NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

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Leonard Leutzinger is home on a short visit with relatives from Arizona.

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For sale, two good milch cows. Terms reasonable. Call 616 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

Miss Ivy Sutton will leave today for a visit with friends and relatives at Charles City, Ia.

The regular meeting of Bluffs company No. 27, Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will be this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hess and Miss Emma Frederick will leave today for Buffalo and New York. They will go by way of the lakes.

The case against W. W. Langdon, charged with the theft of three ladders belonging to C. Eaton, was dismissed in Justice Bryant's court yesterday.

George Fisher, aged 74 years, died yesterday morning at the Woman's Christian Association hospital, death being due to the disabilities of old age. His relatives live in Garner township.

Lyman Kennedy, an 18-year-old youth sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for the theft of a pair of shoes from a residence, was released yesterday after serving half his time.

A. D. Lane of Omaha has been appointed manager of the Council Bluffs exchange of the Nebraska Telephone company, to succeed C. A. Atkins, who will leave for Grand Rapids, Mich., next week.

The police are looking for a 13-year-old girl who has been selling tickets for a dinner, claiming that they were for the benefit of the Associated Charities. The women in charge of the association say the girl is an imposter.

A charge of vagrancy under the state law was filed in the superior court yesterday against H. A. Clemens, keeper of an Omaha Turkish bathroom, where three of the patrons were alleged to have been robbed Monday night.

The Retail Grocers' association met last night in the city council chamber and adopted by-laws and a constitution. It was decided not to extend the membership of the association to retail butchers, as had been suggested.

C. E. Ross, the negro held at the city jail on suspicion that he might be Francis, the murderer of Miss Henderson at Holden, Mo., was released yesterday. He did not answer the description received here of the Missouri murderer.

Next Saturday will be the first day for filing nominations of candidates for the offices to be voted on at the election next November. October 15 will be the last day for filing such certificates of nomination with the county auditor.

Miss Mildred Dillon, aged 26 years, died yesterday afternoon at Kansas City, where she had been a patient in a hospital for the last week. She was a niece of D. J. and A. M. Hutchinson of this city and had made her home with the former. The body will be brought to Council Bluffs today for burial.

"Doc" O. H. Smith, the blind peddler who, with his wife, was driven out of South Omaha yesterday morning, was arrested in this city last evening for being drunk and insulting women who refused to purchase pencils from him. About a week ago Smith and his wife were arrested here on a similar charge and released on their promise to leave the city.

Ben Dailey, arrested while in a drunken condition Wednesday night on suspicion of being the party wanted in Missouri Valley for the theft of a gold watch and chain and $15 in money, was fined $5 and costs in police court yesterday morning for being intoxicated. He proved not to be the Missouri Valley thief, as the latter was arrested in Omaha and taken back to Missouri Valley last evening by Constable Daniels.

John O. Wilson, a negro in the employ of Contractor Wickham, was fined $1 and costs in police court yesterday for assaulting Jens Thompson. Wilson claimed that Thompson attempted to drive a wagon over a portion of Upper Broadway which is being paved and on which Wilson and others were laying the bottom tier of brick. In the dispute that followed Wilson is said to have slapped Thompson in the mouth.

In the injunction suit brought in the district court Wednesday by property owners in the Fourth ward to prevent Wickham from proceeding under the contract recently awarded him for the paving of certain streets in that ward the name of Alderman E. C. Brown was omitted from the members of the city council named as defendants. This will necessitate the petitioners amending the petition in order to make Brown one of the party defendants.

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DEMOCRATS PATCH UP HOLES

Conrad Giese Takes the Nomination Garner Refuses.

HE IS ENDORSED BY ACCLAMATION

County Central Committee Authorized to Fill Any Further Vacancies—Kane Township Chooses Dentler.

Conrad Geise, the former Council Bluffs brewer and now living on a farm in York township, will be the candidate of the democracy of Pottawattamie county in place of John Garner, sr., who declined to accept the nomination. Geise was nominated at the convention held yesterday to patch up the holes in the democratic county ticket.

The convention was called for 10 o'clock in the morning, but as there were only six delegates present when Chairman Brooks Reed called the gathering to order, an adjournment was taken to 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

There were about thirty-five delegates in attendance in the afternoon and Chairman Brooks Reed, on calling the convention to order, explained that John Garner having declined to accept the nomination it was thought advisable to reconvene the county convention to place in nomination a candidate to fill the vacancy. John T. Hazen of Avoca, who presided at the original convention, was called to the chair and R. H. Huntington again filled the position of secretary.

