THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 24.

OFFICE, NO. 12, PEARL STREET. Delivered by entrier in any part of the city at twenty cents per week. H. W. TILTON, . . . Manager.

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MINOR MENTION.

New spring goods at Reiter's. Permit to marry was given yesterday to Claus Ehlers and Lable Herbet, both of Minden: J. C. Tanner and Anna Gruell, both of Carson.

Yesterday Captain L. Kirscht gave to John Lindt a sword which formerly be-longed to Colonel Kinsman, and Lindt will present it to Abe Lincoln Post, No.

Yesterday one woman was no sooner given a divorce in the court room up stairs than her new affianced applied for a marriage permit in the clerk's office down stairs. Presto change!

Judge Connersyesterday sustained the motion made by one of the creditors of Cocke & Morgan to have Sheriff Perry Reel appointed a receiver for the firm. The other creditors are going to appeal from this decision.

The jury in the case of Mrs. Stein against the city, in which she claims big damages for an arm broken by falling on a defective walk, remained out twentyfour hours without agreeing on a verdict. The judge has therefore discharged them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark returned last evening from a visit to Missouri. Mr. Clark, who is locating engineer of the Union Pacific, has been kept so much away from home and friends that such relief from duty and chance to recreate have been especially enjoyable.

A peculiar case was tried in the circuit court yesterday in which a town trustee. Kinney, seeks to obtain the custody of a child, claiming that the father, named Knofler, has neglected and abused the child. The evidence was all heard and the case will be put in the hands of the jury this morning for them to wrestle over in

Yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock a happy wedding occurred at the Catholic church, by which Mr. Dennis Moynahan and Miss Fannie N. Dolson were made one Rev. Father Healey officiated. Mr. William Maloney and Miss Fannie Scott served as groomsman and bridesmaid. After the ceremony the party repaired to where a bountiful wedging feast was spread. The happy man is a boiler maker in the Union Pacific shops at North Platte, and is a worthy, industrious young man, who has many and warm friends to congratulate him. The bride has lived in this city for about seven years, and is an estimable young lady. They will leave this evening for their new home in North Platte.

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

A Bluff's Invention.

Charles J. Beckman, of this city, has invented a locking bracket for fences, rail rods, etc., which promises to make a fortune for somebody. Every mechanic who has examined the invention pronounces it one which will almost revolutionize the system of fastening fence rails, rods, and railings of all sorts. It is a very simple arrangement, and does away with nails. While it holds rails in place as firmly as though of rock, yet any part can readily be removed or replaced. The invention needs to be seen and explained to be appreciated, it presenting too many advantages to enumerate. Mr. Beckman has lived here for years, and is an old soldier who carries an empty sleeve, and it is to be hoped that he will realize from this product of his inventive genius a competency. He is planning to secure capital with which to manufac-ture, and will sell some state and county rights, not being able to handle all the territory himself. As soon as this locking bracket can be placed on the market there is no question but that it will meet with a ready sale and come into general use and favor. Like all worthy inven-tions the hardest of the work is in securing the public attention. He is getting in condition to do that now, and the outlook is a cheery one.

300,000 briek for sale. C. Straub, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Stabbing Affray.

DENISON, Feb. 23 .- Dr. M. Vetter, the horse doctor, imbibed too much juice on Saturday and varied the monotony of town life. Unable to get any more liquor he importuned Smith, the bar-keeper, for a drink. Being refused he quietly drew a knife and was about to stab him, when he was observed by Christensen, the blacksmith, who caught the wild-eyed veterinary and pulled him aside. Turning upon Christensen, Vetter made a lunge at him, cutting his arm to the bone and disabling him for some time to come. Vetter then broke in the window of the saloon, severely cutting his wrist on the glass. After parading the streets and making the neighborhood hideous with his foul curses, he went home unmolested. Monday morning the city marshal went to his residence with a warrant, only to learn that the solacer of equine woes had skipped out on Sunday. Why was he not arrested and locked up Saturday night?

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

Canning Establishment.

Yesterday arrangements were com-pleted which ensure the establishment of he canning factory here. This enterprise will cause a present investment of \$25,000, and will employ about fifty persons. The persons interested in the move are G. W. Archer of Columbus, Ohio, who is an experienced man in the business; Samuel Haas, E. L. Shugart, G. A. Keeline, Louis Hammer, J. J. Brown and J. P. Weaver. Operations will be commenced at once, and the order for a million tin cans has already been placed. The establishment will this season confine itself to canning corn and tomatoes.

Money to loan by Forrest Smith.

Cost of Painting.

