## NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

Pfeiffer, 18,

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Patrolman A. Swanson is on the sick list. Call at The Bee office for Cuban maps, 10c each.

Mont., last evening. Furnished rooms for rent, with or without board, 221 South Seventh street. Mr. Apple and Miss Dickey of Des Moines are visiting the family of Mr. John Wood-

The Evans laundry is the leader in fine work both for color and finish. 520 Pearl street, Phone 290.

George H. Nash of Center township, one Pottawattamie's prosperous farmers, was

In the city yesterday. The funeral of the late Thomas McAdams

will be held at 8 o'clock this morning from St. Francis Xavier's church. A marriage license was issued yesterday o T. C. Hicks of Neola, aged 30, and Viola Ruth Duncan of this city, aged 26.

Knights and Ladies of Security will meet in regular session in Royal Arcanum hall tonight. A full attendance is desired. Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Hisey left for Chicago last evening, where they expect to remain until the middle of next week. In the superior court yesterday Judge

Don't you think it must be a pretty good that can please so many hundreds omers? Well—that's the "Eagle,"

William Green, arrested after midnight for using obscene language, was fined \$15.10 in police court yesterday morn-

special meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Foster, corner of Nineteenth street and Fifth avenue. Michael Dunn, who ransacked John

Quinn's residence on Eighth avenue Sunday afternoon, was bound over to the grand Jury yesterday morning by Judge Aylesworth and his bond fixed at \$500. The opening session of the June meeting

of the Board of County Supervisors yesterday afternoon was devoted entirely to examining and allowing bills. The board will be in session the entire week. All members of Park City lodge, No.

606, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, are requested to be present tonight. Election of officers and representatives to the grand Visiting brothers welcome. The motion for a new trial in the case

of Frank Crawford against the Athletic association of the University of Nebraska was argued in the district court yesterday and taken under advisement by Judge Smith. The family here has received word that

head (Mass.) academy, has been elected captain of the cadet company there. He is expected home for the summer vacation The management of the Dohany and

the High School cadets an invitation to at-tend the performance of "Lynwood" in a body this evening and the invitation has Prof. Clifford of Des Moines, elected principal of the Council Bluffs High

school, will not take up his residence in this city until the latter part of August, as he is engaged in institute work the entire summer vacation.

arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Weightman and Detective Weir on a warrant charging him with grand larceny. It is alleged that he stole a set of double har-ness in Crescent City. Al Banks, a colored man, has filed an in-

The hearing of the injunction suit of Mrs.

which she alleges would turn water onto her iand, was commenced before Judge Smith in the district court yesterday. Mrs. Martha J. Thornton, wife of Elias

Thornton, died yesterday afternoon at her residence, 400 South First street, of inflammatory rheumatism, aged 78 years. Mrs. Thornton was one of the old residents of this city, having lived here since 1853. The funeral will be held tomorrow at the residence at 2 o'clock.

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Interstate Sheriffs' Association. The Interstate Sheriffs' association will hold its annual convention in Council Bluffs Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 21, 22 and 23, and Sheriff Morgan and his deputies are busily making preparations for the reception and entertainment of the visiting officers. The association includes the states of Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Missouri, Kansas and Colorado, and with the double attraction of the exposition it is expected that at least 500 members of the association will attend the convention. The officers of the association are: President, J. E.

The ladies of St. John's English Lutheran church will furnish meals, lunches and ice cream during June at 405 Broadway, next to the Boston store.

treasurer, W. C. Davenport, Sioux City.

G. R. Stapleton has purchased a League bicycle from Cole & Cole.

Stout, Des Moines; first vice president, J.

J. Trompen, Lincoln, Neb.; secretary and

Granite Dealers to Meet. A joint convention of the marble and granite dealers of Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri and South Dakota will be held in this city next Tuesday under the auspices of the Iowa and Nebraska associations. The call for the convention has been issued by F. B. Alderman of West Point, Neb., president of the Nebraska associatien, and J. M. Graham of Des Moines, presi-

dent of the Iowa association.

The following transfers were filed yes-terday in the title, abstract and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

W. Davis and wife to William T. Heshaw, lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 1. Williams add. to Hancock, and lot 5, Auditor's subdiv. set 8-76-29.

IOWA MASONIC GRAND LODGE

George T. Hughes left for Anaconda, Fifty-Fifth Annual Communication Will Begin This Morning.

