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Dr. Brown, dentist, room 301, Merriam blk. B. G. Auld of Griswold was in the city Lottle Herrington of 808 Avenue E is sick

with membraneous croup. Hotel Inman dining room will be opened April 1 by W. H. Inman,

Theodore Tibbles, an extensive cattle feeder of Macedonia, was at the Kiel yester-Mrs. Keysor's illustrated lecture on Michael Angelo tonight at Hande's Hall at

E. B. Crandall of the baggage force at the transfer expects to leave this week for a trip to Mobile, Ala.

The Evans laundry is the leader in fine street. Phone 290. A marriage license was issued yeserday to

Frank L. Haines and Elvira Bonham, both aged 22 and both from Reels, la. James McMillen, depotmaster at the transfer, is suffering with a sprained wrist as a result of an encounter with his horse. Don't you think it must be a pretty good laundry that can please so many hundreds of customers? Well—that's the "Eagle," 724

H. C. Leffer, the well known travelingman, returned home Sunday from a duck and goose hunting expedition on the Little Sloux river. He bagged thirty-two ducks and five Canada geese.

Ex-Alderman Will Brown, who recently returned from Arizona, where he has been in search of health, is a very sick man and his condition yesterday was such that his friends were greatly clarmed.

Mrs. Richard Green, who suffered from a compound fracture of the ankle bone a month or more ago, is not progressing as well as the doctors had hoped and fears are entertained that she will lose her foot. "The Cherry Pickers," Mr. Arthur's successful new play, will be given at the Do-bany on Thursday evening. It is an interesting contribution to the melodramatic stage and will make a fitting celebration for "St. Patrick's day in the evening."

J. F. Loomis, a South Chicago inventor, is in the city for the purpose of making ar-rangements for the manufacture of a new machine upon which he has spent ten years of his life. It is said that he has quite a valuable invention and has succeeded in in-teresting some of the local machine men in its manufacture.

Mrs. C. W. March of Clayton, Mich., arrived in this city Saturday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. S. Wilkins, and her brother, C. C. Carpenter, who re-cently located in this city. Mrs. March was agreeably surprised at meeting her sis-ter, Mrs. J. J. McKay or Klondike, who is also here for a brief visit with Mrs. Wil-

There is a possibility that the board o directors of the Grape Growers' and Ship-pers' association will be called upon to elect a new manager. George M. Allingham, who wes recently elected to that position, has not signified his intention of accepting the place and it is rumored that he may de-cline. The position pays \$1,000 a year and there are no lack of applicants.

N. C. Phelps of Brookfield, Mass., is in the city for the purpose of looking into the educational affairs of the city. Prof. Phelps has been connected with the public schools

will be celebrated at 9 a. m. In the evening a grand celebration of oratory and song will be held at Hande's hall. On Saturday, the 19th, comes St. Joseph's day, or Virgin Mary, and high mass will again be delivered at both Thursday's and Saturday's

C. B. Viava Co., female remedy; consulta-tion free. Office hours, 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. Health book furnished. 326-327-328 Merriam

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Selling Wigwam Buttons. nose who wish to enter the competition in the sale of wigwam buttons must make

some one of the committee of women. After the first installment of buttons, however, have been delivered, it will not be necessary to get a recommendation each time th buttons are needed. The secretary will be in his office, 305 Shugart block, every day between 4 and 6 o'clock to deliver buttons and receive pay for those which have been

A dozen brands of whisky for all classes in stock. Family orders delivered in city; prompt shipping to adjacent towns and farmers. Liquors, wines, Pabst beer, Besley's ale and porter by the glass, bottle, jug, keg or case. 535 Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia. 'Phone 148. M. Wollstein & Co.

Work of the Wind. The high wind which prevailed for a large part of the day yesterday did considerable damage to signs and awnings around town A big sign belonging to a West Broadway A big sign belonging to a West Broadway port was about to be made to the court shoe store was torn from its moorings early in the day, and for some time was swinging on one fastening, where there had formerly been three. A vain attempt by men with ladders was made to save it, and while they were endeavoring to secure possession of it a stronger gust came along and sent it fiving down the street personnel. and sent it flying down the street, narrowly missing a team of horses when it finally reached the pavement. A number of fences were blown over and outhouses disturbed. wind came in gusts that often had the power of a hurricane.

