COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells glass. Gas fixtures and globes at Bixby's. Morehouse & Co., magazines bound, Budweiser beer, L. Rosenfeld, agent. Fine A. B. C. beer, Neumayer's hotel. Schmidt's photos, new and latest styles Henry Whetstone and H. Holloway have one to Idaho Falls, Idaho. Perry pictures, in any number, C. E. Alexander & Co., 332 Broadway.

Get your work done at the popular Eagle
laundry, 724 Broadway. 'Fhone 157.
W. C. Estep, undertaker, 28 Pearl street.
Telephones: Office, 97; residence, 53
S. Baldwin makes a specialty of cleaning wall paper and frescoes, 121 12th ave.
Cashier Happan of the Circl National Cashier Hannan of the First National bank has gone to New York on business.

Council Bluffs tent, No. 32, Knights of the Maccubees, will meet in regular review to-Miss Blanche Lewis has been compelled a abandon school work on account of ill

Mrs. Athelia Luring, wife of Rev. Henry Luring, formerly of this city, died recently in Richmond, Ind. in Richmond, Ind.
W. C. D. C. assembly at Independent
Order of Odd Fellows' hall April 25. Admission, 25 cents. Whaley's orchestra.

The High School cadets are planning of give a dance during the state High chool track meet here in the early part

Father O'Blley of Dougherty Settlement s visiting his cousin, Miss Mary Patricia, it St Francis academy, and is the guest of Father Smyth.

officiating.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of St. John's English Lutheran thurch will hold a service this evening in the lecture room of the church.

Mail Carrier Brandt Crocker, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, has gone to Colfax, Ia. Substitute Henry Frohardt has been assigned to his route. Elder T. W. Williams, formerly of this city, now located in Los Angeles, Cal., will occupy the pulpit of the Latter Day Baints' church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Attorney C. M. Harl left last evening for Chicago to take depositions in the suit of E. W. Nash of Omaha against the Union Land and Improvement company and oth-

Advocates of the Oakland avenue site as the location for the new school building are circulating a petition asking the Board of Education not to recede from its se-lection of that site.

The High School Alumni association will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Bloomer school building to make ar-rangements for the reception to this year's graduating class and to elect officers.

Frank F. Everest, supervisor of the census for this district, has received from the department at Washington the names of the enumerators appointed. The department requests that the names be not published. The case against Thomas Allen, charged

with beating his wife, was continued in Justice Vien's court yesterday for thirty days and will probably be dropped at that date, providing Allen conducts himself as a dutiful busband in the meantime.

number of selections on the baggles.

C. E. Bird, allas "Stretch," charged with the theft of harness from the barns of the Hoagland Lumber company, was permitted to enter a plea of guilty to petit larceny in Justice Ferrier's court yesterday, He received thirty days in the county jail.

Alf Hanchett, son of Dr. A. P. Hanchett, has been awarded a gold medal by the St. Nicholas Magazine for a drawing. The pleture which won the medal was a sketch of young Hanchett's grandfather, W. S. McMiken, seated in a big armchair at the fireside.

Case the accused officer is found guilty of the court must the door Thoroughly Systematized and Connected with Something Beyond?" "Are to connected with Something

R. B. Bradshaw, charged with stealing a horse, the property of I. Nixon of Hazel Deli township, was brought back from Schuyler yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Canwill have a preliminary hearing before Judge Avlesworth in the superior

court this morning.

The receipts in the general fund of the Christian Home last week amounted to \$240.74, being \$40.74 above the estimated needs for the current expenses of the week. In the manager's fund the receipts were \$44.50, being \$2.50 above the needs of the week, and the balance was turned over to the general fund.

the general fund.

The funeral of Miss Mollie Coyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Coyle, 635 Bluff street, will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from St. Francels Xavier's church. Rev. Father Smyth will conduct the services and interment will be in the Catholic cemetery. The funeral cortege will leave the family residence at 8:30 o'clock.

The family residence at 8,30 o'clock.
Folson Corwin, the infant son of Mr. and
Mrs. James Corwin, 1519 Elighth avenue,
died yesterday, aged 15 months. The funeral will be held this morning at 10
o'clock from the residence and informent
will be in Fairview cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. R. Venting, pastor of the First Baptist church. ing, paster of the First Baptist church.

