# NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

# COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Hamilton's shoe store, 412 Broadway. Davis sells glass. Blank books. Morehouse. Stockert Carpet Co., 205-207 Bwy. Moore's food kills worms and fattens. Dell G. Mergan, drugs, 142 Broadway. Mueller Music House open evenings.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swan, a Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Templeton,

C. B. Jasquemin & Co., jewelers and op-ticians, 27 South Main street.

Beautiful Christmas presents, Stork & Crisp's millinery and art store, 341 B'way. The Woodmen of the World will give their bi-monthly dance on Wednesday, December 21.

J. C. Bixby, heating and sanitary engineer. Plans and specifications for heating, plumb-ing and lighting. 202 Main, Council Bluffs. Frank Lacey, assistant treasurer of the Dohany opera house, left last evening for Spokane Falls, Wash., where he has secured

George Rudio has returned from a two weeks trip in the Black Hills. He reports business quite lively in that part of the

C. Deetkin secured a building permit yes-terday for the erection of a two-story frame cottage on lot 2, block 2, Mynster addition, to cost \$1,200.

Busiest, biggest and best managed laundry in the west. Skilled hands and simple methods explain why ours is a satisfactory laundry. The "Bagle," 734 Broadway. Busiest, biggest and best managed laundry Skilled hands and single

methods explain why ours is a satisfactory laundry. The "Eagle." 734 Broadway. W. H. Robinson, who has been attending business college in this city, left for his home in Pueblo, Colo., where he has secured a position as bookkeeper in a whole-

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Stimson will take place at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the family residence, 221 Tenth avenue, instead of at 2 o'clock as pre-

A large crowd gathered yesterday at the Northwestern depot in expectation of seeing Lieutenant Hobson of Merrimac fame, but was disappointed, as he went from Chicago to Denver by way of Kansas City.

William Kane, who joined the Robert Downing company in this city, returned home days. He will rejoin his company after the first of the wear at Washington, D. C.

The remains of William Bevell, who died Saturday at St. Bernard's hospital, will be buried here instead of being sent to Denver, Colo., as at first announced. The funeral will be held this afternoon from the undertaking rooms of W. C. Estep and interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

Almond Jessup of Glenwood, Ia., died Sun-day night at St. Bernard's hospital of tuberday night at St. Bernard's nospital of tuberculosis, aged 50 years. Deceased had been
a patient at the hospital for eight years.
The expenses of the funeral, which will be
held this afternoon from Estep's undertaking rooms, will be borne by the authorities of Mills county.

The number of cases of measles is steadily on the increase and six new cases were reported to the Board of Health yesterday, as follows: Child of E. Geese, 221 Harmony street; H. Lacey, 154 Ridge street; S. Litherland, Frank and Elm streets; Willie Barnes, 132 South Seventh street; George Grow, Ninth street and Twenty-fourth avenue; Homer Sherman, 417 South Seventh. Chris Larsen, 2308 Fifth avenue, was reported as ill with membraneous croup.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250. Domestic soap outsells all others.

Christmas knives. The best values ever shown for 25c and 50c at Cole's Hardware for Christmas.

Wanted—A competent girl for general housework. Inquire 320 Oakland avenue, Mrs. O. P. McKesson.

Jurors Are Drawn As required by the law, Freeman Reed clerk of the district court; W. M. Shepard. county recorder, and John M. Matthews, county auditor, met last night and drew the grand jurors for 1899, the petit jury for the January term of the district court and the trial jury for the January term of the superior court. The different juries are as

Grand Jury-Henry Scott, Hazel Dell; J. K Silver Creek; Henry Leaders, York; R. F. Rain, Council Bluffs; John Graybill, Norwalk; Fred Holst, Keg Creek; F. B. Chambers, Hardin; Lars Jensen, Boomer; R. Adams, Crescent.

Petit Jury-J. R. Taylor, Council Bluffs. williger, Gust Larson, C. G. Robinson A. B. Mikesell, Peter Peterson, Ed Canning William Roper, Fred Knowles, Council cluded in the annual appropriation. Bluffs; J. A. Hamilton, Neola; Joseph Evans, L. C. Larsen, G. W. Long, J. W. Scott, H. Shoemaker, Council Bluffs; D. Hough, Crescent; Carl Morgan, Council

Superior Court Jury-James Stageman, Jacob F. Smith, Garner; Walter Williams, Lewis; George Young, C. E. Arrick, Nor walk; Thomas Leonard, Hazel Dell: John Spry, W. W. Cones, S. W. Clark, R. T. Bryant, J. M. Shea, F. Covalt, Oscar Baumeister, Andy Rolen, Council Bluffs; Conrad Torneton, Hardin.

