## INTEREST FROM NEWS OF

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells lace curtains. Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel. Victor Heaters. Bixby & Sons, agents. Wollman, scientific optician, 40 B'way. Schmidt's fine photos guaranteed to please Mics Essie Mikesell is home from a visit t Logan, Ia.

Roy Bosen is home from the military academy at Mexico, Mo. Kar: Mayne left last evening on a bust-ness trip to Kansas City. Ideal heads in water color. C. E. Alex-auder & Co., 333 Broadway.

The journeymen barbers will meet to-night in belor hall to organize. Teams wanted for hauling in town, E. A. Wickham & Co., 19 Scott street. W. F. Graff, undertaker and disinfector, and south Main street. Phone 506. Get your work done at the popular Engle laundry, 24 Broadway Phone 157.

Memorial day exercises will be held in he public schools of the city today. Grand hotel cafe and restaurant. Very best service a la carte. A. Metzger & Co. Mrs. F. Freese of Audubon, Ia., is guest of her daughter. Mrs. C. H. Orvis, Wash-

Mrs. Owens, organizer of the Anti-Cifar-ette league, will speak tonight in the First Baptist church. Judge Thornell returned last night to his home at Sidney, where he will hold its home at Sidney, where he will hold bourt Saturday.

The Council Bluffs High School Alumni

The Council Blurs High School Atlanta association will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Bioomer school building.

Pottawattamic tribe No. 21, Order of Im-proved Red Men, will meet this evening in Marcus' hall to elect officers.

Another

Take home a brick of vanilia cream, 25 cents, or Neapolitan, 25 cents. Will keep one hour without ice. A. Metzger & Co. Theodore Peterson, carrier of rural mail route No. 1, has resigned to go into busi-ness. He will be succeeded by John Jacob-

Former Sheriff John Morgan was seized tith another paralytic stroke Monday and is condition yesterday was reported criti-

The Lutheran Woman's Home and For-ign Missionary society will meet this fternoon in St. John's English Lutheran Roland Crockwell has gone to Cambria,

Wyo., to act as mining engineer and assayer for Kilpatrick Bres. & Collins of the Cambria Mining company. A meeting of fruit growers and gardeners of Council Bluffs and vicinity has been called for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office of the Grape Growers' Ship-ping association.

association Wishing to retire I am offering for sale my entire business—wood, coal, feed and grocery—with all improvements. For par-ticulars inquire of Thomas Rishton, 2406 West Broadway.

West Broadway.

Ed C. Brown of Sheldon, Ia., candidate for the republican nomination for state railroad commissioner, was in this city yesterday calling on friends and looking after his political fences.

Congressman Walter I. Smith has been selected to deliver the address Memorial day at Stuart, Ia. He will address the members of the graduating class of the High school at Neola June 7.

Catherine F., 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rudio, 154 Vine street, died yesterday morning of paralysis, the result of an abscess on the brain. Miss Rudio was a sophomore in the High school.

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a memorial sermon next Sunday at 19:30 a. m. in St. John's English Lutheran church. The pastor, Rev. G. W. Snyder, issues a special invitation to all old soldiers, A special train of twenty-eight cars loaded with threshing machines from the factory of the Minneapolis Threshing Machine company, West Minneapolis, Minn, will arrive at Council Bluffs Wednesday afternoon, May 29.

City Assessor Everest and his deputies have been working over hours and expect to have the assessment books ready in time to turn them over to the county auditor for review by the Board of County tor for review by Bupervisors Monday.

Hazel camp No. 171, Modern Woodmen of America, will meet at Hughes' hall Thurs-day afternoon at 1 o'clock to take part in the memorial exercises. The degree team will appear in uniform. Council Biuffs camp No. 7151 is invited.

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Mrs. F. H. Hill left yesterday for Boston to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Miss Zoe, who completes her studies at LaSalle seminary. Mrs. Hill and her daughter will visit in the east several weeks before returning home.

A. W. Mourell will have a hearing Friedrich of the seminary of the semi A. W. Montzell will have a hearing Friday morning before Justice Bryant on a complaint filed by F. H. Runte, charging him with the larceny of a pocketbook containing \$35. Mrs. Runte lost the pocketbook, which it is alleged Montzell picked up and refused to return to the owner.

The case against F. W. Besselds.

