

THE DAILY BEE. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OFFICE, NO. 12 BEYLA STREET. Delivered by Carrier in Any Part of the City at Twenty Cents Per Week.

MINOR MENTION. N. Y. Plumbing Co.

Chief Lucas has a ratchet nail puller for which he is anxious to find an owner.

The funeral of Elizabeth, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, took place yesterday morning from the residence, 1883 Broadway.

The funeral of E. B. Bowman will be held this forenoon at 10 o'clock at the family residence, instead of 2 o'clock this afternoon as previously announced.

At the regular weekly meeting of the board of trade to-night a full attendance is desired, as the secretary will present important matters for consideration.

The funeral of William, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Muller, occurred at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the family residence, corner Third street and Twelfth avenue.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sweetman died yesterday morning. The funeral took place in the afternoon at the residence of the deceased, 1507 Broadway.

The mayor and city council were out yesterday afternoon inspecting the public work that is being done in various parts of the city. They were well pleased with the progress made in the past few weeks.

There will be a special meeting of Fairmount Council, No. 1067, Royal Arcanum, this evening at 8 o'clock. The presence of all members is earnestly desired, as business of great importance will be transacted.

The German Catholics have decided to build a parochial school on the ground adjoining their church on Pierce street. The permit for the building was issued yesterday. The structure will be a one-story brick, 4x68 feet, and will cost \$1,300.

The following committee has been appointed by the German Episcopate club to act in connection with the committee of the regular club to assist in obtaining speakers for the campaign: Judge J. Fisk, chairman, J. W. Kilgore and Hon. D. C. Bloomer.

Mr. N. Merriam, of Omaha, was in the city yesterday, looking after his new book. He expects to have the building entirely enclosed before cold weather, and hopes to have the stores on the ground floor ready for occupancy by the 1st of December.

The contractors for the steam fitting, plumbing and other interior finish will be let later. Workmen were busy yesterday hauling brick for the new structure.

The famous little pacing mare, Mattie Harle, record 2:27, owned by Colonel D. B. Dailey, of this city, has been put into training for the fall campaign. Although very fat and soft, she showed a quarter yesterday morning in 33 1/2 seconds. She is improving rapidly, and shows no sign of the injury received at the time of the destruction of the art hall at the park by the cyclone.

The reunion of the old Congregational church congregation, after a separation of nearly twenty-five years, brought forth many amusing as well as touching incidents. They had a rehearsal Saturday night, just as they used to do a quarter of a century ago. There was the customary tardiness, and finally all were present except Ed Spooner. They had to send for him, and found that he was detained at Phillips' boot and shoe store, just as he used to be on Saturday nights twenty-five years ago. He brought back the days gone by with a smile.

The passengers on the 11 o'clock Sunday evening motor train from the lake were considerably surprised to see a female passenger suddenly rise from her seat when about half way to the city, and begin to beat a highly respectable business man of the city, who was sitting near her, over the head and shoulders with her parasol. She claimed that he had insulted her, and caused his arrest. The case was called in police court yesterday morning, and the defendant was discharged and the costs charged to the prosecuting witness. The latter is said to be a member of the demi-monde who tried to work a little blackmailing scheme, and was caught in her own trap.

The new screws for Captain Chapman's steamer are expected here the latter part of this week and will be put in place as soon as they arrive. They will be thirty inch, and will replace the twenty inch ones now in use. They will increase the speed of the vessel one-third, and allow her to be landed much more easily and quickly. The vessel is very light and the screws are so near the surface that there is but little resistance to them, but after the lake is deepened and the steamer ballasted heavier the resistance will be sufficient to greatly increase the speed. The boat is now well patronized, and after the improvements are made will be even more popular.

Personal Paragraphs. Mrs. N. J. Swanson is visiting in Missouri.

Mrs. F. J. Day returned last evening from a week's rest at Colfax Springs.

Mrs. Ed. Clemenson is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

Rev. B. P. McMenomy left yesterday for Colfax to spend a week in rest and recreation.

Henry Sprink, of St. Louis, is visiting his sisters Helen and Carrie on Washington avenue.

Peter Beck is suffering severely from a hemorrhage, and an attack of brain fever is feared.

John Morgan, of Baltimore, is visiting his uncle, Hon. W. H. M. Pusey, on Willow avenue.

Oscar Henderson left for Villisca yesterday afternoon. His wife will return home with him.

Sheriff Clay Delishmutt, of Mills county, was in the city yesterday, the guest of Chief of Police Lucas.

Rev. G. W. Crofts will soon enter upon a recreatory period at Colfax. His family will visit old friends in Illinois.

