## THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY APRIL 7, 1889 .- SIXTEEN PAGES.

## THE DAILY BEE. IT WAS MURDER AND COUNCIL BLUFFS. The Coroner's Inquest OFFICE. NO 12 PEARL STREET. Who the Dead Man Felivered by carrier in Any Part of he City a TELEPHONES: MANAGER. HIS NAME IS JACK B. W. TILTON. BUFINESS OFFICE No. 43. NIGHT EDITOR, NO. 23.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Unity Gould held a meeting vesterday aft-ernoon with Mrs. William Runyan, on Park

a meeting last evening to organize a church choir to be placed under the leadership of a professor from Tabor, Ia.

No business was transacted in the district court yesterday, Judge Deemer having gone to Atlanta to hear some motions argued. Court will reopen here to morrow morning.

The Berean Baptist church has already laid the foundation to its chapel on the corner of Third avenue and Seventeenth street. The work will be pushed to comple-tion as quickly as possible.

The condition of Kittie Edwards was un-changed at a late hour last night. The doctor offers no hope of recovery, and states that it is only a question of time. She has not yet recovered consciousness.

There was an incipient blaze yesterday morning in an upper room of the parochial school connected with St. Peter's school on Pierce street. It was discovered and ex-tinguished before much damage was done.

The new racing cart for the Rescue hose team arrived yesterday from the factory of E. B. Preston & Co., Chicago. It is a beauty, and is of the latest improved style. It has been placed on exhibition at the Manhattan, The First Baptist church is to be newly carpeted. The young ladies who prepared the successful trades' display, presented the church with the necessary money to make the improvement, and it was gratefully re

The ladies of Harmony Chapter, No. 25, O. E. S., entertained a number of friends Fri-day evening in the parlors of the Masonic temple. It was one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever given by the order in this city.

The assault case of the Omaha toughs, who pounded up James Connors about three weeks ago, was called before Judge Aylesworth yesterday afternoon. Several wit-nesses were examined, and the case was then continued until Monday.

J. G. Tipton won the silver watch awarded to the marksman making the best score at the last match of the Council Bluffs Rifle club. He now holds both trophies. The gold badge will be snot for again next Fri-day afternoon, the winner of it hold it two weeks.

The citizens are kindly invited by Abe Lincoln Post 29 G. A. R. to visit to-day at 3 p. m., the train of cars fitted up and decorated by them for the trip to Burlington. It is in the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy yards ad-joining the Rock Island & Milwauke depots. It is a sight worth seeing.

The infant son of William H. Donalson The infant son of William H. Donaison died yesterday morning of croup. He was sged only one year. The funeral will be held at the family residence. 1621 Eighth street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The home lost another child, aged four years, only a week before.

Five new suits were instituted yesterday against parties who have failed to pay their subscriptions to the Manawa Motor company. These amounts were subscribed as a bonus to secure the building of the line, and now that the road is completed, the subscribers have forgotten to liquidate. Hence the suits to enforce payment.

The city council meets again to-morrow evening, and will again try to elect city of-ficers. They will also take up the matter of licensing Omaha vehicles which ply between the two cities. Several of the business men of the city are anxious to have a retaliatory measure adopted, in order to play even with their comparison on the other tide their competitors on the other side.

Joe Critchfield, of Indiana, will address the temperance mass meeting at the Presby-terian church next Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Mr. Critchfield is one of the most entertaining speakers in the field, and has the endorsement of Coionel Bain, of Ken-tucky; Mrs. F. E. Willard, John B. Finch the window and sprained by ankle. I didn't know any more until after I was carried to another house. I don't know the man, and never saw him only during the last few days." Maud Eaton was the last witness. Her

Develops n Is.	The woman has not yet recorsciousness, and cannot recover. I ditional pieces of skull were rea the wound yesterday morning. J and one side of her body are paral There is a rumor to night that the is the son of Charles George, who armed expressman at St Joseph,
NOLAND.	An elegant assortment of ladies, misses and children

April 6, 1889.—The partnership of W. A. Wells and L. I. Forman is dissolved to-day. «Pay no accounts only to W. A. Wells, who continues the business. W. A. WELLS.

at Fried-

"The Ark" to Be Closed.

It was suggested yesterday that the mayor would probably issue an order to close "The Ark," as two human beings had been shot down in cold blood within its walls, this being the course pursued after the murder of De Goode by Brooks at the "Bucket of Blood." It seems rather doubtful whether this method of closing the saloons and bawdy houses of the city will prove a success. It required one death to close the first place, and now there are two at the second. At this there are now fifty saloons and more than that number of houses of prostitution run-ning openly in the city. Whether the place is closed or not, the tragedy will doubtless have a wholesome effect on the lawless neighborhood in which it occurred. Complaints have been numerous for some time regarding the disgraceful orgics carried on there nightly, and it is hoped that the terri-ble deed of Friday night will serve as a check, temporarily at least.