Jesse Wainwright, a hostler at the Northwestern roundhouse, was run down and
seriously injured at the transfer yesterday morning by an incoming St. Louis &
Omaha train, which was backing up to
the platform. Wainwright was struck in
the back, squeezing him against the platform. One hip was badly crushed and his
body was cut and brulsed in several places.
He also received a number of cuts about
the head. He was removed to the Woman's Christian Association hospital. It is
is expected that his injuries will cripple
him for life.

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We sell gas stoves on monthly payments at half the price of a gasoline stove. The Gas company, 26 Pearl street.

Commonwealth 10c cigars are good cigars.

Democratic Delegates. The democratic primaries held last night to select delegates to attend the county convention, to be held in this city May 1. attracted but very little interest and in some of the precincts barely a corporal's guard of the faithful showed up. Reports

from the following precincts were received First Ward, First Precinct-B. B. Dentler. Barney Grahl, John Farlow, Oscar Younkerman, John Booth, Phil Moomaw, R. Rawlins. Charles Huber. Second Ward, First Precinct-C. W. Nich-

ole, Emil Schurz, George S. Davis, Peter Peterson, J. C. DeHaven. Third Ward, First Precinct-Jack O'Nettl.

E. P. Searle, A. R. Hooker, R. B. Leach, L. G. Larson Fourth Ward, First Precinct-S. B. Wads-

worth, O. P. Wickham, J. M. Patton, Henry

Sixth Ward, First Precinct-D. L. Weir, 8. L. Albro, C. C. Graves, W. C. Boyer, A. W. Wills, H. Olerich.



FARM LOANS

MAYOR MAY BE IMPEACHED

for Good Mr. Jennings.

REFORMERS ARE MOVING IN EARNEST

Do Not Propose to Fight the Gamblers. but Intend to Compel the City Authorities to Do Their Duty.

law and order the gambling houses to be the school board was placed on the stand was sorely distressing to Chairman A. W. closed, will not in its campaign for the im-provement of the moral atmosphere of the the warrant for teachers' salaries was of the party, and before adjournment the houses, but has decided to make the mayor declared elected treasurer of the district.

mand is that the mayor as chief executive Secretary Ress on his own responsibility Weller of the convention placed it upon the Nettle, left yesterday morning for St. Sue an order to his subordinates that these contended that the fact that the warrant loss of the places be closed and bent closed and closed and bent closed and close Miss Freda Hageman of this city and Sist that the mayor shall perform the du-had declared Haverstock elected, showed and the lows delegation to the national content of the major shall perform the du-had declared Haverstock elected, showed and the lows delegation to the national content of the major shall perform the du-had declared Haverstock elected, showed and the lows delegation to the national content of the middle-of-the-road populists.

Monday at St. Peter's church, Rev. Father his oath of office to perform. With the of the district. his oath of office to perform. With the of the district. Edith Yardwood of 715 Fifth avenue notified the police yesterday of the theft of a cloak and purse supposed to have been taken by a sneakthlef.

Whose duty it is to enforce the laws. There is no reason why we, as members of this committee, should be required to proceed directly against the whose duty it is to enforce the laws. There menced by Davis in the superior court had has passed into the hands of the socialists.

that all county, township, city or town offi- session. are given in detail. The committee asserts R. C. Barrett, state superintendent of pubthat Mayor Jennings can be proceeded lic instruction.

corruption. The members of John Huss castle, No.

141. Royal Highlanders, gave a well attended social and dance last night in Royal Arcanum hall. Piper Wallace of Omaha was in attendance and rendered a number of selections on the baggipes.

C. P. Bird, allan "Stratch" and the meaning shall be had in the district court. Further that the court may on the filing of the charges the court may on the filing of the charges the much consideration and has written a pamphlet showing the feasibility and advisability of the plan.

At the afternoon session the topics distinct the court may on the filing of the charges the charges the court may on the filing of the charges the charges th

the gambling rooms to run under certain homes, regulations.

When 6 o'clock came and no assurance decks and prepared for action and the press was notified that it would issue an "official" propaganda before 10 o'clock.

