COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Wollman, scientific optician, 409 B'way. Leffert, eyesight specialist, 228 Broadway. Take home a brick of Metager's ice cream. Vanila, 25c; Neopolitan, 35c. Picture framing a specialty. C. E. Alex-ander & Co., 333 Broadway. Tel. 366. Dr. J. M. Baratow left last evening for Des Moines.

Mrs. J. Ross left Monday evening on special visit to friends in Seattle, Wash. Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Seybert returned yes-terday from a visit with friends in Chi-The University club will meet this after-tion with Mrs. Mark Williams on Madison

J. M. Flagler left last evening for a hree weeks trip through, Oregon, Idaho

George S. Wright returned yesterday rom Davenport, ia., where he went on igal business.

Orpheus club concert of popular music at the Broadway Methodist church Thursday evening, May 23. Admission, 25c. There will be a special meeting of Shad-ukiam temple, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, Saturday evening in St. Alban's

The Lost, Rebekah pendant and pin. The name of the owner, Harriet Stevenson, is engraved on back of pin. Return to Bee office and get reward.

Raiph Robertson has been elected editor-In-chief of the High School Echoes. Rob-ert L. Sprague business manager and Miss Margaret Wright, local editor.

-Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Perrine of Chicago are guests of Mrs. Perrine's sister, Mrs. A. B. Peyton of First avenue, enroute to Colorado, where they will spend the sum-mer.

Strayed, from the pasture of Samuel Avery, corner Franklin street and Bennett avenue, one 4-week-old Jersey calf, solid color. A suitable reward for return of same. Zeph Hughes, a familiar character at

police headquarters, was arrested yester-day on complaint of his wife, who charged him with threatening to kill her. He will have a hearing in police court this morn-Frank Karns, charged with forcibly tak-ing a horse away from Poundmaster Burke, which the latter has found estray on the public thoroughtare, was fined \$10

and costs in police court yesterday. He The state commander will be present tonight at the review of the local tent of Maccabees, also delegations from manburg, Ia., and Omaha. The business meeting will be followed by a social session, at which refreshments will be served. State Deputy Henry of Des Moines will be present at the meeting of the Elks tomorrow night. This will be the last weekly session for the summer months.

Twelve candidates will be initiated and the meeting will be followed by a banquet.

The readjustment of rates will be dis-cussed by Colonel C. G. Saunders at the meeting of Hazel camp, Modern Woodmen of America, Thursday evening in Wood-man hall in the Merriam block. The meet-ing will be open to all members of the order.

Basil Kelley, the farmer from Hardin township, committed to St. Bernard's hospital by the commissioners on insanity last Saturday died yesterday. He was 63 years of age and single. The funeral will be held this afternoon from the family home in Hardin township.

The case against Mrs. Knottes, charged by Mrs. Lou Disaver of Albright, Neb., with the larceny of her pocketbook containing \$1, was dismissed yesterday in fustice Bryant's court by Assistant County Attorney Kimball, there being no evidence to substantiate the charge.

City Electrician Bradley has been empowered by the city council to make the pecessary repairs on the fire and police alarm systems. This will necessitate the employment of three men for six weeks. Only part of the repairs and improvements planned will be carried out at this time. J. A. Bredy, the smallpox patient taken from his home at 1422 Avenue F to the isolation hospital Monday afternoon, died during the night. He was 70 years of age and was in a serious condition when moved. Brady lived in a shack and his moved. Brady lived in a shack and his wife was unable to give him proper care. He will be buried by the county.

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The United States Civil Service commission announces that an examination for the positions of clerk and carrier in the positions of clerk and carrier in the positions of clerk and carrier in the positions of June II. The examination is to secure eligibles for appointment to existing or future vacancies in the grade of substitute. Fred Johnson is secretary of the local examining board, with whom applications may be filed as late as 9 a. m. on June II.

The National Stock company now holding forth at the Dohany opera house will put on "The Philippine Spy" this evening for the benefit of Camp Moore, Iowa Sosiety Army of the Philippines. The costumes worn by the cast will be those brought back by the members of Company L from the Philippines. Several of the members of Company L will take part in the play.