The case against E. W. Reynolds, charged with operating a lunch car without a sity license, was continued in police court yesterday morning until the return of City Attorney Wadsworth. Reynolds has intimated through his attorney that he intends to test the validity of the ordinance enforcing the payment of such a license. Abe Lincoln post No. 29, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet at post headquar-ters in the Everett block, Pearl street, at 1

iers in the Everett block, Pearl street, at 1 o clock Memorial day, to take part in the parade and exercises of the day. All old soldiers and sallors who have served in any of the wars of our country are invited to join. By George B. Miles, S. V. C., and Edwin J. Abbott, adjutant.

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The receipts in the general fund at the Christian Home last week amounted to \$105.50, being \$93.10 below the estimated needs for the current expenses of the week and increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$422. In the manager's fund the receipts were \$10.25, being \$24.75 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency in this fund to \$57.95 to date.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and Residence
Nels P. Christensen, Sheffield, 111. 29
Mamle Madsen, Council Blufts. 24 W. I. Gruber, Council Bluffs ...... E. R. Cronin, Council Bluffs ......

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## MORE PAY FOR THE TEACHERS

Beard of Education Proposes Change in Echool Salaries.

MEMBER SWAINE RAISES OBJECTION

Insists Figure is High Enough Alrendy-Request of Anti-Cigarette Organizer in Refused.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last night the committee on teachers and rules submitted a report suggesting several changes in the rules governing the schools. One of the proposed changes raises the pay of the kindergarten teachers for the first year from \$30 to \$35 a month, with an increase of \$5 a month each preceding year until the maximum is reached, and fixing the salaries for graded work from the first to the sixth grade at \$35 for the first year with a maximum of \$60, while the maximum for the seventh and eighth grades shall be \$65. This makes but little change as regards graded teachers, although altering the form of the pres-

Another important change recommended is that the salaries of the principals shall be determined according to the number of rooms in the building without regard to grades, as heretofore. This will mean an increase in almost all of the salaries of the principals. The report also suggests that the minimum salary of a High school teacher shall be \$75 and that the maximum shall be based upon the professional qualifications, experience and success of the teacher as determined by the board. The present rule is that the salaries of High school teachers shall be based upon their professional qualifications.

As to the supervisors of drawing and music the committee suggested that their salaries shall be determined by the board. Heretofore the rule provided that their qualifications should govern the matter of salary.

Some objection was raised by Member Swaine to the suggested changes. He said that the teachers in this city were being paid higher salaries than in other cities and \$1.50. in the state. Action on the report was postponed for one week.

Mrs. W. L. Owens, organizer for the National Anti-Cigarette league, asked permission of the board to visit the larger schools and extend an invitation to the pupils to attend her meetings next Sunday. Swaine protested against permission being granted and on his motion the request was refused. Opening of bids for opera seats for the auditorium of the new High school was deferred until the next meeting, as several of the bidders had been unable to have samples present.

The resignation of Miss Ethel Shepard, kindergarten teacher, was accepted and Miss Cora Treynor was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mathis and niece, Miss Neille Bell of Omaha, went to Kearney, Neb., yesterday to attend the commencement exercises of the military academy, where Mr. and Mrs. Mathis son Charles is a cadet.

City Asserts E. C. Mathis and niece, it was decided that the new school year should begin the second Monday in September and should be for thirty-six weeks, with two weeks' vacation at Christmas and one week in the spring. one week in the spring.

The report of the appraisers fixing the value of the school property ordered sold was approved and Secretary Ross was instructed to advertise for bids, which will be received up to Tuesday evening.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., terepaone 25%.

DeLong will print it right.

NO DAMAGES FOR FALSE ARREST. Joseph Scott Falls to Recover from

lanne Ballard. The jury in the district court before which was tried the damage suit of Joseph Scott against Isaac Ballard, constable at Pacific Junction, and Jack Pinnell, a former member of the Council Bluffs police force, decided that the plaintiff was not entitled to recover any damages for his alleged false arrest and detention in the jail at Pacific Junction in October, 1899. After being out a short time yesterday morning the jury brought in a verdict for the defendants. Scott sued

for \$2,000. The motion of the defendant company visement.

A motion on behalf of the plaintiff was filed yesterday in the suit of John A. Roath hired a hack about 2 o'clock yester-Murphy against Edgar A. Mueller.

