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## MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. C. B. Water Works Co. Removed to 30 Pearl street. Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal, Craft's chattel loans, 204 Sapp block, Burborn's diamonds, watches, holidaygoods.

Superior court has adjourned until next Monday morning. The members of the Innisfail gramatic

club leave this afternooa for Red Oak, where they will present "Hick'ry Farm." Charles W. Townsend and Katle Bakaskie,

both of Omaha, were married yesterday by Justice Hammer in the Pacific house parlors Two closed patron boxes have arrived and are being put into position at the corner of Pearl street and First avenue, and the cor-

ner of First street and Broadway. It is stated that a number of pockets have been picked on the motor line between this city and Omaha, by light fingered gentry whose identity the trainmen have been

unable to find out. Brougham Stevenson and Miss Lulu V Rhodes, both of this city, were married Wednesday night by Rev. L. A. Hall at the home of the bride. They will make their residence in this city.

Charles, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seigei, died vesterday morning at 0:30 o'clock, aged 5 months. The fueral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 1613 Second avenue.

The members of the Council Bluffs Rifle club will have a shoot this afternoon at the Crittenden park, for the dandy dipper. There will be a series of four contests, one each week for the next four weeks. An entrance of 50 cents will be charged those who compete.

Marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Campbell to the following par-ties: Charles F. Adams of Pottawattamie county and Nellie C. Wheeler of Box Butte, county and Nelle C. Wheeler of Box Butte, Miss.; John E. Cook and Susie Jones, both of Pottawatlamic county; J. J. Hoffman of Atchison county, Missouri, and Ina L. Sny-der of Linn county; Frank O. James and Louie B. Alfred, both of Lawrence, S. D.

W. S. Baird made a deal with the holders of a number of mort-gages on Council Bluffs property and yesterday commenced foreclosure suits in the district court. The value of the property is about \$30,000, and the following parties are made defendants: Lee A. McCament, Warren D. Youlen, George H. Devter, Clara L. Louis and C. P. Swarm. In addition to the above a large number of Council Bluffs parties who are directly or indirectly interested in the property are also made de

The ladies of Trinity Methodist church will open their "Country Store" in Fos-ter's old stand, 521 Broadway, December 16 and continue until Saturday.

#### The Nicest in the City.

George S. Davis, 200 Broadway, has the nicest display of holiday goods up to date in the city. He was the first to show the public the beautiful things brought out this year, and he will domi nate the trade on his end of the street.

Fresh oysters, 25c and 30c can, at C O. D. Brown's.

#### Cut Millinery Prices.

Miss Ragsdale's millinery parlors, 337 Broadway, will have additional attractions this week. \$15 hats go for \$8; \$10 hats for \$5 and \$6; \$5 hats for \$2.50 and \$3, and a nice hat for \$1.50.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

John M. Galvin left last evening for a trip to Fairfield.

William Rapp, formerly a typo of this city, now of the Chicago Heraid, is visiting in the

School Board Members Finally Av.id the Coal Contract. HOW IT WAS ACCOMPLISHED AT LAST.

Carbon Company Will Furnish the Fuel-Other Subjects of Importance Discussed - Exonerated Miss Wickham Entirely.

There were four members present last vening at the meeting of the school board, held for the purpose of making another attempt to award the contract for furnishing the coal supply for the public schools during the present winter. Waite and Stacy were he absent members.

Hunter moved that the contract be awarded to the Carbon Coal company. President Wells ruled that a second was nnecessary, and a vote was taken resulting s follows: Yeas, Wells and Hunter; nays, as follows:

Schoentgen and Shubert. Hunter then suggested that the basement of the Hill school be filled with coal, as the cold weather was drawing on, and when the hill became covered with snow and ice it would be next to impossible to have any coal delivered. Wells asked what price he was paying for coal now. Hunter replied that he was buying the foel of the Carbon Coal company with the understanding that if the contract should be finally awarded to that company it should all be put in at the price named in the bid, namely, \$3.49. If, however, the contract should be awarded to some other firm the board would have to pay for it at regular retail prices, which fluctu-

