

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells lace curtains. Easter sale today, 34 Main street.

HANGS FROM RAFTER

Emanuel Roberts, Wall-to-Do Farmer, Commits Suicide.

SUFFERS FROM NERVOUS PROSTRATION

Illness is Believed to Have Brought on a State of Despondency, Delirium and Weariness of Life.

The body of Samuel Roberts, a well-to-do farmer who has been missing from his home, three and a half miles north of Crescent city, since Saturday, was found yesterday afternoon suspended from a rafter in a small vacant house on his mother's farm adjoining his.

Roberts was 47 years old and leaves a wife and three children. Coroner Treynor was notified of the finding of the body and instructed Justice Pratt of Crescent to hold an inquest, if he deemed it necessary.

Those desiring to register their estimates in the Bee's great dot counting contest must do so before 5 p. m. today. Get your guesses in early. It will close promptly to the minute.

WANT LABEL ON PUBLIC WORK.

Remember the guessing contest now being conducted by The Bee will close today promptly at 5 p. m.

Typographical Union Presents Resolution to Trustees of Library.

At the meeting of the trustees of the public library yesterday afternoon, the resolution was submitted by the local typographical union, it being similar in form to those introduced in the city council, board of education and board of county supervisors.

Resolved.

That in the sense of the trustees of the free public library of Council Bluffs that there is no objection to having the label of the Typographical union placed on the reports and printed matter of the board of trustees intended for general circulation, and that the board of trustees in all future local contracts for binding, printing and printed matter purchased by the board of trustees.

John Selvey, charged with disturbing the peace by refusing to vacate the front porch of Henry Adams residence, discharged in the court yesterday morning.

John Schroeder and G. N. Bowen found the mud so deep on Twelfth avenue between Sixth and Main streets that they were forced to drive over the sidewalk.

Several city officers completed their annual reports yesterday and submitted them at the meeting of the city council last night.

Chief Templeton in his report recommended that a hydrant be placed at Hunter and Washington avenues; that the hose reels be changed to hose wagons; that 1,000 feet of new fire hose and 1,000 feet of new hose for the chemical engine be purchased, also three relief valves.

His report gave the following statistics for the year ending March 31, 1901:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Total number of alarms for year, 92; total loss for year, \$11,216; total amount of insurance involved, \$27,715; total feet of hose laid, 20,000; total number of hours worked, 172; total number of miles traveled, 346.3; total feet of ladders used, 565; total number gallons of chemicals used, 1,055; amount appropriated for use of department, \$16,000; amount of appropriation not used, 11 cents.

John Selvey's Report.

The report of City Clerk Phillips is of more than passing interest, as it shows the revenue derived by the municipality from saloons, licenses, police court fines and other sources. It shows these receipts:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Cash on hand, \$190; cash received from liquor licenses, \$14,225; cash received from seal tickets, \$27,000; cash received from street cleaning, \$1,200; cash received from permits, \$6,500; cash received from dog taxes, \$6,500; cash received from city saloons, \$26,000; cash received from wages, \$21,200; cash received from street cleaning, \$2,400; cash received from state crime, \$5,400; cash received for county treasurer, \$11,500; cash received from naturalizations, \$2,400; cash received from naturalizations, \$2,400.

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Gravel roofing, A. H. Reed, 541 Broadway.

Davis sells glass.

Marriage Licenses.

Table with 3 columns: Name and Residence, Age, and Date. Includes names like Edwin L. Smith, Stanberry, Mo., and George Miller, Omaha.

Woman Asks for Divorce.

Miss Minna Kilanowski filed a petition in the district court yesterday asking to be granted a divorce from John Kilanowski, whom she married in Germany twenty-nine years ago. Nine years ago, so Mrs. Kilanowski states in her petition, her husband deserted her in Germany and came to this country. Seven years she heard nothing from him until 1896 he wrote her that if she would come to America and live with him again he would try to be a model husband. She says she gave him another trial and borrowed enough money to pay her passage to this country. All went well for six months, when her husband, she alleges, began to ill-treat her again, and his continuance to do so prompts her to apply for a divorce.

Her husband, she says, has \$500 in the bank and several head of stock and other farming equipment and she asks that he be restrained from disposing of any until she secures her portion and alimony.

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Quarterly Water Bills.

Pay on or before the 10th and save 5 per cent. Office open Saturday and Wednesday evening until 9 o'clock.

Arrest Results from Disputed Account.

