SHONE THROUGH THE RIFTS.

Bright Rays from the Social Sphere Despite the Lenten Clouds.

What Has Transpired in Omaha Social Circles During the Past Week—The Hymenometer.

The season of Lent has arrived and with it comes a respite from social duties, which is welcomed with a sense of relief by the weary devotee at the shrine of society. The past week in contrast with the one before, has not been marked by a rapid succession of brilliant parties, balls and receptions, though a few social events worthy of special mention have occurred.

Col. and Mrs. Terrill are visiting their son at San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure have gone to Chicago.

Mrs. E. C. McShane is entertaining as her guest, Miss Jennie O'Brien, of Burlington, Iowa.

The Parnell Social club gave a much enjoyed party at Cunningham hall Monday night.

Major and Mrs. Brown entertained a number of their friends at their residence at Fort Omaha last Tuesday evening, the occasion being a private german. The affair was greatly enjoyed by all who attended, and the charming hospitality of the host and hostess made the evening pass only too quickly. The favors given at the german were lovely baskets of flowers. Among those who attended from this city were Mr. Jos. Garneau, Miss Eustis, Warren Rogers, Lieut. Grable, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Ames, Capt. and Mrs. McCauley and Miss Henry.

A thoroughly unique and enjoyable social event was the masquerade ball given on Wednesday evening by the Concordia society at Germania hall. A brilliant feature of the occasion was the allegorical representation of "Snow-white."

The story of "Snow White" is that she is a handsome young maiden, living in a castle far up the mountains, having at her bidding all the dwarfs and gnomes. She is supposed to be the goddess of snow.

At half past ten o'clock little Miss Dora Raapke, impersonating "Snow White," seated on a vehicle representing a mountain, and drawn by four dwarfs, headed by the magician represented by L. Grobelke, appeared. The dwarfs looked exceedingly "chic" in pointed hats and large gray beards. Behind the mountain were two palaquins, on each of which was the familiar figure of a snow man. The procession circled the hall a few times, and then halting, listened to an address from the magician-leader, delivered for the especial benefit of the "Snow White."

Hardly had he finished speaking when a whistle sounded. The scene was changed. Snow began to fall. A merry snowball fusillade followed, for which the snow men borne on the palaquins served as material. When the snowballing was at its height, a calcium light was thrown upon the scene transforming it to one of rare beauty. The whistle again sounded. The snowballing ceased. "Snow White" was drawn away by her dwarfs, and the myth was at an end.

The idea was well executed under the direction of Mr. Grobecker, and this part of the entertainment was perhaps the most appreciated of all, especially by the spectators.

Dancing was then resumed and kept up until a late hour. The costumes were very fine, but as they have already been mentioned in the BEE, they need not be advertised to at length again.

Ben Hellman, of Cheyenne, who has been visiting his brother in this city for a few days past, has gone east.

Miss Mary Hearne, of Troy, N. Y., who has been visiting with John G. Willis, at Idlewild place, left yesterday for her home.

Miss Mollie Lucas is in Los Angelos, Col.

Miss Lantry, of Strong City, Kansas, is visiting Mrs. R. C. Cushing.

A pleasant progressive euchre party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt, Park avenue, on Tuesday evening. The guests filled seven tables. The prizes were taken by Miss Connell, Dr. Connell, Miss Wilbur and Mr. Clark; the mysterious by Miss Isaacs.

On Wednesday evening Mr. John Hoss and Miss Emeline Clara Smith were married, the ceremony taking place at the residence of the bride's parents on Davenport street. Only a few relatives and intimate friends were present. Both bride and groom have many friends in Omaha who will wish them all happiness in their new relation.

Miss Flora Leland gave a progressive euchre party last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Miss Lou Cunningham, of Red Oak Iowa. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davis, the Misses McKenna, Ryan, Doll, Annie and Hattie Long, Carrie and Ollie Mason, Messrs. Wells, Livesey, Lumon, Kennedy, Ryan and Bruning. The first prize was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Davis, the "booby" by Miss Cunningham and Mr. Ryan.