ate somewhat, but average about \$3.65. Schoentgen thought there was no hurry about filing the Hill school basement, and made a motion to adjourn until Saturday made a motion to adjourn until Saturday evening. The vote on this resulted in a tie as before, Schoentgen and Shubert voting in favor and Hunter and Wells against. Wells then called Shubert to the chair and made some remarks, in "which he treated the members of the board in general to a hot roast for acting like overgrown schoolboys, meeting and adjourn-ing time after time, unable to settle a little coal matter that ought to be settled by any ousiness man in five minutes. He read clip pings from several papers by which he tried o show that a coal famine was imminent and he thought the matter ought to be set-

tled at once. Wells had just opened a package containing two cigar boxes filled with the two kinds of coal under discussion, and challenged the nembers of the board to tell which was the better, when Stacy rushed in very much out of breath and took his seat. Wells moved again that the contract be awarded to the Caroon Coal company. Hunter showed a letter by which he showed that the actual cost of the coal which was delivered by the Carbon company at \$3.49 was \$4.15, and he thought the board was getting a rare bar-gain. He also intimated that Mr. Wallace, if awarded the contract, would not be able to

furnish the coal as agreed, on account of the rise in price. Schoentgen retorted that Wallace's word was as good as Clarke's, and if he agreed to furnish the coal at that figure he would do t. Stacy said he had made an investigation and had found that the coal offered by the Carbon company was not so good as the other for use in furnaces or stoves and no better for steam heating. He should vote for Wallace. In order to shut off debate, Schoentgen moved the previous question, which was carried, Schoentgen, Stacy and Shubert voting yea and Weils and Hunter nay. It was evident that Wells and Hunter were in a hopeless minority, and Wells therefore made a motion to award the contract to Wallace at \$3.05, at the same time entering a protest against voting away 16 cents of the

public funds on every ton of coal and stipu-lating that every ton must contain 20,000 pounds. After a hot discussion, which was again shut off by the moving of the previous question, the contract was so awarded. Several communications were read relat-Several communications were read relat-ing to an article that appeared in a recent Omaha sectarian weekly, in which it was stated that Miss Kate Wickham, one of the public school teachers, had tried to inculcate her religious belief in her pupils, and had afterwards threatened to whip any of her

office of chief of police be done away with and the work which is now done by the chief of police be put into the hands of the city marshal. This plan would place the head of the peace department within reach of the people, where it could be cut off by vote whenever desired. Which plan is the better is a matter of dispute, and each one has its advocates among the city fathers. t Whichever one is adopted, it is certain that

expenses will be cut down corsiderably. It is said by those who have investigated the work done by the two departments that three men could do the office work that seven are now required to do, and the city would be fully as well protected as at present.

The Fifth Avenue Epworth Methodist ladies and the Married Ladles Social society will serve dianer and supper at the Exposition building today.

## Jarviswild blackbarry is the best.

Teapots filled with tea 58c this week at Lund Bros.

ONE A MINUTE. They are Born Frequently and None

Ever Die. "Say! where's the express office?" was the question that greeted the ears of a young man that drives a delivery wagon for S. T. McAttee, yesterday afternoon as he was crossing a strip of prairie in the vicinity of the Union Pacific transfer. The speaker was a man who had evidently

spent his life in the rural districts, and his most marked features consisted of the hay seed in his hair and a wild look about his eyes. He did not know which express office he wanted to find, but mumbled something that led the driver to infer that he had a very peculiar reason for wanting to find the place which he did not feel like im-parting to the public. The young man turned interviewer, however, and in a short time learned that the same hairless and

toothless game had been worked on Mr. Verdant that has resulted in the easy transfer of so much wealth. The countryman had run up against a bunco man who was long on nerve but short on cash, and had to have \$125 with which to get some of his property out of the hands of the hard hearted express company whose officers refused to let go of it forthcoming. That amount happened to be just what the accommodating granger had with him, and he did not see that he was being worked until his new found friend had made off with the cash and left him the experience. The victim of the game reported the case

to Depot Master McMiller, out refused to give his name, and left over the Rock Island for the east. He furnished a description of the confidence man to Mr. McMillen also, and there is a possibility of his being caught if he ventures about the transfer again.

All the apples exhibited by the Horticultural society have been given to the ladies of the Woman's Christian association, and are on sale at the exposition hall by the peck or bushel.