The elegant line of albums, toilet and manicure sets and Christmas novelties at Davis' vill be closed out this week regardless cost. No reasonable offer will be refused. Snap Shots all go at 10 cents each at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Nashua Trust company, trustee, to Keene 5 Cents Savings bank, trustee, lot 2, in subd. of lot 46, op. Council Fame to same, lot 3, in Judd's Park

same to same, lot 3, in Judd's Park
add., q. c. d.

Same to same, s 100 feet of lot 13,
block 7, Bayliss' First add., q. c. d.
Same to same, lot 4, in subd. of Outlot
12, John Johnson's add., q. c. d.
Same to same, lot 6, in subd. of outlots
12 and G, John Johnson's add., q. c. d.
Same to same, lot 1, in Wells' Park
add., q. c. d.

J. A. Gorham and wife to J, J. Stewart, executor of A. Cochran, lots 4

J. A. Gorham and wife to J. J. Stewart, executor of A. Cochran, lots 4 and 5, block 14, Cochran's add., q. c. d. Ferdinand Dunber and wife to F. Albert Scott, s 10 feet of lot 7 and n 10 feet of lot 6, block 3, Stutsman's add., w. d. Sheriff to John J. Malowney, lot 14, block 31, in Manawa Park, s. d. Hadassah M. Crandall and husband to Horace E. Gould, lots 1 and 2, block 19, Muilin's subd.; lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 10, Bayliss' Third add., w. d.

W. d.
Harriet E. Hardin to Lula E. Doty,
lot 4, block 14, Beers add. w. d.
Mary A. Sharpnack and husband to
George Richardson, lot 16, block 15,
Grimes' add. w. d.
Farah Elizabeth Downs and husband
to James G. Ruckle, lot B in subd.
of swk nek 16-77-39, w. d. 300

Thirteen transfers, total ............ \$6,618

For Dyspepsia. Horsford's Acid Phosphate Agreeable to the Taste.

Take no Substitute.

### UNION DEPOT TALK STARTS

Coming of the Illinois Central and Great Western Suggests the Topio.

CITY COUNCIL WILL BE ASKED TO LEAD

Advocates of the Plan Want Some Authoritative Head - Arguments Against the Uniting of All Roads at One Terminal Station.

The coming of the Illinois Central and Great Western railroads into Council Bluffs has revived the agitation for a grand union depot in the city and Mayor Jennings and the city council are expected to take the initiative in the near future in the formation of a committee to take the matter up with the railroads. Those who urge that Council Bluffs should have one big central union depot assert that not only would it be a great convenience for the traveling public in general, but that it would also be a money saver for the railroads as the expense of maintaining one large union depot would be less than each road having its own local depot. It is suggested that the Union Pacific transfer would make an admirable union depot, having, as it has, a large hotel, or if this was considered by the other roads too far from the center of town, a more central location near Broadway could be secured.

Opponents of the plan point to the fact that a number of men employed at the several local depots would be thrown out of employment; that with one union depot it would be possible for people to go through Council Bluffs, change cars and never see the town, while with several depots the traveling public occasionally gets a chance to spend some hours in the city and to visit points of interest, always earrying

away a good impression. The Illinois Central is said to be planning to erect a local depot in the vicinity of Broadway and Thirteenth street which is to cost \$40,000, and the Rock Island railway has made public the appouncement that it intends to replace its frame depot on South Main street next spring with a \$30,000 brick structure. The Omaha Bridge and Terminal railway is figuring on a depot at Ninth street and Union avenue and the Great Western will when it builds in here also need a local depot. The Omaha & St. Louis road has no local passenger depot, and will probably use the one to be erected by the Terminal company if it decides to enter Omaha over the latter company's bridge.

Mayor Jennings has promised to bring the matter before the city council at the regular meeting in January.

Domestic soap whitens the clothes.

See our \$3.00 and \$5.00 sets of aluminum and granite cooking utensils, suitable presents for housekeeping. Just what your wife wants and needs. Cole & Cole.

