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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal. Craft's chattle loans, 201 Sapp block.

Mrs. H. H. Field will entertain a party of friends at high five tomorrow evening. Mrs. L. H. Hoar entertained a number of her lady friends yesterday afternoon at a Kensington tea.

The ladies of All Saints' mission will entertain a social at the residence of Mrs. F. W. Traub, 24 South Twenty-second street, this evening.

Miss Ethel West entertained a number of her young friends Saturday afternoon at her home on Washington avenue in honor of her 7th birthday.

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy Bean will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence 228 Harmony street, Rev. J. G. Lomen officiating.

The case of Deere, Wells & Co. against Aultman & Miller still occupies the district court. It is proving a great drawing card to the representatives of the various replacement houses of the city. It will probably not be completed before Saturday afternoon.

Oren Lamb and Miss Anna Covatt were married light before last, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Covatt, on Avenue A, Justice Hamner officiating. A large number of friends witnessed the ceremony, at the close of which an elaborate supper was served.

Mrs. Nathalie Pollard delivered a lecture last evening at the Masonic temple on the customs of the Chinese. A fair sized audience was present. The lecture was illustrated with stereoscopic views, which were very fine, and Mrs. Pollard's costumes which she wore added considerably to the entertainment.

A son of Abraham Jackson has at last turned up, and says he will care for his father, whose pitiable condition was first called attention to in "The Bee." As an excuse for his neglect, he stated that he supposed his father was with another son in the eastern part of the state until he saw the newspaper article in regard to the matter, as laid up at the Woman's Christian hospital.

The case of the state against P. J. McMahon, charged with embezzlement, in which there was a disagreement of the jury at the last term of the court, will be tried at another trial at the present term. A motion was filed yesterday by the defendant for a continuance. In support of it was an affidavit of the defendant's mother, stating that he was ill in Chicago and that he would be unable to be present.

Frank Clark, who robbed the Boston store, was bound over to the grand jury yesterday by Judge McGee, and was confined in the county jail in default of \$500 bonds. He is considered one of the smoothest crooks that has been in the city. It is thought that he is the opinion of some of the authorities that his objection in asking for so many continuances was that his friends might have an opportunity to pass in safe to him through the bars to help him in breaking jail.

Superintendent A. K. Stone of the motor line and the detective force are having a misunderstanding in regard to the running of the street sweeping machines. Stone insists on running them early in the evening and O'Connell of the force is trying to stop him. It is stated that the superintendent has sworn out in superior court charging Stone with violating a city ordinance and that a warrant for his arrest will be sprung on him unless he modifies his position.

Sheriff Hazen has been notified of a robbery which took place near Avoca, the victim being John Jackson, whose family had left the house to meet him at the depot on his return from Boston. During their absence thieves broke in and ransacked the house from top to bottom, taking away with them a lot of money, jewelry, and other articles which have not yet been found missing. The job is supposed to have been done by track.

The case of John Linder against G. E. Tamisoa was tried in Justice Hamner's court yesterday afternoon. The subject of controversy is a bill for \$24 which the plaintiff claims due from the defendant and the defendant refuses to pay it because it was for intoxicating liquors, and therefore an illegal debt. The defendant did not appear in court personally, but was represented by his wife, and the plaintiff's attorney demanded a judgment on default. This was refused, and the case was set for trial. The case was mainly submitted to the court and taken under advisement.

The new directory has at last been heard from. Its compiler, J. P. Bushnell of Des Moines, left his manuscript at the office, stating that it would be ready for distribution in the neighborhood of three weeks. Nothing more has been heard from him or the book until a letter was received by a personal friend in which he stated that the delay had been caused by a breaking down of the press, but it is brought up to date about four months ago, and it is feared that by the time it is finally ready for distribution it will be somewhat behind the times.

An Electric Wonder. When Benjamin Franklin caught cold by flying his kite during a thunder storm on Sunday, little did he imagine the possibilities to which would be put the subtle electric fluid he succeeded in conducting to the earth. Even to this day, when so much practical use is made of it, many of its possibilities are only dreamed of. To most people electricity is still a large interrogation point. We know it drives machinery—but how?

Those who would like to witness the fact and study the how are invited to call at the progressive Bee job printing office of Pryor Bros., 412 Pearl street and see the first electric motor for driving machinery that has been set up in the city. The presses and machinery in this office are now all driven by an electric motor, the power being furnished by the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company. When several years ago, Pryor's Bee job office put in the first water motor in the city, considerable surprise was expressed that so small a piece of machinery should be able to develop so much power, but the electric motor causes still more astonishment. Those interested in seeing a really fine machine are invited to call at Pryor Bros.' Bee job office and see the little wonder.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. George Wise returned from Minnesota yesterday. James O'Neill, ex-sheriff, was a Bluffs visitor yesterday.

