THE DAILY

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

NO. 12 PEARL STREET.

Delivered by carrier to any part of the city H. W. TILTON, - MANAGER.

MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.

Council Biuffs Lumber Co. Coal. A sleighing party will leave the Grand hotel this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for

Rev. Dr. Stone of Omaha will preach at the Congregational church Sunday morning and Mr. and Mrs. Finley Burke will entertain

their friends next Wednesday and Thursday at their home on Oakland avenue. Levis D. Culwell and Miss Sadie E. Levick, both of this city, were married tast Tuesday evening at the residence of the bride's brother, Rev. W. C. Levick.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Sear will take place at 2:20 o'clock this afternoon from the Brondway Methodist church, the remains

being interred in Pairview cemetery. Special session of Harmony chapter No. 25. Order of Eastern Stars at Masonic temple this evening for the purpose of installation. All Masons cordially invited. By order of Worthy Matron.

The case of F. M. Ellis against Dan Carrigg, which has been on trial in the superior court for several days past, was completed yesterday afternoon, argued, and taken under advisement by the court.

A number of members of the local lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen went to Glenwood Thursday night to witness the installation exercises of a new lodge. A special car was engaged for the occasion

Manager Clark of the Grand hotel has made special proparations for the entertain-ment of his guests at a New Years' eve dianor this evening, followed by a musical program to be presented in the hotel parlors The old settlers will meet at the Union Christian mission at 2/8 Broadway, with baskets, next Monday, to take part in the New Year's dinner. Mr. Delong extends a cordial invitation to all the old settlers to

Invitations are out for a large party to be given at the Grand Hotel on Thursday evening, January 12, by T. C. Dawson, G. S. Wright, G. H. Mayne, T. D. Metcalf, and H. A. Woodbury. Dancing will be the order of the evening after 10 o'clock-

George Hitchcock, the traveling man who died at the Grand hotel on the 24th of December, will be buried from Estep's undertaking rooms tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. He was 70 years of age. The exercises will be under the auspices of the local council of the Commercial Pilgrims of America.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart entertained a large party at the Grand hotel last evening in honor of Master Dick and Miss Eleanor, who are house from school for the holiday vacation. The dining room was converted into a dancing hall and was handsomely decorated for the occasion. Nearly 200 guests

A 16-year-old son of Yardmaster Casey of the Wabash was badly injured Thursday while coasting down the hill on Third street. He ran into a passing wagon and his head collided with the wheels and the horses' He sustained several severe scalp wounds, but is not thought to be in a dan gerous condition.

Niels Olsen died yesterday morning at 5 o'clock after an illness of two weeks, aged 61, years, at his home, 714 South First street. He was a member of the Danish Lutheran church. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the church build ing, corner of Ninth street and Avenue A, Rev. L. Mathison officiating.

The police of Omaha were in the city late Thursday night looking for the negro Wil-liams, who poisoned the Ewing family in liams, who poisoned the Ewing family in Omaha. They made a round up of all the colored dives near the Northwestern depot, but failed to find any trace of him, although they are satisfied that he has been here since his disappearance

The Commercial Pilgrims of America will give the New Years' eve reception and socia at Hughes' hall on Upper Broadway, instead of the Scottish Rite cathedral, as before advertised. It will occur this evening from 8 p. m. to 12 a. m. All Commercial Pilgrims with their families and friends are cordially invited to come and spend the evening and mingle with the fraternity.

The Grand Army will give an entertainment this evening in its hall on Pearl street for the benefit of the children of the order It will commence at 7:30 p. m. with a program of speeches, interspersed with music. Hon. George Carson will officiate as master of ceremonies, and speeches will be made by Judge J. R. Reed, Judge Walter I. Smith and C. M. Hari. Presents will be distributed to the children of old soldiers.