We have our own vineyards in Califor nia. Jarvis Wine company, Co. Bluffs Fresh bread, 2 loaves for 5c, at C. O

D. Brown's.

Fresh oysters received daily direct from Baltimore at C. O. D. Brown's, Council Bluffs.

**Opening of the Exposition.** The exposition given by the Women's Christian association for the benefit of the hospital opened vesterday at the Masonic temple, under very favorable circumstances. Meals were served all day by the ladies of the Broadway Methodist church and were well patronized. Booths have been fitted up by a number of the firms of the city, and are presided over by some of the cierks, so that Christmas presents can be bought to good advantage, especially in the day time, when the admission to the hall is free. Some of the booths have been fitted

up in an elaborate manner, among the finest exhibits being those made by the Boston store and Miss Ragsdale. In the evening a magnificent concert was given by Hans Albert's orchestra of Omaha.

A fine program of ten numbers was pre-sented, every number being greeted with oud applause. The attendance was good, but not so large as the excellence of the enent deserved. A fine program is to be tertainm presented this evening, and it is hoped that

by various members. The fruit exhibit also a sophomore in Yale college in 1863, when he closed, most of the afternoon being taken up with the work of gathering up the fruit and carting it off to the Masonic temple, where it will be on exhibition as one of the attrac-tions of the Women's Christian association recovered After the bazaar it will be given to the hospital.

As an incident to the refurnishing of the New Ogden the billiard parlors have been leased to Chas A. Fox, and fitted up with new tables and everything necessary for a first class resort for gentle-

Dell G. Morgan & Co., druggists, 742 Broadway, are giving their customers this season an elegant plush toilet set.

Mandel & Kline will move their entire stock to Sioux City January I. Until that time you can buy furniture, stoves, carpets, at your own price.

The largest stock of Japanese and Chinese goods east of San Francisco, 'Frisco prices, at 317 Broadway.

# THE OTHER SIDE.

Tank Line People Talk About Nebraska's Oil Inspection.

The manager of the Consolidated Tank Line company was seen by a reporter yesterday, and made the following statement in behalf of the company, relative to the recent article in THE BRE concerning the oil inspection in Neuraska:

"There has never been any oil rejected in Council Bluffs and shipped over here. All oils of every description in tarks or barrels shipped into Nebraska are inspected by the state inspector or his deputies, and every-thing shipped here complies with the laws of the state of Nebraska. The Consolidated Tank Line company is open at any time for the inspection of their oils from their storehouses or warehouses in the state of Nebraska. "The different tests made by THE BEE in

the city of the Tauk Line's oils represent a finsh test of from 84 to 93, when the facts that all tests are identically the same, renderthat all tests are identically the same, render-ing it impossible for this variance of figures, and proving that the parties making said tests are incompetent if they were made by the cup authorized by the laws of the state of Nebraska. All the oils of the Tank Line are from 5 to 40 degrees above the requirements of the law, which is 100 flash. The Bee's quotations of the laws are also erroneous, The Bee claiming that the original law was 110, which should mean 110 fire test. The present is 100 flash, the differfire test. The present is 100 flash, the difference between the two being from twenty to twenty-five degrees in the Foster cup, therefore the original law is about ninety flash

"The present oil which is being supplied in Nebraska is the very safest, in fact is per-fectly safe.

"As to the fire test, it is generally under-As to the new test, it is generally under-stood by the people at large, that the higher the fire test, the better oil. This is a mis-take. After oil has a sufficient fire test to make it safe, that is all that is required, and making a blacker fire that destroys the life. making a higher fire test destroys the illuminating qualities."

TOOK CHARGE OF THE SHELL

Omaha's Union Depot in the Possession of a Vicious Dog.