Last week was a fed-letter one in the istory of the Christian home. The resipts at the general fund were \$5,206.41, eing \$5,008.41 above the needs of the week. leaving a balance in the treasury of \$1.-19.92. In the manager's fund the re-selpts were \$159.50, being \$124.50 above the needs of the week, wiping out the de-ficiency that existed and leaving a bal-ance of \$24.99 in this fund.

A. B. Christensen, employed in the restaurant next door, W. J. Christensen, coachman in the employ of Dr. Bellinger, and Perry Howard, an attache of the Doand Perry Howard, an attache of the Do-hany opera house, were arrested yesterday on suspicion of being implicated in the rob-bery of Herr's tailorshop Saturday night. They all gave bonds in the sum of 1200 each for their appearance in police court today. The police have no clue to the stolen property and the evidence against the three young men arrested is said to be purely circumstantial.

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DAY OF TALK ON TELEPHONE

Council Committee Disposes of One Franchise and Lays Another One Over.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE GIVES CASH BOND

Several Other Changes Made in the Proposed Franchise, but Company Will Not Concede Free Phones for Schools.

The aldermen sitting as a committee of the whole yesterday afternoon decided for the second time within about a week upon the character of the ordinance granting the for a telephone system which in their opinion should be permitted to go before the people of the city for their approval. Several changes were made in the ordinance as it was submitted to the city council trial jury presented Judge Wheeler with a Monday night and it was then referred to the city solicitor to be redrafted and presented to the city council next Monday night for action.

At the council meeting Monday night Emmet Tipley, attorney for and one of the time to suitably thank the donors. incorporators of the Council Bluffs Independent Telephone company, suggested to the aldermen that the provision in the Interstate company's ordinance requiring it to file a \$15,000 bond for the faithful performance of its contract was of no force and that the city could never recover on it in case the company failed to install and have in operation its plant in the time specified. This statement of Attorney Tinlev evidently carried weight with the counclimen, as yesterday afternoon they decided that in place of the bond the company should deposit with the city treasurer the sum of \$5,000 in cash, to be forfelted to the city in the event of the company failing to carry out its part of the contract.

Declines to Pay Interest. When this change was suggested the ommittee at first insisted that the company deposit \$10,000. Mr. Stevens on behalf of the company agreed to this, providing that when the money would be returned to the company on its fulfilling its contract it should also receive 3 per cent on the amount of the deposit. Mr. Stevens explained that arrangements could be made with the banks whereby 3 per cent would be paid on the \$10,000 cash deposit. Objections were raised to the payment of the interest and City Treasurer True declined to be custodian of the money on these terms. After a lengthy discussion it was finally agreed that the company should deposit with City Treasurer True \$5,000 within five days after the passage of the ordinance, to be forfeited in case of failure on the part of the company to carry out its contract. The company will not receive any interest

special election at which the ordinance will be submitted to the vote of the people was stricken out as not being a necessary part of the measure. The money will have to be paid by the company before the mayor will call a special election.

Alderman Lovett again insisted on the company furnishing six free telephones for the schools and as many more as might be needed at half rates. Mr. Stevens declined to concede to this demand and a motion by Alderman Lovett to the effect that the company be required to furnish these free 'phones for the schools and that in consideration therefor the amount to be paid the city by the company out of its gross earnings be reduced from 3 to 2 per cent, failed to carry. Aldermen Lougee and Casper opto carry. Aldermen Lougee and Casper opposed Alderman Lovett's proposition on the ground that such an arrangement would be taking part of the revenue of the city to benefit the schools, for the support of which the people were already highly taxed. A new condition was inserted in the ordinance, requiring the company to furnish either individual or party line service to

any person or persons applying for same, providing such applicants agreed to pay one year's rental of such service. This provision was incorporated, as it had been suggested that there was nothing in the ordinance to compel the company to furnish service except such as it chose.

These were practically all the changes decided upon, although it is possible that some of the aldermen may be prepared with other amendments when the ordinance comes before the city council next Monday night for action.

