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#### MINOR MENTION.

N. Y.Plumbing Co. John Devany has taken out a permit to srect a \$700 cottage in Riddle's sub. The members of Harmony mission have taken out a building permit to enlarge their

D. W. Foster, a resident of the city for several years, died yesterday morning at his home on South Madison, of old age.

Unity guild holds its regular meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. C. P. Shepard, corner of Pierce and Grace streets. Garneau's Snowflakes will cross bats at Manawa park to-morrow afternoon with the Beacons, of Omaha, the champion colored

The Harvey excursion party, from Boston, arrived at the transfer yesterday morning in two Pullman sleepers, and departed for the west over the Union Pacific.

The first circus that has visited Council Bluffs in two years will unfold its tents here on the 31st inst. The \$100 license has kept out several shows of this character. The office of Mulholland & Nicholas, ice dealers, has been removed from the Beno-Shugart block to No. 4 Pearl street, the new quarters of Swan & Walker, real estate

This evening Excelsior lodge, No. 259. F. & A. M., will have a meeting of special interest. Work in the third degree. Members and visiting brethren cordially invited The races that were to have taken place at

Union Driving park this afternoon have been postponed on account of the weather and heavy track until next Saturday, when the programme will be given as previously After a three days' trial, the case of Test

vs. Anderson was submitted to the jury in the district court yesterday afternoon. The case of Benjamin vs. Shea was then called, and the question came up as to whether or not it should be tried before a jury. After a lengthy debate it went over until this morn-

Council Bluffs Lodge No. 270 (Loyal) A. O. U. W., meets in G. A. R. hall every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Personal Paragraphs. I. W. Cooper, secretary of the local fire-men's association, is seriously iil with typhoid malaria at his bome on Benton street.

Mayor Rohrer is in Chicago in the interest of tournament rates. He went to attend a meeting of the Western Passenger association, and secure, if possible, a general adoption of the rates offered by the "Q"—free transportation for all volunteer firemen and a single fare for the round trip for all other visitors.

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#### With Ragan in Ireland.

The last of the Ragan lectures was given last evening, and proved one of the most pleasing. It gave the audience an easy and delightful trip through Ireland. The scenery was picturesque, and the descriptive lecture sprightly. Mr. Ragan was strong in his ex-pressions of sympathy with the Irish cause. He closed with a pleasing portrait of Par-

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LANDSEER'S LIONS.

An African Hunter Thinks the Great

Artist Hit Them Off to the Lafe. At once I knew that what I had seen were two lions's heads, says an African lion hunter writing to the London Field. The animals had now got up and were walking slowly over the open plain, one behind the other. I saw at once that they were lions from the length of their bodies and the way they held their heads below the line of their backs. I could see, too, that they were males, from the thick humpy look of their necks, caused by the mane. Oh, for a rifle and ten cartridges! And then, as I was very well mounted, in all probability I should have added two more lion skins to my collection. Thinking that, as I could not shoot them, I would like to have a look at them, I mounted my good horse Bob and galloped toward them. They continued to walk slowly along until I was about four hundred yards from them, when, first turning to look at me, they went off at a heavy canter, but soon commenced to trot, and when I was about two hundred yards from them stopped, and, facing round. stood side by side with their heads held their teeth showing, the time twitching their tails and growling savagely. I continued to ride straight toward them, thinking they would give way and run again; but when within about one hundred yards, as they stood de-fiant, and one of them, a very dark-skinned animal with a handsome mane, seemed particular furious, I slightly turned my horse's head so as to pass them at a distance of sixty or seventy yards. While executing this mancuver the dark-maned lion came slowly toward me for a few steps, and then bounding forward and growling loudly. charged out at his best speed. As I had to turn my horse and get him into his stride, the lion got to within ten yards or so of his tail before he was going at his best pace, and stuck close to him some distance. How far he chased me I amafraid to say, but a very considerable distance, and certainly twice as far as I have ever been pursued by any other of his kind. When at last he pulled up he trotted back to his comrade, and then they both lay down on the bare open ground, with their massive paws out-stretched, their heads held high, and their mouths half open, with their tongues lolling out, for it was a very hot day. They lay almost exactly in the position of Landseer's lions in Trafalgar

Emigration to Canada. The emigration to Canada has fallen off largely this season. The whole number thus far is 9,605, against 14,738 last

uare, and it is quite a mistake to say

that that great artist has made an error

in representing lions lying with fore-

arms straight out like a dog. When on the alert a lion always lies like this, and only bends his paws inward like a

when resting thoroughly at his

#### WATER FOR THE LATE FIRE.

Who Was at Fault for Not Having a Speedy and Ample Supply?

