

NEWS OF INTEREST TO IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells glass. Davis sells drugs. "Mr. Riley," 6-cent cigar. Fine Missouri oak, Gilbert Bros. Gas fixtures and globes at Hibby's. Moore's stock food pills, worms, fatness. Drink Budweiser beer. L. Rosendorf, agt. Leffert, Jeweler, optician, 236 Broadway. Fine line of platypouter at Alexander & Co., 322 E. 7th.

PAVING BIDS ARE REJECTED

Barber and Grant Companies Are to Get Their Certified Checks Back.

SURPRISE IS SPRUNG IN CITY COUNCIL

Aldermen Hammer and Lougee Oppose the Action, Claiming Advantage Is Taken of McDonald's Absence by Opponents of Asphaltum.

In the absence of Alderman McDonald at the special meeting of the city council yesterday afternoon Alderman Boyer, with the assistance of Alderman Clark, succeeded in having the bids of the Barber Asphalt company and the Grant Paving company for the paving of four streets in the Fourth ward rejected and their certified checks, deposited as evidence of good faith, ordered returned to them.

RECEIVERS FILE THEIR REPORT

Give Detailed Account of Transactions of Office of Pusey Bank.

Receivers of the Pusey Bank, yesterday afternoon filed their report of the transactions under the order of the court from the date of their appointment up to and including December 31. The report shows the receipts and disbursements of the receivers up to that date. The report is a voluminous document and covers many pages of typewritten matter.

GRINNELLS MAY QUIT

Possible Disruption Between Operators and Diggers, Resulting in General Tie-Up.

GRINNELLS, Ia., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—The contest of mine operators and miners, which is to be held in Ottumwa in February to arrange a scale of prices for 1901, is likely to witness a disagreement between miners and operators which may result in the closing of all coal mines in Iowa. The trouble is not an imaginary one, but extremely real. The miners are of the opinion that they have a grievance, and the operators are equally insistent that they will not yield the point.

SHAW CANNOT TAKE THEM

Escort to Washington Would Have to Be at Its Own Expense.

NO PRECEDENT FOR ANY OTHER COURSE

Iowa Has Never Sent Soldiers Away to Attend Political Functions Except When They Have Paid Their Own Fare.

DES MOINES, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—If any of the companies of the Iowa National guard go to Washington to accompany Governor Shaw and his staff when they attend the second inaugural of President McKinley they will go at their own expense.

There are no thorns in the use of JAI ROSE SOAP. It will not injure the most delicate skin because of its ABSOLUTE PURITY. KIRK makes it Dealers sell it.

PERFUMERY...

Diagonal, vice president, Charles Bordiner, Ogden, Utah; secretary, Ray Britton, Diagonal. \$5,000 Fire in Des Moines. Fire this morning did damage in Des Moines to the amount of about \$5,000. The injury was done to the Standard Packing company, the Hawkeye Transfer company and the Des Moines Incubator company, all in warehouses in East Des Moines. The property was all well insured.

Dell G. Morgan's Drug Store.

142 Broadway, Council Bluffs. Centerville Coal. And coal from the best mines in the country. Also hard coal and wood. Prompt delivery is our motto. Transfer Line Between Council Bluffs and Omaha. Council Bluffs Office, No. 23 North Main St., Telephone 128. Omaha Office, 311 South 12th Street, Telephone 1308.

WILLIAM WELCH, BARTEL & MILLER

400 Broadway—Tel. 550. Plum, 10c; Peaches, 12c; Apricot, 15c; Other goods in proportion. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3.—Seventy-five real estate and loan agents from different parts of Missouri met here today and organized an association to fight the third amendment to the constitution of the state placing a tax on mortgages.

WILL FIGHT MORTGAGE TAX

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A Measure of Merit

Omaha Citizens Should Weigh Well This Evidence. Proof of merit lies in the evidence. Convincing evidence in Omaha. It is not the testimony of strangers. The member has done the value of farm property and other securities because of its having created a demand for great security for loans.

Children's Feet Slippers

HAMLTON'S SHOE STORE. In this city, but we do claim to sell the best shoes made for the money of any house in the country. This isn't boasting. It is a modest statement. When you want shoes and full value for your money go to SARGENT'S Look for the Bear.

FARM LOANS

Negotiated in Eastern Nebraska and Iowa. James N. Casady, Jr., 117 Main St., Council Bluffs, Ia.

Save Your Money

By Investing With THE SAVINGS, LOAN AND BUILDING ASS'N., 132 Pearl Street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

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Fail to Bear the Cost

On North Second street the total yardage of paving is 2,879.77 yards, the cost being: Cash, \$5,538.83; certificates, \$3,714.57. Two pieces of property were found of insufficient value to bear the entire cost of the assessment. The property of Alderman Hammer at the corner of Vine street is assessed at \$407.12, for the paving was reduced to \$309, the difference to be paid out of the improvement. In the case of the Horace Everett property at the corner of Washington avenue the assessment was cut from \$304.27 to \$220 on the east side and on the west side the city will bear the full cost.

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ARCHBISHOP KEENE IS EXPECTED

Will arrive in Omaha on Sunday, January 13, 1901.

DEFENDS THE CLINTON CLUB

CLINTON, Ia., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—Harry N. Pillsbury defended Tuesday the members of the Clinton Chess Club in a contest which began here last night and was not concluded until this morning. He won all the games, which were played simultaneously, and at the same time held hands in duplicate whist and played and won several games of checkers.

Say Laura Smokes Too Much

LEON, Ia., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—Laura Evans, a former inmate of the girls' reformatory at Mitchellville, is thought to have had her mind unbalanced by smoking cigarettes. Tuesday night she took carbolic acid and was only saved from death by prompt and vigorous medical attendance.

NEW BUILDING FOR IOWA CITY

IOWA CITY, Ia., Jan. 3.—(Special.)—Denison Bros., dry goods merchants of Cedar Falls and Dubuque, are to erect a four-story building here for their own use.

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