### COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION.

Cameras and photo supplies, 12 Pearl et. . Hart and mother left last night for

Miss Wickham. Miss Sable Clark of Chicago will visit here during the holidays.

E. E. Hart, accompanied by his mother, left for New York last evening.

Miss Harriet Blood and Miss Marie Fergu-Mrs. A. McConnell, who has been visiting at Portsmouth, has returned home. Charles E. Luring and family left last evening for Cincinnati, where they will visit

The pupils of St. Francis academy gave a delightful musicale in the parlors of the institution last evening.

The Ladies of the Maccabees meet Tues day afternoon at 2:20 o clock in Beno's hall. Installation of officers.

Lilly camp, No. 1, Royal Neighbors of America, will meet Wednesday afternoon. tion of officers.

The Innetal of the late S. E. Josselya, whose death occurred in New Orleans, will take place from the residence, 726 First avenue, at 2:30 this afternoon

party will be given at his academy Satur-day evening, December 26. All may dance after 10 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. The burglar paused as he reached for Regi-naid's diamond stud, speechless, in admira-tion of his beautiful shirt front, recently laundered at the "Eagle," 724 B'way.

There will be a joint meeting of filliff City lodge, No. 71, and Excelsion lodge, No. 259. Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, this (Tuesday) evening, for installation of officers. Refreshments will be served. By order of the Worshipful Master.

D. C. Sheeley, a colored man, was arrested yesterday as a fugitive from justice. He had in his possession five raxors, two pairs of sciasors and other articles belonging to a barber shop in Omaha, which he had raided He was turned over to Omaha officers.

Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran Legior and Woman's auxilliary, No. 17, will meet on Tuesday evening, the 2nd, instead of Thursday, the 24th. It being the last meet-ing for the year, a full attendance is desired, as there is business of importance to

Augustus Thomas' masterplece, bama," will be given at the Dohany theater Saturday night, December 26. Manager Bowen has by special engagement secured Clement Bainbridge's company of New York players to present this dramatic story of

Miss Bessle Gransberry left her home a fev days ago without securing the consent of her mother, and took up her abode with a family named Luman. She refused to return home, and Mrs. Granberry yesterday applied to the police for assistance in enforcing her parental commands.

Claus Thomsen, a saloon keeper, notified the police last evening that a valuable new overcost had been stolen from his place. When he returned from his trip to the station he found the coat where he had left it The thief had become conscience stricke and had returned it.

Don't buy all your Christmas presents un til you see the collection of fancy dressed dolls, fancy work, aprons, rugs, etc., at Trinity Ladies' Christmas Emporium, 407 Broadway, next door to Boston store. Tuesday and Wednesday, December 22 and 23. dinner and supper served each day.

Several months ago Ben Shoemaker started for Colorado on a health-seeking tour. The trip proved to be detrimental rather than otherwise and a few days ago Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker started west to bring him home They arrived today. Mr. Shoemaker is in the last stages of consumption, a fact his numer-

The school board last night voted to have but one week's vacation during the holidays this winter. School will close next Friday and the new term will begin on January 4. The practice has been to have a two weeks holiday vacation and no intermission between the winter and spring terms. This action will make it probable that a week's vacation

will be given in March. The Ottumwa quartet of Chicago gave delightful concert at the First Presbyterian church last evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society. The mem-bers of the quartet are: Edward Weeks. first tenor; James Swirles, second tenor; Eugene W. Peterson, first bass; William F. Muse, second tenor. Miss Ora Lavon Haynes gave a number of readings and acted as oc-companist to the quartet. The concert was well received and the numbers enthusiastic

Justice Cook yesterday rendered his de cision in the case of L. Tierney, the young man who appropriated a city pay check be-longing to another man and got it cashed. Tierney was prosecuted for forgery for the reason that he had crased the name of Turner, the man to whom the check properly clonged, and substituted his own, Cook held that the testimony did not show that any forgery had been committed and ordered the discharge of the prisoner after administering one of his best lectures.

Thomas Shea has been engaged all winter in collecting slops and refuse from kitchen and hauling it to his home, where he is using it to fatten a number of pigs. Yes terday the officers concluded that Shea work came under the garbage ordinance which requires that all such stuff must be hauled in barrels or vessels provided with tightly fitting covers, and as Shea was using only open barrels he was arrested for viola-tion of the ordinance. He will have a hear-ing in pelice court this morning.

