

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

Crowings.

Property Owners on Fourth and Story

Streets Give Notice that They

Will Refuse to Pay for

Paving.

The city council decided last night that

the motor company should be required to

live up to its provisions of the ordinance

granting it the franchise under which it

operates regarding the planking of crossings

made that the company had neglected to

where it had taken up the ralls of the

up by the motor company have never been

replaced. Complaint was also made that

whereas its franchise provides that

After considerable discussion the city

marshal was instructed to notify the motor

company to replace the crossings on South

Ninth street without further delay and

the council will meet as a committee of

the whole Wednesday afternoon to go over

the streets complained of and determine

Contracts for Supplies.

The contracts for furnishing supplies to

cut, as he failed to provide for the union

label on his printing. Attorney McCabe ap-

peared before the council on behalf of

been cut through and the owners desired

Property owners on Fourth and Story

the company is laying new ralls.

replace crossings on South Ninth street.

kindred matters. Complaint was

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

and

MINOR MENTION.

Lizvis sells drugs. Stockert sells lace curtains. Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel. Wollman, scientific optician, 409 B way. Sciunidt's fine photos guaranteed to please. H. S. Hutchins left yesterday for a trip o Spokane, Wash.

Good wages paid to a competent girl at b) South Elighth street. The regular meeting of Excelsior Masonie lodge will be this evening.

The Knights and Ladies of Security will meet tonight in Marcus' hall.

W. F. Graff, undertaker and disinfector, 161 South Main street. Phone 505. Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. Phone 157.

Usen Hall's Magic Compound. Best dan-druff cure and hair preserver known. Special attention given to wedding pres-ents. C. E. Alexander & Co., 355 B way. The May term of the superior court will be convened this morning by Judge Ayles-

Palm Grove will hold a special meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Woodmen of the World hall.

the World hall. Found, a pony. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement. Call at 207 South Eighth street. Mrs. E. F. Watts has returned from Jacksonville, III. where she went to attend the funeral of her sister. Captain Denny of the night police force and a party of friends left yesterday for a fishing trip to Bigelow. Mo. Larmes Jackson, a student in the Sloux

old Manawa line, and on South Sixth street and Avenue C, where it had torn up the tracks laid by the Suburban company last

James Jackson, a student in the Sloux City Medical college, is spending his vaca-tion with relatives in this city. Mrs. O. H. Brown of South Seventh street, ft yesterday for a visit with her sister.

Afts of the state of the state

Barker, aged 19, both of Hed Oak, 18, Take home a brick of vanilla cream, 25 cents, ar Neapolitan, 35 cents. Will keep one hour without ice. A. Metzzer & Co. Adoption papers were filed yesterday by which Mrs. Delia Zentz gives her only child, Bessie, to her brother, W. L. Sluaher. Word was received here yesterday of the death in Cleveland of Miss Jennie Pile, a former teacher in the public schools of this

The woman's suxillary of the Grace church will give a musical and dancing party next Friday evening in Hughes' hail. Admission, 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fletcher have returned from an extended solourn in Arizona, where they went for the benefit of the former's health.

Dell Finck, charged with assault by Mrs. G. Roland, yesterday secured in Justice Bryant's court a continuance of his case for thirty days. He was released on bond. The case against Louis Feblowitz in con-nection with charges made against him by Mrs. Clarlscy Hayes, was dismissed in Jus-tice Bryant's court yesterday by the county attorney

These building permits have been issued.

divided between the Nonparell company, The bids of Morchouse & Co. were thrown

These building permits have been issued: T. C. Carroll, one-stary frame cottage, \$1,660 in Beere's addition. C. Costerson, one-story frame cottage, 5560 in Bayllas & Palmer's addition. S. F. Shuart, agent of the Adams Express company in this city, has been notified to accept and ship free of charges all ex-press matter consigned for the benefit of the sufferers from the recent fire at Jack-sonville. Fig.