The name of Conrad Geise was presented to the convention by S. G. Underwood of Council Bluffs, and he was nominated by acclamation. Fearful that other vacancies might occur in the ticket and wishing to obviate the holding of a third convention, Delegate Organ suggested that the county central committee be authorized to patch up any holes that might occur in the ticket, and the convention accepted the suggestion.

Chairman Reed of the county central committee took occasion before the gathering adjourned to state that there had been more talk throughout the county as to Mr. Geise accepting the nomination. Mr. Reed said he was authorized by Mr. Geise to state to the convention that if nominated he would be a candidate and do his best to get elected.

The delegates from Kane township then held a convention of their own at which E. P. Searle presided and Paul Aylesworth acted as secretary. The purpose of the convention was to select a candidate for township trustee in place of John T. Mulqueen, who had declined the nomination.

C. E. Walters placed B. B. Dentler in nomination and J. K. Cooper presented the name of John H. Churchill. The first ballot gave Dentler 27 votes as against Churchill's 11. The convention then adjourned.

The candidates on the democratic ticket met yesterday afternoon in the office of John P. Organ and selected Brooks Reed as chairman of the county central committee.

MANY CASES BEFORE COURT

Validity of Tax Assessments Attacked in Two Suits by Fremont Benjamin.

In the district court the two suits brought by Fremont Benjamin against the city of Council Bluffs, in which he attacks the validity of certain assessments for special improvements completed several years ago, were partially tried before Judge Macy yesterday and will be submitted today.

In his petition Benjamin attacked the validity of the special taxes on the grounds that they were assessed according to the linear front footage instead of according to the benefit received by the abutting property. Since the filing of the suits the United States supreme court has rescinded its former ruling and has held that assessments made according to the linear front footage were valid. In the trial yesterday Bejamin did not depend on this point, but made his fight on the grounds of alleged irregularities in the making of the assessment by the city.

The petition of intervention of the First National bank of Omaha in the matter of the receivership of the Officer & Pusey bank, in which the bank sought to have its claim preferred, was dismissed. The demurrer to the bank's petition had been sustained at the last term of court and the bank had failed to plead over within the statutory time.

Mrs. Julia Taite was granted a divorce from John William Taite.

The evidence in the divorce suit of Mete Sophia Jensen against John Jensen was submitted and Judge Macy took his decision under advisement.

J. E. Ault entered his horse, George T. Tood, in the one and a half mile event, the American Derby, at the race meeting given by the Pottawattamie County Fair association at Avoca last July. His horse won the second prize, amounting to $62, but for some reason the association declined to pay him the money. He brought suit against the association in Justice Ferrier's court in this city and F. G. Hetzel filed a counter claim, alleging that Ault had slandered the association. Justice Ferrier decided the suit in favor of Ault and gave him a verdict for the amount sued for. The Fair association appealed to the district court, the transcript of the case being filed yesterday.

COMPARE MERITS OF BRICKS

Aldermen Want to Get Paving Particulars from City Engineer.

At the adjourned meeting of the city council yesterday afternoon City Engineer Etnyre was directed to furnish the aldermen with a written report on the merits of the several kinds of paving brick on which bids were made for the Fourth ward paving. City Engineer Etnyre presented a bill Wednesday night for the expenses of his trip to Kansas City, where he went to inspect paving laid with the Coffeyville brick, but made no report.

In the suit brought Wednesday by property owners in the Fourth ward to annul the contract with Wickham the assertion is made that the city engineer reported that Coffeyville brick was superior to the Galesburg brick and met fully all the requirements of the specifications. No such report was ever filed with the city council by Mr. Etnyre. On the other hand, the experiments made by the city engineer proved that the Coffeyville brick did not meet the requirements of the specifications.

The water absorption test to which the city engineer subjected the specimens of the different kinds of brick showed that the Coffeyville brick absorbed 5 per cent, while the Galesburg brick did not absorb 1 per cent. In the "rattler" test the Coffeyville brick showed an abrasion of 8¼ per cent abrasion. The test was made with 1,800 revolutions of the "tumbler."

