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TROLLEY LINE TO THE FARMS

(Continued from Eighth Page.)

been planned for the use of the university, are to be commenced in the spring, these two to be the administration building for the offices and library and the armory. Three members of the Board of Regents live in Mason City and the others are scattered about over the country. While the university is to be fostered by the Sons of Veterans, it is to be a school devoted largely to military instruction and supported by all who are active in their patriotism. The regents believe they will be able to secure an endowment fund of at least \$2,000,000 in a very short time, and they are now at work selecting the faculty.

Bank Examiner May Resign. The appearance of two candidates for the position of national bank examiner for the southern district leads to the supposttion that Examiner Stone is about to resign. Mr. Stone lives in Mount Pleasant. The candidates are Pollard of Fort Madison and Garrett of Burlington.

A recent report that eleomargarine is being sold in the southeastern counties of the state has been investigated by the state dairy commissioner, who finds that nothing worse than "process" butter is being sold and there is no law against this.

Word has been received here that Mr. and Vrs. Sylvester Jones of Oskaloosa have arrived at Gibara, in the West Indies, where they are to engage in misisopary work under the auspices of the American Friends' Board of Missions. This board has headquarters in Richmond, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Zenas L. Martin of Hubbard, Ia. will leave pext week for Richmond to place themselves under orders from this board to go to the West Indies. The Quakers are quite strong in Iowa and have sent out a number of foreign missionary workers and especially to the West Indies, where their work is said to be yielding good re-

Preparing for College Oratory.

The annual state oratorical contest will be held in Mount Pleasant February 8 next and several of the fourteen colleges which compose the state association have already held their local contests to choose their representatives at the state contest. The contest of the Iowa Wesleyan university of Mount Pleasant was held last night and first honors were won by Clark M. Cavance with an oration of "The True Republicanism" and second place by N. D. Wells. Not all of the fourteen colleges will be represented at the state contest because the judges on thought and composition look over the orations submitted before January 9 and designate eight who are permitted to enter the contest.

The Iowa College of Physicians and Surgeons, which has been managed for ten years as an ir dependent concern, although closely related to Drake university in this city, has just been formally taken over by the university and will become an integral part of the same.

B. F. Parker, who owns a dozen or more bath rooms which he also operates.

Governor Shaw and Secretary of State recent boiler explosion. Dobson were to have been home from Washington today to attend an important ADDITIONAL COUNCIL BLUFFS meeting of the state executive council to determine on what help could be given the trustees of the state college toward temporary quarters for a part of their school, but they did not get back in time. Attorney General Remley and Adjutant General Byers were also in Washington, but have not returned.

UNCOVERING THIEVES' PLOT Northwestern's Detectives Believe They Are Spoiling Big System of

Stealing in lows. GRINNELL, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-The private detectives of the Northwestern railway believe that they have discovered a gigantic thieving plot and as a result Mat Herzog has been arrested at Toledo on the charge of being a ferce for crooks who have been operating along the Northwestern line. Other arrests of the principals will probably soon

The scheme was a large one and the field of operations extended over a large portion of Iowa. Some time ago Herzog was arrested at Marshalltown, where he had been under surveillance for some time by the marshal and Tama county officials. The charge against him was that of receiving stolen goods. The grand jury quashed this particular charge, when he was immediately arrested again for being concerned in the larger criminal scheme. Herzog is supposed to have been a fence for a gaog that has been operating along the line of the Northwestern for a number of years. The detectives are of the opinion that Murray and McCabe, the State Center burglars recently sent up, were members of this gang and Herzog is known to have supplied these men with money while they were in jail. The detectives believe that they are about to unearth one of the most extensive schemes of operation in the criminal history of Iowa.