The threats of the committee did the work. however, and Mayor Jennings, after he had supper, decided that he had no particular desire to figure in impeachment proceedings, so he hauled down his colors and notified Judge MeGee that he would assue orders closing the gambling resorts permanently. This satisfied the committee and the members who had gathered, preparatory to going into action in Attorney McCabe's for ever and ayes

Dan Carrigg closed his rooms over the of the referee is franked. Turf saloon late Monday night, but the other houses kept open until midnight yesterday. They will make no effort to disobey the The closing of these resorts will throw a large number of men out of employ-

Will Not Molest Saloons

mittee after closing the gambling rooms on Sundays, as in Des Moines. This, how- stead represents \$800 of the assets. ever, Judge McGee denied yesterday. He said that the committee had been permanently organized for the sole purpose of suppressing the gambling rooms in the city. It had no intention to interfere with the saloens. Said he: "While there are many members of the committee who would like to see the saloons conducted according to Mary ; the provisions of the mulct law, still there are many associated with us in the crusade against the gambling rooms who would not onsent to any action being taken in regard

To smoke a Commonwealth is to smoke the best 10-cent cigar on the market. Try it. Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 B way.

Going Into Dimmock's Power. The plaintiff in the personal injury damage suit of Mrs. Emma Holman against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company filed a petition yesterday asking for an order of court requiring the defendant company to produce all vouchers for moneys paid by it in settlement for accidents during each month of 1895 and the first six months of 1896 and the book or books showing a tabulated account of

such payments, with amounts and names of persons to whom paid. Mrs. Holman's purpose is to show that

Manager Dimmock of the motor company settled claims for accidents wishout consulting the board of directors and that his

icts were afterwards approved by the board. Mrs. Holman secured a verdict in the district court here against the motor company for \$8,000 for injuries received in an accident. The case was appealed and senback by the supreme court for retrial. The motor company contended that the action was barred by the statute of limitations Anti-Gambling Move Taking a Serious Turn but Mrs. Holman claimed that she had deferred bringing action as Manager Dimmock had promised to settle with her out of court. Counsel for the motor company claimed that Manager Dimmock had no authority to settle claims for damages and the plaintiff now hopes to prove that he had,

HAVERSTOCK CASE IS SUBMITTED.

Tells of Drawing a Warrant. The mandamus case of W. E. Haverstock against George S. Davis, involving the cusing of the city council Monday night de- the district court yesterday and by him the leader-the social democrats.

gambling houses directly we have nothing to do. We are not officers of the law. We decision would be handed down in this case the national committee it seems as though from some company during his enorder of the Maude Adams company during his enorder of the motor company during

The case of Dr. W. E. Reller against the directly against the gambling houses. It Council Bluffs Gas and Electric company Glenn E, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. is the mayor's plain and evident duty to for \$250 for services rendered Frank Gum. White died yesterday morning of lung treet, died yesterday morning of lung trouble, aged 15 months. is the mayor's plain and evident duty to for \$250 for services rendered Frank Gum.

gambling houses would be closed, Attorney than had been expected. Only nine super-McCabe referred the questioner to certain intendents put in an appearance, but more May 6 are as follows: L. H. Weller, sections of the Iowa code, which, he said, are expected to be here today. Those pres- Nashua; Charles A. Lloyd, Muscatine; A. W. plainly gave the situation in a nutshell, ent yesterday were; C. H. Hoskinson, Ricker, Iowa City, The first section referred to by the reform Adams county; I. B. Johnson, Cass county; attorney is 702, which provides that city W. T. Arthur, Harrison county; O. H. county; A. C. Hutchins, Dallas county;

and trial thereunder for nine causes, which court house and is presided over by Hon. Hartley.

against under three of these causes, namely The forenoon session was devoted to a A. W. Ricker, Iowa City; L. M. Morris willful misconduct or maladministration in discussion of the plan of consolidation of Ottumwa. office, for habitual neglect of duty, and for schools in country townships, the meeting These sections provide that any person Manus, who has recently given this matter gust.