THE ATKINS SCHOOL NAMED.

It Is Finally Settled by Common Consent, Despite Jealousy-Fall of a Heavy, Column-A Dog Catches a Thief.

The Water Supply.

It has been satisfactorily proven that Deputy Marshal Barbyte was not only awake when the call for additional pressure was turned in at the time of the packing house fire, but he was expecting a call for pressure, and was waiting to turn it on. He heard the signal given by Chief Walters, but claims that it was so indistinct that he could not interpret it. As has been stated in these columns, the signal is 1-2-1, but several parties who heard the signals claim that the strokes of the big bell did not give this num ber. Officer Thomas, who hastened to the station as soon as he heard the first alarm, asserts positively that the signal was a "5," and he thought at the time that another alarm had been turned in from box 41, and wondered why there was no space between the four and the one. When it did not repeat, he was at a loss to understand what it was intended for. He never heard the bell strike so rapidly before, and is positive that the signals were terribly mixed up. Chief Engineer Birkinbine, who was also at the police station, states that he could not distinguish the signals.

As stated in yesterday's Brz, there is not the slightest doubt that the signals were turned in, but later developments give rise to the belief that in the nurry and excitement the call was not made very intelligibly, and the failure of the jailor to interpret it is

The engineer and fireman of the pumping station were seen yesterday, and their state ments of the case are as follows:

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Thomas Young—"I am night fireman at
the waterworks pumping station. It is my
duty when an alarm of fire is received to
blow the steam whistle three times to call
the engineer, who lives just across the street,
and then pull down the fires. We carry and then pull down the fires. We carry about eighty pounds of steam when the fires are banked. I was cleaning the flues of No. 2 poiler when the alarm of fire was received. After the engineer arrived, which was only two or three minutes, he told me we would run the pumps anyway and get the day's work done. I do not know how long it was hefore we started up but only a very few before we started up, but only a very few

Robert Young-"I am engineer at the Robert Young—"I am engineer at the waterworks pumping station. I was called by the whistle only a few minutes after 5 o'clock, and dressed and ran over to the works. As I crossed the street I could see that the fire was a large one, so I started to pu mp to the city as soon as possible. After we had started to pump the fire alarm sounded a number of times, but I paid very little attention to it, as we were doing everything we could and could not back up any pressure until the valve was closed at the city building. Mr. Birkinbine telephoned me to puton pressure, and I told him I could not. In a very short time Mr. Birkinbine telephoned he had found that the fire protection had not on pressure, and told min record not. In a very short time Mr. Birkinbine telephoned he had found that the fire protection had not been closed and that he had just closed it. Fire pressure was on in a minute. He also told me to put on all the pressure I could. We kept a pressure of 150 pounds from that time, 5:55 a. m., until Mr. Birkinbine ordered it reduced to 120 pounds, at 9:30 a. m., and did not have the pressure below 110 pounds until 12:30 p. m. The pumps made 283,212 strokes during the time we pumped under fire pressure, and they pumped 3,427,452 gallons. I can not see where we are to blame. Surely it can not be the duty of the company to move the fire protection valves any more than to open fire hydrants."

Certain parties criticise the chief of the fire department for attaching four lines of two and one-half-inch hose to a four-inch main, and assert that an improvement might have been made in that direction much sooner than it actually was. The fact is

sooner than it actually was. The fact is demonstrated that, although a four-inch may furnish sufficient protection for a sparsel settled residence district, it is not enoug for a packing house or other large establish

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The Will of the Public.

