

Members of the Barkers Union of the World will assemble at Marcus' hail Thurs-day afternoon at 1 to attend the functat of Miss Viola V. Otto. The bural service of the order will be used at the grave. any previous year. Several large buildings bave been erected and several more are ber, 120; December, 124; October, 116; Novem-ber, 120; December, 86. As in 1960, the have been erected and several more are oon to be constructed. The reports of month of August showed the largest number the four banks in the city show a material of arrests.

Mrs. W. L. Ross has received news of the sudden death of her brother, G. Herb-ert Brown in Houston, Tex. He formerly lived in Council Bluffs. He recently be-came publisher of the Houston Daily Chronicie. increase in deposits, which is another sure sign of the prosperity of the people. The STARVING ON THE STREETS tive and property has brought good prices.

Tom Carter was brought from Omaha on requisition papers yesterday. He is charged with breaking into John Achatz's saloon on West Broadway and stealing several turkeys. He will have a hearing in police court Thursday morning. W. C. Joseph, record keeper of Council The real estate transfers for the last [twelve months show a large increase over those for 1909, and the number of bona fide transfers of property exceeds by far the number of mortgages.

W. C. Joseph, recordkeeper of Council Bluffs lodge, Knights of the Maccabees, received a telegram last night from George J. Sigle, supreme recordkeeper, of Port Huroo, Mich., that his camp had been awarded the banner for the largest camp in lowa on January 1, 1992.

in lowa on January 1, 1992. Articles of incorporation of the Keller-Farnsworth Furniture company of this city were filed yesterday with the county re-corder. The incorporators are S. S. Keller and his son-in-law. Tom S. Farnsworth. The capital stock is placed at \$50,000. The company will carry on the furniture busi-ness of S. S. Keller.

ness of S. S. Keller. The receipts in the general fund at the Christian Home last week were \$494.03, being \$294.03 in excess of the estimated needs for the current expenses of the week. The balance was placed to the credit of the contingent fund. The receipts in the manager's fund were \$77, being \$42 above the needs of the week and decreasing the deficiency in this fund to \$154.07 to date.

"A Thoroughbred Tramp" will be the at-traction at the Dohany tomorrow night. It is a brand new comedy with a tramp as the central figure, his numerous escapades forming the lighter and darker shades to

Implement Houses Prosper.

necessitated increased help. There has been walk in front of the city hall by Officer considerable railroad construction in the Busse, who summoned assistance and concity itself and in the vicinity, several of veyed him to the city jall. There he was the roads entering here having made ex- provided by Sergeant Burke with a good tensive improvements, such as double meal and tracking, etc. The advent of the Great jail office, Western is halled with satisfaction by all Reed, who appears to be a man of educa-

The general health of the city has not in Idaho and Montana. When his money been as good as in former years. There was gone he worked in the hayfields in has been and still is quite an epidemic of idaho, but wanted to work his way back to smallpox, while the children of the city his old home. Three weeks ago he reached Omaha and secured work cutting ice.

real estate market has been unusually ac- Police Pick Up Famished Man Who has never been in such good condition as a Year Ago Had Thouat present and is in striking contrast to sands of Dollars.

Three days without tasting food while walking the streets of the city in search of work proved more than C. Reed, a former resident of Syracuse, N. Y., could stand and he collapsed while on his way to police

meal and a bed in the little room off the classes, and already considerable money tion, said he had been in the west thirteen | der or being accessory to the murder of has been spent by the road here in the ac- years. Last January he possessed \$4,000, quisition of its right of way and terminals. but lost it in speculating in mining stock

The second resolution, which was a substiwhat it was three years ago at the time tute for the one offered by Governor Hunt of the riots there. of Idaho, along the same lines, was as fol-Wedding of Prominent People. lows: Mrs. Christine C. Snyder of this city, formerly of Creston, was married Sunday Denison to J. B. Romans, a wealthy

lows: Whereas, A consolidation of the great transcontinental railway lines is threat-ened, which in the opinion of the members of this conference, is inimical to the public welfare, therefore be it Resolved, First, That the congress of the United States be and hereby is requested to investigate the general subject and take suitable action thereon. Resolved, Scond, That power should be granted to the Inferstate Commerce Com-mission to fix maximum rates upon inter-state traffic and to regulate the same. Resolved, Third, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the senators and representatives in congress of the states here represented. Governor Van Sant expressed himself as citizen of Denison, at one time democratic candidate for congress and now a member of the state central committee. Mrs. Snyder was president of the Women's Relief corps of Iowa last year. She has been living in Des Moines the past year.

