

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLIFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Booklet sells carpets and rugs. Wolfman, scientific optician, 409 E. way. Leffert, eyesight specialist, 238 Broadway. Take home a brick of Metzger's ice cream. Vanila, Sec. Neopolitan, 110. Picture framing a specialty, C. E. Alexander & Co., 233 Broadway. Tel. 266. Excelsior Masonic lodge will hold a special meeting this week at 8 o'clock in the second degree. Miss Fleming, daughter of Alderman Fleming, is seriously ill at her home, 1715 Avenue D, with symptoms of appendicitis. Rev. W. S. Barnes of the First Presbyterian church will preach a memorial sermon Sunday evening, having special reference to Gettysburg, of which he has made a special study. Commander John L. Lott of the Iowa department of the Grand Old Law of the Republic returned home from Des Moines yesterday and today he is a member of the congratulations of his friends on his election. As the congregation will attend the jubilee services at the Broadway Methodist church Sunday there will be no regular services in Trinity Methodist church on that day, but the Sunday school will be held at the usual hour. Ralph, charged with purloining a large advertising sign belonging to B. M. Sargent, which was blown down during the heavy winds in Friday, was taken into custody yesterday by Justice Bryant and charged with grand larceny. He gave bail for his appearance. Articles of incorporation of the Perry S. Carter company, Council Bluffs, were filed for record yesterday. The incorporators being E. L. Shugart, H. R. Knowles and George S. Carter. The company is to manufacture and deal in wind mills, pumps and all kinds of agricultural implements. The capital stock is placed at \$10,000. Dr. P. J. Montgomery is home from Waterloo, Ia., where he attended the annual meeting of the Iowa State Homeopathic society. He was appointed a delegate to the national society, which meets in Cleveland in June. Dr. A. R. Hanchett of this city was elected a member of the legislative and advisory committee. Warrants for the arrest of Henry Jennings and Willie Harber were issued yesterday by Justice Bryant on complaint of Mrs. T. J. Walker, who filed two separate charges against the boys. She charged them with assaulting her son Roy and with malicious mischief by throwing bricks, stones and spoiled eggs at the home and family of the prosecuting witness. Dr. J. C. Waterman, Dr. J. M. Barstow, Dr. D. Macrae, sr., and Dr. Macrae, jr., returned yesterday afternoon from Des Moines, where they attended the annual meeting of the State Medical society. Dr. V. J. Freyner will return home today in addition to being elected secretary of the society. Dr. H. H. Jennings was a member of the committee on legislation. Dr. Macrae, jr., was appointed on the committee on ethics. Dr. H. H. Jennings was appointed on the committee on legislation. Gravel roofing, A. H. Read, 641 Broadway. Smallpox Among Graders. The fact that three smallpox patients from the grading camps along the grade of the Great Western railroad had drifted into the city to be taken care of is viewed with alarm by the health authorities. During the week three men suffering with smallpox have been sent to the pesthouse by the local health officers, the third being taken there yesterday. The first case is the name of W. J. Eaton and said he had been working in the camp of the Bates & Rogers Construction company since last Monday. As the grading camps are located outside the city limits the municipal health authorities take the position that cases of smallpox arising in them should be cared for by the county and not by the city. There was talk yesterday of the city health board demanding that the county supervisors take the necessary steps to quarantine the grading camps in which smallpox developed. N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 353. Rudolph Toller Dies Suddenly. Rudolph Toller, an old-time resident of Council Bluffs, died suddenly a few minutes after midnight Thursday at his home, 225 Tenth avenue. Death was supposed to have been due to heart disease. Mr. Toller retired in apparently his usual good health Thursday night. About midnight his wife was awakened by him gasping for breath. She found he was unconscious and he died in a few minutes. He was 62 years of age and had been a resident of Council Bluffs since 1867. For the last twelve years he had been engaged in the grocery business at 1091 South Main street. Besides his wife he is survived by four sons, John R., Henry M., Herman J. and Frank, and three daughters, Anna E., Elizabeth and Marie. Anna H. Moore's Clearing Sale. All trimmed hats at greatly reduced prices, Friday and Saturday, May 23 and 24. No. 34 Broadway. Arrested for Using Seines. Andrew and Henry Hart were arrested at 6 o'clock yesterday morning while setting a big lake by Captain Maltby and Detective Callaghan. Before Judge Scott in police court they pleaded that they were ignorant of the fact that they were violating the law and showed that they only caught what was a few carp and buffalo, these being the only kind of fish in the lake. The court discharged them. Davis sells guns. Plumbing and heating. Hixby & Son. Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squires, 101 Pearl street: Christian C. Mass and wife to John J. Taylor, 10 acres southeast corner of Sec. 17-41, W. 2. 100. Fernie A. Gibson and husband to Ole Jensen, lot 12, block 12, Broadway. 600. Insurance Company of North America to Philadelphia Mortgage and Trust company, 6 1/2 sq. ft. and 1/4 acre. 1. Philadelphia Mortgage and Trust company to Leonard Everett, executor, 11,000. W. C. Evans and wife to Leonard Everett, 1/4 acre south of 11th and 1/2 acre of creek in sq. 12-41, 11-71-1. 75. W. C. Roberson and wife to Leonard Everett, lot 7, block 7, Turley's add. 10. Everett, executor, lot 7, block 10, Evans' 1st Bridge add. W. 2. 80. Daisy Covatt Hardell and husband to A. W. Covatt, lot 1 in subdiv. of lot 18 of original, W. 2. 1,000. Lisa B. H. Eldridge to Thomas Burk, 1/2 lot 12 and 1/2 lot 13, block 4. 12,000. Treasurer to A. J. Seaman, lot 3, block 12, Jackson's add. W. 2. 4. Same to same, lots 9 and 10, block 12. 4. Furry add. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 12, block 12, Bayless & Palmer's add. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 8, block 67, Hiddle's subdiv. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 14, block 64, Hiddle's subdiv. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 1, block 7, Turley's add. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 7, block 10, Evans' 1st Bridge add. 1. d. 4. Same to same, lot 7, block 21, Bryant & Clark's subdiv. 1. d. 4. Seventeen transfers, total.....\$1,325.