There was a great big smooth coated St. Bernard dog in the union depot waiting room last night which had everything its own way for a while. The animal had been left lying under one of the settees early in the evening and the owner had left on a train, forgetting his dog. About 10:30, o'clock the dog got tired and took a stroll around the room. He repelled all the attempts of the depot at-taches to be friendly and made two or three vicious jumps and snaps toward people who

tried to make friends with his majesty. At last all the doors were opened and armed with brooms and sticks the railroad people made an attack. In the face of the desperate throng and the great drray of im-plements of war the brute fied out of the denot and eastward down the tracks. When he had disappeared the brooms and stove

be next disappeared the observation shows and stores pokers were put back in their usual places, the policeman slipped his revolver into his pocket, the two messenger boys who wit-nessed the affair climoed down off the benches and every one breathed easier.

a sopadmore in Tale college in 1966, when he enlisted in the famous Lincoln cavairy, serv-ing until the summer of 1864, when he was discharged because of injuries received in the field, from the effects of which he never fully recovered.

### GRAFES MURDER TRIAL.

Progress of Denver's Sensational Trial.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 10 .- win the Graves trial today the prosecution put Dr. Sewell of the Denver university on the stand. He found that the liquid in the bottle, which be analyzed, contained 21% per cent of arsenic, arsenic of potasium and 21 per cent alcohol, and, judging from the analysis, the bottle con tained 132 grains of arsenic and no whiskey at all. After the conclusion of the examination he delivered the bottle to Detective Mc-Pharland of the Pinkerton agency. The lattor then testified.

The bottle was then introduced as evidence and passed around among the jurors and lawyers, nearly all of whom smelled of it or put a little on their tongues and smacked their lips in an endeavor to determine whether or not it was a good quality of "5-year-old whiskey" or of mountain manufacture.

Dr. Sewell was recalled and his cross examination continued. In reply to Judge Macon's question the doctor said he had made the analysis by the Marsh test, and that he at first looked for mercury or some corrosive substance, but instead of getting mercury he got copper and arsenic. the doctor described the way an analysis for poison is made.

The defense then attempted to have the witness admit that the Marsh test was unreliable, but he would not do so. He ad-mitted that he had told the result of his work to Mr. Worreli soon after he had con cluded it.

cluded it. Upon redirect examination he stated that antimony could readily be taken for arsenic, but not if the two drugs were seen together. Then antimony was not readily dissolved, while arsenic was. In the porcelain dish bearing the stain of arsenic he tested the stain and proved that it was arsenic. If he used Marsnic test without any other test he would Marsn's test without any other test he would then be sure of the result of this test, but he did use other tests to ascertain the results of Marsh's test.

of Marsh's test. Dr. Sewell was excused, and Prof. Walton S. Haines, who also figured in the Millington case, was called to the stand. He said be was a professor of chemistry in the Rush Medical college, Chicago, and had been in that profession sixteen years. Besides, he was consulting invision to the Chicago heath consulting physician to the Chicago health department. He stated that us was department. He stated that ue was frequently called upon to examine bodies and food for poison. He had examined about nincty bodies for poison and over 100 speci-mens of food. In June last Mr. McPariand gave him a fluid for analysis. He identified the fatal bottle as the bottle from which the fluid was poured, of Hel made four tests, among them Marsh's and his re-sults were the same as Dr. Sewell's. Judge Macon objected to the witness being allowed to testife to the analysis for the

Judge Macon objected to the witness being allowed to testify to the analysis, for the reason that at the time it was made Dr. Graves had been in-dicted and was under arrest, and had a right to be represented at the analysis, which was not done. The matter was argued until 2 o'clocs, when Judge Rising overruled until 2 o'clocs, when Judge Rising overruled in an an execution was taken. the objection and an exception was taken. Prof. Headden, who made an examination of the viscera and other organs of the dead woman, testified to the finding of arsenic in sufficient quantities to cause death. At the close of the direct examination court adjourned until tomorrow.

### Smashed the Furniture.

At 2 o'clock this morning Officer Glover telephoned in from the Coliseum that W. L. Mardis of 1612 North Twenty-first street had been in considerable trouble a short time be fore.

According to the report Mrs. Mardis had found her husband in bed with another woman and the war commenced. Mrs. Mardis, it is claimed, grabbed up a chair and pro ceeded to smash everything within reach.

A mirror or two and some small articles of furniture were broken before the trouble ended. Quiet was at last restored without any arrests being made.