The delightful party given by the Omaha Light Guards at their hall last evening was attended by about sixty members of that gallant organization, accompanied by an equal number of their fair lady friends. A well-arranged programme of eighteen numbers was enthusiastically carried out and all went merry. The committee who had charge of the affair was composed of Lieut. W. M. Wood, Sergt. W. R. Adair, Corporal O. L. Colby and Privates A. Michels, T. B. Wilde and D. C. Wrighter.

One hundred maskers gliding gaily through the fancy figures of delightful dances presented a pleasing picture of lively loveliness at Metropolitan hall last evening. Pythian Knights of Myrtle division, uniformed rank, were present with their ladies, the occasion being their grand mask ball. And it was a social event long to be remembered by all who were present. All the arrangements were complete and to the efforts of the following gentlemen, who composed the committees, is in a large degree due the success of the entertainment: Master of ceremonies, Dave Kaufman; executive committee, Thos. Burrell, H. D. Shull, W. F. Manning, J. Donnelly, jr., A. Borden, Ed. Crowell; floor committee, Fred DeLorimer, C. A. Abecrombie, A. Borden, H. M. Simpson, Geo. Sabin, J. Meyer, A. Burnett, J. C. Whinnery, J. J. Monell, J. Harpster, B. F. Madsen, I. Schiff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pigman, parents of Mr. T. J. Staley, celebrated the forty-sixth anniversary of their wedding at their residence at Riverview on the 8th inst. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The gifts were presented by Rev. James Haynes in a neat speech, followed by remarks by Rev. Mr. Savage and Rev. I. A. Braderick, and an original poem by Mrs. M. F. Still. Mr. Pigman made a very appropriate reply. Refreshments were then served and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

THE HYMENOMETER.

The first turn of the hands brings them in to a position directly in front of the names of a young man who is employed as telegraph operator at the stock yards and a young lady in Michigan. The unusually excited condition of the hymoneter would seem to indicate that the happy ceremony is about to take place. Indeed, it is said that the crisis will occur before the first of April.

Again a revolution of the hands brings them into a new position. This time they are seen to point to the names of a young clerk in a large Thirteenth street banking institution and a young lady who resides on Upper Capitol avenue. There are no figures illuminated on the dial of the instrument and, consequently, the date of the matrimonial crisis cannot be determined, But the fact that the young man is saving up money pretty rapidly and has already invested in a house and lot, would seem to indicate that the happy day is not far off.

Once more the situation changes. This time the hands, after fluttering nervously for a few moments, settle to rest in a position which shows that the son of the proprietor of a large German printing establishment on lower Farnam street is very much infatuated with the charms of a young lady of this city, whom he is about to marry. Further particulars of the affair will be duly noted by the hymenometer.

Personal Paragraphs.

John G. Taylor and wife, of Minneapolis, are in the city visiting their brother, C. K. Taylor.

C. W. Marsh of Seymour, Ill., is a Paxton guest.

E. H. Hipple of Cleveland, Ohio, is at the Miliard.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL.

A Bohemian Tailor Suicides—Department Commander Thayer Royally Received—Mentions.

[FROM THE BEE'S LINCOLN BUREAU.]

Joseph Bodosek, a Bohemian Tailor, suicided Saturday night by shooting himself in the head. Bodosek, who was about 30 years old, lived with his wife, mother and three children, in a tumble-down hovel at the corner of N and Seventh streets. Saturday evening after supper Bodosek remarked that he would like some beer, at which his mother began to upbraid him for his dissolute habits, and after listening to her for a time he went out, saying she would not have a chance to talk so again. An hour later Bodosek laid down on a bed by the side of his children and fired a bullet through his brain.

Charles Stewart has decided to remain with the Stewart-Chute Lumber company, and will resume his old line of work.