A little occurrence that took place on the street yesterday illustrates the decided opposition of certain members of the school board to the name adopted by common consent for the new Atkins school building. Two members of the school board were talking over matters and things connected with the best interests of the public schools, and a BEE representative happened along just as one of the gentlemen referred to the new building as "the Atkins school." The other imme-diately interrupted him: "That makes me think; there is something I want to speak to you about after a while, for this newspape, man might take a notion to see how it would look in print if he was to hear what I have

"He knows what you mean, and so do I, so you might as well ease your mind on the question of naming that building," was the reply of his brother committeeman.
Yes, that is just what I mean, and I ob-

ject to the name first and last. It has comto such a pass that nearly everybody is re-ferring to that building by that fictitious title, for it is a fictitious name, as the school board never actually adopted it. There are plenty of folks who do just as you did a little while ago-they have heard the name so much that it slips off the end of their tongue as casily as can be whenever they refer to that building. It is only a few days since I went into the room of the principal of the building, and there was the name written in big letters on the blackboard. I asked the teacher why it was there, and she said that there had been a good deal of debate as to the correct name of the building, and that ha dbeen written there by common consent. She offered to crase it, but I thought that would seem too personal, and I told her she needn't mind about it just then. It is an actual fact that some of the teachers in that building are sending in their reports from the 'Atkins' school,' and there is no sense in it. It is all owing to 'The Bee, for the name was never mentioned in connection with the school until it began to appear in that paper, and it has kept it up until the public has adopted it. All the rest of us, I suppose, will be just like you before very long, and call it the Atkins school, whether we want easily as can be whenever they refer to tha call it the Atkins school, whether we wan

"Never mind, we will fix you out before Never mind, we will nk you out before long," was the consoling reply of his colleague. "If you will stand up for the name of Atkins school, I will see that the next building is named after you," and with this comforting assurance the aggrieved member was left to his own reflections.

A Fall in Iron.

About noon yesterday, what came near being a serious accident occurred at the new Eiseman block, One of the heavy columns for the front of the fourth story had been hoisted to the top of the building and was being swung into position, when a guy rope gave way, allowing the derrick to fall, and the great iron column, weighing over 3,000 pounds, was precipitated to the sidewalk, fifty feet below. It struck a projecting iron moulding on the second floor, smashing it to pieces, and narrowly missed a workman who

pieces, and narrowly missed a workman who was engaged near at hand.

Fortunately the damage was very slight and will not amount to over \$25. The work on the building was not delayed, as the column was but little injured and was raised to its proder position during the afternoon. It was the first mishap that has occurred on the building, although the walls are nearly up, and the heavy iron front will very soon be all in place.

A Dog Detective. John Gibson and James Lannon were taken before Justice Hendricks yesterday after-

noon charged with the larceny of a pair of shoes from the store of Fox & Hughes, on South Main street. One of them engaged the attention of the clerk while the other skipped out with the shoes. He ran through skipped out with the shoes. He ran through a barn toward the alley, when a suspicious dog fastened on the bosom of his pantaloons. After quite a struggle he managed to get away by leaving the shoes and a portion of his neturer garment in the possession of the canine. He was joined by his confederate, and the two struck out for the southren part of the city, where they were captured shortly afterward by the officers. They were disposed to fight the case, but finally concluded to plead guilty, and informed the court that they were ready to take their medicine. They were given thirty days in jail.

OVER A BLACKING BRUSH.

Plunger Walton's Sons Nearly Kill a Young Lawyer.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-Frank and Charles Walton, sons of Plunger Tueodore Walton, would have gone to jail yesterday had they not been bailed in the sum of \$1,000 each to answer at court for assaulting, until he became insensible, J. Armstrong Welch, a young lawyer and son of Aristides Welch. Welch was attacked at midnight while asleep in his bed, and was unconscious for two hours. Charles Walton and Welch have two hours. Charles Walton and Welch have boarded for a long time at Mrs. Devinney's, No. 247 South Fifteenth street, and were always good friends. On Monday Welch moved up one story and took Walton's blacking brush. The latter asked for it and the latter threw it into his room. It struck Walton and hot personalities followed. On Tuesday night Welch came in at 10 o'clock and went to bed. At midnight Frank Walton joined his brother Charles, and they broke open Welch's door and pounced upon him before he became awake. After lying insensible for two hours he aroused the landlady. His face was badly battered. landlady. His face was badly battered. Frank Walton lives with his father on South Twenty-first street, near Chestnut. Charles works in the city tax office as cierk.

