

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Budweiser beer, Rosenfeld, Tel. 333. Snooks "A B" cigar. Moore's Stock Food makes fat. Finest work, Bluff City Laundry.

Wanted—Latest edition of Council Bluffs city directory. Apply at Bee office.

Bruce L. Beale of New York is the guest of Judge Aylesworth and family on Fifth avenue.

John J. Ingalls of Kansas was in the city yesterday morning for a short while between trains.

The suit of F. J. Day and others against John Thompson is set for trial in the superior court today.

Mrs. L. C. Eshie is confined to the house as the result of injuries received by a fall from her bicycle.

Rev. L. P. McDonald, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, returned yesterday from a visit to North Platte, Neb.

Justice Ovide Veen, who has been seriously ill for several days, was somewhat better yesterday and able to sit up for a short while.

Don't you think it must be a pretty good laundry that can please so many hundreds of customers? Well—that's the "Eagle," 724 Broadway.

In the district court yesterday the First National bank of this city commenced suit against H. Shoemaker to recover on two promissory notes amounting to \$310.

Complaint was made to the police last night that a gang of boys at the Rock Island crossing amused themselves by throwing stones at the Manawa trains.

Mrs. Mary Bolin, wife of James J. Bolin, aged 55, died Thursday night at her residence, 419 Eighth avenue. No arrangements have been made as yet for the funeral.

The Sunday services at the First Presbyterian church, which have been discontinued during the absence from the city of the pastor, Rev. W. S. Barnes, will be resumed tomorrow.

Poll Tax Collector Alwood commenced suit against J. C. Christensen and George Hanson, both of 339 West Broadway, yesterday in Justice Ferrier's court to enforce the collection of the tax and penalty.

Mrs. Marie Brandt, charged by E. Howell, one of her roomers, with the larceny of 150 bottles of cement, had a hearing before Justice Burke yesterday and was discharged. The evidence showed that she had simply taken the stuff to secure her rent.

Alick Elers, an employe at one of the hotels, purchased a telescope grip a few days ago from a friend named E. D. Holland. Yesterday Holland disappeared and by a strange coincidence the grip did the same, as well as some of Elers' wearing apparel which was in it. Elers lodged a complaint with the police.

The remains of William Neiger, nephew of John Linder, who died in the hospital at Chickamauga, will be brought to this city next Monday for interment. Deceased was a member of company D, First Arkansas volunteer infantry, having enlisted with that regiment at Fort Smith on the first call. He formerly lived in Council Bluffs, but has been in the south for the last three years.

The examination by the Board of Insanity commissioners in the case of Frank J. Peterson, the tailor, was completed yesterday and the board ordered him committed to the asylum at Clarinda. He was taken there last evening in custody of Sheriff Moran.

The evidence showed that Peterson had been acting strangely for several years and that at times he had religious delusions. He also saw visions and his own testimony showed that he was angered because of imaginary wrongs at the hands of his wife. He also had delusions that members of his family were persecuting him. His wife's evidence showed that Peterson had been more or less mentally unbalanced for the last ten years and that she and the family for some time past had lived in fear of their lives owing to his threats.

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HAMPER THE TERMINAL LINE

Efforts to Construct Are Hinderred by Many Petty Annoyances.

COMPANY STEADILY PUSHES THE WORK

Manager Webster Says He Will Overcome All Obstacles and Have His Trains Running on Monday of Next Week.

In building the line of the Omaha Bridge and Terminal Railway company between this city and the exposition, General Manager Webster is meeting with a number of obstacles, some of which have caused delay, while all have proved more or less provoking. Many of these obstacles, Mr. Webster says, he expected and was prepared to meet them, but others seem to spring up when and where he is least looking for them. Despite these hindrances, the work on the road has been pushed and unless the unforeseen happens, trains between Council Bluffs and the exposition will be running Monday. The company has all the rolling stock necessary for present needs, although if later in the season the travel to the exposition increases the equipment will have to be added to.

One of the many obstacles cropped up when effecting settlements with owners of property which was needed for the right of way. The owners in most cases demanded exorbitant prices for their land. The company has been anxious for the convenience of residents in the western part of the city to place a depot at Eighteenth street and Broadway. The owners of the lots where it was desired to erect the depot refused to sell at prices which were far above value, even in boom times, and the terminal company declined to accede to their demands.

Unless the owners are willing to accept a reasonable price for their lots, it is now very doubtful if a depot will be built at that point. While the company is building its permanent bridge over the creek at Second avenue, it is necessary to erect "false work" and over this the company's trains will cross until the bridge is completed. In order to build this false work it was found necessary to place piling in the creek. The city council has served notice on General Manager Webster that it will not be accountable for damages in case of flood at the exposition grounds. The flow of the water. Several of the alterations are in favor of compelling the company to remove the piling from the bed of the creek altogether.