The aldermen said yesterday that the suit would not prevent them from carrying out the paving as decided upon, as they believed that all of the requirements of the law had been fully complied with. Contractor Wickham stated that as far as he was concerned the suit did not trouble him in the least and that he was prepared to go ahead with the work the moment the contracts were signed and completed. Wickham denied that there was any combination between him and two of the other bidders, as alleged in the petition filed in the injunction suit. He also denied having an inside quotation on Galesburg brick and asserted that at least one other bidder had secured better prices than he had and that others had been quoted prices just as good as he had received.

An attempt to pass Colonel Hannan's ordinance giving him one foot of Broadway and one foot of North Main street in order that he might put a "swell" front in the property purchased by him and his associates at the corner of Broadway and Main street was voted down. The ordinance passed to its second reading and then went over under the rules.

The aldermen met last night as a committee of the whole and took a drive around the city in the patrol wagon to inspect localities where arc lamps have been petitioned for.

FOR NOVEMBER ELECTION

Board of Supervisors Completes List of Judges and Clerks for the County.

Beyond completing the list of judges and clerks for the election next November the Board of Supervisors transacted little business yesterday, an adjournment being taken in the afternoon to inspect several county roads which need working. This is the complete list of election judges and clerks for the entire county:

Belknap—Judges, H. H. Rounds (R), E. P. Denton (R), C. A. Semple (D); clerks, E. F. Wentz (R), J. O. Bates (D).

Boomer—Judges, A. B. Smith (D), Peter Witt (D), J. P. Christenson (R); clerks, O. B. McBride (D), Soren Peterson (R).

Carson—Judges, W. L. Throp (R), J. W. Barnes (R), L. L. Pierce (D); clerks, Z. F. Linville (R), Ira R. Stitt (D).

Center—Judges, T. J. Johns (R), J. O. Frizzell (R), J. H. Kelso (D); clerks, C. E. White (R), A. L. Frizzell (D).

Crescent—Judges, Henry Rief (D), P. J. Moran (D), James Kelsey (R); clerks, R. Adams (D), T. A. Kirkwood (R).

Garner—Judges, Lewis Smith (D), William Hellman (D), J. M. Dollarhide (R); clerks, C. L. Prouty (D), N. O. Ward (R).

Grove—Judges, O. G. Miller (R), G. M. Smith (R), N. A. Brown (D); clerks, C. E. Denton (R), P. N. Fredericksen (D).

Hardin—Judges, A. K. Chambers (R), Eugene Stupfell (P), F. H. Thornton (D); clerks, V. R. J. Morris (R), W. H. Kleef (D).

Hazel Dell—Judges, A. H. Smith (R), David Nixon (R), L. C. Bondo (D); clerks, R. T. Williams (R), D. D. Smith (D).

James—Judges, A. W. Halladay (R), W. O. Bane (R), George Miller (D); clerks, C. C. Smith (R), M. T. Brown (D).

Kane, Outside—Judges, O. J. Smith (R), J. E. Butler (R), W. Duncan (D); clerks, J. E. Meyers (R), J. O. McMahon (D).

Keg Creek—Judges, N. Kirsch (R), R. Campbell (R), Charles B. Blood (D); clerks, Otto Saar (D), Oscar Plumer (R).

Knox—Judges, W. E. Bunnell (R), Frank True (D), Jasper Pierce (D); clerks, C. E. Brown (D), A. C. Matteson (R).

Layton—Judges, Frank Hanna (R), C. N. Simonson (D), H. F. Stevers (D); clerks, Hugo Burmeister (D), P. E. Johannsen (R).

Lewis—Judges, P. W. Kramer (D), Henry Ellerbeck (R), G. D. Wittland (R); clerks, G. C. Plumer (D), J. A. Wolcott (R).

Lincoln—Judges, F. M. Allee (D), Jacob Carbuhn (D), L. P. Zimmerman (R); clerks, Mike Howard (D), A. E. Young (R).

Macedonia—Judges, Theodore Tibbles (R), John Martin (D), B. F. Harbert (D); clerks, E. B. Lane (R), Henry Kennedy (D).

Minden—Judges, Peter Langer (R), Adolph Wunder (R), Bartley Engler (D); clerks, C. H. Stuhr (D), John Geiger (R).

Neola—Judges, D. W. Spencer (P), William Felton (P), Charles McLyman (R); clerks, H. Mendel (D), Fred Williams (R).

Norwalk—Judges, John Myers (D), John Currie (D), Fred Hansen (R); clerks, E. D. Fisher (R), Lewis Shields (D).

