

# CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA.

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

### CONTEST IS OVER JUDGESHIP

Council Bluffs Republicans See Lively Primaries Ahead.

### SIX AVOWED CANDIDATES ARE BUSY

Scott, Snyder, Ferrer, Askwith, Crawford and Chambers seek the support of their friends in the wards.

The contest at the primaries for the selection of delegates to the republican county convention July 23 promises to be over those favoring the several candidates for the nomination of judge of the superior court. This nomination is likely to be the contest of the convention so far as the city delegation is concerned and will undoubtedly overshadow everything else, even the selection of delegates to the state convention.

So far as the county ticket is concerned there seems little prospect of any contest except in the nomination of members of the Board of County Supervisors. It is believed an amicable agreement will be reached by the Cummings and anti-Cummings forces as to the delegation to the state convention and no fight is looked for over it. So far as Council Bluffs is concerned the nomination for judge of the superior court is the plum to be disposed of by the convention and the contest has narrowed down to six avowed candidates.

These six are actively campaigning and laying their wares for the primaries are: George H. Scott and S. B. Snyder of the First ward; J. W. Ferrer and A. W. Askwith of the Second ward; N. A. Crawford of the Sixth ward; and H. E. Chambers of the Fourth.

Hon. N. M. Pusey is being urged by his friends to become a candidate, but up to date he has not given any intimation that he is an aspirant for the superior judgeship. It is possible he may be in the field before the convention rolls around, as strong pressure is being brought on him to run.

All of the six avowed candidates are out for the office in earnest and active canvassing is being done by them and their friends. The contest will practically be settled at the primaries and this will make the selection of delegates to the county convention from this city an important matter to the several candidates.

While other interests may be regarded in the selection of these delegates, the superior court judgeship nomination will be the principal feature.

H. J. Chambers is the latest of the six candidates to announce himself as an aspirant for the nomination. He had not intended to be a candidate until strongly urged to do so by his friends. He has a strong backing and will make a formidable opponent for the five other candidates. The contest between Scott and Snyder in the First ward promises to be close, but in the second ward it is believed Ferrer will have the best of the running. Crawford will undoubtedly secure the Sixth ward, in which he has lived a number of years and where he has been active in politics. Chambers will be in the field for the Third and Fourth wards, and possibly the delegation from the Fifth.

### SARCASM IN CITY COUNCIL

Settlement of Personal Damage Cases Inspires Alderman Lougee to Irony.

An echo from the settlement of the Lock and Mickwell personal injury damage suits reverberated through the city council chamber last night. Alderman Lougee, chairman of the judiciary committee, who was absent from the city at the time the council instructed City Attorney Walter Williams to bring in a bill for \$2,000 against the city in the Lock case, was responsible for the echo. He called attention to the fact that his committee had under investigation a certain personal injury claim for \$500 caused by Mrs. E. H. Williams yesterday on Fourth avenue, and that the attorney for the claimant was pressing for a settlement. The attorney for the claimant, however, had not furnished any evidence upon which the committee could act, but inasmuch as the council might want to settle the case he would suggest that the full amount of the claim be allowed.

Continuing in the same strain, he said he wished to suggest that occasion might arise where it would be necessary for him to be out of the city and to avoid any possibility of attorneys for possible claimants not securing the fees to which they might be entitled it would be as well if he left a few signed reports in blank that the council might fill out at will, as the occasion presented itself. The usual custom, he said, had been for the committee to which such matters had been referred to make a report before action being taken by the council, but as a new procedure appeared to be the rule now, he made the suggestion that there might be no delay in future and the council could fill out the blank reports at will.

The suggestion was proposed with the suggestion that it might be as well to leave a few signed blank checks.

Alderman Boyer took the floor and said he believed Alderman Lougee's suggestion was a good one. He said if an alderman cannot attend to business he had better turn over the work to some one else. Seven or eight others here had a check coming and they might have thought that the settlement of these cases was important.

Ten dollars were returned and no questions asked for the return to Bee office of three boxes of empty boxes taken from the residence of Mrs. Horace Everett on Saturday night.

Mrs. George L. Kahle and daughter, Eunice, left yesterday for Victor, Colo., to join Mr. Kahle, chief physician, during her absence in the east she was called to attend to the funeral of her brother, James Cury, in Waukegan, Ill.