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Charles Shells to Thomas J. Shells, undivided is of els swis and els nwis 80-75-42, w d. 800

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SCHOOL BOARD'S ELECTION

Very Quiet Day Passes Around the Several Polls.

STORIES OF BOODLING DO NOT DEVELOP

Democrats Carry the Ticket from Top to Bottom with but One Exception_Surprise for Republicans.

The school election yesterday passed without any elements of excitement. Despite the fact that the party leaders and the party workers on both sides were more determined than ever to secure every vote in sight the total vote was far short of the work both for color and finish. 520 Pearl registration. A few days before the election there was a prospect of a rather exciting contest and a probability of some developments that would attract attention. While there were abundant opportunities to use money the evidence of such work was not visible unless it was in the large number of men who were "employed" to "work

for the party" during the day. The hardest fight in the whole city was in the First ward, where the democrats were making an extra effort to secure a big vote for their candidate, L. C. Besley. A new method was followed, which offered a prize to vote-getters to induce them to put in their best licks. Twenty of the hardest workers, who were most in need of employment, were selected and were told that each should receive \$20 if Besley's majority in the ward should reach 150, but if it fell even one vote short none of them were to receive anything for their work. The proposition was accepted and the men went to work with an enthusiasm worthy a better cause, and did not cease until the last minute had expired. Some of them went as far as ten miles into the country to bring in voters who were engaged in work out of town, and not a man in the ward who could be induced to cast a vote of the character desired was left without being earnestly importuned.

There was no occasion for police interference at any of the polling places. Mayor Carson issued an order early in the day closing all of the saloons, and there were no drunken men around the polls at any time during the day.

DEMOCRATS WIN. The election returns when the vote was counted shortly before 11 o'clock formed a large sized surprise to the repub-licans and were the source of corresponding elation to the democrats. The democratic ticket was elected by fair majorities from top to bottom, with one exception, S. F. Henry, the republican nominee for school board. The returns also showed that the two bond propositions were defeated, but by remarkable majorities. Both propositions were for the purpose of authorizing the Board of Education to issue bonds to pay interest on the outstanding debts of the district and their defeat was due to a misapprehension of the situation. The failure of the bonds to carry will only place upon the board the necessity for increasing the levy for contingent expenses to a sum sufficient to meet these obligations. The issuance of considerable in the way of interest. Follow-

has been connected with the public schools of the east for a number of years and this is his first visit this far west. He is very much pleased with what he has seen and may take a notion to become an applicant for a position in the ckty schools.

Two feast days fall this week for the members of St. Francis Xavier's church. On Thursday comes St. Patrick's day, and high mass will be celebrated at 9 a. m. In the

Third District—Democratic, Stewart, 337;
Cooper, 341; Besley, 323; Davis, treasurer, 338. Republican, Rishton, 426; Henry, 464;
Lipe, 463; Haverstock, treasurer, 458.
Fourth District—Democratic, Stewart, 402;
Cooper, 334; Besley, 332; Davis, treasurer, 388. Republican—Henry, 369; Rishton, 347;
Lipe, 369; Haverstock, treasurer, 366.
Fifth District—Democratic, Stewart, 134;
Besley, 129; Cooper, 133; Davis, treasurer, 134. Republican, Henry, 157; Rishton, 158;
Lipe, 158; Haverstock, treasurer, 158.

HENRY METCALF ASSAULTS F. J. DAY

Knocks Him Down on the Streets of Los Angeles. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 14.-(Special Telegram.)-Fred J. Day of Council Bluffs, who arrived here Saturday, was murderously assaulted on the street this afternoon by application to one of the committee of women which is made up as follows: Mrs. J. R. Reed, Mrs. George T. Phelps, Mrs. B. S. Terwilliger, Mrs. Thomas Metcalf, Mrs. B. J. McBride, Mrs. J. B. Atkins, Mrs. S. H. Foster.