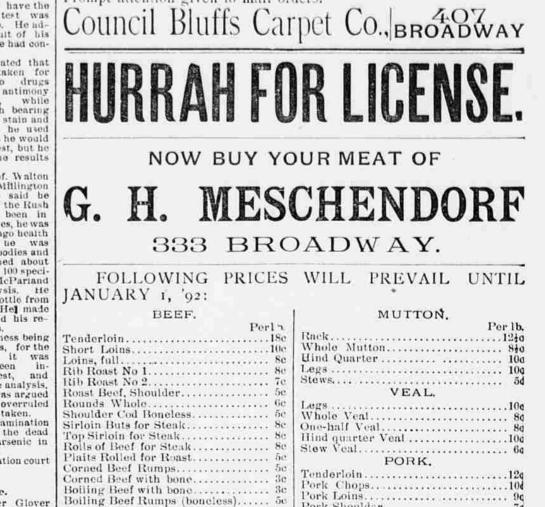
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Velvet		1.12
Body Brussels, BigelowRegular pric	o 1.50Cut price	1.30
Body Brussels	a 1.35Cut price	1.20
Body Brussels, Regular pric	e 1.25Cut price	1.10
Tapestry BrusselsRegular price	a 1.10Cut price	.90
Tapestry Brussels	9.93Cut price	.76
Tapestry Brussels	e .65Cut price	.52
Ingrain, 3-ply, all wool		.85
Ingrain, AgraRegular pric		.85
Ingrain, extra superRegular pric		.70
Ingrain, all wool Regular pric	o .80Cut price	.65
Ing ain, C. C., wool filler	e .75Cut price	.60
Ingrain, Union	a .55Cut price	.45
Ingrain, Cotton		.35
HempRegular pric		.25
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Sugar Cured No. 2..... 9a LARD. 

Mrs. Ed. Butcher, wife of the well known conductor on the Burlington road, is dangerously ill.

Mrs. C. H. Sherraden has gone to Illinois in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of a relative.

W. C. Boyer and wife left yesterday for Birmingham, Ala., where Mr. Boyer will represent the International Typographical union in the convention of the Federation of Labor.

Mrs. Cyrus Clausen, who lives near the water works power house, was reported dan-gerously ill yesterday, and it was feared last evening that she would not last until this

Rev. F. L. Hayden was in the city. He is still living at Marne, but has been recently transferred from the Presbyterian church of that place to that of Avoca. He will move his family to Avoca in the course of a few weeks.

Carman Feed and Fuel company, wholesale and retail hay, grain and feed. Special prices on hay and grain in car lots. 706 Main street, Council Bluffs.

Cordwood for Sale.

Dry cordwood \$2.25 per cord. Inquire of David Lane, Lake Manawa.

#### Replevined the Furniture.

A sequel to the Union elevator muddle of a couple of weeks ago occurred late Wednesday night, when a large amount of property was seized by the Brown Brothers Grain company, which formerly operated the elevator for P. Brockman, the St. Louis man who, it is alleged, broke up their business. Several months ago a chattel mortgage was given by the Brown Brothers company to Brockman, covering all their elevators in Nebraska and Kansas, and the lease of their business here was assigned to Brockman at the same time, on condition that the latter should furnish a large amount of money to assist them in carrying on their business. Under the chattal mortgage and assignment of the lease Brockman took pos-session of the safe, books, office furniture, and some other property, which, it is claimed, was not covered by the lease. This property was all seized Wednesday night by a deputy sheriff and taken no one knows where, it is thought probable, however, that it was taken to Lincoln, Neb., where the main office of Brown Bros. is located Pogether with the petition for a writ of replevin was filed a claim for \$5,000 damag against Brockman for the unjust detention of the repleyined property.

#### The Sale Will Be Continued

For one week longer, teapots filled with tea going at 58c, Lund Bros. Try Carman's for hard and soft coal

and wood, 706 Main stree

Jarvis 1877 brandy, purest, safest, best.

### Elected New Officers.

A meeting of the Union Veteran Legion and the ladles of the Union Veteran Legion was held Wednesday evening at which officers were elected for the coming year. The following is the list of officers elected by the legion: Colonel, W. S. Rice; lieutenant colonel, Georgo H. Crisp; major, C. M. King; officer of the day, David Mack; quarterinas-ter, John Fox; surgeon, A. J. Cook; trustee, George Phelps.

