

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Office 15 Scott Street. Both 'Phones 43.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stockert suits carpets. Ed Rogers, Tony flaut director. Lewis Cutler, funeral director. 'Phone 57. Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. 289. Pictures for graduation gifts. C. E. Alexander, 21 Broadway.

HERMAN BROS., FLORENCE, 10 PEARL ST. 'Phones Ind., 684 Black; Bell, 683. Bluff City Masonic lodge will meet to discuss the subject of the day.

20 lawn mowers on sale at Peterson & Schoening Co. Prices from \$2.50 to \$15. ENROLL IN THE WESTERN IOWA COLLEGE, A SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY.

The largest stock of wall paper in southwestern Iowa. H. Borwick, 21 S. Main. We know we have the best flour. Ecco is the name. Bakers' Union will hold their regular meeting in the club room at the public library building.

The insurance gasoline stove the only one of its kind in operation at our store. P. C. DeVos Hardware company. J. P. Wyatt and Eva Miller, 'Phone 336. A young couple from Missouri Valley, were married in this city yesterday, the ceremony being performed by Justice S. A. Groves.

JESE JAMES, 247 Avenue G, A. Reynolds, 217 Sixteenth avenue, and a member of the McNeal family, 1404 Sixth avenue, were confined for smallpox yesterday.

Send your laundry work to us, where you can get your work done the way you want it. Albert Light, Finest equipped plant in the west. Bluff City Laundry, Tel. 514.

Thomas Watson, the golf expert of the Omaha Field club, gave a talk in the parlors of the Grand hotel in the night. A party of local enthusiasts of the sport on the scene of the game.

THE SUPPLIERS FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW: FRESH CHOPS, PER LB., 10c; BREAKFAST BACON, PER LB., 10c; CORNED BEEF, MEAT MARKET, SOUTH PHONES 21.

The supervisors of Pottawattamie county went to Missouri Valley yesterday morning in company with the Board of Health. The county made a tour of inspection of the drainage ditches, which are now practically completed.

AVIATOR: Stucker, a former saloon keeper, was arrested by the police last evening. The grocery store of Ernest Pili, 302 Fifth avenue, was broken into and robbed Saturday night and the police suspect Stucker of knowing something about the robbery.

Mrs. Catharine Strong, wife of John Strong, 1814 Avenue I, died yesterday, aged 52 years. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Robert Strong of Fremont, Okla., and two daughters, Mrs. G. Strang and Mrs. Bert Packer of Missouri Valley. Mrs. Ray Mandeville and Mills and Nellie Strong of this city.

The case against Mrs. Myrtle Chaney, charged with maintaining a house of ill repute over the corner of the Board of Health company on South Main street, was dismissed on motion of Assistant County Attorney Robert J. Groves yesterday.

Mrs. Emma Anderson, wife of John Anderson, 333 Fifth avenue, died yesterday afternoon from blood poisoning, aged 44 years. Her husband, who was at Excelsior Springs, Mo., died the benefit of his health, she leaves three daughters. Arrangements for the funeral will not be made until the arrival home of Mr. Anderson, who is expected to reach the city this morning.

Sheriff McCaffery returned yesterday from Lincoln, Neb., having failed to secure James Martin, wanted here for alleged burglary. The boy had been in the hands of the Tregoner bank nearly two years ago. Martin won out in the habeas corpus proceeding but will be taken into custody on a charge of being a fugitive from justice. The Council Bluffs authorities having filed a writ of habeas corpus for Martin, he was released Monday from the Nebraska state penitentiary, declared his name was John Martin and not James Martin. Now requisition papers will be secured as soon as possible.

HUNTER'S Phenomenal Special for Wednesday, May 20. One thousand two hundred yards of fine embroidered Swiss, sheer white material, not a yard in the lot which is not worth 5c, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, we place the entire lot on sale at 12 1/2c per yard. No telephone orders taken no mail orders accepted. You must be here in person to secure your share of this truly marvelous bargain. Each customer limited to fifteen yards.

E. HUNTER COMPANY, 23-M Main St., Council Bluffs, Ia.

GERANIUMS, SALVIA, PANIES AND VINES. HERMAN BROS., 15 PEARL ST.