De Long, the printer. Telephone 252. Buy Domestic and get tablespoons.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL. Question of Asphaltum Paving is Laid

ne action in regard to the bids for the asphaltum paving of Fourth street and Fifth avenue. Alderman Atkins moved that all bids be rejected, but on one of the bidders requesting that action be postponed he withirew his motion and the matter was ordered laid over to the regular meeting in January. The council on adjourning convened as a committee of the whole to take up the consideration of the Hubinger company franchises. Alderman Metcalf suggested that a committee of three be appointed to confer with Mr. Craig, the company's representative, and draft ordinances and then report back to the committee of the whole. This was satisfactory to Mr. Craig and after the mayor and city attorney had been added to Annis, Washington; Peter Riley, Lewis; the committee the motion was passed. Mayor Jennings appointed Aldermen Metcalf. Shubert and Christensen as the com-

mittee. The committee then took up a number of old matters that had been pending for months past and disposed of them. The recommendations of Chief of Police Bixby John Adams, Crescent; D. Maltby, W. A. as to alterations and improvements at the McAnaney, John Booth, sr., Thomas A. city jail were referred to the committee on Eaton, D. B. Kirk, Ed Britton, B. S. Ter- police and health with a suggestion that the committee make a report next March so that the cost of improving the jail could be in-

An old ordinance introduced some twelve months or more ago fixing the rates that the Nebraska Telephone company should charge was laid on the table. The same acion was taken with the ordinance submitted by M. F. Rohrer providing for the va cating of the street in Rohrer Place.

A number of old paving petitions and remonstrances were likewise resurrected and ordered laid on the table.

Remember the exposition by getting some copies of Snap Shots at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee. Ten cents each. Davis sells drugs.

Davis' drug store has a new line of ladies and gents' pocketbooks and purses.

Justice Court Notes. The case of A. E. Ellsworth, charged by M. W. Strouse with the theft of a quantity of brick, was called for trial in Justice Burke's court yesterday, but on motion of the defendant a change of venue was taken to the court of Justice Vien, where the hearing was commenced in the afternoon. Ed Lincoln, the negro charged with the theft of \$19 from the person of George Templar, a white man, took a change of venue yesterday from Justice Burke's court to that of Justice Vien, where he will have

preliminary hearing this morning. The preliminary hearing of Charles Brooks, the alleged co-conspirator of John Lewis in the hog stealing case set for yesterday in Justice Ferrier's court, was

continued until Thursday. The case of Charles Linzel, charged by Mrs. Hannah Campbell with obtaining money under false pretenses, was continued in Justice Burke's court yesterday un til Thursday morning.

Why not buy your wife a good range for a Christmas present at Cole & Cole's Hard-ware. Twenty per cent discount on our fine cast ranges until invoice.

To Swatemize Relief Work. Chief of Police Bixby's scheme for the organization of a duly appointed beard of charity was endorsed at the citizens' meeting held last night in Odd Fellows' hall for the purpose of devising a plan to systemize less than thirty availed themselves of the the relief work among the deserving needy. The meeting, which was attended by some fifty ministers and men and women prominent in charity relief work was called to order by Mayor Jennings, who briefly explained the purposes for which it had been held in this city on Saturday. The procescalled. As the mayor had to attend the sion was headed by the Boys' band, the meeting of the city council he called Attorney James McCabe to preside. There was The costumes were grotesque and striking. some opposition to Chief Bixby's scheme on The ceremony was originated by the mer-

county authorities, especially as Rev. M. C. CRUSADE AGAINST SALOONS Waddell suggested the city administration being democratic and the county administration republican. Others who spoke on the subject seemed to think there need be no friction and it was finally decided to endorse Chief Bixby's plan for a charity board with the police station as headquarters and to ask the city council to pass the ordinance framed by Bixby providing for the creation of this board. Among those present at the meeting were: Revs. J. W. Wilson of the Congregational church, S. M. Perkins of the Christian Tabernacle, Myron C. Waddell of the Broadway Methodist church, R. L. Knox of Grace Episcopal church, W. S. Barnes of the First Presbyterian church, J. H. Bauern fiend, Hoover and Henry DeLong; Hon. D. C. Bloomer, James McCabe, John Galvin Mrs. O. H. Lucas, president of the Woman's Christian association; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jackson, Dr. F. S. Thomas and Father Feeley of St. Bernard's hospital.