Pleasant—Judges, Henry Bornholst (D), Henry Stottenberg (D), George Haas (R); clerks, D. Gross (D), Fred Lohis (R).

Rockford—Judges, L. G. Jones (D), Henry Lowe (R), John Zahner (R); clerks, D. D. Jones (R), H. L. Fouts (D).

Silver Creek—Judges, August Olderog (R), W. B. Bodyfelt (R), F. W. Ouren (D); clerks, E. B. Carley (D), George A. Stevens (R).

Valley—Judges, Marion Palmer (R), John Armstrong (R), John Maassen (D); clerks, W. C. Battelle (D), Frank Stevenson (R).

Washington—Judges, C. D. Lyman (R), John T. Jones (R), H. C. McCabe (D); clerks, George M. Evans (R), W. B. Liddell (D).

Waveland—Judges, John W. Rush (R), N. S. Collins (R), A. Lischer (D); clerks, J. P. Talbott (R), D. Lantis (D).

Wright—Judges, Allen Bullis (R), George H. Mattis (R), James Boller (D); clerks, N. Walters (R), L. A. Smith (D).

York—Judges, Fred Knott (R), G. W. Davis (D), G. Elsabush (D); clerks, Hugh McLean (D), B. Eichenberger (R).

Council Bluffs.

First Ward—First precinct: Judges, John Haile (R), Lewis Hammer (R), C. H. Huber (D); clerks, W. C. Dockey (R), J. C. Woodward (D). Second precinct: Judges, George Carson (R), E. B. Gardner (R), Robert Rain (D); clerks, E. J. Abbott (R), William Green (D).

Second Ward—First precinct: Judges, E. H. Lougee (R), Spencer Smith (R), O. H. Lucas (D); clerks, J. B. Sweet (R), R. H. Huntington (D). Second precinct: Judges, J. H. Pace (R), L. H. Greer (R), Charles Crum (D); clerks, H. A. Baird (R), John Nugent (D).

Third Ward—First precinct: Judges, Robert Green (R), R. E. O'Hanley (R), A. C. Graham (D); clerks, T. Miles (R), Charles Gregory, jr. (D). Second precinct: Judges, Ed C. Brown (R), J. M. Oursler (R), Patrick Gunnoude (D); clerks, W. S. Annin (R), R. E. Stimson (D).

Fourth Ward—First precinct: Judges, C. W. McDonald (R), F. P. Wright (R), Henry Atkins (D); clerks, J. M. Pusey (R), T. E. Casady (D). Second precinct: Judges, El Ford (R), Soren Wilson (R), A. W. Slack (D); clerks, Emil H. Leffert (R), J. T. Mulqueen (D).

Fifth Ward—First precinct: Judges, D. J. Clark (R), O. E. Beswick (R), J. K. Cooper (D); clerks, Harry Mitchell (R), E. A. Troutman (D). Second precinct: Judges, John P. Emerson (R), D. L. Grimes (R), R. I. Gallagher (D); clerks, A. F. Brewick (R), D. Driscoll (D).

Sixth Ward—First precinct: Judges, W. A. McAnaney (R), I. Lovett (R), W. C. Boyer (D); clerks, A. C. Cooper (R), C. Mercer (D). Second precinct: Judges, W. H. Magwood (R), John Hansen (R), Charles Negathon (D); clerks, James M. Tranck ar (R), W. B. Shinquist (D).

GEORGE H. JACKSON ROBBED

Suspicion Points to Two Young Fellows of the Neighborhood.

The residence of George H. Jackson, 517 South First street, was entered by thieves Wednesday and $85 in money stolen. The house was thoroughly ransacked while the family was asleep. The money and a passkey to the night lock on the front door were taken from Mr. Jackson's trousers, which were on a chair by the bed in which he slept. Entrance was effected through a small window in the rear.

Suspicion points to two young fellows, notorious local characters, one of whom lives in the vicinity of the Jackson residence, and they are believed to be the thieves who broke into Dr. Carter's residence on the same street about a week ago and stole a large sum of money, but did not disturb the valuable jewelry which was on a bedroom bureau. At the Carter residence the thieves had the opportunity of stealing a valuable diamond pin, several rings and a valuable gold watch, but they left them alone, evidently being after money only. In Dr. Carter's purse, from which the money was taken, was a $2.50 gold piece, a pocket piece, which was marked, and this the thieves did not take.