We do exterior and interior house painting. Give us your contract and we will guarantee you satisfactory results. We use nothing but pure paint. H. Borwick, 21 South Main street. Phones 63.

Graduation Gifts. A picture makes an ideal gift for any occasion. Your young friend will receive pleasure from one for years. We have framed pictures from 25c up. Try them this year for commencement presents. ALEXANDER'S ART STORE, 32 Broadway.

120 lawn mowers on sale. Peterson & Schoening Co.

ALASKA REFRIGERATORS, REAL ICE MAKERS, PETERSEN & SCHOENING COMPANY.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Licenses to wed were issued to the following: Name and Residence. Age.

William S. Roberts, Council Bluffs, 24; Anna, Council Bluffs, 23; Otto Lanoos, Council Bluffs, 24; Frances Perrine, Council Bluffs, 24; J. P. Wyatt, Missouri Valley, Ia., 21; Eva E. Rice, Missouri Valley, Ia., 21; John Pearson, Jamison, Kan., 21; Mary Steen, Omaha, 17.

Setting or Not Setting. If your eyesight is the least bit defective depends largely on the kind of glasses or "specs" you are wearing. Our expert optician will tell you whether we can help your vision. Is there any reason why you should not call here. Our glasses satisfy. Dr. W. W. Magarrell, Optometrist.

Alaska refrigerator sale. Prices from \$9.00 up. Peterson & Schoening Co.

Memorial Day Preparations. The city council committee having in charge arrangements for the public exercises on Memorial day has received word that neither L. T. Genung of Glenwood nor Judge Lee Estelle of Omaha will be able to accept the invitation to make addresses here on that day.

THE FISHING TACKLE FIT FOR FISHING. PETERSEN & SCHOENING COMPANY.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to the Bee May 19 by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs.

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arrangements for the exercises will meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the mayor's office in the city hall to complete the details for the public observance of the national holiday.

To the Mason and Plasterer. We carry the following in your line: Lime, cement, plaster, sand, gravel, crushed rock, chipped rock, block rock, cement blocks, mortar, color, pressed brick, Kansas brick, domestic brick, cement brick, sewer pipe, flue lining, etc. C. Hafer Lumber Company.

Full line of wedding rings, \$3 and up. Souvenir spoons, latest patterns, \$1 and up. O. Mauthe, 23 West Broadway.

COUNCILMEN INSPECT PAYING Order Strip Paved to Connect with the Motor Paving.

The members of the city council, who met as a committee of the whole yesterday afternoon, decided that the extreme sultriness of the atmosphere was not conducive to any strenuous exertion. Consequently only a few matters received attention at the hands of the committee.

The paving on Lower Broadway, now nearing completion, was inspected and Contractor Wickham was instructed to pave the strip between the west line of Ferry addition and the street railway company's paving on its approach to the motor bridge.

Contractor Wickham has the paving on both sides of Broadway completed beyond Thirty-fifth street, and the entire stretch will be finished by June 1.

The councilmen also looked over the ditch at Twenty-fifth street, which Councilman Bellinger wants cleaned, but no action was taken.

William C. Droge, senior member of the firm of Droge Bros., stated yesterday that the firm intended to take the matter into court before complying with the order of the city that they remove their corner from Eleventh street. Mr. Droge said he intended to have the street surveyed at that point as he questioned whether his building is really in the street.

The Great Western railroad has as yet failed to comply with the order of the city council relative to constructing a crossing on Eleventh street and Ninth avenue, and Mr. Droge insisted that one be not needed. Mr. Droge stated that the Great Western would probably resist an effort to put in a crossing at the point in controversy.

The action of the city council in ordering the crossing put in and the Droge building removed was taken at the request of the Walker Manufacturing company, which claimed it had no means of entrance to or egress from its factory.

Drink Budweiser. King of all bottled beers. I. Rosenthal & Co., distributors. Both 'Phones 323.

Matters in District Court. In the \$2,000 personal injury damage suit of Mrs. Michael McCarthy against the city of Council Bluffs, the jury last evening brought in a verdict in favor of the city. This case brings the jury trials for the term to a close.

Judge Macy returned to the city yesterday morning and will hear the Weber-Verwee suit. Louis A. Weber, the plaintiff, is a railway mail clerk and was seriously injured in the Homestead wreck on the Rock Island. Mrs. Byrd Weber, the defendant, has filed a cross petition against the case, it is said, will be bitterly fought on both sides.