Board of Education Meets. At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education last night the sentor class of the High school presented a petition asking that it be given permission to engage a speaker for the graduating exercises next June. The reason the request was made at this early date was explained that in the event of it being refused the members of the class would require time to prepare their graduating orations. The class offered to bear all the expense of the speaker and as evidence of good faith enclosed a certificate of deposit for \$66 with the petition. After considerable discussion, during which several members of the board expressed themselves as very much preferring the old system of orations by the graduates to any speaker that could be brought from abroad, it was decided to lay

the petition over until the next meeting. The report of Superintendent Hayden, covering the third month of school ending December 2 showed the entire enrollment to be: Boys, 2,275; girls, 2,343; total, 4,618; monthly enrollment, boys, 2,152; girls, 2,195; total, 4,347; average daily attendance, 3,720; number of cases of tardiness, 532; number either absent or tardy, 1,273. Mr. Hayden explained that the unfavorable weather and an increasing amount of sickness had been the chief causes of the irregularity of attendance. He also made a special report of the successful art exhibition held in the Washington avenue school building on Friday night last by the art department of the Woman's club, the net proceeds of which amounted to \$77.65, which will be applied to the purchase of pictures for the corridors of the building. This sum, he estimated, would purchase about twenty-five pictures. Realizing that the art movement in the chools has become so popular and such a success, the board decided to rescind its action of the last meeting and voted to purchase 5,000 feet of picture molding for the

various school rooms. Miss Florence Reed was elected substitute teacher and the salary of Mrs. Belle Barclay, appointed in the place of Miss Teresa Coyne, was fixed at \$60.

A motion to pay the teachers three weeks' salary before Christmas was passed. Two of the school trustees of Garner township appeared before the board and contracted to pay for the tuition of pupils from that township now attending the Gunn

The board decided to purchase ten of the Speer Primary charts for number work and sense training at \$12.50 each. A proposition from the firm of Ginn & Co. on an advanced arithmetic for use in the fifth grade was referred to the committee on text books.

The family of Mr. J. P. Cronin, 2303 Ave-Over Till January.

The city council held a short special session last night for the purpose of taking some action in record to the bills for the purpose of taking celebrated make. 325 Broadway, where the organ stands upon the building.

See Davis' assortment of Christmas perfumes and atomizers for the holidays

Bankruptcy Cases. Frederick A. Miller, a farmer of Shelby county, and his son, Edward M. Miller, a tiller of the soil from Harrison county, both filed voluntary petitions yesterday in the federal court, asking that they be declared bankrupts. The elder Miller scheduled his debts at about \$1,400 and his assets he listed as consisting of twenty acres of land valued at \$2,500, household furniture, a few farming implements and a wagon, team and harness. All of his assets he claimed as

The son placed his liabilities at about \$1,000 and his assets, consisting of a wagon. team and harness, and household goods, he valued at \$265. He claimed his assets as exempt under the law.

The papers in the involuntary bankruptcy case of C. B. Randlett were filed yesterday.

To clean up our large stock of Guitars, Washburn) we will slaughter them at half price between now and Xmas. Remember also the \$40 Music Box we give away January Mueller Piano & Organ Co., 103 Main street.

District Court Notes. The day in the district court yesterday was taken up with the trial of John Mowery charged with adultery. A large number of witnesses are being examined on both sides and the case was not concluded when court adjourned for the day. It is expected to go to the jury this morning.

The city filed its answer yesterday in the injunction suit brought by Phillip Wakehouse and other residents of Garner township to restrain the Board of Health from using the pest house to confine patients afflicted with infectious diseases in. A general denial of every allegation in the plaintiffs' petition is made.

We are ready for Christmas with the finest line of Hardman, Storey and Clark, Harring-ton, Waldorf and Schaeffer Pianos-Organs, Regina Music Boxes, Music Holders, latest Sheet Music, Books and all kinds of Musical Instruments, all at the very lowest prices.

Men's Social, Broadway Church Tonight. 

A jolly good time anticipated. Pancakes, etc., served. Admission, 15 cents. Christmas tree novelties at Klein's Domestic is the best soap made.