Home Company Asks Action.

Attorney Tinley and several members of the Council Bluffs Independent Telephone company were present at the meeting and after the Interstate company's ordinance had been disposed of for the time being Mr. Tinley asked the committee to give his company's ordinance consideration. He "We ought to be given treatment as business men. We are going to build obtained tonight. this telephone line and that is all there is including some of the nicest residences to 14."

Alderman Lougee protested against taking up the ordinance in the shape it was as as Angus and Berkley, north of here. the company had done nothing in the last four weeks to indicate that it expected or even intended asking for a franchise. In | inch rainfall last night puts crops in good the face of the proposition offered by the shape. Interstate company he for one would never vote in favor of the ordinance submitted

by the local company. Alderman Lougeo, after the ordinance had been taken up for the purpose of reading it section by section, moved that all but the title and opening section be stricken | ial association, which meets here in convenout and amended by the insertion of the sections contained in the Interstate company's ordinance. On being put to a vote this was defeated by Alderman Lovett. Olson and Huber voting against it. The term of the proposed franchise was then from thirty-five to twenty-five years and then the committee decided it did not desire to spend any more time on it so referred it back to the council for its

further consideration.

Find Way to Spend Mokey. The balance in the treasury of the Wo man's Sanitary Relief commission will be turned over to Camp John L. Moore, Iowa Society Army of the Philippines to assist in the purchase of a banner. This was decided upon at a meeting of the commission yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Don Macrea. The commission was organized at the time the Fifty-first Iowa volunteers were mustered in in 1898, and through its efforts the soldiers from Council Bluffs were supplied with many comforts while in camp and in the field. ance in the treasury is \$52. How to dis pose of this balance has been a disputed question ever since the return of the Fiftyfirst from the Philippines.

School Board Meeting Adjourned.

The menthly session of the Board of Education, stated for Tuesday night, was post-poned by President Sargent to Friday night on account of the absence from the city of Members Hess and Macrae. Bids for the four-room addition to the Pierce Street school will be received Thursday and this would have necessitated another meeting liam Lukins for larceny. The jury was dis-this week to consider them. charged for the term after having been in

appointed until the June meeting, but it is BACK likely that the board Friday night will BACK take some action regarding the recent disturbances in the High school and it is said that changes in the faculty there are im-

Matters in District Court.

At the conclusion of the evidence for the state in the case against Attorney Fremont Benjamin, indicted on a charge of alleged malicious threats to extort, Judge Wheeler took the case from the jury and ordered a verdict returned for the defendant. Charles Bierwith, a former saloon keeper whose saloon was closed by Beniamin, and Attorney Emmet Tinley were the only witnesses introduced by the state. The trial of Vic Sandowski, charged with

burglary, was continued to next term on motion of the defendants. Carl Negethon, charged with maintaining a nuisance in the nature of a floating saloon on a steamboat on the Iowa side of Cut Off lake entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$300 and costs, but was permitted Interstate Telephone company a franchise to file a stay bond for six months. At the last term of court Negethon's trial re-

sulted in the jury failing to agree. On the adjournment of district court yesterday afternoon the members of the handsome leather upholstered armchair. County Attorney Killpack made the presen tation speech on behalf of the jurors. Judge Wheeler was completely taken by surprise but succeeded in catching his breath in

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street: E. H. Gelse and wife to Mason City & Fort Dodge Railway company, right of way over nw/4 se/4 5-76-41,

right of way over hw' se' 5-76-41, w. d.

Conrad Geise, Jr., and wife to same, same over sw' of section 5 and nw' nw' of section 5 and nw' nw' of section 5 and nw' over nw' o same over swig nwig 13 and seig neight 13-15-43, w. d.

F. T. C. Johnson to same, same over seight neight 13-75-42, w. d.

Robert Kuhn and wife to same, same over swig neight 14-75-43, w. d.

Elizabeth Lidgett and husband to same, same over nwig nwig 24 and eight neight 23-75-42, w. d.