The following is the result of the election w the ladies of the legion : President, Mrs. B. C. Loveland; first vice president, Mrs. B. C. Loveland; first vice president, Mrs. C. Lunkley; second vice president, Mrs. C. M. King; treasurer, Mrs. W. S. Rice; secretary, Mrs. G. W. Strong; & nductor, Mrs. G. H. Crisp; chaplain, Mrs. R. N. Merriam; color guard, Mrs. O. Anson; sentinel, Mrs. T. J. Cady.

Reiter, the tailor, 310 Broadway, has all the latest styles and new winter goods. Satisfaction in every respect guaranteed.

Telekatharos, perfectly cleaned and seeded currants, the finest thing in the world at Slead's grocery, opposite the

pupils until the blood ran who should tell his or her parents what she had said. The charge was stoutly denied by Miss Wickham, and a couple of letters were read from the mon upon whose author-ity the newspaper article was al-leged to have been written, stating that they had never made any of the statements with which they were credited. Upor motion of Member Schoentgen a resolution was passed exonerating Miss Wickham from the charges made against her and condemn ing any such wrongful accusations made without a shadow of investigation.

After a few matters of minor importance had been passed upon the board adjourned nonday evening, at which time the final re port of the committee appointed some two weeks ago to investigate the Cox-Shubert coal difficulty is expected to make a report.

VISIT THE BOSTON STORE.

Book, Rolidsy and Fancy Gads Departments, Council Blug-, lowa. The Boston Store is acknowledged b very one to be headquarters for holi day goods, books, etc. Note a few of the prices contained in our book department

Our own edition, 12mo., cloth binding, 19c, with a great variety of authors. including Edna Lyall, Wilkie Collins. Dickens, Black, Haggard, etc. Gladstone edition, 12mo., cloth bind

ng, 25c, stamped in gold on back. Famous Half Bound, 12mo , 33c, These books are bound in substantia

tyte, gold stamping, marble sides and dges. The paper, printing and binding being far superior to any of the cheap cloth lines published at higher

Red Line edition of the poets, 50c This edition is handsomely bound in cloth and gold stamped in ink and gilt edges. We carry a full line of all the most popular poets. Padded seal edition of the poets, 95c

ublisher's price, \$1.75. Ziz-Zag Journey, publisher's price

\$1.50 per volume; our price \$1.19. Three Vassar Girls series, publisher' Brown's? price \$1.50 per volume; our price \$1.00. Will Stanley in Africa, publisher's price \$3.00; our price \$2.00. Golden Days of '49, by K. Munro, pub lisher's price \$1,50; our price \$1,19, Ran Away From the Dutch, by Pere-

aer, publisher's price \$1.50; our price \$1.19.The Boys of 1812, by Russell Soley publisher's price \$2.00; our price \$1.19 The Boys of '61, by Carleton, publish er's price \$2.00; our price \$1.19,

Doro's Master Pieces, publisher's price \$6,00; our price \$1.17. Dore's Bible Gallery, Dante's Inferno.

Purgatory and Paradise, Milton's Paradise Lost-all \$6.00 books for \$1.17. Canon Farrar's Life of Christ, illus-

rated, publisher's price \$5,00; our price \$1.45. Europe and America, illustrated, pub-

isher's price \$2.50; our price 95c. BOSTON STORE. Council Bluffs, Iowa.

To prevent fraud Ohio assed a law

requiring the inspection of maple sirup, and H. V. Slead, the grocery man, has the only genuine stuff in t'e city, bearing Crain Bros.' affidavit and the Ohio nspection stamp.

#### Feonomy the Watchword.

A scheme is on foot to abolish the office of city marshal. The office is created by a state law, and it cannot be done away with until the law is changed radically. Some of the members of the city council who were elected on a "reform and retrenchment" platform are engineering the plan and although it has not yet been decided in what form the degrand shall be made, it is certain that an effort will be made to have the mat-

ter brought before the legislature at this winter's session

a large growd will be present. The ladies are deserving of the hearty patronage of the public in their charitable work. Commercial men, Hotel Gordon the best \$2 house in Council Bluffs.