Bond Proposition Defeated. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Dec. 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-A special election was held here today to vote on a proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$125,000 for a new city hall. The proposition was defeated by vote of 764 to 885. Very little interest was taken in the matter and less than a third of the vote was cast. The women had a right to vote on the proposition, but

opportunity. Picturesque Merchants' Parade. MALVERN, la., Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-A merchants' parade and band concert were players being between 10 and 14 years old.

Evidence Collected Showing Violations of the Mulot Law.

DETECTIVES BUSY WORKING UP THE CASE

Rattling of the Dry Bones May Be Expected When the Grand Jury Meets in Des Moines in January.

DES MOINES, Dec. 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-That the state Anti-Saloon league has begun its crusade against Des Moines n the city for a week collecting evidence, and when the grand jury meets in Janall of the cases to that body. One of the cases will be against a city official, it is a gambling device in his place of business in the way of a slot machine.

The Ministerial association held a meeting this morning and sent a signed protest to the city council objecting to the appointment of a saloon keeper, M. Chiesa, as a city assessor. Chiesa is a wealthy man who runs several saloon, and owns much property here. Chiesa is now visiting relatives in Europe.

The Des Moines Trade and Labor assem bly today secured Eugene V. Debs for an address here next Sunday and President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor for an address here in the near fu-

lowa was visited by a general rain las night and this morning. The aggregate fall here was one-third of an inch. A conference of the prominent democrats of the state will be held here tomorrow.

Criminal Statistics. Criminal statistics compiled by the secretary of state for the year and issued today show that the total number of convicitions was 1.235. Twenty-seven sentences were to the Industrial schools, 357 sentences went to the county jails, and 529 men and women went to the penitentiary. There were twenty-nine miscellaneous sentences. fined without jail or penitentiary sentences. The total amount of fines imposed by the district courts was \$85,287.43; the total amount of fines collected and paid into county treasuries was \$31,522.10. The total expenses to the counties on account of criminal prosecutions, not including the fees of the county attorneys, was \$456,-010.64, and the total amount paid the county attorneys, including salaries, was \$83,876.48. The aggregate length of time for which persons were imprisoned in jail was sixty-five years and 283 months and 396 days, and the aggregate for penitentiary imprisonment was 1,370 years, 348 months and twenrisoners can read and write; thirty-three cannot read and write; and the educational qualifications of 255 are not known. There were 684 Americans, 262 foreigners, and the nativity of 307 is not reported. Of the habits of the prisoners 211 are moral, 275 are medium and 463 are bad. The moral training of 304 is not known to the auditors

reporting. An interesting decision was rendered in ex. rel. Polk county against the adminis-County Attorney Howe listed the life insurance of the McCammon estate for taxation under the collateral inheritance law. The heirs resisted the collection of the tax, claiming that life insurance is exempt, but the court held that after the death of the insured the principal becomes taxable as other assets under the collateral inheritance law.

For Joint Rate Schedule.

Tomorrow a hearing will open before the state Railroad commission on the application of the Port Arthur Export company for a joint rate schedule between points on the Sloux City & Northern, the Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Omaha & St. Louis railroads. This is the last point in the state relative to railroad control which has no been adjudicated. Commissioner Dawson said Monday that it is possible the hearing will be postponed until after the first of next year, to permit the attendance of a full board. Both he and Colonel Palme are in the city and are ready for the hearing. A motion may be made to postpone

None has been filed, however. James Orange, janitor of the Stanwin apartment house, fell from a porch projecting from the rear of the third story of the building shortly after noon today and was fatally injured. Orange was shoveling ice off the porch and in some way must have slipped against the railing, carrying the railing to the ground, thirty-seven feet below, on cinders. He was found uncon-

scious by the engineer of the building and was carried into Orange's residence near by. He is a married man and has a family. J. B. Gough, a business man, was found dying with his skull crushed tonight near the Des Moines Union railroad tracks. The case is a mysterious one, as it is not believed that he could have been hit by the train. The police believe that he was slugged and robbed and left near the track, so as to make it appear that he had been hit by a

CONTROLS ACCESS TO DENISON.

