

NEWS OF INTERESTS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

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DECIDE TO BUY A POOR FARM

Board of Supervisors Reaches a Conclusion on the Matter. WILL SUBMIT PROPOSITION TO PEOPLE. Argument is That the Expenditure Proposed Will Work an Economy in the Support of Paupers and Indigent.

The Board of County Supervisors at its session yesterday morning decided to submit to the voters of this county at the November election the proposition to establish a poor farm. The resolution adopted by the board follows: Whereas, the present levy for the support of the poor, having been reduced from 1 1/2 mills to 1 mill, is inadequate for their support, and holding that if this county had a properly equipped poor farm the expense of their maintenance could be materially reduced, and

GOVERNOR OFFERS REWARD

Will Pay Five Hundred Dollars for Capture of Murderers.

INTEREST OVER DEATH OF MABLE SCOFIELD. Campaign in Iowa This Year Will Probably Begin About Middle of September and Be a Short and Vigorous One.

DES MOINES, July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Governor Shaw today issued the following proclamation: Whereas, on the 23d day of October, 1899, the dead body of one Mable Scofield was found in the Des Moines river within the city of Des Moines, which said Mable Scofield was murdered, and

Lightning Kills Two Women

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—A young woman, Miss Jennie Vandyke, was struck by lightning and instantly killed while in her bed at Rippey last night. She had recently gone to Rippey to act as housekeeper for some family there and but little can be ascertained of her family. From papers found around her belongings she is supposed to have come from Rippey and at last reports the authorities of Rippey were endeavoring to learn of her family.

Iowa Widows Swindled

PERRY, Ia., July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Schrader, a shrewd business woman, was some time ago swindled out of her northern Iowa, alleged to have succeeded in working two widows for \$100 each in this city. Mrs. Mary Moschall and her daughter, Mrs. Shaw, were the victims. It is said she received their signatures to notes, pretending that the signatures were only for identification at the bank. Officers are in search of her.

Illinois Woman Disappears

CLINTON, Ia., July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Miss Mamie Dillon, a school teacher residing near Joslin, Ill., twenty-five miles from here, has mysteriously disappeared and no trace of her has been found. She was seen on the morning of July 4 when she got on the train at Hildale to go to Joslin a distance of five miles. Every effort is being made to locate her by her parents and friends.

New Paving for Sioux City

SIoux CITY, Ia., July 11.—(Special.)—The city council has awarded the contract for asphalt paving work to the amount of \$150,000. The bid of the Barber Asphalt Paving company, \$2.08 a square yard, was the only bid submitted. Pierce, Douglas and Pearl streets, which will be paved in the residence districts, are among the most fashionable residence streets in the city.

PREPARE FOR LEAGUE MEET

Interesting Program Arranged for Annual Epworth Gathering at Huron.

HURON, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—Rev. W. J. Calfee, president of the South Dakota Epworth league assembly, has everything in readiness for the second annual gathering here beginning July 21 and continuing the remainder of the month. The program is superior to that of last year and the attendance promise to be much larger. A feature of the assembly is the McCabe prelude, beginning July 21 and closing July 23, by Bishop C. C. McCabe. Tuesday, July 24, will be "Patrician day," when Hon. Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iowa will deliver his popular lecture, "A Poor Man's Government and a Poor Man's Country."

Death Trap Found in Hotel

IDA GROVE, July 11.—(Special.)—Three or four weeks ago two daughters of Landford Ferguson of the Hotel Ferguson here took sick with symptoms of typhoid fever. Since then a number of other people have been taken sick, and it is now known that their cases were developed at what was unmistakably typhoid fever. About a week ago an investigation was made of the premises and it was found that the hydrant through which the city water was drawn for the use of the hotel had been taken sick. Their cases were developed at what was unmistakably typhoid fever. About a week ago an investigation was made of the premises and it was found that the hydrant through which the city water was drawn for the use of the hotel had been taken sick.

Fight Over Salvation Army Girl

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 11.—(Special.)—Love and jealousy has caused a serious disruption in local salvation army circles. Among the leaders of the army was pretty girl, Sadie Rhodes, who was engaged to be married to Bert Rand, but their domestic felicity was of short duration and she went back to her father's roof and sought consolation in the work of the army. The Northwestern University Male quartet, with Mr. Throe, will provide some of the vocal music. Mrs. W. J. Calfee and Miss Ordie Boyer will do solo work. Prof. George Hull will preside at the organ and Miss Vandenberg will play the piano. Prof. Pearson will be entertainer.