Alex Malinosof of Denver is in the city visiting his old friends. J. N. Cassidy, Jr., has returned from a visit to several weeks in the east.

Mrs. C. H. Clark of Chicago is visiting Mrs. William Barker, 1012 Seventh avenue. F. M. Gault has left for Buffalo in response to a telegram announcing the death of a brother.

Lewis Miles of Corydon and D. B. Miller of Red Oak were in the city yesterday on business connected with the federal court.

Mrs. A. M. Battelle of Oakland is in the city the guest of her son, J. M. Matthews. She is accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. D. W. Cressay.

Mrs. William J. Irvine and daughter Miss Jeff Wednesday for their home in Colorado. After spending some time visiting friends in this city, Mrs. Irvine was formerly teacher in the city schools.

Chairman Palmer of the democratic state committee is expected to arrive in the city next week to arrange some of the preliminaries for the democratic state convention which is to be held in this city in May.

George W. Drake has returned from Blair, Neb. A story which has been going the rounds of late to the effect that he attended church while at Blair and threw the preacher out of the pulpit, after which he proceeded to deliver a sermon on his own hook, is branded by him as a fake. He claims to be able to establish an alibi.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Harry Hamilton Will Not Waive His Constitutional Rights.

HE IS AFRAID OF NEBRASKA OFFICIALS

Omaha Police Make an Effort to Secure the Man Who is Accused of Swindling One of the City's Visitors.

Harry Hamilton, who is in jail on a charge of confounding a rural Nebraska out of \$40 in Omaha, does not propose to leave any stone unturned in his efforts to get out of standing trial which will in all probability see him in the penitentiary. He says his victim can be induced to stay in Omaha and prosecute him. He is using up his spare moments in thinking up means of escape. Yesterday afternoon a petition for a writ of habeas corpus was filed in the superior court by his attorney, Colonel D. H. Dailley, alleging that he was being wrongfully detained. The Omaha authorities, however, had made preparations for this emergency and had left a warrant with Marshal Tompkins charging him with forgery. On the strength of this warrant an information was filed in the superior court by the marshal yesterday charging him with being a fugitive from justice, and there is not little probability that he will succeed in getting away. He will be brought before Judge McGee this morning at 9 o'clock when the application for a writ of habeas corpus will be heard and argued.

SATURDAY LAST DAY OF THE GREAT CUT PRICE SALE AT THE GREAT BARGAIN SHOE STORE, NO. 100 MAIN STREET, COUNCIL BLUFFS. S. A. PIERCE & CO.

WHITE GOODS SALE

The white goods sale at the Boston Store, Council Bluffs, Ia., has been a marked success. Since the sale opened Saturday morning last it is really surprising the quantity of goods that have been sold; the store has been crowded day after day with anxious buyers. All boys' \$3 fine shoes now \$2.25. All boys' \$2.50 fine shoes now \$2. All boys' \$2.50 fine shoes now \$1.50. Misses' shoes, including cloth tops, patent tips, etc., all spring heels, at these prices: All misses' \$3.10 patent tips, now \$2. All misses' \$2.50 patent tips, now \$1.75. All misses' \$1.75 patent tips, now \$1.25. All misses' \$1.50 patent tips, now \$1.10.

CHILDREN'S WEEK AT SARGENT'S.

Great cut in boys' misses' and children's shoes. All boys' \$3 fine shoes now \$2.25. All boys' \$2.50 fine shoes now \$2. All boys' \$2.50 fine shoes now \$1.50. Misses' shoes, including cloth tops, patent tips, etc., all spring heels, at these prices: All misses' \$3.10 patent tips, now \$2. All misses' \$2.50 patent tips, now \$1.75. All misses' \$1.75 patent tips, now \$1.25. All misses' \$1.50 patent tips, now \$1.10.

MEN'S DRESS SHOES.

Men's \$7 patent leather dress shoes, now \$5. Men's \$6 patent leather dress shoes, now \$4. Men's \$5 patent leather dress shoes, now \$3.50. Edwin C. Burt's \$5 and \$6 shoes now \$3. Come and get my prices. I always have and always will while in business. See my good solid goods for less money than any shoe house in the city. Remember you cannot tell the value. There are a great many cheap shoes sold at a good price. This is a cheap sale of good shoes. I am in it.

