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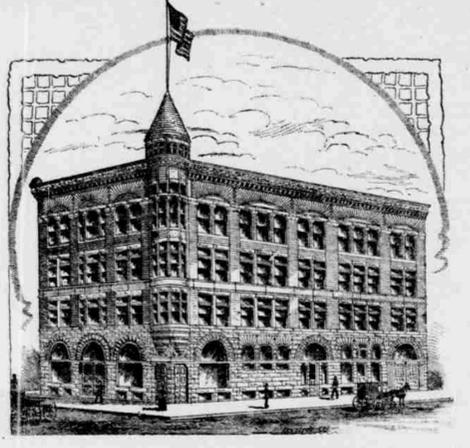
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'Twill be a Beauty. Mitchell & Lynde's New Business Block. A GREAT CREDIT TO THE CITY.

Plans of the Proposed New Building, the Convenience and Advantages to be Provided—It will be Architecturally Handsome and First-Class Generally. The handsomest and most imposing business block in the three cities is to rise this season on the site of Mitchell & Lynde's present building facing on Second Avenue, and bounded by Seventeenth and West Seventeenth streets.



MITCHELL & LYNDE'S PROPOSED NEW BUILDING.

of 40x150 feet deep, and a width of 86 feet on the alley. The outlay for these improvements will be \$60,000. When the front part of old building is torn down the rear structure will be raised thirty-two inches; then the front will be built as shown in the cut.

that Mitchell & Lynde have occupied their present quarters as a bank since 1856. Mitchell & Cable was the original firm, who bought out and succeeded to the banking business of Cook, Sargent & Parker. Mr. P. L. Cable retired from the firm in 1860, the late Judge Cornelius Lynde succeeding in his interest.

the basement under the bank is to be fitted up in the best modern style for a barber shop, and with a number of porcelain bath tubs where one can indulge in the luxury of a sulphur bath. Entirely apart from this, but which may be operated in connection therewith will be ladies' hair dressing and bath rooms. Entrance to the ladies' department will be through the corridor which leads to the elevator and library rooms, thus avoiding the necessity of ladies passing through the gentlemen's barber shop in order to reach their department.

The second floor will be remodeled for the library and board of education rooms in the rear, with offices on the other portion of the floor. The third floor will be for offices entirely, while the fourth will be planned for similar purposes, and a part may also be set aside for the Citizens' Improvement association or lodge quarters, as may be determined by future arrangements.

Two tiers of fire proof vaults will be built, affording ample accommodations for tenants on all floors. Wire laths will be used, rendering the building practically fire proof. Contracts have been let to the Hall Safe and Lock Company for fourteen vaults in all throughout the building. In this same connection it will be interesting to relate that Mr. M. De Caskey, special agent for Hall's burglar fire proof safes, time locks, etc., while in the city the past week concluding the contract for the vaults, also secured an order for a magnificent burglar proof inner safe for the vault of Mitchell & Lynde's bank, thus combining the advantages of a receptacle absolutely proof against fire and burglars.

The office themselves will be fitted up in the very best manner, and with the ample light, heat, pure water, mail, elevator and vault accommodations, will certainly prove exceptionally desirable.

BRIEFLETS. Democratic ward caucuses tonight. Ladies' black suede gloves at Bennett's. 'Hans, the Boatman,' at the theatre tonight. Call and see Lloyd & Stewart's new neck wear.

Buy yourself a nice spring hat at Lloyd & Stewart's. Chas. Arnold's 'Hans, the Boatman,' company is at the Harper. Peter Heering heard Moore Foster arrested for breach of the peace.

The handsomest line of Windsor caps can be seen at Lloyd & Stewart's. Lloyd & Stewart can sell you anything you want in size, quality or shape in hats. Two packages of new garden seeds for 5 cents at Kuschman's, 2207 Fourth Avenue.

This weather makes one think of a new hat. Lloyd & Stewart's is the place to get the latest styles. Now it is reported that Rock Island is to have a new ice enterprise, and that it is to come from Moline.