to wait upon the mayor and notify him that ery held yesterday at the parochial residence if the committee had not his assurance by of Rev. Father Smyth, pastor of St. Francis 6 o'clock that evening proceedings would Xavier's church. The questions discussed at once be commenced. In turn the mayor by the clergyment were theology, sacred beld several conferences with the other city scripture, rubrics and canon law. The officials, but nothing could be agreed upon. morning session lasted from 9:39 until noon, Some of the aldermen were in favor of or- when the visiting priests were the guests of dering the gambling houses closed at once, Father Smyth at luncheon. There was a while others stood out for pursuing the short session in the afternoon after which policy heretofore adopted and permitting the clergymen left for their respective Those in attendance were: Father Smyth, Father Thomas, Father Feeley, Council Bluffs; Father Alban, O. S. B., Affrom the mayor, the committee cleared its ten; Father Bede, O. S. B., Creston; Father Hayes, Imogene; Father Tyska, Harlan; escaped. Father Aid, Red Oak; Father Hanson, Avoca; Father McManus, Reno; Father Father Daly, Atlantic; Father White, Dunlap; Father Mullen, Missouri Valley; Father Bulger, Shenandoah; Father Sheridan, Corn-Exira; Father Feddler, Panama.

Bankruptcy Matters. Judge Shiras of the federal court has ruled in the bankruptcy case of Joseph office, buttoned up their rubber coats, un- Kirkland that the referee can make no folded their umbrellas and made their way charges for his services beyond the \$10 to their respective homes through the rain | which he is allowed according to the law and which must be his total remuneration in gambling houses at midnight and notify the of Creston had charged 10 cents for each said that no woman could succeed on the proprietors that they were to remain closed of 150 notices he had mailed to creditors stage without being a prostitute. of the bankrupt. All official correspondence

Two petitions in voluntary bankruptcy were filed in the United States district tive to the death of Mait Parrott and askcourt. John N. Waters, a farmer of Jack- ing that the flags on the public buildings son township. Taylor county, has liabilities amounting to \$1,838.50 and assets worth \$25,

all of which he claims as exempt, Gilbert Eaton, who describes himself a salesman and cabinet maker, living at proclamation is as follows: It has been reported that the reform com- Glidden, Carroll county, has liabilities amounting to \$7,864.69, of which he wants intended turning its attention to the saloons to be relieved. His assets foot up to \$1,128, and demand that they be required to close but will not benefit his creditors any, as every night at 10 o'clock and keep closed they are all claimed as exempt. His home-

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for bath and bedrooms free. Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street: dary J. Cooper to Henry Cooper, lots 2 and 3, block 5, Town of Oakland,

w d.
Charles C. and Louis N. Green and
wives to William M. Green and
George B. Green, part of lot 12 black
1. Voorbis' add. to Council Bluffs. illiam M. and George B. Green to Nellie B. Green, part of lot 19, block I. Voerhis' add. to Council Bluffs, nona Land and Trust Co. to C., M. St. P. Ry. Co., part nw4 sw4

& St. P. Ry. Co., part nw4 swia
5-74-43. w. d.

W. S. Cooper et al. referees, to R. D.
Amy, und 2-3 of nth lot s. block 8.
Hyatt's sub., and of lots 17 and 18.
In section 7. Jefferis' sub., ref. d.
Same to George L. Smith, und 1-3 of same, ref. d.
George L. Smith to R. D. Amy, und
1-3 of nth of lot 6, block 8. Hyatt's
sub., w. d.

R. D. Amy and wife to George L.
Smith, und 1-8 of lots 17 and 18,
block 7. Jefferis' sub., w. d.
Henry Swan and wife to George and
Phillyena Blank, c. 5 feet of lot 9,
block 7. Jefferis' sub., w. d.
Jennie L. Rice and husband to Etta
J. Sackett, lot 14, block 6, Williams
First add., w. d.

People's Party of Iowa Entertain Fellowers of Debs Unawares.

R.CKER AND MORRIS SPRING A SENSATION

Two of the Delegates Appointed to thé National Convention Turn Out to Be Socialists and a Big Row is Probable.

