

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Devils sells drugs. Brockert sells lace curtains. Miss A. E. Lee, Neumayer's hotel. Victor Heaters, Rixby & Sons, agents. Wolman, scientific optician, 49 B way. Schmidt's fine photos guaranteed to please. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Merriam are visiting friends in Chicago.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

Friends of Dr. Hunt Present This as His Excuse.

HUNGER AND WANT CAUSE OF CRIME

Even Had Fire Been Successful No Insurance Would Have Been Paid, as Policy Expired a Month Ago, Unknown to Hunt.

No information was filed yesterday against Dr. C. H. Hunt and wife, charged with arson, but it is understood that one will be filed today by the proper authorities. It is said that an effort will be made to secure their release on bail today.

WEBSTER COUNTY LAND CASE

Final Decision is Reached in Contentious Laying Fifty Years.

INSPECTION OF STATE INSTITUTIONS

SLASHES HIS WIFE'S THROAT

Oswego Man Uses Razor with Fatal Results While in Drunken Condition.

FIND BODY OF MISSING MAN

George McMahon, a Farmer Near Fort Dodge, Thought to Have Been Murdered.

KANSAS MAY FILE THE SUIT

Can Proceed Against Colorado to Prevent Deviation of Arkansas River's Course.

MINISTER FOR PANORA

RICHMOND, Ind., May 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. R. H. Forester has accepted a call from the Panora (Ia.) Methodist church.

Wanted girl for general housework Mrs. Guy C. Shepard, 14 Glen avenue. Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. Phone 327. Use Hall's Magic Compound. Best dandruff cure and hair preserver known. Palm Grove and hair preserver known. The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education is held at this evening.

Special attention given to wedding presents. C. E. Alexander & Co., 223 B way. Grand hotel cafe and restaurant. Very best service a la carte. A. Metzger & Co. The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education is held at this evening.

Jewel court No. 2, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening in the hall, 66 Broadway. Colonel Olmstead has notified Captain M. W. that he for major home will inspect Company I, May 25.

Mrs. Mary Allen and nephew, Allen Westerfield, will arrive in a month's visit with relatives at Wyoming, Ill. A. C. Caillier and Mrs. Minnie Davis, both of Omaha, were married in this city yesterday. Justice Ferrer officiating.

Take home a brick of vanilla cream, 25 cents, or Neapolitan dome, 8 when it one hour without ice. A. Metzger & Co. The marriage of Charles M. Gould and Miss Mamie Madden was celebrated this morning at St. Francis Xavier's church. The Implement Dealers' club of Council Bluffs and Omaha will meet this evening and meeting last evening at the Grand hotel.

Andrew Hansen took over a building permit yesterday for the erection of an addition to his house at 1904 South Eighth street. The suit of the Walter A. Wood Machine company against B. E. Pillsbury has been assigned for trial to a jury in the superior court today.

Dr. R. O. Williams left yesterday for Clear Lake to attend the annual State Dental association. He is on the program for a paper. Joseph Ferguson, superior court reporter, is in Red Oak, waiting for Judge Wheeler. Reporter Brantington having been called away on business, he was unable to attend the regular meeting of Concordia lodge No. 32, Knights of Pythias, which is this evening in the first and second degrees.

Clark Reed of the district court received yesterday from Governor Shaw the pardon for John Noonan, sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for breaking into Bradley & Co.'s office, during the fire in the Shadokim temple No. 84, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, is arranging to hold a "ceremonial" June 8, when it is expected a large class of tyros will be initiated into the mysteries of the order. The case against William E. Nelson, charged with assault and battery on Lars Nelson, was taken on a change of venue yesterday from Justice Bryant's court to that of Justice Ferrer, where it will be heard today.

A cooking man between Iowa and Nebraska birds, held Sunday evening, about six miles east of this city, resulted in a victory for the Iowa side. The Iowa birds were downed in five out of the six pitting. R. W. Seagars, a carpenter, living at 1804 South Eleventh street, complained to the police yesterday that he had been burgled in a house in course of erection at 209 South Ninth street, between Saturday night and yesterday morning.