Mrs. Mary E. Hammer has brought suit in the district court against the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York to collect an insurance policy of \$5,000 on the life of Royal D. Amy, her former husband, who died February 8, 1907. Mrs. Hammer alleges that the policy was taken out in March, 1897, while she was the wife of Mr. Amy and that she was named as the beneficiary. The policy, she states, was in her possession for a long time, and during that entire period the payments were kept up, but later Mr. Amy secured possession of the policy and she is unable to produce it in court.

Epheleters. George W. Klein, 19 South Main street. Both 'phones. Have it done right.

Only the best skilled labor is employed in making the action and keys used in the "Crown" piano. For sale at Bouricis Piano Company, 235 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Woman's Relief Corps Meeting. A special meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps has been called for Friday afternoon in Grand Army of the Republic hall to vote on the petition to entertain the district convention.

Mrs. Stella Talbot, president of the local corps, is in receipt of a letter from the department commander of Iowa, asking if the Council Bluffs corps will assume the responsibility of entertaining this year the convention of the Fifth district.

At the district convention, held last year, the corps at Bedford offered to entertain the convention of 1908, but recently advised the state officers that it would be unable to do so. For that reason Council Bluffs is now asked to entertain the convention.

The fifth district includes Missouri Valley, Red Oak, Logan and practically all the towns within a radius of fifty miles from Council Bluffs. About 100 delegates usually attend the convention.

The annual state convention of the Department of Iowa will be held in Cedar Rapids, June 9, 10 and 11, at the Hotel Grand. The dates for the several district gatherings will be set. As a rule the district conventions are held in October or November of each year.

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First National Bank. To Fred W. Wesner, lot 3 in Auld's subdivision of n.w. 1/4, s.w. 1/4, s. 25-18-42, \$2,000.

Ernest E. Hart, trustee, same land. Ellen E. Hagg and husband to E. J. Maloney, lot 4 in Block 3, Burdett, Council Bluffs, 4,500.

Agnes Polson to Martin Larson, lots 1 and 2 in block 13, Burdett, Council Bluffs, 125.

Mary E. Watson to Carrie E. Wittie, lot 4 in block 3, Evans, Council Bluffs, 250.

Total 8,775.

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The operation of trepanning the skull was performed and it was at first thought that he would recover. Monday night he took a change for the worse and death ensued yesterday morning.

One of the Important Duties of Physicians and the Well-Informed of the World

is to learn as to the relative standing and reliability of the leading manufacturers of medicinal agents, as the most eminent physicians are the most careful as to the uniform quality and perfect purity of remedies prescribed by them, and it is well known to physicians and the Well-Informed generally that the California Fig Syrup Co., by reason of its correct methods and perfect equipment and the ethical character of its product has attained to the high standing in scientific and commercial circles which is accorded to successful and reliable houses only, and, therefore, that the name of the Company has become a guarantee of the excellence of its remedy.

TRUTH AND QUALITY

appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

This valuable remedy has been long and favorably known under the name of—Syrup of Figs—and has attained to world-wide acceptance as the most excellent of family laxatives, and as its pure laxative principles, obtained from Senna, are well known to physicians and the Well-Informed of the world to be the best of natural laxatives, we have adopted the more elaborate name of—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as more fully descriptive of the remedy, but doubtless it will always be called for by the shorter name of Syrup of Figs—and to get its beneficial effects always note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package, whether you simply call for—Syrup of Figs—or by the full name—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—is the one laxative remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. and the same heretofore known by the name—Syrup of Figs—which has given satisfaction to millions. The genuine is for sale by all leading druggists throughout the United States in original packages of one size only, the regular price of which is fifty cents per bottle.

Every bottle is sold under the general guarantee of the Company, filed with the Secretary of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C., that the remedy is not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

Louisville, Ky. San Francisco, Cal. U. S. A. New York, N. Y. London, England.

typhoid fever have developed here. One more death has resulted as a result of the disease, making a total of two. Several patients are reported still in a critical condition.

MARSHALLTOWN.—The fourth importation of strike breakers, numbering forty-four, was received by the Iowa Central early Monday morning. A dozen of the men after they learned a strike was in progress refused to go to work.

