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MIRROR MENTION.

F. Y. Plumbing Co.

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Mr. S. T. McAtee generously provided a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner for the Women's Christian Association's hospital.

A district conference of the Latter Day Saints will be held at Crescent, beginning tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock and lasting until Sunday evening.

William T. Morrison, Orson and Miss Custer, were married. Council Bluffs were married yesterday at the residence of the bride, near the deaf and dumb institute, Rev. G. G. Rice officiating.

The evening of the Sunday school of the First Congregational church will give a unique entertainment to the church members. It is a fruit and Thanksgiving festival.

Admission will be one dime. A passing program has been provided by the little folks.

In police court yesterday morning Lewis Neely, Arthur Mowers and Chester Elmer, three men who had been found guilty of robbing a windsor at John Miller's fruit stand on lower Broadway and stealing some fruit, and were given seven days in the city jail. Palmer Neely, who was supposed to have been implicated in the theft, was discharged.

The Wednesday of Council Bluffs gave their annual hog last evening at the Masonic temple. The bad weather caused some to stay away who would otherwise have been there, but once inside the hall the dances gave themselves up to pleasure and took no thought what was going on outside. The dance was a great success, socially and financially.

Mrs. George E. Meyers was somewhat startled last evening at having a man stumble into her house, at the corner of Pierce street and Park avenue, and seat himself as if he was intended to remain. He evidently understood the influence of liquor. Mrs. Meyers called the police and the fellow was taken to the police station, where he gave his name as William Jones, and was seated with drunkenness. He tried to square himself, stating that he was looking for another place further up the street and made aгада to wheel the most ridiculous

From 11 o'clock on there was a steady stream of hungry gamblers coming in at that hour, and the excitement did not cease the afternoon those who had been thoughtful enough to be on the ground early were around for another supply. And they got it. Mr. and Mrs. DeLong succeeded in keeping the besieging army back for a little while, but the pitiful requests for pie that came from scores of lips that had not had much to eat since last Thanksgiving broke down the barriers, and the little folks broke pull mall for the use of the hall, loaded down with things calculated to wheel the most ridiculous

At 6:30 p.m. the door was closed and the Gas Co. put 'em in at cost.

Silk Market affected.

Any one not acquainted with the silk market would naturally think that silk of all kinds are advancing rapidly in price.

Such is the case with raw material, and must certainly affect the price on all silk goods.

As usual, we're looking after the markets, and bought in time to save the 25 per cent advance on all kinds of silks. We intend giving our patrons the advantage of this purchase, and place on sale for your inspection over 2,700 pieces of all silk ribbons at less than manufacturer's price today in gross grain, satins, satin edge and morie, all widths, all colors and beautiful range of light shades for fancy work.

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SIX HUNDRED OF THEM WERE FEASTED

Charity's Blessings Liberally Bestowed—Grand and Good Work of the Dining Mission—Clothing the Naked and Feeding the Hungry.

If there were any little fellows—or big ones either—in Council Bluffs who felt the pangs of hunger, it must have been their own fault. And if there were any who had pangs of any other sort in the vicinity of the place where hunger would have started, the blame, in a good many cases, must be laid to the generosity of Rev. Henry DeLong and the good women who assisted him in the my means easy task of keeping 200 mouths at work steadily from 11 o'clock in the morning until 3 in the afternoon.

The fact that a free dinner would be given at the Union Christian mission had spread like wild fire. In fact, the rumor must have devolved itself for a week next to getting around among people and becoming acquainted, for if the vigor and unceasing regularity with which the forks, knives, and spoons made—made their trips from the plates to the mouths and back again is anything to judge from, some of the little fellas must have been sitting up nights to cultivate their appetites.

They Came in Droves.

The dinner was announced for 1 o'clock, but three hours earlier than that the crowd began to arrive. There were boys and girls of all sizes and complexions, clad in raiment of all colors and ages. But, however different they were in general appearance, they had one characteristic in common—an overwhelming desire to get inside the mission door and sample that turkey. Mr. and Mrs. DeLong succeeded in keeping the besieging army back for a little while, but the pitiful requests for pie that came from scores of lips that had not had much to eat since last Thanksgiving broke down the barriers, and the little folks broke pull mall for the use of the hall, loaded down with things calculated to wheel the most ridiculous

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"As delicious as Cindy's Rex Brand" is a by-word among ladies in comparing beef extracts. Ask your grocer for "Rex."