Kimball Bros. & Co. have elected three officers: President, Charles E. Kimball, vice president and manager, William C. Inerney, secretary and treasurer, W. H. Kimball, director, J. W. Kimball, C. J. Kimball, C. J. Powell, H. McInerney and J. B. Garney. The choir of St. Paul's Episcopal church will give a special musical service Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The choir will be assisted by Prof. Stockberg, violinist; Joseph Barton, baritone, of Omaha; Dudley Buck's cantata, "Christ the Victor."

The case against Leigh L. Wilson, charged with embezzling funds belonging to the Chicago Picture company, was continued in Justice Bryant's court yesterday until today. Relatives of the young man have come to his assistance and it is expected the case will be settled out of court. William DeLase and M. Kohl, two of the three Mills county young farmers arrested Sunday evening for robbing a train on South Main street, were required to make a joint donation of \$3.10, the costs in the case, to the city treasury yesterday by Police Judge Aylesworth. The charge as to C. Swickler, dismissed yesterday.

Rev. George E. Walk and the other delegates to the diocesan convention of the Episcopal church of Iowa left yesterday for Des Moines. Mesdames T. J. Foley and L. H. Greer of St. Paul's church and Mesdames G. H. Jackson and M. Maynard of Grace church left to attend the meeting of the woman's auxiliary to be held in Des Moines at the same time. The Union Pacific nine defeated the Duck Hollow team in a hotly contested game of ball at the Driving park Sunday afternoon by a score of 9 to 8. The battery work of Northlamb and the Union Pacific defeating the Union Pacific's saved the game in the seventh inning. The batteries were: Union Pacific, Nesham and Devin; Duck Hollow, Brown and Smith.

John Ryan, charged with drawing a revolver on Robert W. Smith, a Northrup brakeman, was arraigned in police court yesterday morning. He not only denied not guilty, but admitted ever having had a revolver. He also entered a general denial to the charge of drawing a revolver during the peace. The hearing was continued to Wednesday for the attendance of witnesses. C. D. White and Harry Glynn, the two deaf and dumb men arrested Saturday for vagrancy, were given a hearing yesterday morning in police court in which to get out of the city. Glynn started for Omaha, but becoming hungry on the way, called at a house for his dinner. It happened to be the residence of Justice Bryant, who happened to be at home. He gave the fellow a good square meal and the price of his cartage across the river.

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Refugees" who fled to New Orleans, where he made his home for two years. He lived in Council Bluffs for several years and removed about eight years ago to Illinois.

SCHOOL DRAINAGE UNNECESSARY. Paving of East Broadway Not Such a Difficult Matter.

At the meeting of the city council last night City Engineer Elyre submitted a report in which he stated that an examination of the subsoil of East Broadway between First and Union streets showed that a system of subsoil drainage would be necessary before that thoroughfare could be paved in order to prevent the paving and curbing setting. He recommends that a four-inch tile drain be laid three and one-half feet deep about half way between the south curb and the motor track, the drain to connect with the sewer and the excavation to be replaced with broken stone. He suggested further that as a great deal of curbing will have to be reset and as Broadway beyond Frank street is but little more than half width, that the city consider the advisability of narrowing the roadway about four feet on each side. The report was referred to the committee of the whole which will meet Wednesday afternoon and go over the ground.

The contract for the curbing on several streets and avenues so ordered improved in a recent resolution was awarded to Nelson & Olsen on their bid of 25 cents cash and 26 1/2 cents certificates, per lineal foot for artificial stone. The only other bid was from C. W. Walters of Chicago, which was 45 cents per lineal foot for Berea sandstone.

The contract for the grading on Avenues G and H was awarded to Williams Bros., on their bid of 16 cents cash and 19 cents certificates. A previous bid of 14 cents cash and 19 cents certificates had been rejected by the council as being too high.

The contract for supplying the city departments with ice was awarded to J. P. Mulholland at 25 cents. The bids for supplying the city with lumber were referred to the city engineer for tabulation. The bidders are: A. Overton and C. Hafer. The contract for supplying the city with brick was awarded to L. C. Bealey, although one of the aldermen stated that the city had enough brick on hand to last it for at least five years.

The invitation from Abe Lincoln Post, Grand Army of the Republic, to the city council and city officials to take part in the exercises on Memorial day, was accepted.

A complaint from Peter Tholl that the Minneapolis Threshing Machine company was violating the city ordinance by hauling heavy traction engines with cogged wheels over public streets was referred to the committee of the whole.