Mr. William Dryer, who was seriously kicked by a horse a short time since, is not recovering as rapidly as is desired, and his condition is regarded as critical.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. S. Past, of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. E. C. Hunt, of this city, for the last few days, returned home yesterday morning. Mrs. Hunt accompanied them, and will be absent about a month.

Mr. S. H. Foster returned home yesterday morning from a ten weeks' visit at his old home at Waukesha, Wis., where he went to recuperate after his serious illness of last spring. He has gained considerably in weight and looks otherwise greatly improved. His many friends are pleased to again welcome his smiling face on our streets.

PANTING FOR PANTALOONS.

Crooks Empty the Pockets of Landlord Harmon and His Guests.

HOW AN 1804 DOLLAR TRAVELS

Three Cases Got Ready for the Grand Jury—Summer Suits in Police Court—Brief Bits of Bluffs News.

The Work of Crooks. A gang of crooks visited Lake Manawa Sunday and got in their work quite successfully.

The management of the various enterprises about the lake has made it rather unpropitious for toughs and rowdies, and those who have visited there have speedily found that they were not wanted.

Two fellows approached Mr. Odell and wanted permission to run a shell game on the beach, but they were very promptly informed that he would as soon have any other form of robbery going on as that.

They were driven off, but their cheeky remark indicated that there were crooks hovering about. In the evening, when the rush was greatest for the boats and trains, there were a number of pockets touched, and it was evident that the light fingered fellows were working.

Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock several crooks of the hot city were seen on osts on the upper veranda, when one of them noticed a man coming out of the window of one of the rooms. He awoke one of his companions, and asked him about it, the latter being more familiar with the house and its habits.

The information was given that it was the window of Mr. Charles Harmon's room, he being one of the proprietors of the hotel. It being evident that something was wrong, the alarm was given, but by this time the fellow had slipped around the house and down the back stairs.

One of the domestics in returning from an outside saw the fellow running down the back stairs, and into the weeds where he was soon lost sight of. It seems that he had gained an entrance into Mr. Harmon's room through the window, which was only protected by netting.

Mr. Harmon's pantaloons lay at the foot of the bed, and the fellow picking these up made his exit, searching the pockets along the veranda, and securing a watch and about \$450 in money. He dropped the pantaloons after thus helping himself.

It was also discovered that two of the guests chambers had been entered. The sleeping inmates lost small amounts, but Mr. Harmon's loss was the only large one.

Frank Levine, the cigar man, had his pocketbook taken while in the crowd getting on the motor train. He was so great that there was danger of his being run over by the train.

He was surrounded by pickpockets, and so clung to his watch, not giving any thought to his pocketbook, as he had no cash in it. They took it just the same, and it contained some \$200 in cash.

There being two checks, one of \$90, signed by Chris Straub, and payable to Jans Jensen, by whom it had been indorsed on the back. The other check was for \$7.95, signed by the Council Bluffs Gas company, and payable to J. Nord, or bearer. A note on whom these checks are offered should report promptly in order to help the authorities get track of the thieves.

John Scanlan, of Upper Broadway, was also a victim. The crowd at the motor was so great that there was danger of women and children being seriously hurt. One little fellow was jammed in against the corner of a car in such a manner that Mr. Scanlan saw he was going to get hurt.

The little fellow, who was the crowd who was with him, was crying for help, and Mr. Scanlan bracing himself, pushed his broad shoulders back, relieving them from the awful pressure and thus saving them from being jammed further. When he got out of the unpleasant squeeze he discovered that his gold watch had been taken. He had looked at it a few moments before, so he is quite certain it was taken at that time.

Some one without the fear of prohibition before his eyes set up a tent near the hotel on Sunday and began selling drinks with boldness and less neatness than dispatch. He must have reaped quite a harvest, for there were never before seen so many drunken fellows about the lake. On the other side of the lake there is said to be an opportunity given for drinking, and unless prompt steps are taken to suppress these places, the lake will fast get an unenviable reputation. Such places, if by irresponsible persons, who naturally want to make all the money they can, to recompense them for the recklessness with which they defy the law, gather about them a gang who will drive respectable people away. The care should be taken to keep the place and its resorts decently and in order, and make it a pleasant place for respectable citizens and their families, will lead those interested to at once force these fellows to seek other quarters.

Artists prefer the Hallett & Davis piano, at C. B. Music Co., 224 Broadway.

Buy mantels, grates and hearth furnishings of the New York plumbing Co.

The Tale of a Bogus Coin. About two years ago an 1804 silver dollar caused no little sensation here.

As is pretty well known the coin collectors offer from \$600 to \$1,000 for a genuine silver dollar of 1804. Some sharpers have been taking silver dollars of 1801, which are exactly the same, except the date, and by ingeniously changing the "1" to a "4" have succeeded in making a dollar which would deceive any but an expert.