J. M. Bowden, the telegraph operator who raised a row at Neela a few days ago, was before Justice Hammer yesterday for a pre-liminary examination on the charges of malicious destruction of property and assault with intent to do great bodily in-jury. The prosecution witnesses were present, but they were not needed, present, but they were not needed, for Bowden waived examination, and in extenuation only pleaded the fact that he had been drunk when it happened. asked the court to make his ball bond as small as possible in order that he might not have to lie in fail while awaiting his trial. The decision of the court will be rendered

this morning. Dry, sparkling and delicious, Cook's Imperial Champagne. Keep it in your ice chest for your friends; they will appreciate

For Evenings.

It is no longer a mystery to the ladies of Council Bluffs and vicinity where to get, and what is the correct thing in gloves for evening, as a visit to the Boston Store will convince you that their stock is composed of all the leading shades in Musquitaire and shoulder length, in the most desirable tints suitable for evening wear.

Some one may say, I can only be suited in the Foster or Alexandria, and others may say I prefer the Trefousse, all of which is to be had at our glove department, as well as every quality in staple glace goods in black and colored. All gloves warranted and fitted to the hand. FOTHERINGHAM, WHITELAW & CO

Boston Store, Council Bluffs.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. C. R. Allen of Ottumwa is in the city. Miss Alma Pfeiffer is visiting friends in

Hon. Thomas Bowman left last evening for Washington Miss Myrtle Hamilton of Macedona, is the guest of Mrs. F. S. Thomas.

George H. Cook of Mitchell, S. D., brother of H. O. Cook, is visiting here. Mrs. W. S. Cass and son are paying a holiday visit to friends in Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Jacob Neumayer is very ill. and her relatives are afraid she will not recover. Miss Kittie Stanley of Watseka, Ill., is a guest of Miss Cora Keller on Second street.

Mrs. D. W. Keller has returned from a visit with relatives at Beaver, Boone county,

Mrs. W. S. Williams and daughter of Pierre, S. D., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moore of Lincoln, for-formerly of Illinois, are visiting H. O. Cook, 916 Third avenue.

Mrs. Brown of Minneapolis, and Mrs Vaughn of Harlan are guests of Mrs. A Wheeler, 806 South Seventh street.

H. H. Osgood of Chicago and W. B. Lanius of Council Bluffs have been chosen by
the Commercial Pilgrims of America as
delegates to the convention of traveling men
which is to be held in Chicago January 14
for the purpose of forming a national committee of traveling men's organizations. As
soon as the committee is necessited it will soon as the committee is appointed it will commence the work of arranging the de-tails of "Traveling Men's Week" at the

tails of "Traveling Men's World's fair next summer. Constipation cured by DeWitt's Early

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

BEE NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Some of the Changes to Occur Among County Officials.

SOME OF THOSE WHO ARE INVOLVED Disposition of the Records of the Past Thirty

Years Attracting the Attention of the Officials - Death of Father McMenomy.

At the court house and in the justices' offices preparations are going on for the change that occurs at the first of the year, when the present officials step out and give up their places to the men who were elected last fall. There is a good deal of bustle, but very little confusion will be caused by the bange, for the officials-elect bave been spending the last week or two in the offices which they expect to occupy, getting hold of the ropes in order that when the cutire responsibility falls upon their shoulders they may not have to make any spasmodic efforts to prevent their knees from caving in.

County Clerk Campbell is the only outgong official who does not seem to feel much concerned on account of the charge, and the principal reason is that he succeeds himthe principal reason is that he succeeds himself. County Auditor Hendricks will complete his labors tonight and step at once into the position of assistant to the cashier of the Chizens' State bank. John Mathews will take his place, with L. B. Cousins, now deputy city marshal, as his deputy. G. M. Wilson, Hendricke' deputy, will remain in the office for some time yet. W. H. Thomes, will hand over the laws of W. H. Thomas will hand over the keys of the recorder's office to W. M. Shepard, and he and his deputy, P. J. MacBride, will assume their new duties as members of the Puscy-Thomas Abstract company. Shepard's deputy will be Freeman Reed of Oak

land.
These changes will be made on Monday after the new officials have qualified before the Board of County Supervisors. This body will meet in the morning, and S. B. Wadsworth and Joseph Currie will take the places of A. C. Graham and August Bostedt. The qualification will be the first thing on The qualification will be the first thing on the program of the morning session. The new justices will also assume their duties Monday morning. H. H. Field, who takes Hammer's books, has fitted up neat quarters at 8 North Main street. John Fox takes Cones' books and the office now occupied by Justice Swearingen, and Ovide Vien takes Swearingen's books to his own office, 415 Broadway. Broad way