Mrs. Ruckwitz was fined \$12.00 in police court yesterday on an order for battery charge made by Miss Petersen, a neighbor. Mrs. Francis Nichols, daughter of Mrs. Ruckwitz, was discharged.

James E. Hall began suit in the district court yesterday against Robert J. and Alfred R. Crawford in a claim for \$1,250.00 obtained in the district court of Douglas county, Nebraska, November 11, 1899.

The funeral of J. C. Jensen will be this afternoon at 2 from the family home in Iowa township. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Deceased was 72 years of age. His wife, three sons and one daughter survive him.

An information against John Taylor, charging violation of promise of marriage, was filed in the district court by the Miss Lou Compton, formerly of this city, now last heard of was in St. Louis.

Mark De Cressie, employed in a candy factory in Omaha, used bad language and engaged in a fight on a motor car returning late Sunday night from Manawa. He was arrested by police and taken to jail. He was held in jail until this morning.

City Clerk Phillips was overcome by the heat yesterday and had to be taken in a carriage to the city building to his home. Inquiries at his residence last night showed he was somewhat better, but the attending physician did not think Mr. Phillips would be able to be at his office for a few days.

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## TOO MANY PROSECUTIONS

Judge McPherson Says Officials Are Working Mostly for Fees.

### HE INTENDS TO STOP THE PRACTICE

George F. Wright is Appointed Commissioner of Council Bluffs District—State After Negligent Milk Dealers.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
DES MOINES, Ia., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Judge Smith McPherson of Red Oak issued an order in the United States court for the southern district today that created consternation in official circles and dismay to those who have been making big fees working the federal courts. The order as issued to all commissioners and deputy marshals declares that complaints have been made by the department at Washington that there are too many petty and frivolous prosecutions in this district; that the talk and belief are quite general that these prosecutions serve no other purpose than to make fees; that it has been of frequent occurrence that parties have been arrested and indicted and sign a waiver of evidence and the official making the arrest asks the court to suspend sentence; that this practice of fee making has been largely broken up by Judge Woolson, but is now almost as bad as ever.

"I intend," Judge McPherson says, "that this shall not continue. This court should punish those guilty of crime and allow the fees of officers as an incident and not make the allowance of fees the business and the conviction of accused the incident." The court advises that arrest should not be made unless there is good reason to expect conviction and arrests should not be made where there is no danger of the person leaving the state, but the names of witnesses should go at once to the attorney and be presented to the grand jury first.

### COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED.

With this order the court makes the following list of appointments as United States commissioners for the southern district: W. C. McArthur, Des Moines; George F. Wright, Council Bluffs; Jerry Cherry, Creston; C. J. Smith, Keokuk; Francis Hunter, Ottumwa; Arthur Bush, Davenport.

### McARTHUR TO SUCCEED MASON.

W. C. McArthur, appointed commissioner for Des Moines, is district court clerk for the southern district. He will succeed E. R. Mason, who has been commissioner many years. Mr. Mason is also deputy clerk of the court and has been deputy clerk of the court for many years. He was recently relieved as deputy in the district court by the removal of this city of Clerk MacArthur from Burlington. It is expected he will resign as deputy circuit clerk. Before his appointment as clerk MacArthur was a state senator from Burlington and his appointment as commissioner is regarded as payment of a political debt of long standing.

### MILK DEALERS' LICENSES.

The state dairy commissioner is preparing to begin prosecutions against a number of milk dealers in Iowa who have not taken out the required licenses, which are payable before July 1. During the week he will bring suits against the delinquents. There are 700 milk dealers in Iowa who must take out these licenses. They are in the following cities: Des Moines, 211; Davenport, 83; Sioux City, 66; Muscatine, 19; Dubuque, 52; Clinton, 42; Council Bluffs, 42; Burlington, 41; Ottumwa, 30; Keokuk, 19; Fort Madison, 15; Marshalltown, 14; Waterloo, 19; Fort Dodge, 11.

### BUYING STATE SUPPLIES.

The executive council is engaged in going over the bids for state supplies for the next year. This morning it awarded contracts for \$15,000 worth of paper, which is the largest item of expenditure for the council.

### TO REPRESENT THE ARCHBISHOP.

Rev. Thomas E. Gunn of Cedar Rapids has been appointed to represent the archbishop to represent the Iowa diocese of the Catholic church at the celebration in St. Paul of the anniversary of the coming there of the first archbishop. Archbishop Keane is now in Europe and will be unable to attend.

