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### MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.

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Wanted—A good boy with pony, to deliver BEES. Apply at office to-day.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Oren Hellyer and Addie Madison.

The superior court has risen to the dignity of having a printed bar docket. It contains 104 cases.

Judge Carson opened a term of court at Avoca yesterday. It will continue about two weeks.

The Fairmount park case is to come up for hearing in the superior court on the 2d of next month.

The official bond of J. F. Brodeck, county surveyor, was approved by the board of supervisors yesterday.

Harrison Gilmore, of this city, drew the luck number, 278, which won the gold watch, valued at $90, at M. Marcus' drawing.

County Superintendent Cooper will have his office in the Bloomer building until the new court house is ready for occupancy.

C. H. Judson has resigned as one of the directors of the American district telegraph company, and M. F. Rohrer takes the place.

The Ladies' Sircillion Circle club will meet at Mrs. Schiferli's, North Seventh, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

All the churches hold special services during this, the week of prayer. If the meetings are sufficiently successful some of the churches will continue special meetings for a time longer.

The police telegraph, or alarm system, is being utilized at the rate of about one call a day. The patrol wagon is ever ready for duty, and much time and strength on the part of the police is thereby saved.

Captain L. Kirscht has been re-elected president of the Maennerchor, of which he is one of the oldest members. The other officers are E. Rosch, vice president; Anton Rink, secretary; H. Kracht, treasurer.

The Apollo club concert at the opera house next Friday evening will be a musical event which will delight all. There will be a house full, without doubt, so those who desire a choice of seats should apply to Bushnell's early.

The Modern Woodmen have elected for the ensuing term: W. H. Ware, consul; L. E. Bridenstein, advisor; E. E. Adams, banker; S. B. Snyder, clerk; C. L. Gillette, escort; H. C. Barnes, watchman; J. Jacoby, sentinel; E. Belknap, manager.

Dan Farrell, the ex-sheriff of Mills county, and J. P. Weaver, of this city, have each purchased one-third interest in the Globe, and the management is to pass into Mr. Farrell's hands. So says rumor, the official announcement not having been made.

Dave Free, a gentleman of color, made too free use of forty-rod whisky yesterday. He was arrested on Broadway by Officer Unthank, but it took the patrol wagon, handcuffs, chief and several others to lodge the crazy, whooping fellow behind the bars.

The worshippers at the Broadway M. E. church were startled during Monday night's service by a member of the salvation army, who claimed to have become possessed of the spirit. He was crazed with religious excitement.

At a recent meeting of the city council the right of way was granted to lay out an avenue to connect Lincoln and Vaughn avenues. Yesterday property owners along the proposed street filed with the recorder quit claim deeds to enough land for the purpose named.

The board of supervisors have confirmed the following appointments made by Sheriff O'Neil: William Curree, A. McCandless and B. H. Riddel as deputy sheriffs. Twenty-five dollars was allowed Rev. G. G. Rice to furnish reading matter for the prisoners confined in the county jail.

The electric lights on the masts seem to be working well, but the protectors for the globes are not on yet, and it is feared that in case of storm or sleet there may be trouble caused from their lack. The protectors, when put on, will not interfere in any way with the light.

A man by the name of Witsky, living on Williams street, is said to have gone home Monday night in a drunken condition and brutally driven his wife and little children into the street. The neighbors were aroused by the fracas, and should it be repeated they threaten to take a hand.

The coasters opened the new year with the blizzard in the lead. The Flying Dutchman was also out for a short turn on the hill, leading from Mayor Groneweg's residence. The soft spell coming on may interrupt the sport which has opened so joyously, but it may be but a brief interruption.

The holder of the ticket which won the farm at the Phillips drawing was found yesterday. E. H. Patterson presented himself at the store with the lucky pasteboard and a deed was promptly executed transferring the land to him. Mr. Patterson is a young man residing with his parents on Sixth avenue, and employed in the Keystone office.

George Blaxsim, the well known Main street merchant, was most generously remembered on New Year's by his friend, Sheriff O'Neill, who presented him with a fine writing desk, with numerous conveniences, automatic locks, etc., and in order to have him in full enjoyment of the desk gave him an elegant pipe, from which he can whiff solid comfort.