The question of what shall be done with the back records appertaining to these offices is one that is causing a good deal of discussion. The records extend back for thirty years or more, and there is enough of them in each office to fill a good sized dray. The justices reason that if they are worth anything at all they are worth keeping with more care than has been used in the past. They take up a great deal of room besides. Mr. Field states that he intends to ask the supervisors for permission to store his records in one of the unused rooms in the basement of the court house.

DEATH OF PATHER MMENOMY.

Final Summons Comes for the Well Known Rev. B. P. McMenomy, who had been

lying at the point of death for several days, passed away yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. All Thursday night his bed was surrounded by anxious watchers and the end was momentarily expected. For thirty-six hours he lay unconscious and it was evident that the worst only could be hoped for. The reports of his condition, which were sent to his friends on the outside, were any thing but encouraging, and when at last the tolling of the bell of St. Xavier's church an nounced that the slender thread had snapped and the soul of the beloved priest had gone to its last reward, the sad news was as readily understood as if it had been framed in words.

The arrangements have been partially completed for the burial service. They will be held at St. Xavier's church on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Invitations have been sent to all the Catholic priests within a radius of many miles to be present assist at the exercises, and it is probable that many of them will be accepted, as the work of the deceased was so widely known

work of the deceased was so widely known and he himself occupied so important a place in the denomination at large.

Father McMenomy was the first resident priest in this city. He came from Georgetown, Monroe county, Ia. in November, 1869, and ever since that time he has been a resident of Council Bluffs. He was born in County Douegal, Ireland, in August, 1830. He received his early education at St. Columb's college, in Londonderry, entering there at the age of 15 years and remaining for four years, at the end of which time he for four years, at the end of which time he came to this country. He settled first in St. Louis, where he continued his theologi cal studies for four years under the direction of Archbishop Kendrick. In 1854 he was ordained to the priesthood and commenced his work in a small parish in northern Missouri. While there he laid out the town of Mayyille. In 1858 he commenced in his termination of Mayyille. meneed an eight year pastorate in Edina Knox county, Mo., at the conclusion of which he moved to Georgetown. While at the latter place he built five churches in the towns of Melrose, Chariton, Woodburn, Leon and Georgetown. The work he has accomplished since coming here, in the crection of the magnificent church building at the corner of Fifth avenue and Sixth street, at a cost of \$60,000, and the upbuilding of the two schools which are maintained ing of the two schools which are maintained here under the auspices of the Catholic denomination, is too well known to need more than passing mention. As long as these institutions continue to thrive as they are now, Father McMenomy will need no other monument save those which he has erected by his own efforts.

Quarrel Over an Infant. Judge Smith heard the testimony in a habeas corpus case yesterday in which the question of who should have possession of a little piece of pink and white humanity 6 months old was to be decided. It is the child of William Sayles. The mother died a few months ago, and before she died it was agreed that the child should be cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mugg, who live at Pacific Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Mugg to have the use of a place owned by Mr. Sayles in return for their trouble. This arrangement, Sayles claims, was a temporary one, and he recently arranged with his sister, Mrs. Maria Rykert, of Corfu, N. Y., to take the little one. When she presented herself at the Muggs mansion she was forbidden to take the child away, as the man and his wife claimed that it was Mrs. Sayles' wish, expressed on her death bed, that they should keep it. A great deal of wrangling followed, and finally it was breaght into the centre. and finally it was brought into the court by the filing of a petition for a writ of habeas corpus in order that the court might decide

to whom the child belonged. Is your blood poor! Take Beecham's Pills

An Open Letter. COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 28, 1892. Messrs. Janssen & Gregg, 37 Pearl street: Dear Sirs-Please send us four dozen packages of Koal-spar, as we have used all the packages left with us, and find find it makes such a difference in the amount of coal consumed that we do not care to be without it. Yours EAGLE LAUNDRY CO.