Believe He Took Novel Revenge. GRINNELL, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special.) - One of the cases now being tried in the district court at Belle Plaine is that of the State against William Peterson, charged with maliciously destroying property belonging to Tharp & Pitts. Tharp & Pitts ran several threshing outfits in Benton county and in some way incurred the enmity of Peterson. Soon after this Tharp & Pitts lost one of their machines by fire, burned while standing alone in the field. A second machine was later destroyed in more sensational manner. A stick of dynamite was concealed in a bundle of grain and was thrown into the machine. The explosion wrecked the machine and the men had a narrow escape with their lives. A third attempt was made by putting stones in bundles of grain. Fawn Jacobs, a young man rather simple, was assoclated with Peterson and it is through him that Peterson's arrest was brought about. Jacobs, it is believed, will turn state's evidence.

Is Faithless Lover's Victim. GRINNELL, Ia., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Because she loved not wisely, but too well, Miss Mary Derack, a maiden woman living near Marengo, is mourning the loss of \$100 and a dashing lover. The absconding lover gave his name as Henry Shores. He was the victim of misfortune and had been compelled by cruel necessity to resort to manual labor as a means of a livlibood. His romantic story appealed to Miss Derack and she listened and attempted to give him comfort. He was grateful and as time went on Cupid shot his arrows in their midst. Shores was anxious to prove his devotion and as a means of serving her offered to deposit for Miss Derack \$100 which she possessed. She trustingly placed her money in his hands and now she sorry. Shores is supposed to have gone Denver, but so far has eluded the efforts

of the officers to discover his whereabouts. Clerk Proposes to Get Even. SIOUX CITY, Dec. 15.—(Special Telegram.)-In less than three-quarters of an hour after a jury had found him not guilty of embezzlement, William Brower of Moville, Ia., this afternoon placed in the hands of Sheriff Jackson original notices of a suit for \$25,000 damages for alleged malicious prosecution and false imprisonment. He asks this sum of the Eureka Mercantile company of Moville, Ia., which secured his arrest. Brower was a clerk in the company's ferts.

The Woman's Whist club was entertained Tuesday afternoon by Miss Mary Key. The Sostess this week will be Mrs. C. S. Lefferts. store and his employers suspected him of failing to turn in all the money he received ever the counter. He was accused of em-

bezzling about \$2,000 and a warrant for his arrest was secured. Brower put up a strong fight. This afternoon County Attorney Halian asked the judge to dismiss the case,

Veoman Memorial at Storm Lake. STORM LAKE Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special.) The late Captain J. A. O. Yeoman was to have delivered a lecture here on December 2. As a tribute to his memory M. F. Healey of Fort Dodge will give a memorial address next Sunday evening at the People's church P. F. Kinne was elected president of the Northwest Iowa Horticultural society at its annual meeting held at Emmettsburg last week. He has spent considerable time and study on the subject and is thoroughly familiar with the science in all its branches.

Not Be a Candidate. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special.)-Mayor Frank Pierce, who when he was elected nearly four years ago was the youngest mayor of any city of lows and has since proved to be one of the most aggressive and radical, has announced definitely that he will not be a candidate for a third term. There are a number of other candidates, but it was felt that if Pierce wanted the place again he could get it.

Doctor Found Guilty. KEOSAUQUA, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special.)-The jury in the case of the State of Iowa against Dr. Levi Loar of Selma, indicted on the charge of performing a criminal operation upon Valley Alton, a young Hillsboro girl, found the physician guilty. The defendant will be sentenced Wednesday. He has filed a motion in arrest of judgment and for a new trial, which will be argued in the meantime.

Pay for Damaged Leg. WEBSTER CITY, Ia., Dec. 15-(Special.) A jury in the district court has awarded \$2. 600 as damages to William Stebbins from the Crooked Creek & Lehigh railway. Stebhins was a workman in the service of the company and while engaged in loading some steel rails had his leg broken and permanently injured. The Crooked Creek road is a short coal road.

Disnater on New Grade in lows. CRESTON, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-An engine and twelve cars, with five men aboard, plunged down a fifty-foot embankment this morning near Murray. John Dozle was killed and the other four men were injured, two probably fatally. A trestle gave way when the train's weight was upon it. The accident occurred on the Burlington's new grade.