A plumber by the name of Datesman sought spiritual comfort or something else at the salvation army meeting last evening, but became so noisy as to disturb the soldiers, and was arrested. He protested against being locked up for the night, but as he had not sufficient money to put up for his appearance this morning, he was compelled to share lodgings with the drunks and vags in the city calaboose.

Quite a number of transfers were filed yesterday. Felix Robinson to C. M. Bates, the e ½ of the sw ¼ of section 9, range 40, township 75, 80 acres—$2,080. Josie K. Smith, a tract in Highland park—$5,000. A. J. Rodifer, E. L. Shugart and A. R. Shugart to J. T. Hart, 3½ acres in section 30—$1,150. J. D. Edmundson to E. E. Hart, the w ½ of sw ¼ of section 31 in township 75 n and range 42 w, 68½ acres—$2,000. E. A. Nordquist to Adelaide V. Norstrom, a tract in Manawa park—$4,000. Spencer Smith to William A. Saunders, twenty-seven lots in the Gregg tract—$5,000.

Opium, morphine habits cured. Dr. Bellinger, 614 B'way, Council Bluffs.

**Mueller Music Co.'s Prizes.**

The following numbers have drawn prizes at the store of the Mueller Music company: Ticket No. 4,208 drew the organ. Smaller prizes as follows: 6,276, 5,418, 5,419, 5,441, 6,304, 6,394, 5,176, 5,425, 6,315, 4,286, 6,260, 4,674, 3,656, 4,856, 4,690, 5,448, 3,664, 6,804, 3,658. Those who hold these tickets are requested to call and claim their prizes.

**Personal Paragraphs.**

Charles Fisher, of San Jose, Cal., is in the city.

Officer Tamisea has been called to Missouri Valley to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. A. Rogers.

I. M. Traynor has returned from Lincoln, Neb., where went on Sunday last to look up lost jewels. He returned without them, and dubs his visit "a wild goose chase."

The foltowing registered at the Pacific house yesterday: M. J. Breen and wife, Fort Dodge; E. Taylor, Walnut; W. Shelton, Janesville, Wis.; J. D. Thomas, Shenandoah; T. C. Huff, L. Benkiron, Missouri Valley.

**Fortunate Numbers.**

The drawing of prizes among the customers of the Mueller Music company passed off very satisfactorily. No. 4,208 drew the organ. The other lucky numbers were: 5,418, 6,276, 5,419, 5,441, 6,304, 6,394, 5,776, 5,425, 6,315, 4,286, 6,260, 4,674, 3,656, 4,690, 5,448, 3,664, 6,805, 3,658. The ticket holders are requested to call as early as convenient and claim their gifts.

Guns of all kinds at Odell & Bryant's, 504 S. Main St.

# WHAT'S DOING IN THE BLUFFS

## The Victims of Special Sewer Assessments Want More Equity.

## A PAIR OF TRUANT LADS CAUGHT

## Coasting Begins to Make Items—The Doors of the Gambling Houses Swinging To—A Preacher Locked Out.

**Why They Kick on Sewers.**

The sewer assessments are proving puzzling to those of the aldermen and officials who have them in hand, and who desire to have the burden rest with some sort of equity upon the shoulders of those who receive the benefit and have to pay the bills. It is conceded that there is a glaring injustice in the present method of assessments. In most cities the sewers are so arranged that they grow larger as they enter the heart of the city and are smaller on the outskirts. On account of the peculiar situation of Council Bluffs, the sewers start in the center and run out, growing larger as they pass along by the cheaper property. The system of special assessment, adopted in some other cities, of making the abutting property pay for the sewer, causes the injustice here of having the more valuable property, in the center of the city, pay very little, and as the sewer increases in size the cheaper property has to pay much more. It is claimed that this mode of assessment is not only unfair, but that it is not in accordance with the law. Those who claim this insist that the whole sewer should be charged up to the property in front of which it runs, and apportioned pro rata in accordance with the number of front feet.

The Pearl street sewer, for instance, was first laid a small sewer, though running by large business blocks and valuable property. It had no outlet, and laid there as a dry ditch, while the property was assessed to pay for it, the price being small though in proportion. Then another season the Fifth avenue sewer was constructed. It was not only for the accommodation of those who live on that avenue, but also as an outlet for Pearl street. In order to furnish such an outlet, therefore, the sewer had to be made much larger than was otherwise necessary, and increased in size as it was extended to the sewer ditch. This was assessed up so that those on Fifth avenue had to pay extra for the privilege of having Pearl street sewerage pass along in front of their property. Those who had the least valuable property on Fifth avenue are called on to pay the most for the largest sewer, which they have no shed of, and which is built for the benefit of those who do not pay one-quarter as much.