DELEGATES ARE NEARLY ALL ON HAND

Credentials Committee Has a Busy Time Preparing Its Roster for the Session-Plans for the Day's Work.

The fifty-fifth annual communication of the grand lodge of lowa Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, will be convened this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Dohany opera house by the Most Worshipful Grand Master Almon R. Dewey. At 8:30 o'clock, the grand and past grand officers together with the members of the grand lodge will assemble at the Masonic temple, from whence they will be escorted to the opera house by Ivanhoe commandery, No. 17, Aylesworth overruled the motion for a new Knights Templar, assisted by Mount Caltrial in the case of G. H. Scott against G. vary commandery of Omaha. Providing the weather will permit of the parade, the line of march will be from the hall to Main street, down Main street to Willow avenue, on Willow avenue to Pearl street, on Pearl H street to Broadway and then to the opera

Following the formal opening of the grand lodge the grand master will deliver The Ladies of the Maccabees will hold a his annual address. The afternoon session will be held at 2 o'clock at which the reports of the grand secretary and other officers will be made. In the evening the members of the grand lodge and visiting members of the order and their wives will attend the entertainment at the Broadway church at which Mayor Jennings and Judge Walter I. Smith will make addresses of welcome and a musical program will be rendered.

This afternoon the wives of the delegates will be taken in hand by the entertainment committee and given a carriage drive around the city, which will include a visit to the State Institute for the Deaf at the special invitation of Superintendent Rothert, who is a past grand master of the Iowa lodge.

A number of private functions have also been arranged for this evening among the number being a reception to the wives of the delegates at the residence of Mrs. J. Squire, who is attending the Marble- B. Atkins, at which the Apollo club will render a program of musical numbers. The committee on credentials composed of

Chase and Lister have extended to delegates and furnishing them with their 1894, was introduced and laid over under the was the buisest place in the whole hotel. as delegates continued to arrive the entire day up to the last train at night. Last night several hundred delegates attended the meeting of Bluff City lodge, where a candidate was initiated in the mysteries of the third degree, the work being exemplified by the grand lodge cusclosing session of the school for instruction i

yesterday afternoon, it was estimated that some 500 members of the order were present. The badges provided by the local committees for the members of the grand lodge formation before Justice Vien, charging are the handsomest ever gotten out at any John Hoffman with the larceny of a cook meeting of the lodge. Attached to a blue meeting of the lodge. Attached to a blue

made of white metal silvered. Names of the Delegates. In addition to the officers of the grand lodge, the following past grand officers and award was received and placed on file. delegates registered yesterday with the

committee on credentials. Past Grand Masters-T. S. Parvin, 1852 . W. Rothert, 1875; G. B. Van Saun, 1881; T. Granger, 1884; E. C. Blackmar, 1887; J. D. Gamble, 1884; L. E. Fellows, 1893; G.

Fast senior grand wardens-Crom Bowen, 1879; J. F. Martin, 1887; W. S. Gardner, 1895; Thomas Lambert, 1896. Past junior grand wardens-L. J. Baker, 884; T. B. Lacey, 1893; W. L. Ehlers, 1895. Past grand treasurers—L. C. Blanchard,

1879; John M. Zane, 1884.
W. W. Atkins, 50; W. H. Alden, 36; T. B. Allen, 4; G. H. Addison, 455; L. H. Augevine, 43; E. Anderson, 26; C. S. Archer, 239; W. O. Atkinson, 198; M. R. Ausback, 140; J. H. Annundson, 145; L. C. Adams, 292; J. S.

C. S. Bissell 124: C. H. Beckett 266: I. E. Brooks, 388; F. Bourne, 334; T. F. Boyd, 382; W. E. Butler, 422; C. H. Brock, 331; J. M. Bruner, 207; T. H. Biggs, 553; W. Bane, 442; J. Bryant, 169; L. B. Blackman, 304; B. A. Baker, 225; F. B. Balton, 472; T. P. Bence, 14; O. Bentley, 374; L. Block, 208; L. J. Baker, 16; C. T. Blasier, 326; F. L. Bright. 333: Ed Bodie 60: E N Beadd 393: T W Bennett, 343; J. Bocekt, 144; B. L. Blackburn, 373; R. C. Broughton, 389; J. W. Barr, 62; J. W. Beach, 427; W. H. Bourn, 544; C. E. Beauchamp, 217; J. L. Brooks, 355; J. M.

