NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.

Stockert sells carpets and rugs.

Gas fixtures and globes at Bixby's.

Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel.

Wollman, scientific optician, 409 B'way.

W. J. Hostetter, dentist, Baldwin block.

Leffert, jeweler, optician, 236 Broadway.

J. A. Snow, auctioneer, B'way, opp. P. O.

Chief of Police Albro is at home with the grip.

A good phaeton for sale. Inquire at Bartel & Miller.

For rent, modern residence in heart of city. 723 Sixth avenue.

Mrs. J. L. Stewart has gone to Cincinnati on a visit to her daughter.

Something new for kodakers at C. E. Alexander & Co.'s, 335 Broadway.

W. P. Graff, undertaker and disinfector, 101 South Main street. 'Phone 566.

Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. 'Phone 157.

Mrs. T. A. Barker has gone to Kansas City on a visit to friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ida Wakefield of Beatrice, Neb., is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Morgan & Klein, upholstering, furniture repairing, mattress making. 122 S. Main st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McBride have gone on a visit to friends and relatives at Seattle, Wash.

Guy Martin and Deputy Sheriff J. M. Long of Avoca were in Council Bluffs yesterday.

Excelsior Masonic lodge will have a special meeting this evening for work in the third degree.

Edgar Hafer left last evening for Atchison, Kan., where today he is to marry a well known young woman.

A want ad in The Bee will bring results. The same attention given to a want ad in Council Bluffs as at the Omaha office.

Misses Marie and Nellie Knowles of Deadwood, S. D., are in the city, guests of the family of William Whitney of Fifth avenue.

James A. Patton, formerly of Council Bluffs, now president of the Stock Yards Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, is in the city.

Shadukiam temple No. 81, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, will entertain the members and their wives at a social Thursday evening.

The Ladies 'Aid society of St. John's English Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Lieb, 127 South First street.

Miss Belle Hoon, after a severe illness of six weeks, has resumed her position as stenographer in the office of County Superintendent McManus.

County Supervisor and Mrs. John M. Matthews have been called to Palmyra, Ia., by a telegram announcing the critical condition of Mr. Matthews' father.

Congressman Walter I. Smith will address the Men's club of St. John's English Lutheran church next Tuesday evening. He will talk on the recent session of congress.

Hon John Herriott of Stuart, Ia., former state treasurer, was in this city yesterday conferring with local politicians in the interest of his candidacy for the republican nomination for governor.

Fred Hartje of Roca, Neb., and Hannah Braner of Crete, Neb., were married yesterday by Rev. J. W. Wilson of the Congregational church in the superior court room at the county court house.

The case against A. Southwell, charged with assaulting a crippled newsboy named Clarence Hendricks, was continued in police court yesterday morning until next Tuesday. Southwell gave bail and was released.

After the regular meeting of Pottawattamie tribe No. 21, Improved Order of Red Men, tonight in its new hall in the Marcus block the visiting members from Omaha and South Omaha will be entertained at a smoker.

Attention, owners of talking machines! Just received an entire wagonload of new talking machine records; also a lot of newest style machines. At Bourlicius Music House, Council Bluffs, 335 Broadway, 'phone 466, where the organ stands upon the building.

Willie Tucker and Charles Balcom, small boys arrested Saturday on a charge of disturbing the peace of the neighborhood, were discharged Monday morning by Judge Aylesworth, who ordered the costs taxed to the prosecuting witness, a man named Webb.

Articles of incorporation of M. Constant company, doing business as commission merchants in this city, were filed with the county recorder yesterday. The incorporators are M. Constant, George G. Bell and Herman Bluedorf. The capital stock is placed at $10,000, divided into 200 shares of $50 each.

Zeph Hughes, who celebrated St. Patrick's day somewhat prematurely and went to sleep early Sunday morning on the front porch of an Oakland residence, was assessed $5 and costs in police court yesterday morning. The celebration having exhausted his cash balance Hughes will board out the fine at the city jail.

The authorities were asked yesterday to assist in finding Susie Defries, a 13-year-old girl, who, it is said, left this city on March 11 in company with Ed Grilla and wife and George Kennedy in a junk wagon, ostensibly for Blair, Neb. The relatives of the girl have been unable to secure any trace of her or the people she went away with.