Frank, in which the plaintiff seeks to recover attorney fees, was begun yesterday before Judge Wheeler and a jury.

Davis sells paint.

SUB-STATION OF LIGHT COMPANY. it is to Be Fireproof and to Stand on

West Broadway. The Citizens' Gas and Electric Light company will erect its sub-station on leased ground at the rear of 531 West Broadway. The structure, which will be fireproof, will face the alley, and within convenient distance of the company's office on Pearl street. The contract for the building was let yesterday to Wickham Bros. The substation, with its equipment, will represent an expenditure of between \$15,000 and \$20 .-

The controversy between the Citizens Gas and Electric Light company and the motor company over pole rentals has been

amicably settled. City Electrician Bradley has suggested plan for the temporary strengthening of the anchors of the Broadway and Fourth street light towers, which will be carried out by the company according to the instructions of the city council at its last meeting.

Petition in Bankruptey. William L. Reynolds, a tiller of the soil in Crawford county, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the United States

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\$1 345.95, while his listed assets aggregate

\$2,254.70. Of this \$2,000 represents a policy of life insurance; which is not available for his creditors. He claims as exempt Inferior Theatricals. \$29 worth of clothing, but is willing that \$25.90, which is the sum total of the cash

Special Bargains for Wednesday and FURNISHINGS Men's percale working shirts, on sale, 25c. Boys' overalls, sizes 3 to 14, on sale at

Men's black and white stripe working shirts, on sale, 45c. New line of men's string and bow ties, latest styles and colorings, at 25c. New style men's and women's bow ties, with wide ends, at 50c

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WHITELAW & GARDINER.

UNDERWEAR. Men's balbriggan shirts and drawers, on sale at 25c. Men's fine balbriggan underwear, in plain

and fancy colors, at 39c and 50c. Big line of ladies' vests, on sale, 5c. Ladies' white gauze vests, taped neck, regular 10c value, on sale at 7c. Large assortment of ladies' liste and

gauze vests, at 10c, 1214c, 15c, 17c and 25c. HOSE. Ladies' black hose, double sole and toes, and high spliced heel, guaranteed stainless, on sale, 10c.

hose all sizes on sale at 15c and 25c. Ladies' Mocha foot black hose, extra good value, on sale it 20c Children's fine ribbed black cotton hose, on sale at 5c.

Misses' and children's black ribbed hose, on sale at 10c and 1214c. Boys' bicycle hose, an extra heavy ribbed hose, on sale at 19c, 3 for 50c.

SUMMER CORSETS. Ladies' fine summer corsets, made of good net, well boned and stayed, with side steels, on sale, 25c.

Ladies' extra good quality summer corsets in fine net, white only, at 39c. Fine summer corsets in white and colors, net and batiste, regular 75c quality, on

sale at 50c. SHIRT WAISTS. 75c quality ladies' shirt waists, in colors only, on sale at 50c.

Good line of shirt wiasts, made of fine ercale, on sale at 75c. Large assortment of shirt waists, in colored, white any natural linen colors, all is a signal victory for the newspapers. neatly made and trimmed, at 89c, \$1, \$1.25

An extra good assortment of ladies' white elaborately trimmed, at \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

Don't fail to examine this line. WHITE GOODS SPECIALS.

on sale Wednesday and Thursday only at 15c line of white goods in checks, stripes

and fancies, on sale at 9c. Line of imported French piques, assorted stripes, on sale at 19c. RIBBONS. New line of silk wash ribbons, from No.

to No. 60, from 5c to 15c, New line of fancy ribbon in No. 5 only, n large assortment of colors, on sale at 5c. LACE CURTAINS. New line of lace curtains, all new and neat patterns, on sale at the fo

prices: 69c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 Fred Stoub; pair. MILLINERY. Some extra good bargains in millinery

during the next two days. Ladies' and misses' trimmed walking hats, in black, white and colors, regular

value 50c, on sale at 15c. Ladies' trimmed walking hats, trimmed with large wings and buckles, former price \$1.50, on sale a 65c. Misses' and children's trimmed leghorn

nats, in good assortment, at 50c and \$1. Ladies' and misses' trimmed hats, in great variety of styles and colors, extra good values, at \$1 and \$1.50. Other values in ladies' trimmed hats in newest and latest styles, at \$2, \$2.50, \$3,

\$5, \$6 and \$7.50. WHITELAW & GARDINER, Boston Store, Council Bluffs, Ia.