BURNED TO DEATH. Terrible Fate Which Overtook a

Woman and Two Children. St. Louis, May 17 .- While Mrs. Louis

Palmer was cooking supper in her home at Rochedale, Tex., Wednesday evening, she dropped a lighted lamp and was immediately enveloped in flames. She ran into the yard where her husband was. The latter at-tempted to extinguish the flames, but did not succeed until his wife was fatally burned. He then discovered that the house was on fire, and that his two little boys were consumed. Palmer was also badly

RICHARDS' MURDERERS KILLED But the Money Was Buried and Not Recovered.

Santa Fe, N. M., May 17.—A report reached here last night stating it was believed at the Santa Fe mines at Carthage, that a posse who went in pursuit of the murderers of Superintendent Richards succeeded in killing the pair. The posse returned, but refused to affirm or deny that the Mexicans had been shot. The money was not recovered, and the story is that it was buried by the robbers soon after the murder. The body of Superintendent Richards will be sent to Qunicy, Ill., where his family live.

American News in London. [Copyright 1589 by James Gordon Bennett.] London, May 17 .- New York Herald Cable-Special to THE BEE, |-Hon. Thomas W. Palmer, of Michigan, minister to Spain arrived in London last night and stopped at the Grand hotel.

General Albert Lee, of New York, who, with Mrs. Lee, is at the Grand, will sail for home about June 1 in order to be present when his son passes examination at Yale college. General and Mrs. Lee have been on the continent all winter.

Hon. W. C. Whitney, ex-secretary of the navy, has engaged return passage for the

The City of Berlin arrived at Queenstow last night. On Tuesday night a passenger named Patrick Flynn, aged thirty years, a native of Waterford, hanged himself in a private part of the ship. His body was

Henn Telks on Yachts.

Boston, May 17 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Lieutenant Henn says: "In a few days the Galatea and all her outfit are going to leave Dartmouth and we will shift our anchorage to my home in Ireland. It will be three years since I first let go in American waters. The time has passed all too quickly. I am sorry for many reasons that Dunraven aid not build a first-class yacht over seventy feet on the water line. Moreover, I tell you candidly there is no seventy-foot sloop in America that is a match for the seventy-foot boat Yarana, built last year, and the Valkyrie will, I am sure, be faster and more powerful than the Yarana. Moreover, the Volunteer could tow

New Iowa Postmasters. Washington, May 17 .- [Special Telegran to THE BEE. |-Iowa postmasters appointed : W. E. Jordan, Bancroft, Kossuth county vice S. J. Byes, removed: William P. Drew Central, Van Buren county, vice W. A Jones, removed; C. Barlow, Clark Center, Clark county, vice J. M. Coons, removed; John Metz, Marysville, Marion county, vice J. T. Bridges, resigned; E. D. Gillmore, Medianolis. Des Moines county. vice H. J. Husted, removed; J. H. Morrison, Seymour, Wayne county, vice M. C. Caine, removed; Edwin Darling, Vail, Crawford county, vice M. A. Casey, removed.

Crime Caused By Evictions. LONDON, May 17.-Father O'Donnavan estified before the Parnell commission to-day. He attributed the increase of crimduring the league's existence to the action of the landlords in enforcing evictions. The commission will not make a report to the house of commons until February, 1890.

Another Dime Novel Tragedy. CHICAGO, May 17.-Frank Jasinski, aged sixteen, who has been reading flash literature, shot two of his acquaintances with a rifle yesterday, fataily wounding one of them. Jasinski escaped. The shooting was without provocation.

Editor Shepard for Rice's Place. NEW YORK, May 17 .-- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Washington correspondent of the Tribune says that Colonel Eiliott F. Shepard, of the Mail and Express, is talked of for the Russian mission.

Settled the Riot Damages. SHANGHAI, May 17 .- The claims for damages arising out of the Che Foe riots have been settled. The English and American flags have been rehoisted, the Chinese troops

Queen Mary Dead.

MUNICH, May 17 .- Queen Mary of Bavaria, mother of King Otto, died last night from dropsy and cancer of the liver. A Million For France.

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