Illinois Central Claims Opponent Wants Exclusive Right of Way. DENISON, Ia., Dec. 19 .- (Special.) - The Boyer Valley railway placed about eighty deeds on file here today covering purchase for right of way, depot and switch ground in Denison. The total consideration will amount to about \$60,000. The Illinois Cen tral people have filed an amendment to their petition for injunction, alleging fraudulent intent, claiming block twelve, and stating that the purchase is made solely for the purpose of making them trouble. The hearing tomorrow will be a bitterly fought battle

Jury Cannot Agree as to Damages. FORT DODGE, Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-At Clarion there has just been terminated a \$10,000 damage suit which has attracted general attention. Mrs. Lucy Beyer was suing Dr. Garth, a preminent Clarion physician for allegal malpractice while attending her for a broken hip. This case has been up before and in this instance, like the first time, the jury disagreed and no verdict was returned. Eleven of the jurors were in favor of a verdict for the plaintiff but the twelfth man was stubborn and held the jury to a disagreement. Attorney Longville of Dubuque, and Todd and Rogers of Clarion appeared for Dr. Garth, while Captain Yeoman of Fort Dodge, and Mc-Grath and Bryant of Eagle Grove were attorneys for the plaintiff.

Allied Companies Incorporate. SIOUX CITY, Dec. 19.—(Special Telegram.)-The articles of incorporation of two of the allied companies of the St. Louis, the grounds that it might possibly lead to chants, who exposed their wares before a lowa & Dakota Rallway company were filed a conflict of authority between the city and large attendance of country people.

company, with a capital stock of \$250,000 and the following incorporators: F. A. Seaman, F. Bardes, W. J. H. Swan, John A. Berry and C. S. Hiffe, The other company is the St. Louis, Iowa

b Dakota Coal company, also with a capital stock of \$250,000. Its incorporators are: F. A. Seaman, Maris Pierce, F. M. Case, John A. Berry and G. O. Swasey. These companies are intended to co-operate in the construction, maintenance and operation of the railway line, but under the articles may carry on other lines of business, the former the platting of towns along the line of road and the latter may engage in the coal mining business at different points in Iowa, Missouri and Dakota.

#### REFUTES CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Prosecutor of Matt Quay and Ex-State Treasurer Haywood Says It is Move of Simple Justice.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.-District Attorney Graham today filed in the prothonoaloons in earnest was evident today when tary's office of the supreme court the t was announced that strong evidence of answer of the commonwealth to the petiviolations of the mulct liquor law had been tion of United States Senator M. S. Quay, obtained against twenty saloons and twenty his son Richard R. Quay and former State drug stores, and that ten tobacco dealers Treasurer Haywood in which the defendwould be prosecuted for running slot ma- ants asked the supreme court for a rule to chines. Two Chicago detectives working show cause why a writ of certiorari should for the Law and Order league have been not be issued to take up the record of examination of the case in which the three defendants are charged with conspiracy to uary the Anti-Saloon league will submit use the state funds on denosit in the Pecple's bank. True bills of indictments were returned against the defendants and their said, and it will be prosecuted for running trial was fixed for Monday, December 12. but on December 10, Justices Green and Williams of the supreme court granted the rule asked for by the defendants and fixed January 1 as the time for hearing the argu-

> The district attorney says that the statement that the defendants could not obtain a fair trial is "scandalous and untruthful and a gross imputation upon the twelve judges of the Philadelphia courts," and he declares it to be untrue, as charged in the petition, that the prosecutions were inspired by Judge James Gay Gordon, as alleged.

#### DEATH RECORD.

Dr. Thomas McKee Brown. NEW YORK, Dec. 19 .- Dr. Thomas Mc-Kee Brown, for twenty-eight years rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Mary the Virgin, died today of pneumonia. Dr. Brown was a leader in the ritualistic movement in the Episcopal church, his attitude so antagonizing Bishop Potter that for a time the latter refused to confirm classes in St. Mary the Virgin's church. Dr. Brown introduced orchestral music, the surpliced choir and altar candles and in-Three hundred and eleven criminals were stalled a confessional. He taught his congregation to cross themselves and kneel when passing the altar and to use holy water. When the new church of St. Mary the Virgin was opened Bishop Potter was present to dedicate it. The classes from St. Mary's were then confirmed at St. Thomas and Father Brown's triumph was

complete. Dr. W. A. Chapman. HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-News has been received in this city of the death of Dr. W. A. Chapman, who died at Satsuma Heights, a health resort in Florida. Dr. Chapman had been ty-five days. Nine hundred and sixty-five sick for some time and had gone south early in November to recuperate. He began to recover slowly and was considered out of danger until a day or so before his death. He was a well known physician of this city, having lived here many years.