THOIR CLERK 18 MISSING. John Routh Drives to Omaha and

There the Police Lose Trail. John Roath, night clerk at the Neumayer hotel, is missing. He locked up the office and left the house about 2 o'clock yesterfor a new trial in the suit of Henry Branz day morning, when everybody in the house against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Rail- was presumably fast asleep. A considerable way and Bridge company was overruled by sum of money was subsequently found to Judge Thornell yesterday. The case will be missing and Proprietor Neumayer has be taken to the supreme court. In the suspicions that Roath's motive in making case of Herbert Tinley, administrator of such a sudden move was not altogether the estate of Leo Stein, Judge Thornell honest. He has confided such suspicions took the motion for a new trial under ad- to the police, with a request that they try

to locate Roath. Investigation yesterday showed that day morning and was driven across the The suit of George H. Scott against D. S. river to Omaha. On reaching Twelfth and Douglas streets he dismissed the driver

been able to secure of the missing clerk. M'KINLEY IN COUNCIL BLUFFS.

President Greeted by Silent Courtesy as Train Passes. Outside of the employes there were few

people at the Union Pacific transfer depot bearing President McKinley and party passed through on its way east. No stop was made at the Northwestern local depot, where a small crowd had gathered. There was no demonstration, out of respect and sympathy for Mrs. McKinley, but every through.

RYAN HELD FOR GRAND JURY. foung Man Charged with Drawing Revolver on Switchman. Pat Ryan, the young man charged with drawing a revolver on Edward Blythe, a Northwestern switchman, and threatening to end his earthly career, was bound over to the grand jury yesterday by Justice Bryant. An information charging Ryan with being mentally deranged was filed with the board of insanity commissioners, which

will investigate his case this morning. Davis sells glass. Gravel roofing A. H. Read, 541 Broad's.

OWNER OF SALOON ARRESTED. Madsen Informed Against for Alleged Nuisance.

Madsen, owner of the Senate saloon charging him with maintaining a nuisance. The complaint was filed by Attorney John

State Bar Association. The executive and program committees f the Iowa State Bar association will meet in this city this afternoon to arrange for the annual meeting of the association in July. The executive committee is composed of one representative from each congres-

sional district in the state.

district court here. His Habilities, of UPHOLDS THE NEWSPAPERS which he desires to be relieved, amount to UPHOLDS

Supreme Court Justifies Critical Reast o.

CHERRY SISTERS ARE READ OUT OF COURT

United Presbyterian General Assembl Votes Against All Lodges and Will Expel Present Members of Such Organizations.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 28 .- (Special.)-The Iowa supreme court today rendered an important decision affecting the rights of newspapers in publishing criticisms of public entertainers and gave the Cherry stiters and their entertainment a hard rap. Some years ago when these sisters were making tours of the state the Des Moines Leader re-published from the Odebolt Chronicle a sarcastic article about their entertainment, beginning with a declaration that "Effic is an old Jade of 50 summers. Jessie a frisky filly of 40 and Addle, the flower of the family, a capering monstros-ity of 35." The article closed with this reference to them: "Effic is spavined. Addie is stringhalt, and Jessie, the only one who showed her stockings, has legs with calves as classic in their outline as the curves of a broom handle." For the pub-Ladies' black drop stitch and lace stripe lication of this one of the trio sued the newspaper for damages and the district court, after hearing the testimony of the performers and witnessed some of their performances, ordered a verdict for the defendant. This the supreme court today affirmed and, after reviewing the testimony,

said: "If there ever was a case justifying ridicule and sarcasm, aye, even gross exaggershe was a member, was not only childish, but ridiculous in the extreme. A dramatic cense in such case. The public should be informed of the character of the entertainment, and in the absence of proof of actual malice the publication should be held privileged." The court lays down rules with regard to

the rights of newspapers which allow the 5; Sloux City, July 29; Lemars, June 17. widest discretion in such articles, and it Lawyers Are Not Fined.

