#### CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA.

#### COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Davis sells drugs. Beers s tood kills worms and fatters. Budweiser beer, L. Rosenfeldt, agent. Victor hot water heaters at Bixby's. Perry pictures for sale. C. E. Alexander & Co., 45 South Main street.

C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jeweters and opticiens, 27 South Main street. Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway, 'phone 157.

Arthur Goff of "Roney's Boys" is home on a visit to his parents in this city. M. H. Sears has returned from Mason City where he attended the session of the Ma-senic grand lodge.

City Physician Lacey and G. W. Lipe have returned from the meeting of the Iowa Masonic grand lodge at Mason City.

the purpose of finally deciding whether to have matines driving meets this sum-H. C. Raymond took out a building per-

mit yesterday for the erection of a barn at his residence, 514 South Tenth street, and J. Williford one for an addition to his residence at 918 Harmony street. Three new cases of measles were reported to the Board of Health yesterday. They are: Isil Feblowitz, 2016 Fifth avenue; Paul Beecroft, 319 North First street; George Thompson, 1817 High street.

The case against Bettie Libbecke, the The case against Bettle Libbecke, the young woman charged with stealing a pocketbook belonging to a traveling man named Henry K. Norris, was dismissed in Justice Vien's court yesterday morning for

want of prosecution. prominent official of the Illinois Central Railway company is authority for the statement that his road intends making an extensive exhibit at the Greater America Exposition, showing the resources of the country through which various lines run.

N. B. Thayer was granted an order in the superior court yesterday against the county treasurer restraining the collection of city taxes on fifty-two acres of land owned by Thayer between the transfer depot and the river, which is used solely for agri-

The Knights of Pythias will hold memo-The Knights of Pythias will hold memorial services comorrow. In the morning committees from the different lodges will decorate the graves in the several cometeries and in the evening the Knights will attend the Brosdway Methodist church, where the pastor, Rev. Myron C. Waddell, a member of the order, will preach a special experience. cial sermon.

Louie Bruns, charged with willful trespass by Mrs. Kate McComb, had a hearing be-fore Justice Ferrier yesterday. The evi-dence showed that Bruns, in addition to jury and gave ball for his appearance in

Justice Ferrier's court is set for next

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Scientific optician, Wollman, 409 Br'dway. VESTED RIGHTS ON AVENUE A.

Hearing of Suit in the District Court

to Annul the Vacation Ordinance. The hearing of the suit brought by the Council Bluffs, Lake Manawa & East Omaha Construction company against the city, in which the plaintiff asks for a writ of certiorari to annul the ordinance vacating Aveque A, was commenced in the district court yesterday before Judge Smith.

The Council Bluffs, Lake Manawa & East Omaha Construction company claims a vested right and authority to occupy Avenue A as a right of way for the construction and operation of a single or double track street railway under a franchise granted it in December, 1897. The ordinance granting the franchise provided that "said company shall construct its lines from the intersection of Broadway and Ninth streets to the Missouri river and have the same in operation for general public travel on or before August

Up to date the company has not made any move in the way of building its line. The city filed a demurrer yesterday to the plaintiff's petition on three grounds: First, that the grant of the franchise to the company, as shown by the ordinance, was to a corporation, and the petition now shows a co-partnership instead of a corporation; second, that conceding that the plaintiff has a vested right in Avenue A, it is not impaired by the vacation ordinance; third, that the right of the plaintiff to use the street is subordinate to the power of the city to

The entire day was occupted in hearing the arguments on the demurrer and they were not completed when the court adjourned until this morning, when they will be re-Railway company.

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Sister Sues for Heavy Damages. Al Clark, the well known loan broker, was made defendant yesterday in a largesized damage suit in the United States cir-The plaintiff is Mittie Jane cuit court. Clark, a half sister of the money lender. She brings suit for \$40,500 damages for personal injuries, the result of an alleged assault on her by her brother. Miss Clark alleges that her brother choked and beat her and that in consequence she is now under the care of a physician. The trouble is alleged to have occurred a short while back at the home of the parents in this Miss Clark has since the alleged assault taken up her residence in Omaha,

tember term. Domestic soap is full weight. Prizes go with domestic soap.

#### LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES BOUGHT

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where she is living with a married sister.

The case is filed for hearing at the Sep-

Jurors in the Case of Smith vs. Jensen File Affidavita.

Parties Charged with Approaching Members of the Jury in the Now Famous Case Swear Acquantion is Baseless.

In connection with the damage suit of The Council Bluffs Roadster club will Charles Smith against Lars Jensen, justice meet Tuesday night at the Grand hotel for of the peace for Boomer township, a numthe purpose of finally deciding whether ber of affidavits were filed in the district Charles Smith against Lars Jensen, justice court yesterday in support of a showing on the part of the defendant why the application of the plaintiff for a new trial should be denied. Smith, in his motion for new trial, alleged misconduct on the part of certain members of the jury, and other parties interested in the case. The affidavits filed yesterday refute these allegations. E. E. Adams, the shoe dealer, alleged to have approached one of the jurors, makes an affidavit in which he says that he never mentioned the Smith-Jenson case to Juryman Mottaz, and that the latter must be

mistaken if he says he did. George F. Smith, one of the jurors, and Finley Burke, attorney for Jensen, both file Decided Falling Off in the Coal Output Midavits, the substance of each being pracically the same. They say they heard that Mottaz had said that he had been "ap- gram.)—S. W. Beyer of the state geologica proached," and they asked him about it. survey today completed his figures on the In answer to their inquiries Mottaz told mineral production of Iowa for the year 1898 them that a stranger had met him while The figures show that there has been a dehe was up town while the case was on trial, cided falling off in the coal output for 1898 and had started to talk with him and asked due, it is said, to the open winters of 1897 him: "Are you a juror on the Jensen case?" and 1898, which lessened the demand for Mottaz had said he was, and the stranger coal and thus prevented the opening of new then said: "Then I must not talk to you, coal fields. The clay output, however, exbut some of Jensen's neighbors in Boomer ceeds by nearly a \$250,000 that of the pretownship would like to see him 'stuck,' vious year. Eighty-nine counties and nearly

or 'cinched.' " alleged to have approached G. H. Baker, a value of the total mineral production in member of the jury panel, who was chal- 1898 was \$7,426,722, distributed as follows lenged in his affidavit, admitted having a Coal, value, \$4,759,967; number of producers slight acquaintance with Baker, but denied 174; clay, value, \$2,059,385; number of protalking to him about the case before he was ducers, 349; stone, value, \$563,586; number challenged off the jury. He said that he of producers, 161; lead and zinc, value, \$43, saw Baker sitting outside the rail in the 784; number of producers, 10; total value s. Kate McComb, had a hearing besustice Ferrier yesterday. The evishowed that Bruns, in addition to
the jury?" Baker replied: "No; they
unparliamentary language toward threw me off." Peterson asked him if he
in order of producers, 10; total value,
\$7,426,722; total number of producers, 694.

The following shows ten leading counties
in order of production: Mahaska, \$1,347,722; complaining witness, tore up a quantity of knew Jensen, and he said "yes," and that Polk, \$1,060,244; Appanoose, \$677,545; Boone the cabbages and other vegetables in her he was friendly to him. Peterson said if \$492.795; Monroe, \$489,036; Wapello, \$329.932 garden. He was bound over to the grand that was so he was sorry he had not been Keokuk, \$263,974; Webster, \$262,395; Jasper he was friendly to him. Peterson said if \$492,795; Monroe, \$489,036; Wapello, \$329,932; left on the jury, because he thought it was \$242,191; Woodbury, \$128,200. The output of

never made any such remark in his presence. the average price per ton ruled slightly Hugh Landy, the man who drove off with V. R. J. Morris, E. B. Gardiner, W. S. Wil- ducing counties show a decrease, save Wa-Poundmaster Dobson's buggy, when placed under arrest for disturbing the peace, wants to come back to Council Bluffs, and has joint affidavit swear that they-were not gives an increase of more than 65.000 tons. to come back to Council Bluffs, and has joint affidavit swear that they were not gives an increase of more than 65,000 tons. written to Chief Bixby to inquire if he will be taken into custody if he returns. Mottaz or anyone else after the jury was locally and convended to the country alone. His wife, whom he was mistreating at the time of his arrest, will not prosecute, but Dobson says he will file an information against Landy for disturbing the peace.