Dakota Crops in Good Condition

PERRY, S. D., July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—The crops in Dakota are in good condition. The wheat crop is particularly good and is expected to average well this year. The corn crop is also good and is expected to average well this year. The soybean crop is also good and is expected to average well this year. The cotton crop is also good and is expected to average well this year. The fruit crop is also good and is expected to average well this year.

Citizens Judge Officials

YANKTON, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—A large number of citizens of Yankton county gathered at the courthouse today as per county call to look into the conduct of county affairs by the commissioners. A list of charges of illegal proceedings was presented and the commissioners appeared at 2 p. m. to answer to them. At this time the court room was full to overflowing and the entire gathering after listening to the charges and the defense, acting as a jury, voted that the action of the commissioners in eight out of ten cases cited was disapproved. No further action was taken in regard to the charges, but a taxpayers' association was formed to look after the county representatives in future and to retain a lawyer for counsel in such matters as may come up. The following officers of the association were elected: H. H. Smith, president; G. L. Gilman, secretary; Tim Welby, vice president; Patrick Dinneen, treasurer.

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MITCHELL, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—W. J. Healy, secretary of the Commercial Mutual Insurance association of this city, has been receiving in response to inquiries sent out by him last week a number of reports from all sections of the state. From these it appears that the alarming reports appearing in the Chicago and other daily newspapers in regard to the great damage done by the drought in it is no longer correct. There are many sections in the state where the crop will average better than last year.

Sioux City is Visiting

SIoux CITY, Ia., July 11.—(Special.)—Charles P. Mathewson, Indian agent at the Winnebago reservation, while stopping at the hotel here, said the Omaha tribe probably would hold its big annual powwow and celebration for several weeks, as most of the principal members of the tribe are away visiting, as is their custom in summer time. They are on the South Dakota reservations of the Omaha tribe, with whom they are as friendly as the Winnebagos are hostile.

The southern and southwestern sections of the state, as well as many localities in the eastern and central portions, will enjoy good crops of wheat, and are assured the best crop for years, as well as plenty of hay for cattle. Oats are light in many localities and flax is expected to do considerable on account of the very heavy rains which have been prevailing in all sections of the state during the last week. The average yield of wheat received from all the various products of the state will average up this year with almost any previous year in the history of the state. The crops in Davison county are in the finest possible condition, the rains which came last week making wheat and corn assured crops. The grass is in good condition for pasture and hay. The oat crop in this county will not be as good as in former years, but it will be nearly an average. Several farmers in this vicinity will commence harvest their oats the latter part of the week. Some wheat will be ready to cut the latter part of next week.

Crops in Good Condition

SPEARFISH, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—The crops in this part of the Black Hills are in excellent condition. Harvesting has already commenced in small grain and the yield will be heavy. There will be a general rainstorm last week which will carry the corn through for several weeks necessary. Small fruit will yield a fair crop. Excellent reports are now coming in from the cattle and sheep ranges. The recent rains have filled the water holes and have insured a crop of hay.

Dakota Woman Kills Herself

RAPID CITY, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ida Jones of this city committed suicide Monday morning by taking strychnine. She came to this city from Beaver, Mo., a short time ago and soon after her arrival she separated from her husband because of his intemperance. Her long ago lost a brother in a mine and the sight of his mangled body has haunted her ever since. The woman leaves a small daughter in Missouri. The intemperance occurred in this city.

Delay in Shipments

PERRY, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—During the dry weather of June and the beginning of early shipments of stock on account of the beef maturing rapidly on dry grass. The late rains have changed the situation. The grass is again green and the cattle are taking on fat rapidly, and are well. The delay in shipments will be no earlier than for former years.

Crematories Do Big Business

PERRY, S. D., July 11.—(Special.)—During the month of May thirteen crematories scattered over the state paid out over \$37,500 to their patrons. Besides these there are numerous other crematories in the state which do fully as much business.

TROUBLE WITH THE MOJAVES

Boys Object to Remaining at School and Working During Vacation. NEEDLES, Cal., July 11.—Since the closing of the term of school last week at Fort Mojave there has been much trouble between the Indians and the superintendent, Major J. J. McKoin. It seems that the parents of the Indian scholars think the children should be permitted to come home at the close of the school term, but Major McKoin insists that they shall remain at work on the school farm. Recently the Indian boys ran away from the farm and Superintendent McKoin with his deputies has been trying to capture them and take them back to school. A warm weather enough is the worst kind of a cough. Anti-Kawf will cure it. Drug-gists sell it. Schools.

