

CURRENT NEWS OF COUNCIL BLUFFS

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MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stocker's carpets. Pamps, J. Zoller, Mr. Co. Ed Rogers' Tontine beer. Fine engravings at LeFevre's. See Schmidt's elegant new photos.

WOMAN ALL THROUGH WORRY

Broods Over Arrest of Son for Pawning Mortgaged Machine.

NEIGHBORS FEAR FOR HER LIFE

Accused is in County Jail Unable to Secure Bail—Mother is Improving at Jennie Edmundson Hospital.

Brooding over the arrest of her son, Roy Johnson, on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretense, until she became almost deranged, Mrs. Esther Johnson, residing on South Ninth street near Twentieth avenue, was taken by the police late Friday night to Jennie Edmundson Memorial hospital. The woman's hysterical condition alarmed her neighbors, who feared she might do herself harm and they notified the police. On instructions from City Physician Rice the unfortunate woman was sent to the hospital where, yesterday, it was stated, her condition was much improved. The woman's little daughter was yesterday taken in charge by Rev. Henry DeLong and by him placed for the present in the Associated Charities' creche.

Real Estate Transfers.

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PAST WEEK IN BLUFFS SOCIETY

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Fight on Water Franchise.

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20 Per Cent Discount Sale on Shoes.

We are making a reduction of 20 per cent on everything in our stock. The sale begins Saturday, July 27, and lasts seven days. We want to close our summer goods, that's the reason. Duncan Shoe company, 22 South Main street.

No Action on Manual Training.

The Board of Education, at a special meeting last night accomplished nothing towards arranging for the establishment of the manual training department at the opening of the new school year in September. The question of a location for the new department was discussed at length but no conclusion reached. In fact, the board concluded not to take any steps towards securing a location or equipment until it is assured an instructor can be obtained.

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City Scavengers

Horses and cattle hauled free of charge. Lumber, ash, manure and all rubbish. Clean streets and sidewalks. All work done as guaranteed. Call promptly on SHERLOCK & GIBSON. 114 Phone 1229. Bell Red 1672.

Kraak of Neola, also survives him. The body will be taken to Wahoo, Neb., the former home of the deceased, Monday for burial.

Dr. Sophia Hall Dead.

Dr. Sophia C. Hall, one of the first woman physicians of this city, died yesterday morning at the home of her son, Harry T. Hall, 328 North Street avenue. She was 82 years of age and death was due to the infirmities of old age. Deceased was one of the first superintendents of the Women's Christian association hospital of this city, which position she held until fifteen years ago, when she retired from active practice and until her death. She was the only immediate member of the family surviving. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence, 228 North First street, and burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Rev. James O'May, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, of which deceased was a valued member, will conduct the services.

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RATHBUN INSPECTS FENCES

Marion Editor May Decide to Enter the Race for Governor.

IS A PRONOUNCED STANDPATTER

Also Counts on the Backing of the Old Soldier Element—Company Incorporates to Construct a Brewery in Des Moines.

(From a Staff Correspondent)

DES MOINES, July 22.—(Special)—Major Rathbun of Marion, Ia., editor of the Marion Register and an old wheeler of the republican party, is in Des Moines and has been here for two or three days. It is learned that a number of politicians with the strong sentiment for one or more old soldier candidates, which is being fostered by the press, are looking to him, and all this gives rise to the rumor that he and his friends are canvassing the situation as to the governorship for next year. Major Rathbun was a candidate last year and was the only candidate, aside from Perkins and Cummings, who had any delegates at the state convention. The major would not confirm the rumor today. The vigorous discussion that the question of candidates for governor is getting in the newspapers of the state, coupled with the strong sentiment for one or more old soldier candidates, which is being fostered by the press, are looking to him, and all this gives rise to the rumor that he and his friends are canvassing the situation as to the governorship for next year.

Leave for Washington.

Congressman and Mrs. J. A. T. Hull and daughter will leave the coming week for Washington to remain on their farm down the Potomac till some time in the middle of September.

Asset Brewery is Assured.

Articles of incorporation of the Des Moines Brewery company have been filed in another state, with a capital stock of \$40,000, and it is stated that a \$20,000 brewery will be erected in this city at Third and Elm streets. It is stated that the contract will be let to a Chicago firm and that the work of putting up the building will commence within two weeks. Otto Heber of Rock Island and F. P. Mattee of this city are officers in the new corporation.

Fears "Black Hand."

Joe Noloche, an Italian who testified in police court against a fellow Italian, sought protection of the police today, claiming that he feared the "Black Hand" society. He claimed to have been called into an alley by two Italians whom he knew and threatened with his testimony.

Big Suits Compromised.

Five big damage suits against the Northwestern railway, aggregating \$100,000, were settled out of court and compromised on a basis of \$12,000 in the federal court today.

Can Drink on Streets.