This is necessary, as the secretary of the association will not deliver any buttons to any one except on the recommendation of some one of the committee of women. After to an officer who appeared on the scene just after the blow was struck. The injured man was taken to a receiving hospital where the police surgeon attended to his injuries. His upper lip was cut clear through and he was unconscious for several hours, but will re-cover. Metcalf was released on \$100 cash

The trouble between Day and Metcalf has grown out of the activity of Day, as admin-istrator of the estate of the late George istrator of the estate of the late George Motcalf, to secure possession of a bunch of notes, alleged to be of the amount of \$20,000, which Henry Metcalf of Los Angeles executed in his favor as the consideration of George Metcalf's half interest in the clothing store of Metcalf Bros. in this city. George Metcalf died two years ago after a long illness from consumption, and Day, who is his brother-in-law, was appointed executor of the estate. The estate has been administered upon and the final report was about to be made to the court when Day made the sensational discovery tion Day alleges that he had been informed of the existence of the notes, and had discovered that they had been in the safe of the clothing store here until quite recently, when Henry Metcalf came here and secured possession of them without attempting any settlement with the widow or the adminis-trator, and the broad allegation was made that the act was with intent to defraud the estate. Thomas Metcalf's explanation of the Picture Frames.

We have picture frames that will suit anyone. All kinds to select from and we will frame your pictures at moderate prices. We employ the most skilled workmen in our house, and we take pains to please our patrons. Our art department will well repay you to visit it and see the newest things cut in that line. We can satisfy you in cut in that line. We can satisfy you in the moderate prices have not only no intention to defraud, but that every movement of both brothers has been to protect the estate. Friends of the Metcalfs, who have known them for many years, tell of the affectionate relationship of the three brothers, and assert that George's interest in the store was never that George's interest in the store was never anything but nominal. For years before his patrons. Our art department will
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that George's interest in the store was never
anything but nominal. For years before his
death he had been broken up in business
and his health was such that he was unable
to contribute to his own support and that
of his family, and this burden fell upon the
brothers. When Metcalf died he was deeply
in debt, and the brothers paid all of his obin debt, and the brothers paid all of his ob-ligations. Since then they have been paying \$100 a month to the support of his widow

Administrator Day's journey to Los Angeles was in obedience to an order from Judge Smith of the district court to him to Judge Smith of the district court to him to go out there and sue out ancilliary letters of administration in accordance with the laws of California for the purpose of securing possession of whatever property belonging to the estate that he had reason to believe could be found there. Day left here on Wednesday night and had evidently just arrived when the trouble occurred. He had a conference with his attorney, F. J. Day, before starting, and announced his conviction that he would be able to secure a settlement with Henry Metcalf without resorting to the California courts.

of the kind ever held in the state. He asserts that about every Mason in the state has announced his intention of attending the meeting. The local lodges are amply prepared to take care of all who come. They have a surplus of over \$40,000 on hand, which will be drawn upon to defray the expenses of the entertainment. The visitors will be here at least a week and will put in a large portion of their time visiting the exposition.

Dr. Reller, osteopath, Beno block,

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Election Officers Are Chosen by the Municipal Fathers. The city council held a special meeting last evening for the purpose of completing the arrangements for the city election, which occurs on Monday, March 28. The chief matters to be considered in connection with the election was the appointment of the judges, clerks and special policemen from the lists submitted by the chairmen of the two parties. Following are the selec-

City Attorney Hazelton presented a communication from Watson, who was injured by falling through a defective sidewalk on Harrison street, and who has a suit in the district court against the city, claiming \$5,000. Watson agrees to settle his claim in that the proposition be accepted and the council agreed to it The ordinance changing the grade and ordering paving on Avenue F was advanced to its second reading and laid over under the

rules. A communication was received from the mayor and city council of Ottumwa asking mayor and city council of Ottumwa asking the co-operation of the city in the effort to secure the passage of a bill amending the law in regard to the guarantees of contractors on city work and changing the period from one to five years at the option of cities. The bill comes up in the senate today and the mayor and city clerk were instructed to telegraph the approval of the bill and urge Sonator Pusey to secure its

passage if possible. The paving resolution required under the new law, to give the property owners twenty days' notice of the intention of the council to pave Fourth street, was passed. The resolution includes Third street and sev eral of the connecting cross streets.