A defective flue gave the fire department a run vesterday morning to 52 Franklin street, occupied by Samuel Woodard and family on the first floor and Mrs. Mary Smith, the owner, on the second. The damage to the roof was estimated at about of

325. Jacob Stein began suit in the supreme court yesterday against Dr. O. W. Gordon for \$509 for alleged failure on the part of the defendant to carry out the sale of a lot in Baylies' First addition, on which the plainting alleges to have paid \$100 as part of the purchase money

the purchase money. The policeman of Bayliss park found yes, terday morning under one of the benches in the park a woman's dalpty sith slipper. He park a woman's dalpty sith slipper. He is wondering whether the owner of the slipper had to walk home Sunday night in her stocking foot. He says he will keep th safe until the owner applies to him for it. Deputy City Marshal White auctioned off yesterday in front of the police station a soll taire diamond ring which had been held & Krohn one at 522 Broadway. The pourth and Story trustees on Fourth and Story trustees of the tree public library of Coun-trustees of the tree public library of count in Bremer county, was nearly destroyed by fire on Sunday. The blaze originated in a quantity of baled having the label of to remedy the nuisance of the overflow form the adjacent hill streets. Ed Rogers was granted a permit to con-a soll taire diamond ring which had been held & Krohn one at 522 Broadway. safe until the owner applies to him for it. Deputy City Marshal White auctioned off yesterday in front of the police station a solitaire diamond ring which had been held as collater diamond ring which had been held as collater diamond ring which had been held as collater of a loan by Officer & Pusey. Receivers Beresheim and Murphy, under instructions from the court, foreclosed on the ring and the sale was under special execution. The bidding started at \$75 and the sparkler was finally knocked down to Jack White at \$70. The ring was formerly the property of E. W. Cappell.

tlement of the controversy was reached. HOME FOR AGED FARMERS afternoon and it is thought that the strike will be ended today The walkout will not interfere with the

progress of the work, as Manager Nichola GETS AFTER NOTOR COMPANY stated he could secure all the linemen needed at short notice.

THREE SENTENCED FOR BREAKING. City Council Insists on Attention to Street Sportock, Carter and Woman Get One

Year Aplece. Clarence Spurlock, Thomas Carter and

John Noonan, convicted of breaking and entering, were sentenced yesterday by Judge CONTRACTS AWARDED LOWEST BIDDERS Wheeler of the district court to one year apiece in the penitentiary at Fort Madison. Spurlock was convicted on the charge of breaking into the barn of William Kirby of Keg Creek township and stealing a set of harness, the property of George S. Davis of this city. Carter and Noonan both pleaded guilty to breaking into the office of David Bradley & Co., on South Main street, and stealing revenue and postage stamps.

The jury in the suit of Leo Wolfsen against Allen Bros. of Omaha was instructed by Judge Wheeler on the convening of court and after being out a short time brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$362.50. Wolfsen sued for \$352 for commission on the sale of a baking powder. which the defendant firm declined to accept. In the suit of Thomas Martin against W. F. Baker, over the sale of a bill of lumyear. These streets, it was reported, are her, which was tried by the court, a jury almost impassable and the crossings taken having been waived by both sides, a verdict was returned for the defendant.

The trial jury was ordered to report next Monday, instead of a week later as the company since commencing to replace its rails on Avenue A with heavler steel previously announced. Judge Wheeler will was putting in twelve-foot plank crossings go to Red Oak this morning and hold court there the balance of the week. He will reshould plank the crossings the entire width turn here next Monday and complete the of the street. The same conditions are business of this term. said to prevail on Upper Broadway, where This rearrangement of the law assign-

ment was made by Judge Wheeter:

Monday, May 29-H. L. Tinley, adminis-trator, against Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company: Henry Braz against Omaha & Council Bluffs Rail-Braz against Omana & Council Bulls Kall-way and Bridge company.
Tuesday, May 21-G. H. Scott against D.
S. Frank: Nels Jacobsen against Union Pa-cific Railroad company.
Wednesday, May 22-John A. Murphy against E. A. Mueller and others: George Chase and others against city of Council Bluffs.

the city for the ensuing year as regards printing, hardware, drugs and miscellaneous articles were awarded to the lowm and Monday, tothers. (a), May 27-E. D. Summitt against States Life Insurance company William Burrhus against Illinois Rallway company: Braydon Hais and others; Joseph Scott Isauc Enliard and others. All States Life Insurance company Braydon Hais and others. States Life Insurance company Braydon States Life Insurance company Braydon States Life Insurance company Braydon States Company Braydon States Life Insurance company Braydon States Insurance company States I est bidders according to a tabulation furnished by the city clerk. The contracts for printing and blanks were about equally ntral Franklin Printing company and J. Dietrich. against

UNION LABEL IS VICTORIOUS. Trustees of Public Library Adopt It

on Local Printing. The

Morchouse in opposition to the resolution adopted by the council requiring the union library meeting at its monthly session yeslabel on all printed matter purchased by it. A resolution was adopted authorizing the city to reconvey to the owners such portions of their lots as had been deeded to the city for the purpose of an alley be-Eighth street west. The alley had never

typographical union, which called for the poration. label on all printed matter used and distributed by the board. The resolution as

Refuge Established by foott County Resident There are now 20,415 members of the in-Has Etrict Requirements.