QUITTS THE SUGAR BUSINESS

Most Formidable Opponent of the Trust Sells Out and Retires. NEW YORK, July 11.—The Tribune says: Wall street is interested in a report that Claus Doscher has withdrawn from the National Sugar Refining company of New Jersey, of which he has been a director and a large stockholder, and has retired permanently from the sugar business. The report is accepted as true, although Mr. Doscher could not be found when an effort was made to secure a confirmation from him. One of his fellow directors was quoted, however, as declaring that Mr. Doscher's retirement was not the result of any disagreement in the board. The National Sugar Refining company of New Jersey was incorporated on June 7 at Trenton with \$20,000 capital, one-half being preferred stock and one-half common. It was a consolidation of three so-called "independent" companies—the National Sugar Refining company, capitalized at \$1,000,000 in stock; the Mollenhauer Sugar Refining company, capitalized at \$1,000,000, and the New York

Sugar Refining company, with a capitalization of \$600,000 stock and \$2,000,000 bonds. The National and the Mollenhauer had all along been on friendly terms with the American Sugar Refining company, while the New York, controlled by Mr. Doscher, had been a strenuous competitor of the trust. It was therefore taken by the street as an indication that the sugar war was over when the Doscher refinery was consolidated with the National and the Mollenhauer, and, in fact, the raising of the price of refined sugar, which has been going on so rapidly during the last few weeks, began at just about the time of the new company's organization. The trust announcing each advance and the National and the new National company promptly making the new rate.

Owned Property in Sioux City

SIoux CITY, Ia., July 11.—The Massachusetts Real Estate company, which a receiver was appointed in Boston today, owns property in Sioux City valued at \$600,000, including the Massachusetts, Boston and Hedges blocks.

Headache

Headache is a common ailment which is often caused by overeating, indigestion, or a lack of fresh air. It can be relieved by taking a walk in the open air, drinking water, or using a few drops of peppermint oil. The following is a recipe for a simple headache remedy: Take one part of peppermint oil to ten parts of water and use as a rubefacient.

"MY OWN SELF AGAIN."

Mrs. Gates Writes to Mrs. Pinkham, Follows Her Advice and is Made Well. "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For nearly two and one-half years I have been in feeble health. After my little child came it seemed I could not get my strength again. I have aches and pains in my limbs and joints, and an almost insupportable pain in my chest. I also have a pain just to the right of my breast bone. It is so severe at times that I cannot lie on my right side. Please write me what you think of my case."—Mrs. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., April 25, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as advised and now send you a letter for publication. For several years I was in such wretched health that life was almost a burden. I could hardly walk across the floor, was so feeble. Several of our best physicians attended me, but failed to help. I concluded to write to you for advice. In a few days I received such a kind, motherly letter. I followed your instructions and am my 'old self' again. Was greatly benefited before I had used one bottle. May God bless you for what you are doing for suffering women."—Mrs. CLARA GATES, Johns P. O., Miss., Oct. 6, 1899.

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Racine College Grammar School. "The School that Makes Manly Boys." Its Graduates enter any College or University. Social and Athletic Advantages. Military Drill. For Boys of 9 Years Old and Upward. Illustrated communication on application to Rev. H. D. ROBINSON, T. A., Warden, Racine, Wisconsin.

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OUR PRICES. And the quality of our work should be of interest to you if your teeth are not in perfect condition. It matters not how little or how much you have to be done, we will be pleased to do it for you, and the charges will be very moderate. Telephone 143.

H. A. Woodbury, D. S., Council Bluffs. 30 Pearl St. Grand Hotel. Real Estate is Rising IN VALUE. Some excellent lots, pleasantly located and desirable for suburban homes, can be had now at reasonable prices. These lots are located in Omaha, Wright's and Central Sub. additions. This property will steadily increase in value as the city grows in that direction and the time to buy is the present. Call at THE BEE OFFICE, Council Bluffs.

Real Estate Transfers

The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, Pearl street: Leonard Everett, executor to Potawatomi county, part of s.w. 1/4 of lot 6, d. d. in block 13, Howard's addition, 1 d. 1 1/2 c. 1 John H. Hagedorn to J. W. Squire, 1 d. 1 1/2 c. 1 P. H. Wind to J. W. Squire, 1 d. 1 1/2 c. 1 C. Smith to J. W. Squire, 1 d. 1 1/2 c. 1 Sheriff to W. W. Holcomb, 25 1500 n.w. 1/4 sec. 16-18-42 (and other lands), 1 1/2 c. 1 Sheriff to W. W. Holcomb, 25 1500 n.w. 1/4 sec. 16-18-42 (and other lands), 1 1/2 c. 1 Cash Miller, Lincoln, Neb., 40 40 Mrs. M. O. Davis, Lincoln, Neb., 41 41 Save your coupons and vote for the most popular Council Bluffs working girl.