S. S. Green, who owns a paint and paper shop on Main street, was arrested last evening on an assault and battery charge preferred by Harry Robertson, an attorney of Neola, Ia. Robertson had a bill against Green to collect and the latter claiming Neola attorney was unlawfully pressing him for payment. They met last evening at the

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DES MOINES, April 8.—(Special.)—William B. Martin, assistant mail messenger in the Des Moines postoffice, was placed under arrest this morning and held to the United States grand jury on a charge of theft from the mails.

The resolution calling for the grading of the streets and the paving of the sidewalks, was passed. The amended ordinance providing for the grading of the streets and the paving of the sidewalks, was passed.

A communication was read from J. J. Stroudman and P. C. Glass, who appealed to the district court from the assessment made against four lots on Broadway for the paving of the sidewalks.

John Walker notified the council that he had a claim against the city for \$5,000 damages by reason of injuries received by driving into an alleged defective culvert at Twelfth street and Avenue G on March 31.

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Last of Davenport Merchants Signs Agreement Not to Open.

DAVENPORT, Ia., April 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Clerks' union No. 408 and Silberstein Bros., clothiers, tonight signed an agreement by which they will keep their place of business closed on Sundays.

The settlement of the question whether all stores in Davenport shall be kept open on Sunday or not, for this firm was the last to agree to the proposition and the stores would have all been open next Sunday had the agreement not been signed.

The firm had restrained the clerks with a federal injunction, obtained before Judge Smith McPherson, and the National Clerks' union, with \$15,000 at its command, fought the matter and obtained the dissolution. It is believed here that the one agreement means the settlement of the open stores on Sunday in the whole state of Iowa.

WALTHY FARMER IS ARRESTED Charged with Using Mails to Further Sale of Scale-Cheating Device.

DES MOINES, April 8.—(Special Telegram.)—John Muir, a wealthy farmer and stock buyer living near Thornton, Ia., has been placed under bonds to appear at the next term of federal court on a charge of using the mails to defraud. He was arrested by the postoffice inspector as the man who has been sending circular letters to stock buyers in southern states, offering to sell a device for cheating on the scales. The price at which they were offered was \$50. The postoffice inspector tracked the letters back to Clarion, Ia., where Muir was arrested. He waived examination and gave bonds.

Drop in Oil. TOLEDO, O., April 8.—Oil producers in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana were still further discouraged today by a drop of 3 cents in the eastern and 2 cents in the western market. The quotations now are: Tiana, \$1.25; Pennsylvania, \$1.20; North Lima, 80 cents; South Lima, 85 cents; Indiana, 85 cents.

Rockefeller's New Harbor. WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., April 8.—The report that John D. Rockefeller has purchased a large tract of land with a harbor on the shore of Lake Superior at the present time, has been confirmed. The land is situated at the mouth of the Montreal river. The dividing line is between Michigan and Wisconsin at the northern end of those states. The harbor would be about 180 feet deep and would accommodate boats drawing more than eighteen feet of water. The harbor is but twenty miles from the Great Lakes and a railroad survey connecting the harbor and the range has been made.

Where They Live Long. The city of Cedar Falls, with about 5,500 inhabitants according to the last census, seems to be a place where people live to old age. There are ninety-nine persons living in the city who are over 70 years old and a number who are past 90 years. Nearly all are old residents of the city. The fact is being made use of to show the healthfulness of the city.

Work at Hospital for Insane. H. P. Liebke, architect, and J. P. Leuder, superintendent of construction for the new hospital for the insane, left for Chicago this afternoon, where they will look

Major Jennings Announces Choice of Office. Major Jennings yesterday named the following to serve on the reception committee on the day of Minister Conzer's arrival in this city:

John N. Baldwin, Jacob Sims, Spencer Smith, H. V. Richter, J. S. Day, G. Saunders, J. B. Reed, George E. Wright, W. W. Loomis, Lucius Wells, C. W. McDonald, W. I. Smith, E. F. Test, John Beresheim, C. R. Hamman, John Schoentgen, William Moore, John T. Stewart, Jr., N. M. Pusey, E. A. Alsworth, John G. Woodruff, Finley Burke, M. F. Rohrer, Dr. D. Maerz, O. E. Bewick, C. S. Willets, C. B. Altchison, I. M. Treynor, J. J. Steadman, George Carson, Robert Dailley, D. C. Smith, J. H. Leaver, H. A. Seale, Leonard Everett, Rev. George Edward Walsh, Rev. Patrick Smythe, Rev. J. W. Wilson, H. H. Van Brunt, W. J. Davenport, J. C. Mitchell, William Arnd, F. L. Reed, B. M. Sargent, W. A. Maurer, A. T. Flickinger, H. B. Jennings, A. P. Hanrott, N. P. Dodge, J. M. Barstow, E. E. Hart, George A. Koop, Theodore Quistner, H. W. Tilton, J. P. Wilcox, P. C. DeVol, F. Bradley, D. J. Clark, J. P. Davis, N. C. Phillips, E. T. Trace, James McCabe, L. C. Besley, Lewis Hamner, Thomas Metcalf, E. H. Loughe and A. S. Hazelton.