The only kindergarten in the city is n the Merriam block, next to the Young Men's Christian association. Experienced teachers and only one-half usual rates are charged.

Drs. Woodbury, dentists, next to Grand hotel; fine work a specialty.

### Sent to the Grand Jury.

E. Ward, the fellow whom Officer Kemp rrested Wednesday evening for picking the pocket of Mrs. O'Donnell, had a hearing efore Justice Swearingen vesterday after noon. He told a somewhat clever story of his connection with the case, stating that he was merely running with the crowd after the thief when he was arrested, but it failed the thief when he was arrested, but it failed to go down, and he was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. His bond was fixed at \$200, in default of which he was sent to the county jail. Mrs. O'Donnell has failed to find any trace of the \$10 which the purse contained, and it has probably been divided between Ward's two pals.

Thomas McKinzie, who was nabbed by Officer Beswuck Wednesday night as he was helping himself to a couple of pairs of shoes from the store of P. Larsen, on South Main reet, was sent up for ten days for petit larceny.

The Woman's Christian association exposition hall is open every afternoon or the free use of the public, and vistors are always welcome

Dell G. Morgan & Cor, druggists, 742 Broadway, are special agents for the fanous "Blush of Roses." Why pay 45c a quart for oysters when

ou can get them for 30c at C. O. D. W. C. A. Exposition. PROGRAM.

College Song-Hush, Hush ...

5. College Song-Upidee. Boy Choir of St. Paul's. 6. Piano Solo-Swedish March....Soderman Miss Grace McKenzie

. Vocal-Polly and I. Mr. T. M. Treynor. Piano Solo-Second Mazurka ...... Godard

Miss Ollie Cook. Admission 25 cents. Swanson Music Co., Masonic temple.

Walnut block and Wyoming coal.

resh mined, received daily Thatcher, 16 Main. Ancual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the First Presbyerian church O. O. St. John was elected

treasurer, to succeed J. M. Flagler, resigned, and Mr. Flagler was added to the board of trustees which already consisted of W. C. Dickey, Hon. W. I. Smith, F. H. Kays and C. D. Parmelee, F. E. Hoagland was re-C. D. Parmoles, F. E. Hoagiand was re-elected secretary, and a board of deacons was selected, consisting of W. L. Patterson, J. H. Love and W. S. Marshall. The report of the treasurer for the past year showed that the fore composition with the second second

the free pow system, with the envelope attachment, had been a success financially, and it was decided to continue the use of it during the coming year.

## Close of the Exhibit.

The meeting of the Western Horticultural association closed yesterday afternoon, with

THEY TOOK THEIR MEDICINE.

Iwo Women Enjoy Eig Drinks in a

Tenth Street Saloon. It looks rather strange to see women in a saloon especially when they walk up to the bar and order a couple of drinks, but that's what the habitues of a Tenth street saloon

saw last night and it nearly took their breath away. About 10 o'clock two plainly dressed women evidently just over from Germany walked into O'Herne & Horrigan's liquid refreshment stand and after denositing their goods and chattels on the floor asked for a couple of glasses of kimmel.

Every one in the resort, including the bar-keeper, stared in amazement at the women, but no one said a word. Two glasses were produced by the dispenser of drinks and a big square bottle bearing a foreign label placed upon the counter. The strangers poured out about four fingers apiece, dran the stuff in silence, laid a quarter upon the counter and walked out. "That's the fun-niest fake I have seen in a long time," said the barkeep as he washed the glasses. onder where these women came from."

did every one else. Reinstated the Switchmen.

Superintendent Sutherland held a long conference with the Union Pacific switch men last evening in regard to the discharge of Switchmen Clancy and Frye by Yard-master McNeil. These men were laid off by the yardmaster for some petty offense and the switchmen's union took the case in hand and demanded a consultation. The result was that Clancy and Frye were reinstated in their old positions without loss of time which decision greatly pleased the union men.

### FIRE RECORD.

Pinos Altos, N. M., Destroyed-Other Conflagrations.

