

OFFICE NO. 12, PEARL STREET

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MINOR MENTION.

F. Y. Plumbing Co. Better, tailor, Fall goods cheap.

About two hundred special assessment notices for sewerage are to be served, about half of which have already been filed out.

The industrial school, under the management of the W. C. A., meets Saturday, November 12, at 2 o'clock, at the African M. E. church.

George Wright bemoans the loss of a valuable horse which was accidentally shot on Thursday while running in a pasture just south of the city.

Dr. C. B. Judd has removed to No. 606 Broadway. He has a splendid location and the removal was necessary on account of his rapidly increasing business.

The services of the street paving force will be utilized to-morrow to lay the floor at the new fire house on Broadway. The same kind of material will be used as upon the streets.

Hessie, daughter of W. P. Burnett, of Hazel Dell township, died at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, of membranous croup. The funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock this morning.

On Thursday M. F. Hohrer sold to John Knowalski, of Omaha, lot 10, block 25, Boer's subdivision, for \$425. The improvements now being put upon Broadway are sure to create a demand for property abutting upon it.

L. C. Baldwin has not yet opened his meat market on Broadway, as some of the equipments are yet to arrive. The date of the opening will be duly noticed by the BEE. When ready for business he will have an nicely arranged market as there is in the city.

A rather aged document was filed at the recorder's office yesterday. It was a land warrant issued by Franklin Pierce in 1854, while he was president of the United States. The conveyance was in favor of Susan C. Callahan, widow of John B. Sample, who was a private in Captain Halton's company, South Carolina militia, during the war of 1812.

The fixtures of the Pacific house saloon have been sold to Omaha parties by William Maloney. He and George Smith, another ex-joined saloon keeper late of the Phoenix, intend going to Lincoln to engage in the saloon business. The rooms at the Pacific house formerly occupied by Maloney will be opened soon as a billiard parlor.

Charles Turner, George Monroe and William Wiley will appear before Judge Aylesworth to-day to answer to the charge of breaking and entering a house in the night time. They have just finished serving a thirty days' sentence for larceny, and the probability is that they will prolong their visit with Jailer O'Neill several weeks.

The barn of J. H. Delaney was burglarized a few nights since and a set of harness and some blankets stolen. The blankets were sold to a citizen living in the vicinity of the dead-end dumb institute, and from that clue the police arrested Evan Atterberg as the guilty party. He was lodged in the city jail and will probably be given a hearing this morning.

J. J. Vandever, of this city, who recently accepted a position with Parlin, Olendorf & Martin, of Omaha, to travel and sell agricultural implements for them, has been adjudged insane by the commissioners. Vandever is well known, not only in this city, but all through Iowa and Nebraska, and hundreds of his friends will unite in the hope that his affliction will prove to be only temporary.

Yesterday the newspaper offices were besieged during both day and evening by a crowd of interested persons who anxiously watched the bulletins as they appeared bearing the dispatches from Chicago. As the hour of the execution approached the excitement became intense. "Is there any disturbance?" was the burden of every thought. This anxiety for the safety of Chicago and her people was universal, and as the night closed in and no dispatches indicating riot were received a sigh of thankfulness was breathed by all.

One thousand head of one, two and three-year-old steers for sale. Will give credit to reliable parties. Enquire of A. J. Greenamayer, 623 Mynter st., telephone 121.

J. W. and E. L. Squire lend money.

E. H. Sheafe loans money on chattel security of every description. Private consulting rooms. All business strictly confidential. Office, 500 Broadway, corner Main street, up stairs.

Testing the Truck. The members of the fire department played with their new toy, the hook and ladder truck, for an hour or more yesterday morning and enjoyed it very much. After experimenting for a little while they "caught on" to the way of working it and had the seventy-five foot extension ladder run up to the hose tower in a hurry. Chief Tompkins was the first man to run up to the top, and was quickly followed by several of the other fire ladders. Mr. Bruegger, agent of the company that built the truck, will be here Monday and give the boys a lesson or two to show them how to use it successfully. The exhibition undoubtedly called out a large number of interested spectators.

If you want to show your girl what kind of a husband you will make by her a Domestic sewing machine.

Statury! New and beautiful designs. Suitable for holiday gifts, at P. C. Miller's.

For best quality coal and wood, call on Gleason, 26 Pearl street.

Wadsworth, Elyre & Co., 236 Main street, make felt and abstracts of property in Potawatamie county.

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The Poet Preacher.