On Women's Committee. These women have been selected by Mrs. John N. Baldwin to act on the committee which will entertain Mrs. Conzer and the women of the party: Mrs. John N. Baldwin, chairman; Mrs. Victor Jennings, Mrs. R. E. Montgomery, Mrs. G. E. Smith, Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Mrs. Horace Everett, Mrs. N. P. Dodge, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. Jacob Sims, Mrs. J. B. Reed, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. A. P. Hanchett, Mrs. H. W. Tilton, Mrs. Smith McPherson, Mrs. Joel L. Stewart, Mrs. E. E. Hart, Mrs. Charles T. Stewart, Mrs. Donald Maerz, Jr., Mrs. J. M. Treynor, Dr. Mary L. Tinker, Mrs. H. H. Van Brunt, Mrs. George E. Walk, Mrs. M. F. Rohrer, Mrs. E. A. Aylesworth, Mrs. James McCabe, Mrs. D. B. Dailley, Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. W. A. Maurer, Mrs. F. W. Deane, Mrs. W. S. Dimmock, Mrs. E. F. Test, Mrs. H. W. Rothert, Mrs. D. W. Bushnell, Miss Carolina L. Dodge, Miss Mary Key, Miss Nellie Moore, Miss Parnassia, Miss Schoentgen and Miss Sims.

Buy your tires, shoes and robes of Menard's, 622 East Broadway, Council Bluffs. Telephones, office, 494; residence, 445.

Rubber stamps at DeLong's, 307 B'way.

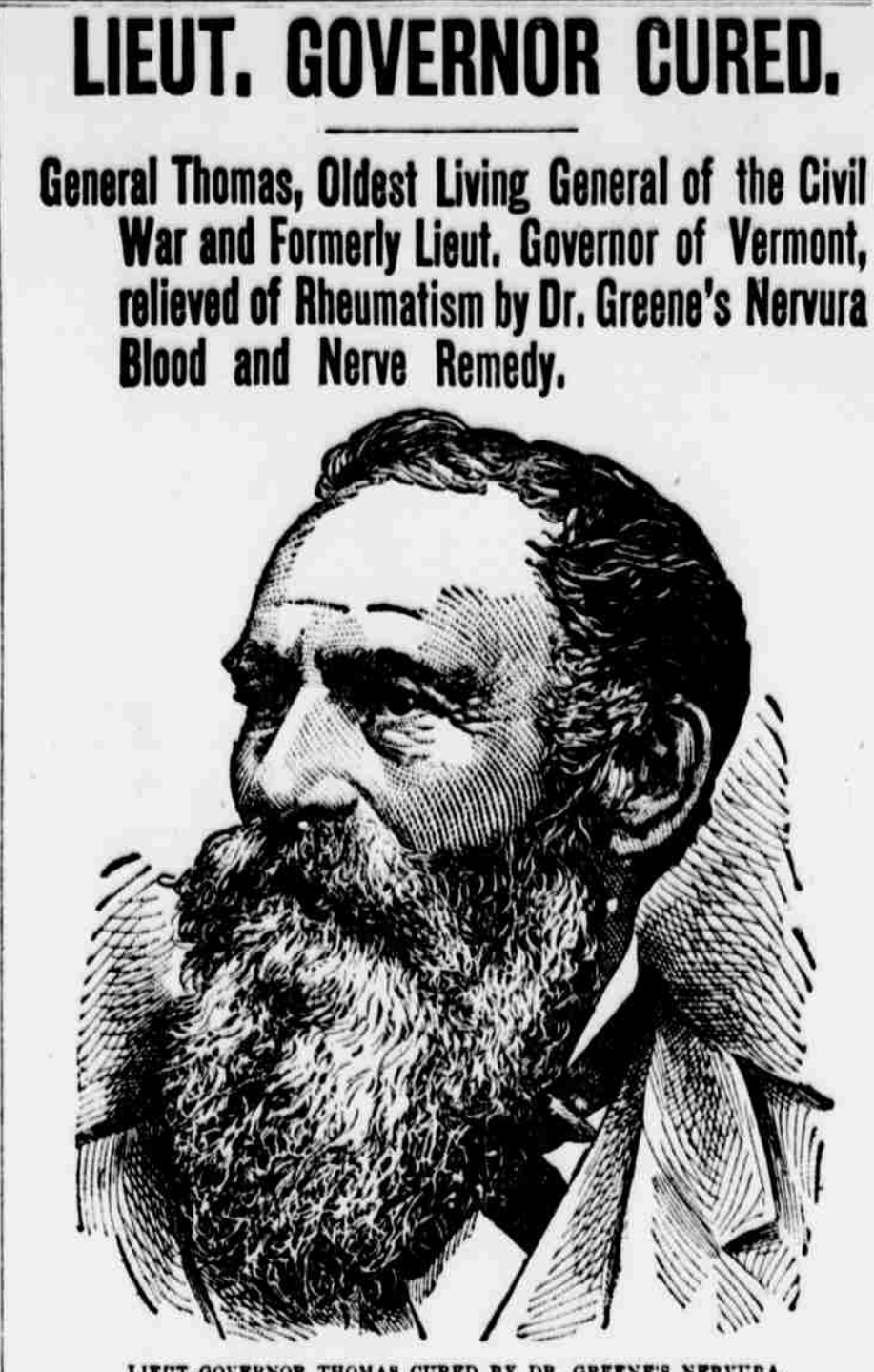
Strikers' Conference Falls. An effort to effect a settlement between the striking plumbers and their employers and to this the bosses refused to accede. The conference failed of its purpose and the plumbers will remain out. The bosses say they will fill the places of the strikers with nonunion men.