Two of these fixed dollars were shrewdly sold in Omaha and one was sold here, the sharpers being very innocent as to the market price, and letting them go for about \$100 each. The buyers soon found that they were sold. One of these dollars turned up the other day. A man had traded some land in Missouri for it. The man he got it off had given a horse and buggy for it. The man who thus got the horse and buggy bought it of another farmer, as he said, for \$125 cash. Where it will next go to no one can guess. It is interesting to know how the cupidity of man leads him to get swindled. One of those who has recently got stuck on the 1804 dollar thought he was working it very sharp. He was not certain what the rare coin was worth, but was satisfied that it was worth more than the man thought of whom he intended to buy it. He quietly got hold of a catalogue of an eastern house, and found that the coin was worth at least \$600. He eagerly bought the dollar for \$125 cash, and chucked at the great profit he was to make at the expense of the seller's ignorance. After getting possession of the coin he ordered correspondence with a view of selling it, and was informed that he must send it east for inspection

first before the \$600 would be paid. He did so and had his eyes opened when the report came back that it was a bogus one so far as the date was concerned. At least. The 1804 dollar will continue to travel about and serve as a bitter for those who are willing that others should be bitten. There is not much sympathy felt for a man who thinks that through the ignorance of a seller he is getting something for about one-sixth of what it is really worth.

Stop at the Pacific House. The most centrally located hotel in the city.

S. B. Wadsworth & Co. loan money.

Held For the Grand Jury. H. O. Blakesley, the man who was brought back from Lincoln, Neb., a few days ago for the larceny of a horse and buggy from George Wisner last May, had an examination before Squire Biggs yesterday morning and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

F. M. Gaunt was also bound over in the sum of \$300 for keeping a gandered horse. Homer Williams was held in the sum of \$500 for stealing a ring from Burhom's jewelry store.

Lost or stolen, on getting on motor car at Manawa hotel, Sunday evening, a hunting case gold watch. Suitable reward given for its return to J. M. Scanlan, 120 upper Broadway.

Making It Hot For 'Em. The police judge did a land office business yesterday morning at the receipt of custom, and levied assessments with a nonchalance that was perfectly surprising considering the fact that the steel walls of the cage were almost at a white heat and were about ready to shed molten drops into the yawning mouth of the sewer underneath.

The boozers were first hauled up, and received their medicine in the following doses: Gust Weare, \$7.00; H. Tody, \$8; George Johnson, \$7.00.

Disturbing the peace—J. Jones, \$9.00; Theodore Brown, \$9.00. Jones tried to "clean out the ranch" at 141 Pierce street, but could not make the rifle before he was compelled to give it up.

W. J. Bartlett, arrested as a suspicious character, was released, and went on his way rejoicing.

W. H. Hobbs was charged with vagrancy, but was held for further examination at the request of Captain Dyer.

Patrons of the Pacific House have none but words of praise for the attention given them.

Money loaned at L. B. Crafts & Co.'s loan office, on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, personal property of all kinds, and all other articles of value without removal. All business strictly confidential.

To-Day's Yachting. The yacht race that is to take place at Manawa this afternoon, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, is exciting considerable interest and will be witnessed by a large number of spectators.

The prime movers in getting up the race were the members of the Council Bluffs Yachting club, who have labored earnestly for some time to get the matter into tangible shape. They have a fine yacht, the J. C. Bixby, which will prove a formidable competitor in a strong wind. The vessel is finely fitted up, and a handsome blue silk streamer is being made for her, but will not be ready in time for the first race, but will be thrown to the breeze next Saturday.

The other entries are the Little Diamond, by J. H. Reynolds; Catamaran, by Cole & Cole; the Ida, by W. H. Wakefield; Idlewild, by C. J. Blanchard; Sea Gull, by S. E. Maxon. The latter is a favorite in a light wind. The crews have had considerable training lately, and already handle their boats like old yachtsmen. The probabilities are that it will be a "guessing race" until the finish, as the boys are liable to get rattled if the race is at all close, and some of the crews may take a ducking.

Travelers! Stop at the Bechtel.

Pacific House is open to the traveling public, notwithstanding to the contrary.

Full line of sheet music at Council Bluffs Music Co., 224 Broadway.

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

Judge Aylesworth held full sway yesterday in the north court room of the county court house, hearing the case of Mrs. E. S. Sagin. The case involves the titles to about thirty lots in Brown's subdivision. McGee holds the fee title and claims that the defendant's tax title is of no account. The evidence in the case was all introduced yesterday, and the case will be argued this morning.