E. Colvin, 550; J. A. Campbell, 69; W. D. Cable, 48; W. N. Crane, 79; C. D. Clark, 53; A. F. Cook, 1; J. Crowley, 212; E. W. Chase, Cray, 110; J. C. Crawford, 154; J. C. Crockett, 117; H. L. Coleman, 379; C. C. Clark, 318; W. Cowley, 74; F. Carlman, 424; G. N. Cappell, 110; A. F. Chester, 297; G. T. Cary, 373; C. E. Crissman, 404; W. Crawford, 276; C. Conklin, 421; W. L. Copeland, 198; H. H.

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351; Dr. Dinning, 504; H. H. Dim'ck, 342.
C. Efiler, 79; W. H. Ellis, 245; B. F. East, 313; D. Eiliva, 219; J. H. Easter, 505; T. R.

Ercanback, 46. E. M. Fuller, 462; A. Flynn, 301; J. L. E. M. Fuller, 462; A. Flynn, 301; J. L. Farrington, 192; L. G. Focht, 245; B. D. Forshay, 380; B. F. Fiddeler, 547; C. N. Fisher, 368; K. Falkinser, 533; D. J. Frost, 184; J. E. Francis, 121; J. C. Ferguson, 155; B. F. Freeburger, 384; C. E. Frost, 466; M. S. Frisbie, 198; J. I. Farley, 37; W. W. Gwinn, 83; C. A. Gibbs, 386; W. Guyton, 382; O. H. Green, 148; J. Greenlee, 38; H. J. Giddings, 169; J. M. Graham, 22; W. D. Gibson, 387; H. Gilmore, 557; R. S. Granger, 61; J. N. Gamble, 184; R. C. Grim

Granger, 61; J. N. Gamble, 184; R. C. Grim, 193; S. Gribble, 193; George Gregory, 486; 193; S. Gribble, 193; George Gregory, 486; Charles Ganicre, 222; C. Griffey, 336.

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Metzger, 450; M. P. Miller, 26; C. N. Myers, 45; T. K. Miller, 140; C. Mounce, 142; N. Mallen, 191; V. N. Mackey, 466.
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J. M. McClintock, 449; V. McCrary, 480; F. McNair, 442; E. M. McCall, 99; W. S. McDonald, 504; William McHogan, 132. L. C. Nokes, 240; L. J. Norton, 406; J. Needham, 125; O. Nelson, 422; J. E. Nash 456; W. H. Norriss, 165; C. W. Neal, 304; H. A. Nolton, 234; H. H. Nolan, 264.
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J. H. Pitchforth, 2; H. C. Phillips, 270; R. Payne, 470; W. H. Park, 454; P. M. Plumb, 548; N. A. Packard, 363; J. E. Pernindell, 78; D. T. Perry, 430; E. C. Pfaffle, 322; A. C. Peckham, 484; G. B. Peterson, 475; H.

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69; J. E. Sharp, 252; W. L. Spencer, 116; J. E. Smith, 258; J. R. Small, 304; J. S. Smith, 228; E. P. Strohdehr, 221; W. H. Swan, 48; F. B. Stearns, 420; J. Stokesberry, 217; F. W. Snow, 223; C. B. Staynor, 364; J. T. Skidmore, 414; I. R. Shepard, 85.
Thomas Thompson, 481; G. J. Turny, 271; B. F. Tainbly, 164; J. D. Tolliver, 258; J. H. I. Thompson, 43; J. H. Tate, 294; I. M. Treynor, 71; F. N. Taylor, 265; W. E. Tomlinson, 268; Charles Tucker, 79.
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H. Van Houten, 343; G. N. Webb, 520; F. B. Whittaker, 541; A. P. Ward, 284; W. W. Woodward, 509; J. C. Waterman, 71; J. R. Walcott, 470; G. C. Wall, 456; Thomas Witworth, 287; C. W. Wall, 456; Thomas Witworth, 287; C. W. Walton, 49; J. L. Welch, 195; L. Walton, 163; O. P. Wells, 490; J. Williams, 453; O. L. Wright, 61; W. Woodside, 365; J. Watterson, 216; O. N. Wagley, 59; F. D. Winn, 59; M. Wilsey, 142; W. H. Wales, 170; O. B. White, 224; A. H. Weitzell, 113; T. D. Walston, 323; W. H. Woods, 420, W. H. Young, 485; C. M. Young, 123, J. M. Zane, 110.