Jensen will be given an opportunity to ducing areas. The number of men employed

> WITH A PARADE AND A BANQUET. Knights of Khorassan to Institute

heard is finished.

Shadukiam temple No. 84, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, will be instituted tonight in Pythian hall in the Merriam block, at 8 o'clock. The institution will be carried out with befitting ceremonies and the knights expect to take possession of the city for the time being. The ceremonies will be preceded by a grand street parade, which it is said will be of unusual magnificence and eclipse anything ever attempted by Forepaugh or even the great Barnum. After the temple has been instituted and the "tyros" have been escorted across the burning sands, the knights will repair to the Grand hotel, where an elaborate banquet will bring the festivities to a close. The "Feast of the Prophet" will not commence until the clecks of the city toll

the midnight hour. In connection with the event the following orders have been issued by Mokanna to his band, of which the faithful are required to take due notice: All officers of the temple will meet at Knights of Pythias hall at 6:30 to prepare

for the pageant. All votaries will meet at the temple at o'clock to be prepared for the journey. Any votary on the sidewalk watching the

procession will if caught be made to join therein and carry water for the faithful. The line of march will be: Up Main from Knights of Pythias hall to Broadway, east on Broadway to Bryant street, countermarch to Sixth, south on Sixth to First avenue, east on First to Pearl, south on Pearl to

the temple

Large delegations of knights from Omaha and other points are expected to be in attendance, and the institution of Shadukiam temple promises to be a red letter day in the history of Pythianism in Council Bluffs.

HOW TO RAISE THE ASSESSMENT. Supervisors Spend Much Time and

Thought on the Subject. How to raise the assessment throughout the entire county, and especially in the city of Council Bluffs, is a question that is givsumed. Judge J. F. Duncombe appears in ing the Board of Supervisors cause for much the interest of the Fort Dodge & Omaha thought. At the session of the board yes- the matter to the attention of the British terday a plan was outlined whereby the valuation of the county can be raised close upon \$1,000,000. The supervisors feel that the assessors in every township have placed too low a value upon farm lands, and when they come to equalize the assessment will raise The board discussed yesterday its right to increase the valuation of real estate in the owns and cities, especially in Council Bluffs, and this, with other matters pertaining to the work of equalizing the assessment, was western passenger agent for the 'Frisco line, referred to the county attorney for his opin-

> The assessors throughout the county differed widely in the valuation they placed on the several classes of stock and the equalization of this by the board will, it is expected. materially increase the assessed valuation. City Assessor Hardin will turn over the assessment books of Council Bluffs to the city council at its meeting tonight and they will be available to the Board of Supervisors by the end of next week. Not wishing to comnence the work of equalization until they have the books of this city the board adjourned yesterday afternoon until next

Kavanaugh Still Missing. J. E. Kavanaugh, who decamped Meorial day with a buggy and double team belonging to Willard Smith, the Scott street liveryman, is, according to the latest re-ports, still pursuing his way south. Smith returned yesterday after following Kavanaugh's trail for several days. He learned earnings a that after leaving Nebraska City, Kavan- \$4,589,211.17.

augh went to Falls City and from there to St. Joseph, Mo. He had the team shed in Joseph and stopped there over night, leaving the next morning for the south-Smith lost track of him about fifteen miles from St. Joseph and was compelled to give ALLEGED MISCONDUCT DENIED up the chase. The woman who accompanied Kavanaugh from Plattsmouth left him at St. Joseph and has returned home.