TWO GLAD SOME SOULS.

How Henry and Missy Enjoyed the Glorious Fourth. Detroit Free Press: They had been "to the Fourth" at Peterville, and were now slowly wending their way home, hand in hand, over the green fields, down wide lanes and under the leafy boughs of the woodland road. They were a little limber and less lively than when they journeyed fourth in the dewy morning. Her robe of snowy white, of a delicate and dusty gray, and contact with the greensward, the rhubarb pie and overflowing glass of lemonade. Her rosy mouth gave token of a prodigality of molasses candy and gingerbread, her breath bore the combined fragrance of peppermint drops and bologna sausage in unlimited quantities.

His step was less elastic than it had been; he was faint with the intoxication of three for a dime "seegers"; he had learned by experience that there is a limit to a young man's capacity of containing pie and ice cream and lemonade and soda water and mixed candy. His limped collar and wilted necktie twisted around under his ear, gave token of how he had exerted himself to be happy.

Fond memories of the day lingered in their young minds, and at last found utterance in words:

"Have a good time, Melissey?"

"Oh, just splendid. Henry!"

"Enjoyed it, did ye?"

"Oh, I more'n enjoyed it!"

"How'd ye like the lem'nade?"

"Oh, it was splendid!"

"Them gum drops went purty good, didn't they?"

"Oh, wasn't they good?"

"How'd the ice cream go?"

"Oh, awful good!"

"What kind o' favorin' did you take?"

"Vanilly--what'd you take?"

"Lemon. Wished afterward I'd had vanilla, too. How'd you like the soda water?"

"Oh, splendid. Wonder what makes it fizzy?"

"Oh, some sort of a thing-a-ma-jig in side the old machine. They had purty fair seegers, purty fair."

THE NEW BRIDGE.

SHOWING THE ADVANTAGES OF COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Metcalf Brothers advertisement featuring various services like Real Estate, Insurance, and Hardware. Includes logos for 'S.M.O.K.E.' and 'Santo Rosa'.

EMPKIE HARDWARE CO. and WEIR SHUGART CO. advertisement. EMPKIE is a wholesale hardware and cutlery store. WEIR SHUGART is a jobber of agricultural implements.

MUELLER MUSIC CO. advertisement. Located at 1814 St. Marys Ave. and 103 Main Street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

HARDMAN FISHER EVERETT PIANOS advertisement. A triumvirate of instruments which cannot be excelled in tone, beauty of finish and general workmanship.

Royal and Century Organs advertisement. Excel all others in style of case, beauty of finish and volume of tone. Sold for CASH or on MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

JOHN GILBERT, PLUMBER AND DEALER IN WIND MILLS, IRON AND WOOD PUMPS. Located at No. 521 Main St., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

F. J. BREZEE, THE TAXIDERMIST. In accordance with numerous requests has decided to teach Taxidermy in all its branches.

SPECIAL NOTICES. NOTICE. SPECIAL advertisements, such as Lost, Found, To Loan, For Sale, To Rent, Wants, Boarding, etc., will be inserted in this column at the low rate of TEN CENTS PER LINE for the first insertion.

WANTS. FOR RENT—Several rooms suitable for house-keeping, or to single parties; immediate possession given. Apply on premises 807 East Pierce.

FOR SALE—Cheap. My walnut furniture, as good as new. Call at 909 South 6th street, Council Bluffs.

IF YOU HAVE A STOCK OF MERCHANDISE to trade for land or city property write to Johnston & Van Patten, Council Bluffs, Ia.

EXCHANGE—One lot in Burns add and three in B. R. add for one lot nearer Broadway. Address Q. H. Bee office, Council Bluffs.

FOR SALE—An open side-hall buggy, nearly new, to good party on monthly payments. A. J. Mandel, No. 223 and 230 Broadway.

WANTED—Good second hand stoves, furniture and carpets. Will pay highest cash price. A. Mandel, No. 223 and 230 Broadway.

FOR SALE—The best small fruit and vegetable farm in Pottawattamie county, a two miles from Council Bluffs postoffice, at a price that will sell it on remarkably easy terms. Title perfect and property in good condition. Possession given any time. Good reason for selling. R. E. Bryan & Co., 628 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

TO RENT—Immediately, for the summer, a good furnished house, 10 rooms, closet and bath room; city water. Apply on premises, 812 5th ave.

WANTED—Stocks of merchandise, like Omaha and Council Bluffs city property, also western land to exchange for goods. Call on or address of Johnson & Christian, Room 35, Chamber of Commerce, Omaha.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 40 acres near stock house, South Omaha, Neb., Johnson & Christian, Room 35, Chamber of Commerce, Omaha.

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

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

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