PINOS ALTOS, N. M., Dec. 10.-At 5:30 this morning fire was discovered in a vacant frame building in the center of town. Not a drop of water was accessible and the whole town was soon in flames. Men, women and chil dreen turned out to fight the fire, but the dry buildings burned like tinder, destroying nearly the entire town. Only two business houses were saved, they being Bell & Stephens and A. K. Leroy's stores. The loss will reach \$100,000; insurance light. The lire is thought to have been incondury. SEATTLE, Wash. Dec. 10.—The Mechanio Mills company's large tactory housed to SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 10.—The Mechanic Mills company's large factory burned to-night on account of the scarcity of water. Many other buildings were in danger, but the fire boat prevented a spread of the fire. The total loss is \$140,000; insurance, \$28,000. New Youx, Dec. II.—A fire broke out at 1 o'clock this morning in the dry goods establishment of H. Batterman at Broadway, Flushing and Graham avenues, Brooklyn. The building is of brick, four storks in height, and occupies a triangular block. The, fire is at present contriangular block. The fire is at present con fined to the top floor. The department is pouring into the building volumes of water. The house is the leading dry goods house of the eastern district. The damage will be

extensive. MADISON, WIS., Dec. 10. -Fire at Dodgeville this morning destroyed the Rudorsdorf notel, the offices of the Chronicle, Sun, and Eye and Star, and several shops and other buildings. Loss, \$10,000; partially insured. CEDAR RAFIDS, Ia., Dec. 10,-A dispatch Williamsburg says a whole block in the busi-ness portion of town was burned this moraing by incendiaries. The loss is partially wered by insurance.

#### Daughters of the Revolution.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- The Daughters of the Revolution have, in a lotter to Mrs. Benjamin Harrison, repudiated the action aken by one of its members who proposed a fusion of that society and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

### The Leath Roll.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- George W. Stewart, the inventor of the sea telephone, died last night of heart disease. Wishson, Vt., Dec. 10.-Charles B., son of

Senator Evarts, died at his home here this A scheme has also been suggested that the the reading of a number of valuable papers died from an eplication fit. The deceased was

#### Will Build to St. Joseph.

Sr. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 10.-A few days a the officers of the Baltimore & Ohio syst visited this city, but nothing was learned as to their purpose. Today it developed that they made a proposition to citizens to extend their lines to this city and build extensive shops here if the people here will give the road what is known as the Fowler tract, a

piece of land worth \$100,000. A citizena

committee has the matter in charge.

Odessa.

Suffering in Russia. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10 .- The govern ment will advance money for fodder to peas ants who prove that they possess animals the object being to prevent a wholesale slaughter of animals. A smallpox epidemic is causing great ray ages in Rianzan. The mortality is 25 per cent. There are 25,000 cases of influenza in

### Columbus Gives Up

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10 .- On good author ity it is stated here that Chris von Der Ahe acting for the American association, has se cured an option on the Columbus club, whose directors have chosen to sell out rather that be squeezed out. This will reduce the association to an eight club circuit. WANT to buy stock of groceries or boots and shoes: will pay part cash and part by a 5 room house and lot in Omaha. G is Bee, Council Buffs.

#### Florence's Remains.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 - The body of the late William J. Florence, the eminent actor, was removed this afternoon from the receiving vault in Greenwood cometery to the family lot on Vine avenue in the cemetery.

### Chess Champions.

Sr. Louis, Mo., Dec. 10.-The third game of the Judd-Showalter chess contest ended this evening in a victory for Judd on the thirty-ninth move. The score now stands Judd, 2; Snowalter, 0; drawn, 1.

America still Leads.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 10 .- In the tug of war contest tonight America beat England in sixteen minutes, Scotland won from Germany in twelve minutes and Canada defeated Ire land in the same time,

#### Value of Parnell's Property.

LONDON, Dec. 10 .- The gross value of the Paid Up Cap'tal ...... \$100,000 late Mr. Parnell's property is sworn at \$55. Oldest organized bank lin the cliv. Foreign and domestic exchange and usai securities. Russi d attention paid to collections. Accounts of individ-uals, banks, bankers and corporations solicital Correspondence to vita 1 870 and the net value at \$31,260.

#### Thrown from His Buggy.

LONDON, Dec. 10,-Major General Sir Louis Pelly, while driving today at Hereford, was thrown from his carriage and died.

## Steamer Arrivals.

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