IOWA

FIRE SWEEPS THE TOWN OF DUMONT

the home almost useless.

Woman Wonts Damages for Son's Death-Gas Plant for Holstein-Negro Slashed by Com-

panion's Knife. (From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 13.-(Special.)-The charitable designs of a wealthy lows farmer which at first seemed destined to bear no fruit are about to be realized by reason of

The procession was the first in a series of the wisdom of his sole surviving daughter. five to be made on future Sundays, and it Nine years ago N. Fejervary, a wealthy was headed by the rector of the cathedral. farmer of Scott county, turned over to a Rev. J. J. Toomey. All the societics of the committee of three trustees his home and parish, both men and women, turned out to a large amount of property for the purpose give expression of their fidelity to the of establishing what is known as the church of Rome. The churches visited by ejervay Home for Old Farmers. Mr the pilgrims were the Sacred Heart, St. Fejervary desired especially to assist farm-Mary's and St. Patrick's. When the proers who had grown old and needed assistcession returned to the cathedral Rev. ance and he made it a condition of en-Father Toomey gave expression to his grattrance to the home that the applicant must ification and congratulated the pilgrims on have been born in the United States, never the showing they made. This was followed have been convicted of crime, be over 60 by benediction of the blessed sacrament. years old and to have been engaged prac-Yesterday's procession contained many of tically for twenty years in farming in Scott the leading persons of the city. Judges, county, lowa. He died before it became

lawyers, county officials and prominent evident to him that the requirements made business men walked side by side with the bronzed son of toil. The jubilee will last

Only six persons have ever sought the six months, ending the last day of October. comforts of this home and as they were Sunday next other churches will begin mak all advanced in life the number has been ing the rounds of the prescribed shrines. reduced until at the present time there is but one old man to enjoy the comforts

of the home Mr. Fejervary provided for GAME IS FULL OF MISHAPS old farmers. The fact has long since been realized by the trustees that any native Umpire's Nose Broken by Ball and American who has farmed continuously in Pitcher's Hand Torn at lowa for twenty years doesn't need a Audubon.

home provided by charity. The sole heir of the estate is Miss Fejervary, now liv-AUDUBON, Ia., May 13.-(Special.)-A ing in Buda Pesth, and she has forwarded ball game against the High school was won to the trustees a modification of the trust by the Audubon team, 12 to 10. Audubon to the extent that they may admit to the batteries: Jones and Hayes: for the High

home such old persons, residents of Scott school, Mantz and McFarlane. The game

22, 1898, on a capitalization of \$136,000,000.

when it paid \$350, then the maximum fee. February 1, 1899, it paid \$1,650, when the capital was increased to \$163,460,100. March

board of trustees of the public 4, 1899, the capital was increased to \$196 -178,700 and no fee was exacted. Now anterday afternoon adopted a resolution pro- other \$100,000,000 is added and \$2,000 is viding for the use of the Typographical charged. The failure to exact a fee on one union label on all printed matter ordered occasion was due to the misapprehension of by the board from local printing establish- the law at that time. There is much comments. This is but a partial endorsement plaint in Iowa over the excessive fees retween Fourth and Fifth avenues from of the resolution introduced by the local quired for the filing of articles of incor-Fire in Northern Iowa

The town of Dumont, in Bremer county,

Order of Railway Conductors away from this 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 Gompers Calls Different Organizations' Ofthe blennial session of the grand division

of the order, which meets Tuesday. Reports, which will be submitted to the grand division at St. Paul this week, will show WILL PRESENT UNITED FRONT ON MAY 20

405 divisions and 24,772 members of the order, which is an increase of nearly 3.000 members during the last biennial period. Are Arranging to Insist, Concertedly,

on the Establishment of the surance department. Mac-Hour Day After the Specified Time.