A recent issue of the Chicago Inter-Ocean contains a portrait of Rev. G. W. Crofts, pastor of the Congregational church of this city, and views of the log cabin in which he was born and of Margaret Fuller's island. The biographical sketch of this popular preacher is as follows:

George W. Crofts was born April 9, 1841, in Manchester precinct, Boone county, Illinois. His parents were originally of Shalobury, Vt., but at an early date moved to Ohio, and from thence to Illinois in 1841. The log cabin in which he was born was of the most primitive character. In it there was not a nail or a piece of iron. Its roof was of "shakes" and the floor was made of hewn logs. It had but one window, and the only real boards about the building were those which formed the door.

The log cabin in which he was born and the more pretentious one of hewn logs his father afterwards constructed have long since passed away, but the "old stone school house" which forms the subject of one of his poems, still stands across the road from his father's old farm. Its walls intact, a sturdy witness to early struggles and sacrifices. In his tenth year he removed with his parents to Morris, Ill. From the time he commenced learning to read he had a singular desire to understand how books and newspapers were made, and on learning that there was a printing office in Mount Morris he experienced great uneasiness until the mystery was practically solved. In his eleventh year he entered the Gazette office as an apprentice in the course of three months the office was purchased by Allen & Atkins—the Hon. C. S. Allen, now of Missouri, and General S. D. Atkins, of Mt. Pleasant, Ill., and removed to Savannah, Ill., where they established the Savannah Register. They had become so warmly attached to the little business in the printing business that they took him along with them. The Register lived but about nine months, when the subject of this sketch returned to Mount Morris, and attended the village school. In the fall of 1854 Mr. Allen removed the office to Dixon, Ill., and began the publication of a paper there. Again the help of his little friend was applied for and cheerfully granted. He well remembers how in carrying papers in Dixon one cold, frosty evening his feet were badly frozen, and how he went to bed in a dreary room and let them thaw out at leisure.

In less than a year he again returned to Mount Morris, this time entering the seminary. In the spring of 1855 he went to Mount Carroll, Ill., and entered the printing office there as a compositor. The paper was published by Prof. D. H. Wheeler, who at this time is the honored president of Allegheny college, wearing all the learned titles. During this time he set up a part of Charles Sumner's famous speech on "The Crime Against Kansas," which fired his youthful blood, and from that day until now he has been a staunch republican in politics. In the fall of this year he returned again to Mount Morris, having saved his summer's wages, and re-entered the seminary. In the spring of 1856 he went to Oregon, and took a position as compositor in the Reporter office, a position he held for nearly four consecutive years. The scenery around Oregon is so romantic, and was so high and grand, and aided largely in molding his thoughts. Many a time did he climb to the top of Eagle's Nest, the spot where Margaret Fuller, July 4, 1840, composed her famous poem, "Ganymede to His Eagle," and drink from this glorious fountain of inspiration. This place is now a summer resort.

In his nineteenth year Mr. Crofts went to Springfield, Ill., and entered the Illinois State university, to prepare for the ministry. While here his first attempts at poetry were made, and several of his effusions were published in the Register and other papers. In 1857 he began preaching, and has continued steadily in his calling until now. He preached ten and a half years in Oregon, Ill.; ten and a half years in Sandwich, Ill., and for the past ten and a half years has been pastor of the Congregational church of Council Bluffs, Ia. Mr. Crofts has been a regular contributor to the Inter-Ocean for several years, and his best work has appeared in this paper. Several of his songs have been set to music. The most popular of these is "Love and Faith." This song appears in the "Gospel Choir," by Ira D. Sankey and James McGrandian. It is, it seems, a favorite with Mr. Moody, and has been sung at his great meetings. Shortly after Mr. Crofts went to Council Bluffs a mass meeting was held in the opera house, where Mr. Moody was to preach. As Mr. Moody came upon the stage he said to the singers and others sitting there, "Move forward." There was a spontaneous movement to the front, and the song was sung. It was written, and at once set to music by Prof. Towner, who was with Mr. Moody at the time.

You need not go without the furniture or stoves you need, for you can get them at Mandel's on weekly or monthly payments.

For rent—Suite of rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire at 41 Main street.

Money to loan. Cooper & Judson.

Common Council. Common council met last evening in regular session. The bill of Thomas Moore, amounting to \$5.28, for sewerage at intersections was read and on motion allowed. Bill of St. Bernard's hospital for \$13 was also allowed.