Held for Complicity in Murder.

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When

William Smith, Morris Shea, James Lally, Hugh O'Donnell and John Coyle were arraigned in court today on a charge of mur-Charles Johnson on Christmas eve. The ing which had been requested by him. five men were engaged in a drunken quar-"So far as I am concerned," said he after rel in Johnson's saloon, when he underthe meeting adjourned, "I am thoroughly took to settle the dispute and was killed.

Electric Railway Incorporates.

tary of state today. The capital stock is

or more competing and parallel lines would be brought about would be illegal and a writ of injunction would be to restrain the consummation of the plan, but that there was nothing in the case as presented to him that would indicate that the stock holders of the Northern Pacific Railway company were attempting such a consoli dation or merger. Powers Will Appeal. Judge Lochren in his decision made a

He also held that railroad corporations

could not do indirectly what the law pre-

vented them from doing directly and that

any method by which consolidation of two

ruling which the attorneys of J. J. Hill claim settles the question of the legality of the proposed merger. Said the court:

by Mr. Power.

This resolution was unanimously adopted.

creased Wages of the En-

gincers.

of the proposed merger. Said the court: If the Northern Pacific Railroad com-pany never thought of consolidation, but to pay off the preferred stock holders and issue common stock, it had authority to do that, and that of itself would certainly have no tendency towards consolidation. It seems to me that the preferred stock may all be retired without the Northern Securities company being formed, and if it is formed, and if it is unlawful, that its unlawfulness consists not in the rotiring of this stock but in the acts which result in the formation of that company and plac-ling other securities in that company. Mr. Powers' attorneys tonight authorized Governor Van Sant expressed himself as much gratified over the result of the meet-

Mr. Powers' attorneys tonight authorized satisfied with the work of the meeting. It the statement that the fight had just be-

Files Its Articles of Incorporation

accomplished all that could be desired. I gun and that they would appeal to the United States supreme court.

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The wholesalo agricultural implement houses of Council Bluffs have enjoyed an headquarters last night in quest of lodging exceptionally good year. The increase in and something to eat. He was found in an the volume of business in this line has almost unconscious condition on the side-

forming the lighter and darker shades to the play. A heavy scenic equipment is carried for this production, one of the lead-ing features being a race between an ex-press train and a woman on horseback. W. M. Shepard, formerly county recorder, left yesterday for Kansas City, where he will go into business with E. C. Shepard and Harry Gieason, also from this city. Mrs. Shepard and family will remain to visit friends for a few days before joining Mr. Shepard in Kansas City. Miss Fanny Brock and Milard Hoagiand of this city will also be associated with the firm in Kansas City. E. W. Miller, night clerk at the Burling-

Kansas City. E. W. Miller, night clerk at the Burling-ton freight office for the last twenty years, suffered a stoke of apoplexy yesterday morning while standing on the sidewalk at Sixth street and Broadway. In falling he struck his head violently against the pavement. He was removed to the Woman's Christian association hospital in an uncon-scious condition. His home is 60 South Sixth street. At the hospital last night his condition was said to be serious.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

The Boston Store will be closed all day today.

Smallpox Cases.

C. B. Scanlan, whose home is in³ Galesof brick sidewalks have been laid and conburg, Ill., was found walking the streets | tracted for besides. Record of building permits issued by yesterday broken out with smallpox and was taken to the pesthouse. Scanlan is a railroad laborer and boarded with a family many people fail to take out a permit. The named Johnson at 1736 Eighth avenue. The records give these figures: house was promptly guarantined.

January, \$1,200; February, \$9,000; March. George Le Virt, colored, 17 North Twelfth \$15,300; April, \$24,025; May, \$12,300; June, street, was found suffering from smallpox and was removed to the pesthouse. There are seven patients in the isolation hospital \$18,900; December, \$7,800.