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 Electrie Light Co.

Whitney Mockeidge, the famous tenor, and his excel ent company, at the Presbyterian church Monday evening.

A bright idea. Pay up your indebtedness to Davis, the druggist, and start the new year out of debt.

His Whiskers Saved Him. J. W. Smith, the confidence man who is serving a thirty days sentence in the county jail for vagrancy, was evidently born under a lucky star, for everything except retribution seems to come his way. This time it is the beautiful bushy red whiskers that

adorned his mug that are responsible for his

adorned his mug that are responsible for his salvation.
Yesterviay afternoon Frank Nason of Nodaway presented himself at the police station and craved an introduction to Mr. Smith, as he said he had made the acquaintance of a man on the Burlington road a month or so before, between the transfer and local depot in this city, which resulted disastrously to his pocketbook to the extent of \$10 in cash. He had a check for \$1,000 to show for his acquaintance, but that did not fill show for his acquaintance, but that did not fill the bill, for he had tried to get the check cashed on several occasions and each time had been given the horse laugh for his pains. He had read in the papers about Smith's incarceration, and thought possibly be might be the man whose acquaintance he so much desired to renew. Deputy Marshal Fowler took him down to the county jail, but when he arrived there a mighty transformation had taken place. Smith had gotten hold of a razor that belonged to a friend, and the crimson flood that concealed his shirt front disappeared. Nason could not identify him as the confidence man he had known, although he thought he was right man. The change in his appearance was so great that his identity was uncertain. Nason left for home in the evening. right man. and Smith is now meditating on the useful ness of a set of whiskers when they are off a man's face.

Piles of people have pues, but DeWitts Witch Hazel salve will cure them.

Toys. Toys. Until January 1 all toys will be sold at

HALF PRICE. See other bargains in holiday goods BOSTON STORE.

Fotheringham, Whitelan & Co. The snow and cold weather does not diminish the demand for acreage in the Klain tract, 21 miles east of the postffice; 300 acres yet for sale in from one to ten acre tracts, suitable for fruit and gorden. Day & Hess, agents, 39 Pearl

The new chemical engine came to the front again last night and showed itself capable of taking care of a fire that without would have done probably between \$2,000 and \$3,000 worth of damage. A fire started in C. Bosen's planing mill on North Main street. The alarm was turned in shortly after 7 o'clock. The blaze started in the drying room, in the second story, where crything was so dry that it burned like chemical engine was stuck through the win dow. The free was blazing brightly but the instant that the stream from the chemical struck it the inside of the mill became a black as night, and in a few seconds the fire was entirely extinguished.

A hasty examination made by the light of lantern showed that considerable damage had been done, but not nearly so much as there would have been had the apparatus been less complete. Mr. Bosen states that he thinks \$500 will not replace the mill in as good condition as before. How the fire or-iginated is a mystery. The only heat there was in the drying room was what came from a set of steam pipes running along the north side of the room, while most of the damage was on the south side.

From Newberg. C. F. Moore & Co., prominent druggists of Newberg Ore., say: "Since our customers have become acquainted with the good qual ities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy we ell but little of any other kind. Chamber tin's medicines all give good satisfaction. For sale by druggists.

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

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

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

Methodist Watch Meetings. There will be a watch meeting this evenng from 8:30 o'clock to 12 at the Broadway Methodist church. Evangelist Stone of Des Moines will preach the opening sermon. All are cordially invited. H. P. Dudley, pastor. Watch meetings will also be held at the Fifth avenue Methodist church. All are invited. C. W. Brewer, pastor.