FIX THE MARRIAGE RECORD

Well Known Business Man Complying with Law in His Native Land.

RIGHTS TO PROPERTY ARE INVOLVED

Records in Netherlands Require Much Greater Accuracy Than is Usually Observed in the United States.

Mar Bouricuis, the well-known music dealer on Broadway, secured yesterday from Judge Wheeler of the district court an order correcting the record of his marriage in this city in order that the requirements of the law in the Netherlands, his native country, might be fully complied with. Mr. Bouricuis expects to become heir to property in his native country and this made the correction of the marriage record here necessary. The full name of Mr. Bouricuis is Marinus Bodinus Louis Bouricuis, and that of his wife before her marriage to him, Johanna Petrus Louisa van der Meer. They were married in this city July 5, 1887, by Rev. T. J. Mackay, then pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Council Bluffs. The marriage record did not contain their full names as above, but only their initials. Mr. Bouricuis says that he has been in the law in the Netherlands requires that all names of persons and places be spelled in full, and the record was, by Judge Wheeler's order, so corrected yesterday. The law of the Netherlands also requires that all persons under the age of 30, before being married, must publish the marriage banns three times, with an interval of fourteen days between each time, with the statement of the parents' consent. This Mr. and Mrs. Bouricuis failed to do, and fearing that in the future it might cause trouble, they had the banns properly published in the native country, and then, on July 13, 1888, had the marriage ceremony again solemnized, this time before Justice of the Peace E. S. Barnett. Both Mr. Bouricuis and his wife expect to inherit property at some future date in their native country, and in order to prevent, by some technicality in regard to their marriage, any trouble for themselves or their children in obtaining the inheritance they had the records corrected to comply with the provisions of the law in the Netherlands. The certified copy of the corrected record was forwarded yesterday to his native home by Mr. Bouricuis.

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HOLDS CONTRACT BINDING

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Iowa Farmers Complain of Too Much Rain and that Planting and Cultivating is Delayed Thereby.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 24.—(Special)—The supreme court in a decision in a Council Bluffs case today rendered an opinion which will stand as a precedent in matters relating to building and loan associations and their duty to carry out contracts. It was the case of Elizabeth Field against the Eastern Building and Loan association. She had become a stockholder to the amount of five shares of stock at \$100 each. The contract stipulated that in seventy-eight months the stock would mature on payments of 75 cents a month. The plaintiff lived up to her part of the agreement, but when she attempted to recover the amount of the stock she was informed that the estimate was wrong and that she would have to continue payments if she desired to mature the stock. Many questions were raised in the trial, but the court devotes greatest attention to the contract. It states that the contract was not an informal, hastily prepared memorandum, but a part of a carefully planned plan of business. "The entire body of the contract of such associations is made up of men and women of limited experience," says Justice Weaver in the opinion. "Not one in a hundred of them, though of fair average intelligence and caution, would put upon a contract any other construction than the plaintiff did."

