

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Rooms with or without board. 713 So. 7th. C. D. Diffin of Neola was in the city yesterday.

Wanted—Latest edition of Council Bluffs city directory. Apply at Bee office.

The Evans laundry is the leader in fine work both for color and finish. 620 Pearl street. Phone 256.

W. B. Butler of Oakland, one of Pottawattamie's wealthiest retired farmers, was visiting friends in this city yesterday.

Robert H. Marks and Clara P. Clemons, both of Ohio, were the guests of this city yesterday, Justice Vign performing the ceremony.

Don't you think it must be a pretty good laundry that can please hundreds of customers? Well—that's the "Eagle," 724 Broadway.

C. C. Hunt and wife of Philadelphia were in the city yesterday. Mr. Hunt, who is well known traveling man, was the original of Peck's Bay Boy.

Rev. J. H. Senessey, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, will conduct the services this afternoon at 8 o'clock at the Women's Christiania hospital.

The committee on completing arrangements for the Odd Fellows' Memorial services will meet at 8 o'clock at the Odd Fellows' temple Tuesday evening, June 22.

W. H. Berry of Austin, Neb., is stopping in the Bluffs for a few days, while taking the exposition. He has nothing but words of praise for the big show across the river.

Justice Ambrose Burke yesterday dismissed the case of the State against Charles R. Campbell, ex-convict teacher charged with the seduction of 15-year-old Nancy Wade, a former pupil.

E. McClain and Al Sisco, the two men arrested on suspicion of being the parties who perpetrated the hold-up in Sankay Boy's saloon last Tuesday night, are being held at the city jail pending investigation.

The case against Mrs. Lizzie Donnelly, charged by Joseph Waldman with maliciously destroying a fence, was dismissed on being heard before Justice Vign yesterday. The county will have to bear the costs.

Mrs. Christiana Christensen, aged 78 years, mother of Dr. Christensen, died Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Peterson. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, the remains being interred in Walnut Hill cemetery.

The funeral of the late Susan A. Beaumont will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her sister, Mrs. George A. Schock, corner of Twenty-sixth street and Avenue B. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Judge Smith yesterday handed down his decision overruling the motion for a new trial in the case of Charles Cooney, convicted at the present term of district court on the charge of seduction. He will pass sentence on Cooney on Tuesday, June 28.

John Barnes, an old man and former resident of this county, but who has spent the last fifteen years in Colorado, struck town yesterday passing through the authorities provided him with transportation to Missouri Valley, where he has relatives living.

Word was received in this city of the death of Mrs. W. Ford, wife of ex-State Senator Ford, at her home in Logan, Ia., yesterday morning. Mrs. Ford, who had many friends in Council Bluffs, was one of the oldest residents of Harrison county. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The bill at the Dohany tonight will be the Senate comedy "Ten Cents or Sixty" and during the coming week there will be a constant change of program. Messrs. Chase and Lator retire from the management of the stock company and Mr. Dohany will take hold of the company and run it for the rest of the season.

One of the key ropes supporting the pile driver in operating the North Main street bridge became loosened in some manner yesterday afternoon just as the heavy weight had been hoisted to the top of the frame work. This caused the bridge to lurch over. It fell toward the bridge and landed with a crash against the iron frame work of the arch.

C. B. Viavi Co., female remedy; consultation free. Office hours, 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. Health book furnished. 325-327-328 Morrison block.

Money to loan on city property. Tel. 250. N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 156.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand bicycle at a bargain. Call at The Bee office, Council Bluffs.

Klein's store at 112 Broadway is becoming noted as the best place in town for fine summer drinks.

A pointer to the thirsty: Go to Dell G. Morgan's drug store, 142 Broadway, and try his fine summer drinks, from the new fountain just put in.

Midweek Rider Rests. Judge Aylesworth in police court yesterday morning heard the case of the city against Attorney L. G. Scott, charged with riding his bicycle on the sidewalk. Attorney Scott set up the defense that his arrest was illegal inasmuch as the city ordinance which it was charged he had violated had been omitted when the revised city ordinance was compiled and was therefore repealed. Arguments were made and a number of authorities submitted, and the court took the case under advisement. The outcome of this case will be watched with much interest, as there are others depending on the case of the city against the baggage department at the Transfer depot and C. M. Bush, a machinist, have similar charges pending against them, and their cases were continued yesterday until the Scott case is decided.