Curtains, curtains, curtains in Porterie and lace, the most beautiful patterns in the market, at Clemann & Salzmann's. 'Patty' Zeis, the Rock Island ball player, has signed as catcher for the Monmouth club, of the Interstate League.

Clemann & Salzmann the popular furniture dealers, will receive in a few days a fresh car load of choice bedroom suits. Rev. J. H. Kerr, of Normal, the newly elected pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, will be here the first Sunday in April.

Sheriff Silvis has returned from Pontiac, where he took the boy Henry Tombs, sentenced to the reform school for larceny. Such a fine line of choice carpets was never before seen in this part of the country, as can be now be found at Clemann & Salzmann's.

A great many from this city are enjoying the excellent lectures of Mrs. A. M. Longshore Poets at the Curtis opera, Davenport. The Chicago Inter-Ocean of today names Fred Weyerhauser, of this city, among the millionaires of the country and estimates his fortune at \$30,000,000.

Everts Commandery, Knights Templar, of this city, will participate in the funeral exercises of the late Hon. James T. Lane at Davenport tomorrow afternoon. Rev. H. C. Leland, of this city, who recently resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist church here, has accepted a call to the Baptist church at Mendota.

Miss Myrtle Sears was the recipient of a happy surprise party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Sears, on Twelfth street and Thirteenth Avenue, last evening. Mr. John Perry, formerly of this city, but now a resident of Omaha, is in the city in response to a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his mother, who lives here.

Secretaries of the democratic ward caucus tonight are requested to leave reports of proceedings in their respective meetings at the Argus office this evening or Monday morning. The federal appointees ran the Third ward republican caucus last night. Letter Carrier Perry called the meeting to order and nominated Messrs. Postmaster Wells, for chairman, and Stamp Deputy M. Lee Galt was made secretary.

Democrats, do your duty at your caucuses tonight. Choose no man who is not in favor of keeping abreast with the example set by the outgoing council with relation to street improvements. Nominate progressive men and they will be elected. Rev. W. Porteus, of St. Louis, who lectures at Harper's theatre next Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Ladies' Industrial Relief society, comes with the highest and most complimentary endorsements from the appreciative people of St. Louis.

Mr. John Volk has leased both sides of his beautiful new stone front double brick on Fifth Avenue, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth street, Dr. G. C. Carter having secured one-half, and Mr. J. P. Weyerhauser the other, and both sides will be occupied about May 1. Rock Island needs more of such resident buildings as Mr. Volk has erected.

Mr. John Bengtson this morning consummated the purchase from the heirs of the late H. H. Carter of the property on Second Avenue with dimensions of 30 by 150 feet and the building which has been so long occupied as a second hand store. The consideration was \$2,000, and if Mr. Bengtson can make some arrangements he is anxious to erect a handsome business block upon it.

Mrs. Milton Jones' musical entertainment at the Unitarian church in Moline last night was well attended, a great many going from this city. In addition to the selections by Mrs. Jones and her gifted children, Mrs. Seale added a number of gems to the vocal part, as did Miss Cadel, while Mr. and Mrs. Zeigler and Messrs. Mangold, Woodgett and Wilson took good care of the instrumental parts. The character songs of Mrs. Jones' children were heartily enjoyed, and many well merited compliments were paid the little people.

There are doubtless many in Rock Island who are not aware that Rock Island and has an assistant postmaster, and few, perhaps, who have any idea as to who that individual is, and how he fell into the position. Not long since an inspector came to Rock Island at Postmaster Wells' suggestion and made an investigation as to the requirements for an assistant to Mr. Brooks as distributor of the stamps that excellent having for several years being over arduous. The inspector was satisfied that an assistant was necessary and he authorized Boss Wells to provide a man at \$900 a year. The man was provided in the person of W. H. Duncker, but so far Mr. Brooks has not detected any advantage to himself, thereby, as Mr. Wells has made Mr. Duncker assistant postmaster, and placed the bulk of his work on his shoulders, while Mr. Brooks struggles patiently on under his former orders. If there are any little benefits to be had around there, the boss is going to have them for himself individually—there is no doubt about that.