There are other causes of complaint in regard to the sewers. It is claimed that inlets have been put in and charged up, without even asking the owners whether they wanted any, where they wanted them, and how many they wanted. The inlets made work for the contractors, and it is said they have been put in rather plentifully.

The council committee have these and other causes of complaint under consideration. It remains to be seen whether anything can be done to relieve the citizens who protest against the assessments. The Pearl street property owners have got off easy, and there is a question whether they can be made to bear any further part of the burden. The Fifth avenue sewer has been assessed up, and the certificates are out. How these matters can be righted is a puzzle.

In the meantime those citizens who protest against such a mode of assessment are termed "kickers," and "croakers." It is but justice to them to express their feeling that they do not want to hinder improvements, but in fact desire to have them made. They do want, however, the cost of these improvements to be assessed with some show of equity and fairness.

A fine residence for sale—T. B. Baldwin,

Every one making a cash purchase o 25 cents at T. D. King & Co.'s cigar store gets a chance in the annual prize drawing. Twenty elegant prizes.

**Started For California.**

A couple of fourteen-year-old lads ran away from their homes in Sioux City Monday night. They had less than a dollar between them, but proposed to beat their way to the golden state. The names given are R. Lathrop and B. Douglas. As soon as their absence from home was discovered the fathers of the lads sent a message to Chief Mullen, instructing him to arrest them and hold them here until some one arrived to take them home. They were taken back last night.

Cross-cut saws. Odell & Bryant.

If you desire to get a new Hall type writer cheap, drop a postal card to H. A. P., BEE office. A great bargain for the first who applies.

**The Games of Chance.**

The announcement of Colonel Daily, county attorney, that all gambling houses will be prosecuted, seems to be taking effect. Either that or the approach of the grand jury. Certain it is that the doors are being closed, and the cards tucked away until some more convenient season. There are numerous conjectures and theories. It is claimed by some that Colonel Daily, being an ardent republican, is bent on vengeance on the gamblers, who are credited with having exercised no little influence in causing the democratic majority to be rolled into big numbers. These claim that the party demands of the county attorney that he shall play even for this political interference. Others are evidently trying to scare Colonel Daily from his position. They are proceeding to "roast" him for alleged acts as private attorney, which they think can be made into mud pies. Such do not know Colonel Daily. He is the last man in the city who can be driven from a position, when once he takes it. His army record shows that whatever else he may be, or may not be, he is full of grit. He insists that he means just what he says, and that keepers of gambling houses will be prosecuted to the best of his ability. The effect of the announcement is being made apparent, and it only remains to be seen what the final result will be.

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**"Trouble in de Church."**

Between the world, the flesh and the devil the "Rev. Joseph Mills" is having a hard time of it. His last figuring before the public is in connection with the colored Methodist church of this city where he has for some months past officiated as preacher, spiritual adviser, man-of-all-work in the completion of the new church, etcetera. For some time past that organization has been endeavoring, by the collection of money from the liberal of the city, to raise enough to clear the indebtedness incurred in the building. Members of the church have acted as solicitors and collectors, so that to protect the public from imposition a notice was published to the effect that the preacher was the only one authorized to collect funds for this object.

A second chapter, the outgrowth of the first, was developed Monday. On that day a certain justice of the peace was waited upon by the colored preacher who laid before that functionary his sorrows and complaints. He complained that one Charles McDonald, an official in the church, had the key to that structure and refused to give it up, and wished the justice to use his influence with the obdurate sheep. To avoid trouble in the church the justice accompanied him to find McDonald and get the key. Instead of going direct to McDonald's house, Mills led the way down Scott street to Mill street, where, without ceremony he entered a lowly house, the dwelling of one of his flock. Here they found a woman, apparently alone. She was tacking down carpet, but arose from the floor as her visitors entered. Mill opened the conversation with:

"I done brot an officer wid me. Now ye better gib up dat money."

The woman hastily went down in her pocket and brought out $2.88, which she passed over to the preacher with the protestation: "Dats all I got, deed it is."

Without more ado the preacher pocketed the cash and led the way to the house of McDonald. He was not at home when the key was demanded of his wife she refused to surrender it to the parson.