CATHOLICS BEGIN HOLY YEAR

Five Thousand at Dubuque March in Band to Various Churches.

DUBUQUE, In., May 10 .- (Special.)-The lishment of a nine-hour work day, May 20. President Gompers of the American Federholy year of jubilee, commemorating the ation of Labor called a conference of the beginning of the twentieth century, was officers of the organizations particularly begun by the Catholics of this city yesterinterested in the machinery trades of the day. Five thousand members of St. Racountry, the conference being held at the phael's cathedral marched in a body quarters of the federation here to lay, James through the principal streets and made O'Connell of the International Association short visits at three other churches, reof Machinists, John Mulholland of the Inciting therein prayers of thanksgivings. crnational Association of Alled Metal

Mechanics, L. R. Thomas of the Pattern makers' League of North America and E. J. Lynch of the Metal Polishers, Buffers, Flaters 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.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP HOUSE

Boarding Place of Keystone Miners Has Narrow Escape from Annihilation.

ficera Into Conference.

WASHINGTON. May 13 .- In view of the

movement initiated by the International

Association of Machinists for the estab-

KEYSTONE, S. D., May 12.-(Special Telegram.)-An attempt was made last week to blow up the boarding house of the uyahoga Mining company, near this city. A man named Harris was beaten in court

a contesting the possession of some ground claimed by the company and it is alleged that he has attempted vengeance. quantity of giant powder was placed near the boarding house and the explosion nearly accomplished the destruction of the place.

Goes to Muster in Militia. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-A. P. Sessions of this city, assistant adjutant general of South Dakota, left today for Howard, where tonight he will muster into service Company H fingers by the ball, tearing his hand so of the state militia, which has been organ-

> Missouri Rising in Dakota. PIERRE, S. D., May 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Jupe rise in the river has egun here, the government gauge showing rise of over four feet since Saturday

night, showing seven feet tonight. Approved.

First Submarine Cable. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., May 13 .- (Special.)-The first submarine cable was laid across the English channel about fifty years ago. It was also about the same time that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the world renowned dyspepsia cure, was first introduced to the public. If you are a sufferer from this ailment, or from indigestion, flatulency. constipation, nervousness or insemnia you should try it at once, if you would be well

It will strengthen your entire system and produce sound sleep.

Goes to New York Tuesday and Starts Back to lowa Wednes-

WELDING ALL MACHINISTS Letters Proving

Positively that there is No Medicine for Woman's Ills Equal to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

PROFUSE PERIODS.

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"I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's VegetableCompoundabout three months ago. and cannot expres the wonderful good it has done me Menstruationswere so profuse as to ILD.HOOGE leave me very weak

Was also troubled with leucorrhom tired feeling, bearing down sensation, pain across the back and thighs felt as though there was a heavy weight in my stomach all the time have taken two bottles of the medicine. and now have better health than I have had for four years.

MRS. LIZZIE DICKSON HODGE. Avalon, Ohio

CHANGE OF LIFE.

"I was taken sick five years ago with 'The Grippe,' and had a relapse and was given up by the doctor and my friends. Change of Life began to work on me. I flowed very badly until a were made and lungs



got so bad, I suffered terribly; the blood went up in mylungs and stomach. blood went up in my lungs and stomach, and I vomited it up. I could not cat scarcely anything. I cannot tell what I suffered with my head. My husband got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and before I had taken half of it I begon to improve. and to-day I am another woman. Pinkham's medicine has saved my life. I cannot praise it enough." M. A. DESSON, Millport, N Y

\$5000 will be paid if this testime-nial is not genuine. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co.

NERVITA PILLS

Restore Vitality, Lost Vigor and Manhood

Cure importency. Night Emissions. Loss of Mem-ory, all wasting diseases. A nerve to nic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pate the pink glow to pate the of youth. By mail S2.50, with our bankable gaurantee to cure or refund the money paid. Send for circular and or py of our bankable gaurantee bond.