After the Druggists, Too SIOUX CITY, In., Dec. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. H. C. Marshall, superintendent of the local Anti-Saloon league, said today that the league could not overlook saloons which are selling under the name of drug stores and violating the liquor laws. and a crusade against the drug stores fe

Holds Company Responsible. DAVENPORT, Ia., Dec. 15 .- (Special.)-The verdict of the jury in the Davenport glucese explosion case has been opened and saloons in Des Moines, was today fined \$500 shows that the Glucose Sugar Refining in district court for selling liquors in company was guilty of gross negligence which the jury believes resulted in the

Slot Machine in Jail.

The nolice seized yesterday afternoon at John Margen's salpon on South Main street an information filed in the superior court by court and fire hall for the six months com-Chief Albro. It is charged that Mergen had ministration regarding slot machines and peddler wagons will be needed, according patrons were fortunate enough to place their sends in a long list of books and office supnickels on the winning color instead of plies of various kinds. Chief Etter figures checks calling for trade over the counter, that twenty-two tons of hay and 425 bushels It is said that the police had repeatedly of oats, will be needed for the fire horses. warned Merger, and that he took no heed of along with eleven tons of Walnut block the warnings

Judge Aylesworth in police court Monday large envelopes for holding prisoners' valumorning and if it is proven guilty Sergeant ables, 2,000 small envelopes and the same Slack will be detailed to end its earthly career with an axe.

completion and will soon be ready for occupancy. Geo. S. Davis, who is furnishhave all of it in this week.

ler & Band's

They are beauties-those elegant pieces

of neckwear at Metcalf's. Real Estate Transfers.

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

es W. DeWitt and wife to Elwood Osler, sig neig and nig seig 19-74-39, \$7,300 and E. H. Lougee and wives to ob Konkler, lot 9, block 7, Turley's

add, w d.

J. E. F. McGee and wife Kate to Emily
Gardiner, o p lot 62 and lot 2 in sub
of o p lot 61, q c d.

Wheeler & Hereld to Nathan P. Dodge,
lots and lands in and adjoining Council Bluffs, w d.

Receivers of Officer & Pusey to Pottawattamie Investment company et al. wattamie Investment company et al. und!4 of lots 7 and 12, block 13, Wil-liams' 1st add, q c d.....

Five transfers, aggregating...... Those centertables at Keller & Band's are fine. See them while shopping for Christmas.

You can get him a nice present if you get one of those ties at Metcalf's

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broadway.

Another Offset Allowed. Following the initiative taken by Thomas Bowman, W. H. Thomas yesterday secured an order from Judge Green of the district court instructing Receivers Beresheim and Murphy of Officer & Pusey's bank to offse a certificate of deposit amounting to \$573.36 against a note for \$835 owed by him to the

Nobby line of neckwear at Metcalf's. Hazel camp, M. W. A., dance, Hughes hall, Dec. 20. Admission, 25c

Commonwealth 10-cent cigar.

Society Notes. Miss Edith Ross of Willow avenue Mrs. J. L. Poole has gone to Larimore S. D., on an extended visit to friends. Harry Joslyn has issued invitations for a party at his home next Friday evening. Harry and George Vant's havitations for a party New Year's eve. *ued Clarence Judson will entertain a large euchre party during the Christmas holidays. Miss Donaldine Bell entertained a num-ber of the younger set last evening at a 5

Mrs. W. E. Lewis of First street will en-e and the Careman Card club Friday vening of this week. Roy DeVol has issued invitations for a lancing party to be given at his home Fri-lay evening. December 28. Miss Jessica Foster of Chicago will spend the holidays with her sisters, Mrs. E. A. McKesson and Miss Foster.

Miss Marion Crane of Park avenue will enterthin the "Glen Girls" at her home Monday evening, December 24.