Hogan Ouren served notice Monday on County Treasurer Arnd that he would appeal to the district court from his decision in the matter of property alleged to have been omitted from taxation by him. Upon the report of "Tax Ferret" Cunningham the county treasurer found that Mr. Ouren had omitted property in the amount of $5,000 from assessment for the years 1898 to 1900, inclusive.

The receipts in the general fund at the Christian home last week showed an upward tendency and for the first time in several weeks were above the estimated needs for the current expenses. They amounted to $479.81, being $279.84 in excess of the estimated expenses and decreasing the deficiency in this fund to date to $185.71. In the manager's fund the receipts were $17.50, being $17.50 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency in this fund as reported last week to $134.90.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

RECAPTURED FOR LINCOLN JAIL.

Albert Bettles Says He Was Tired of Cooking for Prisoners.

Albert Bettles, an escaped prisoner from the Lancaster county jail at Lincoln, Neb., was arrested in this city last evening. Bettles had been sentenced to five months and had served all but twenty days. He was cook at the jail when he made his escape. He gave as his reason for breaking jail that he had become tired of the life there and believed he could do better elsewhere. He will be taken back to Lincoln this morning.

Davis sells glass.

Fooled Again

The weather man has fooled us once more and is giving us a real touch of winter life after a day or two of fine spring weather. You cannot always depend upon the weather, but you can put absolute faith in our

High Grade Storm Rubbers

You cannot find their equal in the city and we sell them at the lowest notch.

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Look for the Bear.

FARM LOANS

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LEWIS CUTLER

Funeral Director

(Successor to W. C. Estep)

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GRAIN DEALERS' CONVENTION

From Many Places in Iowa and Missouri They Gather at Council Bluffs.

COMPLAINTS MADE AGAINST ST. LOUIS

System of Weighing is a Ground for Fault Finding and There is Contention Over Underweight and Excess Charges.

The annual meeting of the Grain Dealers union of southwestern Iowa and northwestern Missouri was in the league rooms at the Grand hotel yesterday, and had one of the largest attendance in years. The grain dealers, like the wholesale grocers, are a close corporation, and their meetings are held behind closed doors, yesterday's session being no exception. The importance of several matters up for discussion, it was said, was responsible for the large attendance. Two sessions were held, one in the afternoon and another in the evening.

At the afternoon session these officers were elected: President, D. Hunter, Hamburg, Ia.; vice president, E. H. Van Shoiack, Elliott, Ia.; secretary and treasurer, G. A. Stebbins, Coburg, Ia.

G. L. Graham of St. Louis addressed the association on the weighing system in vogue in his city, in an effort to explain some causes of complaint by the grain dealers of this territory and Illinois who ship to St. Louis. The system of weighing at St. Louis has been a ground for complaint for several years among the shippers of Iowa and other adjoining territories, and charges of underweight and excess charges have been the bone of contention.

E. J. Noble, chief grain inspector of Chicago, addressed the meeting on the question of inspection and grading of grain.

From Many Towns.

Among those in attendance were: W. P. Baylor, Mount Pleasant; J. W. Smith, Lamoni; D. Hunter, Hamburg; Alva Hammersham, Hamersham; E. W. Miller, Guthrie Center; Charles S. Rogers, Mount Pleasant; C. A. Talbot, Osceola; C. S. Clark, Chicago; G. A. Willett, Osceola; B. A. Lockwood, Des Moines; William Cool, Cumberland; E. J. Noble, Chicago; J. W. Wright, St. Louis; E. Reichert, Farragut; Thomas Robinson, Correctionville; C. M. Boynton, Creston; H. F. Leet, Maryville, Mo.; E. J. Smiley, Topeka, Kan.; J. M. Patton, Villisca; G. W. Judd, Sidney; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; W. I. Fritz, Clearfield; G. A. Stebbins, Coburg; M. F. Hackett, Fairfax; Charles Sawyer, Weston; G. L. Graham, St. Louis; G. F. Wilson, Watson; H. A. Noble, Watson; William Dougherty, Hawthorne; William Wheeler, Casey; J. B. Wray, Creston; J. M. Hladik, Manilla; A. C. Savage, Adair; O. R. Savage, Adair; J. A. Funk, Blanchard; F. W. Sheldon, Percival; I. W. Shumbaugh, Clarinda; O. H. Bayless, Weston, Mo.; C. F. Davis, Pacific Junction; George R. Jones, Phelps City, Mo.; G. W. Lowery, Lincoln, Neb.; R. C. Hopp, Hillsdale; W. E. Simpson, Marne; R. J. Edwards, Hawthorne; Isaac Motter, St. Joseph; S. T. Marshall, St. Louis; J. B. Samuels, W. G. Sherman, Riverton, Ia.; B. B. Ireland, Des Moines; George Buskirk, Shenandoah; J. T. Spangler, Walnut; C. J. Harris, Bartlett; G. D. Williams, Chicago; James Gault, Creston; D. Gault, Cromwell; G. A. Pierson, Orient; M. Hennesy, Orient; W. R. O'Neil, Missouri Valley; W. S. Johnson, Fontanelle.