(TELLOW LADEL) Positively guaranteed cure for Loss of Power, Varicecele. Undeveloped or Shrunken Organs, Paresis. Locomotor Ataxia, Nervous Prestan-tion, Hysteria, Fits, Insanity, Paralysis and the Results of Excessive Use of Tobacco, Optium of Liquor. By mail in plain package, \$1.00 a box, 6 for \$5.00 with our bankable guar-antee bond to cure in 30 days or refund money paid. Address

NERVITA MEDICAL CO. Olinton & Jackson Sts., CHICAGO, ILL For sale by hunn & Co., 15th and Dougis St., Omana, Neb.; Geo. & Davis, Council Bluffe, lows

Bluffs. Thursday, May 23-J. A. Lett against Chi-cago & Northwestern Rallway company (special); H. Bhoemaker against Rebecca J. Hoopes and others. Friday, May 23-Parila, Orendorf & Mar-tin Co. against J. J. Brown; H. J. Rath against Hatry Rath. Saturday, May 25-Council Bluffs Savings bank against N. W. Williams; W. C. Durkes, treasurer, against Claus Thomp-son and others. that several stitches were necessary. A jzed there, number of other players were hurt.

first refused to pay the fee. The first filing IOWA MAN FOR PHILIPPINES Appointment of Carl Hebrens of

Janesville as Teacher is

President Secrley has approved the appointment of Carl Hehrens, principal of the Janesville schools, to a place as teacher in the Philippines. He is a graduate of the normal school, and at the opening of the Spanish-American war volunteered in the company from the school. The salary is \$1,200 per year.

CONGER IS TO RETURN SOON

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250,

To State Diocesan Convention.

These delegates and alternates to the Iowa State Diocesan convention of the Episcopal church in Des Moines May 21. 22 and 23, were elected vesterday afternoor at the meeting of the vestry of St. Paul's church: Delegates-M. F. Rohrer, J. T. Stewart, second; Leonard Everett, H. A Quinn, H. W. Binder and I. M. Treynor. Alternates-A. D. Annis, W. L. Douglass, E. H. Merriam, L. H. Greer, C. R. Tyler and A. T. Elwell

Real Estate Transfers.

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

O. Seiffert Lumber company to reen Bay Lumber company, lots 5 and 6, block 2, town of Minden, \$2.500 J. Seaman to John H. Miller, lot block 30, Howard add., Council

Bluffs, q. c.
H. G. Fisher and wife to George E. Fisher and E. F. Amy, lots 14 and 15 and n50 feet of lots 16, 17 and 18, block 5, village of Underwood, w. d.
Bessie I. Patterson to William E. Cline, lots 8 and 7, block 7, Street's add. Council Bluffs, w. d.
George W. Day to F. J. Day, part of lot 3, block 9, Eubank's 2d add. to Council Bluffs, also strip 45x100 feet adjoining on east, q. c. d.
J. H. Emarine and wife et al to Mattie Emarine, lots 9 and 10, block 11, Stutsman's 2d add., Council Bluffs, q. c. d. Helrs of Samuel Price to John B. Price and Samuel C. Price, nw4, 19-76-43.

Seven transfers, total.....

The Admiral Toe One of Hanan's best makes of shoes. Have you L seen it in our show window? We have some others there, too, that are beauties. SARGENT'S Look for the Bear.

********************************** FARM LOANS

Negotiated in Eastern Nebraska and Iowa. James N. Casady, jr., 126 Main St., Council Bluffs.

LEWIS CUTLER **Funeral Director** (Successor to W. C. Estep) 28 PEARL STREET. 'Phone 97.

THE BIG RUSH Is over, but we still have a good supply of those tooth brushes at ONE DIME cach. Better get one

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Dell G. Morgan's Drug Store. 162 Broadway.

pretty soon

the title to their land back.

& Krohn one at 522 Broadway. The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the and C. R. Tyler were appointed a commitbrick culvert on East Pierce street. It will cost several hundred dollars.

The bill for a Monroe road machine bought by the streets and alleys committee for \$200 was ordered paid.

The council adjourned to next Monday night. It will meet this afternoon at 3 wise the city would be at the expense of o'clock as a board of review, when it ex- such transportation. pects to complete the work of revising the assessment.

Found-A pony. Owner can have same by **Eighth** street

Davis sells paint.

ELECTRIC LINEMEN WALK OUT.

Object to Reinstatement of Man Who Was Discharged.

