

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

PAVING BIDS AND BONDS

City Council to Wrestle with Both at Today's Meeting.

EXECUTIVES ANXIOUS ABOUT THE LATTER

Mayor and Other City Officers Will Urge Final Action Be Taken Without Further Delay.

Bids for the paving of the streets embraced in the resolution adopted July 22 will be opened at the regular monthly meeting of the city council tonight.

The council is also expected to take some action tonight on the question of refunding \$50,000 paving and grading interest bonds, which has been put off from meeting to meeting at the suggestion of Alderman Boyer, who believed he could secure a better proposition than 4 1/2 per cent.

The bonds are now carrying 5 per cent interest and to refund them at even 4 1/2 per cent would mean a considerable saving annually to the city.

LEAVE FOR CEDAR RAPIDS

Pottawattamie County Republicans Starting for State Convention—Cummins Holds the Reins.

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HAWKEYE GIRLS' PROTEST

Are Incensed by Sensational Letter Concerning European Experiences.

Will Make Trouble for Consul Gessner. Their Friends Will Urge Removal of the Man Who Contributed Too Highly Colored Correspondence About Them.

FOR BRIGADE ENCAMPMENT

Work of Putting Camp G. M. Dodge in Order Commences at Once—Tents Arrive.

Work on getting Camp G. M. Dodge in order for the brigade encampment of the Fifty-first and Fifty-second regiments, Iowa National guard, will be commenced this week.

Colonel James Rush Lincoln of the Fifty-first regiment issued an order assigning the different companies of his command to battalions.

The first battalion will be composed of Companies A, B, K and L and will be commanded by Major Widner.

GRAVEL ROOFING

A. H. Read, 541 Broadway.

NOT CERTAIN IT IS BARLOW'S BODY

Harry Wheeler, master of the Council Bluffs Switchman's union, and John Sherman went to Glenwood yesterday to identify, if possible, the foater found Saturday four miles below Plattsmouth, as being the body of Peter Barlow, the switchman who was drowned last Wednesday while bathing near the motor company's bridge.

While feeling assured that the body was that of Barlow they were unable to positively identify it from the features, owing to the decomposed state of the remains.

MINOR MENTION

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Williams makes \$4 photos for \$2.

Miss Margaret Henderson has gone to Ashland, Neb., for a week's visit. Her work done at the popular Eagle restaurant, Sixty-third and Broadway.

Miss Grace and Jessie Toulouse of Marine, Ia., are guests of the family of T. F. Allen, 404 Fourth avenue.

Tom Keating left last evening for the Pacific coast, where he has some excellent offers from various managers.

George S. Davis has secured the contract for putting in the glass in the building of the Commercial National bank, on Broadway.

Twin Brothers encampment No. 42, Independent Order of Old Boys, will meet this evening, when all patriarchs are requested to be present.

Manager of the Lake Manawa resort entertained several newspaper men at dinner yesterday at the Kearsall on the Manhattan side of the lake.

The Board of Supervisors will meet today in adjourned session for the purpose of arranging a jubilee trip through the state to inspect county poor farms.

The funeral of Carrie, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Christie, died at South Ninth street, was yesterday afternoon. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

John Dunn and Charles Edwards had trouble on Broadway and Pearl street yesterday morning and were arrested for disturbing the peace. Dunn managed to secure his release on bail, but Edwards had to spend the Sabbath in jail.

Charlie Wolfe became involved in a dispute with a number of youngsters last evening on Broadway and Madison streets, and was arrested. He is alleged to have struck a young son of M. Saitzman on the head with a brick.

The Shamrocks defeated the Nonpareil baseball team yesterday afternoon at the Third street grounds. Score, 12 to 5. Batteries: Shamrocks, Kirkpatrick, Clawson and Williams; Nonpareils, Kossel, Brickwick and Smith.

Leslie, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox of Garner township, died yesterday morning, aged 3 years and 10 months, from cholera infantum. The funeral will be this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence and burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Ernest F. Stephan, aged 39 years, died yesterday morning at his residence, 1235 Madison avenue. Death was due to consumption, from which he had suffered for the last four years. He was a member of the firm of Stephan Bros. The funeral, which will be private, will be this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence and burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Rev. R. L. Knox, pastor of the Episcopal church, will conduct the services.

Frank Welmer, under arrest on the charge of stealing, was being held in the jail at Blair, Neb., when he was being taken to this morning in police court, where he was arraigned. He is charged with similar charge. Chief Albino has received a warrant for his arrest on the Blair charge, and the event of his being acquitted here. It is said that the Blair authorities offered a reward of \$5 for his capture and if this be the case Detective Dan Weir will be entitled to it.

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CORNING GIRL FATALLY BURNED

CORNING, Ia., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—The 8-year-old daughter of a Mr. Redmond here leaped from a second-story window of his residence during a fire this morning and was discovered so badly burned that the physicians think she cannot live. The fire did little damage to the residence.

NOT AS OTHER JUDGES RULE

Judge Applegate Gives Decision in Tax Ferret Controversy Different from Contemporaries.

PORT DODGE, Ia., Aug. 4.—(Special.)—A decision of unusual interest in the tax ferret controversy has just been rendered by Judge J. H. Applegate in the suit of J. A. Thorneburg, treasurer of Dallas county, against Leader E. Caldwell, guardian et al. The suit was for the recovery of alleged back taxes due on the estate of Elias Caldwell, for the years 1895, 1896 and 1897, which were claimed by Dallas, Webster and Kosuth counties. The suit was argued at Adel last February, all three counties being represented by legal talent. The further claim was put forth by Webster county, and was argued at the same time, that back taxes for the years 1894 to 1899, inclusive, were due the county on account of Caldwell's having made his residence within the county lines during that time.