Mrs. Sarah O'Connor. SIOUX CITY, Dec. 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Sara O'Connor, wife of Major Henry O'Connor, formerly attorney general the district court by Judge Bishop this for the state of Iowa, died in Sioux City morning in the case of the State of Iowa this morning at the age of 76 years. Major O'Connor is an inmate of the Soldiers' home trator of the estate of Stanton H. Mc- at Marshalltown. She was married to Henry Cammon, deceased. This is a case in which O'Connor in Rhode Island fifty-six years ago. Mrs. O'Connor was in reduced circumstances when she died. The remains will be taken to Muscatine, Ia., for burial,

Mrs. William Clemmons. RED CLOUD, Neb., Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-Mrs. William Clemmons, wife of the proprietor of the B. & M. hotel at Red Cloud. died this afternoon from typhoid fever. She had been sick for a number of weeks, but was much better and was considered out of danger. Yesterday she suffered a relapse

which resulted in death. Francis Napter. LONDON, Dec. 19 .- News was received here today of the death at Florence, Italy, of Francis Napler, tenth baron of Napler and Ettrick, the minister to the United States from Great Britain in 1857. He

was born in 1819 and entered the diplomatic service in 1840. Inventor of Solar Compass. MARQUETTE, Mich., Dec. 19 .- William Burt, one of the oldest residents of the upper peninsula, died here today. He was distinguished as the inventor of the solar com-

pass and typographer of the first typewriter. Edward Bain. KENOSHA, Wis., Dec. 19 .- Edward Bain, president of the Bain Wagon company, died today from heart disease at Pasadena, Cal.

Mr. Bain was rated one of the richest men

in southern Wisconsin. SANTA FE'S NEW ORIENTAL LINE. Belgian King, First of Steamers, to Sail January 3. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19 .- The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe has established its Orithe Orient, according to recent advices from

ental line and has announced to the people of there, that the steamer Belgian King will be the first to sail from the other side. The steamer will proceed to San Diego, which will be the western terminus of the road. The Belgian King will proceed via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu. It will leave Yokohama January 3 and will be the pioneer of the new line. A monthly service has been arranged for.

The Belgian King is of 3,390 tons register. Colorado & Southern Incorporated. DENVER, Dec. 19 .- The Colorado & Southern Railway company, owner of the reorganized Gulf and South Park lines, was incorporated today. The capital stock of the new company is \$48,000,000 and the incorporators are E. E. Whitted, Alexis D. Parker, John S. MacBeth, Thomas F. Dunaway and B. L. Winchell. The incorporation fee amounted to \$7,202.

Meet Employes in Liberal Spirit. MONTREAL, Dec. 19 .- General Manager Hays of the Grand Trunk railway has recognized the committee of the Telegraphers' association by announcing that General Superintendent McQuiggan has been instructed to discuss the grievantes of the employes of the road with them today.

SECOND MISTRIAL OF KENNEY

Jury Fails to Decide Whether the Delaware Senator is Guilty of

placed on trial, charged with alding and abetting Teller Boggs of the First National bank of Dover in misappropriating bank funds. Boggs has already pleaded guilty for record in Sloux City this afternoon. One and was the chief witness against the sen- men was then begun,

# Strictly a matter of business

Why should sentiment govern your pocketbook when buying clothing? We appreciate our friends and patrons and are always glad to see them and take pleasure in gratifying their wants; at the same time we feel that when you spend a dollar at our store you get value received. We are glad to offer as many special inducements as possible; however, our prices are always so low that it is seldom that we can offer anything out of the usual in the way of bargains. For Christmas we offer some clothing cheap. Instead of waiting till next January to offer them at clearing prices, we will do so now while you want winter clothing.

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jury in the Kenney case was discharged tonight without having reached a verdict. night without having reached a verdict. Mrs. Fayne Strahan Moore, wife of the con-This is a second mistrial of the case. Victed prisoner, was called to the bar after victed prisoner, was called to the bar after victed prisoner. Last July Senator Richard R. Kenney was been husband's case had been disposed of blaced on trial, charged with alding and abetting Teller Boggs of the First National bank of Dover in misappropriating bank of Dover in misappropriating bank Georgia, was recognized as associate counsel for the defendant. The examination of tales-

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