Jeff Glass, of the Windsor, celebrated the thirty-seventh anniversary of his birthday Saturday, and considering the lively manner in which he was handled by the boys is looking very well.

Judge Montgomery sent half a dozen toughs to jail yesterday in default of a fine of $5 each for fighting at the B. & M. depot.

A young man who in some unknown manner managed to escape from the authorities at Bellwood, was in Lincoln Saturday arranging for a hippodrome walking match.

H. D. Carter and wife, nee Miss Ida Miller, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Druse for a few days previous to settling down at Nemaha City.

Commander Thayer made his first official visit to Farragut Post Saturday night.

Owing to the bad condition of the streets, Lincoln coal dealers find it necessary to charge from 25 to 65 cents a ton over the selling price, for delivery, according to the distance from the yards.

A special conclave of Mount Moriah commandery No. 4, K. T., will be held to-night, when the order of the Red Cross will be conferred on several candidates.

"The Jolly Euchre club" wound up the season's series with a party at the residence of Mrs. E. H. Andrus Friday evening.

A washout and freight train wreck near Creston, Iowa, Saturday night delayed the Burlington train from the east about two hours.

At the meeting of Farragut Post, G. A. R. Saturday night, Joseph Teeter was elected commander to succeed John C. Bonnell, who tendered his resignation some weeks ago. L. M. Scothorn was made senior vice, and Comrade Heaton, junior vice commander. The meeting was attended by members of Appommattox Post and visiting comrades who had been invited to greet Department Commander Thayer on the occasion of his first official visit. After the installation of the officers an impromptu reception of the commander took place, when General Thayer, in response to loud demands, gave a short history of the First Nebraska regiment and its campaigns, which was well received.

The Herold case is still on trial in the district court, and is furnishing steady employment to six lawyers. Mr. Storde and Mr. Stearns are engineering the prosecution, while Messrs. Mason, Burr, Billingsley and Hartigan appear for the defendant.

Real estate of the value of $32,000 changed hands on the county clerk's records Saturday.

The Merchants' Hose company are under orders to turn out in uniform at the tap of the bell to act as an escort to the victorious Fitzgeralds, and two strokes is the signal.

The O'Dell house, thoroughly refurnished, will be opened to-day.

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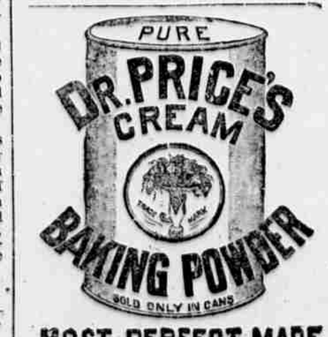
The City Appeals.

The city appealed from the decision of Judge McCulloch in the case of Joseph Leis. The suit was brought to recover a paving tax levied upon his property near St. Mary's avenue.



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A ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.

The Demand Made by Sadie Hayes of Her Lover.

He Cuts off One of His Fingers and Makes Her a Present of It.

St. Louis Republican: The frenzy of the lovesick swain has always been a prolific theme for the poet. Its development exhibits many remarkable forms, but none perhaps so strange and unaccountable as that which terminated a romantic attachment between a pair of prisoners in the city jail.

The lover true is Wm. M. Lacey, a black burglar under a penitentiary sentence. When at liberty he has the reputation of being a very industrious member of his profession. He is up early and late, and is recognized as a hard worker. His aim appears to be to reach the top rung, and in attempting to do this he has reached the penitentiary. Lacey is from Memphis, and found the practice of his profession in this city surrounded and beset with difficulties before which hearts less stout than his would have quailed. He was many times consigned to the body of the jail, and managed in every instance till the last time to escape with light punishment. He knew Sadie before she took to

KILLING POLICEMEN,

though he was then a successful burglar. Though she was a married woman, he didn't mind a little thing like that, and laid violent seige to her affections at once. He was in a fair way to carry the citadel, when the police scooped her and landed Sadie in jail. He couldn't rest until he was in with her; so he deliberately violated the law and was committed for petit lorceny.