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Municipal Fathers Dispose of a Large The city council held its regular monthly

meeting last night and disposed of a large amount of routine business. rules. One of the provisions of the orditerminus in East Omaha, beginning not hearsay. That was enough. later than July 1 and during the entire time

of the exposition. An ordinance granting the motor comtodians, Van Saun and Granger. At the avenue A from its power house to empty into the slough at Thirty-seventh street to carry off the water from the condensing engine

was passed. The city marshal was instructed to notify the Milwaukee railway company to remove

demnation proceedings brought to open Sixthat Mrs. Rohrer had also appealed from the sale

In view of the fact that the Omaha & St. Louis railroad had appeared before the appraisers and been awarded \$150 damages in the same condemnation proceedings, Alderman Casper introduced a resolution that the streets and alleys committee be instructed to see where crossings are needed over the company's right of way in the city and have them ordered placed in. The resolution carried and a copy was ordered sent

to the general manager of the road. C. Christensen and J. C. Wyatt were appointed special policemen without expense to the city.

The city attorney was instructed to close the deal to secure the needed land to widen Twenty-second street from Broadway o Cochran park.

The contractors, F. H. Guanella & Co. were ordered notified to at once make the necessary repairs to the macadam paving on Lower Broadway, which under contract they are bound to do for the term

The bids of the Council Bluffs Coal and Ice company and Gilbert Bros. to supply the city with ice at 40 cents a hundred pounds were rejected, as some of the aldermen were of the opinion that the two firms had entered into a pool. The committee on city property was empowered to make a contract for the supply of ice.

Bids for the repairing of the North Main street bridge were received from Berger & Co., J. F. Wise and C. E. H. Campbell. They were laid over until next meeting and the city engineer instructed to report as to the probable cost of the city making the repairs itself.

The contract for supplying the city with oak lumber was awarded to A. Overton while all bids for the supplying of pine lumber were rejected. Residents in the vicinity of Avenue 6 and Eighth street petitioned the council to

stop ball playing there on Sundays. The matter was referred to the mayor. Mrs. Mary B. Lougee served notice o demand for damages for change of grade on Avenue F. A petition to fix the grade on Damon and Knepher streets was referred to the city engineer and streets and alleys committee with instructions to draft face of the earth. the necessary ordinances.

As none of the bills or the pay roll for the fire department had been signed by the proper committee the fire boys cannot get their warrants until after the next meet-Aldermen Casper, Johnson and Sayles

were appointed a special committee to investigate the matter of compensation allowed by the ordinance to the poll tax collector. The council adjourned until Thursday night.

In the opinion of the Davenport Democrat "Iowa will be more than paid by sending to Omaha during the coming months more visitors than went from this state to Chi-

the Lieat exposition.' The Marshalltown Times-Republican says of the exposition that "it is a western ex-position for western people, and as it con-cerns Hawkeye welfare the people of the

state will doubtless visit it in large num-The Red Oak Express refers to the fact that the Burlington road carried 1,500 from southwestern Iowa to the exposition on opening day and adds that it is "almost as fine as the World's fair at Chicago. Omaha's Sunday could be heard above all the toll of

Complete Regeneration of the Nebraska Suburb of Sioux City.

COVINGTON NOT WHAT IT ONCE WAS

Resorts of the Lawless Elements Are Now Deserted and the Town is Quiet-Even Its Name Has Been Lost.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) -Eight years ago Covington and Stanton, Neb., were believed to be about the wickedest towns in the United States. Since that time the hand of destruction has visited them and avenged the insult of their existence. Today a little hamlet lies sleepserenity

At night the drone of frogs and of crickets in the prairie grass luli the regenerated so for the purpose of securing the insur-Covington to sleep. Covington, the wicked, ance of \$3,000, held by her husband in the slept but fitfully, and shots, curses, the Brotherhood of Firemen's association. All rattle of gambling outfits and music from the circumstances leading up to death would the glaring dance halls disturbed its nights. be proven as indicative of a deep scated People now point and say, there is the town purpose to commit the murder. swallowed up blocks of the old town, inits mate, was wiped out by fierce flames. ories of the past.