C. B. Viavi Co., female remedy. Medical consultation free Wednesdays. Health book furnished. 309 Merriam block.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250. Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were reported at the office of J. W. Squire: J Hogate and wife to Citizens' State Bank of Oakland, part w\(\frac{1}{2}\) sw\(\frac{1}{4}\), and part nw\(\frac{1}{4}\) nw\(\frac{1}{4}\) il-ii-

43, w d.

S A Clatterbuck to Ernest E Hart, part sig nwig 21-75-43, q c d.

Emma M Martin to Martin Martin, undivided in sois nels, 21, and swig 18-75-39, w d.

Martha Martin to Daniel T Martin, swig nels, 21-76-39, q c d.

William J Martin and wife to Martin Martin, nwig sels, 21-76-39, w d.

A Hart and wife to State Savings bank, els, lot 5, block 17, Everett's add, q c d.

ridd), q c d Florence F Everest and husband to Kristine M Willadson, e 76 acres n\sqrt{5} nw\sqrt{4} 14-75-44, w d. J W Shallcross to Joseph Moore, n\sqrt{5} se\sqrt{4} 8-76-39, q c d.

Mr., Where Do You Buy Your Shoes? Did you ever try Sargent? Or don't you like Sargent? If you don't (mox nix ouse) you are looking for the place where you can get the most for your money. Look in Sargent's men's window and see the shoes you can buy for \$2 and \$3, and every pair If you never have, try now. It will make you money. You know the place where the Bear is.

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New Mining Company. The Mastodon Mining company filed ar-

ticles of incorporation at the county recorder's office yesterday. The capital stock is given at \$50,000. George B. Hopkins. Helena, Mont.; Charles J. Holmes, Pitis-burg; C. W. Haight, New York, and George F. Wright, A. W. Riekman, R. E. O'Hanley and E. W. Hart of Council Bluffs appear as

Welker Meat company to C. W. Letchford, who will collect all accounts due and as-sume all liabilities of the Welken Meat com-M. WELKER, C. W. LETCHFORD.

Hoffmayr's fancy patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it. If you want a bargain in watches and dia-monds call at Snyder's, \$25 Broadway.

Mise Edna Hunt of Avoca to a guest of Wagons for Heavy Troffic Must Have Broad-Tired Wheels.

NO EXCEPTION TO THE GENERAL FULE

City Council Protects the Bridge Company by Regulating the Passage of Cattle and Vehicles with Hig Londs.

city council since the new city building was erected that was not considered its portant enough by at least some of the citi-The Property Owners' Fire Insurance com-say of this county at the last meeting se-ted W. W. Leomis of this city as one of the opening until the close of the meeting not one of the comfortable seats provided for the public was occupied. This was re the furnace had occasioned much inconve-December 23, at 2 o'clock sharp for the elec- garded as being a little singular, for it was generally known that the council would but the finishing touches upon a batch of new laws for the government of the people. Haif dozen of the ordinances introduced at the Chambers' Children's annual Christmas last previous meeting were called and passed.

> The murdelpal statute regulating the width of tires upon all vehicles used for heavy traffic was passed after some modification and considerable discussion. One feature of it prohibits the passage of all traction enincs and vehicles having cogged driver heels upon any street paved with brick, wood, asphalt or macadam. No vehicle with tires of less than three inches in width can pass over the paved streets with a load this year.
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> of two tons. The minimum width of tires Average number belonging third month upon vehicles engaged in heavier traffic was dixed at four inches. The plan of taxing narrow-tired wagons with a view of forcing camsters to discontinue their use was notlooked upon favorably. Wholesalers on Main street asked to have their wagons with granite. They stated in their com munication that the majority of their wagons had tires between two and three inches wide, and that nearly all of their heavy traffic was on Main street. There There on the smoother brick paving on Pearl street would be too great to be always successfully resisted, and their request was reluctanty refused. The ordinance was passed by a unanimous vote.

REGULATE BRIDGE TRAFFIC The ordinance regulating the traffic over was taken up and passed after a few unim-portant amoudments were made. The maxioum load to be permitted on any wagon or vehicle passing over the bridge was fixed at 8,000 pounds, and the speed of all vehicles must not exceed four miles an hour The section relating to the passage of cattle over the structure was lightly modified. The largest herd permitted on the bridge was fixed at thirty head. Not more than wo such herds shall be driven on the bridge at one time, and a space of not less than 500 feet must intervene between them. No herd of any kind of stock shall be driven or the bridge at a greater speed than four miles in hour.