FARM LOANS

Negotiated in Eastern Nebraska and Iowa. James N. Casaday, Jr., 125 Main St. Council Bluffs, Iowa.

MONEY TO LOAN

Savings Loan and Building Association Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Marriage Licenses

The following persons: Name and Residence. Age. John Brown, South Omaha, 25 Ford Scott, South Omaha, 25 Adolph Schroeder, St. Joseph, Mo., 40 Amelia Bang, Council Bluffs, 40 Cash Miller, Lincoln, Neb., 40 Mrs. M. O. Davis, Lincoln, Neb., 41 Save your coupons and vote for the most popular Council Bluffs working girl.

Elks to Have a Home

The Elks' Building association was organized last night with the following officers: President, H. A. Searle; vice president, H. H. Van Brunt; secretary, D. A. Hamilton; treasurer, C. R. Hunn; counsel, Emmet Tinley. The other directors are: A. M. Quinn, C. W. McDonald, J. C. Millman of Logan and M. L. Evans of Emerson.

Wholesale Grocers' Association

Annual Meeting Marked by a Little Sadness for President Mahon. The Wholesale Grocers' Association of Iowa and Nebraska held its regular half-yearly meeting yesterday at the Grand hotel, the sessions, as usual, being held behind closed doors. The only information obtained by reporters is that the president, Mr. Mahon, was completely overcome by the members had been under discussion.

Appeal for India

Mayor Jennings yesterday received from Governor Shaw a copy of the appeal which he has issued to the people of this state calling for assistance to aid the starving millions in India. The appeal is as follows: The suffering because of the famine in India, so far from abating, seems to be intensified, and relief is being sought from every quarter. While large amounts of money and goods have been sent to the starving millions in India, it is not considered probable the campaign will succeed unless it is aided by a vigorous campaign to be organized by the people of this state.

Pioneer Dead

J. D. Frohardt, a pioneer resident of Potawatomi county, died at his home near Dumfries in Lewis township Tuesday afternoon. He was 89 years old and death was due to the infirmities of old age. A wife and seven grown children survive. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 a. m. at the Lutheran church in Keg Creek township. Deceased was born in Germany and came to this county in 1835, where he had made his home ever since.

Survey Notes Are Lost

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 11.—(Special.)—The work of surveying a line of the new Fort Dodge & Southeastern railroad, which was accomplished last fall and winter under the direction of Mitchell Vincent of Onawa, promises to have been time wasted, through the loss of the field notes, which contained all of the measurements and calculations of the late engineer, S. L. Bishop, who died recently in Omaha. Bishop was the surveyor in charge of the work. He claimed that he had been led by Vincent to believe that his notes were still in his employ after Vincent had taken the notes to and to obtain some restitution retained the field notes of the survey. Bishop then went to Omaha, where he died. As soon as Vincent learned of his death he wrote concerning the notes and as soon as he discovered that Bishop had taken the notes, he went to Omaha and endeavored to find the papers in the dead man's possessions, but he has been unsuccessful up to the present time.

Find Body of Suicide

STORM LAKE, Ia., July 11.—(Special.)—The body of a suicide has been found after a disappearance of thirty-four days. A farm hand named Webber, who had been employed by a prominent Sac county farmer, John Wise, for the past year. He appeared to be an industrious, reliable young man and had won the confidence and respect of all the people in that neighborhood. He was last seen alive on Sunday afternoon, July 3, about 6 o'clock, and though the pond was dragged and a most diligent search was made by his friends no trace could be found of him since that date until last Saturday, when the harvesters were cutting rye, his body was discovered in the tall grain. A revolver lay alongside of it and the location of the wound indicated that he had committed suicide. Mr. Webber was but 23 years of age and was not financially embarrassed, nor had he any other worries, and he was known to his acquaintances. His relatives reside in Missouri and have been notified of his untimely end.

Convicted of Bootlegging

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank Solomon, alias Missouri Bill, a notorious character about Fondra, has been arrested at that place for bootlegging. The revenue officers have been looking up the case, which finally resulted in Solomon's arrest. The prosecution was handled by the county attorney. He was tried last evening and found guilty, fined \$50 and costs, in default of which he has been sentenced to jail. Solomon is one of the notorious characters in this part of Iowa.

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