Another matter that is causing some trouble for the terminal company is the location of the gate at the exposition grounds. When Mr. Webster first appeared before the council asking for a right of way he had been promised by the management of the exposition that a gate would be placed for the accommodation of the travel on his line at the southeast corner of the grounds, which would have been three blocks from the end of the company's line. The gate, however, was located by the exposition authorities at the southwest corner, which would give Council Bluffs people quite a long walk from the end of the line to the exposition grounds.

E. H. Odell, the company's representative in this city, had a conference yesterday with the officials of the exposition, and he says there is no doubt that the gate will be relocated at the southeast corner of the Bluff tract as originally arranged. Mr. Odell further says his company is doing all in its power to meet the requirements and wishes of the people of Council Bluffs. For several weeks the company has had a large force of men employed and the work of completing the track has been pushed along as rapidly as circumstances would permit.

What the Women May Do. Mrs. Favorett Weatherly, president of the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 180, of this

city has received a circular letter from Mrs. George Wade McClellan, the department president, in answer to an inquiry as to how best the members of the corps could assist in providing for the Iowa soldiers boys at the front. Mrs. McClellan says in part: "I am receiving letters daily, asking what I can do to help our boys at the front. I will answer to all corps of the department in Iowa—sheets, pillowcases, night shirts of hospital use and bandage abdominal bands for those in the field. Sisters, there is work before us to be done at once. You have never shirked a duty, and I know we will now have the always generous response from each and every sister. In your enthusiasm for this new work do not forget the exact object for which we are banded together."

It is expected that at the meeting of the corps tonight action in reference to Mrs. McClellan's letter will be taken and arrangements made to take up the work as outlined by her.

Washburn and Maurer mandolins and guitars, Behning and Crown pianos; absolutely high grade instruments of all kinds. Bourdette Music House, 223 Broadway, where the organ stands upon the building.

HEAVY SHIPMENTS OF FRUITS.

Local Output of Berries Has Been Large and Prices Good.

The fifty odd members of the Council Bluffs Grape Growers' association are enjoying one of the busiest and most prosperous seasons they have had in many years. To date the shipment of small fruits has exceeded that of any previous year in the history of the association. With the possible exception of blackberries, the yield of small fruits in the vicinity of Council Bluffs has been above the average and the prices received have been good, making the business a profitable one for the growers this year. The shipping season commenced on June 4, when the first home grown strawberries were sent out. In all something over 600 cases of strawberries were shipped by the association. Gooseberries came next and some 750 cases of this fruit were shipped. Currants are not extensively grown round this locality and the home demand absorbed the greater part, although the association shipped over 100 cases to outside markets.

The yield of cherries has been very plentiful and the crop still remaining in the grove is estimated to be about 2,000 baskets and some 200 cases. The crop of raspberries has been unusually large and over 5,000 cases were shipped, as many as 1,200 being sent out in one day. Twelve hundred cases of cranberries were shipped. Blackberries are somewhat short this year. Up to date the association has shipped 2,000 baskets and some 200 cases. The crop of raspberries has been unusually large and over 5,000 cases were shipped, as many as 1,200 being sent out in one day. Twelve hundred cases of cranberries were shipped. Blackberries are somewhat short this year. Up to date the association has shipped 2,000 baskets and some 200 cases. The crop of raspberries has been unusually large and over 5,000 cases were shipped, as many as 1,200 being sent out in one day. Twelve hundred cases of cranberries were shipped. Blackberries are somewhat short this year.

Plums have done splendidly this season, and some of the finest ever seen have been shipped by the association. This fruit has been a little late but for what reason the growers cannot explain as the conditions have been most favorable. E. Hess, one of the members of the association, has shipped a number of cases of apricots, he being the only grower in this section of this kind of fruit.

Early next month the grapes will begin coming in, and the prospects so far are of the very brightest for a splendid yield. The vineyards in this locality cover thousands of acres and the association handles several hundred carloads of this fruit every year. The grapes are shipped to Colorado, Montana and Minnesota from here.

G. M. Allingham, the general manager, and Henry Steiger, the financial secretary of the association, are both more than pleased with the result of the shipments so far this year and expect the season will wind up with a record as the most prosperous for many a long year.

The official photographs of the United States Navy, containing over 200 pictures of the vessels with their crews, and the views of the ill-fated Maine, can be had at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee for 25 cents and a Bee coupon.

Will Case Decided.

