

THE DAILY BEE.
COUNCIL BLUFFS
 WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 23.
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 twenty cents per week.
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 NEWS EDITOR, No. 23.

MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.
 New spring goods at Reiter's, tailor.
 The Ancient Order of Hibernians will
 give a ball on St. Patrick's day, March 17.
 A boom has struck Crescent City.
 Three deeds from there were presented for
 record yesterday. They were dated in
 1872.
 J. W. & E. L. Squire's abstracts are
 giving good satisfaction.
 Colonel and Mrs. Swan entertained the
 Harmony mission social last evening at
 their residence on St. James street.
 Permit to wed was yesterday granted
 to Jeff D. Harris and Amy E. Gregg, both
 of Weston; Charles Schmoor and Ada
 Schultz, both of this county.

The city council meets this evening to
 consider the levee. It is expected that
 arrangements will be completed to-night
 by which work will commence at once.
 Reiter, the tailor, yesterday received a
 fine line of new goods.
 A novel social entitled "a panacea so-
 cial," was given by the Episcopalians
 yesterday afternoon, who were en-
 tertained at the home of Mrs. J. E. Mey-
 ers.
 The marshal is preparing his annual
 proclamation commanding those who
 have thrown ashes in the alleys to re-
 move the same at once. The spring
 cleaning should commence early.
 George W. Thompson & Co., real estate,
 No. 105 Main street.
 The district court convenes to-day. It
 is expected that the saloon injunction
 cases will come up in some form. There
 will probably be many trials of techni-
 calities before the end comes.

Mrs. B. S. Terwilliger and Mrs. Huber
 gave a reception yesterday afternoon to
 their lady friends, at the home of Mrs.
 Terwilliger. The affair was an elegant
 one in all its details, and the number of
 guests large.
 The masquerade given by Abe Lincoln
 post last evening proved a great success
 and very enjoyable. The veterans never
 do things by half and the public responds
 promptly to appeals for help for the relief
 fund of so worthy an organization.
 On Thursday evening everybody who
 wants the whole world should be at the
 opera house. "The World" is said to be
 the finest spectacular drama which has
 been presented here this season. The
 popular actor, J. Z. Little, will be sup-
 ported by a large company.
 A boy named Vance Brown, living at
 No. 349 Benton street, made a sad mis-
 take in taking a drink of water that sup-
 posed was pure water in the composting
 room of the Evening Herald. It proved to
 be a jar of lye, and the first taste so
 burned the boy's mouth that he will suffer
 from the effects for some time.
 Prof. W. Perego was yesterday presented
 with an elegant cane as an indication
 that he had not been forgotten by A.
 Hartney, the proprietor of the Fargo
 house, at Denison. Mr. Hartney built
 the track of the driving park here, and
 was for a long time connected with the
 management, in which Mr. Perego has
 been so actively interested.

Last evening the "Naiad Queen" was
 again presented at the opera house as a
 benefit to Prof. Millett. Mrs. Roff took
 the part of Queen and won much praise
 by her charms of voice and manner. The
 audience seemed quite as enthusiastic
 over the entertainment as though it was
 presented for the first time.
 All orders from real estate brokers for
 job printing will receive immediate and
 careful attention at Pryor's BEE job
 office.

Best grades Iowa soft lump coal, \$3 per
 ton at yard; \$3.50 delivered. C. B. Fuel
 Co., 539 Broadway, Telephone 136.

Joined in Wedlock.
 Yesterday afternoon Frank Wasserman,
 of Omaha, and Miss Addie Fox, of this
 city, were joined in marriage by the
 Rev. G. W. Crofts, pastor of the Congrega-
 tional church, at the home of the bride,
 No. 708 Washington avenue, in the pre-
 sence of the immediate relatives of the
 contracting parties. The newly wedded
 couple left for the south on a two weeks'
 tour.
 The groom is a prominent young man
 of Omaha and is highly connected.
 The bride is the eldest daughter of
 Colonel John Fox and is well known and
 highly respected.