Mrs. Victor E. Bender entertained at whist Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Ryburn, Refreshments were served. Mrs. J. B. Atkins has issued cards for a six-handed euchre party, to be given at her home Wednesday afternoon, December 26. Thomas B. Lacey will entertain about seventy-five of his friends at his home on Sixth avenue Tuesday evening. December

Mrs. George Robinson of South Sixth street had as her guest last week Mrs. G. B. Williams, principal of the Bellevue (Neb.) schools.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Burnham of Randolph, Neb., are in the city spending the holidays with Mrs. Burnham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mattingly of Third street.

The assembly of the Elite Dancing club Thursday night at the Royal Arcanum hall was attended by a large crowd, a num-ber of guests from Omaha being present. Mrs. E. A. McKesson and Miss Foster will entertain for Miss Jessica Foster of Chicago at a euchre party at the home of the former on Oakland avenue Wednesday,

Mrs. Victor Jennings entertained at cards Friday evening. The parlors were beautifully decorated with Meteor roses in elaborate profusion. Mesdames Cleaver and Mc-Kesson carried off the prizes.

The First Avenue Card club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. E. H. Doolittle. Miss Jessica A'worth was awarded the prize. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. C. Cooke of Willow avenue on Thursday evening, December 27.

ber 27.

A pretty home wedding occurred Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spies, 1610 Tenth avenue, when their daughter, Miss Helen B. Spies, was married to Mr. E. B. Crandall. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Wilson, pastor of the First Congregational church, the bride and groom standing beneath a canopy of smilax and roses. The bride was handsome in a beautiful gown of white mulle, trimmed with real point lace. She carried a boquet of bride's roses. Following the ceremony an elaborate wedding lunch was served in the dining room, the tables being tastefully decorated with ferns, carnations and American Beauty roses. Mr. and Mrs. Crandall left in the evening for the east and will be at home to their friends after January 1 at 305 Fourth street.

South Omaha News . THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE OWNER.

sued by the city council, City Clerk Shrigley is advertising for bids for supplies of various kinds in quantities large enough to last for oir months. It is thought in this way that considerable money can be saved. Bids for stationery, books, office supplies, coal, hay, grain, hardware, lumber, etc., will be received at the office o the clerk up to noon of December 20. In this case the city reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to make awards for each article separately or upon an average for each class, as shall be deemed for the best interests of the city. In making averages no bids will be considered unless each and every article in the class is bld upon.

nickel-in-the-slot machine and conveyed it months. It is estimated that 12,440 pounds to the city jail. The seizure was made on of ice will be needed for the city jail, police violated the rules laid down by the city ad- At least 150 tin tags for drays, milk and had been paying cash over the bar when his to Inspector Jones. Treasurer Koutsky and four tons of anthracite coal. The slot machine will be taken before Mitchell estimates that he will use 2,000 number of letterheads.

Should the plan, as proposed, be carried out, there will be a great deal of red tape The Wickham building is fast nearing about the purchase of supplies not noted in the estimates. However, in the Johnston resolution provision is made for emergency ing the glass for the building, expects to cases. A written order must be obtained first from the committee in charge and the bill attached to the order issued for the supplies, otherwise the finance committee

Improvements at Postoffice.

No action has been taken by the postai department yet in the request that an additional clerk be appointed to work until 11 p. m. in order that the packers may get in late mail. As it is now the office is closed at 9 o'clock and the packers are compelled to send great batches of mail intended for the late trains to Omaha. Postmaster Etter hopes that the department will take some action on this matter at an early date.

Banquet Monday Night.

Lewis Fergison has returned from Fort Niobrara. Mrs. C. F. Beavers has recovered from her recent illness.

Every

The members of the Ideal club will enter-aln their husbands New Year's eve at the lome of Mrs. Thomas Metcalf on Bluff threat The annual "feast" of the C. C. C.'s will be held this year Wednesday evening, De-cember 26, at the home of Miss Georgene Bobbington.

gram of dances made the evening a most enjoyable one. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. George Rudio entertained the mem-bers of the First Avenue Card club Wed-nesday evening at her home on South First street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shepard of Glen avenue ntertained a number of friends informally it cards Friday evening. Refreshments rere served.