The Unseasonable Weather which has prevailed so far, has been regarded by some as being due to the Gulf stream approaching northward. There is no evidence however that the Gulf stream has changed its course. It is still in its old accustomed haunts. There are good reasons for believing that the present cold wave is off the track. Word comes that it has been called back. That being the case we venture to call your attention to

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. This week we offer for your inspection a good assortment of well made medium priced muslin underwear—FOR 25 CENTS WE GIVE YOU—

Drawers, Skirts, Chemises, Childs' Drawers, Childs' Waists, Childs' Slips—very good garments for the money. FOR 50 CENTS WE GIVE YOU—

Night Dresses, Skirts, Chemises, Drawers, Corset Covers—you will want some of this 50 cent assortment sure. Spring goods are arriving daily and we are prepared to serve your wants in dress goods, wash goods, embroideries, etc., at lowest prices. You can't afford to buy before examining our goods and prices.

McINTIRE BROS., Rock Island, Illinois. An elegant line of gents' shoes, just received. All the latest styles at the Davenport Shoe Co.'s, corner Brady and Second street.

Last week I went a fishing And caught an awful cold. But Bull's Cough Syrup set me right. 'Tis worth its weight in gold. Largest stock new Tennis shoes in the three cities, at low prices, Davenport Shoe Co., corner Brady and Second street.

Complexion powder is an absolute necessity of the refined toilet in this climate. Pozzoni's combines every element of beauty and purity. Wanted—A good girl. References required. Dr. Taos Galt, No. 1208 Second Avenue.

The famous O. N. T. thread we keep in stock. It is always on white spools and not on black spools. Ladies, try it—use no other. McINTIRE & Co. McIntire Bros. have a new and reliable kid glove cleaner; cleans perfectly and leaves no odor.

Wait for the beehive. HARPER'S THEATRE C. A. STEEL, Manager. ONE NIGHT ONLY. SATURDAY, MARCH 22D.

CHAS. ARNOLD in his original creation, HANS the BOATMAN An Old of the Admirals, one of the few American plays that has caught the English taste.

'The Boatman's Lullaby'; 'Pleasure Await you my Boy'; 'Blind Man's Buff'; 'Little Girl's Song'; 'The Baby's Coo'; 'Innocent Little'; 'The Spirit of the Lake'; 'The Daisy Chain'; etc. The St. Bernard Dog 'NORR'; Beautiful Home Ballads, Touches of Nature, Laughter and Tears.

A host load of children from 2 1/2 to 6 years of age. Humour and pathos have never before been so happily linked together as in this sparkling musical comedy. The part of 'Hans' is different from anything done by any other German comedian. Mr. ARNOLD'S dialect is entirely different, his songs and business all original with him, and he imitates no one. Prices—75, 50 and 25 cents.

Don't You Want Something IN THE NEW Crystal Cut Table Glassware The Catsup Bottle and Berry Bowl shown above are two of the many new things in such ware, and may give you a little idea of what it is like; but I think you would like to call and select from the new lines constantly coming in, a few other articles to give variety to your table service. As to prices—if you are disappointed at all—it will be to find them so low.

It would take more space than is at my disposal here to speak at all fully of the new things coming in, to say nothing of staple articles. I hope it is understood by this time that visitors are always welcome whether they come to buy or not, and to look at what the store contains is better than to read about them. Please call. G. M. LOOSLEY, 1609 Second Avenue.

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In addition to these low prices I will give away an Encyclopedia, valued at \$6, to each customer buying \$25 worth of Boots and Shoes. Call in and let us show you the Book and explain how you can get it free. GEO. SCHNEIDER, JR., CENTRAL SHOE STORE, 1818 Second Avenue. ELM STREET SHOE STORE 2626 Fifth Avenue.

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