Assistant City Solicitor McLaughlin has instructed Chief of Police Jones that there is no law to warrant the arrest of men for drinking beer on the streets and alleys of the city. The chief recently issued an order to arrest all such. The city solicitor says the city is liable to be made defendant in a suit for damages if the crusade is continued.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

LOGAN, Ia., July 22.—(Special)—John A. Berry, Logan and Fremont Benjamin of Council Bluffs, attorneys for eight principal creditors, today filed a petition in bankruptcy with the clerk of the United States district court of southern Iowa, asking that Charles H. Coleman, who formerly ran a restaurant at Logan, be placed in bankruptcy. Berry and Benjamin represent the following claims: Gronoweg & Schoenberg company, \$125.00; the Perogot & Moore company, \$106.64; Iowa Fruit and Produce company, \$88.65; Waterloo Creamery company, \$68; Harle-Hans Drug company, \$69.75; George M. Conway, \$18.35; McCord-Brady company, \$15.81; Stewart Brothers' company, \$25. The petitioners allege it is their belief that when Coleman sold to H. A. Meim on July 13 he made the State Savings bank of Logan the preferred creditor, contrary to law, and that the stock should be placed in the hands of a trustee and divided between the creditors. Coleman's stock invoiced about \$1200.

Iowa News Notes.

MARSHALLTOWN.—While resting Officer Goodale Friday, James Bradley, colored of Omaha, was shot in the right lung. He has an even chance for recovery.

LOGAN.—The sixteen counties in southwestern Iowa embraced in the district of the United States district court for the annual convention at Logan on August 20, 1927.

MARION.—The Harrison County Old Settlers' association will hold its annual reunion and picnic this year at Macke's on Thursday, August 25. The program is now being compiled.

CHARLESTON.—Troop C of the Light artillery is overland from Port Leavenworth to Des Moines to attend the annual maneuvers, have lost seven saddle horses and two days behind time. They are at Marysville, Mo., yesterday.

WOODHINE.—The funeral of Mrs. Nancy O'Bunnon, who died here this week from cancer, occurred at the Methodist church Wednesday. Rev. C. P. Johnson presided over the funeral services. She was born in Indiana in 1847 and married James O'Bunnon in October, 1860.

SIDNEY.—Fred Brisco, who was brought back from Leavenworth, Mo., to face a charge of seduction, preferred by Miss Lillian Larson of Taylor, was arraigned in Justice Larson's court, waived his right to answer. His bonds were fixed at \$200. The parents of the girl are strenuously opposed to consummating the marriage.

IDA GROVE.—Ben Buell Friday shipped 1500 pounds of wool, or fully two bales, from the clip from 1500 ewes of sheep. Mr. Buell began raising sheep for wool production some three years ago and he believes that the driving of the west herds from the open ranges of the west will result in a short time in great boom in the sheep industry in Iowa. He will winter 2500 sheep this fall and a year from now hopes to have 5000 head.

MARSHALLTOWN.—Miss Blanche Packard and daughter of ex-Governor S. B. Packard, was taken to the asylum for the insane here yesterday. She tried to kill herself Friday by beating herself over the head with a heavy poker and had to be restrained to prevent further violence. She has been ill only three days. Miss Packard became famous during the Spanish-American war by enlisting as a nurse in the army in Cuba. She saw much active service in the field. She is 28 years old. Her father was formerly consular to Liverpool, England, and is a judge of the state at the state fair.

SENATOR PETTUS IS DEAD

Alabama Statesman Passes Away Suddenly as Result of Stroke of Apoplexy.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 22.—United States Senator Pettus of Alabama died last night at 10 o'clock at Hot Springs, Tenn., from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy with which he was seized while at the breakfast table yesterday morning. His entire body was paralyzed and he never recovered consciousness since that time.

Senator Pettus' daughter and his grandson, E. W. Pettus, Jr., reached Hot Springs an hour before the senator's death, but he did not recognize them. The attending physicians say that from the moment of the apoplectic stroke Senator Pettus suffered no pain and that he passed away quietly. While the funeral arrangements have not been completed, it is announced that the body will be prepared for burial here and Monday will be taken to Selma, Ala., for interment. The funeral services probably will be held in Selma, Tuesday next or Wednesday.

Senator Pettus arrived at Hot Springs about a week ago from Lake Springs, Tenn., to the time of the seizure he was apparently in the best of health. At the breakfast table yesterday, it is said, he was unusually cheerful and when he was struck the guests of the hotel thought he merely had a fainting fit. Physicians were summoned from Asheville for consultation with the local physicians, and it was seen that there was no hope of the senator's recovery.

Senator Pettus celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary at Lake Springs last week, and on that occasion his unusual vigor was the subject of comment.

MORE PAY FOR FIREMEN

Brotherhood Begins Work on New Scale for 74,000 Men on Eastern Roads.

PITTSBURGH, July 22.—The general chairman of the joint protective boards of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen held a meeting here today for the purpose of considering a new wage scale and working hours for 74,000 men employed on all the trunk lines east of Chicago. A large meeting will be held tomorrow at which 50 delegates will attend. Last April a similar scale was presented to the thirty-one trunk lines west of Chicago and accepted.

Bee Want Ads always bring results.

Go Somewhere

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Rate. Includes San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland and Seattle, Spokane, Butte and Helena, Salt Lake City, Denver, Colorado Springs, Worland, Sheridan, Hot Springs, Jamestown Exposition, Mackinaw, Chicago, Detroit, Niagara Falls, Quebec, Toronto, etc.

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Table with 2 columns: Destination and Rate. Includes To Chicago, To St. Louis, To New York, Boston, etc.

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