Then he was happy.

He could see the cell in which the loved one was confined, and occasionally see her. By and by, his short sentence for theft expired, and he was kicked out into the cold world, the

MOST MISERABLE OF MEN.

He could not eat or sleep, and, finding life unbearable, he committen a serious burglary and was again thrust into jail, whereat he rejoiced muchly.

The more his love was "handicapped" by strong walls and iron bars the more intense it grew. Notes of a tender character were surreptitiously exchanged in which Sadie referred to him as

"MY DEAR LITTLE ONE,"

and in which he redundantly signed himself, "Your own, sure enough own darling." This continued until a few days ago, when an indictment for burglary and larceny was presented to the gay Ethiopian. This disconcerted him. He had expected to again get off with a jail sentence, but when called up to plead was told that he appeared to be incorrigible and would get no more clemency. If tried before a jury, he was assurred that he would get at least five years, and in view of this condition of affairs, he pleaded guilty to grand larceny, and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Then was he crushed.

The bitter dregs of that dose almost paralyzed him, but he had great recuperative powers. Sadie learned what had taken place and expressed her condolence in a pathetic note, in which she "took her pen in hand" to inform that "when these few lines" reached him she would be enjoying excellent health, and winding up with "I am your own true Sadie Hayes, and don't you forget it."

Now, William sported a gold ring on the little finger of his right hand which Sadie had often cast covetous eyes on. She made up her mind that if her lover was to go to the penitentiary the ring should stay in jail. Monday morning Lacey was taken up in the criminal court and sentenced, and his departure for the penitentiary set for to-morrow. A couple of days ago he received a note from "Sadie" insinuating that she had been informed that his love for her was not really what it seemed—in other words, that he was a

GAY DECEIVER.

If he truly loved her, he must give her "that ring," and if he would just send his little finger with it she would believe that he was sure enough in love with her. No sooner did this frantic lover receive the ultimatum than he determined to convince his mistress in the way she required. Among the many useful articles which the prisoners are not allowed to have are knives. At first it looked as if it was impossible to carry out the woman's wish, but love found a way. Picking up one of his shoes Lacey tore the sole asunder and took out the steel shank underneath the instep. He fastened a handle about the steel and honed it on the walls of his cell until it was as sharp as a razor. His cell mate, Ike Cavil, tried to disuade him from his purpose, but to no effect. He was in dead earnest.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon he deliberately placed his right hand on the bench in his cell and taking a piece of steel in the other he

CUT OFF THE LITTLE FINGER

at the second joint. He tied a piece of string around the bloody stump and checked the hemorrhage and then wrapped the hand up in a handkerchief. He had already prepared an epistle breathing the strongest passion. He wrapped the dismembered finger and the ring in this note and sent them to Sadie. She was very much astonished when she received them, but

ACCEPTED THE RING AND FINGER

in the spirit in which they were given. One of the jail guards making his rounds soon after, discovered blood on the door of cell 123, in which Lacey is confined. He entered and found the love-sick darkey with his hands covered with blood. The floor and walls of the cell were in the same condition, and the guard learned what had taken place. Jailor Siegmund was notified, and he telephoned to the dispensary for a physician. A Republican reporter accompanied him to Lacey's cell, and the mutilated lover was called out and questioned.

"Why did you do this?" asked the jailer.

"Because I loved her, Mr. Siegmund."

"Well, you ought to go to the head of the class," was the only comment.

"Take off that cloth and let us see your hand," continued the jailer.

The prisoner did as requested and extended his hand. The little finger was cut off with heatness, comparatively speaking. The bone was severed at the second joint with professional skill, but the cutting of the flesh exhibited awkwardness. It was chiselled in a way that betokened lack of confidence on the part of the operator, but he was evidently at home when he reached the bone.

"Well, you're a daisy, sure enough," said the jailer.

"Where is the rest of that finger?"

"I done sent it over to Sadie," was the reply.

"What did you want to give her the finger for?"