Personal Paragraphs.
 Mrs. J. H. Hamilton, of Neola, is re-
 ported as dangerously ill.
 J. T. Beem and wife, of Marengo, are
 visiting Mrs. Beem's sister, Mrs. W. H.
 Burns.
 Henry Saar and wife, and son Ed, to-
 gether with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Klein,
 have gone to Kansas to start in the stock
 business.
 Captain Overton returned from Texas
 for a stay over Sunday, and went back
 yesterday. While here he looked after
 his mission, preaching two sermons to a
 crowded house.
 Elmer Shugart, son of E. L. Shugart,
 has returned from Bellevue college, suf-
 fering from a severe accident which
 befell him while on his way to school.
 His head is badly bruised, and one ear
 injured so that there is some doubt about
 the hearing ever being fully restored.

To Contractors and Builders.
 Proposals will be received by the under-
 signed until the 28th of next month for the
 building of the new Catholic church.
 Plans and specifications may be seen at
 the pastoral residence. The right is re-
 served to reject any or all proposals.
 A. P. McMenomy, Pastor.

Asp Wednesday.
 This is the first of the churches' Lenten
 fast of forty days. The services of St.
 Paul's Episcopal church will be of un-
 usual interest this season, and are as fol-
 lows:
 Ash Wednesday—10:30 a. m. and 7:30
 p. m.
 Sundays—11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 Tuesdays—5 p. m.
 Wednesdays—7:30 p. m.
 Thursdays—5 p. m.
 Fridays—3 p. m.
HOLY WEEK.
 Daily Morning Prayer—10:30 a. m.
 Wednesday, Thursday and Good Friday—
 7:30 p. m.
 Easter Eve (Saturday) Baptismal Service—
 8 p. m.
EASTER DAY.
 Service, Sermon and Holy Communion—
 10:30 a. m.
 Children's Festival—7:30 p. m.
 The apostolic rule of confirmation will be
 administered on Sunday, March 13. Prepara-
 tory lectures will be delivered every Wednes-
 day evening. Persons desiring instructions
 will please hand their names to the rector at
 once.
 If you want a situation leave your
 name at the office of the American Dis-
 trict Telegraph company, No. 11 North
 Main.

Miss Mollie Corcoran, dressmaker, No.
 114 Mynder street, between 7th and 8th
 streets.

THE NEWS IN THE BLUFFS

Sudden Derangement of a Chicago Merchant
 While at One of the Hotels.

THE POLICE FINDINGS.

The Sales of Dirt Keep Up—A Family
 Cousined Out of Money
 and Clothing—Len-
 len Services.

Pounded Upon By Police.

Officers Rose and Beswick found a sus-
 picious acting fellow hanging about the
 city and tracking him to the colored dye
 kept by "Texas," about 2 o'clock in the
 morning, arrested him. He gave his
 name as Harry Fox, and claimed to be a
 detective, or engaged in some such work
 temporarily. He claimed to hail from
 Logan, and declared that he did not go
 into the house for any illegitimate busi-
 ness, but simply to see if there was a man
 there whom he was hunting for. As he
 appeared to be a rather harmless individ-
 ual, he was allowed to depart with a bit
 of free advice from Judge Aylesworth
 about avoiding the appearance of evil.

Officer Quinn, of the transfer force,
 has ever an eye out for sharpers. He
 saw a young man hanging about an eld-
 erly one in the depot, and when he saw
 the elderly one give the other a ten dol-
 lar bill, he interfered. It appeared that
 they were chance acquaintances. The
 elderly man was waiting for the train for
 Kansas City, and was rather mellow.
 The young man had taken fifty cents of
 the old man with which to buy a bottle
 of whisky, but had returned it saying he
 could not get a bottle for that. Then the
 old man gave him a \$10 bill, the young
 man to bring back the bottle and the
 change. It was at this point that Officer
 Quinn stepped up, put the old man on
 his guard, and caused the young fellow
 to return the bill. A little later when the
 old man took the train the young man
 was still hanging about him, trying to
 induce him to stop off and come up town,
 and take in the sights. Then the young
 fellow was arrested on suspicion of being
 a confidence man. On being brought be-
 fore Judge Aylesworth yesterday morn-
 ing, he claimed that he was a barber,
 named St. Cloud, although the officer
 had his name as Charles Gordon. He
 claimed that he was at work in Thomas'
 shop on upper Broadway. He said that
 he expected his wife to arrive from Des
 Moines, and that he went to the depot
 to meet her and was there arrested. He
 claims that his wife, to whom he was
 married a month ago, has been living
 with her folks near Sidney. The judge
 assured him that it seemed quite certain
 that he had played at least one confi-
 dence game, and that the country girl
 who he had thus captured was doubtless
 victimized into the marital transaction.
 He caused the young fellow to be put
 back behind the bars until the police
 could examine into his case a little fur-
 ther.

