

THE DAILY BEE.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OFFICE NO. 12, PEARL STREET

Delivered by carrier in any part of the city at twenty cents per week.

MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Reiter, tailor. Fall goods cheap.

The home of H. M. Simpson, baggage master at the transfer, was gladdened Tuesday by the advent of a son.

A large force of men are at work at the transfer on the track leading to the new Union Pacific freight depot.

The guests of the Creston House were served with a splendid Thanksgiving dinner by their host Max Mohn, and it was duly enjoyed by a large number.

Yesterday morning there was a general hunting up of last winter's sleds by the boys in the city.

Evidently the proclamation of Thanksgiving and the request to close houses of business was not interpreted to apply to the saloons of the city.

Justice Schurz helped two couples to celebrate their Thanksgiving by performing the marriage ceremony for them.

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GOBBLER DAY IN THE BLUFFS

Thanksgiving Generally and Appropriately Observed.

SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES.

"The Musketeers" to Be Repeated at the Matinee To-morrow—Electric Light Towers About Completed—Minor Mentions.

They All Gave Thanks.

The day of our national thanksgiving was very generally observed.

Religious services were held at the Broadway Methodist and St. Paul's Episcopal churches.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Cooley, of the Baptist church. He thanked God for the bountiful harvests, national prosperity, protection of church and state, and for the signal punishment which had been visited upon those who sought to destroy our institutions and our civilization.

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THE CHINESE WILL COME.

There will be an entertainment at the First Baptist church to-morrow afternoon and evening that will be both amusing and instructive.

PROGRAMME: Chinese Tune. (Necton March Instrument.) Gospel Hymn. Chinese Words Chinese Song. Selected Odom, Paper and Prayer. Exhibited Idols, Joss Paper and Prayers. Machine. Explained Chinese Song. Lady's Voice Chop-sticks and mode of eating. Chinese conversation and Scripture reading. "Musical" instruments—Gong, drum, horn, sampan, yessen, one-string fiddle, etc. Marriage Customs. Explanation [Followed by a series of days' ceremony constituting a Chinese wedding.] Salama (bow to ancestral tablet. Marriage song of love. Wedding braelet. Unveiling of bride. Tea drinking. (Good luck and fortune telling.) Wedding supper. Ancestral tablet reverence.

For an elegant birthday gift for Christmas present, a Domestic sewing machine leads them all.

\$60,000 Worth of Paving. The gang of loafers who have put in much valuable time for the past few weeks watching the pavers will now have to find a new attraction to help them while away the hours.

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There was a very interesting entertainment at the deaf and dumb institute last evening, and several of our citizens accepted the invitation of Superintendent Rothert to be present.

Recitation: Lochinvar. Winnie Emerson. Tableaux: Brides of Earth and Heaven. Misses O'Day, Bosley, Lovette, Boone, Myers. Counter-parts: Uncle Tom, Uncle Harry, Aunt Judy, Aunt Sue.

Tableaux: Three Graces. Misses O'Day, Bosley, Lovette, Boone, Myers. Cobbler's Ingenuity. Dr. Killall, Herr Mendelwell, Masters Rothert and Shuling. Fan Drill. Misses Hannah, Kees, Chapman, Emerson, McDonnell, Jackson, Preston, Mensch.

Tableaux: Old Man's Darling and Young Man's Slave. Misses O'Day, Fry, Messrs. Welter, F. Ellis. Recitation: Nellie Gray. Over the River and Through the Wood.

Blue Points Scotch Broth, Chicken Gumbo. Black Bass, Claret Sauce ("Potato Parisienne"). Olives Celery Lettuce. Ribs of Beef, Horse Radish Sauce. Stuffed Turkey with Oyster Sauce.

Roast Goose with Apple Sauce. Mallard Duck with Jelly. Gumbo Pie. Currie of Chicken's Wings. Croquettes of Sweet Bread with Green Peas. Nectarine Fritters, Champagne Sauce.

Mashed Potatoes. Sweet Potatoes. Boiled Potatoes. Boiled Onions. Asparagus with Cream French Peas. Michigan Cider.

Lemon Meringue Pie. Mince Pie. Thanksgiving Pudding, Brandy Sauce. Charlotte Russe, Cream Jelly. Lady Fingers. Assorted Cakes. Catawba Grapes. Oranges. Bananas. Crackers. Cheese. Coffee.

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At Uncle Sam's Work. The new postoffice building has been inclosed and heating apparatus put in, so that the work began some time ago may be continued during the coming winter.

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READ, READ, READ.

With Every Two Dollars Worth of Goods Purchased You Will Receive a Coupon Ticket Good For One Chance in the Following Grand Presents to be Given Away by us on Monday, January 16th, 1888.

Every \$2 purchase receives one ticket, and every additional \$2 the same. Hold your tickets until the above mentioned date, when the lucky numbers will be announced and the holders invited to call for their presents.

Remember you will have to pay nothing extra on your purchases. We guarantee to sell you goods cheaper than you can buy at any other house in the west, and give you the largest, finest and best stock west of Chicago to select from.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED! All mail orders receive prompt attention and tickets for the free gifts forwarded with the orders the same as if you were here in person.

These distributions will be made with every fairness, and customers may depend on the lucky numbers receiving their reward.

No tickets will be given to employees of our house, customers only receiving the benefit of the prizes.

LIST OF PRIZES.

No. of prize. 1—One elegant parlor set consisting of sofa, divan and 4 large easy chairs, purchased from S. S. Keller of this city.

2—One elegant cherry bed room set, consisting of bedstead, dresser and wash stand. Have large bevel French plate mirrors. Purchased from C. A. Beebe & Co., city.

3—One elegant silver tea set, consisting of extra large and very heavy waiter, coffee pot, tea pot, sugar bowl, creamer and spoon holder. Must be seen to be fully appreciated. Bought from C. B. Jacquemin & Co., city.

4—One very handsome water set, comprising pitcher, stand, goblets and wash bowl of the very latest design. An elegant piece of goods. Purchased from Robinson Bros., city.

5—Decorated China dinner set of 130 pieces. Purchased from W. A. Maurer, city.

6—Elegant decorated China tea set of 56 pieces.

7—Very handsome blue satin water set, consisting of 6 tumblers, 1 pitcher and one hammered brass tray.

8—One very nice water set, comprising 6 tumblers, 1 pitcher and 1 elegant brass tray.

9—Lustre amber water set, comprising 6 tumblers, 1 pitcher and 1 elegant brass tray.