"Jes' to show her my love and to keep as a 'membrance."

"Did you ever hear of anyone doing that before?

"No, sah. She ges asked me fur it and I gave it to her."

"Well you are a Jim-Lily and no mistake," said the jailer, as he ordered the man to wrap up his hand.

Dr. Outley had arrived by this time and the prisoner was ordered down to the screen where the doctor took him in charge.

The call of the woman in the case was next visited and she was found in a very disturbed state.

"Where is that finger," inquired the jailer.

"I gave it to a guard," replied the woman.

"What did you want of that man's finger?"

"Well, I'll tell you. He was

SWEET ON ME,

and jes in a joke like I told him to send me the ring and the finger before he went to the pen. Why, Lord! I was skeered when I opened that paper and saw that finger a-layin' there all bloody."

"Where is the note he sent with it?"

"I tore it up."

"Well, you are a Lulu!"

The guard who had recovered the dismembered finger exhibited it just as he had received it from the woman who parted with it reluctantly. The appearance of that portion of Lacey which he had tendered to his lady was enough to "skeer" anyone, especially one with a weak stomach. What there was of it was perfect, but it displayed the same amateurish workmanship in the flesh, as if he had made two or three false starts before getting into the right grain. It was presented to the doctor.

When Lacey was taken to the screen, he was asked by the Republican reporter to state the contents of the note. "I can't remember it all now, boss," said he, "but I told her that now I was going to a prison, where I never was before, and where I would be confined for years in solitary confinement. I told her I loved her true, and I was now going to give her what she had often asked for. I told her to keep it and to think of me, and if she never saw me again to have it

BURIED WITH HER

in the coffin. I don't remember it all, but it was like that. I wanted to show her that I was true, and that was the only way."

While he spoke the man's eyes began to till and he turned away. The physician then set to work and cut the finger off an inch lower down and dressed it. The man never winced under the knife. He was convicted for breaking into Broeksick's tailor shop on Fourteenth and Market streets and stealing clothes. A letter was found on him from "Sadie," in which she makes love to him in a violent manner. He is 36 years old and will be taken to the penitentiary to-day.

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The Crowd at Village Depots.

Omaha Railway News: Did you ever notice the crowd that always gathers at the country depot at train time? The arrival of the passenger train is the greatest event of the day, and the young bloods of the town are always there. No matter if train time is 10 or 11 o'clock at night. Girls in groups and girls with their "fellers" are there for the sake of variety, when there is every reason why they should be at home. The bad boy, whose only ambition is to be a trainman when he grows up, and whose mother needs him at home every minute, can always be seen on the platform, chewing or smoking tobacco, or trying to jump on the cars, where they stick just as long as they dare, jumping off at the risk of their necks. Then there's the young man who sees the operator at the key, and thinks that could he, too, be an operator success in life could be assured. The operator is about as important a person as there is in town, in the eyes of the inhabitants, and he is looked upon with awe for the reason that he draws a princely salary and has something to do with a very mysterious thing—a telegraph instrument. Sometimes the operator feels this overshadowing greatness in himself, and sometimes he does not. He forgets that once he was hanging around a telegraph office, thinking that to be an operator was one of the great distinctions of this earth. Many great men have been operators in their early days, and Omaha boasts of a number of men in high places who are proud to say that their first salaries were earned at the key.

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They were having a four-handed game of euchre in the smoking-car, and one of the players said to his partner, a harmless-looking old man:

"I wouldn't mind risking a twenty-dollar note that the first three cards dealt me on this hand will beat any other three cards on the board at poker."

"I don't know nothin' about poker, stranger," said the harmless-looking old man; "but if I did, maybe I'd bet ye."

The game was explained to him, and after some hesitation, he said;

"Well, stranger, I'll go ye twenty dollars that I kin down ye"

The money was put up, and the poker player triumphantly showed down three aces.

"I am sorry for you, old man," he said, "but three aces can't be beat."