Hustling for the Exposition. James Walsh, assistant superintendent of the department of agriculture of the Greater America Exposition, has been in Council Bluffs for several days for the purpose of SHOWING IN RESISTANCE TO NEW TRIAL securing an exhibit of the agricultural resources of Pottawattamie county. He has

had several conferences with the members of the Board of County Supervisors, but so far they have given little or no assurance of assisting. Last year the board appropriated a large sum of money for the Pottawattamle wigwam, but this year is not disposed to give any financial assistance toward a county exhibit. Mr. Walsh is hopeful, however, that the farmers themsives will take the matter of an exhibit up and compete for the \$1,0000 premium offered by the ex-

He has suggested to the supervisors that in order to encourage the farmers of Pottawattamie county in making an exhibit that they offer a premium of \$100 for the best township exhibit, \$75 for the second, \$50 for the third, \$40 for the fourth and \$25 for the fifth. The board, however, is not disposed to put up any of the county's money this

Davis sells the best sodawater. Davis sells paint.

position management.

MINERAL PRODUCTIONS OF IOWA

for the Year 1898. DES MOINES, June 9 .- (Special Tele-700 producers were engaged in developing Peter Peterson, the commission merchant, the mineral resources of the state. The

Fred Turner and his two sons, charged with ploughing up a field of millet belonging to A. W. Boal, and planting corn therein, retaliated yesterday by filing a complaint in Justice Vien's court, charging A. W. Boal and his son with ploughing up their corn. The hearing is set for next Monday. The case against the Turners in Lighter Ferrier's court is set for next Northern Properties. The case against the Turners in the was a nice man and of good character or anything like it, and that Rice her railway clientage in that quarter. While the average price per ton ruled slightly coal for 1898 shows a decided falling off as Nine members of the jury-G. F. Smith. higher, the total shrinkage in production was O. F. Letner, P. M. Pryer, M. F. Williams, almost 500,000 tons. All the great coal pro-Jensen will be given an opportunity to ducing areas. The number of men employed make his showing against a new trial before in the mines of lowa for 1898 shows a fall-Judge Smith, as soon as the case now being ing off of more than 1,000, while the av erage number of days worked was greater

than for any year since 1892. Dr. George Royal of Des Moines has appointed dean of the homeopathic medica department of the State university. Royal received notice this morning from the Board of Regents.

The War department wants recruits for he army in the Philippines and wants them quickly. The recruiting officer here, Major McQueston, received this telegram from the War department: Acting Secretary of War directs that you

make urgent efforts to secure as many suitable white recruits as possible for in fantry, cavalry and artillery, light heavy, in Philippines. Men shou Men should be carefully selected and upon enlistment sent o Presidio, San Francisco. Continue such nlistment until further orders.

After keeping his experiments a secret for many weeks, Mark Chiesa today displayed 4,000 silk worms which he has been cultivating for several months. Not one has died since they were brought from Italy by ter Beat Bugs By Buying Big Bottle Mr. Chiesa when he returned from a trip to "DEAD SHOT" from his old home in that country. He expects to be able to establish a silk industry if experiments continue successfully. He will purchase a large farm here for his plant.

Iowa Log Rollers' Association. BOONE, Ia., June 9 .- (Special Telegram.) Over 200 representatives of Iowa lodges of Woodmen of the World, composing the Iowa Log Rolling association, meet in annual convention here today. The salient features of the program were the uniformed delegates n parade, public speeches by Former Govrnor of Iowa Sherman, Dr. C. H. Schelet of Omaha, Judge Whitaker of Boone and others and the elegant reception this evening. Offieers for the coming year were elected as ollows: G. S. Casell, president; H. A. Cook, secretary; J. T. Carey, treasurer, all of Denison. The next annual convention will e held in Denison.