The scavenger and poundkeeper's ordi nances were passed without any amend-

The city engineer submitted the schedule The schedule and his action were approved.

A singular oversight, discovered a few days ago, was brought up and discussed, and many of the aldermen learned for the first time that the city was several hundred dollars deeper in debt than any previous official statement of the treasurer had ever shown. Away back in 1886 the city negotiated the purchase of the city negotiated the purchase o the right of a portion of Lincoln avenue. All of the

agreements with property owners were en-tered upon the city's books but one. In 1886 this property owner obtained a judgment against the city for the amount of his claim, \$200. The judgment was never entered on the city's judgment record, and all of the members of the present council were in ignorance of its existence until the parties olding it concluded that ten years' com pound interest was about as much as the wanted and they asked to have it paid. The udgment would have been paid long ago if t had been properly entered, for the judg-

nent fund has often exceeded the claims Notices of garnishment of the city by a number of creditors of two members of th police force were served upon the The bills were for debts contracted several years ago before the men were mem-bers of the force. The city attorney called attention to the fact that the city could not be guarnished and advised that the city refuse to accept the notices. This advice was followed and the documents of the debt col-

ectors were laid upon the table. COURTLAND BEACH BRIDGE. Alderman Shubert called attention to the condition of the bridge leading to Courtland Beach, in East Omaha, which was in bad order and dangerous. The matter was brought up in the council last summer and the Courtland Beach company was notified to repair the structure. No attention had been given the order, and as the city would indoubtedly be liable for any accident that might occur while the bridge remained open for traffic in its present condition, the alderman deemed it important that some action be taken at once. City Attorney Hazelton called attention to the ordinance by which the city granted the Courtland Beach com-pany the right to erect the bridge, and which obligated the beach people to keep the bridge in repair for a period of twenty-five years. The ordinance provided that failure to re-pair the bridge after due notice had been given the company all rights should be for-feited. The attorney advised the council to follow the procedure laid down in the ordinance. This was agreed to and the matter was referred to the committee on bridges

and city property and the city attorney with power to act. A resolution was introduced giving appropriate expression to the feelings of the coun-cil upon the death of Dr. Lawrence. It was ordered to be incorporated in the minutes

The council then adjourned. Have you ever noticed the Bear on Broadway? That's Sargent's Shoe Store, where you can buy the best shoe for \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5 in the state. Look in the window when you are up the street this week; it will pay you. We give a new pair for every pair that does not wear. At Sargent's.

Catch a Bicycle Thief. A. W. Bell, who gave the police a very insatisfactory account of himself and the means by which he came into possession of a racing bicycle, was locked up last night. Bell came to town yesterday with a nearly new wheel, from which the name plate had been removed. The young man attracted attention by his anxiety to sell the wheel. He was willing to take \$8 for it, but the glaring inconsistency of his stories convinced intending purchasers that the wheel had been of acquaintances accompanied the body from Omaha. When the casket was carried into tending purchasers that the wheel had been stolen. His last attempt to dispose of it was at Styder's pawn shop. The pawn-broker notified the police. Bell was detained at the station for several hours. He insisted he had purchased the wheel from a stranger in Ida county and rode it to this city. While he was still in custody word was received at 4he station that a wheel had been stolen at Trevner. In. The wheel

that he came in from Treynor yesterday.

Bell endeavored to work upon the sympathies of people by declaring that he had M Welker has sold his interest in the velker Meat company to C. W. Letchford, the will collect all accounts due and asmercus bandages, but at the station the hand was found to be without blemish, except by the presence of a good deal of dirt. He will be held until the Treynor man can be

> Only one more week of the Durfee Furniture company's great removal sale. Bar-

of the buildings and grounds committee, reported favorably on the subject of changes at the High school. The chief of the fire department had called the attention of the committee of the fact that there was but one stairway leading from the assembly room on the third to the second story. In case of fire it would be hard to get the scholars out in a hurry. From the second floor to the first there are two stairways. The cost of There has never been a meeting of the city council since the new city building that was not considered by the board. It was also decided to was erected that was not considered by: coming scholars from the Washington avenue building. The work will be done during the

Carlstmas vacation. Member Forda, chairman of the committee naces were playing out, and at the Thirty second street building the gas leaking from lence. The furnace has only been in for three years. At the Pierce street building the furnace had also played out after six years of service. Some expensive repairs will be necessary to carry the furnaces

through the winter. Superintendent Hisey submitted the following report for the third month of the year: 'otal enrollment for three months this 

