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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.

Council Bluffs Lumber Co. Coal.

Dr. Seybert is the proud possessor of one of the new Columbia souvenir half dollars. It was sent to him by a friend in Chicago.

The city council held a meeting yesterday afternoon and allowed two bills of $8,400 and $1,400 respectively to Contractor M. A. Moore for paving.

Mr. G. W. Dellinger and Miss Jennie E. Highsmith were married last Tuesday at the residence of Rev. C. W. Brewer, 1822 Fifth avenue.

Mrs. Tipton, who lives on Pierce street and is mentioned by a morning paper as a subject for charity, states that she is not in destitute circumstances, but simply wants work.

The Pottawattamie Democratic association will hold an election of officers on the evening of January 3. It will be conducted according to the Australian ballot system, and the polls will be open from 6 o'clock to 8:30.

The ladies of the Women's Christian association have engaged the Mockridge opera troupe for a sacred concert on New Year's evening at the opera house. The proceeds will go to the hospital.

"The New Santa Claus," a cantata, was given at Hughes' hall last evening under the direction of Mrs. M. A. Kingsbury for the benefit of the Episcopal church. After the musical exercises dancing was indulged in.

The Christmas entertainment for the pupils of the Iowa school for the deaf will occur this evening, and Superintendent Rothert desires the attendance of all parents and friends who find it convenient, to witness the children's happiness. Ample preparations are made. No special invitations are issued, but all will be welcome.

George Blair was released from the city jail yesterday, having served a ten days term for vagrancy. In the afternoon, in order to be prepared for a possible neglect on the part of Santa Claus, he helped himself to seven woolen shirts that hung in front of Bennett's dry goods store on upper Broadway. He was arrested and jailed on the charge of larceny.

H. P. Barrett was presented with a fine Christmas present yesterday by an unknown friend. It was a yellow and white bull dog. He found it chained up in his office when he arrived yesterday morning. After a dinner at his expense the dog decided to stay with him permanently, and Mr. Barrett is now looking for a deadly enemy to whom he can give the animal as a present.

The following officers have been selected by Concordia lodge No. 52, Knights of Pythias: Past chancellor, Oscar Younkerman; chancellor commander, L. Biederman; vice chancellor, Jens Hansen; prelate, A. Hertel; master of finances, Charles Bierwirth; master of exchequer, F. L. Moyer; keeper of records and seals, A. Huber; master at arms, J. Leder; inner guard, W. Sturtz; outer guard, H. Ambach.

The friends of M. Welker, the South Main street butcher, will be entertained today with a sight of royal Christmas cheer. The market was dressed in holiday attire last night and it is worth going many blocks to see. Iowa and Nebraska have been hunted over to get the plumpest and fattest turkeys, ducks, geese and chickens, besides game and and the staple meats. The poultry is the finest that grows, no cold storage product, but fresh killed and dressed by artists. The decorations of the market attracted a great deal of attention last evening, and are the finest in the city.

A Child Enjoys

The pleasant favor, gentle action and soothing effect of Syrup of Figs, when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be costive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

Christmas at the Carpet Store.

There are so many handsome articles to be found at the Council Bluffs Carpet company's that combine beauty and utility that it is an easy matter to select a Christmas present that will be useful as well as beautiful. During this wintry weather what is better than an eider down comfort? Or lace curtains, silk curtains, chenille portiers, silk portiers, Madras curtains, Swiss curtains, China silks, Smyrna rugs, Saracen rugs, Brazilian rugs, moquette rugs, velvet rugs, fur rugs of all sizes, carpet sweepers and door mats?

And all of these goods are sold at cost, not only for Christmas, but during the holidays. People out of town, just write for prices.

The snow and cold weather does not diminish the demand for acreage in the Klein tract, 2½ miles east of the postoffice; 300 acres yet for sale in from one to ten acre tracts, suitable for fruit and garden. Day & Hess, agents, 39 Pearl street.

Furs. Furs. Furs.

See the line at the Boston Store. Muffs from 39c to $15.00. The largest line and the best value in the west.

BOSTON STORE,
Council Bluffs, Ia.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Roy Campbell is home from Iowa college at Grinnell.

John M. Lane leaves this evening for a visit to Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Covalt leave today for a visit with friends at Lacona, Ia.

George Evans is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans.