Sioux City. There was a time when this would testify to that effect. place was known to be one of the very | Sheriff Stout started to Fort Madison to toughest, worst and most dangerous towns bring the daughter, Cora, who will be a in the United Statse. This was when the witness in the case. Cora is now serving laws of the state of Iowa were such as to a life sentence in the state penitentiary for prohibit the sale and manufacture of li- the commission of the crime which it is quors there. The people of Sioux City, or alleged that her mother committed. The at least a large proportion of them, had presentation of evidence commences tolots of money in those days; they had morrow. "money to burn," and as the laws of the state prohibited its destruction in saloons. men, with sporty inclinations, had to go to Covington, Neb.

It was one of those places where there was absolutely no effort to prevent lawlessness. Murder, theft or bunco were simply passing events of the day. It is true there was a town marshal-a digni-M. R. Ansbach, Clarinda, J. B. Atkins, Bridge & Terminal company, amending a big gun in his hip pocket. But it is said M. R. Ansbach, Claring Stringer & Terminal Company, and a big gun in his hip pocket. Such a big gun in his hip pocket. Such a big gun in his hip pocket. Such a big gun in his hip pocket. capacity.

There are people living in Sioux City nance is that the company shall run at least place Covington really was. They did not ten trains daily between this city and its visit the place, and only knew of it by

Opening a New Bridge. It was on May 19, 1889, that the exercises pany the right to lay an 18-inch pipe along attendant upon the opening of the pontoon bridge from Stanton to Sloux City were held. It was made quite an event and it was estimated that fully 10,000 persons went over recovered. from Sloux City to the Nebraska town that day. Stanton and Covington were two 'c.fferent places. The latter is about as old a and adding some water, she began to stir the tracks which are not used from Seventh place as Sioux City, but the former was a it with a stick. The lime exploded and street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth, and town built for the occasion. Stanton was blew up into her face. Her head and upper stove and a base burner heating stove, the ribton, hanging from a bar with the words two being valued at \$7.50. A warrant has been issued for Hoffman's arrest.

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The hearing of the lodge. Attached to a blue ribton, hanging from a bar with the words from Twelfth and Thirteenth, and built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks and was simply for the purpose of catching the bridge built up inside of a few weeks a The city attorney was instructed to appeal the only one with any buildings—was known Metcalf against Road Supervisor Benson to restrain him from building a certain div.

"Grand Lodge of Iowa, 1898." The badges which are about three inches in length are from the award of the appraisers in the control of the award of the awa two blocks long and about every room teenth averue and Third street. The notice occupied by a saloon, chop house or wholeliquor business. Upstairs were the gambling houses and some dance halls, but most of the latter resorts were a few blocks

to the west. Sioux City celebrated the opening of the bridge with fitting ceremonies. It was a big day and bands of music paraded the streets. It was all in honor of the completion of the bridge, for the business men of Sloux City knew that it would result in securing a to do business in Des Moines by making the great deal of trade from Nebraska. One Dakota county, Nebraska, citizen expressed his sentiments about the future relations between the towns as follows: "What the for the reason that the company has no to Richard E. Thompson, United States volsaloons and other places rake in from the franchise, but has used the streets for a Iowa and Nebraska people will be carried to Sioux City and will be spent there. Whatever criminality is perpetrated under the influence of liquor will be confined to Dakota county and will become a part of its

history and record." Then began the history of Covington and ship Saturday in the shape of a caucus. Stanton, Neb. They will live long in the Cedar sends six delegates to the county conmemory of those who knew of the places as being bad ones for a man to visit with money in his pocket. He would surely come home separated from his wealth-if he got home at all. Some who went to the Nebraska side of the bridge did not come back. But the life of Stanton was doomed to be short. Like the biblical history of the fate of Sodom and Gomorrah was that of Stanton, Neb. One cold night in the winter of 1890 an alarm of fire was spread in the towns; Stanton was burning. That night a pillar of flames rose to the heavens, and the next morning found one side of Bloodgood street in ruins. Just how the fire started was never definitely known, but at any rate it consumed many thousand dollars worth of property. So business was carried on for some time on the other side of the thoroughfare. Aside from the charred ruins across the street all traces of the fire had been dispelled. But one night the alarm of fire was rajsed a second time in Stanton. This time, a sheet of flame swept over the other side of the street, and it, too, was left a mass of blackened ruins That was the last of Stanton, aside from the White house, which stood away from the river front and served for some time as a cheap dance house. Thus Covington was left alone in its glory, or rather, its shame, and Stanton was wiped from the

