

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM OMAHA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

David sells drugs.
Blackett sells carpets and rugs.
Mrs. Green, office 303 Sapp block.
Weldback burners, Hixby & Son.
Elegant X-mas photos at Schmidt's.

OFFICER MUST STAND TRIAL

Charge of Fraudulent Banking Will Be Pressed Against Him.

DEMURRER TO INDICTMENT OVERRULED

'Unlawful, Fraudulent and Felonious' Conduct in Accepting Deposit When He Knows Bank is Insolvent.

Charles T. Officer will have to stand trial on the charge of fraudulent banking in connection with the failure and suspension of the private banking firm of Officer & Pusey.

FIRE ESCAPE PLEA TABLED

Alderman Boyer Says He Will Bring It Before Council at Next Meeting.

The request of the trustees of the public library that the ordinance regarding fire escapes be enforced as to the Merriam building, in which the public library is housed, was presented to the aldermen.

An ordinance prohibiting the burning of paper or any refuse of any character on any paved street in the city under a penalty of \$5 to \$20 was introduced and read for the first time.

The communication from F. M. Wilson of Templeton, Ia., including an ordinance for a telephone system franchise, was laid on the table on motion of Alderman Lougee.

Three new cases of smallpox were reported to the Board of Health yesterday. Harry Hall, 1522 A Street; Ott Kahler, 1610 Avenue B; John Rinney, 1621 Avenue F.

Thanksgiving in the Schools. Thanksgiving day will be observed with exercises in the city schools Wednesday.

A resolution was adopted requiring the street railroads having tracks through the city to erect and maintain electric arc lights over all crossings deemed dangerous.

The assessment schedule for the paving of Stutsman street from Broadway to Pierce street and Broadway from First street to Frank street was adopted after the assessment on two lots belonging to William Land had been reduced from \$250 to \$250.

Gravel roofing, A. H. Read, 541 Broadway. Wants Telephone Franchise. F. M. Wilson, a banker of Templeton, Ia., wants a franchise to establish and maintain a telephone system in Council Bluffs.

One hundred turkeys to select from at our store. Call and see us. Bartel & Miller, telephone 359, 100 West Broadway.

Abel Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Woman's Relief corps will visit Council Bluffs this evening.

Larry King, charged with uttering counterfeit money, pleaded guilty in the federal court at Des Moines, where he was taken last Saturday, and was sentenced to a fine of \$500.

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The franchise shall be twenty-five years and that Wilson, in return for it, will contract to supply free telephone service for the mayor, city clerk, city electrician, city marshal and city attorney during the life of the franchise.

Under the code of 1897 the city council is prohibited from granting franchises and in order to obtain one Mr. Wilson would have to submit the proposition to a vote of the people at a special election, the expenses of which he would have to bear.

Some years ago during the boom days of Council Bluffs, F. M. Wilson bought a large tract of land east of the Madison Avenue school, which he platted into lots, naming the school Wilson terrace.

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Mr. Finn testified to seeing the location stake of the Portland mine a number of times; that it bore the legend 'J. Doyle & Co.' and was in the handwriting of Burns.

Mr. Doyle promptly sent a reply giving the names of his parents, who live in Portland, Me.

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EASY FOR CANVASSING BOARD

Iowa Returns Contain No Errors for It to Worry Over.

CASS-SHELBY DISTRICT HAS A CONTEST

Emmert, Republican, Will Oppose Emmert, Democrat, Who Has Majority of but One. Alleging that Incorrect Ballots Were Counted.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Nov. 25.—(Special)—The state canvassing board, consisting of the governor, auditor of state, treasurer of state and secretary of state, made the canvass of the votes cast at the late election, other than for governor and lieutenant governor.

The returns as they were opened and spread upon the books showed that there were no mistakes and that all counties had been properly reported, so that there will be no delay in computing the results.

The board, in addition to canvassing those for judge of the supreme court, railroad commissioner and superintendent of public instruction, counted the votes in legislative districts where more than one county is concerned, and in judicial districts. The only point of interest was the count in the Cass-Shelby senatorial district.

The returns from the counties showed as follows: J. M. Emmert (dem.), Cass, 2,156; Shelby, 1,885; total, 4,041. James C. Bruce (rep.), Cass, 2,185; Shelby, 1,552; total, 4,041. The certificate will be issued to Emmert, who thus wins by a majority.