A numerous signed petition asking that Twenty-eighth street be opened from Broadway to Ninth avenue and that all barbwire fences be ordered removed from the street between Broadway and Twenty-eighth, was referred to the committee of the whole.

Deaths. Davis sells glass.

VETERAN LEGION TO CELEBRATE. Will Have Memorial Services Next Sunday Evening.

The Union Veteran Legion will hold its Memorial day services next Sunday evening at the First Christian church. The pastor, W. B. Crowson, and Congressman Smith will deliver addresses. A special musical program is being arranged for the occasion. The members of the Grand Army of the Republic and Woman's Relief corps will hold their memorial services the same evening at St. Francis church, the Catholic church. The Dodge Light Guards and the Catholic Knights of St. Peter have been invited to participate in the service. An address will be delivered by Rev. Father Smith and a special program of music will be rendered by the choir. The hall will be decorated suitable to the patriotic occasion under the direction of Charles Lunkey. These will act as ushers: John T. Mulqueen, Charles McCauley, Eugene Sullivan, John Thayer, George Scham, George Sullivan, John Gray, Will Cornelius. They compose the committee on arrangements: Hubert Tinley, John T. Mulqueen, Thomas Maloney, J. P. Mulqueen and Charles Lunkey.

Gravel roofing A. H. Reed, 641 Broadway.

CLAIMS PARENTS WERE CARELESS. Motor Company Disclaims Responsibility for Death of Child.

District court was reconvened yesterday by Judge Thornell in place of Judge Wheeler, the latter remaining to complete the term at Red Oak.

A jury was impaneled and the trial of the suit of Herbert L. Tinley, administrator of the estate of Leo Stein, against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company was begun. Leo Stein, 23-year-old son of Jacob Stein, a Broadway job dealer, was killed by a motor car on Broadway last August. Tinley as administrator seeks to recover \$5,000 for the child's death.

The motor company's defense is that the death of the child was due to negligence of the parents in not keeping it off the streets. The child, it is alleged, was in the habit of running across the street in front of passing motors, and it is claimed that on several occasions the company had notified the parents to keep the boy off the street.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following: Name and Residence. Age. George Stillwell, Omaha, 26; Katie Brand, Omaha, 24; A. C. Caillier, Omaha, 24; Mrs. Minnie Davis, Omaha, 24; Charles Mitchell Gould, Council Bluffs, 24; Mrs. Gertrude Allen, Council Bluffs, 21; Stella McKown, Omaha, 21.

Davis sells paint.

STUART BOY IS DROWNED. Goes Swimming in Walled-Up Pond Sunday Afternoon and Sinks.

STUART, Ia., May 20.—(Special.)—Charles Lee, aged 13 years, was drowned in the East pond Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. This pond furnishes water for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad, and only one place in it is considered dangerous and was walled up, but the boy got inside this and in trying to swim sank and did not rise. The body was recovered after three hours. His mother is dead and his father is in the northern part of the state and cannot be found for over a week, as he went overland on a collecting trip.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK. Was Perfectly Bald When He Started to Use Newbro's Herpicide.

Frederick Manuel, 44-year-old, of Butte, Montana, bought a bottle of Newbro's Herpicide, April 6, 1899, and began to use it for entire baldness. In 20 days, he says, he had hair all over his head, and on July 2 he writes, "and today my hair is as thick and luxuriant as any one could wish. Newbro's Herpicide works on an old principle and with a new discovery—destroys the cause and you remove the effect. Herpicide destroys the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, and with the cause gone the effect cannot remain. Stops falling hair at once and starts the new growth in a week."

owned by Horace G. Chase of Chicago has been sold to E. R. Kipp of Evanston, Ill. for \$20,400. There are 1.14 acres, making the land bring \$35 an acre. S. B. Martin will continue to act as manager.

CRESTON, Ia., May 20.—(Special Telegram.)—About 3 o'clock Sunday morning "Dutch" Lowe of Osceola went home in an intoxicated condition, broke into the house through a window and attacked his wife with a razor. The woman resisted and her screams brought a young man named Metcalf to her assistance. Lowe forced Metcalf to flee. Mrs. Lowe has five ugly gashes across her throat and is fatally injured. Lowe then attempted to cut his own throat but failed. When officers reached the house Lowe was lying on the floor with a child across each arm. He is now in jail. His injury is not serious. The trouble was due to divorce proceedings instituted by Mrs. Lowe.