Evening Session.

At the evening session, by almost unanimous vote, the association decided to affiliate with the National Grain Dealers' association. This proposition has been up before every meeting of the association for the last three years or more, but has always been voted down.

One of the subjects discussed last evening was railroad rates and complaints about alleged rebates given by some of the railways.

TAKES CASE AWAY FROM JURY.

Judge McPherson Orders Verdict for $1,900 for M. E. Smith & Co.

Judge Smith McPherson of the United States court took the case of M. E. Smith & Co. of Omaha against the Charter Oak Mercantile company, W. W. Cushman and Martin Neal, away from the jury yesterday morning and ordered a verdict returned for the plaintiff for $1,900.

The suit was really directed against Martin Neal, a wealthy resident of Denison, Ia., and a former member of the Charter Oak Mercantile company. The plaintiff company alleged that it had not received notice of Neal's retirement from the company and, believing him to be still a member of the firm, sold a quantity of goods to it. The company later became bankrupt and the Omaha firm brought suit to hold Neal responsible for the indebtedness of the Mercantile company. The defendants were allowed ten days in which to file a motion for a new trial.

Following the disposal of this case Charles Bennett of this city, charged with passing a counterfeit $5 bill, was placed on trial. It is charged that Bennett succeeded in inducing E. G. Lloyd, a grocer on Broadway, to change the bill after he (Bennett) had been informed that it was a counterfeit. Bennett first attempted to pass the bill in exchange for poker chips in a gambling roof at the Manhattan saloon, but the proprietor declined to accept it and told Bennett it was bogus. Bennett then went to Lloyd's store, where he succeeded in changing it, and with the proceeds went back to the saloon and "bought in" at the poker game.

Sealed Verdict Returned.

The case was given to the jury at 6:30 last evening and an hour later it returned a sealed verdict, which will be opened by Judge McPherson on convening court this morning.

The trial of the damage suit of Mary Ryan, administratrix of the estate of John Ryan, against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad will be taken up this morning.

The cases of Lawrence I. Brown against the Union Pacific railway and Lucius Wells against James A. Patton are also assigned for today.

Charles Sherman, who had pleaded guilty to an indictment for bootlegging which had been hanging over his head more than a year, was discharged yesterday morning, but was immediately rearrested and held for the state authorities. Seven indictments, on charges of illegal sales of liquor as the agent of the United States Supply company of Kansas City, have been returned against him by the district court jury at Mount Ayr.

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No 29, 31, 33, 35 Pearl St.
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TRAFFIC IS AT A STANDSTILL.

Heaviest Snowfall of the Season and Hurricane Drifts It.

Council Bluffs experienced the heaviest fall of snow yesterday of the winter and the storm was said to be the most severe for several years. The wind, which blew as a hurricane all day, drifted the snow and practically put traffic at a standstill. In places the drifts were four feet deep.

The motor company made a heroic effort to keep its lines open and managed fairly well to maintain some sort of a service between Council Bluffs and Omaha. It was hard work, however, as the cars would frequently get stalled or off the track. The sweepers and plows were kept constantly at work, but they failed to keep the tracks clear of the drifting snow. Late in the afternoon the company was handicapped by one of its large sweepers becoming disabled.