The boys of the Apollo club will hold heir annual "feast" Wednesday evening. December 26, at the home of Mac Hanchett in Sixth street.

Misses Edna Keeline and Adah Sargent have invitations out for a large dancing party to be given at the Royal Arcanum hall Saturday evening, December 29.

cember 27. Miss Blanche Carrigg, who has been at-tending the Northwestern university of Chicago, will return home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carrigg.

Following the instructions recently is-

Heads of the various departments have made estimates of their needs for six mencing in May and ending in October

will not consider the claim.

Two additional delivery windows will be placed in the screen at the postoffice some time this week in order to secure a more rapid delivery of mail on Sundays As it is now there is only one window for carriers to deliver mail to patrons and this causes a regular stampede in the lobby between the hours of noon and 1 o'clock every Sunday. Complaints were frequently made to Postmaster Etter and a request for two more windows was made. The contract for the grill work was let to a Chicago firm six weeks ago and yesterday Captain Etter received word that the win dows had been shipped. When these windows are in position there will then be four windows for Sunday mail delivery. With four carriers working at one window it is thought that the crowd can be handled with such rapidity as to prevent any complaints in the future.

Secretary Watkins of the Commercial club said yesterday that he thought about 250 tickets for the banquet to be given Monday night had been sold. On account of the time being short the committee in charge of the sale of tickets, he said, had been unable to see all of the business men in Omaha, many of whom, he thought, would have purchased tickets if they had been called upon. Arrangements have been made, it stated, for the Board of Governors of the Ak-Sar-Ben to attend in a body. Members of

the executive board of the Auditorium committee will also be present. The object of the banquet, Mr. Watkins said, is to promote social and commercial relations between the two Omahas. On the tickets the hour of gathering is announced as 8:30 p. m., but this has been changed to

Magte City Gossip. I.. Westcott is reported on the sick list. See Ed Munshaw & Co. for lumber. Tel 285. O. E. Mayfield and wife are visiting in Denver.

Mrs. David Sturrock is confined to her nome with a severe cold. Mrs. Nellie Greist Cowing of Columbus, Neb., is here visiting friends.

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Express Wagons.

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Special lots in Underwear that space crowds out-all at reduced prices. Ladies' Union Suits, all grades-\$2, \$1.50, \$1, 89c, 50c and....... 190 Ladies' fine ribbed and fleece lined Underwear-ask to see them-50c, 39c SPECIAL-Ladies' all-wool Underwear, \$1.00 and Ladies' extra heavy wool fleeced

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Edge and Plain Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs. 150. 170 At 19c to \$1.50-Beautiful lines of Swiss Linen, Silk and Initial 19c 1.50

BOSTON

ent entertainment to be given on Christ An interesting meeting of Phil Kearney post and the Woman's Relief corps was Miss Eula Talbot of Alexis, Ill., is the guest of the Misses Conley, Twenty-third

Pastor Johnson is planning for a watch night service on New Year's eve at the Methodist church. City Clerk Shrigley and family are now alcely located in their new home at Twenty nicely located in thei third and D streets. W. A. McCollister is out again after hav-ing been laid up three weeks with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Miss Eithel McMillan, who has been suf-fering from an attack of tonsolitis, is re-ported considerably better.

Attorney P. A. Wells, who is drawing the new charter for the Commercial club, has about completed his labors. Mesdames Gibson, Russell, Monroe, Beck and Beam were received into the King'r Daughters circle last week.

Daughters circle last week.

Twelve candidates will be advanced through three degrees of the Odd Fellows at Monday night's meeting.

William Lafferty has been arrested here by Officers Briggs and Elsfelder on a charge of stealing hogs at Wymore.

William Barcley, Ninetcenth and Missouri avenue, is entertaining his mother, whose home is at Mount Pleasant, in.