FORT DODGE, Ia., May 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The body of George McMahon, a farmer who disappeared over a month ago, was found early this morning floating in a slough four miles west of this city. The body was identified by papers in the clothing. Theories of murder are advanced and an inquest will be held this morning.

Other cases decided: C. M. Spencer, appellant, against G. T. Burns, Polk county; Justice: notice, affirmed.

Pardon against the Iowa Mutual Insurance company, appellant; Butler county; Justice Kelley; action on insurance policy; affirmed.

William T. Johnson against City of Sioux City, appellant; Woodbury county; Justice: affirmed.

Western Road company, Chicago & North-Western Road company, appellants; A. D. Hannagan, appellee; Marshall county; Justice: affirmed for forcible entry and detainer; affirmed.

Annual Inspection. The State Board of Control started out today on the tour of annual inspection of Twenty-seventy-two counties to Marshalltown, Independence and Eldora first.

The Lincoln Co-operative Creamery company of Winnebago county has filed articles of incorporation; capital, \$2,500; president, August Swanson.

Clayton county has incorporated with \$10,000 capital by A. Schmidt and others.

The competitive drill of the companies of the State University battalion will be held May 27, the judges to be Colonel Olin, Major Fume and Colonel Hule. The drill at the State Normal school will occur two days later, with Colonel Olmstead, Major Hume and General Lincoln as judges.

Large Suits for Taxes. The operations of tax farmers in Clinton county has resulted in suits commenced for large sums of back taxes unpaid. G. A. Russell of Clinton has been sued in South for \$18,775. He claims as due on property his firm assessed in other years. A. E. Clark of DeWitt has been sued for \$5,399.34, and other similar large suits are in preparation. It is said that the county will claim nearly \$100,000 in back taxes, and all will wait on the decision of the supreme court in the cases already submitted.

Cigarmakers on Strike. The cigarmakers in three of the leading cigar factories of Des Moines failed to go to work this morning. Messrs. Younger, Klumb & Cohen, cigar manufacturers, refused to sign a new scale of wages demanded by the workmen. About a dozen other manufacturers signed the scale at a week and their men are at work. The employees of the factories which are idle number forty-five. The new scale calls for an advance of \$1 per thousand in the price for making cigars, and three makers affirm they claim they are not able to pay the advance.

Board of Examiners. The State Board of Health and Board of Medical Examiners is in session for its quarterly meeting. The most important matter to come before the board at this time relates to the late reports on the epidemic of meningitis in Iowa.

The board is likely also to act on the case of two medical students who have brought suit to compel the board to give them examination, even though the colleges from which they hold diplomas are not regularly accredited in the state and have no standing with the board. The suit is set for hearing day after tomorrow, so that it is necessary that some action be taken to avoid costs in court. The board will make examination of the papers of the 117 students of medical colleges who have recently been examined for certificates.

Minister Corner Home. Minister Corner returned home today and is with his family. He states that he has taken no part in recent politics in this state and has not advised his friends as to their course. It was reported a few days ago that he had been writing letters urging certain action, but he has been busy with official business in the east and has done nothing. He will remain here but a few days and make another trip east.

Panora Convict Paroled. William Harris, who was sentenced by Judge Holmes in 1896 to serve twenty-five years in the penitentiary for the murder of Governor Shaw after serving one-fourth of his term. The governor's parole was granted on the recommendation of Judge Holmes, who heard the case, and James A. Howe, the county attorney who prosecuted Harris. The parole is conditional on the absolute abstinence of Harris and his complete abstinence from all intoxicants which were the direct cause of the murder which resulted in Frank's loss of life and Harris' loss of liberty.

Frank murdered in still distinctly in memory. Harris was still in the penitentiary in September of 1894, during the state fair, at Sixth and Walnut streets, in broad daylight, at one of the busiest corners of the city. Frank was stabbed by Harris and fell dead in the center of the street as he was dragging himself toward Dr. Rood's office for medical assistance.

William Harris came to Des Moines from Panora, Guthrie county, where his relatives still reside. He was an expert carriage painter and in 1894 was employed by the Pitt Carriage company, working at painting fancy buggies. He was a good workman, but love for liquor mastered him.

Monona County Ranch Sold. ONAWA, Ia., May 20.—(Special.)—The ranch in Sherman township which was

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