Captain O'Brien, at a late hour of
 night noticed a young man just board-
 ing a coal car in the "aback yards." He
 could not see his face, but he saw the
 up both hands and march to the station.
 He was there booked as William Corbet
 and charged with larceny of coal. The
 case was dismissed yesterday, it appear-
 ing that he was simply trying to go
 to pursue his way through the yards to
 get a train.

A young man giving his name as Mc-
 Cree, claiming to be a barber who had
 profited yesterday on a charge of
 vagrancy. He is said to get drunk every
 time he gets a dollar, and to have an-
 noyed the police a good deal. The night
 before he had applied at the station for
 lodging, claiming that he had lost the
 key of his room and was not able to get
 in, and had no money in his pocket.
 He was allowed to go under the judicial
 process of the law, but he was found
 loitering about he would be given some-
 thing to keep him busy.

The Real Estate Deals.

The feverish condition of the real estate
 market has subsided, and a healthy,
 growing condition has taken its place.
 The amount of transfers each day is now
 averaging \$40,000 to \$50,000, with no large
 deals to make up the amount. The fol-
 lowing were filed yesterday:
 John B Corbally to H P Hoffmayer, 2 1/2
 1/4, 75, 44—\$500.
 H H Metcalf to W W Hanthorn, lot 9 blk 29
 Beers—\$150.
 J T Oliver to J E McGee, lot 13 Glendale
 extension—\$600.
 John Dohany to J E McGee, lot 12 Glendale
 extension—\$450.
 E E McGee to H A Blaine, lots 12 and 13
 Glendale extension—\$1,250.
 E S Russell to R S Giles, 2 1/2 acres nw 1/4
 nwy 21, 75, 30, west—\$5,500.
 J H Burroughs to W H Cray, lot 5 blk 11
 Bayless—\$2,800.
 Charles Banghan to J Q Anderson, lot 2
 blk 18 Bayless—\$2,500.
 C E Stiles to L C Enpkie, (trustee) lot 2
 blk 13, Hyatt's—\$7,000.
 H H Metcalf to J B Cassidy, lot 18,
 Elder's add—\$700.
 G M Dodge to Simpson Coledge, lot 12, blk
 17 Beers—\$100.
 Samuel Haas to H Z Hans 1/2 blk nw 1/4,
 34, 75, 44—\$7,500.
 A W Covalt to Ida B Reeves, lot 2, sub
 of 32, E. P. St. 11.
 W P Webster to James R Rice, east 1/4
 lot 4, blk 18, Grimes—\$2,000.
 E E McGee to H H Metcalf, nwy 21, nwy 24
 and sw 1/4, sec 20, 40—\$7,000.
 R T Bryant to L H Lasselle, lot 7, blk 29
 Bryant & Co—\$500.
 J C Coyle to F P Richmond, lot 3, blk 16,
 Mill—\$3,500.
 K F Cook to C E Friedman, lot 3, blk P,
 Curtis R—\$2,500.
 W W Farnam to James Clement, lots 4, 5
 and 6, blk 12; lots 1 to 15, blk 14; lots 16 to 23,
 blk 15; lots 19 to 20, blk 30; lots 16 to 20, blk
 24, all in Brown's sub—\$5,500.
 H E Palmer to C E Mayne, lot 20, blk 11,
 Riddle's, q c—\$100.
 H S Moseley to D Goldstein et al, lots 15 and
 14, blk 14, Beers—\$281.33.
 Henry Metcalf to Caroline Bowman, lot 5,
 blk 28, Verett's—\$300.
 Theodore to H J Darnell, lots 7, 8, 15 and
 16, blk 63, Riddle's—\$500.