W. D. Hardin and J. N. Bowman have returned from a week's qual hunt in Nebraska.

Mrs. William Highsmith will spend a couple of weeks in Cedar Rapids and Columbus Junction.

Master Dick Steward and Miss Eleanor have returned from school and will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart.

P. J. McBirde will take a position with the Pusey Thomas Abstract and Loan company after January 1, when his term of office as deputy county auditor expires.

Ben and Ralph Archer have returned from Maulins, N. Y., where they have been attending St. John's military school, to spend the holidays with their parents.

W. W. Chapman has received word of the appointment of his brother, George Chapman, to the position of general agent of the Fort Madison road at Ottumwa. He commenced his railroad work in this city in 1880, when he was in the employ of the Burlington. He left in 1883 to take the position of cashier at Ottumwa, which he has occupied ever since.

An Invaluable Remedy for Colds.

Sheriff Hardman of Tyler county, West Virginia, was almost prostrated with a cold when he began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. In speaking of it he says: "It gave me almost instant relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for colds." For sale by druggists.

Holiday Goods.

Everything in the holiday line conceivable in iron, wood, bisque, etc., to be found on our counters.

BOSTON STORE,
FOTHERINGHAM, WHITELAW & CO.,
Council Bluffs, Ia.

Solid Silver.

Solid silver spoons and forks, best manufacturers, $1.25 per ounce at Robinson Bros.

Wanted—Cash offer for ten shares Citizen's State bank stock. Must be sold. Address E. H. Sheafe.

Special Christmas cutlery sale on Cole's clean clipper pocket knives, razors and shears. Cole's, 41 Main street.

Coal and wood; best and cheapest Missouri hard wood in the city; prompt delivery. H. A. Cox, No. 4 Main.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

George Meschendorf Brought Up to Answer to a Charge of Contempt.

ALLEGED TO HAVE SUGGESTED BRIBERY

Witnesses Testify That the Defendant Sought to Have Them Fix a Member of the Jury in the Late Libel Suit Trial.

George H. Meschendorf was before Judge Smith yesterday afternoon for a hearing on the charge of contempt of court. The case was regarded with considerable interest on account of its connection with the recent libel suit commenced by Meschendorf against several fellow butchers, and the hearing was marked by a striking difference in the testimony of the witnesses for the two sides. The attorneys for the prosecution opened their case by stating that in bringing the name of E. B. Gardner, one of the jurymen prominent in the case, they did not mean to imply that he had been tampered with. He had lived in Council Bluffs for twenty years, and had always been regarded as an honest, straightforward man. It was merely his misfortune to have been the subject of conversation.

Chief Nicholson of the fire department was the first witness for the prosecution. He said that he had run across Meschendorf at the upper Broadway engine house. Meschendorf told him he was just the man he had been looking for. "Ed Gardner belongs to your lodge, doesn't he?" he continued; "can't you get next to him and fix him so that he'll give me a verdict?" Nicholson told him that he was on his way to lodge then, and would try to see him about it.

R. H. Huntington, a member of the fire department, was the next witness. His conversation with Meschendorf was on the same evening as that of Nicholson. According to his story Meschendorf asked the witness if he couldn't see Gardner and put in a good word for him. Huntington called him to one side and told him that Gardner needed money just now, and he didn't know but perhaps he could be fixed. Meschendorf said he would make it an object to Gardner, whereupon Huntington said he would try it.

Meschendorf's account of the conversation he had with the two men was altogether different.

"I ran across them at the engine house," said he, "and they asked me how I was getting along with my case. I replied that I thought there was one man on the jury that was determined not to give me a verdict. They asked me who it was and I said Gardner. They hinted that perhaps Gardner had been fixed. Several other people had come to me before with the same surmise, and I had begun to think that possibly there was something in it. So I told them to look it up, if they had a chance, and find out if he was that kind of a man, for if there was anything of that kind being done I wanted to know it."

Several other witnesses were called, but their testimony did not bring forth anything very startling. At the conclusion of the case Judge Smith took the matter under advisement.

Don't fool with indigestion. Take Beecham's Pills.

ABLEBODIED IF NOT INSANE.

Casper Marte Whipped His Brother Soundly in a Dark Room.

Casper Marte, a young German farmer living near Minden, was brought into the city yesterday morning for an examination on the charge of insanity. His brother accompanied him as complainant, and on the face of him he seemed to have good grounds for a complaint. He had a towel wrapped around his head, which, when removed, showed the observer a scalp that was knocked into smithereens, an eye that would not work, and a patch of black and blue bigger than a man's hand that spread over a good share of the left side of his face.

