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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Reiter, tailor, Fair goods cheap. The common council meets this evening in regular session.

Good coal, full weight guaranteed. C. B. Lumber company, 500 Main street. Tel. 257. There is to be a missionary society at the residence of Mrs. N. P. Dodge on Thursday evening.

The organist at St. Paul's church was assisted yesterday by Mrs. M. Archer, organist of the M. E. church at Columbus, O. Excelsior Lodge No. 25 A. F. & A. M. will meet in regular communication this (Monday) evening in Masonic hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

The board of county supervisors will resume their labors this morning. It will probably take them the greater part of this week to finish up the business of this session. The police made four arrests Saturday night. Thomas Whalen and James Doyle were run in for being in the streets, and Charles Kelley and Billy Beadson were locked up for vagrancy.

A woman employed in the Creston house yesterday slipped in passing out of the kitchen, and in falling struck her head against the corner of a box, knocking her senseless and inflicting quite a cut.

The Harrison County News presents an enthusiastic holiday edition which is very readable and showing Missouri. Valued at \$100,000 into building improvements the past year.

The social of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be held on Thursday evening next at the residence of Mrs. Benson, corner of Willow avenue and Eighth street. Mrs. Bradley and Miss May Davenport will assist in the reception of the guests.

The revival meetings that have been conducted at the Broadway Methodist church for the past week are to be continued during the present week. The results so far have been most satisfactory. About twenty persons have asked for prayers and several have made a confession of faith.

Rev. D. D. DeLong occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last evening and preached an excellent sermon. It was a gratifying opportunity to those who have had the pleasure of his ministrations during his brief stay in this city. Mr. DeLong is a cultured christian gentleman of strong pulpit powers and warm social qualities. He and his estimate will be a great asset to the new field of labor at Arkansas City, Kan.

The mercury stood at 15 degrees below zero at 8 o'clock yesterday morning at the corner of Broadway and Pearl streets. It ranged all the way from 10 to 16 below at different points throughout the city. During the entire day the bushful metal hovered around the zero, and prevented the majority of the citizens from venturing into the air, especially on streets leading to the churches.

Opium, morphine habits cured. Dr. Bellingr, 614 B-way, Council Bluffs.

For bargains in real estate, go to Johnston & Van Patten, 33 Main st.

The Central drug store, under the management of J. D. Stuart, has been enlarged and refurnished with a complete stock of fresh drugs. A fine holiday line of books, stationery, cutlery and musical goods at very low prices.

If you desire to get a new Hall type writer cheap, drop a postal card to H. A. P. office. A great bargain for the first who applies.

Personal Paragraphs.

J. J. Garrotte, of Shenandoah, Ia., was in the city yesterday.

J. E. Harkness is suffering from a sprained ankle, the result of ice.

Mr. I. M. Traynor has been engaged to assist in the musical department of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Prof. McDermid was suffering so from a cold as to be unable to take his place in the Congregational church quartet yesterday.

H. W. Rogers, of Chicago, president of the Union Elevator company of this city, is here looking after the interests of that company.

James McDermott, the popular clerk at the Bechtel, is confined to his room, from the combined effects of cold weather and sleigh riding.

M. H. Judd, land agent of the Union Pacific, leaves to-day for California on a prospecting trip. He may, however, conclude to remain on the occidental shore.

Hon. B. F. Clayton, of Macedonia, and E. A. Conisney and W. C. Davis, of Avoca, attended the camera and installation exercises of Abe Lincoln post, G. A. R., Saturday evening.

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.

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

Waukesha Water, by the gallon, 35 cents, at Troxell Bros.

Women Workers.

The annual report of the Women's Christian association shows the receipts for the hospital to have been \$1,883.70, and of this there still remains cash on hand \$307.10. The number of patients received during the year was twenty-four. In the industrial school fund the receipts were \$128.75. The cash on hand is \$42.95. Basket contributions from the ladies have been a great assistance to the hospital enterprise. The physicians have given their services in many cases. There have been entertainments also. One given at the reunion of the Grand Army in April, 1887, netted \$240.34. On Thanksgiving day the collection amounted to \$46. The concert at Mrs. John N. Halpin's netted \$84. The "district school" brought in \$22.75. For the coming year the generosity should be still greater, as the needs will be more. These ladies have two most worthy enterprises in charge, and their efforts for making others happier and better should be heartily supported.

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

A Snip.

Splendid chance to go into the implement business at Beatrice, Neb. Since the history of Beatrice there has never been half so favorable a time as at present. If taken at once will sell the entire stock of general implements, consisting of seasonable goods, regardless of cost. Address me at Council Bluffs, Ia., or Beatrice, Neb. O. P. McKesson, assignee for W. L. Shullenbeger.

Secret Workmen.

The following officers of Council Bluffs lodge, No. 270, A. O. U. W., have been duly installed for the present term: Master workman, T. T. Snow; foreman, David Pile; overseer, W. Northover; recorder, Dr. J. E. White; financier, E. B. Watts; resister, Wm. Arndt; medical examiners, Drs. J. F. White and J. H. Cleaver; trustees, Prof. McNaughton, T. T. Snow and Dr. Cleaver; delegate to grand lodge, Past Master Workman Geo. W. Tanner; alternate, Past Master Workman A. B. Erdouton.