The cost of painting is altogether in the cost of material used. The labor required to spread an inferior paint is as expensive of that of the best quality. Use the Carter White Lead Co's. Diamond brand of strictly pure white lead and you will be certain to get the best and most durable paint in the market. For sale by all the leading 'dealers in painters' supplies. Be sure and ask for the Diamond brand.

Personal Paragraphs. . Frank Shinn of Carson was in the city

A. B. Rayburn of Macedonia was in the

S. G. Underwood of Keg Creek was in the city yesterday. William Radall has gone for a few days visit to Waterloo, Iowa,

T. O. Carlisle, postmaster of Missouri Valley, was in the city yesterday.

FRAMED THEIR CITY TICKET.

The Democrats Decide Who They Want For City Officials.

HOT FIGHT FORTHCOMING.

The Canning Establishment a Sure Thing-Stabbing Affray at Denison-Points Personal and Political.

The Democratic Convention.

The democratic city convention was held yesterday afternoon at the city building. J. C. DeHaven called the convention to order, and A. C. Graham was chosen chairman. Scott Williams was chosen secretary. For tellers, J. A. Murphy and M. D.

Hardin were appointed. The committee on credentials, James Wickham, J. C. DeHaven, and F. W. Spetman and Geo. D. Brown, reported the list as already published.

The first work of the convention was to nominate a candidate for mayor. J. N. Casady presented the name of Robert Percival. J. J. Fraincy that of W. C. James.

An informal ballot gave Percival 29 and James 12.

The formal batlot gave Percival 29, James 7. On motion of J. J. Frainey the nomination was then made unanimous. Nominations for auditor followed. John Green named Lawrence Kinnehan; Frainey named Steve McAtee; Sam Paine named F. A. Burke. A formal ballot resulted in the nomination of Mr. Kinnehan who received 22 votes, Burke and McAtee 6. On motion of L. A. Bergman the nomination was made unanimous.

For city solicitor C. H. Holmes was unanimously nominated by acclama-

For city treasurer W. R. Vaughan, A. T. Elwell, J. L. Forman, and T. E. Cavin were named. The informal ballot stood: Elwell 12, Spetman 13, Forman 3, Vaughan 7,

Cavin 1.
The first formal ballot was then taken, resulting: Spetman 18, Elwell 12, Vaughan 6. The second formal ballot nominated Mr. Spetman, he receiving 20,

Elwell 10, and Vaughan 6.

For judge of the superior court E. E.

Aylesworth, J. J. Stewart, J. J. Frainey
were named. An informal ballot gave
Aylesworth 23 votes, Stewart 11, and
Frainey 2. The formal ballot nominated
Judge Aylesworth, he receiving 30 and
Stewart 6. The nomination, like the
others, was then made unanimous others, was then made unanimous.

The contest for city marshal was short.

The informal ballot gave Guanella 23 votes, and J. A. Churchill 13. The formal ballot nominated Guanella by 27

For eivil engineer J. F. Brodbeck was named. C. R. Mitchell named George S. Miller. Mr. J. N. Casady urged the nomination of Brodbeck as a man of ability, and one who had been much abused for no fault of his own. The present system of sewerage was prepared by a Chicago engineer, and adopted by the council, which body had instructed Brodbeck to follow those plans. Mr. Mitchell urged that Miller be nominated, as he was the man who had done the work for Brodbeck. The chairman deemed Mitchell's remarks in bad taste, and rather choked him off.

The ballot was then taken informally, resulting, Brodbeck 26, Miller 10. The formal ballot nominated Brodbeck 32 to

4 for Miller.
There was hard work in nominating an

assessor. The informal ballot gave H. C. Oliver 12, W. L. Patton 12, H. Shoemaker 8, W. D. Hardin 2, Mr. Lutz 1.

The first formal ballot resulted: Shoe-maker 14, Oliver 11, Patton 10, Hardin 1.
Second formal ballot—Shoemaker 13,
Patton 12, Oliver 10, Hardin 1.
Third ballot—Patton 16, Shoemaker 16, Oliver 10. Fourth — Patton 17, Shoemaker 11,

Oliver 4, Hardin 4. Fifth-Patton 16, Hardin 12, Sohemaker Sixth-Patton 21, Hardin 10, Shoemaker 5.

The nomination of Dr. Patton was then made unanimous. For superintendent of markets F. B.

For superintendent of markets F. B. Patton and W. S. Amy were named. A formal ballot gave the honor to Amy, who received 27 votes to Patton's 9.

For alderman at large a number were named, but several refused to have their names considered. The informal ballot stood: Si Danforth 19, A. C. Graham 6, W. C. James 9, C. R. Mitchell 2.