The supreme court this afternoon called J. H. Scales and John Jamison before it to shirt waists, made in newest styles and answer for contempt in having filed a paper containing reflections upon the court. Both attornys made apologies to the court for having had anything to do with the case. Mr. Scales admitted having prepared Check nainsooks and lawns, were 12%c, the article in anger and said he felt when his attention was called to it that the court would overlook it. In view of their apologies the court discharged both men upon payment of costs and an agreement will withdraw the objectionable

Court Decisions.

words. The following are decisions of the court

today:

E. M. Hestepp, treasurer of Shelby county, against Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, appellant: from Shelby county, Judge Smith; action to recover tax on elevators; affirmed.

R. Becker & Degan, appellants, against Fred Stoab; from Jones county, Judge Thompson; replevin of cattle; reversed.

Feter Refshaw against B. F. Ogden, appellant; from Clinton county, Judge House.

deliver stone; affirmed.

State Bank of Indiana, appellant, against Marvin J. Gates; from Linu county, Judge Remiey; action on promissory notes; reversed.

Addie Cherry, appellant, against Des | Moines Leader; from Polk county, Judge | Bishop; action for libel; affirmed.

Church Excludes Secret Societies. By a vote of 90 to 63 the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon adopted the report of the judiciary committee upon the change of creed with regard to article xv. This action is interpreted to mean that it forbids the admission of members of secret societies to the church, and according to some of the delegates expels those belonging to the church

which are now members of secret orders. When the general assembly opened its session at 10 o'clock this morning it immediately plunged into a discussion of the report of the judiciary committee as to the change in creed with regard to admitting members of secret orders into the church. During the argument demands were made that a vote be taken, but the moderator overruled these and permitted a full dis-

cussion of the question. The trend of the argument was whether or not members of labor unions could be and that is the last trace the police have admitted into the church, the contention of some being that unions, so far as secretism was concerned, were more to be feared than any other order, while the ministers and delegates from Pittsburg, Pa., maintained that if such a position was taken by the church that working men would be barred from being admitted, and that the churches in Pennsylvania would suffer mavesterday morning when the special train terially in the withdrawal of a great many

of its members. Rev. D. G. Campbell of College Springs. Ia., moved to amend the report by striking out the following section:

"This action is not to be construed as to exclude from the church the memberman on the platform raised his hat in silent ship of a large number of societies which greeting and courtesy as the train passed are not bound by oath or affirmation or do not pledge to secrecy in things unknown, or inculcate a Christian religion."

Mr. Campbell said he held that if the section in question remained it would be a tacit endorsement of these societies. Dr. J. A. Grier, chairman of the committee on judiciary protested against the change for the reason that there has been a constant call for a definition. "The article," said the doctor, "does not put such societies as the Grand Army of the Republic under the ban, and, on the other hand, we

are not endorsing them. Dr. J. H. McClerken of Pittsburg, Pa. said he favored the judiciary report because it discriminated between the good

and the bad secret societies Wants Workingmen Admitted. Dr. J. M. Wallace, also of Pittsburg, said; 'I do not believe that the church should be stirred up by an overture. For the ake of the workingmen, I do not want this part of the report stricken out. The workingt Broadway and Bryant street, was ar- men have just as good a right to form a rested yesterday evening on an information union as Morgan has a trust and 1 do object to the workingmen being kept out of the church because they torm themselves into a union to protect themselves against their oppressors."

> amendment because the great secret orders are rivals to the church for the reason that they trade in a false religion. "They have wine parties, card parties and many other snares," concluded the speaker. In closing up the debate, Dr. Grier said:

report of the committee is more to the point than the amendment proposed. In the way we say we shall not take pagans into the church, even if they are called Masons. We say laboring men, Grand Army men and such have rights in the church. "What will be the effect of this report, asked Dr. McConnell, "on those who ar-

aiready Masons and in the church?" That is a most difficult thing to handle, said Dr. Grier, "but when men know the truth and do it not, to them it is to b counted a sin."

Rev. A. B Little offered an amendment which would permit Masons to become nembers of the church, but it was voted down. Then came the vote upon the mendment offered by Rev. McConnell, and was also voted down. A vote was then rdered on the report of the judiciary comnittee, but on a point of order it was postoned until the afternoon session. The assembly adjourned tonight.

New Corporations. Articles of incorporation of the Warner-Byers company of Lucas were filed today, with \$20,000 capital, for general mercantile malness.

The National Telephone company of Cedar Rapids has been incorporated, with \$15,000 capital stock. The incorporators are: M. Hubbard, jr., J. W. Bowman, W. H. Durin and H. L. Walker. The German-American Telephone com-

porated by W. T. Wright and others. The apital stock is \$1,600.