Better than Klondike. Persons with small or large capital wishing to make invest-ments that promise large returns should address or call on L. W. Tulleys, Council

WIGWAM TO BE BUILT IN APRIL

Committee Decides on the Construction of the Proposed Building. The wigwam committee of the Transmis sissippi association is busily engaged in making arrangements for the beginning of the work of constructing the building. The report that will be submitted by the committee at the next meeting of the association will show that all the arrangements pleted and the purchase of material and cu-gagement of workmen will be the next thing or consideration. The sentiment of members of the building committee and also of the essociation is against beginning the actual work of construction until about the middle of April. Until then work cannot be done to as good advantage on account of the weather. It is believed that the building can be erected and finished inside a month from the time t is made, which will give weeks for the preparation of the exhibits and their installation. It has been definitely decided that the work will not be let to con tractors, but will all be done under the supervision of the association, most likely directly under the watchful eye of President A. C. Graham who is especially well fitted for the place and will do the work of super-intending free of charge. One skilled builder will be given direct charge of the men and will lay out their work for them and will see to it that the plans of the architects are

followed and all work properly done.

Another thing is also assured and that is that none but Council Bluffs men and ma-terial will be used from the start to the This sentiment was evidenced by the approval of a resolution that was introduced at the last meeting by Mayor Carson, which

Whereas, Ample funds have been secured whereas, Ample thinds have been secured for the beginning of actual work of construction of the wigwam, therefore be it Resolved, That the building committee of the association is hereby directed to proceed at once with the construction of the foundation and the first story of the building. That the committee is hereby infoundation and the first story of the building. That the committee is hereby instructed to construct said wigwam of material furnished by Council Bluffs people and that the superintending architects, foremen and mechanics be employed from the citizens of Council Bluffs. That all employes be paid the customary wages and contract to permit a discount of 5 to 10 per cent from their wages, to be applied toward the construction fund. That the Council Bluffs dealers he requested to furnish all material at wholesale rates and give a discount of 10 per cent to the building fund.

The resolution passed in a modified form.

The resolution passed in a modified form, but all of the sentiments it expressed were but all of the sentiments it expressed were approved. Many mechanics who have been consulted have expressed a willingness to contribute the percentage of their wages suggested in view of the fact that the work will be done in the beginning of the season. Wholesale dealers also express a willingness to furnish material at wholesale rates. The committee of fifty responsible for the undertaking are all busy business men, who have been contributing their time to the enterprise, and in addition each has paid his \$10 assessment, and a number has paid his \$10 assessment, and a number of them have given double the amount

agreed upon.

There is no question but that the wigwam will be built in ample time for the arrangement of the exhibits before the opening of the exposition or that it will be the imposing structure that was at first planned.

SOME PROGRESS MADE ON THE MEASURE

Upper Branch Passes the Ellison Habitual Criminal Act by a Vote of 36 to 2 Etkins Pardon Case Postponed.

DES MOINES, March 14.-(Special Telegram.)-Serious work on the board of conrol bill was resumed with the opening of the afternoon senate session today. The proceedings were such as to gratify the friends of the measure, for they plainly indicated that there is to be no more factious opposition inspired merely by a desire to kill the measure. All hands turned in and did all they could toward perfecting the measure. Considerable progress was made, a number of sections being considered and amended,