But Bruce is not satisfied, and there are three other contests. R. L. Parrish was elected in the Third district to succeed Judge Tedford, resigned, and J. H. Richard was elected in the Eleventh district to succeed Judge Weaver, who was promoted to the supreme bench.

The canvass of the vote on the minor officers of the state showed that the republican candidate for supreme judge ran ahead of the democratic candidate for governor.

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CONSUMPTION



The time was when doctors thought consumption could not be permanently cured, but since they have discovered the powerful curative qualities of Duff's Pure Malt Whiskey the best doctors agree that it will cure consumption and all diseases of the throat and lungs.

Office Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.



DR. MCGREW (Age 53) Diseases and Disorders of Men Only. 20 Years' Experience. 15 Years in Omaha.

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Travel to California has increased to such an extent as to demand another weekly excursion from Omaha. The first car on the new run will leave Omaha, 4:25 p. m. Saturday, November 30.

Other California excursions leave: 4:25 p. m. Wednesdays and Thursdays, and 10:30 p. m. Saturdays. A ticket to California costs only \$40.00; a berth but \$5.00.

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JOHN G. WOODWARD & CO., Council Bluffs, Ia. company for second lieutenant, Captain Hahn of Cedar Rapids resigned. The adjutant general has been notified of the change of Dr. Stover, an assistant surgeon in the guard, from Marengo to Spencer.

ANSWERS LOBBYING CHARGE Secretary Haddock Shows Where Total of Eighteen Dollars of Varsity Money Went.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Nov. 25.—(Special)—Secretary William J. Haddock of the University of Iowa has prepared a statement dealing with the charges of the Board of Control of state institutions that the university has spent some money for lobbying purposes.

LA PORTE, Ind., Nov. 25.—(Special)—Governor-elect Cummins of Iowa has been invited to attend a meeting and banquet of the Lincoln League of Indiana, to be held on the evening of February 12, and it is thought he will accept.

Watch Coffee. Watch Carefully Its Effect on You. Any brain worker who depends on thought for his success in life, uses up daily, by brain work, a varying amount of the delicate particles of potash and albumen, of which the brain and nerve centers are composed.

This breaking down of the little cells each day, from brain work, is a natural process, and the cells can readily be rebuilt from the right sort of food, if the system is not interfered with by drugs.

Frequently the trouble first shows in dyspepsia, lack of power of the bowels to operate properly or palpitation of the heart or some other lack of vitality and healthy vigor.

You will have become free from the breaking down force of coffee, and, on the other hand, you will be taking a powerful, nourishing liquid food which quickly rebuilds the new cells.

National Guard to Elect. An election has been ordered in the Cedar Rapids company of the Iowa National guard for captain and in the Tipton

They Cure and Take No Pay.

The British Doctors at 438 Board of Trade Building Are Curing All Cases Absolutely Free—They Accept No Pay Whatever.

A staff of eminent physicians and surgeons from the British Medical Institute have, at the urgent solicitation of a large number of patients under their care in this country, established a permanent branch of the Institute in this city at

Corner of 10th and Farnam Streets, Rooms 438-439 Board of Trade Building.

These eminent gentlemen have decided to give their services entirely free for three months (medicine excepted) to all invalids who call upon them for treatment between now and December 31.

These services consist not only of consultation, examination and advice, but also of all minor surgical operations.

The object in pursuing this course is to become rapidly and personally acquainted with the sick and afflicted, and under no conditions will any service rendered for three months to all who call before December 31.

The doctors treat all forms of disease and determine and guarantee a cure in every case they undertake.

Male and female weakness, catarrh and cancer, all skin diseases, and all diseases of the rectum are positively cured by their new treatment.

The chief associate surgeon of the Institute is in personal charge. Office hours from 9 a. m. till 8 p. m. No Sunday hours.

SPECIAL NOTICE—If you cannot call send stamp for question blank for home treatment.

LEWIS CUTLER Funeral Director 28 PEARL STREET, Phone 97.

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Iowa Steam Dye Works 304 BROADWAY, COUNCIL BLUFFS. Make your old clothes look like new. CLEANING, DYEING and REPAIRING. Prices A-1.

Married Women. Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided. Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form.

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