At the Jackson residence none of the jewelry was taken. This leads the police to believe that both robberies were committed by the same parties.

GOOD COAL GOES TO WASTE

One Hundred Tons of Winter Stock Consumed in Company's Sheds.

Fifty tons of hard coal and fifty more of soft burned with the shed containing it at 12:30 o'clock this morning. All belonged to the Council Bluffs Coal and Ice company and the shed was at Ninth street and Broadway, so near the old Union Pacific dummy depot that the latter building was saved only by energetic effort on the part of the firemen. The twenty-five horses in it were rescued, but some of the company's wagons were scorched. Four Union Pacific freight cars were in flames at one time, but were not destroyed.

The origin of the fire is thought to have been spontaneous combustion. The loss could not be even estimated by Mr. Tenney, who was the only attache of the company about while the fire was in progresss.

A Modern Shoe Store.

The well-known shoe store of George F. Hamilton's is undergoing some extensive repairs. It is being remodeled throughout, the main salesroom is being widened and lengthened so as to give ample room for the increasing trade which this store has had since Mr. Hamilton took charge several years ago. The room when completed will be 23x90 feet, making over 2,000 feet of floor space. The interior will be handsomely decorated and will be furnished with beautiful prism lights for lighting the entire storeroom. Shelving, running from the front to the rear and covering all the available space of the twelve-foot ceilings, will be furnished with the latest adjustable moving ladders. The two skylights from the roof will be so arranged as to give plenty of light for the large storeroom. The front will have elegant display windows and, all in all, when completed, the Hamilton Shoe store will be one of the most handsomely appointed concerns of its kind in the west.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Charles C. George to John I. Redick, lot 6, block 10, Potter & George Co.'s add to East Omaha, q. c. d.	$ 1
Potter & George Co. to same, lot 28, block 1, and lot 30, block 8, Potter & George Co.'s add to East Omaha, q. c. d.	1
Mrs. Wilhelmine Buck to Henry Harris, lot 4, block 5, Minden, w. d.	330
Margaret Peterson and husband to Petrus Peterson, lot 7, Auditor's subdiv, nw¼ sw¼ 36-76-43, w. d.	600
Dennis A. Sweeney and wife to Silas W. Morton, lot block 7, McMahon, Cooper & Jefferis' add, w. d.	700
C. M. Crippen and wife to Thomas Rishton, the e½ of lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 17, town of Neola, w. d.	1,600
The Realty Trust company to Mrs. Cassa E. Mueller, lot 6, block 7, Mynster's add, s. w. d.	2,500
Total seven transfers	$ 5,732

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and Residence.	Age.
P. L. Hawes, Boone, Ia.	31
Elizabeth Sallada, Council Bluffs	30
Frank Boyd, Nebraska City	23
Mattie C. Menifee, Nebraska City	19
E. J. Winters, Omaha	35
Alzada Byron, Auburn, Neb.	38

WILL VOTE FOR CUMMINS

Hon. M. F. Healy, Former Democratic Leader, Announces Himself for Republican Candidate.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Hon. M. F. Healy, one of the leading democrats of Webster county and of northwestern Iowa, today announced, in an interview, his intention of voting for A. B. Cummins, republican candidate for governor. Mr. Healy has for years been prominent in democratic politics and was at one time chairman of the democratic state central committee. His decision to vote for Cummins will without doubt have considerable effect on the democratic vote in this section. Mr. Healy refuses to follow his party in its endorsement of the Kansas City platform. He said in an interview this afternoon that many democratic votes in Webster county would go for Cummins.

RUBY BACK TO OLD TRICK

Caught by Marshal Webb Making and Passing Bad Money.

HEDRICK, Ia., Sept. 5.—Deputy United States Marshal Webb of Omaha arrested Columbus Monahan and Gerald Ruby here today, charging them with making and having in their possession counterfeit quarters, half dollars and dollars. The work turned out is rather crude, although it had been passed frequently within the last few months.

Ruby is an old man and was recently released from the Nebraska state penitentiary, where he served a term for counterfeiting.

ANOTHER GUN NOT LOADED

But with It Clifford Honing of Waterloo Fatally Shoots Wayne Ward.

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Wayne Ward of Waterloo was accidentally shot and killed by Clifford Honing last night with a target rifle supposed to be empty. Honing is frantic with grief and Ward's mother is in a critical condition from the shock.