Mr. Danforth was then nominated transitionally by acceleration.

unanimously by acclamation.

Adjournment was then taken.

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

The Battle of York.

In the circuit court yesterday there was rather an amusing and sensational case being heard before Judge Conner. The parties concerned were Aaron York and Mrs. York, his wife. It appears that they have had considerable family trouble, and at last they agreed to disagree. He owned one farm of eighty acres, and another of forty acres, located near Macedonia. The larger farm he gave to his wife when they separated. He was a school teacher, and taught in different places in this county, and after the separation went to Washington territory, where he taught for a time. While there she got a divorce from him on the ground of desertion. The present contest is over the title to the smaller farm, which she claims for almony, while he resists, claiming that he has given her all the property to which

she is entitled.

York on the witness stand, proved rather a droll witness. He narrated his matrimonial experiences in a slow, dragging sort of way, and caused the smile to go around the room often. He declared that a tone time his wife his him. smile to go around the room often. He declared that at one time his wife hit him over the head with a rolling pin; at another time with a flatiron; "so that I was hardly presentable;" she bit his thumb he said, so hard that she cracked one of her false teeth; one time he tipped the table, and knocked off one or two plates, breaking them, and she went off to the store and bought \$6 worth of dishes and had them charged to him. She was of an argumentative turn of mind, and when she got a little the worst of it she would hop got a little the worst of it she would hop

The troubled husband also went into a rather spicy description of some other chapters in his matrimonial life. He said chapters in as matrimonial me. He said that one of the most frequent visitors to the house was a man named Henry De Long, who was preaching in that neighborhood, and digging wells, etc. He used to come there often and stay over night, and sometimes over Sunday. He used to come there often and stay over night, and sometimes over Sunday. He thought that DeLong was coming there altogether too much and went with Mrs. York too much. DeLong used to be there when he was away. Sometimes when he was there this man would sleep on a lounge in the same room where his wife's bed was, York sleeping in another room. York and his wife did not sleep together for a long time. He laid much of his family trouble to the presence of DeLong in the home, and finally told De Long not to come there any more. Mrs. Long not to come there any more. Mrs. York used to drive off with DeLong and be gone some days. She used to come to Council Bluffs with him, and sometimes

come here without him, and meet him

here. In fact, he thought he had good reason to be jealous of DeLong. It was about the time of this friendliness with DeLong that she commenced to be anxious to get the property in her name.

York claimed that he had given most of his wages to Mrs. York, besides giving her the farm, and naturally felt that he

had given her all she ought to have. A Great Record.

There are few things of human construction so nearly perfect and invulnerable that the sharp point of intelligent criticism cannot find in them some weak spot in which it is possible to pick a hole. But search as you may every line and detail of the forty-first annual report of he New York Life Insurance company, printed in full, no such spot is anywhere visible. Of course, it is possible for men whose purpose is best known to themselves, if they have any purpose at all, to single out something that may appear faulty to them or that they are disposed to make it so appear to others. But such people, if any there be, might just as well be engaged in the fruitless labor of endeavoring to prove that black is white as to set out on the hopeless task of trying

and beyond honest criticism.

Its total income last year was over \$16,100,000, and its payments to policy holders about \$8,000,000. Its interest income was over \$3,000,000, being nearly \$400,000 in excess of losses

to convince any intelligent man that the exhibit of the New York Life is not above

by death.

The market value of its securities is over \$3,300,000 in excess of their cost.

And after providing for its liabilities both actual and contingent, a surplus of over thirteen million dollars by the state standard remains as a golden bulwark of security for the policy holders. Here is the year's work in a nutshell;

an increase of nearly two million dollars in income, over three million in surplus, over seven million in assets, and over thirty millions of insurance in force. But stupendous as these results are, they are only in keeping with the pre-vious record of the company. And in considering, whether in outline or detail, its record of forty-one years, large consid-ration should be given by the incomeration should be given to the circumstances under which the results have been produced, as well as the results themselves. It should among other things be remembered that forty-one years ago life insurance was only an experiment and apparently a very doubtful one—in this country, while its course in England had been marked by lamentable failures, as well as by conspicuous success. It should be remembered, too, that this country has experienced many financial storms in the past forty years. At the first year, the business of the New York Life during each year respectively was as

Insurance written \$920,008 \$ 68,521,452,00

ten years was less than one-third of the amount placed on the company's books during 1885, and the premiums received were only about one-sixth of the amount received during 1885. This growth is so immense that it is almost impossible to comprehend its significance. But just think of this \$89,000,000 paid to policy holders, nearly \$34,000,000 of which went to the widows, orphans and other representatives of men who died. And the proportion which the total amount paid bears to the total receipts from policy holders, when taken in connection with the cash assets now held in trust for them, is equally remarkable. Of the \$144,000,000 received from policy holders, over eighty-nine millions have been returned and nearly sixty-seven million more stand to their credit on the company's books. One item explains, in company's books. One item explains, in part at least, how these extraordinary results have been produced. The interest receipts alone—showing how skillfully and carefully the funds have been invested and managed—have paid all expenses of management, including taxes, and placed nearly twelve million dollars to the orbits helders.

to the credit of policy holders.