Yesterday another justice was waited on by the woman who gave up the $2.88 and an attorney was consulted as to the best means to bring the matter to a head. The probability is that the pseudo divine will be called into court to answer to the charge of obtaining money by intimidation or some other charge equally destructive of the confidence usually reposed in men of that cloth.

For best quality coal and wood, call on Gleason, 26 Pearl street.

**A Palatial Residence.**

Those who pass upon Broadway to-day will see displayed in the windows of the Council Bluffs Carpet company a water color picture of the future residence of Hon. George F. Wright. It is from the hands of Allen & Bell, architects and designers. The conception is a beautiful one and the execution reflects much credit upon the artistic ability of Mr. Allen.

The main building is to be 50 by 100 feet, constructed of Lake Superior brown stone, a finer and more beautiful material than which is not upon the face of the earth. The new house is to occupy the site of Mr. Wright's present home, which will be moved away to some other location. The estimated cost of this elegant dwelling is about $60,000. Work upon it is expected to be begun within a short time. When completed Mr. Wright will have a home which will have no rival in the entire west.

Money to loan. Cooper & Judson.

**Started For the Pen.**

Quirk and Hall, the two confidence men, whose operations have been liberally described in the BEE, were brought up in the superior court yesterday afternoon for preliminary examination. They did not waive examination, as was expected, and after excluding everyone not interested in the proceedings from the room the testimony was begun. Witnesses are here from Lincoln, Neb., Omaha and other places—persons who claim to have suffered at the hands of these "slick birds." The cases were not concluded last evening and will be resumed to-day.

Insure with Wadsworth, Etnyre & Co.

**The Preservative Artists.**

J. M. Holaday, secretary of the Bluff City Typographical union has prepared his first annual address, from which it appears that the present membership is thirty-three, barely larger than it was a year ago. There have been no deaths and no expulsions. The receipts of the society have been $153.80, and the expenses about $10 more than that amount. There have been six persons initiated into the union during the year, twenty-two received by card.

**Splendid Business Opening**

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**Another Company Incorporated.**

Yesterday, in the office of the county recorder, were filed articles incorporating the Avoca Roller Mills company. The names appended as incorporators are E. A. Consigny, L. B. Worth, Cassie Consigny and Zerelda Worth. The capital stock is placed at $20,000. Their purpose is to purchase the mills now located in that place and other valuable property and conduct a general milling business.

The Central drug store, under the management of J. D. Stuart, has been enlarged and refurnished with a complete stock of fresh drugs. A fine holiday line of books, stationery, cutlery and musical goods at very low prices.

**A Sleighing Collision.**

The first coasting accident of the season was reported as occuring on North Second street yesterday morning. The victim was Edgar Hafer, a boy, whose sled was about to dash into a passing team, when avoiding this it was made to strike another sled. In the collision the boy was badly bruised, and some of his teeth knocked out.

For bargains in real estate, go to Johnston & Van Patten, 33 Main st.

**No One Perfect.**

The requisition papers, by which it is sought to get Charles Adams back from Missouri, to answer to the charge of stealing Chris Durr's team, are said to be faulty, and hence another delay. The papers will have to be sent back to Des Moines for correction. The prisoner will be brought in time.

Residence lots for sale by Johnston & Van Patten.

## LEO HAMLINE'S MEMORY.

### Strange Story of His Wanderings From Home and Back Again.

Chicago Herald: The case of Leonidas Moore Hamline, who mysteriously disappeared on the 28th of last month and unexpectedly reappeared Sunday morning, just in time for the Christmas dinner, will be as great a puzzle to the doctors as it has been to the reporters until he clears it up for them. A few days after his disappearance a close search had failed to reveal his whereabouts. Alderman J. H. Hamline suggested the theory that his brother wandered away while suffering from embolism. Mr. Hamline himself, who was seen last night, declares that that was the trouble with him. A case of embolism is rarely met with, the doctors admit, although all of them have heard of it or read about it. During its existence the sufferer loses his memory, but when it subsides his mental powers are usually restored. Mr. Hamline says he has no recollection of what he did or where he traveled, from the 28th of November until he discovered himself in New Orleans last Thursday. He reached home Sunday morning, in company with Thomas Walker, whom he met in New Orleans, and his brother, Alderman J. H. Hamline.