P. Monaghan and wife to same, same over seight neight 5-76-41, w. d.

Charles McNamara and wife to same, sy acres in neight 14-75-43, w. d.

J. C. McGuckin and wife to same, right of way over lots 1 and 2, Auditor's subdivision neight seight and lot 1, Auditor's subdivision seight neight 32-75-43, w. d.

John Roan and wife to same, same over signeight and nwig seight 7-76-41, w. d.

Arthur H. Spare and wife to same.

over \$\frac{1}{2}\$ ne\frac{1}{2}\$ and nw\frac{1}{2}\$ se\frac{1}{2}\$ 7-76-41, w. d.

Arthur H. Spare and wife to same, 12 acres in sw\frac{1}{2}\$ sw\frac{1}{2}\$ aw\frac{1}{2}\$ aw\frac{1}{2}\$ 12 acres in sw\frac{1}{2}\$ sw\frac{1}{2}\$ 14-75-43, w. d.

John J. Tiarks to same, right of way over nw\frac{1}{2}\$ ne\frac{1}{2}\$ 13-75-43, w. d.

Fred Torneten and wife to same, same over s\frac{1}{2}\$ se\frac{1}{2}\$ w. d.

Conrad Torneten and wife to same, same over ne\frac{1}{2}\$ nw\frac{1}{2}\$ 18-75-42, and part se\frac{1}{2}\$ sw\frac{1}{2}\$ 7-75-42, w. d.

Edward Torneten to same, 85 acres in ne\frac{1}{2}\$ se\frac{1}{2}\$ 2-77-41, w. d. on this sum.

The section requiring the company to deposit \$1,500 to pay the expenses of the special election at which the ordinance will be special election at which the ord

Twenty-six transfers, total \$24,836 BAD HAIL STORM HITS IOWA

and Destroying Property. PERRY, Ia., May 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-The town and vicinity of Dawson, six miles west of here was visited by

Vicinity, Devastating Crops

Over Dawson, Panora and

severe hall and rainstorm at 7:30 this even Hallstones measuring three inches across were picked up after the storm was over.

Not a pane of glass is left on the south side of buildings in the town, even large plate glass windows in stores being broken. Trees and growing crops are damaged The union brick and tile works badly. suffered \$600 loss from the hailstones breaking their tar paper roof and letting water in on the stock drying in the sheds. Three to five hundred dollars' damage was done

to windows in the town. Panora, about twelve miles southwest Dawson, is reported to be badly damaged by the same storm, the wind playing havoc with things and the hall said to be worse than at Dawson. No particulars can be

The storm passed on in a northeasterly direction and telephone report says the hall is inflicting some damage as far north The same storm gave Perry and vicinity a heavy shower which in addition to 1.75

Ready for Iown Editors.

SHENANDOAH, Is., May 21 .- (Special.)-

The local newspaper men are making ample preparations for the entertainment of the nembers of the Southwestern Iowa Editortion on May 23. Good programs have been prepared and the day will be closed with a o'clock banquet. The day's program will be finished in time for all outgoing delegates or members of the association to board the evening trains over the Burlington and Wabsah lines.

Beard May Go to Iowa.

KANSAS CITY, May 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-Chief of Police Hayes notified the St. Paul authorities today that if they want Al Beard for the murder of Policeman Mayer they must come after him by Thurs-If they do not come Beard will be sent to Iowa to be tried for the Turin bank robbery. It is said here that Beard is also wanted in Sioux City for the murder of a man named Matthews.

Mason Held on Perjury Charge. CLARINDA, Ia., May 21 .- (Special Telegram.)—Eugene Mason is again in the Page ounty jail from which he was last Saturday liberated on his acquittal from the charge of the murder of Oscar K. Miller. Mason is now charged with perjury on account of the conflict in his evidence in the trials of himself and Dennis, under indictment for the murder of Miller. Wesley Irwin is now on trial for the murder of Miller.