Members of the city council are discussing the advisability of passing a general ordinance governing bicycles and their riders. The ordinance now talked of will contain provisions prohibiting scorching on the streets and will probably enforce the carrying of lamps after dark.

The official photographs of the United States Navy, containing over 200 pictures of the vessels, with their officers and a number of the views of the ill-fated Maine, are had at the Council Bluffs Office of The Bee for 25 cents and a Bee coupon.

Exposition Stamps on Sale. Postmaster Treynor received a supply yesterday morning of the Transmississippi Exposition issue of postage stamps, and they were at once placed on sale. There were many calls for the lower denominations, and a large number of the 1-cent and 2-cent stamps were sold. There were also a few calls for entire sets, the purchasers being collectors in every instance. Postmaster Treynor believes the stamps will become great favorites and expects to have to make an early requisition for a further supply.

Newsboy Hurt. Tolly Langdon, a newsboy, while jumping from a moving wagon on Pearl street yesterday morning, missed his footing and fell, striking his head on the brick paving. He was rendered unconscious for several minutes and the services of a physician had to be called into requisition. When sufficiently recovered he was removed to his home.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following persons: Name and Residence. Age. N. P. Peterson, Winnebago, Ia., 25. Sophia Peterson, Council Bluffs, 23. Robert H. Marks, Ohio, Neb., 23. Clara B. Clemons, Ohio, Neb., 19.

DIVIDING THE ROAD FUND

City and County Practically Agree on the Proportion of the Cash.

TWO-THIRDS OF IT GOES TO THE COUNCIL

Conference on Friday Night Brings About an Understanding Which Will Result in the Settlement of the Difficulty.

The conference held Friday night between the special committee of the city council, consisting of Aldermen Saylor, Johnson and Dodge, and Colonel W. F. Baker, chairman of the Board of County Supervisors, will be confidently expected result in an early settlement of the controversy between the city and the county over the expenditure of the road fund. At the conference, the two sides agreed on the proportion of the road fund to be divided between the city and the county. The city is to receive one-third of the fund, and the county two-thirds. The city's one-third is to be spent on improving the city roads and on leading into the city, the money to be expended under the sole supervision and direction of Colonel Baker. The city's two-thirds is to be expended on the improvement of streets and roads within the corporate limits of the city under the direction of the city council and supervision of the city engineer.

The special committee will report back to the council at the meeting next Wednesday night and as far as could be learned yesterday there will not be any opposition to the adoption of the report.

Mayor Jennings is well pleased with the settlement arrived at and considers it an equitable adjustment of the question. Talking of it yesterday Mayor Jennings said: "The division of the road fund as agreed upon by the city and the county council committee is a fair one to both sides. The improvement of the county roads leading into the city means much to the business men and merchants of Council Bluffs, as without good roads we cannot possibly expect to draw the country trade here. On the other hand, there are other interests to be considered in the matter. A large number of taxpayers in this city who contribute largely to this county road fund are not in business and would not be directly benefited by the improvement of the county roads, but would be by the improvement of the streets within the city. As they contribute largely to the tax their rights should be guarded and this division of the fund as agreed upon does."

Sullivan, the grocer, doesn't claim to have the biggest fish market on earth but he does claim to have the greatest variety of fresh fish ever seen in any market either in the city or Omaha. This is not said in a boastful manner but because it is straight facts.

Screen doors and frames very cheap at Cole's.

North Star refrigerator boats them all Sold by P. C. Devoil, the veteran hardware merchant of Council Bluffs.

I have money to loan on city property. D. W. Otis, 133 Pearl street.

Sullivan, the grocer, 343 Broadway, has offered for sale of the Council Bluffs fisherman who can catch a fish larger than the one he had on display last week. A number of the knights of the rod and line of this city have entered the contest to secure the prize.

No one is making greater preparations in the city than George Klein for the Fourth of July. He will have the latest thing in fireworks.

SOCIETY IN COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Little of Importance is Occurring to Cause a Social Ripple.

