

THE OMAHA DAILY BEE

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OFFICE, NO. 12 PEARL STREET

Delivered by carrier to any part of the city.

H. W. TILTON, Lessee.

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MINOR MENTION.

Buy your cigars, pipes, tobacco and cases in Grand Hotel Cigar store.

Grand hotel, Council Bluffs, newly furnished. Reopened Oct. 1, E. P. Clark, proprietor.

Miss Edna Maxwell will be leaving for Keosauqua where she will remain during the month of United States court now in session there.

Honorable Holm, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holm, died at 2 o'clock Saturday night of camp fever after an illness of two days.

Palmer Neely, a colored boy, was put on a horse the other day by B. Goldstein to exercise it. The horse turned out to be more than a match for him and he was thrown off, a big wound being inflicted in one arm by one of the horse's hoofs.

The boy's father threatens to bring a suit for damages against Goldstein and it is said, has already engaged N. M. Pusey as his lawyer.

A large excursion train was brought in yesterday over the Rock Island road, an irresistible attraction to the people living between here and Des Moines. All tickets were made out with Omaha as the destination and 200 of the train were left the train at the local depot and took in the attractions of Council Bluffs before turning their attention to those of the west.

The anniversary of Grace Episcopal church was observed last evening with an interesting program, which attracted a good-sized audience.

The church was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Mullis and Mrs. Coff, with Messrs. W. S. Higdon and C. B. Aitchison, composed a work. Rev. J. E. Simpson preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion.

The church has had an encouraging growth since the year of its organization and is now in a prosperous condition.

Fire and tornado insurance written in best manner. Money for farm loans at low rates. City property for sale or trade for farm lands in Iowa. Lougee & Towle, 235 Pearl.

The Durfee Furniture Co.'s special rocker sale, the most successful ever held in the city, will be continued another week.

Good wall paper, 2 1/2c a roll, at the Boston store.

The Hardman, the piano par excellence.

Injured boy may recover.

Arthur Evans, the young son of Harry Evans of the electric light company, who was severely injured on the switchback railway at Manawa Saturday night, will be in the hands of the doctors for several days.

The boy had been riding on the flying car with a lot of others for some time. His mother had called him, but, childlike, he wanted to take just one more ride.

He fell full and hard on the incline and pushed it over the platform. The incline is steep and the car starts quickly, and it plunged about the side of the car, and the little fellow could get on. He clung to the car and was dragged nearly fifty feet.

His head struck one of the posts that support the sliding side of the car, and the cheek struck the right eye. The accident was not the result of any carelessness or faulty construction of the switchback, and was only such a big accident as happens a lot of boys were coasting down a hill in the winter time.

Dr. Thomas, who had charge of the case, stated yesterday that the boy may recover, although he will be mutilated for life if he does. He is an extraordinarily bright little fellow, and a member of the St. Paul's church. He is very weak, for he must have lost a gallon of blood Saturday night.

BOSTON STORE.

Special Sale for Monday—Great Sale of Wrappers.

Our entire stock of ladies' light wrappers in four lots, at 67c, 67c, 67c and 67c.

See our assortment of wash goods at 9c a yard, worth 12c and 15c.

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ALL KINDS OF FUN ON TAP ALL DAY

One of the Committee Arrested for Running a Saloon on the Ground, but No Interference with the Pursuit of Pleasure.

Public 4,000 people gathered at the Driving park yesterday for the picnic given under the auspices of the Council Bluffs Retail Butchers' association.

It was a good natured crowd for the most part, in spite of the hot weather, the dust and other discomforts that usually accompany occasions like this.

The grand stand was filled to its full capacity all during the program, and there was an unwelcome law that anybody who wanted to could go out on the track and mix up with the performers at his heart's content, so that the track in front of the grand stand was black with people.

And then those whose appetites lay more in the line of liquid refreshments had full swing to the west of the grand stand, and several hundred were kept busy the afternoon dispensing beer, lemonade and other temperance drinks to the thirsty crowd.

Big grounds had been scattered about the grounds, and were filled with ice water at the start, but the water was finished. Otherwise everything was as comfortable as it could be under the circumstances.

Shortly after 4 o'clock, after the bar had been in operation about three hours, Chief Scanlan was in sight and arrested Charles Huber on the charge of keeping a saloon contrary to law. Huber had nothing more to do with the running of the saloon than any one else, but as he was a leading spirit in the crowd, he was picked out as a subject of vengeance.

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Monday will be a big bargain day; don't miss it.

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Ladies' tan hose, full regular make, 10c pair.

Ladies' \$1.00 quality black pure silk vests 39c each.

100 ribbed vests Monday 5c each.

Ladies' 50c hosiery vests in white and cream, 25c each.

Ladies' white china silk parasols Monday \$1.00 each.

Big wrapper sale Monday, 86c each.

Monday all our \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 lawn wrappers, also Turkey red print and black and white print wrappers, that were \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, all at one price Monday, 86c each. Don't miss this bargain Monday.

600 yard full cutting, 10c each.

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At C. O. D. Brown's this week.

21 pounds granulated sugar for \$1.00

1 pound Borden's chewing tobacco 15c

1 pound smoking tobacco 15c

1 pound Columbia river salmon per can 10c

1 pound Tomatoes per can 8c

1 pound Borden's baking powder 35c

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