He stated that his brother and he had some trouble last Wednesday. When he arrived home he found his wife crying. She said that Casper had been abusing her. He went up to Casper's room for an explanation, but as soon as he got inside the door Casper flew at him and distributed the above mentioned injuries over his person at random. It was dark, and he could not tell whether Casper hit him with his hand or with his fist, but at all events it was something large and hard enough to leave a decided impression.

The insane commissioners gave the young man a hearing yesterday afternoon. They failed to find any indications of insanity, although several witnesses said that they had noticed strange actions on his part at a number of times. He was discharged.

Champagne has a large amount of carbonic acid in it; it is healthy and nourishing. Cook's Extra Dry Imperial is the best.

COAT SALE.

The Great Coat Sale at the Boston Store Lasts All Week.

We say without fear of contradiction that we have the largest line, the nobbiest line and by far the lowest cash prices.

Everything included in this sale, plush coats, ladies' and misses' and children's every garment in the store at cost price until Saturday evening at 10 p. m.

BOSTON STORE,
Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Co.,
Council Bluffs, Ia.

Special Tea Kettle Sale.

Fine nickel plated copper tea kettles, $1.25, sold everywhere for $2.50; will last a lifetime and never tarnish. Cole & Cole, 41 Main street.

Paul Schneider, the druggist, has the newest novelties in celluloid and aluminum goods for the holidays. No one else carries the line, and they are the handsomest things you ever saw.

School Fund Grows.

Judge Smith did what little he could yesterday to help the school board out of the box it got into a little while ago by its neglect in not taking the necessary steps to have the annual tax levy made by the county supervisors. The way he did it was by rendering a decision in the case of the Cattleman's bank against James N. Casady, jr., in which the plaintiff was suing for $500, the face value of a note which the defendant had executed. Casady set up as a partial defense that a part of the face value of the note was usury, which the bank had charged him for the use of its money, as is customary in the case of short loans. Upon a hearing of the case it was developed that $44 of the amount was usury. Yesterday Judge Smith gave the bank a judgment for $455, and the school fund a judgment for the $44 of usury, as the law provides.

If you want to be on the safe side, stick to the old reliable, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

There will be several fine turkeys to be disposed of at the St. Jo house sample room tonight, and a free oyster supper. 621 South Main street.

Watches.

14-carat solid gold watches, elaborate engraving, fine stem winding, nickle movement, $15.00, at Robinson Bros.

Coat Sale.

At the BOSTON STORE,
Council Bluffs, Ia.

Brighter than gas, cheaper than electric light and as beautiful as a dream—those new art lamps at Lund Bros.

Fire in a Candy Store.

Duquette's establishment on upper Broadway came near being destroyed at about 2 o'clock yesterday morning. A couple of policemen were passing the place and noticed that there was a fire in the building. The fire department was called and before many minutes the blaze was extinguished. The damage was nominal, but if the fire had had much more start the chances are that the whole building, with all its contents, would have been destroyed. The area where it originated was full of empty boxes and other inflammable material. As a token of his appreciation for the work of the firemen Mr. Duquette sent a pail of candy to each of the hose houses and a five pound box to Chief Nicholson.

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

For warming guest chambers, bath rooms, etc., our gas heaters are just what you want. Look at them. Clean, convenient cheap. C. B. Gas and Electric Light Co.

Driesbach's is the only place in town where you can get genuine homemade Christmas candy, pure and made fresh every day. 347 Broadway.

Watches.

10-carat solid gold watch, elaborate engraving, stem winding, nickle movement, $11.00, at Robinson Bros.

A fine line of holiday goods, juvenile books, choice perfumery and fancy articles of all kinds at Dell G. Morgan & Co.'s drug store, 742 Lower Broadway.

See those oil heaters at Swaine's, 737 Broadway.

Arrested a Policeman.

Officer Leuch of the police force was arrested yesterday afternoon on an information charging him with assault and battery. It was filed in Justice Swearingen's court by R. W. Bethers, who claimed that Leuch kicked him, pounded him, and otherwise treated him badly. Leuch says that Bethers and another man were fighting on Broadway, near the corner of Pearl street, yesterday morning, and that he separated them, telling them to go their way. The case will be tried next Thursday.

