

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Williams makes H photos for \$2.

DEATHS.

Fred Robinson, Lineman for Electric Company, Killed by Fall.

CAME IN CONTACT WITH THE CURRENT

While Working at Top of a Pole He Comes in Contact with Live Wire and is Thrown Thirty-Five Feet.

Fred Robinson, a lineman in the employ of the Citizens Gas and Electric company met death Friday morning while working on a pole at Tenth avenue and Sixth street.

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HEAD STRIKES IRON GRATING

He struck his head on the iron grating over the sewer opening at the curb. Although unconscious he was taken to the hospital.

RECEPTION FOR F. J. McMillan.

HASTINGS, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—T. J. McMillan, who has been the Burlington agent at Hastings for the last nine years, will be transferred to Clarinda, Ia., next week.

CHANGES IN BURLINGTON'S MAIN LINE.

HASTINGS, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Mr. Perkins is authority for the statement that the new line between Red Oak and Pacific Junction will run through Hastings.

DEADLOCK IN REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

SIBLEY, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—The Ocala, Dickinson and Emmet republican representative convention adjourned at Spirit Lake to meet at Sibley, August 14.

DEAD BODY FOUND NEAR THE RIVER.

PACIFIC JUNCTION, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Word has just been received that a young man named Hafke found a dead body on a pile of rubbish near the bank of the river near the town of Spirit Lake.

PAINTER SUES FOR DIVORCE.

ONAWA, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Richard Palmer, ex-banker of Ottumwa, has filed a petition for divorce against his wife, Nora, in the Monona county district court.

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ORGANS at \$55, \$50 and Lower PIANOS at \$175, \$200, \$225 and higher at Bouricius' Music House 335 Broadway, Council Bluffs, where the Organ stands upon the building.

What do you think of this? SOAP IS A BAR.

WELL—Such a rush and jam of people at our great soap sale this last week. Hundreds were unable to get near our soap counter to take advantage of this sale.

Meat Department. 3-pound salt Lard 30c Salt Pork 30c

Grocery Bargains. 30c Good Cider Vinegar per gallon 10c 35c Quaker Oats, per package 8c

Cleanliness is Insured by the use of sanitary open plumbing as installed by us, as there is nothing to retain dirt and foul odors.

Summer Comfort can only be secured when you send your Summer clothes to a first class laundry.

BLUFFS CITY LAUNDRY 22-24 North Main St. Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Best Crepe Paper 10 Cents a Roll—Tissue paper, dozen sheets 5c Paper napkins, per 100 15c

HANNA TAKES NO PART IN IT Is Anxious for Settlement of Strike, but is Not Interfering—Cullom Quits Canton.

LETTER TO THE WABASH MEN Grievance Committee's Statement from Ramsey is Posted for Men at the Shops.

Northwestern's Oil Tests. LA CROSSE, Wis., Aug. 3.—The Chicago & Northwestern railway is trying the use of a dirt preventative and if successful will adopt it on the entire system.

Manitoba Wheat Yield. WINNIPEG, Aug. 3.—Hugh McKellar, minister of agriculture, estimates the yield of wheat in Manitoba and the Northwest Territory for this year at from 55,000,000 to 60,000,000 bushels.

Deserts His Wife in Death. The body of Mrs. Julia Sudling, who died at Mercy hospital a week ago Thursday, was sent to Webster county, Iowa, this morning for burial.

Former Senator Smith. BELGIN, Neb., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Hon. J. F. Smith, ex-senator from Antelope county, died at 5 o'clock this morning, after an illness of six months.

Immense Loss for Hammond. CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Hammond, Ind., was threatened with destruction today by a fire that consumed three large manufacturing plants and caused a loss of over \$100,000.

Dr. F. T. Seybert has been sworn in as a medical member of the insanity board during the absence of Dr. Barstow from the city.

DAVIS SELLS PANTS. Taken to Insane Asylum. Mrs. Frederica Voss of Avoca was taken to the State Insane Asylum at Clarinda yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Baker.

WOODWARD'S Ganymede Chocolates and Opera Bon Bons Made by John G. Woodward & Co. Council Bluffs, Iowa.

IOWA STEAM DYE WORKS 304 Broadway. Make your old clothes look like new. Cleaning, Dyeing and Repairing.

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