Twenty linemen employed in the construction of the new lines of the Citizens' Gas and Electric Light company, owing to an alleged grievance, quit work and walked out yesterday morning. The men took exception to Foreman Hathaway putting to work again yesterday morning a man who 55 had been discharged Saturday. The man over whom the trouble arose is a member of the union and said to be in good stand-

The men who walked out allege that after they had quit work Friday evening this 175 man climbed a pole and opened a circuit which had been closed and properly tested. The matter was reported to the foreman and he promised to investigate. As a result of the investigation Foreman Hathaway, it is said, found no evidence to implicate this lineman and he was permitted to go to work yesterday morning. Twenty 3,128 of the men refused to work with him and laid down their tools and walked out. .\$6,440

Manager Nichols of the Citizens' Gas and Electric Light company refused to discharge the man and said that if there was any cause for complaint against the lineman in question it ought to be taken up by the union and not by his company. The striking men all belong to the Omaha union and George E. Russell, business agent of the union, was sent for. He held a conference with Manager Nichols, but no set-



mind your eye: Quality of lens-the very best optical tlass or crystal.

glass or crystal. Quality of frames-the best material, con-structed for both appearance and dura-bility.

billity. Accuracy in examination-accuracy in fit-ting frames so they afford greater comfort. You can't afford to economize in eye cure beyond the point of safety. You may get spectacles for 10 cents and save what you would pay us for the right kind, but time will prove it faise economy. Our prices are right, and nowhere less for services ren-dered.

Herman M. Leffert, Graduate Optician. 236 Broadway.

Frustees Trustees Walter I. Smith, W. S. Baird tee to confer with the motor company with a view to securing street car passes for the employes of the library. The ordinance franchise provides that all city employes shall be furnished with passes where other-

Sundays from June 2 to September 15, inclusive. The librarian was instructed to receive Capital City State bank of Des Moines.

which the board ordered purchased. of April showed these statistics: Number takers, 9.472; number of books taken, 4.422;

received from rented books, \$14.69; amount paid to date for rented books. \$112.55; amounted received from rented books. \$90.17; number of books in circulating library on May 1, 17,990; in government department, 5,380 The report of the finance committee

showed the balance in the library fund on May 1 to be \$591.05. WILL NOT ISSUE INJUNCTION.

Judge Wheeler Denies County Attorney's Plea. Judge Wheeler yesterday denied the application of County Attorney Killpack for a temporary injunction restraining Alfred Blomberg from conducting a saloon in Cut-Off. It was denied on the grounds that the evidence before the court was that Blomberg was not engaged in the saloon business when the action was begun and had

not been for some time previous and further that there was nothing to show that he intended engaging in such business in violation of the law.

Blomberg was indicted by the grand jury at this term of court on the charge of maintaining a nuisance and County Attorney Killpack states he intends to prosecute the criminal charge against him, despite the refusal of the court to sustain the equity case against him. It is alleged that Blomberg and others have conducted saloons in Cut-Off without paying the state or county license.

Lecturers for Normal Institute. County Superintendent McManus has secured these prominent lecturers for addresses before the Pottawattamie County Normal institute, which will be held in this city June 17 to July 1, inclusive: Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, president of the Arnour institute of Chicago; Dr. Emerson E. White of Columbus, O., and Dr. Robert Mc-Intyre of Chicago. Prof. McManus hopes make the necessary arrangements whereby these lectures will be free to the teachers attending the institute.

Davis sells glass. Gravel roofing A. H. Read, 541 Broad's

Rubber statops at DeLong's, 307 B'way.

Guardian for Insane Wife. Colonel F. C. Reed filed an application in the district court yesterday to be appointed temporary guardian of his wife. Theresa Reed, who was adjudged insane in 1898 and who is now said to be incurable and an inmate of the state asylum at Clarinda. Mrs. Reed recently fell heir to a block in Manawa park and the application is for the purpose of disposing of this property. Suit was recently brought in the name of Mrs. Reed against the motor company to restrain it from trespassing on this property.

The ladies wonder how Mrs. B. manages to preserve her youthful looks. The secret is she takes Prickly Ash Bitters; it keeps Council Binffs. the system in perfect order.

covered the whole town in two hours and the citizens could do nothing more than remove their household goods and let everything else burn. The water tank of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad was

burned and impeded the track of the comunder which the motor company enjoys its pany all day. The total loss is not far from \$60,000.

New State Banks.