The No. 9 Wheeler & Wilson with its rotary movement, is the lightest running machine in the market, and is unequalled for speed, durability and quality of work. Sold by W. Lancaster & Co., 614 South Sixteenth street.

No doubt the most complete stock of fine holiday novelties is at Davis', the leading druggist and perfumer.

Carl Burhorn, successor to E. Burhorn, has the only new jewelry stock in city. Many holiday novelties.

Bought organ stock of C. B. Musi Co. Will sell them cheap. Mar. Bouricius, 116, 114 Stutsman street.

Do you smoke? Have you tried T. D. King & Co.'s Partagas? It's a charmer. Just light one.

McPhail pianos and Crown organs, cash or installments. Mar. Bouricius, 116 Stutsman street.

The genuine Round Oak stoves, also fine line of oil heaters. Cole's, 41 Main street.

L. P. Judson, civil engineer, 328 B'way.

HAD A CLEAR TRACK.

Trainmen Strike a Run on Which There Were No Layouts or Rawhiding.

Few trains left Omaha last night with their entire regular crews. It was a great night for the subs hanging around the railroad yards waiting for a run, because all except the most hardened old railroaders were irresistably attracted to the fifth annual ball of Success lodge No. 135, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, in Washington hall. The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion.

On the stage was suspended a large canvas, on which was painted the familiar yellow caboose. On the side of the car was printed the name of the lodge. Though the painting contained suggestions of the toil and cares of daily duty, the trainmen gave no thought to what was transpiring outside, and passed a very jolly evening. Besides the railroad men and their families present, there were many friends of the order in attendance. Very pretty souvenir programs were handed to the arriving guests. There were twenty-four regular dances on the program and the musicians were beguiled into adding a few more waltzes and quadrilles, so that the morning was well advanced toward daylight when the last merry-maker departed. During the evening a nice repast was served.

The committees for the evening were as follows:

Arrangement—F. J. Hart, George Brophy, J. P. Ryan, Fred Peterson.

Reception—P. L. Bigelow, W. J. Murphy, T. H. Campbell, J. E. Mulick, W. E. Haney, E. Mason, W. E. Sutter, H. A. Sanders, F. Murphy, G. W. Goodrich, H. R. Viggers, George Clough.

Invitation—W. M. Bassler, P. F. Horen, M. Foley, George Reed, H. P. Graham, J. Loretz, T. W. Parks, G. N. Caplinger.

Floor—C. S. McCaffrey, A. B. McCaffrey, D. E. Breedlove, J. H. Breedlove, William Dineen, O. Collier, W. L. Weitz, S. L. Knapp.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve will cure them.

FREEZE-OUT FARCE.

Douglas County Election Contest Has Degenerated Wonderfully.

The attorneys for the contestants in the legislative contest cases are not intending to rush matters very much and it will be no fault of theirs if the entire time is not occupied by them until December 29, when the taking of testimony must cease. The contestees desire to present some testimony, but indications are that an attempt is being made to freeze them out entirely. The contestants are examining from two to six witnesses each day, when it would be a very easy matter to take the testimony of ten or fifteen. Each witness tells the same story about technical irregularities, but not one has related an incident which tends to prove that there was any attempt to obstruct the election and have anything but a free expression and a fair count.

When time was called yesterday afternoon not a witness was present, and the contestants were not expecting any to put in an appearance. As a justification for adjournment the attorneys stated that material witnesses were on the regular jury panel and could not be present during the afternoon for examination.

The attorneys for the contestees entered the usual objections to adjournment and insisted that the contestants close their case and permit the contestees to offer testimony.

The only part such an objection plays is that it is recorded by the stenographers and the adjournment is taken.

The hearing was adjourned yesterday afternoon until 9 o'clock this morning. At that time another adjournment will be taken until Tuesday morning and, with but three days left, it is very easy to be seen that if the republicans secure an opportunity to offer testimony it will be by an extension of time granted by the legislature.

An honest pill is the noblest work of the apothecary. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure constipation, biliousness and sick headache.

1700 Can't Make the Time.

Engine 1700 of the Union Pacific, which was built in the Omaha shops and now running between Cheyenne and Laramie, is not meeting with the success in hauling the fast train over the "hogback" as was expected from her initial performance. Nearly every day the train is from thirty to forty-five minutes late, and it is thought she will have to be supplanted by a "double header" as heretofore. Engines 1701 and 1702, now building in the Omaha shops, are rated to pull one more car than 1700 and the boys out on the Wyoming division are waiting anxiously for their arrival.

