

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTIONS.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Wollman, scientific optician, 409 F.W. way.

REPUBLICANS IN CAUCUS

Decisions on Councilmanic Appointments Are Reached.

TEMPLETON STAYS AS FIRE CHIEF

Phillips to Be Retained as City Clerk - Taylor to Succeed Avery as Street Commissioner.

The six republican members of the city council, it is understood, held a caucus yesterday and decided upon the appointments to be made by the city council Monday night.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

While the appointment of the several standing committees rests with the mayor, it is understood Alderman Lougee is slated for the chairmanship of the committee on streets and alleys, and that Alderman Lovett will have the chairmanship of the committee on fire and light.

APPOINTMENTS ON POLICE.

The appointments on the police force are made by the mayor, subject to the approval of the city council. Mayor Moran stated yesterday that he had no announcements to make yet and probably would not until the meeting of the city council Monday night.

AGAIN CONDEMNAS CITY JAIL.

For the second time this year the district court grand jury has condemned the condition of the city jail. The grand jury yesterday visited both the county and city jails. It found the city jail "in a very uncleanly condition and that the same ought to be cleaned thoroughly if it is to be used as a place to imprison or detain persons."

GRAVEL ROYALS. A. H. Reid, 641 Broadway.

In the superior court, in the suit of Dr. S. B. Tobey of Oakland against Fottawatamie County, to recover \$400 for services in caring for smallpox patients in the east end of the county, Judge Aylesworth yesterday handed down his decision overruling the demurrer of the county. Dr. Tobey's bill against the county was originally \$1,200, but the county board allowed him \$500 and refused to pay him the balance.

PLUMBING AND HEATING. Bixby & Son.

Right Rev. Henry Cosgrove, bishop of the Davenport diocese of the Catholic church, accompanied by Rev. Father Flavin, was in Council Bluffs Thursday and inspected St. Bernard's hospital and the Mercy hospital now nearing completion and the St. Mary's Home for Young Women recently established by the Sisters of Mercy.

RECEPTION TO DR. GAILLAUDET.

Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, president of Gallaudet college, the national college for the deaf and dumb at Washington, D. C., and son of Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, founder of deaf mute education in this country, was the guest of Superintendent Rother at the Iowa School for the Deaf last night.

BENEFITS STATE EDUCATION

House Adopts Bills Giving Millage Tax for Three Years.

SENATE SHUTS OUT FAKE CONCERNS

Wesley Elkins Gets His Parole - Action Postponed on Second Moleberry Bill - Other Legislation.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, April 5.—(Special.)—The house this morning took up one of the most important matters which has yet come before the legislature and disposed of it.

SIX MORE INDICTMENTS.

The district court grand jury completed its deliberations yesterday afternoon, and adjourned after returning six more indictments. They were against Daniel Carrigan, on a charge of gambling; William Limeberger, Charles Stephan, John Shaffer and W. C. Ross, charged with keeping a gambling house; and Emil Schurz, charged with the embezzlement of \$22,000 of funds of the local office of Eagles. All of the defendants furnished bonds in the sum of \$500 each.

STUPENDOUS PLAN OF THE NEW WATER WORKS FOR BOSTON.

An article in the Municipal Journal and Enquirer on the subject of water works improvements, discusses one of the greatest problems confronting large cities and describes the work now under way in Boston and Philadelphia in the construction of filtration plants and storage reservoirs.

THE IMPROVEMENT OF GREATEST MAGNITUDE IN BOSTON.

The improvement of greatest magnitude in Boston, whose system has been put under way by great expense and with the accompanying of various obstacles, for instance, the construction of a new system necessitated the removal of an entire village, including six large mills, eight school houses, four churches, 360 dwelling houses, a large cemetery and many trees.

SHUTTING OUT THE FAKES.

The senate this morning passed a bill which was prepared by the attorney general, having for its purpose the crowding out of the state of Connecticut by the state of Massachusetts in the construction of a business similar to building and loan associations, but dealing in diamonds and offering lots as prizes, etc.

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