

COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION. Cameras and photo supplies, 12 Pearl st. E. D. Hamilton and wife of California are guests of the family of L. A. Casper.

LEWIS GAINS FIVE VOTES Net Result of the First Day's Contest Against Ovide Vien.

FERRIER GETS GOLD CONSOLATION His Attempt to Intervene is Overruled and Only the Votes for Lewis and Will Be Counted.

The trial of the election contest case between James T. Lewis and Ovide Vien, for the office of justice of the peace in Kate township was begun at the superior court room yesterday morning.

Early in the session Ferrier addressed the court and requested that his votes cast at the last election be also counted. He presented a formal petition of intervention to the court to support this claim.

The attorneys of both Vien and Lewis demurred to the petition of Ferrier on the ground that he had not complied with the law in filing his contest within the specified time and that he had not filed the bond required by law to assure the payment of the costs of the contest.

Before adjourning, L. A. Casper, judge of election of the first precinct of the First ward, identified the ballots from that part of the city as those cast at the November election. He stated that he had delivered the packages to the county auditor.

Counting of the ballots was at once taken up in the regular manner by the clerks and proctors. The ballots of the first precinct of the First ward were opened and the count began.

For sale at a sacrifice, my sealskin cloak. Mrs. E. H. Odell, 312 High school avenue.

Death of R. S. Richardson. Telegraphic information received yesterday announced the death of Mr. R. S. Richardson, at Ordway, Colo.

President to Be Given a Public Reception in Georgetown. In a country where there were several elections in the past few days, the naphtha launch Water Lily came up to the president's headquarters this afternoon.

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Gladness Comes

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It is in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular. Laxatives of one kind or another are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physician, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with it, the common schools which territorially constitute a part of the city.

Whether the judgment of a justice of the peace is a final determination of the merits of a case, or whether it is subject to review by the court, is a question of fact for the determination of the jury.

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PROPOSED SUCCESSOR FOR STERLING MORTON HAS OTHER AMBITIONS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Hon. Samuel W. Alorton, who has been urged by some of his friends for the position of secretary of agriculture in President McKinley's cabinet, announced himself today as a candidate for United States senator.

DOHANY THEATER. ONE WEEK COMMENCING TONIGHT, DECEMBER 18, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, "A SOLDIER'S SWEETHEART," Saturday Matinee, 10c. ROSA GARLAND.

DOHANY OPERA HOUSE. ONE NIGHT ONLY. SUNDAY, DEC. 20, Edwin J. Carter's grand opera production, "THE FAST MAIL," Reserved seats now on sale at Sellers' drug store, 10c to 50c.

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