Aside from a few informal affairs there was nothing to even cause a ripple on the social wave last week. Everybody is busy taking in the exposition and Midway parties after dark have been all the rage.

The concert of the Marine band have proved a great attraction for Council Bluffs music lovers. Many Council Bluffs people are preparing to entertain house parties of friends from out of town who are coming to visit the exposition.

Thursday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. John H. Plumer entertained a party of children at their home on Glen avenue in honor of their son and a right merry time the young folks had.

Last Tuesday Mrs. W. B. Tarkington entertained at her home on Avenue B in honor of the High school graduates who were members of her Sunday school class of the Broadway Methodist church.

Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Hisey returned yesterday from Chicago and the week will witness the Omaha summer school of methods. After that they return to Chicago to do work in the Chicago summer school. On her return from Chicago Mrs. Hisey will go to the Normal institute at Mount Ayr for two weeks and then to Colorado, where he has been engaged to lecture in one of the institutes.

Miss Edna Butler visited friends in Red Oak last week.

Mrs. J. H. Chesney and son, John, of Norfolk, Neb., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bessey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clark of 2129 Broadway entertained Mr. Howard H. Maxwell of Chicago during the last week.

Miss Nellie Dunn has returned from Sycamore academy, Sycamore, Ill., and will spend her summer vacation in Council Bluffs.

Miss Kate Tamisla is visiting friends in Webster City.

Mrs. W. Calendar of Fordland, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Taber of 1728 Second avenue.

Miss Abby Wentworth of Abland, Neb., is visiting Mrs. F. H. Orcutt of Oakland avenue.

Mrs. S. S. Paes has returned from a visit with friends in Ord and Grand Island, Neb.

Mrs. W. S. Rice has gone to Dodge, Neb., to visit her daughter, Mrs. George H. Lewis.

Mrs. Madea Barr of Holdrege, Neb., was the guest last week of Miss May Lunkey.

G. F. and J. W. Camp experienced a pleasant visit this week from their uncle, J. W. Britton of Cleveland, O.

Miss Grace Messmore and her brother Fred are visiting friends in Madrid, Ia. Before returning home they will visit in Boone and Des Moines.

Mrs. Edward Hoagland of Peru, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Hoagland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spooner of Glen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ballenger of Moulton, Ia., are visiting H. A. Ballenger and family.

George F. Meyer and wife of Buffalo, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. Meyer's brother, H. J. Meyer, 2212 Sixth avenue.

Mrs. L. E. Bridenstien and daughter, Chloe, have gone on a visit to friends in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Philbrook, Jr., will be at home to their friends at 606 Bluff street after Monday, June 20.

Mrs. C. D. Maybaker of Mt. Vernon is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. D. Wheeler.

Mrs. Cooke and son, Neale, of Hastings, Neb., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hewetson of Park avenue.

Miss Dell Horman and Miss May Bell have returned from Simpson college, Indianola, Ia., where they have completed their course of study in elocution and music.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hall of Ord, Neb., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Paes.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Miller of 2202 Second avenue have returned from a visit with relatives in Creighton, Neb. Mr. Miller's mother accompanied them home and will remain here for the summer.

Miss Ellen Dodge is entertaining Miss Julia Arnold of Quincy, Mass., and Mrs. N. P. Dodge is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Baird of Waco, Tex.

Miss Louise Elbert of Des Moines arrived yesterday on a visit to Mr. John N. Baldwin.

Mrs. Belle Chamberlain of Minneapolis is visiting her uncle, C. W. Foster of 232 Avenue G.

Mrs. Darby of St. Joseph, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Everett.

Prof. James H. Hatt, principal of the East Des Moines school, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kessel, 210 North Sixth street.

Open All Night. Since the change in the Morgan drug stores by which the Lower Broadway store passes into the hands of F. H. Morgan & Company, a night clerk has been secured and the store will be kept open all night.

The new company, successors to Dell G. Morgan & Company, will spare no pains to make the popularity of the store known to the town. The Broadway, in central and the new store of enterprise will be appreciated by the public. All prescriptions carefully compounded. Telephone 253.

The Preston-Beasley company played to a crowded house last night at Manawa.