NEW PRICE LIST ON SHEETINGS.

45 inch 12c, 12c. 45 inch 12c, 15c, 16c. 64 1/2 inch 14c, 15c. 7-4 20c. 8-4 20c, 22c. 9-4 20c, 22c, 25c. 10-4 25c, 25c, 30c. Most of these goods are in standard grade cottons, such as Atlantic, Imperial, Lockwood, Pepperell, Boston and White Rose.

BOSTON STORE.

Fotheringham, Whitlow & Co., Leaders and promoters of low prices. Cash and One Price, Council Bluffs, Ia.

N. B.—Packages delivered to any part of the city during this sale the same as usual. Store closes at 6 p. m. except Mondays and Saturdays.

Dr. Woodbury, dentist, next to Grand hotel, fine work a specialty. Tele. 143. Money to loan. Lowest rates. Johnston & Van Patton, Everett block.

The Last Rites.

The funeral of Frank Cook, the little boy who was drowned in Indian creek, occurred yesterday from the family residence on East Street in Omaha. The remains were taken to Allis last evening for interment. The funeral of Frank Kingsbury, his companion in misfortune, will occur this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Kingsbury, near the corner of First and Pierce streets, Rev. E. J. Babcock officiating.

The entertainment which was given by the pupils of the Pierce street school building a short time ago noted enough to pay for the rent of a piano for two years and somewhat for the purchase of a new one. The school is buying flowers for the two boys, both of whom were pupils in the Pierce street school.

E. H. Sheafe has eastern money on hand for real estate loans. Jarvis wild blackberry is the best.

Hot for the Mardi Gras! At New Orleans. One fare, \$31.45, for round trip. Tickets on sale Feb. 22 to 28. For particulars call on O. M. Brown, ticket agent K. C. St. J. & C. B.

Politics in the Fifth. There is considerable work being done by the politicians in the Fifth ward, although most of it is done so quietly that but little of it is heard on the outside. John Lobart is prominently mentioned as a candidate for the nomination of alderman on the democratic ticket and a well known democrat of the ward is responsible for the statement that he will without much doubt be the nominee. He is a railroad man and works in the office of the Union Pacific railway company in Omaha. The democratic party is nominating him to carry the entire railroad vote with them. Almeron Peter Smith is a candidate for reelection on the republican ticket and he has no opposition. He has been brought to light in the party. He received a majority of 180 votes at the last election in a ward that is usually about 40 democratic.

Vocal Music. Prof. T. W. Davis, teacher of voice and note reading. Lessons private. Call or address at Grand hotel, Council Bluffs.

Walnut block and Wyoming coal, fresh mined, received daily Thatcher, 16 Main.

Monkeyed with the Buzz Saw. E. J. Roney, who works in J. A. Murphy's planing mill in the western part of the city, met with a serious accident yesterday. He was operating a circular saw, the gearing of which had worked loose and allowed the saw to wobble. It struck him in the left

THE ORIGINAL OF EVANS' GREAT FIRE SALE OF SHOES!

Goods will be sold at Regular Prices after Saturday, Feb. 20

TO RAILROAD MEN:

I want to say that I have a fine calf, box-toed shoe, Lace, Congress or Button, the very best shoe made, and I will warrant every pair. The price has been reduced from \$5.00 to \$3.50.

All other goods at a discount of almost 50 per cent this week. Don't wait till too late.

F. H. EVANS, 412 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

Arthur Crane, Dora Fuller, May Hall, Norman Hall, Hattie Reed, J. B. Johnston, and George Morris. Miss Fuller is considered to be injured seriously. The hair is all burned off her head and her face is badly injured. The others are all burned about the head and shoulders. The building is a total loss. The damage is not estimated.

NATIONAL REAL ESTATE CONGRESS. Nashville Entertains the Delegates—The Last Day's Proceedings. Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 18.—President Pilcher called the National Real Estate Congress to order early this morning. Dr. Kelly led in prayer and immediately after opened the session with a paper on "The Moral Effects of Safe Investments."

Advertisement for New England Mince Meat. "This pie delicious in 20 minutes." Includes an illustration of a woman and a pie.

Advertisement for Russell & Co., Keystone Mfg. Co., W. A. Maurer, Duquette & Co., and Russell & Co. Includes a list of products and services.

Advertisement for G. E. Moyers, Successor to C. A. Beese & Co. Includes a list of furniture and household goods.

When Billy Broke the Bank. Eugene Field's Circumstantial Account of a Run of Luck at Monte Carlo.