Total enrollment for third month this year.
Total enrollment for third month last

Average number belonging third month this year. 3,641

Average daily attendance third month this year. 3,445 daily attendance third month 3,354

ing the month. On recommendation of Member Fonda the teachers will be paid this afternoon at 4

Tom Askin was granted permission to take was a disposition to favor them, but it was music lessons in Omaha, as it would not finally decided that the temptation to drive interfere with his regular studies. E. A. Kissel aidressed the board concerning the trouble his little girl has had with her teacher, Miss Landon. He against restated the alleged pinching of the little girl's arm and requested that she be given a trans-fer to the Pierce street school. This the board was unwilling to grant and tried to persuade Kissel to agree to have the child return unconditionally. Members Fonda and Snyder took the agrieved parent into the corridor and after a lengthy conference he agreed to let the child return to the Madison avenue building, with the understand-ing that the board believed the child's arm had been hurt by the teacher.

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LEWIS SAYS HE IS A WINNER.

Recount of the Votes Seems to Favor the Democratic Contestant. Good progress was made in the election contest case yesterday, five precincts being canvassed, commencing with the first of the Third ward and ending with the first of the Fifth ward. Lewis says he has made a substantial gain, and his attorney stated that he believed his client would win by at least thirty votes if some decided changes were not made in the remaining precincts. This will probably be the case, as some irregularities are expected to be developed in the recount of the First precinct of the Sixth ward that will be decidedly against Lewis, the contestant. The canvass of the vote up to last night by the contest court

showed the following figures: First precinct, First ward...
Second precinct, First ward...
First precinct, Second ward...
Second precinct, Second ward...
First precinct, Third ward...
Second precinct, Fourth ward...
First precinct, Fourth ward... Second precinct, Fourth ward.... First precinct, Fifth ward....

The returns from these precincts by the election boards give: Vien, 1,894; Lewis, 1,780. This shows a loss of fifty-eight by the incumbent and fifty-one by the con-testant, a gain of seven for Lewis.

The ballots objected to by the contestant in the nine precincts recounted number forty-five and by the incumbent forty-six. Many votes were not counted, being thrown out by agreement. Most of these were against the incumbent. One claim made by the contestant is that he will have nine ballots in the First precinct of the First ward that have been objected to, but must be counted, as since the counting of that precinet an agreement has been entered into admitting all such ballots. The recount will be finished today and the argument on the contested ballots taken up. The conte will no doubt be finished by Wednesday.

Funeral of Dr. Lawrence.

The funeral of Dr. N. D. Lawrence yesterday afternoon was largely attended. The zervices were held at the First Presbyterian The casket and funeral cortege reached the church from Omaha at 3 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. John Askin, D. D., of the First Congregational the church the auditorium was nearly filled with the citizens. The music was furnished by the choir, with W. L. Thickston at the

rgan. In his remarks Dr. Askin reviewed the long and useful life of the dead man and pointed out the fact that no praise could be stronger than was evidenced by the universal sorrow had been stolen at Treynor, Ia. The wheel expressed by Council Bluf's people. Life in Bell's possession fitted the description given by the Treynor man. Bell admitted from boyhood to old age, was perhaps as

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children,

PASS MANY NEW ORDINANCES BOARD OF EDUCATION MIGOTS. nearly perfect as could be hoped for. Nothing but Routine Matter Attracts the Members' Attention. the universal expressions of sorrow there were no executations, because there were none whem he had constitutely wronged. The regular meeting of the Board of Edu-cation was held last evening, with all the members present, except W. H. Thomas Little of importance was transacted, except routine matters. Member Morgan, chairman followed by the mayor and members of the

Brief services were held at the grave The pallbearers were selected from among the old friends of the deceased. They were George F. Wright, Mayor Carson, L. W. Ross, T. J. Evans, Spencer Smith and E. L.

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her a bandsome rocker or easy chair at S. S. Keller's. Makes a great Xmas gift. CROW CREEK SIOUX AFTER CASH.