Judge Smith of the district court yesterday decided the partition suit of Mary Anne Green, in which Mabel Kent and other women made defendants. Mrs. Anna B. Green, who previous to her marriage with George Green had been divorced from J. H. Kent, the well known architect of this city, in her will made her sole heirs at law her husband and her child Anna Cliffe Green and two children by her marriage with Kent. George Green died leaving all his interest in the property of his wife to his only child, Anna Cliffe Green, naming Mary Anne Green, Richard Green and Martha Green as trustees for the child. The court's decree is that one-third of the property of Mrs. Anna B. Green goes to the trustees under the will and the other two-thirds is to be equally divided between the guardian of Anna Cliffe Green and J. H. Kent as guardian of Hartwell Kent, a minor, and Mabel Kent. The court further ordered that as the property is not susceptible of division that it be sold, and appointed George H. Mayne and J. J. Stewart referees to sell the property. Their joint bond was fixed in the sum of \$1,500. The property left by Mrs. Green consists of one and a half lot in Oak Green and one lot in Sunnyside addition.

Passed a Confederate Bill.

William Baker, an aged railroad section hand living at 1517 South 10th street, purchased a toy wagon for one of his little children last evening at the store of Peterson & Schoening on Main street. In payment he tendered a \$5 Confederate bill. When told that the bill was not good he said he was unaware of the fact, but of course the bill was not to be sold, and wanted them to take it. Baker said he had received it with other money, but where he could not exactly remember. Someone who was in the store informed the police and Baker was arrested. Chief Bixby, as soon as he learned the facts, ordered the old man's release on his own recognizance to appear in police court this morning. Baker cannot read and there is no suspicion that he attempted to pass the bill knowing that it was not a genuine one.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand bicycle at a bargain. Call at The Bee office, Council Bluffs.

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Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfer was filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 191 Pearl street: Executors of Samuel Roger to William Leahy, lot 3, block 10, Jackson's add. W. 4. \$1,250.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following persons: Name and Residence. Age. Charles E. Holden, Council Bluffs. 26. Nina A. Rutledge, Council Bluffs. 19.

Barred Wire Claims a Victim.

SIBBLE, Ia. July 22.—(Special.)—John W. Diers, aged 57, a retired farmer, was accidentally thrown into a barred wire fence and died as a result of the injuries. He leaves a wife, daughter and two sons.

COMING TO THE EXPOSITION

Iowa Pythians Planning for an Excursion to the Great Fair.

MANY PYTHIANS WILL MAKE THE TRIP

Railroads to Be Requested to Offer a Reduced Rate for the Occasion—August 9 is the Date.

DES MOINES, July 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Grand Chancellor Dowell and his leading Knights of Pythias of the city are working to arouse the interest of the members of the order in the excursion to the Transmississippi Exposition on August 9, and if the desired reduced rate is secured there will be a large attendance from Des Moines and adjacent towns. Nothing has yet been learned from the railroad companies as to what they will do.

The treasurer of state today received an opinion from the United States Treasury department that Iowa state warrants and treasury checks are exempt from the war revenue tax.

The Iowa Sanitary commission, organized for the purpose of sewing for and doing what they can to relieve the hardships of soldiers at the front, today started a "letter chain," each person receiving a letter being asked to send a dozen to the commission, to copy them four times and send it to his friends. The commission expects to realize several thousand dollars in this manner.

The annual midsummer assembly of the Iowa Midland Chautauqua, which has been in session here for three weeks, closed yesterday after a successful term. At high attendance the lectures of the Chautauqua and nearly twice that many were present on music day.

Today the executive committee of the Iowa Pharmaceutical association started a boycott under the provisions of the war revenue act. They will try to make the boycott national by sending the resolutions all over the country.

Iowa Klondike Party Divided.

OTTUMWA, Ia., July 22.—(Special.)—There has been great interest in Iowa in the prospect of gold seekers who started for the Klondike some time ago in charge of Charles A. Walsh of this city, secretary of the National Democratic committee, as the following recent dispatch from a camp at the headwaters of the Yukon gives the latest information obtainable.

A big party from Iowa arrived on the 22d in a steambot named the Iowa, rigged up out of a sawmill plant. They were thirty-eight in the party. They will go down the river and probably locate at Eagle City. Those on the Iowa were Capt. Abbott of Charter Oak; Dr. Bonham of Ottumwa; T. T. Barber of Charter Oak; Charles Bridgman and John Emerson of Ottumwa; T. N. Foster, Ontario; W. McSherrick, Marshalltown; C. P. Haselmann, Alton; O. J. Aaker, Howard; B. D. McGrover, Essex; S. D. Thomas, Manly; Jasper, Minn.; J. Thomas and wife, Chickawau Falls, Wis.; D. A. Rutledge, Storm Lake; F. A. Benjamin, W. H. Michaels, E. M. Vail, Marshalltown; Con Doran, Ottumwa; John Keables, Pella; Joseph and Walter Tatum, who are related to the party. Luverne, Iowa. Ten of the party, including C. A. Walsh of Ottumwa, prominent as a lawyer and democratic politician in Iowa, stopped at the Hootalliqua river for a short time. In this party were C. A. Stewart, Mason City; Arthur Dimmick, Mason City; B. D. Miller, S. W. O'F. Felton, Mason City; M. M. McKee, Sanborn; M. R. Boyd, Sanborn; M. S. Marsh, Renwick; A. C. Corwin, Sheldon; J. R. Sewell, Charter Oak; J. M. Starbuck, Brownlow, Heith, Parks, McCord and Keiser are ahead of the others, having passed down several days ago in a little screw propeller.