1414 Dodge st.

Notice. Thave sold the entire stock of millinery and fancy notions to C. Friedman, who will continue business at the old stand, 409 Broad-way. All goods remaining unpaid for will be collected by C. Friedman, and all indebt-

house last Sunday, and had been there three times since. She was in the room when he fired the first shot. Saw Kittle fall, and Annie Moore was next sworn. Said she and Frankie were sitting on a rocking chair, when the deceased and Maud came from an adjoining room. He asked to see Miss Ku-tie, and she must have heard him ask for

Just received a car load of good mules and horses at Schluter & Boley's stables, which will be sold at reasonable prices.

will put a lead service pipe and hydrant in your yard; also 50 feet extra hose. Call at once at 114 Main street.

Western Lumber and Supply Co.

Organist.

Council Bluffs. References: Max Meyer and Cha les Baetens, 325 Paxton building, Omaha, or 120 Seventh street, Council Bluffs. Good testimonial shown.

one tall and slim and the other short and younger. I did not know him, and Maud At the regular monthly meeting of Pottavatiamie County Gardeners & Fruit Growers' association yesterday afternoon Mr. J. P. Hess read an exhaustive and valuable paper on "Varieties and Culture of Pota-toes," Mr. H. A. Terry on "What Variety of Apple Shall We Piant," and Mr. Samuel Avery on the "Marketing of Our Pro-ducts."

Resolved, That the Pottawattamie County Fruit Growers & Gardeners' association, in

session, petition his honor, Mayor M. F. Rohrer to make special effort to bring be-fore our people the vital importance of Arbor day, trasting in their wisdom to do their utmost in alding nature in beautifying and enriching our grand inheritance. The membership of this association is in-creasing rapidly, while the interest is be-Several ad-inoved from Her tongue lyzed. he suicide is a one Mo. creasing rapidly, while the interest is be coming keen and the promise of benefits en hats for ouraging.

Miss O'Neill, of Chicago, now in charge of Friedman's trimming room, is by far the most artistic trimmer ever in Council Bluffs.

Smoke the Santo Rosa. Best 10c cigar in the world. Peregoy & Moore.

Headquarters for builders' hardware Odell & Bryant, 513 Main street.

Buildings loans. Odell Bros. & Co. Dr. C. C. Hazen, dentist, Opera house

The best pictures are made by Riley 301 Broadway.

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

dential. Rooms to rent in the Merriam block S. B. Wadsworth & Co., 236 Main street.

Extra picture and frame with each lozen cabinets for 30 days. Riley, 301 Broadway.

See Peregoy & Moore's big ad. of Santo Rosa cigar. Wonderful.

Grand milinery display at Friedman's Friday and Saturday April 12 and 13.

The lowest prices on the finest selec-tions of milinery, ladies' and children's hats and all novelties at Friedman's.

E. H. Sheafe & Co. offer bargains in city property, either improved or un-improved. Easy payments. Good lots on \$10 payments.



AT PETER C. MILLER'S.



Extra weight, fancy stripe, regular made Hose, 19c; worth 25c.

Regular made Black Hose, extra weight and quality, 17c; worth 25c.

In Children's Hose we have an immense line. Prices to suit all. Guaranteed the best value and finest selection in the

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, 15c and 19c; worth 25c and 330

# Muslin Underwear Dep't.

Ladies' Corset Covers from 15c up. Ladies' Chemises, handsomely trimmed and well made, 23c up. Ladies' Muslin Drawers, 23c up.

Ladies' Muslin Skirts, 50c up.

Ladies' Muslin Night Dresses, 50c up.

In the above we show the finest selection to be found either here or in Omaha, and our prices we guarantee to be lower than either. Call and get prices and judge for yourself.

FOTHERINGHAM, WHITELAW & CO., Leaders and promoters of low prices, 401 Broadway, Council

Bluffs, Iowa.



The terrible double tragedy of Filday evening was the all-absorbing topic of con versation on the streets yesterday morning. and at an early hour a crowd began to gather in front of the undertaking rooms of Field & Estey, where the inquest over the remains of the suicide was to be held at 10 o'clock. They were refused admittance, but remained patiently outside, peering eagerly rate of increase it will require an enormous sacrifice before the round is complete, as through the windows, hoping to catch glimpse of the body of the murderer and suicide. About 8 o'clock two strangers called and asked to see the body, stating that they thought they knew the dead man. They were admitted, and recognized the corpse as that of Jack O'Brien, claiming to have known him for two years. They then disap-peared, and were not to be found when wanted by the police a couple of hours later.