Light Session in Monons County. ONAWA, Ia., May 11 .- (Special.) -- The Monopa county district court met in special session Monday. Judge Hutchison pre-The equity case of J. Butler against B. D. Butler was put on trial. The grand jury returned an indictment against charged for the term after having been in It is understood that teachers wil not be session for but two hours.

UP ADMINISTRATION

Iowa G. A. R. Will Undoubtedly Endorse Course in the Philippines.

Supreme Court Holds Retroauctive Feature of the Law on Incorporation Fees is Vold.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 21 .- (Special.) -The department encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic for Iowa will heartily endorse the Roosevelt administration's war policy in the Philippines and denounce those who have been criticising the administration for alleged cruelty in the matter of dealing with the people of the Philippines. This is the plan which was made plain this morning, when General Grenville M. Dodge arrived in the city and mingled with the soldiers. He came from Council Bluffs, accompanied by John Lindt, who is to be the next department commander, and he was busy during the day greeting friends. General Dodge is highly indignant at the attitude of some of the members of congress and others in calling in question the military methods of the administration and is determined that the Department of Iowa will go on record in regard to a matter that is purely one of military customs and usages. During the forenoon General Ell Torrance of Minnesota, commander-inchief of the Grand Army of the Republic, arrived in the city and also Governor S. R. Van Sant of Minnesota and his military staff. They were escorted to the hotel and before noon Governor Cummins and his military staff called on them officially and on General Dodge at his apartments. In

tend the encampment of the Illinois Grand Army, where they will be officially re-The council of administration of the Grand Army of the Republic held a session this afternoon to consider preliminary matters. The members were pleased with the showing made by the officers, as reports have been received from all the posts in the state and the membership, according to these reports, is shown to be much larger than a year ago. The report of Inspector L. B. Cousins of Council Bluffs is especially complete, and Commander Metzgar reports that it is one of the best reports ever made to any department. It is expected that the actual membership of the encampment tomorrow will be nearly 1,000. The encampment will open tomorrow and the parade will take place in the after-

the afternoon Governor Cummins and staff

gave an official reception to the visitors

received. It is the plan for the governors

of the two states and their staffs to go

to Rock Island tomorrow morning and at-

Campfire in Evening.

This evening at the Auditorium there was held a great campfire, addressed by a large number of the leading members of the order in the state. The principal addresses, however, were by General Torrance and Governor Van Sant, General Dodge talked briefly and also Commander Metzgar and others.

Just where next year's convention will 1,200 be held is a question. Cedar Rapids is right after it, but some of its opponents say that as only a few years ago the encampment was held there, it is but fair to 4,000 let some other city have it. Keokuk is also an eager solicitor, and many said today that they believed they would prefer the Gate City. As Dubuque and Sloux City have also had the encampment, it seems that the contest will be between Cedar Rapids and Keokuk.

Supreme Court Decisions.

The Iowa supreme court, in the case of amb against Dobson, this morning held that the secretary of state was wrong in attempting to exact a fee from a corporation desiring to have its corporation life extended. The Twenty-eighth general assembly undertook to provide that fees should be exacted as in new corporations and to make it retroactive, but the court holds this could not be done. The law has since been remedied so that fees are required.

John Lindt of Council Bluffs, who will be elected commander of the department Grand Army of the Republic, was victor in a case decided in the supreme court this morning involving his claim of rent on land the title-to which has been cleared in his name.

The full list of decisions follows: Hersborn, Mock & Co., appellants, against Charles H. Bradley, Dubuque county, Judge Matthews; action on account. Affirmed.

count. Affirmed.

J. H. Queal & Co. against Frank Stradby and N. E. Danner, appellants, Polk county; Judge Bishop; foreclosure of mechanic's lien. Affirmed.

J. A. Butler, appellant, against S. A. Heikeld and T. L. Clayton, Warren county; Judge Wilkinson. Affirmed.

E. E. Faulkiner, appellant, against Des Moines Drug company, Polk county; Judge Bishop; action at law for damages. Affirmed. rmed.

John Lindt against John Linder and R.