High Tide in Crime. The residents of the ill-fated Stanton moved their effects sayed from the blaze to the town of Covington, only a few blocks away. Then began the wildest periods of that town's existence. There was then hardly a respectable place of business, every store room or house being a saloon, gambling den, dance hall or hop joint. A Chinaman was running a small laundry business, but he went to the bad. Here the lawless reigned

supreme. They controlled the town, the elections and everything else. It was a town

given up to sin. It is doubtful if it ever had an equal. Persons who saw Covington

of the mining camps in the west ever dared The Davenport Republican says that "the to be. All this within a mile of Sioux City. anagement has reason to feel pride in the About the only local persons who really ert.cc result of its untiring efflorts, as profited largely by the town across the river town in the success of the inauguration of were backmen and the owners of the bridge. were hackmen and the owners of the bridge. To the good Nebraska farmer who was obliged to drive through the town the sound of the harp, violin and old piano, mingled with the clink of the glasses and the incessant rattle of the roulette wheel, soon became familiar. This also became so familiar to the ears of the people living in the town that they would not feel comfortable if it should cease for awhile; all day and night it kept up, including Sundays. But every

outskirts of the town where people from the outside attended.

Such lawlessness, however, could not last. The laws of Iowa were changed, the city administration passed into other hands and the residents of Covington came back to Sloux City. They were allowed to resume business on the lowa side, but were under the strict control of the authorities. This killed Covington, but for years some of the resorts continued on that side of the river. It was only a few months ago that the last saloon closed, after eleven years of continuous business, both days, nights and Sundays. The pontoon bridge business went when the combination bridge was put in and was finally abandoned.

SMITH MURDER CASE IS NOW ON, choice Woman to Be Given a Second Chance

for Her Life.
DES MOINES, June 6.—(Special Telegram.)-The retrial of Betsy Smith, who has been serving a life sentence for the murder of her husband, Michael Smith, began this morning. It took till 3 o'clock this afternoon to get a jury and then County Attorney Howe made a very able presentation of the case for the state. For an hour he gave an outline of the circuming, snuggled among the trees, on the site stances which he will present, in proof that where wicked Covington was built. Seldom the defendant committed the crime alleged. does anything happen to mar its quiet and He declared that the state would prove by evidence that Betsy Smith administered the poison on the night stated and that she did

of Covington. But the Missouri river H. F. Dale opened for the defense. He declared that the defendant was innocent cluding that part where the saloons, gamb- of the crime; that the daughter would conling dens and dance halls stood. Stanton, fess to having committed the crime herself and acknowledge that her mother had noth-Covingion and Stanton are now but mem- ing to do with it, and that Betsy Smith would go on the witness stand herself and Covington of today-no longer the Cov- testify as to all the circumstances in the ington of seven or eight years ago-has case; that her anxiety with regard to the passed through a period of regeneration. insurance, as expressed by the state, was This little town, which, only a few short only natural and that the defense would ab-years ago, was a modern Babylon, is solutely prove that the relations alleged to now a quiet, peaceful village-about the have existed between a certain young man same as it was before it was made the named Bellaire and Betsy Smith were false dumping ground for the human refuse of and that Bellaire as well as Betsy Smith

Mrs. J. B. Hicks, who claims an attempt was recently made to poison herself and dance halls and gambling houses in Iowa, child, today wrote a letter exonerating her those of the young men, or even the old neighbors and husband from all blame or suspicion. Hicks is an officer on the police force. The case is a most peculiar one. William Gabriel, 18 years old, died at the some of his father on a farm north of this city today, as the result of falling out of a tree yesterday. He broke an arm and a leg and was injured internally by the fall.

Boy Drowned.

MUSCATINE, Ia., June 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-John Wickert, aged 12, was drowned while bathing in the Mississippi river a few today who do not know what a wicked miles above here this afternoon. He got beyond his depth and being unable to swim drowned before his comrades could reach and save him. A sad thing about the accident is that his widowed mother lost her husband three years ago by drowning. He was rowing in a boat when the swell of a passing steamboat overturned it and being unable to swim he drowned. The body was

Mrs. William Deering was terribly burned by lime. She had a pail of air slacked lime

Telephone War Ends.