Davis solls glass

Gravel roofing. A. H. mead, 541 Broadway. Marriage Lieenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following: Name and Address. Age Silas I. Thompson, Thurston, Neb., Aipha H. Miller, Council Bluffs William C. Wittman, Council Bluffs. Anna T. Nugent, Council Bluffs Robert Ashford, Council Bluffs Fannie Williams, Council Bluffs Charles Edgar, Silver Creek, Neb. M. A. Block, Silver Creek, Neb.... Louis L. Seiler, Council Bluffs Fanchion A. Green, Council Bluffs Henry S. Smith. Weston. la..... Mae E. Scott, Weston, la. George W. Merryfield. Omaha Ree Estélia Newell, Council Bluffs S. G. Showaiter, jr., Council Bluffs. Louise Butler, Council Bluffs

Real Estate Transfers.

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

Squire, 101 Pearl street: Interstate Realty company to J. Knudsen, lots 1 and 2. block O. Perry's 2d add, w. d. Thomas Green and wife to E. S. Kirk-patrick, lot 17. block 1. Sunnyside add, w. d. Heirs of Angela R. Shugart to John L. Merkel, ely of lot 2. block 19. Mill add, w. d. W. S. Cooper and wife to John J. Quinn, lots 1 and 2. block O. Curtis & Ramsey's add, w. d. J. W. Squire and wife to Patrick Can-non, lot 19, block 8, Casudy's add. S. W. d.

S. W. d.
Fritz Bruhn and wife to Carl Pedersen, 49 acres in set, 15-77-59, w. d.
J. A. Craft and wife to Mary Craft, lots 13 and 14, block 9, Oakland,

Lula E. Doty and husband to Pacific Realty company, ets of lot 3, block 16, Grimes add. w. d

2,100 Hugh G. Bobinson to same, lot 7, block 17, Beers' subdiv, w. d. 1.000

Total nine transfers .\$ 9.044

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FARM LOANS 5. And Iowa. James N. Casady, M.

chools suffered from epidemics of diphtheria and scarlet fever. The death rate, the thaw came, with only 10 cents in his however, despite these epidemics, has been | pocket, he came to Council Bluffs Friday, in normal, a fact largely due to the energetic search of work. By pawning his overcoat measures taken by the local Board of for \$1 he secured a bed and food Friday and Health. Saturday at a cheap lodging house. Saturday

The records at police headquarters show night he gave the clerk at the lodging that the city has been remarkably free house the pawn ticket for his coat for a bed. from crime of a serious nature during 1901. Sunday he was without food and Monday This is conceded to be a credit to the brought the same experience. All of Tuespolice force, which is smaller than in most day he walked the streets in search of a job. cities of the size. The city has suffered but without success. but slightly from the ravages of fire, and

unusually small.

from assessment.

tics:

croup, 5.

measles, 1.

croup, 1; smallpox, 3.

2; smallpox, 1.

23; smalipox, 11.

liphtheria, 1; measles, 2.

1,800

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The Board of Health's record of con-

diphtheria, 3; whooping cough, 1.

June-Smallpox, 9; scarlet fever, 5.

August-Scarlet fever, S; diphthoria, 6.

The Boston Store will be closed all day the loss for the last twelve months has been today.

More Paving Than Ever. New Year's Observance. The records of City Engineer Etnyre's New Year's day will be a general holiday

office show that nearly 70,000 square yards in Council Bluffs according to the usual of brick paying were laid in Council Bluffs custom. Most of the stores will be closed during 1901. This is over twice as much all day, as will the banks, city and county paving as in any previous year. It is all offices. of a high standard of durability and quality. Watch night services were held in most

The largest amount of paving completed in of the churches in the city. any previous year in this city was in 1889. The watch meeting at the Broadway when 36.000 yards were laid. Several miles Methodist church was in charge of the

members of the Epworth league. At 8 o'clock there was a church rally, followed by a reception and refreshments. At 16 he city clerk does not give a complete list o'clock Rev. W. J. Calfee preached and at of structures erected during the year, as 11 o'clock the watch night service began. At Trinity Methodist church the services began at 8 o'clock and ended a few minutes after midnight. Addresses were made by Rev. W. H. Cable and Rev. Allen.