DES MOINES, April 24 .- (Special Telegram.)-There is likely to be further disintegation of the people's party in lowa. At Secretary Ross of the School Board the state convention held here today a strong social element was developed and the anti-fusionists will probably have to tedy of the funds of the school district, was face the further fusion of their members The reform committee, which at the meet- finally submitted before Judge Smith in with a party of which Eugene V. Debs is The manded that Mayor Jennings enforce the taken under advisement. Secretary Ross of spirit of socialism present at the convention

city proceed directly against the gambling drawn on Davis, after Haverstock had been dissension nearly made an irrevocable split. The trouble arose over the announcement its special target. This much was ad- From Ross' testimony it developed that by A. W. Ricker of Lone Tree, after he had mitted by Attorney McCabe yesterday, who, on March 30, the teachers having been paid been elected as a delegate to the national with Judge McGee, represents the legal end as usual by the First National bank, the convention, to be held at Cincinnati, that of the reform committee. Said he: "It warrant drawn on Davis, he having the he was going to work for the nomination makes no difference to this committee funds in his possession, and the vouchers of Debs and that he endorsed the socialistic whether the gambling rooms of the city were turned into the bank as had hereto- doctrines. L. M. Morris, another delegate, close of their own accord. What we de- fore been the custom. This was done by followed Ricker's example and Chairman places be closed and kept closed. We-in- had been drawn on him, after the board tion. Both say that they will not resign sist that the mayor shall perform the du- had declared Haverstock elected, showed and the lowa delegation to the national con-

> Deplore Present Wars. The only resolution passed by the con-

vention was as follows: suppress them and should be still fail to do so, after the notice we have served on him, he will have to face impeachment proceedings, which will be commenced without further delay."

Asked what the exact nature of the proceedings would be that the committee intended taking against the mayor in case of his refusal to give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney than had been expected. Only plus also give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney than had been expected. Only plus also give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney than had been expected. Only plus also give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney than had been expected. Only plus also give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney than had been expected. Only plus also give a promise that the gambling houses would be closed. Attorney the company, who had been injured while digging a ditch, was disministed out of court, in mass convention assembled. That we deplore the conditions of war which exist in the Philippines and South Africa, where imperial governments are seeking to deprive the inhabitants of their right to liberate the committee into the proceedings.

The attendance at yesterday's sessions of the county superintendents.

The delegates at large selected to attend the national convention assembled. That we deplore the conditions of war which exist in mass convention assembled, That we deplore the conditions of war which exist in mass convention assembled, That we deplore the conditions of war which exist in mass convention assembled. The mass convention assembled, That we deplore the conditions of the Philippines and South Africa, where imperial governments are seeking to deprive the inhabitants of their right to liberate the committee of the county superintendents.

The delegates chosen from the different districts are: First, J. O. Beebe, Burlingofficials can license billiard tables, etc., Marsh, Mills county; Thomas McCulloch, ton; Second, F. A. J. Gray, Wilton; Third, and gives them the authority to suppress Montgomery county; Charles M. Peters, S. W. Coombes, Cedar Falls; Fourth, Orgambling and destroy all gambling devices Union county; Henry E. Deater, Page ville Potter, Fredericksburg; Fifth, C. found in operation.

County: A. C. Hutchins, Dallas county; Wirth, Vanhorn: Sixth, J. R. Norman, Al-The other sections are 1251 and 1258, and O. J. McManus, Pottawattamie county, Su- bia, S. E. Tucker, Albia; Seventh, Andrew it is under these that the reform commit- perintendent Hayden of the city schools of Macomber, Ord, T. G. Wheeler, Des Moines; tee had decided if necessary to proceed Council Bluffs and Principal Allen of Oak- Eighth, C. A. Wickes, Davis City, J. F. Syp. against the mayor. These sections provide land were in attendance at the morning Afton; Ninth, William Murray, Wiota, A. M. Hutchinson, Council Bluffs; Tenth, M cers, elected or appointed, may be removed | The conference is being held in the office | E. Smith, Fort Dodge, A. Norelius, Kiro; from office upon charges made in writing of Superintendent McManus in the county Eleventh, Fred Hunt, Alta, W. W. Smith

The following national committeemen for Iowa were selected: L. H. Weller, Nashua

Action upon a state ticket was postponed being addressed on the subject by Prof. Me- until a state convention to be held in Au-

Commissions on Parchment. Governor Shaw today ordered all the com

missions of volunteer officers who served At the afternoon session the topics dis- in the Spanish-American war recalled by cussed were: "Ungraded Schools-How May the adjutant general and commissions of

been quarantined on account of smallpox and attempt to escape. The police force is considerably worked up over the escape of two persons who were quarantined with smallpox and others who were being kept in confinement because of exposure to the contagion. Henry Scott, who has been ill with smallpox at his home for several days, broke away from the health officer who attempted to take him into custody last evenng and has not been apprehended since. Last night one of the fourteen patients confined in the contagion hospital at the foot of Thirteenth street eluded the officers and

