feature of the mat-ter is that Mitchell Vincent, who has had the contract for the work thus far, claims the contract for the extension of the ditch. The city attorney has given his opinion that such is the case, but the council look at the matter differently, and have been advertising for bids. Vincent has a large force here, and is anxious to go to work as soon as possi ble. The intimation is made that the city

may be involved in a suit for damages if great care is not taken in acting on the

matter. All these complications seem to

render the situation too much of a crisis to warrant the aldermen in absenting themselves from meetings of the council. The Old Nest. A short time ago Freddie Gerstenberg was sent to jail for ten days for assaulting his wife. His conviction was due largely to the testimony of his old bar tender, Jim Harvey. In revenge Gerstenberg squealed on Harvey, and claimed that Harvey, with one Jim Brady, stole a dead deer from Louie & Metzger's meat house, in the rear of their restaurant. Inquiry led to the information that a short time ago that firm lost a deer, which seemed to corroborate Gerstenberg's story. The two men were arrested, but they deny the charge, and say Gersten-berg is the one who stole it, and that it was taken to his place and there cut up. Harvey has been arrested before on different charges, most of them of a trivial nature. Brady has also been under arrest for petty offenses, but has thus far escaped punishment, It seems that the Gerstenbergs have been having a nest which ought to have been broken up long ago. They have been piling up costs in the courts on account of their family difficulties until it has reached a point

either make them stop or else keep be youd the city limits. The Hardman Hard to Beat. OMAHA, Jan. 20, 1876.-Mueller Music Company, Council Bluffs-Gentlemen-I feel as though I must write and tell you how much more than pleased I am with how much more than pleased I am With our upright Hardman plano For style, beautiful finish and purity of tone, I am sure it is as good as the very best and for a great deal less money.

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