Committee of the Tribe on the Way to Washington with a Claim. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Dec. 21.—(Special Telegram.)-White Ghost, head chief; Wezee, subchief: Mark Wells, interpreter, and Dr. Fred Lyon, United States Indian agent, formed a party from Crow Creek agency which left here today for Washington

to callect a bill of about \$200,000, principal and interest, due Crow Creek Indians as reimbursement for receiving less land per capita in their diminished reservation than the Sloux at other agencies when the portion of the reservation was opened to settle-ment. Seven years ago last March White Ghost and other members of a committee appointed by the grand council of the tribe, came to Chamberlain and sent a dun to Uncle Sam by wire. This not having been heeded, they have decided to interview the Indian bureau officials personally.

Funds for School Purposes. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-The land commissioner's office is to day making the apportionment of the in terest and income fund to the schools for the last half of this year, amounting to 33 cents per capita on the school population in the state. This makes the total appropria-tion for the year \$1.28, which is 2 cents lower than last year, the payment of interest com-ing in more slowly this year than last year. The governor's office is today sending clamations showing who was elected at the last election.

Ex-Convict Settles with an Enemy. HURON, S. D., Dec. 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-Van Moore, who lately served four years in the penitentiary, is under arrest at Cheyenne agency for attempting to kill Jacob Dolphus. The victim was horrobly cut. Several ribs were broken and he will die. Moore thought him responsible for his

Frank Porter Under Arrest. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 21.-(Special Telegram.)-Frank Porter, who was reported drowned in Cheyenne river last summer, was arrested here today by Sheriff Price and is held for the officers of Meade county, who want him on a charge of cattle rustling.

DENVER BANKERS FOUND GUILTY. Heavy Loans Made to O. E. Miller De-

cinred Illegal. DENVER, Dec. 21.-The federal jury this vening returned a verdict of guilty against C. H. Dow, president of the defunct Commercial National bank, Sidney G. M. Clurken receiving teller, and O. E. Miller, president of the Miller Hernia Treatment company, on charges of misappropriation of funds, making false entries and siding and abetting the same. There were thirteen counts in all. Miller, through the alleged crookedness of Dow and McClurken, secured loans from the bank during 1891-2 to the amount of about

It may be worth something to know that he very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centers in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at Kuhn & Co.'s drug store.

Indictment Improperly Found. DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 21.—(Special Telegram.)-The indictments against ex-Mayor Olinger for appropriating license fees were uashed today by Judge O'Donnell. He held that the statutes against willful and ment by public officers did not apply be cause the mayor is not empowered eive or disburse city funds, and therefore did not receive the ticense fees by virtue of his office. He remanded the cases to the next grand jury under the statute directed against any person who converts another's money to his own ure.

Seventeen Passengers Hurt. DANVILLE JUNCTION, Me., Dec. 21 .-Frain No. 71 on the Grand Trunk railway was derailed at a point about two miles be low the junction today and four cars were partially wrecked. Seventeen passengers were hurt, but none seriously. The injured were taken to Boston. The cause of the accident was a broken rall. The traffic

Movements of Ocean Vessels, Dec. 21. At Naples-Arrived-Werra, from New York.

was delayed for several hours.

Supreme Court Declares that He Was Elected Brigadier General of Iowa.

GOVERNOR MUST ACT ACCORDINGLY

His Authority is Sucreme in the State. but Not When it Conflicts with Well Established Rules of Law.

DES MOINES, Dec. 21,-(Special Telegram.) Governor Drake and Adjutant General Wright were knocked out today in the National Guards case, growing out of the election of a brigadier general of the First umns has come from the lips or pen, no brigade. The adjutant general declared, efter of some obscure "nonentity" of some fraud, and ordered a new election. Again Prime was elected, and the adjutant issued. the commission to James A. Guest, notwithstanding.

fense, made, through Attorney General Remiey, was that military elections could not be that Drs. Copeland & Shepard do what governed by the civil code, and that the gov-ernor could not be compelled to take any action, because as commander-in-chief of the guard, his authority was supreme in the to the patients,

court ruled today. It held that the code pro-vides that officers of the guard shall be elected by the men and that the governor must issue the commission to Prime, who, on the face of the returns was elected. The court holds that there was no fraud, and says that if the governor does not stand by the result of one election he could assume the power to appoint all officers of guard. The governor had also raised the point that in case he was subjected to any penalty, it could not be enforced as he could pardon himself and his adjutant general. The court refers to this, and intimates that will be able to force its orders, and that will not be safe to proceed on such an assumption as that it cannot enforce its decrees. An appeal will be taken.

APPEALING TO IOWA DEMOCRATS.