CRESTON.—Fearful lest someone should lose his life in a well which was in a dangerous condition Myron Spurgan, a Creston lad working on a farm a few miles from town, threw a rope into the well and fastened to tree nearby as a means of escape if an accident should occur. A few days later while working about the well the boy missed his footing slipping and falling in. The well contained twenty-five feet of water and upon coming to the surface the boy grasped the rope which his forethought had provided and made his escape.

NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.

Maybe Carl Was Lost.—Carl Redwolve drove down to the neighborhood of West Point last Saturday night, but couldn't find a dance he had been invited to, although he searched several hours.—Fender Times.

Worked Like a Charm.—Andrew Finstrom put in a burglar alarm connecting his house with all the other buildings at a cost of \$90. About midnight the alarm rang at the house and Andrew went out with a shotgun and captured a man who was after some of his grain. Andrew let him go this time.—Closter Contents, Madison County Reporter.

Eddy Got Off Lucky.—While a crowd of rollicking lads were returning from a dance at Nicholson's, and in the rush to get through a gate to see who would have to shut it, one of the horses fell, throwing another one, and caused a sort of a piled up mess of it. No one was seriously hurt but Eddie Nece, his horse pinning him down by falling on his head, causing some hemorrhage of the nose next day.—Whistle Creek Notes, Alliance Times.

Any Other Place in Nebraska.—Walt Mason must certainly have had Beaver City in mind when he wrote this realistic sketch: "They are lounging at the corners, they are loafing in the alk, and they want a situation winding up an eight-day clock; they're sore upon the surface of this glad and smiling earth, where the man who earns his living is the only one of worth. They are loafing in the sunshine, and their talking never flags, while their wives are doing washings and their kids are wearing rage. They are criticizing Tedy, roasting Ted and Hughes as well; they are proving that the country is falling straight to hell and their wives are tired of sweating o'e the wash tub's greasy curve, while the loud and lazy loafers breathe the air they don't deserve. O, we chuck the drunks in prison when they snort and prance around, we sack the men whose children scratch an inch or two of ground; we behead a hungry father who would swipe an oyster shell, but let the lazy loafer stand around all day and smell."—Beaver City Times-Tribune.

Pleasures of Public Office.—Editor Hales of the Tilden Citizen has been through the mill and knows what is expected of village boards. He wrote the following last week: "They will be expected to build a dozen new cement crossings; they must keep the streets sprinkled in dry weather, under penalty of being called upon to resign; they will be asked to add materially to the number of street lamps; they must provide hitching posts upon all the streets and at the same time keep the gutters open; they must insist that the marshal maintain order without making arrests; they must keep chairs, tables, cards and dice boxes out of the saloons and not interfere with poker games kept going elsewhere; they must keep all streets and alleys free from garbage and provide a dumping ground for trash, they must levy enough tax to pay all necessary municipal expenses, without increasing the burden of taxation to their constituents; they must keep the other fellows' chickens from running at large and prevent the keeping of a pig within forty rods of a dwelling house—except in a few favored instances; they must keep the residence private free from weeds and accord to the private property owner the right to raise all the ragweed, wild hemp and other native plants which he sees fit. If they will do these things they will be commended, if they may be expected to occasionally receive a word of commendation, and, at the end of their respective terms of office, be ignominiously kicked to the rear."

Runaway from Kearney Captured. The police arrested Ralph Piper, known popularly as "Boots Piper," yesterday as a fugitive from justice. He is a boy who was sentenced to a term in the Industrial School at Kearney nearly a year ago. He escaped from the school after he had been in the institution three days. About a week ago he returned to South Omaha, and has been in semi-hiding ever since. Yesterday he was located at the residence of Marcelline Wolf. He told the police frankly all he had been doing since he escaped from the reform school. His experiences were varied with humor and hardship, just right to take the fancy of a boy of his age. He seemed cheerful over his arrest. He may be returned within a few days to the school, if he was sent up for taking a brooch of considerable value from his benefactress. The second night of the South Omaha May carnival showed an attendance of

of steadily microbes occurs when throat and lung diseases are treated with Dr. King's New Discovery. 50c and \$1.00. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

CAR MEN ENJOY THEMSELVES Annual Smoker and Social of Men Who Operate the Trolley Lines.

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