The King's Daughters circle of the Present

The force in the city treasurer's office is busy these days making up tax statements City taxes become delinquent on January is Charles Hill Mrs. Wake and O. E. Blew have the Christmas music to be rendered at the First Presbyterian church in charge. Use Mclcher's Golden Cross Cough Syring t absolutely cures coughs and hoarseness Secretary Overton says that the junior de-department of the Young Men's Christian association is steadily adding to its num-

The cooper factory at Thirty-fifth and I streets is anxious to enlarge its plant as soon as arrangements for more ground can be made. Eva Ganz, the woman who raised a disturbance at the exchange a day or two ago, has been sent to the county jail for twenty days.

Storm sash. Howland Lumber and Coal company, Twenty-fourth street, between M Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. A. Johnson. 1324 North Twenty-sixth street, will enter-tain the Ladies' circle of the First Metho-dist Episcopal church. nd N streets.

Two extra clerks were put to work yes-terday at the postoffice to assist during the holiday rush. These clerks will work until the middle of January. On Thursday evening Degree of Honor lodge, No. 193, held a quilt raffle. Mr. Jensen held ticket No. 193, which carried away the prize, which was sold by Mrs. August Miller.

These are busy times these days at the Nebraska Shoe and Clothing House, South Omaha. Selling high-grade quality at low prices is the secret of this popular house's On Friday afternoon of this week the King's Daughters circle will meet with drs. David Garrett, 2418 M street. The annual election of officers will be held on

The next lecture in the Young Men's Christian association course will be given at the First Presbyterian church on the evening of December 21. Miss Gertrude Chiids will be the speaker.

Rev. W. E. Gross of the North Indiana conference and a representative of the conference and a representative of the Western Methodist Book Concern will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church both morning and evening today. both morning and evening today.

The Junior Epworth league will give a social in the parlors of the Methodist church on Friday afternoon, December 21.

A musical and literary program will be rendered and refreshments will be served.

Rev. J. A. Johnson, pastor of the First Mathodist church, and Rev. W. E. Gross of the Indiana conference will address the man's meeting at the Young Men's Chris-tion association at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Ill-fitting clothing makes ill-shaped men. The only way you can be sure of getting the right kind is by the brand at Flynn's You can get the H. S. & M. and the Kuppenheimer. We'll rest our reputation here. Mrs. Nellie Greist Cowing of Columbus, Neb., is here visiting friends.

Mrs. D. L. Holmes is still confined to her room with an attack of quinsy.

Twins, both boys, have been born to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kilker, 2017 Q street.

"Confessing Christ" is the Endeavor topic at the 6:30 o'clock services this evening.

Mrs. S. B. Christie, Twenty-fourth and H streets, is rapidly recovering her health.

Cottages built to suit buyers. Jno. J. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Durke have moved into their new residence on Twenty-third street.

Mrs. L. Westcott, who has been quite sick for four weeks, was reported some better yesterday.

Officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school are planning for an excel-



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The annual reception of the local Young Men's Christma stund.

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room house, cellar, well, cistern, stable, shade trees, fence, \$450; \$75 to \$100 down, balance monthly. Good 3-room house, nice corner lot, city water, cellar, good street, \$550. 6-room house, cellar, well, coal house, near Northwestern depot, \$950; easy terms. House of 5 rooms, cellar, well, barn, chicken house and buggy shed, \$700. Good house of \$ rooms, cellar, well, cistern, barn, two lots, only \$1.490.

Good house of 4 rooms and summer kitchen, cellar, city water, good 60-foot lot, coal house, \$1,100; \$100 down, balance \$13 to \$15 per month. Good 5-room cottage, cellar, cistern, city water, bath, cesspool, barn, \$1,600; \$150 cash, balance easy terms. Good 8-room house on Mill st., cellar, city water, cistern, barn, shade trees, only \$2.250. louse of 8 rooms, bath and closet, furnace, gas and barn, \$2.100. House of 7 rooms and store room, pantry, cemented cellar, city water, coal house, fruit, 4 blocks from P. O., only \$1,600.

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