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

Toys. Toys. Until January 1 all toys will be sold at HALE PRICE See other bargains in holiday goods.

BOSTON STORE, Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Co. Coal and wood; best and cheapest Missouri hard wood in the city; prompt delivery. H. A. Cox, No. 4 Main.

Attention, Commercial Pilgrims. You are earnestly requested to meet at grand secretary's sooms, Shugart block, Sunday morning, January 1, 1893, at 10:30 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of George A. Hickox, our brother traveler, who died at the Grand hotel.

An invitation is extended to all traveling men in the city to join us in this last tribute of respect. By Order of Committee. You don't want a torpid liver; you don't want a bad complexion, you don't want a bad breath; you don't want a headache. Then use De Witt's Little Early Risers, the

famous little pills. Brighter than gas, cheaper than electric light and as beautiful as a dream-

those new art lamps at Lund Bros. McPhail pianos aud Crown organs. eash or installments. Mar. Bourleius, 116 Stutsman street.

DEFENDS CARLISLE.

Captain Pratt Denies the Kid and His Gang

of Pirates.
United States Indian School, Carlisle, Pa., Dec. 14.—To the Editor of THE BEE: You need to send a more truthful reporter after further facts in regard to Kid, the Apache, about whom you give such romantic details in your paper of the 2d inst. Neither Rid nor any of his gang were ever in Carlisle school or any other school either on or off the reservation. Kid and his party were doing their ugiy work years before we had any Apaches in this school from Arizona. None have ever graduated. This is not a university, not even a high school. It is very difficult to hold our pupils long enough to graduate them from our course, which ends with the grammar grade of the public schools of this state. We can account for every Apache who has left the school and all have done and are doing either well or

all have done and are doing either well or fairly well, except one who is in jail for being a party to a forgery, but this crime is not peculiar to the Apaches.

The attempt of the article, therefore, to disparage Carlisle and Indian education is, to say the least, mallelous, and I ask that you give this statement the benefit of your columns, so that it may have as nearly the same circulation as the article to which it refers.

R. H. Phart. refers. R. H. PRATT, Captain Tenth Cavalry U. S. A., Superin-

WEATHER FORECASTS.

South Winds Will Blow and It Will Be Warmer in Nebraska Today. Washington, D. C., Dec. 30.—Forecast for Saturday: For Nebraska and Iowa-Gener-

ally fair; southwest winds. For the Dakotas-Generally fair; south to west winds; warmer. Local Record.

Dec. 30.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with corresponding day of past four years: | Maximum temperature | 1892 | 1891 | 1890 | 1889 | Maximum temperature | 2502 | 2903 | 310 | 102 | 403 | 404 | 404 | 282 | 404 | 405 | 282 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 405 | 40 Statement showing the condition of tem-

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU. OMAHA

perature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1892. Normal temperature 210
Deficiency for the day 80
Deficiency since March 1 5510
Normal precipitation 03 inches
Excess for the day 03 inches
Deficiency since March 1 3.18 inches
GEORGE E. HUNT, Local Forecast Official

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Charter Amendments Discussed at Length, But Nothing Determined Upon.

AS TO INCREASING OFFICERS' SALARIES

Generally Agreed That the Mayor's Pay Should Be Sufficient to Secure Better Talent- Will Consider the Matter Again.

A joint meeting of citizens and Board of Trade members was held last night at the council chamber, for the purpose of hearing reports of committees appointed at a previous meeting. David Anderson was called City Attorney Van Dusen, chairman of the

committee on charter, read a lengthy report embodying changes proposed by the committee. The most important changes suggested were amendments to sections one and two of the present charter, relating to population as respects the class of cities, and section 17 relating to salaries of city officers. The amendment proposed to sections one

and two simply provided for changing the clause which reads "10,000 and less than 25,000 inhabitants" to 8,000 and less than 25,000, and more clearly defining the lines determining to what class a city belongs. The proposition seemed to meet with gen-eral approval, though no action was taken. The amendments to section 17, as per the report of the committee, provoked a lively discussion. The amendments provide for raising the salary of the mayor from \$500 to \$000 per year, the salary of the city clerk from \$750 to \$1,000, and that of the city atorney from \$600 to \$1,200 per year.