### NEW CORPORATIONS.

The Mechanicville Telephone company has been incorporated with a capital of \$2,500; George W. Fall, president; Charles E. Gould, secretary.

### THE LANE-MOORE LUMBER COMPANY.

The Lane-Moore Lumber company of Webster City has been incorporated with \$100,000 capital.

### COST OF REMEMBERING THE MAINE.

During the time the war revenue law has been in operation and previous to the cutting off of a portion of the taxes stamps were sold in Des Moines to the amount of \$422,284.30. This is the amount contributed by Des Moines people to the maintenance of the war against Spain during the last month the sales averaged nearly \$150,000 a year in Des Moines, but the sales increased with each year. The heaviest month was last March, when the sales of stamps aggregated \$16,153.89. During the last month the sales fell off nearly one-half in anticipation of the end of the stamping business. The proprietary medicine business in Des Moines has used about \$25,000 worth of stamps a year.

### NO SUNSTROKES REPORTED.

Although the weather the past eight days has been unprecedented for its heat and on Sunday the thermometer registered 97 no prostrations from heat have been reported. One death has resulted directly from the intense heat—that of Mrs. Glen E. Crane, who was ill and had been especially susceptible to the heat. This city was treated to a good rain this afternoon, which has caused a decided change in the temperature.

### INVESTIGATION OF STRAWBERRIES.

Wesley Greene, secretary of the Iowa State Horticultural society, has begun an investigation of the subject of strawberries for the benefit of Iowa fruit growers. He is engaged in compiling information on the subject from many reports received and when this is done he will be able to make a report of great value. The strawberry crop of Iowa has been growing larger each year and the crop more important, but

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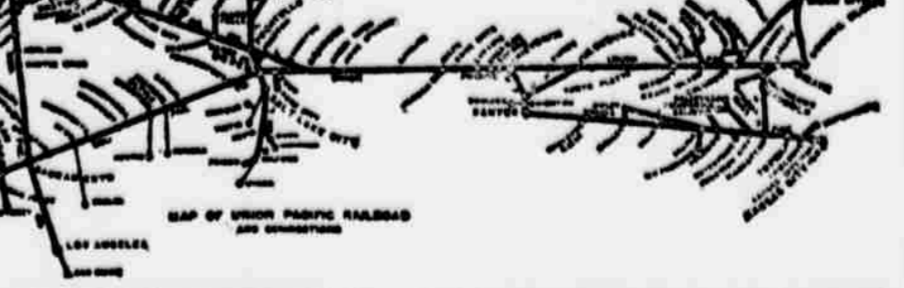


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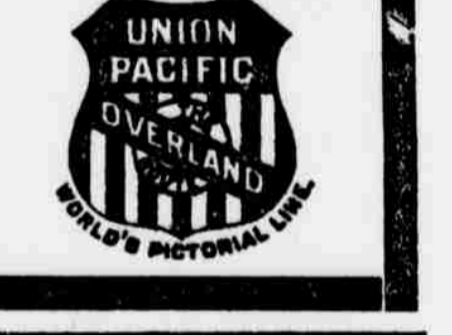
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## HAMPTON IS BURNED OUT

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### STARTS IN CONFECTIONERY STORE

Relief Train Rushes from Aurora, but Workers Handicapped by Lack of Water—Hardware Man is Heaviest Loser.

AURORA, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—The fire which started in the confectionery store and spread rapidly. Help was telegraphed from Aurora and Superintendent English equipped a special train of a flat car and coach drawn by the switch engine. The fire cart, hooks and ladders were loaded and the coach was filled with volunteer firemen. There were 100 men on the train. It reached Hampton about 6 o'clock, but on account of the scarcity of water the men were unable to render but little assistance.

The fire fighting facilities of Hampton consist of two town pumps, with windmills and cisterns, a supply of hose and some fire extinguishers. There were eight store buildings burned. They were situated between two two-story brick and by hard fighting the men were able to keep the fire between these two buildings.

The stores burned are as follows: Charles Huson, confectionery; Hendrickson, general store; Mrs. Bennett, restaurant; Miss Wind, millinery; C. Newman, hardware and farm machinery; Houghton's bank; Charles Peelhaber, drug store; Hans Lorenson, butcher shop.