Felter, appellants, superior court of

A. Felter, appellants, superior court of Council Bluffs; Judge Aylesworth; action for use of real estate. Affirmed. C. Lamb & Sons, appellants, against G. L. Dobson, secretary of state, Polk county; Judge Conrad. Reversed.

Dynamite Case Continued.

The famous Hoot dynamiting case from Waterloo came up in the supreme court yesterday, but on account of the failure of the appellants to submit their argument the case was continued to the next term. J. W. Hoot was convicted of having sent a cunningly contrived cabinet to his wife in which he had secreted dynamits bombs of sufficient force to destroy blocks of public buildings. The package came by express and when opened by Mrs. Hoot she became alarmed at a slight explosion and the emission of blue smoke. The box

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afterwards exploded, tearing away huge stones from the bed of the river and driving a great hole in the ground where it had been planted. Windows were broken for blocks around and buildings shook as though by a great earthquake. The police in taking charge of the case hunted down out opposition. Hoot and arrested him at New Orleans, where he was about to embark for Central America. He was taken back to Waterloo, convicted and sent to the penitentiary for a term of twenty years.

Stranger Robbed. HOT FIGHT FOR THE NEXT ENCAMPMENT Frank Aylesworth, who says he comes from Albia, reports that he was touched for \$60 at the house of Mabel Woods on South West Fourth street last night. Aylesworth claims that he had the money wrapped up in a rubber band and placed from him while he was engaged in dancing with one of the inmates of the house. Mabel Woods, "Willie" Carlton and Bessie not yet arrived. Clark were arrested, all three of whom pleaded not guilty when arraigned before

Judge Silvara this morning.

Alleged Optum Den. After an encounter in which guns and knives played an important part Officers Miller, Brackett and Detective Hardin last night succeeded in gaining entrance to an alleged opium joint, 340 South West Fifth street. Three negroes were arrested, two men and one woman. Jacob Payne, who was arrested charged with being the owner of an opium den, pleaded not guilty and was released on \$300 bail. Gue Payne and Belle Smith pleaded not guilty to being found in a disorderly house and their trial was set for Thursday afternoon. According to the stories told by the officers the three went down at midnight last night intending to search the house. They say that they were admitted to the house, but upon making a movement as if to proceed farther into the room guns appeared in the hands of the two men, while it is claimed the woman went for a knife. They got the drop on the policemen, who were compelled to withdraw. But Night Cap-tain Miller had his "dander" up by this time. Leaving Brackett and Hardin to guard the house he returned to the police station and secured a search warrant. He went again to the house and was admitted as before. This time, however, the offiat the executive office and hundreds were cers were prepared and had the inmates covered before they had time to draw their wespons.

Iowa Crop Conditions.

Following is the report of the Iowa weather bureau for the week ending May 19, 1902: The first half of the week was cool and wet, with excess of cloudiness; the lest half much warmer, with heavy local showers in northern and central districts. The average temperature was somewhat above the normal. Conditions were highly beneficial to small grain and grass, especially in sections where the rainfall was abundant; but there was considerable delay in corn planting operations. The work, however, is well advanced in the larger part of the state, and in early planted fields a fair stand has been secured and cultivation is in progress. The reports show about the usual amount of damage to corn by cut worms and wire worms, and some replanting will be necessitated. The early potato crop is very promising, and garden truck generally is well advanced. The ideal condition of the soil and subsoil is the most encouraging feature of the crop situation, and preparation for seeding and planting has been unusually thorough. The orchard fruits give fair promise.

IOWA WORKMEN IN SESSION Grand Lodge Assembles at Waterloo in Biennial Convention and

Reports Are Received. WATERLOO, Ia., May 21 .- (Special.)bled here today in blennial convention with about fifty delegates present. Business of

the order for the last two years is being reviewed and reports of officers received. Reports thus far show the lodge to be in excellent condition. During two years there has been thirty-five death losses and forty beneficiary payments. Receipts for this period reached nearly a quarter million dollars. Tomorrow headquarters for the next two years and officers will be eelected. The present officers are: P. G. M. W. E.