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Indicted on Wife's Complaint. That an indictment against C. J. Graham on charges prepared by his wife has been returned by the grand jury was made public yesterday. The bond had been fixed at \$1,000 by the court.

LEUT. GOVERNOR CURED.

General Thomas, Oldest Living General of the Civil War and Formerly Lieut. Governor of Vermont, relieved of Rheumatism by Dr. Greene's Nervura Blood and Nerve Remedy.



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NO APPETITE? CONSTIPATED? Try Mull's Grape Tonic—The crushed fruit laxative. The New Wonder for bad health. Druggists 50c.

"A TRAINING IN CLEANLINESS IS A FORTUNE." COMPLETE YOUR EDUCATION WITH SAPOLIO

JOHN BENO & CO. COUNCIL BLUFFS. OUR CARPET FACILITIES. In planning our Carpet Department we paid particular attention to equipping same with the latest improved machines for making and sewing Carpets and Rugs.

Entertaining To Most Women. "Man wants but little here below!" Said a morbid post long years ago. I'm prone to doubt that ancient sage when I look at The Bee's great "Want Ad" page.

What To Eat, Herald Building, Chicago. Our 25c Offer. For 25c we will send you a three month trial subscription to "What To Eat" and will mail to your address, postage prepaid, our little book, "Six Dinners," telling how to cook and serve six dinners and luncheons, and in addition will extend to you the privileges of our Household Club, enabling you to enjoy the advantages of calling upon our household experts for any information you may desire upon subjects pertaining to entertaining.

PIMPLES. eruptions, blackheads, enlarged pores, red nose, red, rough hands, and all affections of the skin and scalp are speedily and permanently cured at your home. Full information with leaflet FREE. DERMATOLOGIST WOODBURY, 763 State St., Cor. Tenth St., Chicago.

Every Woman. I am interested and should know MARVEL WHIRLING SPRAY. The new Vaginal Spray, for the treatment of all gynecological ailments. It is a most valuable remedy. BOTTLES 25c. BROWN & CO. NEW YORK.

WHITE CURSE. CURSE OF DRINK. RIFAN'S TABLETS is an effective cure for the ill which originates in a bad stomach. 10 for 50c. At all druggists.

Advertisement for SARGENT'S shoes and FARM LOANS. SARGENT'S Look for the Bear. FARM LOANS Negotiated in Eastern Nebraska. LEWIS CUTLER Funeral Director.

Advertisement for MUYNON'S WITCH-HAZEL SOAP. MUYNON'S WITCH-HAZEL SOAP MAKES THE SKIN SOFT AS VELVET TO THE PUBLIC. In presenting my Witch Hazel Soap for your consideration, I am positive that I am offering the PUREST and BEST TOILET SOAP EVER MADE.

Advertisement for MUYNON'S HOMEOPATHIC HOME REMEDY CO. MUYNON'S HOMEOPATHIC HOME REMEDY CO. New York Philadelphia.