The men who made this brilliant record for the New York Life seek not public for the New York Life seek not public recognition or personal praise. But in the golden results of their faithfulness and ability in the discharge of a great sacred trust, they have the highest and best and most enduring reward.—New York Standard. E. C. Smith, general agent for Western Iowa and Southern Nebraska, No. 506 Broadway, Council Bloffs.

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and Sixth avenue, Council Bluffs, consisting
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house of six rooms; all on lot 50x113. For terms
apply to A. H. McClurg, on premises.

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SIOUX CITY & PACIFIC.
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6:30 P. M St. Paul Express 8:25 A. M.
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Taxes and re-insurances
Commissions, brokerages, agency expenses and physicians' fees
Office and law expenses, salaries, advertising, printing, etc. . \$ 2,003,100 24 250,142 32 2,024,090 50 488,440 60-\$10,444,550 19 \$63,519,618 00 . \$ 2,042,542 60 . 33,640,220 56 . 6,853,532 63 collateral security
Temperary loans, market value of securities held as collateral. \$501,480 00 Loans on existing policies, the reserve held by the Co. on these policies amounts to over \$2,000,000 00 Quarterly and semi-nanual premiums on existing policies, due subse-quent to January 1, 1836 quent to January 1, 1888
*Traniums on existing policies in course of transmission and collection.
(The reserve on these policies, included in liabilities, is estimated at \$055,000

Agents' balances.
Accrued interest on investments, January 1, 1886
Market value of securities over cost on Company's books
*A detailed schedule of these items will accompany the usual annual report filed with the insurance department of the state of New York. 878,161 65 435.284.18—363.512.618 00 \$3,351,703 32 Cash assets January 1, 1886 - - - - - - - -\$66,864,321 32 Appropriated as follows: Appropriated as follows:

Adjusted losses, due subsequent to January 1, 1886.

Reported losses, awaiting proof, &c.

Matured endowments, due and unpaid (claims not presented).

Annutities due and unpaid uncalled for.

Reserved for re-insurance on existing policies; part-cipating insurance at 4 per cont. Carlisle net premium; non-participating at 5 per cent. Carlisle net premium

Reserved for contingent liabilities to Tontine Dividend Fund,

January 1, 1885, over and above a 4 per cent. reserve on existing policies of that class.

\$2,637,796.70

Addition to the fund during 1885.

\$2,637,796.70

From the undivided surplus of \$7.034.473.13 the Board of Trustees has declared a Roversionary dividend to participating policies in proportion to their contrat ution to surplus, available on settlement of next annual premium. Insu rance in Force, Jan. 1, 1882, \$151,760,824 P. 1883, 171,415,097 B84, 198,746,043 B85, 222,382,586 B85, 250,674,500 Cash Assets, Jan 1, 1882, \$47,228,781 ** 1883, 50,800,306 ** 1884, 55,542,033 ** 1886, 66,864,321 Death-Claims Paid. Income from Interest. 1881, \$2,432,654 1882, 2,708,018 1883, 2,712,863 1884, 2,971,624 1885, 3,399,069 During the year 18,566 policies have been issued, insuring \$68,521,452.

\$59,799,818 19

7,064,478 13

13,225,053 94

SURPLUS.

Divisible Surplus (Company's Standard)......

Surplus by the New State Standard, at 41 per cent......

Jan. 1, 1885: Co.'s Standard, \$4,371,014; State Standard, \$9,896,773 Jan. 1, 1886: Co.'s Standard, \$7,084,473; State Standard, \$13,225,053 INCREASE: Co.'s Standard, \$2,693,459; State Standard, \$3,328,280

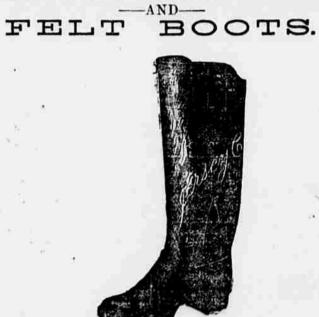
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