No. 850, however, is performing splendidly and pulling the fast mail in and out between the points named on time every day. "She is a bird" says her engineer and the mechanical department agrees with the assertion.

If you have piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve will surely cure you.

Death in the Candy.

Brilliantly colored candy, which chemists have found to be unwholesome and, in some cases poisonous, is being sold by street hawkers in Omaha. Wagon loads of the dangerous commodity are stationed at various corners throughout the business portions of the city and a great deal of the stuff is sold to the holiday crowds. The candy is manfactured by cheap concerns in Chicago and elsewhere and is sold at such a low price that many poor people are tempted into buying it.

The attention of the Board of Health has been called to the matter and it is probable that some action will be speedily taken to prevent any more of the candy from being sold.

Do not go traveling without a bottle of Salvation Oil. It cures a bruise at once. 22 cents.

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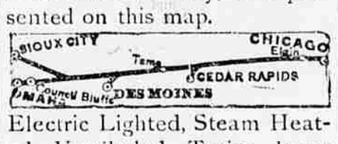

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You are hereby notified that the undersigned, three disinterested freeholders of the city of Omaha, have been duly appointed by the mayor, with the approval of the city council of said city, to assess the damage to the owners respectively of the property declared by ordinance necessary to be appropriated for the use of said city for the purpose of opening and extending Newton street from Davenport's subdivision to 30th street.

You are further notified, that having accepted said appointment, and duly qualified as required by law, we will, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1893, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Geo. J. Paul, 1625 Farnam street, within the corporate limits of said city, meet for the purpose of considering and making the assessment of damage to the owners respectively of said property, by reason of such taking and appropriation thereof taking into consideration special benefits, if any.

The property belonging to you, proposed to be appropriated as aforesaid, and which has been declared necessary by the council, by ordinance, to appropriate to the use of the city, being situate in said city of Omaha, in the county of Douglas, and state of Nebraska, is described as follows, to wit:

Geo. Warren Smith—The south 27.85 feet of lots 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44.

William M. Jenkins—The south 27.85 feet lot 45.

Della Davis and Catherine E. Hobbs—The south 27.85 feet lot 46.

Nelson B. Switzer—The north 26.15 feet lot 58.

John C. F. Lehmann—North 26.15 feet of east 88.82 feet lot 59.

Mary S. Saunders—North 26.15 feet east 66.82 feet lot 60.

Lizzie W. McCluskey—North 26.15 feet lot 62.

Dominick Hook—North 26.15 feet lot 63.

Oscar Hartman—North 26.15 feet lot 65.

Michigan Mut. Life Ins. Co.—North 26.15 feet west ⅓ lot 66.

Geo. M. Niceley—North 26.15 feet of middle ⅓ lot 66.

William O. Whitehead—North 26.15 feet east ⅓ lot 66.

Elbridge Lawton—North 26.15 feet lot 67.

Seeley M. Mason and David M. Ure—North 26.15 feet lot 68.

A. C. Leighton—North 26.15 feet lot 69.

Elbridge Lawton—North 26.15 lot 71.

Ladoe A. Crowell—North 26.15 feet lot 73.

George H. Sieck—North 26.15 feet west 44 feet of north 132 feet of lot 56.

Ellery L. Heuck—South 27.85 feet south ½ of east ½ of lot 55.

Anna Vandenburg—South 27.85 feet of north ½ of south ½ of lot 47.

All in Gise's addition in said city, county and state.

You are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, and make any objections to or statements concerning said proposed appropriation or assessment of damages, as you may consider proper.

GEO. J. PAUL,
R. W. GIBSON,
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Omaha, December 17, 1892. D24d20t

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An' that—an' that!"

This poor boy is not the only one who is
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A. Pierce & Co.'s Great Bargain Shoe Store.
Every person who has bought a pair of shoes
At any other place during the last two
Weeks is kicking and asking to be kicked.

The rush for Holiday Slippers continues and the former low prices remain until after Christmas—50c, 75c, 85c, $1.00, 1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50.

Our special low prices on Ladies' Fine Shoes—$1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00.

Large stock of Ladies' Over Gaiters at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, and Arctics, Alaskas, Rubbers, Felt and Beaver Goods lower than the lowest.

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Merry Christmas Times at Metcalf's Store.

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