KILLED BY NORTHWESTERN TRAIN

A man who, from papers found on his person is supposed to be R. P. Schultz, was killed in the Northwestern yards last night. As train No. 5 was passing W. F. tower in the east end of the yards the victim of the accident stepped from behind a string of box cars upon the track in front of the train. It was impossible to stop the train and he was run down and instantly killed. It is supposed he was hauled for Missouri Valley. He came here a short time ago, being sent out by the Klopp & Swanson labor agency in Chicago.

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SEASONABLE

WASH GOODS SALE

This is time to buy, while the assortments are complete, having just received a recent shipment of seasonable goods at much less than the former market value, and will place on sale Monday, the six special values at prices quoted below, which positively cannot be duplicated.

- 50c A Yard—A big lot of figured batiste and dimities, sold everywhere for 10c, on sale, 5c.
10c A Yard—Dark styles in 15c and 19c mercerized satens, 15c corded dimities, plain colored dimities, (all shades), and large assortment of 30-in. madras, value 15c, on sale at 10c.
15c A Yard—This is the largest assorted lot of wash goods ever offered by us; 20c beautiful batiste, 25c Irish dimities, 30c mercerized foulards, 20c fancy Elcho striped dimities, all in one lot—15c a yard.
19c A Yard—Celtic cords, a new wash goods novelty, beautiful assort'm't, value 35c, on sale 19c a yard.
39c A Yard—Scotch Silk gingham, worth 50c, silk striped Leno novelties, worth 45c, grenadine novelties, all colors, worth 65c, satin striped foulards, worth 75c, one lot, 39c yd.
25c A Yard—Over 40 different styles of Manchester permanent finished mercerized waistings, always sold for 33c and 45c, on sale, 25c.

McCall's Patterns, 10c and 15c. White Law & Gardner Agents for the Onyx Hosiery. Boston Store, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Tel. 81.

JEWELRY CLOTHING

FOR DECORATION DAY

and general summer use. The most complete line of little wash suits ever shown in town, at 50c, 75c. \$1 to \$2, all ages.

Also sailor, vestee, two-piece and three-piece suits, in a beautiful variety, from \$2 a suit, up.

Smith & Bradley, Council Bluffs

415 Broadway, Council Bluffs

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Is that our laundry is noted for the superiority of its service. All linen laundered there is done by the best, latest and most perfect methods, and is in every way the most satisfactory. This is a question of fact that good dressers will appreciate.

Bluff City Laundry

WALLACE & GROUT, Prop's. Phone 214, 23-24 N. Main, Council Bluffs.

EDITORS AT SHENANDOAH

Southwestern Iowa Editorial Association Convened and F. M. Green Named President.

SHENANDOAH, Ia., May 24.—(Special)—The Southwestern Iowa Editorial association met here today with the largest attendance in its history. A number of papers of interest to the profession were read, after which the following officers were elected: F. M. Green, Chariton, president; W. T. Wortman, Malvern, vice president; O. E. Hull, Leon, secretary. After the session the members were driven over town and then went to the hall in the Normal college, where they were tendered a banquet.

Low Four State News Notes.

The Big Four State news notes has purchased the race track grounds of the Nashua Agricultural society for a consideration of \$500, the amount having been donated by local people. The following officers have been chosen: W. F. St. Clair, president; J. G. Laiter, president; C. H. Bauer, secretary; E. H. Russell, treasurer. The relatives and friends of Charles Harmon of Denova are considerably worried over his disappearance. For some months he has been sick, but recently has been able to get out and visit around. He was last seen at Burlington for a short time ago when he was accompanied by the party with whom he is stayed do not know what became of him. It is feared that illness has affected his mind and that he has wandered away and some accident possibly befallen him.

Van Houten to Go to Alaska.

It is learned here that through the influence of Secretary Shaw, George H. Van Houten of Lenox, Taylor county, will soon receive an appointment in the government service that will take him to Alaska.

Response State Field Meet.

DES MOINES, May 24.—(Special)—Seventeen thousand disappointed college boys

STANLY'S WITH THE PRESIDENT

E. J. Cornish Declares His Position at Meeting of First Ward Republicans.

At the meeting of the First Ward Republican club last night the speaking was started by J. E. Van Dusen of South Omaha, who in announcing his candidacy for governor touched lightly upon state and national issues.

WINDSTORM STRIKES KANSAS

ATCHESON, Kan., May 24.—A strong windstorm passed over this section this morning, doing much damage. In north Atchison several small buildings were blown over, and many trees were uprooted, while in the country northeast of Atchison outbuildings, barns, and windmills were demolished and several churches were partially wrecked.

Passes Over Section Near Atchison, Damaging Farm Buildings and Churches.

At the Soldiers' Orphan's home the roof of the main building and one wall of the hospital were caved in. No one was injured. The wind was accompanied by a deluge of rain which washed out two or three small bridges and wrought damage to fences, roadways and crops.