"Yes it kin," replied the harmless-looking old fellow, displaying three hearts; "a flush, as ye call it, beats three of a kind. As I said," he continued, pocketing the money, "I don't know nothin' about poker; but, from what ye have told me about it, I reckon it ain't a very hard game to l'arn, stranger."

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They Sat So Close Together That They Broke the Vase.

"Who broke this vase?" asked Miss Fussinfeather's father, as he entered the parlor one morning and found his daughter gathering up the pieces of a majolica vase.

"George and I broke it between us last night," was the maiden's innocent reply.

"Broke it between you, did you? Well, next time he calls you better not sit so close."

And he left his daughter to ponder on what he meant.

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"What became of your next-door neighbor, Johnson?" asked the returned wanderer. "I see some one else lives in his house now."

"Johnson?" was the reply. "Oh, Johnson took Horace Greeley's advice and went west ten years ago."

"And did he grow up with the country?" the Returned Wanderer asked.

"I'm not so sure about that," said the other; "but I understand that the Indians got after him and he was planted the week after he got there. He's had plenty of time."

Our Mary Ann was cured of cough by Red Star Cough Cure. Only a quarter. No opiates.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers were filed March 11, with the county clerk, and reported for the BEE by Ames' Real Estate Agency:

Charles A Hill and wife and others to Nels Johnson, se¼ of sec 9-16-9, Douglas county, w d—$3,500.

Henry Rieck and wife to William G Shriver, se¼ of sw¼ of sec 6-15-13, 40 acres, Douglas county; w d—$9,000.

William L McCague (single) to Archer Eke, lt 5, blk V, Shinn's Third add, Omaha; w d—$400.

William L McCague (single) to Henry Hedley, lt 5, blk V, Shinn's Third add, Omaha; w d—$425.

Matthew W Clair (single) to Paul Wasek, 1 acre on west line of sec 34-15-13, Douglas county; w d—$2,000.

Alexander C Pepper and wife to Elizabeth M McNair, lt 12, blk 8, Hanscom Place, Omaha; w d—$1,700.

City of Omaha to Marguerite C Cuming, part of lts 6 and 8, blk 189½, Omaha; q c—$583.80.

Nellie F Viers (single) to Jane Rebecca Hespe, e½ of lt 6, blk 198½, Omaha; w d—$2,000.

Mary K Drahos and husband to John F Barker, lt 6, blk 4, Omaha View, Omaha; w d—$525.

A H Swan and others, trustees, to Frank Pivonka, lot 8, blk 77, South Omaha; w d—$300.

A H Swan and others, trustees, to Munson P Buel, lt 10, blk 77, South Omaha; w d—$225.

Geo W Doane and wife to J K Ottensteln, lts 5 and 6, blk 5, Patrick's First add, Omaha; w d—$2,000.

John I Redick and wife to Dexter L Thomas, lts 1 and 2, blk 7, Barker's add, Omaha; w d—$4,500.

Patrick Marrow and wife to Dexter L Thomas, several lots, City of Florence, Douglas county; w d—$210.

Sophia M Whitney and husband to Dexter L Thomas, 19 acres of se¼ of sec 8-16-13, Douglas county; w d—$237.

R H Pickard and wife to Claus Mathies, s½ of ne¼ of se¼ sec 36-15-12, Douglas county; q c—$1,000.

Wm E Clarke and wife to John H Dumont, lt 30, Rees' Place, Omaha; w d—$2,000.

Thomas Tighe and wife to Eugene O'Neill, lt 7, blk 8, Kountze's Fourth add, Omaha; w d—$1,700.

Wm H Looker (single) to John G Fisher, lt 13, blk 4, Arbor Place, Douglas county; w d—$700.

Herbert J Davenport (single) to Mrs Anna E Cornish, lt 25, Davenport's subdivision of Gise's add, Omaha; w d—$400.

Hugh Flanagan and wife to John B Evans, lt 9, blk 179½, Omaha; w d—$5,000.

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