Archbishop Kenne's Record. Archbishop Keane of Dubuque has reently made an extensive tour of the parishes in eastern lows preparatory to als taking a journey to Europe and to Rome. Since he entered upon the work last fall he has visited over 100 parishes and has confirmed more than 10,500 persons in

State Superintendent Barrett today ancounced the dates for the County Teachers' association in Iowa as far as they have been made. Dates in counties of western lowa are as follows, the name of the town being given and date for opening term: Greenfield, August 5; Corning, March 18; ation, it is the one now before us. Ac- Audubon, August 5; Boone, July -: Storm cording to the record the performance given Lake, July 29; Rockwell City, August 8; by the plaintiff and the company of which | Carroll, July 22; Atlantic, June 17; Cherokee, August 12; Denison, August 5; Leon. June 17; Sidney, June 24; Jefferson, July 8; critic should be allowed considerable 11- Garner, July 15; Logan, July 22; Ida Grove, July 22; Algona, July 8; Winterset, June 18; Glenwood, June 24; Onawa, July 29; Red Oak, August 26; Clarinda, July 29; Council Bluffs, June 17; Mount Ayr, July 15; Sac City, July 29; Harlan, June 10; Bedford, July 8; Creston, June 10; Corydon, August

> A warrant for the arrest of Arthur Nel son, manager of the Nelson theater in East Des Moines, is in the hands of Marshal George M. Christian, and will be served as

soon as Nelson's whereabouts can be located. The information upon which the warrant was issued charges him with violation of the revenue laws in that he omitted affixing the necessary revenue stamps to half a dozen bank checks issued by him in payment of bills. The information was drawn up and filed by E. W. Kemble, internal revenue collector for this district of Iowa.

Forgets the Stamp

Crop Reports Good. The Iowa weather and crop bureau

makes the following report for the past week: Cooler weather with fairly well distributed showers and a large precentage of cloudiness were the important features of the week. The daily average temperature was four to six degrees below normal and at the close of the week light but no material damage resulted. The showers were highly beneficial to all crops, firmed.
F. H. Malley, appellant, against P. F. Malley; from Polk county. Judge Prouty; action to quiet title; affirmed.
Frank H. Woodbery against R. B. Zachary, appellant; from Jasjer county. Judge Dewey; suit on mortgage contract; reversed.
Mount Vernon Stone Company against J. R. Sheeley & Co., appellants; from Polk county. Judge Conrad; suit on contract to deliver stone; affirmed.

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Malley, appellant, against P. F. Induction of the southern and center to any and extended the present officers whose terms had extended the present officers of the company.

Good for growth of corn and planting was somewhat retarded, though nearly completed in all districts. Nearly all reports districts. Nearly all reports and extended the present officers of the company.

Good news—your washing done better with half the work and the present officers whose terms had extended the present officers of the company.

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From Ratifold Company from Ratifold Company from the first county and company for the directors whose terms had extended the present officers of the company for the Ratifold Company from Ratifold Comp indicate that corn is making good stands, with not more than the usual necessity of replanting on account of defective seed and damage by worms. The work of cultivation is in progress, under improved

> grain fields show decided improvements in larger part of the state. Reports as to fruit are generally favorable, but the apple crop will be lighter than usual in portions of the southern and

conditions of soil. Meadows, pastures and

central districts. Suicide of Indian Woman.

An Indian girl at the reservation in Tama county committed suicide Sunday noon. She was 19 years old and had been married three years and was the mother of one child, which was born some months ago. Her name was McGee and she had been separated from her husband three months. The supposition is that she had had some recent trouble with him which drove her to the deed of taking her own life. She appears to have left her wickiup about noon with a revolver and with but one chamber loaded fired the fatal shot into her forehead, the bullet passing entirely through. The father of the dead woman is Jim Poweshiek, one of the United States Indian police at the reservation. He is one of the few Indians who is entirely in sympathy with and supports the industrial school for Indians. One sister and two brothers of the suicide are now in the school. Poweshiek departed from the usual custom of the Indians in that he purchased coffin at an undertaker's in which to bury

his daughter. Dies at His Plow. Henry Packard, a farmhand, unmarried, as found dead on a farm five miles south

of town last night, lying face downward in plowed ground. He was in the employ of Lee Wilson, a tenant on the farm of George Cardin. The latter saw the team standing in the field at the same place for two hours and upon investigation found the dead man with the lines wrapped about him.