Household.
 Household furniture and stove for sale
 cheap. Call to-day after 10 o'clock, at
 No. 527 Fifth ave. Z. T. LINSEY.

SUDDENLY CHAZED.

A Chicago Merchant Goes Stark Mad
 While Stopping Here For a Day.
 Yesterday there arrived at the Pacific
 house a fine looking, middle aged gentle-
 man, accompanied by his wife and a
 young lady, they registering as A. R. Ste-
 vens and family, of Chicago. They were
 assigned to a suite of rooms and at-
 tracted no special attention until in the
 afternoon, when the most unearthly
 screams were heard and the noise of a
 terrible struggle. Mrs. Stevens had gone
 out on a brief errand, and when the help
 of the hotel hurriedly went to the room
 they found the door locked and heard the
 cries of the young lady for help. Burst-
 ing open the door they found that the
 man was stark mad and stark naked. In
 his wild ravings he would doubtless in a
 few minutes more have killed the young
 lady, had not help arrived as it did.
 There was a terrible struggle before the
 insane man could be controlled suffi-
 ciently to prevent him from injuring
 himself or those around him. He had to
 be thrown onto the floor by force and
 held there, it requiring four or five strong

men to handle him. After a little he
 calmed sufficiently so that with caution
 his clothing was got on, and then he had
 another ravings spell. The police officers
 were sent for and they had quite a struggle
 with him, and had finally to put Irons
 on him. The return of the wife seemed
 to calm him somewhat, but it was not
 deemed safe to release him from the man-
 acles lest he should have another of his
 ravings spells. It appeared from the
 statement of the ladies that Mr. Stevens
 is a Chicago coal dealer, whose home is
 in one of the suburbs—Washington
 Heights. He has been in rather poor
 health of late, and recently attended a
 convention of dealers of his line. He was
 absent several days and on his return
 home complained that during his absence
 he had been unable to sleep any. From
 that time he acted strangely, and
 from his talk it was feared that
 his mind was affected, but not seriously
 enough to necessitate confinement.
 His physician recommended a change
 of climate and so it was planned that
 they should go to Denver. They were
 en route thither and stopped over here
 for the day. The sudden out-
 break of the mental malady caused a
 change in the plans, and with an attend-
 ant family started back to Chicago
 last evening. The case caused quite a
 sensation in and about the hotel, but
 the excitement did not deaden the sym-
 pathy felt and expressed for the family,
 and especially for the wife, who as a stranger
 in a strange city had this trying ordeal.

When you are in the city stop at the
 Pacific house. Street cars pass the door
 every fifteen minutes for all the depots.
 Meals 50 cents.

If you want wood sawed or coal carried
 call at the office of the American Dis-
 trict Telegraph company, No. 11 North
 Main street.

At the Pacific house you will save from
 50 cents to \$1 per day. Try it and be
 convinced.

L. B. Crafts & Co., are loaning money
 on all classes of chattel securities at one-
 half their former rates. See them before
 securing your loans.

Substantial abstracts of titles and real
 estate loans. J. W. & E. L. Squire, No.
 101 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

Too Much of a Cousin.
 A day or two ago a stranger called at
 the home of L. A. Stewart and intro-
 duced himself, speedily worming his way
 into the confidence of the family by his
 claim of being a cousin. He pretended
 to be engaged in building telephone lines
 and while attending to some important
 business in this city thought he would
 call. He disappeared as suddenly as he
 came and with his disappearance there
 followed the loss of \$300 in money and an
 overcoat. The cellar door had been
 broken open and entrance thus gained to
 the house during the night, and suspicion
 points to the cousin as the burglar.

Temperance Lecture.
 Elder Joseph Smith will deliver a tem-
 perance lecture in the Salvation Army
 hall on Thursday evening, the 24th inst
 under the auspices of the Independent
 Order of Good Templars. A cordial in-
 vitation is extended to all.

The new Quick Meal stove is a
 "daisy." Smooth steel top, steel frame.
 We guarantee every one. The best stove
 made. Cole & Cole, 41 Main St.

Dresses cut and fit, 714 Mynder.

If you want help of any kind, either
 temporary or permanent, call at the
 office of the American District Telegraph
 company, No. 11 North Main street. Tele-
 phone 179.