Duke Naven, Laporte City; G. M. W., G. L. Godfrey, Des Moines; G. F., C. R. Clark, Montezuma; G. O., Charles Ruegnitz, Elkader: G. R., H. B. White, Waterloo; G. R. E. A. Wadleigh, Clinton; G. M. E., Dr. E. J. Waddey, Waterloo; finance committee, C. B. Stilson, Waterloo; T. G. Gilson, Knoxville: James Leslie, Clinton.

Aspirants for Page Officers. SHENANDOAH, Ia., May 21,-(Special.)-

Saturday of this week will be held the republican primary election, at which time candidates for auditor, recorder, clerk of courts, attorney and member of the board of supervisors will be nominated. The candidates are: C. M. Conway of Shenandoah mayor of this place, and F. V. Hensleigh, for auditor. County Attorney Sutherland

was placed in the custody of the police and is asking for a nomination for the third term and his opponent is Attorney G. Miller, also of Clarinda. A. B. Lorans of Clarinda and J. A. Delk of Coin are the ontestants for the district court clerkship. I. H. Taggart, for the supervisorship, and W. W. Hill, for the recordership, are with-

FAILS TO SHOW THE BULLETS Corporal O'Brien Delays Presenting Explosives Which He Says

WASHINGTON, May 21 .- Corporal Richard O'Brien was again on the witness stand today when the committee on the Philippines met. He failed to produce the sample bullets of which he had spoken in a wallet. This, it is alleged, was taken yesterday, intimating that they were explosives. He said he had sent to Massachusetts for the bullets, but that they had He was questioned in regard to the mi-

Soldiers Used.

nute appearance of the wounds which he said had been produced by the explosive bullets. He said that one of the old men killed at Lanog when they were advancing toward the American soldiers with a flag of truce had the entire top of his head shot off, while the other's abdomen was split open. In the first case the bullet had entered the abdomen and passed out of the man's arms, there being a smooth hole where the bullet entered the arm and a large one where it left.

O'Brien also admitted in response to questions from Senator Dietrich that the firing was indiscriminate, and the two men with the flag might have been killed by guns in the hands of others than the United States soldiers.

TERMINAL FOR ORIENT LINE Complete System is to Be Established by Stilwell Road to Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, May 21 .- If the project involved in maps filed today in three counties, Jackson and Clay in Missouri and Wyandotte in Kansas, is carled out, the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway company will have a complete terminal system in Kansas City. The plan is to have a four-track terminal, two for steam railroads and two for electric railroads. With six miles of terminal tracks the Orient will enter the Union station by one of the three routes, and will establish connections with every railroad entering Kansas City except the Chicago & Alton, and including the Kansas City Belt, the Union Terminal and the Suburban Belt systems.

The new terminals, including two bridges, will cost \$2,000,000.

Fifteen Months for Swindling. CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-In the United States court today J. T. Norton, the attorney, pleaded guilty to the charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes and was sentenced to serve fifteen months in the penitentiary. Norton conducted a matrimonial bureau and advertised for a husband under the name of Mabel Dundas. At the time of his arrest, three months ago, he was engaged to be married to scores of men in different parts of the country and had worked them all for money. He did business for over a year and realized thousands of dollars. He attempted to produce a Mabel Dundas, but the officers threatened to prosecute her as an accomplice, and the woman dropped out of sight.

Storm Losses Overestimated.

EVANSTON, Wyo., May 21 .- (Special Telegram.)-The snowstorm that raged in this section the last two days has abated. The losses, although heavy, will not reach the estimates of last night, as the weather was warm throughout the storm. The Penenset Live Stock company, reported to be heavy losers last night, has ascertained that the fury of the storm did not reach its ranch and the company has sustained very small losses. Others less fortunate have lost a large part of their flocks. The loss will probably never be known, as approximate figures cannot be obtained.

HYMENEAL.

Sheldon-Tate. BEATRICE, Neb., May 21 .- (Special.)-Miss Effie Tate and Frank W. Sheldon were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. R. L. Thomas, in their city Saturday evening. The couple are well known residents of Beatrice and will make their home here.

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