DES MOINES, June 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The war between the Mutual and Iowa Telephone companies ended today when the city council passed a resolution ordering the Iowa Telephone company to quit business in Des Moines, and if fails to obey the order directing the legal department of the city to begin action to oust its poles, wires and plant from the streets. The resolution contemplates the annihilation of the concern, apparently, but it is thought the company can secure the right desired concessions to the council in the matter of public rates and compensation for its franchise. The resolution was adopted States volunteer signal corps, will report

year or two by sufferance. CHEROKEE, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.)-The first gun of the congressional campaign in Cherokee county was fired in Cedar townvention and Ed. C. Brown of Sheldon captured them. They go to the convention instructed. This caucus may have great influence on the balance of the townships that hold their caucuses this week. Although Heizer is claiming this county for George D. Perkins the other candidates are waging a warm fight and think their chances equal with his. Cherokee county is looked upon as the main battle field of the district.

Promises a Sensation. MASON CITY, June 6.—(Special Tele-gram.)—Colonel J. H. McConlogue, attorney for the defense in the now famous Hughes trial, promises to spring a sensation in the | join preliminary trial tomorrow. Mrs. Hughes tenant denies the murder of her husband, denies writing notes or letters or making any Samuel Hoff, Sixth cavalry; Second Lieutenpropositions to the young man Goude that ant William P. Pence. Fifth artillery; Secwould be unbecoming a woman. The state ond Lieutenant Horace M. Reeve, Third inhas not been idle and it is said that letters fantry. incriminating will be offered in evidence The defense will use every effort to end the case in the preliminary court.

Sale of School Bonds. GLENWOOD, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) - The sale of the \$1,400 bonds to be issued by the Independent school district of Glenwood has been arranged by contract, the securities to be sold for \$14,157 and to draw 41/2 per cent interest. This cheap rate and the premium secured is considered to be one of the mosadvantageous arrangements ever made in

Found Dying Beside the Track. CLINTON, Ia., June 6.—Near the railroad track at Ellwood, Ia., today a young man was found unconscious, with his skuil crushed, dying two hours afterward. He is said to be the only son of D. A. Wynkoop, a prominent attorney at Maquoketa, Ia.

Iowa News Notes. Warren Beckwith, now with the Fiftieth was Hington, June 6.—J. M. Guffey ha lowa regiment at Jacksonville, sent home to

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100 Cigars.

opened on Friday evening, June 10.

Red Oak.

A class of thirty-two young persons will through the mail by Senator Jones. be graduated from the Sloux City High school this week.

The West Waterloo High school graduating class is evenly matched, there being fourteen boys and sixteen girls.

Among the men in the Fifty-first Iowa regiment of volunteers there is a Dewey, a Sampson and an Evans, also a Satan. The Spaniards in the Philippines can take their

Iowa still has nine living governors and ex-governors, namely: Samuel Merrili, Joshua G. Newbold, John H. Gear, Bures R. Sherman, William Larrabee, Horace Boles, Frank D. Jackson, Francis M. Drake and Leslie M. Shaw.

Ex-Governor Waite of Colorado is net now residing in Iowa. The Leon Journal ex-plains the situation thus: "Governor Waite resided in our county several months pre ceding last November's election, but finally concluded not to locate here permanently. He is residing at Katy, Tex., where he owns a large tract of land. Governor Walte is a very affable and courteous gentleman and many friends during the short time he resided in our county."

Iowa Press Comment.

Davenport Democrat: Iowa is not far from the continental divide. Troops from this state will find their way to the Atlantic and to the Pacific-to Porto Rico and to the Philippine islands. Sioux City Journal: The average dweller

in England may not know whether Iowa is

east or west of New York, but he feels when he gets Iowa butter on his bread that this state cannot be far from Beulah land. Des Moines Register: In speaking of the omination of L. F. Weller for supreme judge by the populists the Waterloo Reporter ex-claims: "Great snakes! Think of Calamity Weller for supreme judge of Iowa!" That exclamation just about expresses the feel-

ings of the people at large. Keokuk Gate City: A northwestern Iowa paper suggests the possibility of a gentle-man, well known in lowa politics stepping into the congressional ring in the Ninth dis-trict "as a dark horse and carrying off the watermelon." Do dark horses really prefer watermelons to cats and hay?