Electric door bells, burglar alarms and
 every form of domestic electrical appli-
 cances at the New York Plumbing Co.

"Tis True, 'Tis Pity, and 'Tis 'Tis 'Tis
 True."
 Parents let their children die with dip-
 theria and putrid sore throat in scarlet
 fever, when ten years' trial has proven
 beyond a doubt that Jeffrey's diptheria
 prevention and cure will save every case
 without the aid of a physician. For sale
 only at No. 23 South Eighth street, Council
 Bluffs, Iowa, or sent by express on re-
 ceipt of price, \$3.00.

Pacific house is the nearest hotel to the
 majority of real estate offices in the city.
 \$2.00 per day.

Dr. Hanchett, office No. 12 Pearl street;
 residence, 120 Fourth street; telephone
 No. 10.

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 The only hotel in Council Bluffs having
Fire Escape
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 215, 217 and 219 Main st.
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Justice of the Peace,
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Cancers Or other Tumors removed without
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 Over thirty years practical experience.
 111 Pearl St., Council Bluffs.
 Consultation free.

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 No. 11 North Main St.

City and county maps of cities and counties in
 western Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas.

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 Geo. S. Miller & F. H. Tobey,
 CIVIL ENGINEERS.
 Office over 1st National Bank, cor. Main
 and Broadway.

If you want estimates or plans for bridge
 works, foundations, sewers, grading or survey-
 ing and plating, call upon them. All work
 given prompt attention.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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 Special advertisements, such as Lost, Found,
 For Sale, For Rent, Wants, Boarding,
 etc., will be inserted in this column at the low
 rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first inser-
 tion and Five Cents Per Line for each subsequent
 insertion. Leave advertisements at our office,
 No. 12 Pearl street, near Broadway, Council
 Bluffs.

WANTS.

WANTED—A few energetic canvassers for
 HERR's Manual. Big money. No. 509 Broad-
 way. L. Dobson.
WANTED—Woodsmen and coal carriers
 to leave their names at the office of the
 American District Telegraph company, 11 N.
 Main st.
WANTED—A good girl at No. 221 Vine street.

WANTED—A five-room house, conveniently
 arranged for small family, near as possi-
 ble to Pacific house. Address by letter, C. J.,
 Bee office.

FOR RENT—Large front room, No. 714
 Mynder. Furnished or unfurnished.

FOR SALE—32 acres choice land, one mile
 south east of L. P. transfer depot and
 one and one-half miles southwest of the gov-
 ernment building. Bare chance for a syndi-
 cate. Apply to H. Shoemaker, 332, Harrison st.
 Main st.

FOR SALE—A good girl for general house-
 work. Inquire 109 Fourth street.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 265 acres with fine
 improvements, six miles east of Council
 Bluffs. Price low and all the time needed. In-
 quire of T. W. Van Severer, Council Bluffs.

FOR SALE—If taken this week—a five room
 house on Fifth avenue, near dummy
 depot. The street, sidewalk and lot billed to
 grade. Price \$1,500. Easy terms. Address
 Lot, Bee office, Council Bluffs.

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A 24 inch Gros Grain Black
 Silk, good value at \$1.50, at
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A 44 inch Black Cashmere,
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A line of new Spring
DRESS
GOODS!

50 acres of beautiful land on Broadway
 inside the city limits, at \$500 per acre.
 22 acres 10 rods from Broadway, just
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 Improved farm 5 miles north of the
 city, \$40 per acre.
 100 feet at junction of Main and Pearl
 streets, very low.
 Lot 50x121 on South Main street
 \$125 per foot.
 Large list of acre property on Frank-
 lin Avenue.
 Improved farm of 20 acres joining the
 city limits, near Greenlake at \$25
 per acre.
 Improved farm of 177 acres, 2 1/2 miles
 east of the city for \$50 per acre.
 80 acres 3 miles out at \$60.
 7 23-100 acres with \$1,500 dwelling, cor-
 ner of Franklin and Lincoln Ave., for
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These goods are of suitable tex-
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 ests to purchase from these, as
 they are sold regardless of cost
 or value to make room for our
 spring importations. These rem-
 nants must go as we have no
 room for them.

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 For all purposes, bought and sold, at retail
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