Judge Applegate's decision sustains the constitutionality of the tax ferret law in this respect, coinciding with the decisions previously rendered by Judges Weaver and Prouty. He differs from these two judges before mentioned, however, in his conclusion that the legislation permitting the collection of taxes omitted from assessment, does not apply to taxes which were omitted prior to the time when the statute was passed, in October, 1897, but only to taxes

IOWA FIGHT FOR GOVERNOR

All Ready for the Republican State Convention to Be Held This Week.

SEVEN WOULD BE AT HEAD OF TICKET

TALK ONLY ON THE INQUIRY

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stores. He owned one building on newspaper row which had never been occupied in twenty years.

He had married a Virginia woman and had one son. This son is the sole heir to the millions which the father accumulated. He lived in Virginia and had been a member of the legislature. He held a commission in a Virginia regiment during the Spanish war and won the excellent record for himself and won the love of all his men.

Immediately after coming into his estate he began to improve the property which had descended to him. He filled the vacant buildings with tenants and service, and he created a beautiful office building on the vacant lot and named it after his mother. And now a new Willard hotel has arisen on the site of the old one. It is the finest hotel building in Washington and will be opened to the public this fall.

A democratic nomination for a state office is equivalent to an election in Virginia and Captain Willard is practically nominated for lieutenant governor already. The old business needs new blood. Young Willard has the shrewdness of his New England ancestors deep in his system. He is a business man and a politician. He may yet develop into a statesman. But whether or not he reaches a higher plane in the political life of his state or of the country, it is certain that he will accomplish much as lieutenant governor for the old state.

MUNICIPAL GAS IN ITALY.

Several Cities Find Profit and Other Benefits in It.

During recent years the municipalization of public services has gained popularity in Italian cities, says the New York Journal.

It has been found that the worst possible administrator has been discarded. Numerous cities in Italy have recently assumed the management of the gas supply.

In Padua, with over 90,000 inhabitants, near Venice, the financial results have been excellent. Between August 1, 1896, and September 30, 1897, the price of gas was the same as charged by the company. The estimated profits for this period of fourteen months were about \$140,000. The actual realized amount to about \$58,000.

The net yearly profits of the service are now, with reduced prices, about \$14,000, and are used for the liquidation of the loan. Within ten years the municipality will own the gas works, a revenue-producing plant and have a relatively large income, which, under private management, would have gone to speculators.

To this net profit may be added properly \$9,000 saved to the city in the cost of public lighting. This expenditure, \$18,000 prior to municipalization, is now less than \$9,000.

The laborers of the department have also benefited by municipalization. A special fund has been instituted for their benefit. This is formed from contribution by the laborers—a 3 per cent deduction from their salaries and a contribution on the part of the city of 7 per cent of the salaries paid.

Study German Canals.

BERLIN, Aug. 4.—A mission for the French Chamber has arrived in Bremen for the purpose of studying Germany's canals and harbors.

WILL BE FAIR AND WARMER

The Forecast Applies Not Only to Nebraska, but to Iowa and Kansas.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Forecast for Monday and Tuesday: For Nebraska, Iowa and Kansas—Fair Monday and Tuesday; warmer, variable winds.

For Illinois and Missouri—Fair Monday and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday; variable winds.

For North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Monday; Tuesday fair; southeasterly wind.

For Colorado—Fair and warmer Monday; Tuesday fair, variable winds.

For Wyoming—Fair Monday and Tuesday; variable winds.

For Montana—Fair Monday with warmer in central and eastern portions. Tuesday fair, with cooler in western portion; variable winds.

For Arkansas—Generally fair Monday, except showers and drizzle in southern. Tuesday fair, northerly wind.

For New Mexico, Western Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Showers Monday. Tuesday fair; northerly winds becoming variable.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, Omaha, Neb., Aug. 4.—Record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years.

Maximum temperature, 1901, 1900, 1899, 1898. Minimum temperature, 28, 20, 23, 20. Mean temperature, 58, 55, 64, 62. Precipitation, .00, .00, .17, .17.

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1.

Normal temperature, 74. Deficiency for the day, 16. Total precipitation, March 1, .563. Deficiency for the day, .12 inches. Total precipitation, 12.12 inches. Deficiency since March 1, 6.41 inches. Deficiency for 30 days, 1.80. Deficiency for 60 days, 3.32 inches. Deficiency for 90 days, 3.32 inches.

Reports from Stations at 7 p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

Omaha, clear, 78, 81, .00. North Platte, clear, 78, 80, .00. York, Neb., clear, 78, 80, .00. Salt Lake City, clear, 90, 94, .00. Rapid City, clear, 78, 80, .00. Huron, partly cloudy, 78, 80, .00. Williston, clear, 80, 82, .00. Lincoln, clear, 78, 80, .00. St. Louis, cloudy, 74, 80, .00. St. Paul, partly cloudy, 74, 78, .00. Chicago, clear, 78, 80, .00. Kansas City, clear, 78, 80, .00. Helena, clear, 80, 82, .00. Denver, clear, 80, 82, .00. Galveston, clear, 80, 82, .00. Birmingham, clear, 80, 82, .00. T denotes trace of precipitation.

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