Almost everyone present expressed an opinion and it was safe to say no two agreed upon the advisability of attempting to have an amendment adopted providing for a raise of salary of officers. With regard to salary of the mayor it was pretty generally agreed that nothing short of a raise which would be sufficient to justify a good business man to devote his entire time to the business of the office, would have the desired result, that of securing better talent and closer attention to often from:

Then came the question as to how it would be received in the legislature by representa-tives from other cities of the same class. The same was substantially true of other proposed amendments relating to salaries. Some suggestions were made regarding the right of eminent domain in the matter of opening or vacating streets and providing for levying a special tax to raise a fund for paying damages awarded; also to provide paying damages awarded; also to provide for the erection of viaducts by man-damus if necessary. In the case of South Omaha it would be desirable to increase the levy for the general fund from 10 mills as at present to 12 or 15 mills. It was conceded by all that such an amend-ment would have a rocky road to travel when it run up against member of the legis-lature from other cities of the same class lature from other cities of the same class who do not fly half so high as South Omaha. As the attendance was small and so much difference of opinion prevailed it was de-cided not to vote on any of the proposed amendments until the next meeting.

A committee of three was appointed by the chair, consisting of Fred Smith, J. C. Carroll and Judge Hedges, to ask the city council to defray the expense of preparing copies of the bill, not to exceed \$25 for 100 copies. To the original charter committee of seven were ndded Judge Breen, Hon. John McMillan, Attorney E. C. Lane and ex-City Attorney Adams. They will meet next Mon-

No Inquest Necessary. Coroner Maul, after investigating the circumstances surrounding the suicide of John T. Welter, the tramp who shuffled off by hanging himself in the police station Thursday night, has decided an inquest unneces sary. Papers found on his person showed that he had at one time been employed as teamster by Kilpatrick & Collins, railroad contractors at St. Louis. He was buried in the potter's field. Chief of Police Brennan wired to H. P. Thiele & Co., St. Louis, yesterday morning for information concerning Welter and re-

ceived the following reply: "Welter was shipped from here November . His home not known to us." Thiele & Co., are conducting a labor

Heyman Pleaded Successfully. In response to a telegram from the police of Kansas City, Mr. S. M. Press a few days ago visited that city and identified a man under arrest there, H. Heyman, as the one who induced him to indorse a worthless New York draft for \$50 several days ago. prisoner was identified and as a result of his pleading Mr. Press decided not to prosecute Heyman, as the latter claimed to have a wife and family. The amount fraudently secured was given Mr. Press together with \$30 for expenses and the case was dropped.

It Was Maggie's Fault. Two disreputable females were arrested Thursday night for raising a disturbance on a South Omaha motor-car and were allowed to go by Justice Fowler yesterday morning They gave their names as Maggie Murphy and Jennie Lester, and while the former pleaded guilty the second denied the charge and said she was a respectable married woman and had been attempting to quiet her companion, who was drunk.

Lawyer Rogers' Case Dismissed. J. W. Rogers, the Omaha attorney who was arrested Thursday, was given a hearing vesterday morning, and the case dismissed Judge Doane appeared in the interest of Mr Rogers, and succeeded in securing the liberty of his man. The prisoner expressed considerable indignation at being locked in a cell over night without a hearing or chance to

give batt. John Williams' Condition. John Williams, the unfortunate who froze his feet while beating his way from Grand Island in an attempt to reach his home in Mt. Pleasant, Pa., is resting easy at the county hospital. Williams wanted to get home to see his aged mother, and crawled into the police station in a pitible condition Thursday night. It may be necessary to

amputate his feet. Magie City Gossip. E. F. Swift, the beef man of the Swift company, was in the city yesterday. D. G. May, office manager at Swift's, returned from a business trip to Chicago yester-

W. A. Schrei, stenographer at Hammond's was married last Wednesday to a young lady at Burlington, Ia. He arrived in this city with his bride Thursday evening. The revival services at the Methodist Episcopal church, which were discontinued on account of the Mills, meetings, will be re-

ed next Sunday evening and continued indefinitely. Fred Grantham, bookkeeper for the Coffman & Smiley commission firm, and Miss Rebecca Houseman, also of South Omaha, were married Wednesday. They will make their home in South Omaha.