CHARGE HOLDUP TO NEGROES

Race Followers Held for Robbing a Man on Main Street of Audubon.

AUDUBON, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—C. E. Mertz of Gray was held up on Main street early this morning and relieved of about $60. Three negroes attending the fair here were arrested on suspicion.

Arraigns the Liquor Traffic.

SIBLEY, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—At the Women's Christian Temperance union annual district convention in session at Sibley tonight, twenty northwestern Iowa towns being represented by delegates and temperance workers, Mrs. Marion H. Duncan, state president, of Burlington arraigned the liquor traffic of the United States as a great crime against God and humanity and boldly declared that on account of it this nation was being weighed in the balance of the Almighty. She prophesied that as slavery fell before an aroused American conscience so the rum power in God's own time would fall before the American quickened conscience and the American sovereign ballot, and that in actual prohibition, as in other great reforms, America would lead the nations of the earth. The devotional exercises were led by Rev. Mr. Lemon, a Baptist clergyman of Sibley. The musical numbers were a solo by Miss Carpenter of Rock Rapids and a duet by Dr. and Mrs. Hill of Sibley.

SOCIALISTS NAME A TICKET

James Baxter of Hiteman Bears Their Standard for Governor.

W. A. JACOBS HIS RUNNING MATE

Delegates Declare Principles and Approve Indianapolis Conference, Uniting All Branches of the Party.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Sept. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The socialists, in state convention today, nominated this ticket:

For governor, James Baxter, Hiteman.

For lieutenant governor, W. A. Jacobs, Davenport.

For railroad commissioner, A. C. Middlebrook, Rock Rapids.

For judge, A. F. Thompson, Centerville.

For superintendent of schools, E. E. Stevens, Burlington.

The convention adopted resolutions indorsing the action of the Indianapolis conference in uniting all branches of socialists and set forth briefly the principles of socialism.

The socialist state convention was held here today. The attendance was not large, only about thirty persons being present, but the socialists explain that as everything has to be referendumed by the clubs a half dozen could hold a convention as well as 100 and afterward submit it to the members of the clubs. There are sixteen of these regularly organized clubs in the state. Since the conference at Indianapolis, where it was directed that the social democrats should co-operate with the social labor party and the two become one, the socialist movement has gained some strength in Iowa. The convention was called to order today by A. W. Ricker of Lone Tree, Johnson county, state chairman of the party. Mr. Ricker has been out of the state some time attending medical school in Omaha, but made a report showing that the work is being pushed vigorously. Reports show that during the past year the committee received $141.25 and spent $139.19 for campaign expenses. Many accessions to the ranks were reported. In Boone the socialists carried on a vigorous campaign last spring and elected one alderman in the city election and cast over 500 votes.

The state convention was organized by the selection of J. W. Bennett of Woodbury county as chairman and L. B. Patterson of Polk county as secretary.

The following committees were appointed:

On constitution—N. A. Baker, Wapello county; A. F. Thompson, Appanoose; E. Holtz, Dubuque. On resolutions—R. S. Spurrier, Taylor county; A. W. Ricker, Johnson; W. A. Jacobs, Scott. On credentials—A. U. Middlebrook, Linn county; Max Hagerman, Scott; Thomas Bowen, Appanoose.

The convention, on hearing the report of the committee on constitution, proceeded to adopt a constitution for the government of the clubs and branches in Iowa. Debate upon various features of this report consumed a good part of the afternoon. The chief matter of contention was in regard to insisting on the fee or dues system for raising funds and it was decided that this should be followed and the branches contribute a definite amount each month to the state treasury.

The platform indorses that of the united socialistic party, held at Indianapolis July 29, and says:

We believe socialism to be a scientific solution of the labor problem and that it will provide an ethical construction of society whereby equality and existing justice will be meted out to every individual. We declare our unalterable opposition to the competition for bread and to the capitalistic control of the means of production and distribution, and to secure a system whereby want, misery and poverty shall be forever eliminated we pledge ourselves to the final and complete overthrow of all competitive and capitalistic systems and the substitution therefor of a co-operative commonwealth and collective ownership of all means of distribution.

Friends' Yearly Meeting.

