

THE SUNDAY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OFFICE NO. 12, PEARL STREET. Delivered by carrier in any part of the city at twenty cents per week.

MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Reiter, tailor, Fall goods cheap. The banks of the city will close to-morrow.

Yesterdays S. Saunders sold to W. C. Dickey lots 3, 4 and 5 in Highland park; \$1,000 was the price paid.

The confederation, No. 81 Main street, has changed hands, Mr. Scarborough disposing of it to William Weirich.

Hugh Hanson, G. Lewis and J. Manke, were a happy trio before Judge Ayresworth yesterday. The song they sung was a merry one but they were liberally assessed to pay the addler just the same.

Dr. A. J. Cook will remain in Council Bluffs and practice his profession as of yore. The doctor is a successful physician and surgeon, and his friends will be glad to learn of his determination to remain here.

J. J. Stork's new residence on Benton street is all ready for occupancy, but owing to the illness of his wife he has been unable to move. As soon as she is able the family will take possession of their new home.

Thirty-five thousand dollars worth of bonds were issued to various contractors on city work yesterday. To the Omaha & Council Bluffs paving company \$25,000; Wightman & Miller and M. A. Moore \$10,000.

"Only a Farmer's Daughter" held the boards at Dohany's opera house last night. The play is well known to all theater goers. The company on this occasion was a strong, well balanced one. The attendance was fair.

George C. Boniface in "Streets of New York" begins his present week to-morrow night at Dohany's opera house. Tuesday afternoon and evening Herr Andre's Alpine choir and Tyrosene company appear at the same place.

Mrs. Simon Eiseaman presented her husband with a Christmas gift which, though much appreciated now, will be more beloved by his fond parents as it grows older. A bouncing baby came yesterday morning to gladden the household.

While a party of young fellows were playing pool at the Manhattan last evening one of them put a ball into his pocket, for which Officer Anderson arrested him and took him to the station house. Here he claimed to have taken the ball by mistake, and on this claim he was let go.

The Pacific house has prepared a special New Year's dinner for its patrons to-day. The menu is a handsome one and presents the day's greetings in a most appetizing and courses which cannot but tempt the appetite. Ferguson & Son never do things half way.

A change goes into effect to-day by which the Omaha mail will arrive at 1:35 p. m. and 6:35 p. m. The latter mail will be in time for the evening distribution. There has been much complaint about the mail communications between these two cities, and it is to be hoped that more changes for the better will follow.

The success which has attended Mr. J. G. Tipton in his real estate business in the past year, demonstrates that what the people want is wise advice, honestly given. While he is wide-awake and ever rustling, he does not believe in inflating facts, or letting his enthusiasm get away with his judgment. He is posted in values, watches all the points of the compass, and those who deal with him speedily learn that in judgment and honesty he is to be relied on. This has done more than anything else to bring about his remarkable success and increase of business.

Personal Paragraphs. Joel Eaton arrived home yesterday. W. C. Potter arrived in the city yesterday. Colonel T. McCissock, of the Wabash, is in the city. Frank Hendricson, of Langdon, Mo., is in the city. Mrs. Millard of Union street, is reported quite ill.

George W. Head, of Oneida, Kan., was at the Kiel hotel yesterday. M. S. Stout, of the Ogden, has gone to Denton, Tex., on a four weeks' visit. United States Marshal Campbell, of Fairfield, was in the city yesterday. W. E. Brock returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Des Moines.

Alfonso Bruner, of Kansas City, was among those at the Kiel hotel yesterday. John M. Diernett, of Keg Creek, was at the Creston on the last day of the year. C. S. W. Otte, Chicago, and A. Armstrong, Sioux City, are registered at the Ogden. D. J. Farrell, of Glenwood, the old Mills county sheriff, was in the Bluffs yesterday. E. D. Fisher and W. I. Schmaedecke, of Underwood, were at the Creston yesterday. Captain R. B. Sealay is lying very ill, and his friends are very anxious about the result. Mrs. Pethybridge is reported as much better, and hopes of her recovery are now entertained.

THE NEWS ABOUT THE BLUFFS

Singing a Lullaby to the Old and Greeting the New.

ABOUT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Change in Teachers—Newspaper Pilfering—The Programme of Piety For the Day—Doing of the Council.

Joyful Germans. The Maennerchor consists of the leading German citizens, and is as merry an organization, with as much good cheer constantly following as any such organization in the land.

