

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Levi's sells drugs. Stocker sells face curtains. Fine A B beer, Neumayer's hotel. Schmitt, scientific optician, 49 1/2 W. ...

GETS AFTER MOTOR COMPANY

City Council Insists on Attention to Street Crossings.

CONTRACTS AWARDED LOWEST BIDDERS

Property Owners on Fourth and Story Streets Give Notice that They Will Refuse to Pay for Paving.

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City, where it has been located since 1887. A committee of the Cedar Rapids Commercial club has gone to St. Paul to protect the interests of this city during the biennial session of the grand division of the order, which meets Tuesday. Five thousand members of the order, which will be submitted to the grand division at St. Paul this week, will show 405 divisions and 24,772 members of the order, which is an increase of nearly 3,000 members during the last biennial period. There are now 20,115 members of the insurance department.

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The town of Dumont, in Bremer county, was nearly destroyed by fire on Sunday. The blaze originated in a quantity of baled hay stored in a barn. A fierce northwest wind fanned the blaze and soon became unmanageable. Dumont is a new town and had nothing whatever in the shape of fire-fighting apparatus. The fire covered the whole town in two hours and had destroyed the school, the church and removed their contents. The water tank of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad was burned and impeded the track of the company all day. The total loss is not far from \$50,000.

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Compeers Calls Different Organizations of Officers Late Conference.

WILL PRESENT UNITED FRONT ON MAY 20

Are Arranging to Insist, Concidentally, on the Establishment of the Nine-Hour Day After the Specified Time.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—In view of the movement initiated by the International Association of Machinists for the establishment of a nine-hour work day, May 20, President Compeers of the American Federation of Labor called a conference of the officers of the organizations particularly interested in the machinery trades of the country, the conference being held at the headquarters of the International Association of Machinists, John Mulholland of the International Association of Allied Metal Mechanics, L. R. Thomas of the Pattern-makers' League of North America and E. J. Lynch of the Metal Polishers, Buffers, Filaters and Brass Workers' Union of North America, met and discussed the various phases of the matter and plans have been determined upon so that concerted action will be taken on or before May 20. The purpose of the general movement is to establish the nine-hour work day for all engaged in the machinery industry. The conference will be continued tomorrow morning at the headquarters of the American Federation of Labor, when a general policy will be decided upon.

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AUDUBON, Ia., May 13.—(Special.)—A ball game against the High school was won by the Audubon team, 12 to 10. Audubon batteries: Jones and Hayes; for the High school, Mantz and McFarlane. The game was remarkable for the number of accidents. A study of the game was behind the bat when a foul ball passed the catcher and broke his nose and badly bruised his face. Fred Sprinkle, the Audubon catcher, was caught between the little and third fingers by the ball, tearing his hand so that several stitches were necessary. A number of other players were hurt.

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