For Sale Cheap—Lots near the bridge to parties who will build at once. Address or call on J. R. Rice, No. 110 Main street, Council Bluffs.

Offer a reward of \$10 to any one who will find out for me who it is that interferes with my cemetery lot in Fairview cemetery and with the monuments which are placed upon the grave.

SUNDAY IN COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Rev. T. J. Mackay On Relation of Masonry to Church.

THE BUSINESS MEN AROUSING

They Want the Board of Trade Reorganized—The Work of Charitable Women—The Railways Must Furnish Flagmen.

The Pulpit on Masonry.

The fallowing sermon, delivered at St. Paul's Episcopal church last evening, will be interesting to the readers of the Bee. The subject, Rev. T. J. Mackay, announced his subject as "Masonry," which drew a large audience despite the bitterly cold weather.

In reply to the question "What is Masonry?" he said: "It is the result of an effort on the part of mankind for some simple rule of life and action, which while it should unite them closely together, for mutual protection should also guarantee the greatest possible liberty of thought and movement. If we look for a possible cause of the origin of Masonry outside of the commonly received traditions of the order, we shall find a natural cause for its appearance.

First. In the failure of the church of Christ to carry out the idea of brotherhood and fraternity proclaimed by Jesus Christ, its founder. Second. In the necessity that existed for not only freedom of action but freedom of speech and liberty of thought caused by the prosecutions of all the thinkers and reformers that appeared upon the world's stage. Were there no other reasons these alone would be sufficient to account for the growth and spread of the order. We might explain the cause of the origin and growth of Masonry in one short sentence: the necessity of individual freedom.

The accusations brought against Masonry are too ridiculous to attempt to answer. The charge of atheism is fully contradicted in every step which the order takes, and its beginning, even before he is admitted, he must believe in God, or else remain outside. The ceremonies in any church are more or better calculated to teach implicit trust in God, and not in man, than the ritual of the masonic order.

Splendid Business Opening

For the right man who has a capital of \$10,000. For full information call on or address Forrest Smith, 14 Pearl st., Council Bluffs, Ia.

The Red Flag Movement.

In accordance with the provisions of section 50 of the city ordinance, Marshal Guinella has notified the agents of the railroad companies whose roads enter this city, that they must station flagmen at the following named points: At the Rock Island crossings on Main street, Sixteenth avenue and Sixth street; the Milwaukee crossings on Main street, Fifteenth avenue and Sixth street; and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy crossings on Main street and Sixth avenue, and at the Northwestern crossings on Broadway and Tenth avenue. Service of this kind has long been needed, especially at the Main street crossings. The agents have notified the general superintendents, and it is expected that the matter will be attended to at once.

A fire-insurance for sale—T. B. Baldwin.

Guns of all kinds at Odell & Bryant's, 504 S. Main St.

Thawed Out His Muscle.

Frank Leonard applied for lodging at the police station Saturday night and was accommodated. After getting thawed out over the city's hard coal, he began to manifest epileptic propensities, and soon had a very fair imitation of Donnybrook Fair at full blast. The majority of the prisoners threw up their hands, but Jailor Galvin called for two more cards and drew two trumps. With a full hand of clubs he entered the game. Both parties played hard for awhile but the officer soon raked in all the boodle and placed his opponent in a cell by himself. A charge of vagrancy and flight from justice was entered against the prisoner, who will pour the story of his trials and persecutions into the sympathetic ear of Judge Aylesworth.

Read the Death Roll.

Which the bills of mortality of any large city may be fitly designated, and you will find that renal and vesical maladies, that is to say those that affect the kidneys or bladder, have a remarkable preponderance. Bright's disease and diabetes in the chronic stage are rarely cured, and gravel, catarrh of the bladder and enuresis are very troublesome. I set out, when the trouble merely amounts to inactivity of the organs involved, the danger may be nullified by that pleasant renal tonic and diuretic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which imparts the requisite amount of tone to the organs, without over-exciting them, and the use of which is convenient, and involves no elaborate preparation. Dyspepsia, a usual concomitant of renal complaints, and debility, which they invariably produce, are remedied by it. So also are constipation, malarial, rheumatic and nervous ailments.

During the past seven years more than 200,000 acres in England have gone out of cultivation. It means a loss of £300,000,000 to the land owners and farmers.

Indigestion results from a partial paralysis of the stomach and is the primary cause of a very large majority of the ills that humanity is heir to. The most agreeable and effective remedy is Dr. J. H. McLean's Little Liver and Kidney Pills. 25 cents a vial.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE. SPECIAL advertisements, such as Lost, Found, To Let, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the low rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE PER WEEK. The insertion and Five Cents Per Line for each subsequent insertion. Leave advertisements at our office No. 2 Pearl Street, near Broadway Council Bluffs, Iowa.