The next regular meeting of the school The next regular meeting of the school board will be held next Tuesday night. It is quite likely that decisive action will be taken in the matter of securing more suitable quarters for the school at Twenty-fourth and H streets. "The teacher at that school has been under a physician's hands for some time and many parents declare they will not allow their children to attend school in the building any more, it being school in the building any more, it being claimed the place is in an unsanitary condi-

SHE WANTS BOYD'S ESTATE.

Will Put in a Claim. SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 30.-A letter has been received from Hon. J. Schuyler Colfax of New York saying that Thomas H. Boyd. editor of the Olympia Tribune, killed here December 2 by his mistress, Ursula Unfag, left a wife in New York City. She intends to prove her marriage and claim a share of the estate, which is valued at \$30,000.

Caught in | Snowslide. Boise City, Idaho, Dec. 30.—In Lemi county a week ago a number of freight teams bound from Salmon City to Kettle Creek

and E. Stein were killed. Dave Kerr and Elmer Black caught on a tree top and saved themselves. Two horses were killed and much freight was destroyed.

TRIPLE KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.

Woman Murdered and Two Men Hack Each Other to Pieces. GARDNERSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 30.—John Barnes and his brother-in-law, James Kerr, went to the Ohio river Monday for supplies, and returned home Tuesday night drunk. Nothing more was seen of them 'till last night, when a neighbor who called found Mrs. Barnes lying on the bed dead with her head crushed, while Barnes and Kerr were lying in a corner, also dead, literally cut to pieces with knives, which cach still grasped in their hands. The surroundings showed a terrible struggle. It is thought Barnes struck his wife and that her brother took up the quarrel with the fatal results noted.

MATES FOR THE MONSTER.

Two New Omaha Built Locomotives Will

Take the Road on Monday. It isn't so very long ago that the locomo tive with the largest wheel was supposed to be the simplest engine made. This was particularly true of the English locomotive and for a time their adoption in America was looked upon as solving many difficulties so far as grade and capacity were concerned. But these engines are fast disappearing; in fact, many of the mountain roads are boring out cylinders and turning down wheels to give their locomotives more strength.

Some six years ago the Denver & Rio Grande adopted this policy, their thirty-five Baldwin engines being bored from fifteen to sixteen inches. The wheels in this case were not reduced, however, as they were only thirty-six inches. The result was highly satisfactory, and locomotives that had been pulling five loads on a 217-foot grade handled with the sixteen-inch cylinder six loads very nicely. In short the bored-out engine's capacity was increased one-sixth. The Union Pacific company since Mr. Mc-

Connell came to the superintendency of motive power and machinery seeing the work done by the Denver & Rio Grande engines have also adopted the policy of turning down the wheels and boring out the cylinders. The wheels are being turned down from 55 to 44 inches, and the cylinders which were 19 are bored out to 19½. A test was made last week with one of these remodeled engines between Trinidad and Denver with most satisfactory, results. factory results. Seventeen loads, which were considered a fair train for the engine as originally turned out, were increased to twenty-two loads and handled with ease at an average speed of 25 miles per

Two new locomotives will be turned out of Two new locomotives will be turned out of the Union Pacific shops on Saturday, 1701 and 842. Outside of enlarged cylinders and fire box, 1701 is pratically the same as 1700 which is now engaged in pulling the fast train over the hogback from Laramie to Sherman, a distance of a little over twenty-six miles, which it accomplishes over twenty-six miles, which it accomplishes in an hour and twenty minutes, on a ninety foot grade to the mile. The size of the 1701's cylinders is 20x24, and the fire box 111x323\(\frac{1}{2}\) inches. These dimensions, it is thought, will increase the capacity of the locomotive one load and make it just that much more available than the 1700, which, all reports to the contrary, has been doing exceptionally satisfactory work on one exceptionally satisfactory work on one of the hardest pieces of road in America. Since it left the shops 1700 has been making its two trips a day and shows little usage except where it has come in contact with the blizzards that how over

the mountains about half the year.