"The last thing I recollect," began Mr. Hamline, as he lighted a cigarete, "was coming out of Race Bros. My mind was so confused at that time that I can not describe it. I was like a man who had entered a large building and come out another door than the one by which he entered. A man who does that, you know, sometimes gets so puzzled that he does not know who he is; he will be all turned around. That is all I can explain about it. After coming out of Race Bros. I was completly lost until last Thursday. I do not know where I went in the meantime, nor whom I met. Thursday I found myself in New Orleans. I supposed then I was walking the streets of Chicago. I knew there was something wrong with me, but I was not aware where I was. I walked up to a police officer who, I noticed, wore a uniform different in make up and material from that worn by the Chicago police, and asked him: "What city is this?" He replied that it was New Orleans. I made an effort then to compose my mind. I called a cab and drove to a drug store, where I asked permission to look at the city directory. I looked for the address of Joseph O'Learie, a friend of mine, or rather an acquaintance that I met some years ago in Chicago. After driving around to several places I met Mr. O'Learie, who is an importer of fruits from Central America. When I got to his office I asked one of the clerks if Mr. O'Learie was in. He said yes, that he was in the next office. I stepped in there and found Mr. O'Learie and a friend of mine from Chicago—Thomas Walker.

They made their surprise manifest by words and actions at seeing me. I could not understand them. I asked what was the matter, and they said, "We thought you were dead. Haven't you been reading the Chicago papers?" They were so astonished at first they could hardly speak. I was so confused at the time that I really did not know where I was. They asked me if I knew where I had been. Seeing my condition, they told me that I had been away from Chicago nearly a month, and that my family was well. I was then struggling to regain consciousness or reason. After talking to me for a while they took me out and gave me some refreshments—lunch—and in the meantime they telegraphed to Chicago that they had found me. Then they started out to find where I had been stopping. After a long search they found I had registered at a hotel whose correct name I am not sure of, but I think it was the Phillips house, and that I had been there for two days. There they found a sacthel belonging to me. I was taken to Mr. O'Learie's house, where I was put to bed. A doctor who called gave medicine to quient my nerues and to cause me to sleep. They took care of me until next evening, when Mr. Walker and I left for Chicago."

"Where did you meet your brother, Alderman Hamline?"

"If I remember right, he met us at Holly Springs, Miss. We arrived home safely yesterday morning. That's about as far as I can tell you."

"You had considerable money when you left Chicago; did you lose it?"

"I did not. I had about $700 when I reached Mr. O'Learie's. I drew $900 from the bank that morning (November 28) with which to pay the employes of the factory. I had some more money in my clothes. That's all I know. Oh, yes; there is another thing I'll tell you. At the time I came into O'Learie's office I had a hat on that was manufactured in Baltimore."

"Had you that hat when you left Chicago?"

"No. I left here with a fur cap. There was found in one of my pockets a card of the Everett House at Jacksonville, Fla."

"Do you know if you had been in those cities?"

"I know nothing about it, except the finding of the Florida hotel card on my person and the Baltimore hat on my head."

"When did you go away?"

"It was four weeks to-day. They say it was the 28th of November. I know it was Monday on account of having drawn the money from the bank for the men at our factory."

"Do you remember when you left Race Bros?"

"No."

"Do you remember that you had a lunch in the restaurant?"

"I remember being there and eating a lunch, and going out of there with a feeling that I was lost. It was feeling as if I had been unconscious all the time. It was such a feeling as one would experience by being stunned from having been hit on the head. From that hour until Thursday last I know nothing. My mind is a blank as to what transpired during that time."

"Had you at any time previously experienced like feeling?"

"No. The doctor down there questioned me about it. He had not run across a case like it, but he had heard of it. I told him I thought it was from indigestion, from which I suffered for years. I suffer from vertigo because of it. I suffered so much from it that I had to go to Idaho territory for six weeks. My trip there did me good."

"Do you still suffer from indigestion?"

"Yes, but the doctors claim that my loss of memory—I forget the techinal word they used—was not caused by indigestion, but by rheumatism, which I contracted while shooting on the Illinois river."

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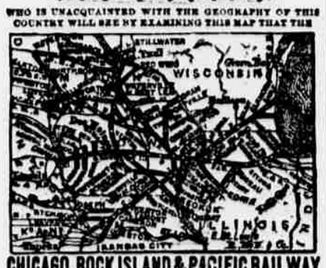


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