Lady Broome Arrested. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., June 9.—Lady Frances Broome has been arrested for ob-structing the street on which her residence stands. A few weeks ago she re-sisted an officer when by order of the council he came upon her place. A fence built where the hedge stood was ordered removed on a complaint charging obstruction of the highway. Lady Broome threatens to bring government

Railroad Notes and Personals. J. H. Hiland of Chicago, general freight agent for the St. Paul road, is in Omaha. P. D. Papin of Kansas City, commercial agent for the Illinois Central, is in the city. P. J. Nichols, superintendent of the Terminal company, has gone east for a few

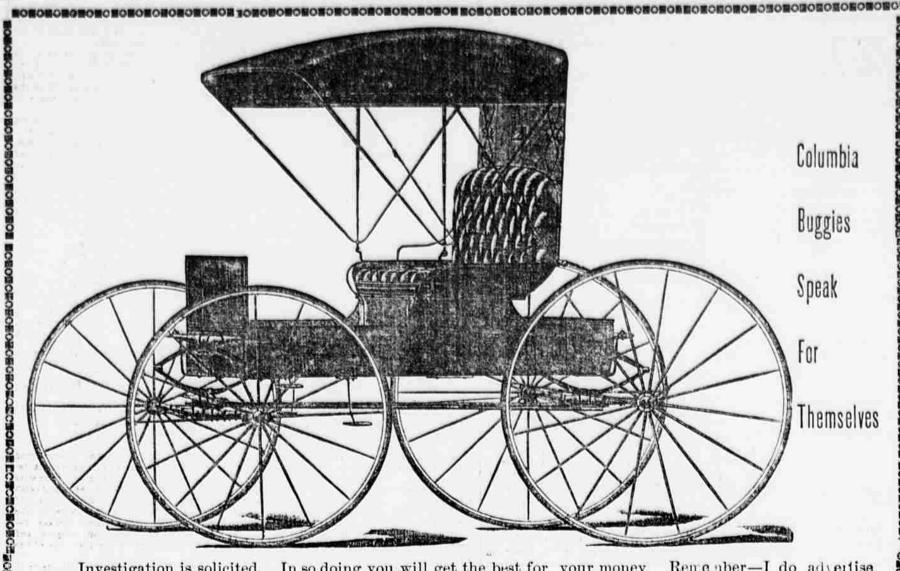
H. N. Fickinger of Kansas City, north-General Manager Holdrege of the Bur-lington is out on the Wyoming division of

the line.

Twenty-nine recruits for the army from Cincinnati, Chicago and Toledo passed west over the Burlington enroute to the Philip-F. W. Boyd, a switchman in the Union

Pacific yards here, had his left foot badly bruised Thursday afternoon by attempting to kick the couplers of two cars together. H. C. Wagner of Denver, traveling pas senger agent for the St. Paul, has returned from Chicago, where he accompanied two carfoads of Utah teachers. He leaves at

The final report of the receivers of the Union Pacific Railway company was filed in the office of the clerk of the United States court yesterday afternoon. It covers the entire period of the receivership from Octo-ber 13, 1893, to May 31, 1898. The report shows that the gross earnings of the road during that time aggregated \$17,190,648 94; expenses, \$12,601,487.77, leaving a surplus of



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SENSATIONAL CASE NEAR SIOUX CITY

Youth Is Frightened by His Companions and Driven to Commit Suicide-Grand Jury Will Investigate the Matter.

SIOUX CITY, June 9 .- (Special Telegram.) It has developed that whitecapping was the real cause of the suicide of 13-year-old John Wilke at Rock Branch yesterday. This came out at the inquest and it is said the matter will be called to the attention of the grand jury at the next term of court. Wilke was called from his bed at 10 o'clock at night by Harry Huffman, a friend, and when he vent down he was charged with a crime. He denied it and was asked if he would prefer to be ducked or have the story told his father. He took the ducking in the tank and went to bed dripping wet. The next morning he was found hanging at the end of a rope in the barn.

Tearing Down a Hotel CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., June 9 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Hotel Orleans at Spirit ake is being torn down. Lack of patronage the last two or three years and the need of extensive repairs are the cause. The hotel was built in 1881 by the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern Railway company. It cost \$125,000 and had accommodations for 200 guests. It was a great success for a time. The fact that liquor could not be sold there had much to do with its decline.

Smallpox in Minnesota Town. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., June 9 .- (Special Celegram.)-Smallpox has broken out at Vashington, Minn., and there is talk of uarantining the city. A Miss Brooks died here Tuesday night. Many others have een exposed. The schools have been closed nd church services suspended.

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