\$3.450; July, \$5,900; August, \$3.150; Sep-Palm grove, Woodmen Circle, and its tember, \$16,650; October, \$32,350; November, friends had a jubilee meeting and the old year was watched out and the new one in This makes a total of \$150,025, but does with refreshments and cards. lot include the building which is being The Royal Neighbors and Hazel camp.

erected by the Sisters of Mercy in charge of Modern Woodmen of America, had a watch St. Bernard's hospital, which will cost upnight meeting in their hall in the Merriam ward of \$50,000, and many smaller buildblock at which an interesting program was given and refreshments served. The reports of the four banks in the city

The members of Herman soehne celeon December 10 showed that during the year brated New Year's eve with a dance it the deposits had increased nearly \$1,000,000 Hughes' hall and other festivities. and that the demand for loans had fallen These hours will prevail at the postoffice off. This stands forth as an index of the New Year's day: Stamp window, genera prosperity enjoyed by the citizens of Coundelivery window and money order division cil Bluffs and Pottawattamic county. will be open from 8 until 11 a. m. Car-

Taxes Are Better Paid. riers will make but one delivery, leaving the postoffice at 9 a. m. A business collec-The books in the county treasurer's office tion will be made in the afternoon, the carshow that taxes were paid up during 1901

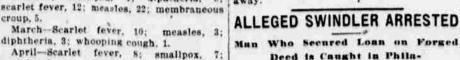
riers leaving the office at 1 p. m. even better than they were during the previous year, which was deemed a record-Davis sells paint. breaker. The total collections for the

Case Against Clark Dismissed. twelve months amounted to \$620,499.25, the

County Attorney Killpack went to Carson amounts paid during March being \$265,931.52 and during September \$179,640.29. Through yesterday to prosecute the case against the work of F. M. Cunningham under his Cassius Clark, the young farm hand charged tax ferret contract with the county \$15,with stabbing "Ginger" Fields, colored. 120.33 was recovered into the county treas-Fields failed to appear and the case against ury on property which had been omitted lark was dismissed.

Gypsies Ordered to Move.

tagious diseases for 1901 gives these statis-The gypsy encampment at the east end of the motor bridge will be a thing of the January-Scarlet fever, 13 cases; smallpast this morning. The nomads have been oox, 8; measles, 1; membraneous croup, 1. given until 9 o'clock this morning to move February-Smallpox, 4; diphtheria, 3; away



Deed is Caught in Philadelphis.

May-Scarlet fever, 2: membraneous DAVENPORT, Ia.; Dec. 31 .- Dr. Jackson July-Whooping cough, 3; smallpox, 4;

D. Thomas of Philadelphia was brought here from that city by Detective Charles Gateland and bound over today to the grand

September-Scarlet fever, 5; diphtheria, jury It is claimed that he swindled W. C. October-Diphtheria, 16: scarlet fever, 8. November-Scarlet fever, 7; diphtheria, standing, owning a fine home in Phila-

December-Smallpox, 39: diphtheria, 1. delphia and a hotel in Atlantic City. Meeca of Marriages. Council Bluffs has always had the reputa-Professor Has Smallpox.

tion of being a Meeca for marrying couples WATERLOO, Ia., Dec. 31 .- (Special.)and it sustained it during 1901. Clerk Reed Prof. Amherst Orcott of Drake university, of the district court during the last twelve Des Moines, is confined in the county hosmonths issued 654 licenses, being 132 in expital here, suffering from smallpox.

The articles of incorporation of the Toim very much pleased. ledo Electric Railway company of Toledo. Tama county, were filed with the secre-GREAT NORTHERN GIVES

\$200,000 and the incorporators are Judge J. R. Caldwell, Leander Clark, W. C. Wal ters and other residents of Tama county The purpose is to construct an electric railroad north and south through Tama

ST. PAUL, Dec. 31 .- Late this afternoot county. General Superintendent F. E. Ward of the The incorporation of the Curtis & Gart Great Northern, P. M. Arthur, grand chief side company of Clinton, with a capital of \$100,000, has been effected. The purpose of the Brotherhood of Engineers, and J. J. Hanrahan, first vice grand master of the is to engage in gereral merchandising.