A cablegram announces that the bank at Monte Carlo suspended one evening last week before the extraordinarily successful play of an unknown American. This has happened once before says the Chicago News. Two years ago our admirable friend, Billy Knox, having had a vicissitudinous experience in the lottery, concluded to make a tour of the continent. He was particularly anxious to visit the Riviera, and Monte Carlo was the spot he pinned to try conclusions with.

Several nights ago the boarding house of Mrs. Arkerwright, on Fourth street, was entered by thieves about supper time and a couple of overcoats belonging to the boarders were stolen. Last night an attempt was made to repeat the operation at about the same time, but it ended disastrously to the two men who played the star parts.

The presentation of important papers was continued. "The Mission of the Real Estate Board," by C. Sherman, was followed by a paper on "Local Real Estate Boards," by George E. Pomeroy of Toledo, O. This brought about much interesting discussion. The next paper, "The Rights of Husband and Wife in Each Other's Land," by Morton R. Howell was read, followed by a paper on "Alien Land Ownership," by E. C. Severs of Chicago.

Advertisement for Sims & Saunders—Attorneys at Law. Federal court, Rooms 2, 3 and 4, State and Ben-block, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Advertisement for Dr. Acker's English Remedy. "You Can Stop a Cough at any time with DOCTOR ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY. IT WILL CURE A GOLD IN TWELVE HOURS."

Advertisement for Dr. Acker's English Pills. "CURE BRUISES, Small, pleasant, a favorite with the ladies. Dr. Acker's English Pills."

Advertisement for Council Bluffs Steam Dye Works. "All kinds of Dyeing and Cleaning done in the highest style of the art. Faded and stained fabrics cleaned by steam in perfect condition."

Advertisement for The Grand Hotel, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Advertisement for Citizens State Bank. "New, modern, well-appointed, thoroughly well-kept, \$3 a day. E. F. CLARK, Prop."

Advertisement for Humphreys' Veterinary Specifics. "500 Page Book on Treatment of Animals. Cures: Fever, Congestion, Inflammation, A. A. Spinal Meningitis, Milk Fever, B. B. Rheumatism, Lameness, E. E. Convulsions, F. F. Distemper, Nasal Discharges, G. G. Diarrhoea, H. H. Hoarseness, I. I. Coughs, Heaves, Pneumonia, J. J. Eczema or Grapes, Bell's Palsy, K. K. Dropsy, L. L. Dropsy, M. M. Dropsy, N. N. Dropsy, O. O. Dropsy, P. P. Dropsy, Q. Q. Dropsy, R. R. Dropsy, S. S. Dropsy, T. T. Dropsy, U. U. Dropsy, V. V. Dropsy, W. W. Dropsy, X. X. Dropsy, Y. Y. Dropsy, Z. Z. Dropsy."

Advertisement for W. C. Estep, Funeral Director and Embalmer. "14 N. Main, Council Bluffs."

Advertisement for Libbig Company's Extract of Beef. "Do you want a copy of BEEF TEA? See that it is made from the GENUINE, incomparably the best. Pure, palatable, refreshing. Dissolves clearly."

Advertisement for Chas. Lunkley, Funeral Director and Undertaker. "311 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Telephone 63."

Advertisement for Pilsener Beer. "PILSENER BEER. PURE BREWED. BEST QUALITY. TASTE GOOD. CONSUMPTION."

Advertisement for Special Notices. "FOR SALE—A bargain, 12-acre fruit and garden farm adjoining city limits; good dwelling. E. H. Sheafe. FOR RENT—Vacant store, 41 Broadway. FOR RENT—By Mrs. Jane Baldwin. Apply to George E. Phelps at postoffice. WANTED—To buy two heavy work horses. WILL trade house and lot for team; will give long time on balance. Call at 615 S. 6th street. FAIRBANKS, garden lands, houses, lots and business blocks for sale or rent. Day & Hunt, 2 Pearl street, Council Bluffs. COUNCIL BLUFFS money on hand for loans. W. A. Wood & Co., 520 Main street. WANTED—In a private family about March 1, a girl for general housework. Must be a good cook and laundress. Good wages will be paid to a competent girl. Address, giving references, Box 423 Council Bluffs. FOR RENT—Over 100 dwellings of every description at prices varying from \$1 to \$100 per month, located in all parts of the city. E. H. Sheafe, 520 Broadway. FOR SALE—Four good flouring mills. Can take some good land as part pay. Johnston & Van Patton, Council Bluffs, Ia.