Petition of trustees of the German Evangelical church, that as the lines on the street run by the city engineer for curbing have been changed from the original that the old line be established. One corner of the church stands five feet in the street, which reduces the width of Seventh street to forty feet. It is desired to secure as much width as possible both in street and sidewalk. The petition was referred to the committee on streets and alleys with power to act.

Communication from the Richmond Fire Alarm company asking for payment according to contract. Referred.

Petition to open a street through the tract known as "Lost Creek." Referred.

Communication from J. E. Reiley & Co. representing that their bid for grading Broadway from Twelfth to Twenty-fifth street was lower than that of M. Callahan and that the letting of the work from Twenty-fifth street to the river was illegal, also tendering a bid on the entire work at 33 cents per cubic yard. W. H. Ware Esq., appeared as attorney for M. Callahan and asked that the council grant him time to file a protest against opening the bids. The contracts are already let and his client has already done some work on his contract. Filed.

Bond of M. Callahan in sum of \$4,000 with sureties was presented. Approved. The time of beginning work on his contract was put at Nov. 14, and March 1 set as the time of completion with a fine of \$1 per day for non-completion.

Bond of H. E. Owens in the sum of \$1,000 was presented and approved. The conditions of the contract made the same as preceding one.

Ordinance granting C. R. Mitchell and P. Sweeney the right to lay down temporary tramway for the purpose of grading on Ninth avenue back to Third street. Rules suspended and ordinance passed to second and then final reading. Passed.

REPORT OF JUDICIAL COMMITTEE. Petition of Henry Breeffart for remission of taxes, refused.

Petition of Sarah Burroughs, refused. Petition of J. Dickey, refused also that of C. Deekin.

Petition of C. J. Colby et al. for grading. Granted. The work to be done and charged up to property abutting on the streets named.

Report on the application of the Mitten heirs for damages sustained by them by the putting of a dyke between their property and the river. Filed. Petition of A. W. Street reported adversely.

Notice from Deere, Wells & Co. that the filling in front of their property is

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1,000 pieces PLAIN, STRIPED AND BROCADED SILK VELVETS AND PLUSHES, which cost this season to import, prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$5 per yard. Will be offered during this week at the silk counter of the great People's Store at 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2 per yard.

No lady wearing velvets can afford to let these goods pass. If she has already bought, let her look at these and compare her bill from high-priced houses with ours, and see how much she is out—to profit by it hereafter.

At Our Kid Glove Counter

Find one solid clearing out purchase of 300 dozen Ladies' 4-button Tan French Kid Gloves, embroidered backs. Cost to import \$1 a pair. We will sell them this week at 50c a pair, just one-half cost of importation.

OUR ENTIRE STORE

Is loaded with fresh, new goods. Last week's grand clearing out purchases and all at about half the price other houses ask for the same kind of goods.

SPECIAL SALE

Winter Combination Dress Patterns.

We shall offer MONDAY, 125 COMBINATION DRESSES. A full dress pattern of best quality, plain French fabrics, with Plush and Velvet Combination, costing to import from \$15 to \$32. We shall close them at \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50; \$15 and \$20 each.

The goods cannot be duplicated in costumes, as elegant and tasteful at nearly double these prices. The goods were received in our house from the importer Friday last, and have not yet been shown. We advise an early call, as at these prices the assortment must soon be broken.

Also call attention to our sale of 35-Cent Dress Goods.

To-morrow and succeeding days we shall offer 200 PIECES 40 TO 46-INCH WOOL DRESS GOODS, in superior weight, texture and colors, that are worth double the price asked. ALSO AT 48 CENTS.

250 pieces Tricots and Scotch Plaid Effects.

SECOND Purchases in Cloaks

Our buyers have just returned from their second purchasing tour this season, and we will open the coming week many novelties never before shown in the city. Intending purchasers will do well to look at the handsome line of new shape.

Raglans and Ulsters. We are showing in stripes and checks, all new patterns. They are positively the richest garments ever exhibited here—at moderate prices.

We are continuing our great sale of PLUSH WRAPS AND SACKS. CHILDREN'S CLOAKS at half price. We have just purchased a large line of Children's Cloaks at less than half price, which we will open on Monday morning. Some of the best styles produced this season, and all sizes, from 2 to 12 years.

The enormous business we are doing well justifies us in asserting that we have the homesnest line and lowest prices in the city. You will save money by calling in to see us before purchasing a garment.

Great Blanket and Comforter Sale

During this week at one-half of former prices. Our DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT will be alive with special bargains during this week's sale. Always call at

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401 Kinds of Dress Goods for 401 styles of beauty.

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All this and 401 times as much you will find at 401 Broadway.

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