No. 842 belongs to the same class as the 800 engines, eleven of which having been turned out this year. This engine will be first tried on the run between Omaha and Denver and later will be put in service on one of the western divisions. Both engines are beauties and among the best ever turned

out from the Omaha shops.

Engine 1701 is a monster, and standing by its side man feels his dwarfed condition as he looks up at the almost sentient being which will soon be climbing the hill between Chevenne and Laramie The engine weighs seventy tons and carries 112,000 pounds on its drive wheels. Every thing about it is finished except an additional coat of paint, which it will receive today. Sunday it will have a day of meditation in the paint shop drying out, and on Monday it will start on its trip overland to Cheyenne Monday where it will go into service to pull the fast



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Proposals for Lighting the Suburbs of the

City of Omaha. According to information from the chair-

man of the special committee on gasoline lighting, the instructions to advertise for bids for lighting the suburbs of the city were not definite enough, and at his request the adver-tisement is changed to read as follows: Scaled bids will be received at the office of Scaled bids will be received at the office of the city comptroller up to 5 p. m. sharp, Janu-ary 10, 1893, for twelve (12) candle power gasoline lamps, or electric lights, for lighting the suburts of the city, for a period of two years. Bids may state price per lamp, moon-light schedule of twenty nights per month, or from sun down to sunrise. No certain number of lamps guaranteed, but the statement is made that in the last bill from the last con-tractor the city was charged with 1,014 lamps. A certified check in the sum of \$200 will be required from each bidder as a guaran-tee of good faith. The right is reserved to re-ject any or all bids. Alleged Wife of Olympia's Murdered Editor ject any or all bids.

THEO. OLSEN. Comptroller. D31d6t Omaha, December 30, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha Union Depot company will be held at the office of the Union Depot company, at the headquarters of the Union Pacific Railway company, in the city of Omaha, on the 9th day of January, 1893, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting T. L. Komall, President Omaha, December 20, 1892. D21d20t

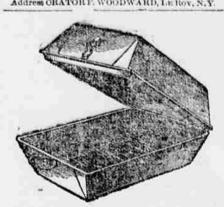
the place of the two engines which have been necessary to perform the work.

The introduction of the 1700 and the 1701 The introduction of the 1700 and the 1701 on this portion of the western division means, a great deal to the operating department, for the 1700 alone has shown a saving of \$600 per month, which Mr. Mctonnell hopes will be exceeded by the 1701. This saving in accomplished by less coal being consumed and the decrease in the pay of engineer and fireman. As were as precible less consumed and the decrease in the pay of engineer and fireman. consumed and the decrease in the pay of engineer and fireman. As soon as possible locomotive 1702 will be turned out to take its turn on hauling passenger trains over the divide so that in case one engine must go in for repairs the other will be able to do the work, thus forever shutting off the double-header, which until now has held the fort.

A new time card shortly to go into effect on the Cheyenne division will increase the running time five or ten minutes between Cheyenne and Sherman, and with this change made, 1700 and 1701 will always be on time, no matter what the condition of the

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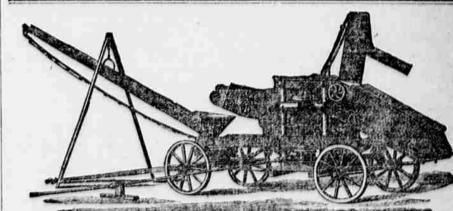
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