The man was subject to epileptic fits and

it is supposed he became seized with a fit while plowing. Two More Conventions. Republican conventions were held in Dallas and Winnebago counties today and in both cases there were instructions given

LEAVES FAMILY IN THE BLUFFS E. H. Lamberson Kills Himself After Arrest for Horse

for Cummins for governor.

Stealing. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 28 .- (Special Telegram.)-E. H. Lamberson of Wallace, Mo., whose family is now in Council Bluffs, killed himself at 9:30 o'clock tonight, after having been arrested for attempting to steal the horse of Dr. W. B. Davis. He was caught just after entering the buggy by Patrolman Kieffer and R. L. Davis, a brother of the doctor. He had his revolver in his inside coat pocket, where it was not discovered by the policeman. As soon as he entered the wagon he shot himself Rev. J. P. Ross of Ohio favored the through the chest and sank to the scat in a dying condition. He was a blacksmith by trade and had been in Wallace only a short

Page County Primaries. SHENANDOAH, Ia., May 28 .- (Special.)-"I am ashamed of the United Presbyterian The republican primary election was held

thurch in its shuffling in the matter. The in Page county Saturday. Those nominated Graff for representative, W. Lundy of Clarinda for treasurer, C. S. Foster of Clarinda for sheriff, Prof. G. H. Colbert of Shenandeah for superintendent. The | O minor offices were all re-elected. A close contest took place between Lundy of Clarda and Mayor Conway of Shenandoah for O the office of county treasurer. Lundy wining by a majority of twenty-six. Colbert had the largest majority, namely 200. For senator, Lewis of Clarinda defeated Ferguson of Shenandoah. Foster was nominated y a majority of 250 over McCord of Essex. Many democrats took part in Saturday's

## PASSENGERS ALL TAKEN OFF

Those on Board Damaged Boat Never in Danger and Vessel Only Slightly Injured.

BURLINGTON, Ia., May 28 - The steamer J. R. W. Young arrived here today with the passengers and part of the freight of the steamer Dubuque, which sunk eighteen O miles above Burlington last night. The boat lies in shallow water and can easily be raised. It is not much damaged. There was no excitement, the passengers finishing O supper after having heard what had happened. Some of them went to bed, sleeping Some of them went to bed, sleeping O Il the Young came to transfer them. All the passengers have been sent to St. Louis COOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOO pany of Mount Hamill, Ia., has been incor-

GIVE CASH OR BE BLINDED Horrible Threat Made to lows Girl in Case She Refuses to

Pay.

DAVENPORT, Ia., May 28.-The police are looking for the writer of several letters to Mary Shaw, granddaughter of the late millionaire lumberman, George S. Shaw of Cloquet, Wis. The letter-writer threatens to blind Miss Shaw's sister if \$10,000 cash was not placed where he could get it. The man confronted the younger girl here a day or two ago and repeated the demands made in the letters. She kept an appointment made with him, after notifying the police, but the man did not

lowans Ask for Wilson.

CARROLL, Ia., May 28.-At the stops through Iowa the people who gathered about the train asked for Secretary of Agriculture Wilson and he appeared upon the platform, with the president, to receive the greetings of the residents of his native state. Secretary Cortelyou this morning issued the following official statement as to Mrs. McKinley's condition:

"Dr. Rixey reports that Mrs. McKinley had a good night and that she is slowly im proving." Campaign in Eleventh District.

SIBLEY, Ia., May 28.-(Special.)-The ongressional campaign in the Eleventh district for Thomas' succession in 1903 may be said to be on. Judge Thomas' second term expires March 4, 1903, but the Plymoth county Cummins convention, decided in favor of further continuation for Representative Thomas. The judge is understood to be a recent convert to the ranks of A. B Smallpox at Normal School. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., May 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The Odell club of the State

Normal school was placed under quarantine today for smalipox. The city council held a special session and ordered a pesthous erected and all students to be vaccinated. Miss Minnie Smith, Middlesboro, Ky. writes: "My little sister had the croun very bad. I gave her several dozes of

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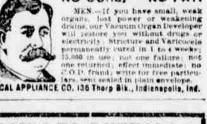
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