After all the competition at the World's fair. Cook's Imperial Champagne took the gold medal. It's extra dry.

News for the Army.

WASHINGTON. June 6 .- (Special Tele gram.)-Army orders are issued as follows: Major Edward B. Moseley, surgeon, and Major Edward Field, Second artillery, are detailed as members and First Lieutenant David J. Rumbough, Third artillery, as recorder of the board convened at the Presidle of San Francisco, Cal., vice Captain Euclid B. Frick, assistant surgeon, Lieutenant Colonel William H. Bisbee, First infantry, and First Lieutenant Frank O. Ferris, First

infantry, respectively, relieved. The following officers will report to Colonel Marcus P. Miller, Third artillery, president of the board appointed to meet at the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal., October 2, 1898, for the examination for fitness for promotion: First Lieutenant Thomas Connelly, First infantry, First Lieutenant Francis . Kernan, Twenty-first infantry, First Lieu tenant William H. Sage, Twenty-third in fantry.

Captain Frederick Fuger, Fourth artil lery, will report to Lieutenant Colonel Henry C. Hasbrouck, Fourth artillery, president of the board appointed to meet at Fort Monroe, Va.

The following assignments of duties and stations of officers of United States volunteer signal corps are made: Second Lieuten ant William O. Bailey, is assigned to duty at San Francisco, Cal., and will report to Major Richard E. Thompson, United States volunteer signal corps, for duty with the expedition to the Philippine islands; Captain William B. Allison, jr., assistant adjutant general United States volunteers, recently appointed, will proceed to Chickamauga National park, Ga., and report to General James H. Wilson, commanding Sixth army

corps. The following changes in duties and stations of officers of the medical department are ordered: Captain Charles F. Kieffer, assistant surgeon, United States Army, will proceed to Tampa, Fla., and report to Major eGneral William R. Shafter, United States volunteers. First Lieutenant Powell C. Fauntleroy, assistant surgeon United States army, will proceed to Tampa, Fla., and report to Major General William R. Shafter United States volunteers.

First Lieutenant Phillip J. Perkins, United unteer signal corps, at San Francisco, Cal. for duty with expedition to Philippines. First Lieutenant Alvarado M. Fuller, Second cavalry, is granted leave of absence to enable him to accept commission of major in the First regiment, Missouri volunteers. Captain Phillip M. Lydig, United States Volunteers, will proceed to Camp George

H. Thomas, Chickamauga National Park, Ga., and report to General Williston, United States volunteers. First army corps. Captain Ogden Rafferty, assistant surgeon United States army, will proceed to Key West and report to Major William R. Hall surgeon, for duty at the United States gen-

eral hospital. Captain William C. Gorgas, assistant surgeon United States army, will report to Major George T. Torney, surgeon United States army, New York City, for duty on the United States hospital ship Relief. The following named officers are relieved from duty at West Point, N. Y., and will

their troops; Second Lieu-Francis Fifth cavalry; Second Lieutenant

The secretary of war relieves Captain George H. Stouch, Third infantry, as acting Indian agent at the Crow agency, Mon-

The following assignments of stations and duties of officers of the United States volunteer signal corps: Major Joseph E. Maxfield, now at Tampa, Fla., will assume command of war balloon sections at that point and report by letter to Lieutenant Colonel James Allen, United States volunteer signal corps, staff of general commanding army at Key West. Major Maxfield and balloon detachment will remain attached to the Fifth army corps under orders of General William R. Shafter, United States volunteers. Major Frank Green will report to General William skull R. Shafter, United States volunteers, Tampa, Fla., for assignment to duty as signal officer of Fifth army corps.

> Guffey Takes Harrity's Place. WASHINGTON, June 6 .- J. M. Guffey has

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the bell on the little white church near the Mount Pleasant a large alligator for the of Pennsylvania on the democratic committee to succeed William F. Harrity, Messra, The town hall at Salix will be formally Harrity and Guffey were notified of the change by Senator Jones of Arkansas, who Individual glasses for communion service is chairman of the committee. The substibeing used in the Baptist church in tution of Mr. Guffey's name is the result of a poll of the national committee made

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