The worst point on the line between the city and Omaha was at the Illinois Central crossing on Broadway, where the wind had a full sweep, and there the snow kept piling up. A large force of shovelers was kept at work at that point. The service on the suburban lines was much impaired.

The snow had the effect of almost suspending business in the city, as teams were unable to make any headway against the wind and drifted snow. Only those persons who were compelled to do so ventured on the streets. The electric light company experienced much trouble owing to grounded wires and the linemen were kept busy cutting out circuits all the evening long.

The motor company's sweepers were responsible for several runaway teams on Broadway and Main street during the day, but there was no damage to speak of.

TO INSPECT OMAHA LIGHTING.

City Council Postpones Action on the New Electric Contract.

The city council met yesterday afternoon as a committee of the whole and discussed the relocation of the electric lights under the new contract with the Citizens' Gas and Electric Light company, but nothing definite was decided upon. Owing to the snow storm the aldermen did not make a tour of the city and the discussion was of an informal character.

It was the general opinion of the aldermen present that in the event of the towers being done away with, it would take twelve arc lights to furnish the same amount of illumination as one tower. At present the city has 126 lights, but it was estimated that to furnish the same amount of illumination with the new style lamp without the towers it would take 200 lamps. This would mean an increase in rental of $3,500 per annum. Under the new contract the city will save about $1,800, and this sum would furnish about twenty-six extra lamps.

Several of the aldermen expressed the opinion that the city would be better lighted with the towers, and suggested that an experiment be made with both plans. The aldermen will go to Omaha some night to inspect the lighting system there.

Gravel roofing. A. H. Reed, 541 Broad'y.

REV. WILLIAM J. CALFEE CALLED.

Huron Clergyman Wanted at the Broadway Methodist.

Rev. William J. Calfee of Huron, S. D., has been called to the pastorate of the Broadway Methodist church to succeed Rev. Myron C. Waddell, who is in California for his health.

Reports from Rev. Mr. Waddell make it certain that he will be unable to resume his pastoral duties, and the directors decided to extend a call to Rev. Calfee to fill the pulpit for the remainder of the pastoral year. It is expected that at the meeting of the Des Moines conference in September he will be appointed to the charge here.

Rev. W. J. Calfee is well known in this city, having conducted evangelistic meetings at the Broadway church in which he was assisted by his wife, who is an accomplished mission worker. Rev. Calfee has been filling the pulpit of the church several Sundays since Rev. Mr. Waddell went to California.

Davis sells paint.

Entertain Federal Court Officials.

Postmaster Treynor entertained at lunch yesterday at his residence on First avenue the federal court officials attending the present term of United States court. His guests were: Judge Smith McPherson, Congressman Walter I. Smith, United States Marshal George M. Christian, Chief Deputy Marshal Howard Hedrick, Clerk of the United States Circuit Court E. E. Mason, Clerk of the United States District Court W. C. McArthur, United States Prosecuting Attorney Lewis Miles, National Republican Committeeman Ernest E. Hart and C. M. Harl.

DeLong's stationery department is right.

Real Estate Transfers.