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First Ward, First Precinct: Judges—W. C. Dickey, Charles F. Maurer (rep.); L. A. Casper (dem.). Clerks—John Corliss (rep.); N. Woodward (dem.). Policemen—L. C. Berem (rep.); George Altropp (dem.). Second Precinct: Judges—Vic Keller, R. T. Bryant (rep.) Kohert Rain (dem.). Second Precinct: Judges—Vic Keller, R. T. Bryant (rep.) Kohert Rain (dem.). Second Ward, First Precinct: Judges—I. M. Woodward (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Clerks—E. H. Louges (rep.); Judges—N. George (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Clerks—E. H. Louges (rep.); Judges—W. J. Halladay (rep.); George (dem.). Policemen—Henry Newton (dem.). Clerks—E. H. Louges (rep.); Judges—W. J. Halladay (rep.); T. H. Compte (dem.). Policemen—L. Williams (rep.); Judges—W. J. Halladay (rep.); T. H. Compte (dem.). Policemen—L. Williams (rep.); Judges—C. W. Brown, F. Watson (rep.); J. V. Aitchison (dem.). Second Precinct: Judges—C. W. Brown, F. Watson (rep.); J. V. Aitchison (dem.). Fourth Ward, First Precinct: Judges—I. Williams (rep.); J. W. Aitchison (dem.). Fourth Ward, First Precinct: Judges—H. C. Cory, J. S. Davis (rep.); J. B. Alkins (dem.). Clerks—Socar Dyar (rep.); W. A. Stevenson (dem.). Follcemen—Low (dem.). Policemen—Ly Judges—Clem Kimball, Ed Ford (rep.); T. L. Smith (dem.). Clerks—J. W. First Precinct: Judges—T. A. Brewick, Judges—Clem Kimball, Ed Ford (rep.); T. L. Smith (dem.). Clerks—Grop; Scott Wesley (dem.). Policemen—Ly Judges—Clem Kimball, Ed Ford (rep.); T. M. Stevenson (dem.). Follcemen—Ly Judges—T. A. Brewick, Judges—Ly J. R. Stack (dem.). Policemen—Ly J. R. Stack (dem.

number of bills of minor importance were rushed through.

It is announced today that two more rail-roads, the Keokuk & Western and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, have closed contracts to run their trains into the new unitri depot. This makes a total of six roads which will go into the depot. They are: The Chicago & Northwestern, Wabash, Chicago Great Western, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Des Moines, Northern & Western and Keokuk & Western, Only two, the Rock Is and and Minneapolis & St. Louis, will be outside. The temporary structure which will be used as a depot while the new structure is removed. It will cost about \$100,000 and be owned by the Des Moines Union Terminal ompany.

Dispatches from Centerville state that exlovernor F. M. Drake has gone to Excelsion Springs, Mo., where he spent several months ast summer in search of health. His condition has become worse and he has ar-ranged to make practically a permanent residence at Excelsior Springs, where the

The reports from school elections in Iowa today indicate that the contests were generally on the question of what bank should control the deposits of the school funds. A year ago the law was changed to make school treasurers elective by the people in

In Des Moines six banks brought out candidates for treasurer and everything else was lost sight of in the contest for the deposits. Saturday so many circulars and postals were mailed by the various candidates that the postoffice was snowed under. The postmas-ter wired to Washington for authority to work carriers extra hours, so that all mat-ter could be delivered; the department refused and much of the mail is still unde livered. Large amounts of money were spent. In the west side district Frank Flinn, candidate of the People's Savings bank, was elected and that institution will \$80,000. In the east side district the A. P. A. question entered into the fight and the A. P. A. P. A. suffered a defeat. It will have only three out of seven members of the

REFORMATORY FOR THE WOMEN.

with an Iowa Penitentiary,

DES MOINES, Ia., March 14 .- (Special.)-The Willard branch of the Iowa Women's Christian Temperance union has strong hope that the bill to establish a woman's industrial reformatory in connection with the Anamosa penitentiary will pass the house by a good majority. The original bill asked that the institution be located at Mitchellville and made a part of the Girls' Industrial school. It necessitated an appropriation and on that account stood little show of passing. It was suggested, however, to Mrs. Edworthy, who has been laterested in the measure, that the new woman's department of the Anamesa penitentiary could be well utilized for the same purpose. It has been con-structed at an expense of \$200,000 and will be completed this year. The bill was withdrawn and a substitute introduced. It provides that the woman's department, which in separate from the penitentiary proper, shall be divided into penal and reformatory apartments. All females over 16 years of age convicted of any crime other than murder or manslaughter shall be committed to the reformatory department and there instructed in plety and morality and such branches of knowledge as will conduce to her reforma-tion. It is provided that no inmate shall be tion. It is provided that no inmate shall be confined more than ten years, observing a belief that reformation will come within that time or not at all. Probably the most important provision of the bill is contained in section 5, wherein it is stipulated that any woman or girl over 16 years of age who has led a life of prestitution may, upon voluntarily applying for admission to the reformatory, be received and given the same care and instruction as is provided for others. The friends of the bill have made others. The friends of the bill have made a careful canvass in its interest and announce that it will receive a strong vote in both houses. The committee on charitable institutions in the house recommended it for passage without a dissenting vote. Speaker Funk is reported to be favorable to the measure and it is asserted the senate will concur in the action of the house.