Mrs. F. M. Arnold has purchased a League bicycle from Cole & Cole.

It isn't everybody that likes ice, but those who do can get what they want by going to Sullivan, the grocer, at 343 Broadway.

The new soda fountain recently added to the drug store of Dell G. Morgan, 142 Broadway, is proving to be a drawing card. He keeps the finest flavors to be had on the market.

The few hot days recently have had telling effect on the travel to Manawa. The park has been well filled with picnic parties.

Court Notes. In the district court yesterday in the case of W. C. Durkin against James McRoberts judgment was entered for the plaintiff or against James McRoberts and Thomas Markland for \$125, and a decree of foreclosure as prayed; also judgments against the defendants in favor of the state for use of the Pottawattamie school fund for \$27.50. The defendants were given judgment against the plaintiffs for costs.

In the case of William A. Mynter against the Insurance Company of North America the appointment of a receiver was ordered for the property involved in the suit, except for the six or seven acres on which the dwelling and outhouses are situated.

The receiver's bond was fixed at \$500,000. In the case of W. Loomis against the Council Bluffs Insurance company the demurrer to the petition for injunction of R. M. Barkley was submitted to the court and taken under advisement.

The plaintiff in the case of N. Merriam against John Peterson and the city of Council Bluffs, paid the costs and the appeal to the supreme court was dismissed.

A demissal was filed in the case of the Omaha Bridge and Terminal company against the City of Council Bluffs.

The arguments in the injunction case of Mrs. M. E. Metcalf against the city of Council Bluffs, were submitted and the case taken under advisement.

In the case of Agnes Folsom against Florence Folsom the court sustained the demurrer and George Folsom was given ten days in which to plead.

In the superior court yesterday Judge Aylesworth handed down his decision in the case of the Women's Homeopathic association of Philadelphia against Joseph Farren, refusing the application for the appointment of a receiver, but granting the decree of foreclosure as prayed for.

In the case of Ida Cassidy against J. Steadman the demurrer of the defendant was overruled. The demurrer in the case of Dan Carrigan against the First National bank of Council Bluffs was argued and submitted. The June term of the superior court opens Monday, June 27.

From all indications the attendance at Manawa this season will be very large.

The fish exhibit at the great exposition is a wonderful show. However, we have one at home here that is a wonderful thing, too, and it costs nothing to see it. All you have to do is to go to Sullivan, the grocer, at 343 Broadway, where there is a free exhibition of the funny tribe every day in the week.

Make your own ice cream. You can buy an Artie or White Mountain freezer of Devoil and he will give you the best of goods. He can sell you a freezer for \$12.50.

Bathing department at Manawa will open for the season Sunday, June 19.

Why don't you buy a refrigerator? Now is the time. See the Herrick at Cole's.

Davis, the drug, paint and glass man, has a large line of hammocks to select from and they are beautiful. He is selling them at very low prices. See them before you buy anything in this line.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the title, abstract and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street: Thomas J. Evans and wife to Henry E. Evans, lots 2 and 3, block 7.

Evans' 2d bridge add. w. d. 2-1-98, 250. Hedy Kinsman had wife to J. K. Kinsman, lots 2 and 3, block 7.

M. Hart, part w. d. n. s. 5-14-98, w. d. 20. J. R. Kelly and wife to L. W. Bayliss, part w. d. n. s. 5-14-98, w. d. 75.

Martha C. Young and husband to Mary Ann and Henrietta Breneman, 123 of w. d. n. s. 5-14-98, w. d. 1,200.

Loretta Taylor to Mary Ann, Henrietta and Martha C. Breneman, w. g. 2-1-98, w. d. 1,200.

C. J. Osler and wife to Clarkson Goulding, 6 1/2 acres in s. w. 1/4 sec. 24-24-25, w. d. 2,275.

Neri Breneman et al. to Mary Ann Breneman et al. w. g. 2-1-98, w. d. 455.

Lease A. Wood et al. to J. W. Goulding, lots 7, 8, 14, 19, 20, block 2, s. d. n. s. 5-14-98, w. d. 7.