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

Theodore F. Kahler and wife to Heinrich Meiners, n½ ne¼ and n½ sw¼ ne¼ 12-77-44, w d	$ 2,500
J. H. Arnold and wife to S. S. Rush, lots 11 and 12, block 2, Arnold's add to Oakland, w d	140
George Coffelt and wife to Levi A. Larned, sw¼ se¼ 29-76-39, w d	2,000
Ruth M. Spurgeon to Dora Randall, lots 11 and 12, block 2, Arnold's 1st add, Oakland, w d	450
F. J. Day and wife to Glen Deyo, lots 2, 3 and 4, block 18, Ferry add, w d	150
C. A. Machan to Renate Machan, e 22 feet of lots 3 and 5, block 18, Grimes' add, w d	2,800
Leonard Everett to Helene Louise Hoelck and Julius Hoelck, se¼ nw¼ 14-77-42, w d	1,365
Leonard Everett et al, executors, to same, nw¼ 14-77-42, w d	4,200
Henry C. Schedde and wife to John W. Schott, lot 24, block 2, Fairmount add, s w d	225
State Savings bank to Louise Boehning, lot 7, block 16, Grimes' add, w d	650
Charles W. Hart and wife to Sadie L. Ruckle, und½ lot 5, block 30, Avoca, w d	400
Rasmus Frost and wife to M. A. Sorenson et al, part lot 30, Avoca Land and Loan company's subdiv, Avoca, w d	2,500
D. M. Donohoe and wife to Perry Kerney, e½ se¼ 2-74-41, w d	4,400
Henry Kielhorn and wife to A. L. Preston, e½ ne¼ and nw¼ ne¼ 25-76-41 and w½ nw¼ 30-76-40, w d	7,400
Sydnia G. Smith et al to W. P. Roberts, n 5 acres se¼ sw¼ and s 5 acres ne¼ sw¼ 26-74-38, w d	950
United States National bank of Omaha to E. L. Shugart, ne¼ ne¼ 34; part se ¼ se¼ and part ne¼ se¼ 27-75-43, w d	5,000

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Fred Hartje, Roca, Neb.	23
Hannah Braner, Crete, Neb.	21
William H. Ayers, Omaha	40
Katie Tanner, Tughkanick, N. Y.	31

"I want a wheel, but have no money." Is this your fix? You can earn one by doing a little work for The Bee. Read our great offer to boys and girls.

TO IMPROVE SCHOOL FOR DEAF

Superintendent Rothert Wants It to Be State Educational Institution.

TEACHERS TO CONVENE AT GRINNELL

Iowa Official Register Issued—Knights of Pythias Looking for Headquarters—Increase of Insane in State Hospitals.

DES MOINES, March 19.—(Special.)—Superintendent Rothert of the State School for the Deaf at Council Bluffs, who is attending the state meeting of superintendents of state institutions, is in favor of giving the School for the Deaf more distinctly an educational character and to bring it into closer relationship with the other branches of educational work in the state. There has been a movement quite recently to have the educational institutions of the state, such as the State university, the State college and the State Normal schools, under the control of the State Board of Control and this would then permit of a closer alliance of the School for the Deaf with the State university and other schools.

Prof. Rothert is in favor of having the state superintendent of public instruction made a member of the board, so as to recognize the fact that the School for the Deaf is in no sense a charitable or eleemosynary institution, but strictly educational. With the state superintendent having a say in the matter better results might be obtained. The same arguments would apply to the School for the Blind at Vinton, which is a strictly educational institution and not at all an asylum or refuge for blind persons. The fact that the school term at the blind school has been shortened this year owing to a failure on the part of the legislature to properly divide the funds appropriated for its support is causing much complaint throughout the state. When this matter is rectified by the legislature and the attitude of the deaf school, it is believed they will be taken out of the class of charitable and penal institutions.

A state meeting of the superintendents of state institutions was held today. All were present except the superintendent of the blind school and Superintendent Hoyt of the hospital at Clarinda, who is seriously ill.

The Board of Control today reached an agreement with the Cherokee authorities for the vacation of the roads through the hospital grounds and let the contract for platting and parking the grounds.

Teachers' Association at Grinnell.

The program for the seventh annual meeting of the Southeast Iowa Teachers' association will be held in Grinnell April 4-6 next. The president is J. F. Riggs, Sigourney, and the secretary, Miss Etta M. Bardwell, Ottumwa. The chief discussion will be on the question of the relationship between the various branches of the educational work participated in by F. E. Willard, Marshalltown; J. J. McConnell, State university; J. E. Williamson, Fairfield; Sarah Porter, Centerville; C. E. Fleming, Tama, and S. K. Stevenson, Iowa City. Rev. Frank Gunsaulus of Chicago is to give a lecture on "The Next Step in Education," State Superintendent Barrett is to talk on "The Gospel of Progress" and President Beardshear of the Iowa State college is to have for topic "Which Trinity—the Birch-peeler, the Clodhopper and the Naildriver; or the Teacher, the Farmer and the Mechanic?"

Official Register Issued.