The body of David Henry Robinson was found this afternoon in the Savery house Hummert, Early: Father Murphy, Modale; barn. He had evidently committed suicide case, diabetes or dropsy. They act differ Daly, Atlantic; Father White, Dun-by taking poison, and from evidences preby taking poison, and from evidences premeditated the act. A note was found on his person as follows: "To Whom it May Confrom any drug, as I am tired of living." Crystallized carbolic acid was found spattered all over the note. He was single and

aged 50 Rev. Dr. Eaton, pastor of the First Methodist church, has been offered the editorship of the Christian Advocate. Dr. Eaton is the man who recently created such a sensation Chief of Police Albro was to close all the any one case. In this case Referee Harsh in a sermon against the stage, in which he

Flags at Half Mast.

This morning Governor Shaw, on his way to Washington, wired a proclamation relathroughout the state be displayed at half mast until after the funeral. The flag on the senate chamber at the capitol building was placed at half mast. The governor's

proclamation is as follows:

The governor of the state announces with deep regret the death of Matt Parrott, seventeenth lieutenant governor of Iowa, which event occurred on Saturday, April 22, 1960. One who was an honored and useful citizen, one who has been favorably known to the people of the state at large for more than a score of years, has thus passed from earthly life. Called upon to fill many public and private positions of trust, to the performance of the duties thereof the decased gave conscientious and effective effort. For several years he was a member of the state senate, in which body his practical good sense and excellent judgment made him enduringly influential. As lieutenant governor it fell to his lot to preside in the senate of a general assembly, the sessions of which were prolonged to an unusual extent. It is only justice to him we sessions of which were prolonged to an unusual extent. It is only justice to him we mourn to say that he acquitted himself in this responsible position with honor, to the satisfaction of the members and to the expedition of the public business.

In his chosen profession of journalism he was a recognized leader and in the walks of private life one of the most exemplary of men. In memory of this worthy citizen let the flags on the public buildings throughout the state be displayed at half-mast until after the funeral.

A party of lows officials will leave Des

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Moines tomorrow to attend the funeral, which will be held in the afternoon at his old home in Waterloo. There will be in the party State Treasurer John Herriott, Secretary of State George L. Dobson, Private Secretary William H. Fleming. Deputy Auditor of State J. E. Whelan, Hon, Charles Aldrich and Adjutant General Byers, with the probability that Attorney General Milton Remley and Judge Josiah Given of the supreme bench will join the others.

lows Grocers' Session. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., April 24 .- (Special Ten transfers, aggregating \$13,006 Telegram.)-The second annual convention

today with about 500 grocerymen from dif-ferent parts of the state in attendance. The

sessions are being held behind closed doors, verybody except members being barred. President Buttles in his address said that cellent work had been done the past year trading towns on the east coast of the reroct many trade abuses. He said that exin perfecting the organization and that the public of Mexico, sixty miles west of the the formation of a mutual fire insurance

DEMOCRATS NAME DELEGATES. Monona County (Ia.) Convention is Held at Onawa.

ONAWA, Ia., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)-The democrats of Monona county met today at the court house to select delegates to the state convention. Lot Wasser was chairman and W. H. Wonder secretary. W. H. Wonder, D. Rust, R. H. Persons, E. A. Boyer, Charles Chrisman. Charles Holmes, L. E. Bruner, Ed Torticell, A. J. Lynch and James Bartholomew were selected as delegates. The following resolution was adopted without debate:

The democrats of Monona county, in convention assembled, do hereby reaffirm, and have abiding faith, in the Chicago platform of 1896. We condemn the action of the present administration in the fostering of trusts and combinations of capital, which we believe to be detrimental to the best interests of our free institutions; and, it is further It is further
Resolved. That the delegates of Monona
county are hereby instructed to use their
influence to have the state convention send

solid delegation to the national conven-ion instructed for W. J. Bryan as the dem-cratic candidate for president in 1900. The convention was rather thinly attended, only twelve townships being represented out of twenty. W. H. Wonder, sured. The other properties were also county chairman, addressed the convention, assuring them of victory in 1900 if they

were diligent.