Iowan Finds Himself Rich.

WATERLOO, Ia., July 22.—(Special.)—John W. Pierce of this place will be one of the richest men in Iowa if the stories just made public are true. He is said to have fallen heir to property worth \$3,000,000. He is twenty-seven years of age and is the adopted son of W. W. Pierce, a constable. The young man's name was William. His mother died in his infancy and he has since lived with his foster parents. Several years ago his father was killed. The property which he inherited consists of 2,300 acres of land near Portland, Ore., and 2,900 acres located in Racine, Dane, Washington and Grant counties, Wis.

Harry P. Burnett, the young man's uncle, located many years ago in the suburbs of South Portland, where he invested in land, which has since largely increased in value. The fruit trees and stock farms, on which are kept 10,000 sheep, together with other animals. In addition there are several springs and a summer resort hotel which yields an annual return of \$10,000. The revenue of the farms is \$80,000 a year. Burnett died eight years ago, and since that time attorneys have been looking for the lost heir in the person of J. W. Burnett, who now turns up bearing the name of Pierce, that of his foster parents.

The Wisconsin property consists of farms to the amount of 2,900 acres, all rented. One of these tracts borders on the lake, a few miles from Madison, and here too is located a summer resort hotel.

Soliciting by the Chain Method.

IOWA FALLS, Ia., July 22.—(Special.)—Parties in this city this week have been supplying links in a big chain of letters that is to supply funds for the Iowa Sanitary commission, which Mrs. Frank D. Jackson is at the head. The recipient of each letter renits it with a dime to the headquarters of the commission and makes four copies of the letters and sends them to friends, who are requested to do likewise. The extent of this chain will be state wide and will bring in a neat little sum for the use of the commission in supplying the needs of the Iowa troops at the front.

Held for Murder.

NEWMARKET, Ia., July 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The coroner's inquest over the remains of Dolph Adams resulted in a verdict that he came to his death by a ball fired from a revolver in the hands of Dave Riddle. The latter was held for the action of the grand jury. Tuesday night Dave

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Iowa Press Comment.

Stoux City Tribune: Iowa banks are reducing interest rates because their deposits are becoming larger and there is not a corresponding demand for loans. Dubuque Times: Senator Hurst, defeated for congress in this district two years ago, is being urged to try it again this year. It is very kind of the democrats to select a man used to grief. Des Moines Register: Some of the Iowa daily papers frequently forget the state on their editorial pages for whole weeks at a time. Every Iowa newspaper should stand up for Iowa on its editorial page every issue.

Three Killed in Explosion.

Freight Train Engine on Central Pacific Railway Blows Up While Climbing Grade. DUTCH FLAT, Cal., July 22.—A terrible accident took place on the Central Pacific railroad opposite Towles station in Placer county. Three persons were killed and four others painfully injured. A fruit train bound for the east was toiling up the steep grade past the station of Dutch Flat when the engine exploded. Engineer Kelly, fireman Perry and a coal passer, whose name is unknown, were killed. Their bodies were found along the track some distance from the engine and were frightfully mangled. The explosion occurred just opposite the boarding house of J. R. Faller. Fragments of iron flew in every direction from the wrecked locomotive and did considerable damage to the frame building. Mrs. J. R. Faller was badly cut about the head and hands. Raymond Faller, aged 19 years, was severely cut and bruised and Lawrence Faller, aged 6, had his head badly cut. Henry Dierke of Gates was hurt in the back and it is believed that several of his ribs were broken. The cause of the explosion is not known.

Secretary Short Thirty Thousand.

MILWAUKEE, July 22.—The shortage of at least \$30,000 in the accounts of Harvey Muzz, secretary of the Home Building and Loan association, was discovered by State Bank Examiner Kidd. There are about 250 stockholders in the association, all of whom it is believed, will lose heavily. Mr. Muzz stated today that as soon as he could confer with his attorney he would turn over to the holders of the Home Building and Loan association every dollar's worth of property he owned individually in the world. Mr. Muzz says he has no intention of running away. Further developments are expected shortly.

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