A. E. Steele & Wood's subdiv. w. d. 2-1-98, w. d. 1.

John E. Clough and husband to Clarence E. Parsons, lot 7, block 1, Allison's add. to Council Bluffs, w. d. 1,100.

James L. Morrison to James H. Jones, lot 4, block 20, Burns' add. w. d. 50.

J. B. Roberts to James and Emily Brown, lot 7 and 8, block 4, subdiv. outlot 3, Macedonia, w. d. 984.

Twelve transfers, total, \$12,500.

Subscriptions to the Bonds. Instructions from the Treasury Department at Washington were received at the post-office yesterday as to receiving subscriptions to the government war loan of \$200,000,000 of 3 per cent bonds. The subscriptions will

be received at the money order department, where a number of persons have already made inquiries.

Subscriptions will be received at par for a period of thirty days, the subscription being open to 3 o'clock p. m. on July 14, 1898. The bonds will be issued in both coupon and registered form, the coupon bonds in denominations of \$20, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000, and the registered bonds in denominations of \$10, \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. They will be paid August 1, 1898, and, by their terms, will be redeemable in coin at the pleasure of the United States after ten years from the date of their issue and due and payable August 1, 1918.

The bonds will bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum, payable quarterly. The interest on the coupon bonds will be paid by means of coupons, to be detached from the bonds as the interest becomes due, and the interest on the registered bonds will be paid by checks drawn to the order of the payees and mailed to their address.

The Blue Front Opened. Messrs. Bolton & Kelley will open a provision, fresh meat, poultry and fish market tomorrow at 136 Broadway, the Blue front, one door west of Bradley's. These gentlemen are practical men in this business and the public can rely upon securing good, wholesome meats and provisions, always at the lowest price. They will also have the public patronage solicited with the assurance that every one will be treated in a courteous manner and all orders filled promptly.

Wail-eyed pike, trout, pickerel, bass, salmon, perch, catfish, suckers, and in fact any kind of fish you want for fresh fish can be had at Sullivan's, the grocer, 343 Broadway.

The attendance at Manawa grows larger and larger as the nights get warmer.

There is one druggist in Council Bluffs who employs more men than any other three drug stores or any other part concern in the city. That's Davis, the drug, paint and hardware man at 209 Broadway. We want your business. Free delivery to all parts of the city. Telephone 258.

Get in line. Ride a League wheel—the popular wheel by Cole & Cole.

Don't have to wear an expensive shirt when taken to the Bluff City laundry. They clean your clothes and use no chemicals when washing.

Hammocks and hardware seem to mix this year. That is the reason that P. C. Devoil has secured a large line of the latest thing out in hammocks. If you need one be sure and see him.

Sunday, June 19, the bathing season at Manawa will open up with brand new suits and newly painted dressing rooms.

Try Moore's death to lice and mites.

Hoffman's fancy patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it.

Lawn and garden hose, the best on earth. P. C. Devoil has all the way from 6 to 18 cents a foot.

Map of Cuba, West Indies and the World at The Bee office, 101 1/2 1/2.

The insurance gasoline stove sold by P. C. Devoil is absolutely safe.

Gasoline stoves never were so cheap. See our line. Cole & Cole.

One More Candidate. MANCHESTER, Ia., June 18.—(Special.)—The name of H. C. Heaberle, this county, has been brought out in connection with the republican nomination for state treasurer.

Mr. Heaberle is a native of Wurtenburg, Germany, but removed to Dubuque at the age of 4 years, where he lived for a number of years. He has been a resident of Delaware county for thirty years, during which time he was deputy treasurer for eight years and treasurer for ten years.

Iowa Central Earnings. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., June 18.—(Special.)—The approximate freight and passenger earnings of the Iowa Central railway for the second week of June, according to the report of the general auditor today, were \$24,658.53, an increase of \$1,321.85 over the corresponding week last year. The passenger earnings alone show a slight falling off over last year, while the freight earnings show a large increase.

Henry Strawberry Crop. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., June 18.—(Special.)—The strawberry crop this year in this vicinity has been remarkable, both as regards quality and quantity of the berries. Several quart crates of the finest quality of strawberries were seen in the market. The berries in the northern part of the county, has gathered berries of such an enormous size that fifteen of them more than fill an ordinary box.

