

THE DAILY BEE

COUNCIL BLUFFS OFFICE: NO. 12 PEARL STREET

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MINOR MENTION

For sale, dishes, stoves, tinware, furniture, carpets, Mrs. J. Lyman

An ice cream social was given at the Christian tabernacle last evening, and will be repeated this evening.

There will be an adjourned meeting of St. Albans lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythias, this evening for the state conference.

All members of Washington camp No. 12, Patriotic Order Sons of America, are hereby requested to be present at a special meeting of the camp to be held this evening at 9 o'clock.

Lena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, died Thursday night. The funeral will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence, 1101 Eighth avenue.

William Harris, Nelson Brown, Bertha Korns and William Hall will have a hearing today before Justice Field on the charge of stealing a lot of shoes from a Sixteenth avenue store.

Chief of Police Scanlan has issued an order to the proprietors of crap-shooting establishments to close up this evening, and all who are found running such places after that time will be arrested.

William Wells, an old colored man living on North Eighteenth street, who is a household of pickaninnies, was found stealing coal from a car in the Northwestern yards Thursday night and was placed under arrest. He was given a ten-day term in jail by Judge McGee yesterday morning.

A machine has been put in the postoffice for cancelling stamps by electricity, and the power will be furnished by the motor company. It is claimed that this will cancel the stamps much more quickly and neatly than it can be done by hand.

Chief Scanlan has had a large number of replies from the chiefs of police and city marshals all over the state with reference to the meeting of these officers, which is to be held in Des Moines March 22, and everything points to a large attendance.

FOOTINGHAM, WHITEHEAD & CO., Leaders and promoters of low prices, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Hon. Smith McPherson of Red Oak was in the city yesterday.

C. G. Saunders left last evening on a business trip to Kearney, Neb.

Division Superintendent C. A. Goodnow of the Milwaukee was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. Denton of Sioux Falls, S. D., is in the city with G. H. Denton, the local freight agent of the Rock Island.

Rev. E. W. Allen left Thursday for Ohio, having received a telegram announcing that his sister was very ill and not expected to recover.

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Rector Babcock Tries to Curb His Parishioners' Appetite for Pleasures.

Lenten Levy Severely Frowned Upon

Girls Who Would Dance After Being Warned Are Now Wondering What the Good Domine Will Do at the Meeting Tomorrow.

There are a good many people who are watching with not a little interest a contest that is just now going on between Rector E. J. Babcock of St. Paul's church and the young ladies of his congregation.

Not long ago, however, the quietude of Lent was disturbed by a party at the home of one of the young ladies, to which quite a number of the young people of the church were invited.

There was a rather informal and decidedly gay affair, and although the fair ones do not tell all they know, it is commonly reported that more than one fantastic dance was given.

There were as many as a dozen who went and enjoyed the festivities of the evening, although with quaking hearts. The question that is now agitating the minds of the fair ones is how much the rector's threat was really and truly meant?

HUNT AND EVANS. Candidates for School Board Selected After a Stormy Contest.

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Secretary, Stymest Stevenson; chaplain, James Johnston; board of managers, H. Stevenson, A. Whiteley, A. G. Galt, J. R. McPherson, J. R. Bell. A sociable will be given on Saturday evening, April 14, and the arrangements will be in charge of the new board of managers.

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other things, that he has acknowledged having at one time run an illicit distillery. He is given ten days to prepare his answer.

Susquehanna Breaking Loose. WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 9.—The Susquehanna river has overflowed its west bank. The low lands for many miles are under water.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS. Domestic. The trial of S. J. De France, the notorious confidence man, is in progress at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Two horse traders and their cook were murdered by unknown parties near Booneville, Ark., last night. The New York Tariff Reform League last night at Boston, listened to tariff speeches by distinguished orators.

Nearly 7,000 persons are now on a strike in Paterson, N. J. Yesterday the flax-workers joined the silk workers in their demand for higher wages.

A special of four cars, having on board Hon. Bourke Cockran and party and J. H. Morris and family, left Boston, left San Antonio yesterday for Mexico.

Fred M. Beall, charged with the murder of F. B. McKinnin in Guthrie, Okl., about eighteen months ago, has been granted a change of venue to Canadian county.

Thomas H. Ahi of Carlisle, Pa., has been arrested on a charge of bribery in connection with the selection of a site for a soldiers' orphans' school and home in that state.

Lord Rosebery, England's premier, is a large stockholder in the Southern States Land and Timber company, an English corporation that has several large mills in Florida.

One thousand five hundred of the striking silk weavers of Paterson, N. J., last evening rendezvoused at one of the mills here to escort home the workers who refused to strike Thursday night.

The miners in the Vulcan mine at New-Castle, Colo., were ordered out yesterday because they were discovered in an abandoned room. It is not thought the mine will have to be permanently closed.

The taking of testimony in relation to the wreck of the Kearsarge was completed yesterday by the naval court sitting at Brooklyn navy yard. The finding of the court will be reported to Secretary Herbert.

In the criminal court at Independence, Kan., the case of the state against Harry Jones, one of the murderers of Mme. Jane Wright, who was found dead in her office on September 18, 1893, is up for trial.

The long deferred trial of the numerous issues between Kansas City and the National Water Works company has been set for the road state circuit court at St. Louis for Tuesday, March 13.

Special Inspector of Indian Affairs Smith, after a visit to and through canvas of the Kickapoo Indians, declares that the members of the tribe are unanimously opposed to ceding their lands to the government.

The second party which went into the Bitter Root mountains to the relief of Colgate, the cook, and the driver, who were deserted on the Clearwater in Idaho, has returned without finding any trace of him.

Officers of the International Navigation company of New York, who filed the cabinet statement of damage done to the steamer Paris by fire at Birkenhead Thursday is exaggerated, and that the loss will not exceed \$100,000.

The famous litigation between William Sturges and John V. Farwell, regarding the ownership of 3,000,000 acres of Texas land, will, by mutual consent, be referred to Judge Tuley for arbitration, and from his decision there will be no appeal.

Upon the information of a woman who overheard the plot, the police of Emporia have arrested the last of a desperate gang of house breakers, which includes a woman among the number. It includes the entire McGee family.

Continental Clothing House. SATURDAY, March 10th.

\$5.00 \$6.00 \$7.00 \$8.00 \$9.00 \$10.00

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