

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Dravert sells carpets and rugs. Davis & B. Co. beer, Neumayr's hotel. Police heaters. Bixby & Son, agents. Wolman, scientific optician, 409 Broadway. Miss Grace Seganoff is visiting in Creston, Ia.

SEEK SHELTER OF TENTS

Adjutant General Byers and Family Are Early on the Ground.

ALL IS READY FOR TWO REGIMENTS

Fifty-First and Fifty-Second to Begin Outdoor-Life Wednesday—Schedule of Hours of Service Announced.

Adjutant General Byers took up his quarters yesterday morning at Camp G. M. Dodge. He was accompanied by his wife and two daughters, who will occupy the brigade headquarters with him until the close of the encampment.

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The camp grounds, with the sprinkling of uniformed officers and force of workmen, are already proving an attraction and were visited last evening by a considerable number of people.

Company L of this city will go into camp early Wednesday morning and will have charge of all the camp property until after guard mount that evening.

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DROWNED YOUTH IDENTIFIED

Body of Carl Stoner is Taken Back to Home in Lincoln After Inquest.

The young man drowned while bathing Saturday evening at Manhattan beach, Lake Manawa, was identified yesterday morning as Carl Stoner, son of Henry S. Stoner, a contractor living at 1909 Washington street, Lincoln, Neb., by O. J. Wilcox, a friend of the family.

Coroner Treynor held an inquest over the remains yesterday morning. A. M. Bonham, Charles Armour and J. W. Bell comprising the jury. The evidence of three witnesses, employes at Lake Manawa, was taken and the jury returned a verdict that young Stoner was accidentally drowned while bathing. The testimony of the witnesses indicated that the young man had evidently been seized with cramps while swimming.

C. E. Woolman, manager at the Manhattan beach bathhouse, testified that he had seen young Stoner about 6 o'clock Saturday evening and that he had remarked a peculiar expression on his face. He had seen him later lying on some boards under the bathhouse.

Edward T. Wright said he was sent between 7 and 8 o'clock Saturday evening to tow the barge across the lake. Stoner was lying on it and he rode out into the lake about twenty-two yards or so and dropped off the stern and began to swim for the shore. When Wright last saw the young fellow he was about 100 feet from the shore.

Young Stoner was only 17 years old, but unusually large and well built for that age. When the body was taken out of the water Sunday evening, covered as it was with sand, it had the appearance of that of a young man about 25 years old. It seems that young Stoner had a fondness for running away from home and had caused his parents much anxiety and expense in consequence. He left his home in Lincoln Thursday and went to Wahoo. He is supposed to have left Wahoo either Friday or Saturday.

DR. GEORGE NUSUM IS MISSING

Wife Promptly Sues for Divorce and Involves a Young Woman School Teacher.

Dr. George Nusum, county physician at Neola, and a prominent politician in that section of the county, has disappeared and his whereabouts are unknown. His wife, Mrs. Agne Jane Nusum, whom he married September 12, 1894, in Boomer township, filed a petition yesterday for a divorce and the custody of their three minor children. Mrs. Nusum, in addition to charges of cruelty and inhuman conduct, names a young woman of this city, who has been teaching school at Neola, with whom she alleges her husband has misbehaved himself. She asks that her husband be ordered to pay her \$50 a month for the support of herself and children.

The monthly session of the library board yesterday afternoon, was devoted to the transaction of routine business only. The librarian's report for July gives these statistics: Number of visitors, 4,412; number of registered book takers, 3,561; number of books taken, 3,354; paid out for rented books to date, \$159.25; received on rented books to August 1, \$138.66. There are 18,172 volumes in the circulating library and 5,482 in the government department. The report of the finance committee showed the balance in the library fund on August 1 to be \$1,973.61.

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