Iowa Newspaper Men. The Daily Reporter at Winterest has suspended. It was a war daily.

T. H. Maguire will soon start the Rock Valley Gazette, independent in politics.

Fred B. Bonham of the city of Lake Park broke his arm while bicycling recently.

The Moulton Tribune has been sold by W. Platt Smith to J. F. Craig of Smithville.

The Iowa State Editorial association meets in Council Bluffs the last week of the month.

It is reported that L. J. Anderson is the author of starting a daily free silver paper in Grinnell.

G. W. Guernsey, editor of the Extra Journal, died last week at Colfax, where he had been for some time.

The next meeting of the Upper Des Moines Editorial association of Iowa will be held at Iowa Falls, Ia., August 4, 1898.

"The Dynamite Cruiser" is the name of an eight-page weekly which has been published for some time. It is owned and edited by the name of Dye.

The following delegates from the Iowa Press association have been appointed for the annual meeting of the editorial association, which will meet at Denver, September 6: John Mahja, Muscatine Journal; Matt Parrott, Waterloo Reporter; Paul Maclean, Creston Gazette; E. A. Snyder, Cedar Falls Gazette; F. S. Junkin, Orange City Herald; S. B. Evans, Ottumwa Democrat.

South Dakota News Notes. The old settlers had a big picnic near Huron Tuesday.

O. L. Brannen is president and C. L. Dacelon, Creston, is secretary of the Business Men's league, organized at Mitchell.

Porter P. Peck has resigned as president of the Minnehaha National bank at Sioux Falls. J. B. Campbell was elected in his stead.

Private James Goddard of Blunt died in a hospital at Sioux Falls. He was taken sick while the South Dakota soldiers were in camp in Sioux Falls.

At Elk Point last Wednesday Agnes Boye and James W. Lee of Oxford, Neb., were married, and on the same day at Canton, Neb., Vida Stilwell and A. W. Hawn were married.

A state teachers' institute is in session in Canton and will be there for three weeks. The instructors are Homer Davis of Marion, conductor; George W. Hanna of Lennox, J. F. Brumbaugh of Mitchell, and C. G. Lawrence, Mrs. Rosa Mitchell and County Superintendent T. A. Davis, all of Canton.

Hon. John L. Ely, vice president of the Presbyterian college just located at Huron, together with F. H. Kent, secretary, and Mrs. E. F. Trumbower and one J. Crawford, trustees, are busy arranging for putting the building into proper condition and for the reception of the literature and other movables that are to be brought from Scotland and Pierce.

LAKE MANAWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OPENED FOR THE SEASON OF 1898.

The Attractions Booked for the Season Are Strictly High Class.

WESTON & BEASLEY VAUDEVILLE COMPANY, the greatest fun makers on the road, together with Professor Charles H. Campbell's wonderful performing and speaking dog, "Chicago." Greatest original acts ever performed by any dog, living or dead.

Trains leave Broadway and Ninth street at 2 p. m. and every hour after till 7 p. m. Every half hour thereafter. Last train leaves Manawa at 11:50 p. m. Prompt connections with Omaha and Council Bluffs bridge line.

Special attention is called to the 2 o'clock train run for the benefit of picnic parties, women and children. Rates same as last year.

PERFORMANCES AFTERNOON AND EVENING AT 4:30 AND 8:30.

FIND BETSEY SMITH GUILTY

Jurors in the Case Finally Agree Upon Their Verdict.

FIX PENALTY AT LIFE IMPRISONMENT

When She Hears Her Fate Mrs. Smith Gives a Few Moans and Falls to the Floor in a Faint.

DES MOINES, June 18.—(Special Telegram.)—After being out eighteen and one-half hours at 3 o'clock this morning, the jury filed into Judge Conrad's court room and delivered its verdict, that they found Betsey Smith guilty of murder in the first degree for killing her husband, Michael Smith, and fixed her punishment at life imprisonment.

The verdict was not a surprise to the many people who had watched the progress of the case. It was the second trial, Mrs. Smith having been convicted of the same offense before and given the same sentence. She helped her daughter Cora poison her blind husband, Michael Smith, in 1894. She was tried and convicted, but secured a new trial.