Save money on frames. Geo. Heyn,

edness will be assumed by C. Friedman. A. J. MANDEL. Real estate loans, F. J. Day, 39 Pearl.

Mules! Mules!

For \$25.00-The N. Y. Plumbing Co.

Between 13th and 14th streets, and 2d and 3d avenues. Telephone 241. E. W. RAYMOND, Manager.

An efficient organist from the east de-

sires a position as organist in Omaha or

Gardens and Orchards.

was the only one in the house who knew him when he came first. I wasn't in the room when the shooting occurred. I heard the shots and tainted away. They took me into another house. I don't know where the watch is now." Allie Mack was the next witness. She

was unable to walk, one ankle being severely sprained, and had to be carried into the room. She said the deceased came to the house Tuesday night and said he must sleep somewhere, and was finally given a bed. When he came last night he was crying and had a revolver in his pocket. "I asked him," had a revolver in his pocket. "I asked him," she continued, "what was in his pocket and what he was crying for. He said it was a revolver, and said he was crying for 'nothing." I wasn't in the room when the shots were fired, but I heard them, and I jumped out of

man's. Gardeners In Session-More About "That Tiger"-The Ark to Be Closed-Services and Subjects.

Jack Noland the Murderer.

The testimony developed at the inquest threw some light on the subject of his iden-tity. About half past 10 Coroner Waterman

stated that he was ready to proceed with the investigation, and Marshal Guanella ushered

in the witnesses. There were but five of them and they were the female inmates of the Edwards' bagnio. They were all in the house at the time of the shooting, and three of them were in the room with the victims when the tragedy occurred. Evantue Brooks was the first witness Sho

Frankie Brooks was the first witness. She stated that the dead man first came to the

her, and she much from another room be fore any one had a chance to go and call her

As soon as she came in the room he turned and shot her, "Frankie and I went out to-gether, and did not see him shoot himself,

but heard another shot before we were out of the door. We did not stop to look back. I saw the dead man at Bell Clover's night

before last. That was the first time I even

Lottie Leland then took the stand, and said: "This man was at the house two or three times. He came a few nights ago and I

was asicep in bed. He calls a few fights ago and 1 bought some jewelry on speculation and wanted to sell some rings and a watch. The girls brought him to my room, and when I woke up he was sitting on the bed talking

about jewelry. I bought the watch for \$5 and borrowed the money of Miss Kittle. There were two men with him at the time,

story was very clearly told, and was of con-

saw him.'

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MINOR MENTION.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church held

erable interes and other prominent temperance workers.

## BIG RIBBON SALE.

### A Drive That is a Drive-For Monday and Tuesday Only.

250 pieces 8, 10 and 12 inch brocade and moire sash ribbons in white, cream, light blue, cardinal, pink and black at and inspect this, the greatest bargain ever offered over any ribbon counter. Don't fail to see them. Mail orders received up to Tuesday evening will receive same attention as if purchaser were here in person. HENRY EISEMAN & CO.,

People's Store, Council Bluffs, Ia.

A new line of milinery at Friedman's

Attend the Easter opening of pattern hats and bonnets. Mrs. T. B. Louis.

Carayan of Songs and Scenes It is understood that Dr. Tevis & Co. with

It is understood that Dr. Tevis & Co. with their new powerful lime-light photo-opticon and colossal views of scenes around the world, are on their way here, and will halt long enough to give one of their most en-chanting entertainments in our city. The press speak in the highest terms of their songs, which they illustrate while singing, and also of their illustrated tour around the world. These views are photo-graphs of scenes they represent, colored by the best American and European artists, and shown by their most powerful photo-opticon under the strongest lime-light.

Dohany's opera house, to-night and Tuesday, April 9, Dr. Slominski's free lecture for gentlemen 'only on diseases of both sexes.

Have our wagon call for your soiled clothes. Cascade Laundry Co.

J. G. Tipton, real estate, 527 B'dway Grand Easter opening of Mrs. T. B. Louis April 10 and 11, 542 Broadway.

Visit the new gallery at 301 B'way.

Have you tried the Santo Rosa? Smoke one for a trial.

S. B. Wadsworth & Co. loan money.

FOR THE PUBLIC.

One Fare for the Round Trip.

The G. A. R. state encampment will held at Burlington, Ia., April 8, 9, 10 and 11, and round trip tickets will be sold from all C., B. & Q. stations to Bursold from all C., B. & Q. stations to Bur-lington and return at one fare for round trip. Good going on April 8. 9, 10 and 11, and good to return up to and includ-ing April 13. Here is a chance for all old soldiers to meet their comrades and for all others to see the grand parade on April 10. Go everybody. Tickets can be obtained of C., B. & Q. agents.

The largest stock and latest styles of millinery at Friedman's.