WANTED—A place to work in office or family in Council Bluffs or Omaha, nights or evenings and mornings or by day. Address gentleman of good character and ability. References: J. E. K., 700 Mynder st., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

FOR SALE—Three Days Only—Lot 6, block 6; lots 8 and 9, block 18; lots 1, 2 and 3, block 20; and lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 30, Bryant and Clark's addition to Council Bluffs, Iowa, cheap, by M. E. Rohrer.

FOR RENT—A good new seven room house. Good location. Enquire of W. T. Cole, 504 Pearl st.

WANTED—A boy with pony to take carrier route on the Bee.

WANTED—A first-class cook and baker, one or both can obtain permanent employment with a large hotel in Council Bluffs. Address, with references, P. O. Box No. 4 Council Bluffs.

FOR SALE—Furniture and stoves at a sacrifice. If you can buy at your own prices. A. J. Mandel.

WANTED—First class gardener, without pay, to work extensive garden on Council Bluffs, Iowa. Address Joseph Smith, Council Bluffs, Ia.

EXCHANGE—Omaha and Council Bluffs property and western land for stocks of merchandise. Call on or address J. B. Christian, 120 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

FOR SALE—Second-hand Columbia bicycle very cheap, \$2-inch, at Bee office.

BUILDING lots and acre property for sale by F. J. Day, 39 Pearl st.

RARE CHANGE! MUST BE SOLD! The desirable residence or business property known as the Powers place, on Upper Broadway opposite the M. E. church, is now to be sold within the next thirty days. Terms: one-third cash, balance in one and two years. Address bids to GEORGE R. BEARD, Omaha, Neb., 1517 and 1519 Douglas st.

do their taxes. They profess to love God with heart, soul and mind, and their brother as themselves, but they would die of starvation in a month if they were not fed by the virtue of his vows, but never can a man be a true Mason who is not open hearted and generous—who does not clothe the naked, feed the hungry and bind up the wounds of the afflicted. To be liberal only with that which is our own; to be generous only when to give deprives us of a luxury or comfort, this is Masonry indeed.

Cross-cut saws. Odell & Bryant. Money to loan. Cooper & Judson.

Moving For Business.

The meeting of the board of trade which was to have been held this evening has been postponed until Wednesday evening, on account of the "Old Hickory" ball. At an informal meeting which was held Saturday evening at the office of Odell Bros., it was decided to reorganize the board, and a committee, composed of Messrs. Gleason, Merriam and Weaver, were appointed to solicit for membership. The new board is to be composed of at least forty members, and the admission fee is fixed at \$50. There is some talk of running the new board in connection with the Council Bluffs club, but the idea aroused a diversity of opinion. It is generally conceded that the old board failed to accomplish what it ought to, while the club is making a decided success of itself. It may be that the two would not work well in double harness, but there is no question but what the club could handle some of the business much better than the board of trade. The club has thus far been run solely as a social organization, and some of the members wish it continued as such. Others desire to have business committees appointed which shall answer the purpose of a board of trade. The meeting on Wednesday evening is to fully determine these points and map out a line of action for the future. Whatever course they decide to pursue it is hoped that it will be much more effective than the old method, and that this city may at last feel the effects of having a lively, wide-awake and energetic organization of business men. A more favorable opportunity than the present has never presented itself, and such an organization, if rightly conducted, would be the means of realizing the bright visions of a splendid future for Council Bluffs.

WANTED—Good Salesmen on large commission or salary.

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IT WOULD TAKE MORE ROOM THAN ALL THE NEWSPAPERS IN THE CITY TO REPRESENT IN PRINT HENRY EISEMAN & CO.'S GRAND HOLIDAY STOCK!

But it is well known that our house contains such a multitude of items that it is impossible to name them, nor could the papers make space to enumerate the articles now on exhibition.

Each and every one of our departments will offer thousands of useful and ornamental things SUITABLE FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS

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. Special bargains in our Art goods department. Stamped Linens, Knit goods, Underwear. Everything must be sold this week.

Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers in large variety. Laces, Embroideries, Fichues, Lace Collars, Kid and Fabric Gloves. All must go at this great sale. Come to the People's store first and see what we can do for you.

Cloaks, Suits, Wraps, Gentlemen's Dressing Gowns and Smoking-jackets, Ladies' Slumber Robes, Japanese Smoking Jackets all Silk and Quilted at \$5, \$6, \$7.50 to \$10. Each a very suitable present from a lady to a gentleman. We know we have the goods and that our prices will save you money every time. With every \$2 purchase you will receive a ticket for one chance in our 100 grand free presents.

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PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY. FINLEY BURKE, Attorney-at-Law, Second Floor Brown Building, 115 Pearl Street, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

N. SCHURZ, Justice of the Peace, Office over American Express, No. 419 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

STONE & SIMS, Attorneys-at-Law, practice in the State and Federal Courts. Office—Rooms 7 and 8, Shugart Beno Block, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

E. S. BARNETT, Justice of the Peace, 415 Broadway, Council Bluffs. Refers to any bank or business house in the city. Collections a specialty.

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