The building in which the fire started and the majority of the other buildings and stocks were uninsured. Chris Newman, hardware, was the heaviest loser.

### YORK HAS BIG CROPS.

YORK, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—The past week has been the hottest, accompanied by high winds, in the memory of the oldest inhabitants, and small grain has ripened ten days earlier. The continued dry weather has not injured the corn. Never were farmers so busy. The hay making season is on and thousands of tons of timothy, clover, blue grass and alfalfa are being cut and stacked. The same hay crop is the largest in the history of the country.

Fifty per cent of the cultivated acreage of York county is in winter wheat which is the best quality and its yield is estimated at twenty-five bushels an acre and upwards.

### FUNERAL OF WALTER GARVER.

HASTINGS, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—The funeral of Walter Garver, who was killed Friday afternoon at Edgemont, S. D., while on duty as expressman for the Adams Express company, was here this morning from the Congregational church. The body was buried in Parkview cemetery.

### SEWARD'S BOUNTIFUL CROPS.

SEWARD, Neb., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—One and two-hundredths inches of rain fell here this afternoon. There are good indications for more corn than ever before and oats are looking fine. Wheat and rye are in good condition and are being harvested.

### TELLS TALES ON THE DOCTOR

Witnesses in Lizzie Brown's Suit Against Giacomo Say He Imprisoned Girl.

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., July 1.—Development is looked for in the case of Miss Lizzie Brown against Dr. Di Giacomo, former Italian minister at Washington, who asked the State department for protection. At the preliminary hearing held before Judge Dibble of Green River, Dr. Di Giacomo was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$1,000, the bonds being furnished, and the doctor has since been practicing his profession.

### NEGRO PAYS THE PENALTY.

RICHMOND, Va., July 1.—A negro who attempted an assault upon a Brunswick county woman a few days ago, was taken from the jail at Lawrenceville Sunday night by a mob and lynched.

## CHILD KILLED BY THE PILOT

Six-Year-Old Irene Thorpe is Struck by Illinois Central Train.

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Irene, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Thorpe of Richards, twenty miles southwest of Fort Dodge, was struck and killed by an Illinois Central passenger train this afternoon. The child attempted to cross the track before the train and was struck on the head by the pilot. Her skull was crushed and she did not recover consciousness, dying in a few hours.

### MASSONS HONOR T. S. PARVIN.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 1.—(Special.)—The exercises of the grand lodge of Masons of Iowa in connection with the funeral of Theodore Sutton Parvin began here as the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern train pulled out at 9:25 this afternoon for Iowa City, where the burial took place at 4 o'clock. There was no grand lodge meeting in this city owing to the quarantine regulations imposed by the Board of Health. President lives tendered Webster City, where the burial took place, the family and the grand lodge officers to Iowa City and in his car the exercises were held.

Dr. Thomas E. Green had charge of the services, in Dr. Burkhart had charge of the religious services. Messrs. Laurence Fisher, Robbins and Leo accompanied the party as a quartet. The body arrived at Iowa City at 4:30 and was taken immediately to Oakhill cemetery, where the grand lodge services were conducted.

### BRICKER HEARING IS POSTPONED.

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—George and Oliver Bricker, who were concerned in the shooting of C. A. Guild and son, Clarence, near Dayton Friday evening, are confined in the Calhoun county jail. It is now plain that the action of the justice, acting as coroner, in placing them under bond will not stand. The hearing was set for Tuesday, but was postponed till Monday of next week because of the serious illness of County Attorney Haekler. The bodies of Guild and his son were buried Sunday afternoon. The funeral was in a grove near the Guild residence and was attended by over 700 people. It was conducted by Rev. F. S. Estick of Homer.

### HAMBURG KNIGHTS' MEMORIAL.

HAMBURG, Ia., July 1.—(Special.)—Sunday afternoon the Knights of Pythias of this city gave their memorial services. Hon. Charles A. Higgins, vice grand chancellor for Iowa, delivered the address.

### CARNIVAL VISITORS ARRIVE

Two Trainloads of Spectators on Hand at the Deadwood Grand-Centennial.

DEADWOOD, S. D., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Deadwood is filling up rapidly with carnival visitors. Both trains were crowded today. A special car of capitalists arrived tonight from Michigan to the band of music which will arrive tomorrow morning in company with the old Sioux Chief Red Cloud. The weather is perfect.

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