Missouri Valley Doctors RED OAK, Ia., March 14.—(Special.)—The Missouri Valley Medical society will hold its semi-annual meeting in this city next Thursday. There will be three sessions and in the before starting, and announced his conviction that he would be able to secure a settlement with Henry Metcalf without resorting to the California courts.

Masonic Grand Lodge.

T. N. Parven, grand secretary of the Iowa Masonic grand lodge, arrived in the City yesterday and is the guest of J. B. a dividend of 1% per cent, payable April 5. Dr. Minda A. McClintock, Glenwood; Dr. W.

Atkins. Mr. Parven is here for the purpose of completing arrangements for the meeting of the grand loige, which will occur here in June. He has advised the Masons and the citizens with whom he has talked that the meeting will be the largest of the kind ever held in the state. He asserts that about every Mason in the state has announced his intention of attending the meeting. The local lodges are amply the meeting with Consideration of Board of Control Bill.

WORK OF THE LEGISLATURE 1 J. Findley, Atlantic; Dr. R. M. Stone, Omaha; Dr. Pallore, Pallore, Chicago; Dr. B. B. Davis, Omaha; Dr. A. F. Jonas, Omaha; Dr. A. F. Jonas, Omaha; Dr. Do. H. Gifford, Omaha; Dr. Do. H. Gifford, Omaha; Dr. Do. H. Gifford, Omaha; Dr. D. H. Killingsworth, Tingley, Ia; Dr. C. E. Ruth, Keokuk; Dr. H. M. McClanahan, Omaha; Dr. T. L. Putham and the citizens with whom he has attacked that the meeting will be the largest of the kind ever held in the state. He asserts that about every Mason in the state has announced his intention of attending the meeting with Consideration of Board of Control Bill.

Lively Election at Cedar Rapids. CEDAR RAPIDS, March 14 .- (Special.)-The school election here today was the most exciting ever held in the city and the most exciting ever held in the city and the most bitter as well. A certain element has long been opposed to Prof. J. T. Merrill, the superintendent of the schools, and several times have made efforts to elect directors unfavorable to him. On the Merrill ticket were the names of E. J. C. Bealer, J. R. Baker and Louis Zika. On the anti-Merrill ticket were the names of C. S. Smith, E. D. McCartney and T. C. Munger. At 10 o'clock the count is not nearly completed. About the count is not nearly completed. About party.

3,500 votes were cast and the indications are that the Merrill ticket, Bealer, Baker and Zika, are elected over the other faction directors.

Surveyors Take the Field. ing the Gulf connections.

Want McKinley to Come.

Hot School Election. ATLANTIC, Ia., March 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-The hottest school election for cears occurred here today, which practically erminated in a bank fight to hold the school funds. L. W. Niles, assistant cashier of the Atlantic National, had for his opponent George Robertson. The latter was elected reasurer by forty-one votes. For school di-rector C. P. Meredith snowed his opponent, Ed Willard, under by a 3 to 1 vote. One thousand and sixty-five votes were cast. nearly equaling the presidential vote of

Restraining Tama Live Stock. TAMA, Ia., March 14.-(Special.)-A new stock in the city has just gone into effect. It prohibits the keeping of over two cows, two hogs, two steers, etc., within the city limits, horses and poultry not being speci-Parties owning five acres of land or over are exempt from the provisions of this

WALNUT, Ia., March 14 .- (Special.)-Two tramps went into C. L. Lebek's department store one day last week and while the clerks were busy, stole two ladles' jackets and made their escape unnoticed. They were appre-hended at Avoca and placed under arrest. Iowa News Notes.