Mentions the Lines Along Which Success is Possible. DES MOINES, Dec. 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-At a recent conference held in Des Moines it was voted as the sense of those present that the organization known as the national democratic party should be continued and a committee was appointed to draft an address to the democrats of the This committee consisted of Colonel

M. Martin, national committeeman; W. Mullin, state chairman; T. B. Perry, B. F. Tillinghast, Senator Robert Honson, George H. Shaeffer, N. P. Herrington, J. E. E. Markley and W. W. Witmer. The ad-dress was issued today. It is directed to those democrats who voted for Palmer and Buckner; to those who as a protest against populism voted the republican ticket and to those who, repudiating the platform, votes the Bryan ticket because of its "regularity t recites that the democratic party has ex isted since the formation of the government and should continue. The cardina principles of true democracy are declare to be a tariff for revenue; a sound and stable currency; civil service reform; the uphold ing of the courts; hostility to the develop-ment of trusts and combinations and a dignified, intelligent and firm foreign policy. Realizing the responsibility assumed by the national democrats in the last campaign the address deplores further antagenism and asks all to unite on the pure and simple principles of democracy. The opinion is ex-pressed that all uniting on the principles utlined will soon be again united in one

COMMIT MURDER WHILE AT CHURCH

Iowa Men in Jail for Killing Joseph Wright. ALBIA, Ia., Dec. 21.—(Special Telegram.)— Joseph Wright was murdered late Sunday night at the Methodist church at Hickory. William Franklin, James Hazlett and Ber lazlett are in jail here for the is alleged to have been the result of a conspiracy. Wright and one of the Hazlette had been rivals for the hand of a farmer's daughter. They all met at the church Sun day night, where a wedding was being held and after the ceremony the trouble started The three men assaulted Wright, and are said to have declared they would kill him. One of them struck him in the back of the neck with a heavy rock, which he held in his hand, and Wright dropped dead.

Prisoners Refuse to Work. OTTUMWA, Ia., Dec. 21.—(Special Tele gram.)-Thirty prisoners at the county jail rebelled and refused to work this morning. The turnkey and a number of police officers shut the prisoners up in their cells and then thoroughly searched their persons. Three razors, two steel traps and a bunch of wire keys were found. It is believed they were to have made an attempt to escape today The articles were smuggled in by friend of prisoners who expect to go to prison for ong terms after court meets.

Young Safe Blowers Caught. HARLAN, Ia., Dec. 21.—(Special.)—Tobe Parker, Earnest Inlow and Al Shumaker were arrested last night, charged with the burglary of Reyelt's harness shop last week. Most of the money taken from the safeabout \$300-was found on the boys' persons

and was recovered. The unprecedented sale of Dr. Bull's ough Syrup provokes competition the people cling to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

Murderer Sentenced for Life. OSCEOLA, Ia., Dec. 21.-(Special Tele gram.)-John Lykens, the murderer of John E. Davis at Osceola, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life by Judge Tedford.

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well known, but who are of the highest standing as to bener and veracity. Drs Copeland & Shepard make it a rule to pub lish only voluntary statements of cured pa tients. Every one of the thousand testi manials which have appeared in these colthe count of the vote had indicated the elec- tant state, but from the hearts of YOU'R tion of John R. Prime, that there had been FRHENDS AND NEIGHBORS, who have ment been reclaimed, cured and given . the testimony been the genuine utterane of grateful patients whom you Prime sued for a mandamus to compel the see duity. To all unprejudiced, fair-minde issue of the commission to himself. The de-people, this deluge of testimony must mean they say they will de. They cure when they say they will cure, and in the shortest possible time, and at the lowest possible cos

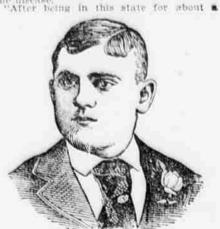
Herewith is given the testimony of Mr

ived in Omaha 25 years. Mr. Kessier auhorizes the following statement: Three years ago I took a course of treat-ment with Drs. Copeland & Shepard for

ment with Drs. Copeland & Shepard for catarrind disease.

"The usual head symptoms were present—irritation of the nose with sore and raw throat, requiring constant effort to clear these parts. My nose was nearly closed, making natural breathing impossible. A dryness and parelling of the mouth and throat was constant, especially at night, preventing sleep and rest. As might be expected my whole system seemed tired

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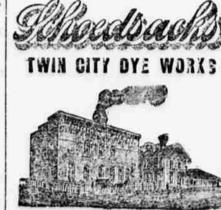
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