The city council met last evening in adjourned session. Present, Alderman Wells, Lacy, Hammer, Keller, Metcalf and Danforth. Chairman Wells presided in the absence of Mayor Groves.

Eleven sewerage protests were referred without reading. Bill of S. Thompson for damage to team by falling into an excavation at the intersection of avenue G and Tenth street, \$50. Referred.

Petition for opening a street from Lincoln avenue to Vaughn avenue, right of way being given by property owners. Granted on condition that other property owners not petitioning give quit claim deeds to city.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the city marshal, F. A. Guntella, be instructed to notify the gas light company that the city will terminate its contract with them for street lighting after January 1, as no more gas light on streets will be needed.

The committee to whom was referred the resignation of Mayor Groves, reported, accepting same and submitted resolutions of regret which were ordered spread upon the records. A resolution was adopted declaring the office of the mayor vacant, and as the next election occurs so soon as to make official notice and election impracticable, the mayor now elected will fill the unexpired term.

Council now proceeded to ballot for mayor. Informal ballot: M. F. Rohrer, 4; M. Keating, 2. Formal: M. F. Rohrer, 5; Keating, 1. On motion the election of M. F. Rohrer was made unanimous. Adjourned to Monday evening next.

Opium, morphine habits cured. Dr. Bellinger, 614 B'way, Council Bluffs. The schools of the city open Monday. The only change in the corps of teachers is in the Bloomer building, and the full list there is as follows:

High school—Prof. Preuty, principal; Miss Vining, assistant; Mr. Cogshall, second assistant. Principal of the building and of the first grade: Mrs. Ware; Seventh grade, Miss Swan; Sixth grade, Miss Dale; Sixth and Fifth grades, Miss Sprague; Fourth grade, Miss Baldwin; Fourth, Miss Anderson; Fourth, Miss Anderson; Third, Miss Clausen; Second, Miss Moon; Second and First, Miss Albright.

There is in the high school probably the largest class in virgin in the state, outside of the colleges. The class numbers twenty-two. The graduating class this year will reach from eleven to thirteen. The average attendance in the high school is 105.

The promotions in the different grades will be four weeks from now. The average attendance thus far during the year has increased a larger per cent than in any other year, and is one of the most encouraging features gathered from the reports of facts and figures.

Every one making a cash purchase of 25 cents at T. D. King & Co.'s cigar store gets a chance in the annual price drawing. Twenty elegant prizes.

Two Hearts Beat As One. On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Yancey returned from a visit with relatives at Creston, their former home. While there they witnessed the celebration of the nuptials of Mr. George A. Yancey and Miss Lillie Shubert. The groom is a brother of C. C. Yancey, and from his connection with a prominent Kansas City house and business visits here is well known in the city.

The wedding occurred last Tuesday evening and the happy couple are now visiting the cities of the southwest. During the trip they will arrive here and spend a few days with relatives. Congratulations are in order, and these, coupled with the kindest expressions of the hope for future prosperity, will be abundantly bestowed upon the happy couple.

Residence lots for sale by Johnston & Van Patten. The officials of the Rock Island road are determined to put a stop to the taking of coal from the cars upon their tracks. This petty pilfering aggregates many hundreds of dollars during a single winter.

During the past two days about a dozen men and boys have been arrested. The names appearing upon the records are Levi Hopkins, Alonzo James, J. D. Alexander and eight boys from eight to fourteen years of age. Thus far they have been let off with a small fine and a warning to mind so that they know what will result from a repetition of the offense.

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.

An Artist. At the concert in the Masonic hall last Friday evening Miss Frances Smith made her debut as a pianist. She played "Consolidation" by Liszt, and the "Movement of the Minor Concerto" by Mendelssohn. It was a pleasure seldom experienced to hear and interpret these master compositions. The phrasing, expression and execution was superb. Miss Smith's playing showed an accurate and thorough training; and Prof. Lipfert may justly feel proud of her as a pupil and his success as a teacher.

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We have made every effort to place on sale the most attractive and useful goods at the lowest possible prices, and we invite inspection and comparison.

Special Handkerchief sale this week at 2c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, up to \$10. Each and all go at about half price.

Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers in large variety. Laces, Embroideries, Fichues, Lace Collars, Kid and Fabric Gloves. All must go at this great sale.

Cloaks, Suits, Wraps, Gentlemen's Dressing Gowns and Smoking Jackets. Ladies' Slumber Robes, Japanese Smoking Jackets all Silk and Quilts at \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8 to \$10. Each a very suitable present from a lady to a gentleman.

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