At an old settlers' reunion in Grinnell it was found that there were present four who came in 1854, sixteen in 1856, three in 1857, four in 1858 and three in 1859. John Connie, president of the Iowa State Agricultural society, wants the Iowa state

of the Transmississippi Exposition. The foreman of the Mt. Pleasant Journal has just completed his fortieth year of work in that office. In all that time he has only

The auditor of state has authorized the Farmers' Savings bank of Burt to commence business at once. The bank has a capital of \$10,000. Joseph W. Wadsworth is president and Charles D. Smith is cashier J. G. Ratcliffe has returned to Waukon from Lawrence, Kan., where he went to secure evidence to help substantiate a clain for recompense of property destroyed by the rebel guerrilla, Quantrell, and his band at the beginning of the late war. An effort is being made to have the in-

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the road announce that in any case the con-Pattonsburg will be built this year, thus letting the road into Kansas City and giv-

SIOUX CITY, March 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-Sioux City is making a decided effort to secure the presence of President McKinley at the state encampment of the department of the Iowa Grand Army of the Republic to be held here in June. A meeting of the local members of the Grand Army of the Republic and various business men's associations was held in the office of Mayor Cleland this morning. Telegrams were sent to the congressmen and senators from Iowa to urge them to support the invitation to Iowa, which has no such law. The bill pro-vides that on third conviction for grand pointed to attend to the local end of the

rdinance relating to the keeping of live

Apprehended the Thieves

There are fifteen divorce cases on the docket of the district court at Toledo.

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terest on what is known as the Gregs fund.

G. P's, the doctors call them, are found in every city, town and hamlet loud in their praise of

Iowa State university who were suspended for being connected with the disturbances at Iowa City at the time of the freshman banquet some time ago will be reinstated in case they desire to avail themselves of the opportunity. Iowa Press Comment. Burlington Hawkeye: Within the past four months the Nebraska farmers have paid off more than \$2,000,000 of mortgaged in-debtedness. The prospects of Mr. Bryan for success in 1900 are getting very thin.

Dubuque Times: Mr. Smith of Harrison has introduced in the Iowa house a resolution for the election of United States senator by vote of the people. It will come to that eventually in order that state legislators may be chosen on state issues. Grundy Republican: Uncle Horace refuses to accept the compliment of running against Henderson. He sees that 16 to 1 means bad company and that he would have no show running against a man who stands for sound money. Evidently Herace never realized the extent of allogathic doses he would have to swellow when he went into the democratic Davenport Democrat: Take it the state over and the class of men nominated for

in ability and in character of those who are candidates for state offices and for the na-tional house of representatives. And ye DES MOINES, March 14 .- A corps of surthe men who will be chosen directors could not be elected to the other positions named veyors today took the field to complete surveys for the extension of the Keokuk & This is not complimentary to professiona Western railroad from Cainesville, Mo., to Pattonsburg, Mo. There is serious trouble over the right of way and the company anpoliticians. nounces that it may make the extension from Davis City, Mo., to Pattonsburg instead of from Cainesville. The general officers of ection between the present system and

of the most influential in congres Big Miners' Strike in Prospect. CLEVELAND, O., March 14.-Concerning the possibility of another great strike of coal miners Thomas Young, manager of the M. A. Hanna Coal company, extensive oper-

M. A. Hanna Coal company, extensive operators in Pennsylvania, is quoted as saying today: "A strike involving about 20,000 miners will probably soon be in full swing in Central Pennsylvania. The operators declare they will not pay the Chicago scale and the miners announce their intention to strike. There will a tremendous rush for coal with the opening of navigation on the lakes. It is probable that the Hocking Valley operators will sign the scale rather than ey operators will sign the scale rather that lose their share of the spring business." Smallpox Situation is Serious. MIDDLESBORO, Ky., March 14.-The mallpox situation here became so dangerous that the United States government sent Past Assistant Surgeon Dr. Werthelmer of the army to take charge of the pest house The state medical authorities surrendered only on orders from Frankfort. The county refused to support the pest house and the inmates were on the verge of starvation. There are seventy smallpox patients and 400 suspects. This entire community is alarmed and almost demoralized.

directors of the public schools are the equal-

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that give the Illinois delegation in congress all the credit for securing the restoration

of wages of the employes at the island are

wide of the mark. The Iowa delegation was

largely responsible and Congressman Curtis

Gear the leaders of the senate and Captain

Hull the chairman of the committee on military affairs. The Iowa delegation is one

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