## Notice to Water Consumers.

Water rents for quarter beginning April 1 are now due, and payable at of-fice of the company, 114 Main and 115 Jearl streets. Five per cent discount on all bills paid previous to April 10. Office open until 9 p. m. on Saturdays. Council Bluffs City Water Works Co.

Money loaned on furniture, planos, diamonds, horses, buggies or anything of value at low rates of interest. No publicity; fair and honorable dealing. A. A. Clark & Co., office cor. Broadway and Main, over American express.

Notice the beautiful finish given col-lars, .cuffs and shirts by Cascade Laundry company.

Briefly it was as follows "I have known the dead man for a year and a half. I became acquainted with him at Fannie Doran's place, on North Ninth street, Fannie Doran's place, on North Ninth street, Omaha, about that time. His name was, John Nolan, but he went under the name of Jack O'Brien. His folks live at St. Joseph. He was a tough boy, but I never looked on him only as a young boy, and had no idea he would come to anything like this. He came over here a few days ago, and heard that I was at Miss Kittle's. He came there to see me. He was with two others, and thoy were all pretty tough. He came again Tuesday night, and I had to let him have a bed, because he wouldn't take any other answer. Miss Kittle came to me afteward and said she knew he was a crook, and told me he mustn't come there, as he and told me he mustn't come there, as he would get the house in trouble. He came a little after S o'clock last night and asked m to write a letter for him. I said I would and took him into the side room. He was and took him into the side room. He was crying, and told me his brother was snot and killed a night or two before in Minneapolis while robbing a jewelry store. He said he was going there, and would kill the man who shot his brother, even if he had to die too. I told him what Miss Kittle said about his coming. Then I herem to write for hem too. I told him what Miss Kittle said about his coming. Then I began to write for him. He told me what to write. It was this: 'Dear Mother, Father and Sisters-I write this to let you know where I am.' Just then Miss Kittle came in and asked us to go out to the parlor, He refused to go, and she had to ask him five or six times. We went out, and I was just

He refused to go, and she had to ask him five or six times. We went out, and I was just ready to go with the letter, when he said: 'Write "dead" at the top of the sheet.' I told him if he wanted anything like that to write it himself. Then he said he wanted to see Miss Kittle, and she came in. She must have heard him ask for her. As soon as she came in he pulled his gun out of his hip pocket and shot her, then he shot himself. He didn't say a word to her as she came in, but just fired. "The address he gave for the letter was John Noland, St. Joseph. He was very drunk, and told me that he had been dead drunk all day. He said somebody about the house had wronged him, and he was going to get even. He said they had put the cops on to him, and if he died they would die too. I think he was just crazy, because his brother died and he felt awful bad about it. Then he was drunk, and he thought Miss Kittle had put the police after him, and wnen she wanted him to move, he just made up his mind to kill her. It's a wonder he didn't shoot when she asked him to go out to the parlor."

parlor." Later she told a BEE reporter that she knew about the watch that Lottie bought of the dead man. When Lottie fainted, she grabbed the watch and threw it out of the window, but when they looked for it after-wards they could not find it. She stated that the report that Noland had been in the penitentiary was false. Said she, "He told me last summer that he was sixteen years old, so he must be seventeen now." She also stated that he was well known to the Omaha police. The two men who identified the remains yesterday morning are the ones who accom-

The two men who identified the remains yesterday morning are the ones who accom-panied Noland to the Edwards brothel when he sold the jewelry. The police are satis-fied that the jewelry was stolen, and that they have "planted" their haul on Lower Broadway, and were taking it out in small quantities to dispose of, as at the time the watch was sold. It transmired vesterday that Ralph Pontius,

quantities to dispose of, as at the time the watch was sold. It transpired yesterday that Ralph Pontius, a newsboy, sold the deceased a copy of the Dispatch at the corner of Maine street and Fifth avenue early Friday evening, and he then said he was going to kill him-self, and gave the name of John Neoulds. He had a handfull of small change, and the boy said, "If you are going to kill yourself, yop won't need all that money, and had bet-ter give it to me." The man then gave him an extra dime. The paper was found in his pocket after the tragedy. The coroner's jury, consisting of H. E. Grimm, F. L. Hayden and O. H. Lucas, re-turned a verdict to the effect that the de-ceased came to his death by a shot fired from a deadly weapon with his own hand and with suicidal intent. The remains of the suicide still he at the

and with suicidal intent. The remains of the suicide still he at the undertaker's. The doors were thrown open at noon and several hundred people viewed the body, but none of them recognized it. Coroner Waterman telegraphed to the sup-posed relatives in St. Joe, and will hold the remains for two days awaiting a reply as to what disposition to make of them. There was nothing in the pockets but 20 cents in money, a pocket glass, chisel and cartridge.