Old Landmark Burns. CLINTON, Ia., April 23.—(Special.)— When the Ed Herid house on the island in the river in front of this city burned last week there went up in smoke one of the noted places of crime of the Mississippl will likely stir up a big row over the mat- Valley during the early days of this section of the country.

> Iowa News Notes. \$30,000 school building is to be erected. Cedar Falls this season. in Cedar Falls this season.
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> By reason of an open switch two freight trains on the Illinois Central collided at Dunlap. Both engines were badly smashed. The last of the gambling house keepers at Atlantic who were indicted by the grand jury has plead guilty and paid a fine of \$150.

Six students of the Iowa Wesleyan uni-versity at Mount Pleasant have been sus-pended for violating the rules of the insti-Stephen Triplett, who had pleaded guilty to the crime of incest, committed suicide in the Marshalltown jail rather than go to the penitentiary.

Timothy J. Hickey, an alderman of Keo-kuk, who was on trial for the killing of Mackey J. Real, was acquitted of the charge of murder. He pleaded self-defense. O. J. Laylander, who has been superintendent of the public schools at Cedar Falls for twelve years, has resigned. He had been re-elected for another year, but desired to engage in other work.

Cleanse the liver, purify the blood, invigorate the body by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills always act promptly.

Howell's Anti-"Kawf" cures coughs, colds. Davis sells paints.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed have been issued to the ollowing persons: Name and Residence.

 Will C. Payne, Omaha
 38

 Laura V. Bass, Omaha
 23

 Bernhardt Wittig, Omaha
 28

 Inez Hoagg, Omaha ... James Toman, South Omaha 21 Anna Whalen, South Omaha 18

"PRESTO."

Cay D. Favro, Oak Harbor, Ottawa Co.,

Ohio, Wants All Sufferers to Know of His Experience. Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him of kidney and bladder trouble of long standing, after everything alse failed. This in bie letter:

"For the benefit of those suffering with

that terrible enemy, kidney and bladder trouble. I wish all to know. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble noticed in the papers the great work Dodd's Kidney Pills were doing and bought two boxes. 'Presto' after the first ten pills, pain was gone. I continued their use until I had taken the two boxes and am here to state that I am completely cured. "I think Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only remedy that will cure kldney trouble, be ause I tried everything else without the slightest benefit until I took Dodd's. They are wonders and I don't care who knows

Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only remedy on earth that has ever cured Bright's diswork by making them strong and healthy. They are guaranteed to cure all ing; Father Drexler., Portsmouth; Father cern. That if at any time I am found dead diseases caused by disordered kidneys, in-Loftus, Audubon; Father Fallan Schmidt, it is my fault and no one elses, if it is cluding Rheumatism, Female Weakness, Dropsy, Backache and Impure Blood. a box at all dealers or by mail. The Dedds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



Because it is cheap-Because gas is a cheaper and better fuel than wood or coal.

THE GAS CO.,

FIRE RECORD.

Wipes Out Mexican Town. ST. LOUIS. April 24.- A special to the

Globe-Democrat from San Antonio, Tex., such had been done the past year to corassociation was growing all the time. He scaport of Tampico, has been entirely de-stroyed by fire. Panuca is a town of 11,roof adobe houses and modern frame business blocks surrounded by brush huts constituted the city, Everything went down pefore the flames, as there were no fire fighting appliances in the city. The loss will

aggregate \$2,225,600. No reports of fatalities have been received here, but eight men were severely injured through the explication of a government small arms storehouse. When the \$250,000 dis tillery of Castillo & Cla caught fire a mob of peons stole large quantities of aguardiente, a flery Mexican brandy. In a short time they became violently drunk, and but for the prompt and vigorous action of ompany of Mexican infantry would have done much violence to the homeless persons.

Heavy Loss at Wilcox.

WILCOX, Neb., April 24 .- (Special Telegram.)-This morning about 1 o'clock fire was discovered in the building of O. F. Brown, occupied by G. H. Bethe with a drug store. That building along with W. H. Leasure's general store, which was 26x 140 feet, and the restaurant building be longing to O. T. Brown and occupied by H. M. Porter were all entirely consumed, together with all their contents. W. H. Leasure's loss is about \$9,000, partly inpartly insured.

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