The Iowa Official Register, an official publication by the secretary of state, has just been issued. It was delayed this year because of the muddle of the Titus amendment, which prevented compilation of the statistics until a late date. The book contains a fine portrait of ex-Governor Larrabee as a frontispiece. It contains the organic low of the state, the acts of admission, historical matter relating to the state and the constitution; the state, county and district officials; maps and charts; the political platforms and tickets and the official returns of the last election. The Register has come to be recognized as an invaluable publication in Iowa.

Looking for Pythian Headquarters.

It is expected that at the next meeting of the grand lodge of Knights of Pythias, to be held in Cedar Rapids soon, permanent headquarters for the order will be established in Iowa. The consideration of this matter has been before the Pythians in this state for several years and a committee will be appointed by the grand chancellor to make a report. There is complaint that when the sessions of the grand lodge are held in some city on the border of the state the expense for travel is much greater than when a central location is made. The grand lodge is growing rapidly and the matter of expense is important. The committee to be appointed will undoubtedly recommend that the headquarters be permanently established in some central city of the state or that the grand lodge meetings be all held at a central point and not be sent about the state, where the towns will make the best offers of cash. Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Fort Dodge and Waterloo will receive consideration, and the question is likely to be one of the most important discussed at the grand lodge meeting.

Increase of Insane.

The February report of the state institutions shows that there has been an increase of thirty-two in the number of insane patients at the state hospitals, but most of this increase is accounted for by transfers from county hospitals to the state institutions. The board is encouraging such transfers wherever the county authorities are not in a position to give the patients the best treatment. There is a decrease of seven in the number of convicts at the penitentiaries. The increase in the number of inmates of the Soldiers' home at Marshalltown was twenty-four. In the funds for the institutions there was left March 1 a balance of $63,908.32 in the support fund, and $702,638.32 in the special funds.

ARE SHORT ON SIGNATURES

Count of Saloon Men's Petition Reveals Fact That Names Are Wanted.

MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia. March 19.—(Special.)—The saloon advocates have been busy for a few days circulating a petition for saloons. The canvass of the county was completed Saturday and the petition filed with the county auditor that evening.

The total vote of the county at the last election was 6,390, so that it was necessary for the petition to have 4,154 signers in order to comply with the law, 65 per cent being required. Before handing in the petition the saloon men counted the names and according to their count had about 400 more names than needed. A count by the auditor, however, revealed the fact that the petition contained but 4,093 signatures, being 151 short of the required number. So the petition was withdrawn and now it will be necessary to again canvass the entire county.

Engineer's Office Not to Close.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Word was received here from Washington today that the United States engineer's office at this point would not be closed. It had been feared, because of the failure of the river and harbor bill to pass, that the office would be taken from Sioux City.

PERKINS SAYS IT'S NONSENSE

Gossip About His Resignation from the Burlington is for Speculative Purposes.

BURLINGTON, Ia., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Ex-President C. E. Perkins of the Burlington system, was interviewed at his home tonight concerning the report that he had resigned because Harriman had secured sufficient Burlington stock to control and interfere with Perkins' plans for the future of the road. Mr. Perkins said the statement was nonsense, that his resignation was for the reasons given at the time. He was past 60 and thought younger shoulders should take up the burdens of the office. He would still retain the same control he had always exerted. He said Chicago, Burlington & Quincy stock was worth $2 and he did not believe the present owners who held it for investment would part with it for even that price. He thinks the present gossip is all street talk for speculative purposes.

NOT IN A CONFERRING MOOD

Strikers at Cedar Rapids Ignore a Suggestion of the Railroad Managers.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Vice President Williams of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern gave a statement to the Commercial club in answer to the charges of the men and suggesting they send a committee to confer with him with a view of settling differences. The men are now preparing statements, claiming Mr. Williams has not presented the facts as they exist. They show no inclination to send a committee to confer with Mr. Williams and it is probable there will be no settlement before the end of the week.

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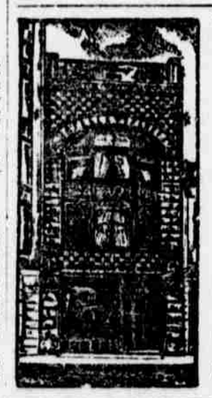

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