

## CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA.

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

## STRICKEN IN HIS BATHTUB.

W. E. Haverstock Found by His Wife in An Unconscious Condition.

## NATURE OF HIS MALARIA IS UNDETERMINED.

Though Medical Attendance Is Promptly Secured He Continues in a Torpor and Paralysis or Apoplexy is Suggested.

W. E. Haverstock of the firm of James &amp; Haverstock was stricken into unconsciousness by some malady that has not yet been fully defined, Saturday night, and late last evening he had not recovered consciousness and his condition was regarded as critical.

Mr. Haverstock went to the bathroom about 11 o'clock at night to take a cold bath before going to bed, as he has been doing. As he bent over to wash, then suddenly Mrs. Haverstock became alarmed at his protracted stay in the bathroom and went to investigate. She found her husband lying unconscious in the bathtub, with the water all run out.

Mrs. Haverstock summoned help and a physician was called. When the physician arrived he found Mr. Haverstock pale and cold, with a very weak pulse, and from all appearances near to death. Restoratives were administered and a better condition was produced, but the physician reported yesterday afternoon that the patient was still in a serious condition and that he seemed to have lost his grip right now and then. The latter symptom gave rise to the thoughts of paralysis and the possibility of apoplexy was also suggested. Mr. Haverstock was being quite a fleshly man.

Davis sells glass.

## Deaths in Council Bluffs.

Mrs. Bertha Hand, wife of Mrs. Hand, died of neuritis at 6:30 yesterday morning at the Woman's Christian Association hospital, at the age of 23 years. She had been ill six months. The funeral will be from the residence at 109 Bluff street at 2 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rabbi Simon of Omaha, and burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. In addition to her husband she leaves four brothers and three sisters.

Henry Kolb, aged 73 years, died of old age at his home at 917 Broadway at 8 yesterday morning, leaving a wife, one daughter and two sons. Mr. Kolb had been in Germany and had been in this country for fifty-two years. He served in the union army in the civil war.

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broadway.

## City Council Tonight.

The city council is to meet tonight in adjourned session. Among the matters that may come up is the proposed paving of Fairview avenue, Third street and the upper end of Park avenue. These streets were cut out of the resolution passed a week ago ordering a considerable batch of paving and they may be taken up this evening.

A week ago the alderman postponed until this evening the question of deciding whether the property owners on Glen avenue shall have a concrete base under their paving, as petitioned. The question of making a boulevard of Avenue B is also scheduled for consideration this evening and the refunding of the \$5,000 of grading and paving bonds may be acted upon.

Davis sells paint.

## Racing for Jacquin Cup.

The first of the series of races for the Jacquin cup was sailed at Lake Manawa yesterday afternoon before several thousand people. There were seven entries and they came in as follows: Andover, Zenia, Swallow, Lark, Margaret Jane, Psyche and Iolanthe. Andover sailed the course of six miles, twice around the lake, in fifty-two minutes. The handicaps were not figured out before the race and have not yet been decided upon, and as a result the winner of the race had not been announced, but Andover came in ahead. There was no doubt among the boaters that it was clearly the winner. The races will continue every Sunday afternoon until some boat has won three of them and secured the cup.

## Shoats Recklessly on Streets.

Dave Mooney was arrested last evening and locked up just after firing two shots straight ahead of him on North Main street. One of the balls from Mooney's revolver missed Joe Murphy, who is employed in that neighborhood, by two inches, according to Murphy's estimate. Mooney was firing at no one, but just simply giving vent to the hothead that was in him. He was booked for drunkenness and discharging firearms within the city limits.

## May Be Son, but Whose?

In connection with the death of the unknown man who was killed on the Northwestern at Honey Creek a few nights ago, Chief of Police Albro yesterday received the following unsigned telegram from Grand Island, Neb.: "Wire description of man found on Northwestern to Kendall, Hartford, Wis. Son left home two years ago." Nothing had been done in response to the telegram at a late hour last evening.

## Two Hurt by Collision.

Charles Edwards, a commercial traveler of 725 First avenue, while on the road for the Pioneer Implement company, was severely injured Friday in a railroad accident at Sheldon. John Noonan, also of

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## LEWIS CUTLER Funeral Director

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## FARM LOANS 5 PER CENT

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## IOWA FIELDS ARE FAVERED

## Splendid Rains Reported from Many Parts of the State.

## QUALITY OF CROPS IS EXCELLENT

## Weather and Crop Bureau Reports Are Encouraging—Record-Breaking Drought and Heated Term Finally Come to a Close.

(From a Staff Correspondent)

DES MOINES, July 25.—(Special)—The first all-day, drizzling, soaking rain since early last spring occurred today in Des Moines and generally throughout central Iowa. Great storm clouds gathered from all directions last night and a shower followed, but this morning at 7 o'clock the rain commenced and for three hours fell steadily, followed by more or less of showers all day long. No such crop-producing rain has occurred before for many weeks. Nearly an inch of rain fell during the day and as heavy clouds protected the surface of the earth, the rain did a vast amount of good.

It is regarded as having effectively broken the drought and made it improbable there will be any more hot days in series.

Reports from the state indicate that the rainfall has been general the last forty-eight hours and there is hardly a spot in the state that has been missed. That portion of the state which received the rain the most, the south central and southeastern.

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