The Exchange bank at Earlham is to be made into a state bank and incorporated it was decided to close the library on by U. B. Johnson and M. D. Hill, the present owners, who will also have associated with them J. A. McKinney, cashier of the

paying for this ad. Call at 307 South bids on a list of sixty-nine new books. The Dexter Savings bank has been incorporated with a capital of \$15,000; president The report of the librarian for the month | H. H. Holmes; cashier, C. E. Bales.

A new bank is to be established at Redof visitors, 5,652; number of visitors on field by W. D. Harris of Wilton Junction Sundays, 125; number of registered book- and others, and the building is now being erected therefor.

Sues on Account of Boy's Death. Mrs. Emma A. Horn of Ottumwa has brought suit against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad for the death of her 10-year-old son, Willie Horn, claiming damages in the sum of \$20,000. The

boy was struck by a switch engine last November and killed. At the time he was assisting the trainmen in work upon their invitation.

Will Teach Filipinos.

C. E. Steele, who has been in charge of the Young Men's Christian association work at Cedar Falls, has been appointed a teacher to go to the Philippines under a three years' contract at \$900 a year. His wife will accompany him and will probably be appointed a teacher also. Mr. Strele

is a graduate of the lowa State Normal school and was recommended by the president of that school for appointment. Gas for Holstein.

Des Moines contractors are at work putting in an acetylene gas plant at Holstein. Ida county. Twelve thousand feet of mains are now complete. The plant will have two mammoth generators of a capacity of 300 pounds of carbide each. About 500 gas jets will be used at first in the residences of the town, and practically all of the business houses will use the gas and there will be thirty-two street lights. The sys tem is to be in operation by June 1, and if successful a number of other towns in that part of the state will contract for similar plants.

Home from Philippines.

Captain Amos Brandt, formerly county auditor and an old resident of Des Moines returned today from the Philippines, where he had been with the Thirty-second infantry as a captain for nearly two years. Captain Brandt will probably accept the position of deputy auditor of state. Negro Cutting Affair.

Samuel Wade was arrested this morning

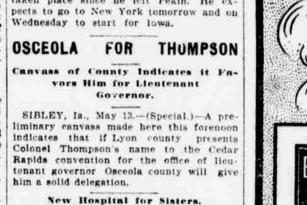
on a warrant accusing him of a murderous assault upon his son-in-law, John Spregg. Both are negroes, and yesterday they be came engaged in an altercation at their home south of the city, which resulted in Spregg being much cut up about the face and hands. He is at the hospital, but his wounds are not likely to prove fatal.

Supreme Court Term.

The lowa supreme court meets in regular session tomorrow. All the judges of the court have been in their rooms in consultation several days. It is anticipated that one of the first decisions to be announced will be that of the Polk county courthouse, pending which nothing is being done toward building the new courthouse A class of over 100 applicants for admission to the bar will be examined.

To Protect Railway Headquarters. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 13 .- (Special. -An effort is being made by the city o Cleveland to take the headquarters of the

day. WASHINGTON, May 13 .- Minister Conger has completed the examination of the Chinese correspondence which has taken place since he left Pekin. He ex-





Body Brought Home to Hamburg. HAMBURG, Ia., May 13.-(Special.)-The body of John Woodward, a farmer here for years, was brought to Hamburg from Peru Neb., where he died of apoplexy.

Killing Frost in Iowa

BURLINGTON. Ia., May 13.-(Special Telegram.)-There was a killing frost Sunday night over a wide area in Iowa.



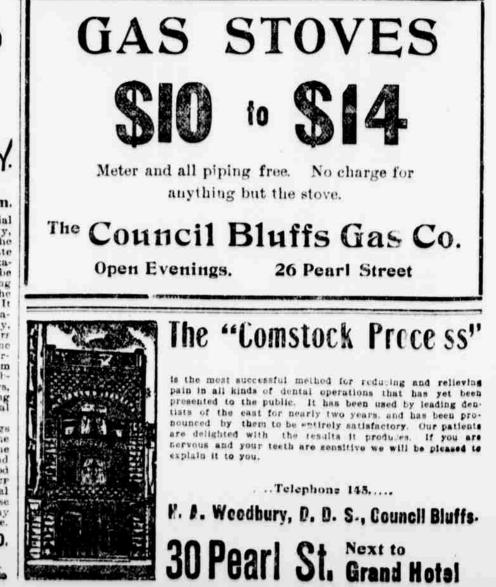
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