The A. D. T. Co. has added two new hacks to its force and will answer calls at all hours, day or night. Telephone 1739; office, 8 Main street.

1,000 people in this city use gas stoves. The Gas Co. puts 'em in at cost.

Knotts—Com.

An elegant wedding took place last evening in the Broadway Methodist church. Lemuel G. Knotts, one of Council Bluffs' young merchants, and Miss Estella V. Cook were united in the bonds of matrimony. Rev. H. P. Dudley officiating.

A large number of friends assembled to witness the ceremony. At 5 o'clock the organ pealed forth the wedding march at the hands of Miss Luring and the bridal party entered the church. Theoborus Messers, Walter Luring and Will White, headed the procession and were followed by the flower girls, Miss Marion Tilton and Ethel Poyer. The organist, Mr. C. C. Poyer, accompanied the church by our door, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Otto Cook, and Miss Niles as bridesmaids, while at the other door the groom entered. The party gathered at the front of the church, where Rev. Mr. Dudley, an impressive specimen, said a few words that made them one. The bride is one of Council Bluffs' most charming young ladies, and the young couple have a host of friends who extend congratulations. They will begin housekeeping at once.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething gives quiet, helpful rest. 25 cents a bottle.

Coal and Wood. Sackett & Preston, 628 Broadway. Telephone 44.

Day & Hess have a force of men working on the roads through the Kinnickinnic and the surrounding country. Buy with the necessary funds during the coming months, for it is to be greatly doubted if the money could be put in any more worthy work.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

SLAVE TRADE IN MOROCCO.

Thousands of Slaves and Girls Sold at From \$50 to \$70 Each.

The gentleman who furnishes the London Times with the following information is an old traveller in Morocco and is known as one of the best known authorities on the internal policy of that country.

I just now saw one of the caravans which arrived at Timbuktu from Timbuktu at the end of March last. It brought scarcely any merchandise, but there were 4,000 slaves, principally young girls and boys. So great was the influx of slaves at Marrakesh (Morocco City) that instead of holding the market twice a week, as usual, it was held only from April 25 to May 14, and the prices were comparatively low, ranging from £10 to £14 a head. During the feast of Ramadhan the Raids, who come to Marrakesh in order to present gifts to the sultan's son, who is the Khan of the young slaves from Timbuktu. There were forty-three Raids, and each of them gave that young man, only 18 years of age, three slave girls and two slave boys—over 200 slaves in all. As the Raids had a bad reputation for cruelty and other vices, it is not pleasant to think of the fate of these young captives. It is said that more than 800 slaves were sold at the market in ten days to merchants who had come from Riff, Tanat and other distant places to obtain a supply of human chattels, and besides this many were sold privately. I was myself the witness of a sad scene in the market, where three little negroes, from 8 to 10 years old, who had evidently come from a very distant part, as no one there could speak this language, were ruthlessly separated from each other and sold to different owners amid tears, pitiful cries and such resistance as the poor little creatures could employ. Each one had to go off alone among strange people, not one of whom understood a word she said. I could give you many particulars which would shock you respecting the purchase of male and female slaves, simply for the purpose of increasing the stock, as well as other articles which it may be thought are not so easily obtained.

It is estimated that about 600 children received their slaves, and yet there were no provisions left over after all had been sold.

Those who had charge of the affair received the nearly entire sum of a large number of slaves, and were well paid. The slaves were sold at the market for £100 to £150 each.

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Perfect action and perfect health result from the use of DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The Acme Mixed Paint

ARE YOU GOING TO PAINT?

The autumn is the time to paint, and one coat brightens and preserves houses and buildings and adds much to the value and beauty of your property.

Would You Like to Buy Paint at Wholesale?

We want to sell you paints and everything used in painting at wholesale and less. The last barrel oil you bought you probably paid 70¢ a gallon for it. We will sell you one gallon or 100 gallons of any brand at 40¢. Now we have caught your attention, we will let the rest of this compare these straight cash prices.

Berry Bros., hard oil, 5 gal. can, \$1.00 per gal.

Berry Bros., hard oil, 1 gal. can, \$1.75 per gal.

Champ lead, 5lb per lb.

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