Interurban Trolley Line.

L. W. Klinker of Des Moines, represent company and the engineers and firemen. ing the Des Moines City Railway company, which was practically completed this mornis in Dallas county, organizing a local coming. pany to build trolley lines to the cities

The new agreement grants an increase and towns in that county. He proposes a in wages to both engineers and firemen, company with \$250,000 capital. The towns recognizing the contention of the men that to be reached are Perry, Adel, Dallas Cen- work on the new and large engines is worth ter, Redfield, Van Metre and possibly some more than the old scales.

others. At Van Metre it is expected there ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 31 .- At a meeting will be connection with the proposed line of the directors of the Great Northern railfrom Des Moines to Winterset way held in the general offices today the executive staff was reorganized. No an-

His Well Water is Oily. Investigation is being made of a well in

Poyner township, Black Hawk county, which shows signs of oil. The owner, S. C. Preston, says he can skim off a pint of crude oll every morning and the matter is being investigated. Paul.

Measures to Check Epidemic. Mayor Hartenbower was today authorized to appoint ten extra health officers if charge of the financial and accounting denecessary to enforce quarantine and do other work in connection with care of smallpox patients and others ordered under quarantine

gram.)-The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis

& Omaha Railway company is buying ground

in the eastern part of Sloux City 400 feet

in width and a mile in length, comprising

more important point on the Omaha sys-

tem. The purchase is for the Omaha alone

and will not be used in any way for the big

Chicago & Northwestern improvements now

being planned by the latter road. The

Omaha company is preparing to build a link

to Le Mars, also from Merrill, Ia., to Cen-

terville, S. D., connecting the South Da-

kota lines with Sioux City. The North-

western's plans provide for the expenditure

here of a million dollars.

partments, relieving Hill of the general control he has exercised in the past. E. T. Nichols is now secretary of the Great Northern in New York, as well as MORE TRACKAGE treasurer. It is the first time the Great Northern has ever had a vice president in New York. J. W. Blabon will have charge of traffic matters and will assume the du-

> ties now filled by Darius Miller, who goes to the Burlington. Heretofore the traffic department has been in charge of the second vice president, but now that officer will look after finances.

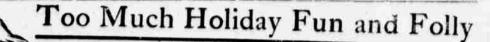
Don't Accept Counterfeits.

sixty acres. This is to be graded in the For piles, 1kin diseases, sores, cuts spring. On one end will be built large adoruises, burns and other wounds nothing ditions to the company's present shops and equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Don't the remainder of the ground will be used accept counterfeits. None genuine except for a system of terminals and storage DeWitt's. "I have suffered since 1865 with In clearing off the ground the comprotruding, bleeding piles and until repany will be compelled to move forty dwelcently could find no permanent relief." says ling houses. The purchase was made nec-F. Gerall of St. Paul, Ark. "Finally I essary by the constantly increasing busitried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which ness of the company and it is in accord soon completely cured me. with a general plan to make Sioux City a



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Too much of a good thing! That's what we are all liable to take during a holiday season. Healthy, jolly people will do it and make themselves sick, "In time of peace prepare for war," and have about the house a pleasant, perfect, palatable, positive medicine for sour stomach, sick headache, colic, winds, belching, biliousness, furred tongue, lazy liver, constipation, bad breath, bad taste, all liable to result from holiday over-indulgence. Corcarets Candy Cathartic is what you want: a table of the a big meal will prevent sickness, or a tablet at post before going to bed, after a good time, will fix you all right for morning, and let you get up clear as a bell, ready for business or pleasure.

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Putnam of this city out of \$2,000. securing gram.)-Charles Reed, a young con of Wil-a loan on a forged deed. He passed in liam Reed of Atlantic, was today bound the east as a man of wealth and social over to the grand jury in \$700 upon the charge of breaking and entering a box car on the house track of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad near the freight depot at Atlantic on the night of Friday December 27, at which time several cars were broken open and considerable merchandise consigned to various business men

SAYS THAT HE ROBBED BOX CAR Leading to the Arrest of

Ratiroad's Agent Files Information Charles Reed.

ATLANTIC, Ia., Dec. 31 .- (Special Tele

in Atlantic was taken. Railroad Detective



tracks.