The thirty-ninth annual gathering of the Quakers in what is known as the Iowa yearly meeting occurred at Oskaloosa this week and Friends are present from many parts of Iowa and Kansas and Nebraska. Meetings are held at the chapel of Penn college and will continue for a week. Rev. John Henry Douglas of Pasadena, Cal., a missionary worker, delivered the first of the series of addresses. Among others who are present from outside the state are: Levi P. Rees of Indiana meeting, Thorntown; Albert E. Wright and wife, Anna M. Wright, of Canada yearly meeting; Exie Estes and James M. Estes of Newport, R. I.; Dillon H. Dillon and wife, North Branch, Kan.

New Corporations.

The Larson Loan and Trust company of Britt has been incorporated, with $50,000 capital stock. Lewis Larson, president, and E. F. Larson, secretary.

The People's Aid association of Des Moines has been incorporated, with $25,000 capital stock. Fred Salxman, president, and Louis Deutch, secretary.

The Century Realty company of Des Moines filed articles of incorporation with capital stock of $100,000. The incorporators are: Natnan Frankel, M. Rosenfield and Ansel Frankel.

Patent Right Case.

One of the new cases which have just come to the Iowa supreme court on appeal involves the question of the methods of disposing of patent rights or the right to sell certain patents in a given territory. Hubbell O. Soper and three others were indicted in Washington county for conspiracy to defraud three persons out of $3,000, which they induced the victims to pay for the right to sell a certain patent washing machine. The machine business was not as good as the purchasers had hoped and so they procured the indictment of the owners of the patents for conspiracy to defraud. Soper was convicted and appeals. The entire question of patent right business will be gone over in the Iowa court.

Superintendent at Cherokee.

The State Board of Control today elected Dr. M. N. Volding of Des Moines to be superintendent of the new insane hospital at Cherokee. The hospital will not be opened for nearly a year yet, but the board desired to have the superintendent selected so that he could be consulted about various matters as to the furnishings of the hospital and in the makeup of the working force. Dr. Volding will not commence active duties at Cherokee until near the time for the opening. He was for several years assistant superintendent at the Independence hospital and has extensive acquaintance with the work.

State Receipts.

The state auditor today sent to the printer today his biennial report on the finances of the state. The report shows that during the last two years the state received from all sources a revenue aggregating $5,565,000. There was a cash balance on hand at the beginning of the biennial period amounting to $445,000, which leaves the net actual receipts at about $5,120,000. The state now has to its credit a much larger cash balance.

Gets Damages from Clark County.

CRESTON, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—In the Union county district court Wednesday the jury in the case of E. F. Perry against Clark County returned a verdict of $4,000 for the plaintiff. Perry was injured by his threshing machine engine falling through a Clark county bridge. He went to the bottom with the machine, had his leg badly scalded and sustained other injuries. He asked for $10,000 damages. At one time, it is alleged, the case could have been settled for $300.

Burned by Torch Explosion.

CRESTON, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—James Flannigan, foreman for Flick & Johnson, railroad contractors, who have a section at Afton for the Burlington, was perhaps fatally injured Wednesday morning by the explosion of a gasoline torch. Flannigan, who was standing near the torch when it exploded, was severely burned about the face, hands and breast. He was brought to this city and placed in Cottage hospital. His wife, who lives in Omaha, is with him.

Mason City Will Be Dry.

MASON CITY, Ia., Sept. 5.—(Special.)—There will be no saloons in Mason City this year. Both the duplicate names and the names of non-voters were stricken off the list, with seventy-five others, who by removal have lost the right to sign. The petition for the mulct saloon falls short by fifty votes.

PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS.

War Survivors Remembered by the General Government.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—(Special.)—The following pensions have been granted:

Issue of August 15:

Nebraska: Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.—David Stevens, Raymond, $12; Benjamin W. Gaskill, Cozad, $12; Chauncey M. Pinckney, Friend, $10; Israel W. Young, Grand Island, $12.

Iowa: Original—Frederick W. Wald, Grundy Center, $6; William M. Long, Vinton, $6. Increase, restitution, reissue, etc.—Richard H. Burns, Toledo, $6; Robert G. Turbot, Ainsworth, $10; Daniel Warren, Seymour, $8; Charles Venard, Conrad, $8; Robert Shackleton, Ames, $12; Henry Kohler, Davenport, $8; Joseph L. Hensley, Bedford, $8; Dennis Leary, McGregor, $17; Alfred C. Fox, Soldiers' Home, Marshalltown, $8; Ephraim H. Kime, Dubuque, $8.

South Dakota: Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.—John Sutherland, Hot Springs, $17.

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