

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Woolman, scientific optician, 409 E. Broadway. Leffert, eye-sight specialist, 225 Broadway. Special sale of photo frames. C. E. Alexander & Co., 22 Broadway.

JURY FAILS TO FIX BLAME.

Inquest Over M. J. Sturecks Brings Out Little Concerning Accident.

TRAINMEN DENY KICKING HIM OFF.

Brakeman Who Was Present Said He Simply Told Him to Get Off, and in Doing So Sturecks Fell on the Rail.

The inquest Tuesday afternoon over the death of M. J. Sturecks, of Columbia, Neb., who was killed by a freight train near Minden, Ia., Saturday, receiving injuries which ended in his death, resulted in the coroner's jury returning this verdict: "Deceased came to his death by reason of an accident received on the Rock Island train No. 58, the cause of which this jury cannot determine."

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mission to sell, if he so desired, his shoe shop and contents to be supervised by a lecture. Dr. E. A. Winship of Boston will address the class on "Prizes and Prizes."

WOMAN DRAWS A DARK PICTURE. Depicts Condition of Negro in South as Pitiful and Statements Are Questioned.

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More Coaches for Iowa Road. IOWA FALLS, Ia., May 28.—(Special.)—President E. S. Ellsworth has just returned from the east, where he placed an order for the new equipment of the Des Moines, Iowa Falls & Northern road. In addition to the three engines and combination cars now being operated by that line, an order was placed for three coaches of the latest pattern.

Killed Before Mother's Eyes. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., May 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The 2-year-old son of Tom Philpot was killed by an Illinois Central freight train today before the mother's eyes. He was sitting on the cattle guard near home.

Damaging Frost in Iowa. WEBSTER CITY, Ia., May 28.—(Special Telegram.)—A heavy frost in this section of the state did much damage about this city last night. Fruit, small grain and corn have received a serious setback.

Iowa State News Notes. M. H. Robinson has planted 6,000 Norway spruce and 600 Scotch pine trees on his farm near Waverly.

Boone Republic: We do not know how the water cure acts in the Philippines, but it is making the farmers in Iowa smile.

Scott county has caught the right proportion of rain, as nearly as that necessary to the crops, and the promise of the fields has never been better or brighter.

Hert Huston, 28 years of age, was killed in a saloon in Davenport, and Doc Shaughnessy, the bartender, is under arrest. The men were fighting and Shaughnessy claimed that Huston fell and struck his head after the fight was over.

E. D. Davis, one of the heaviest landowners of Mills county, has decided to sell his 2,400 acre tract, 1,425 acres of land lying in the Nishnabotus valley, for \$100 per acre, less in one acre of valuable real estate in that and Pottawattomie counties.

The attendance at the meeting of the Iowa State Agricultural Society, held at the Hotel Hamilton in Des Moines, was the largest ever held in that city.

Five head of cattle were killed by lightning at Peter Dreyer's pasture near Sac City, Iowa, recently. The cattle belonged to Mr. Dreyer and William Kelly and all were insured with the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company. The adjusters of the company paid the owners \$70, the maximum limit for their loss. This did not cover the loss, the owners valuing the cattle at over \$4 a head.

Notwithstanding the strong attempt made to have some radical changes made in the laws governing the department, no modifications of importance were made.

The brotherhood resumed its sessions immediately on the adjournment of the inquest. The executive says that the obligation of the department to the public is not lessened by the adjournment.

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FIRST MESSAGE TO CUBANS

President Palma Will Send Document to the Senate Today.

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK OF NEW REPUBLIC

Future of the Nation Depends on Education and Good Work Begun by Americans Must Be Continued.

HAYANA, May 28.—President Palma's message is published here tonight and will be delivered to the Cuban senate tomorrow. The message opens by giving thanks to the Almighty for His assistance in carrying out the work of obtaining Cuban independence, and asks divine aid in the establishment of a firm and stable government.

"Never did a people rise with more perseverance," says the message, "and sacrifice more for liberty than have the Cubans. No people, therefore, are more entitled to see their just efforts crowned with success. Together with our own heroism is the attitude of the great people impelled by their own needs of liberty to put themselves on our side in our tenacious fight for the independence of the country. Their motive was one of generous sentiment, pure and disinterested in origin."

"Impelled by this sentiment, the powerful republic of the north recognizes through its illustrious president, the republic of Cuba. The promise formally made has been carried out. In this moment, when we feel our right as an independent nation, it is impossible to suppress our gratitude to the United States."

Recognition of Debt Exalts. "To recognize this debt of gratitude to the great nation is an act which exalts us and which makes us worthy of the consideration and respect of the other nations of the world. It is necessary now to devote all the resources of the state to the establishment of agricultural stations to improve the culture of sugar cane and tobacco and the introduction of varied agricultural industries."

"While the question of reciprocity is still pending, the message goes on, "it is impossible to state now what measure should be adopted to meet the pending crisis. This crisis is due to the ruinous price of sugar caused by excessive production of beet sugar in Europe. An immediate remedy would be the reduction of the American tariff on sugar to obtain which the executive will do once devoted his efforts and will negotiate a treaty in order to obtain benefit for the Cuban sugar producers."

Must Increase Rural Guard. "If security of life and property in Cuba is to be finally guaranteed, the rural guard must be reorganized and increased, as the present tranquility in the island is due to the people themselves and their desire to maintain the prestige of their country."

"We recognize that during the American intervention the sanitary conditions of the island were greatly improved, but it is necessary to continue this work and make those improved conditions permanent."

"The office of judge in Cuba should be permanent and to constitute this principle of immovability should be one of the first duties of congress."

President Palma declares it is the purpose of the government to devote its attention to education, and especially to primary schools. He says the government of the new republic will give credit for the educational system it established, but that there is a need for still more schools, as the future of the republic depends upon education.

More Railroads Wanted. It will be the duty of the government to encourage the construction of railroads in the island and to protect the capital already invested in railroad enterprises.

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SURGICAL OPERATIONS

How Mrs. Bruce, a Noted Opera Singer, Escaped an Operation. Proof That Many Operations for Ovarian Troubles are Unnecessary.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Travelling for years on the road, with irregular meals and sleep and damp beds, broke down my health so completely two years ago that the physician advised a complete rest, and when I had gained



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Prof. Warner Goes to Tacoma. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., May 28.—(Special.)—Prof. A. J. Warner, who has had charge of the Missouri Valley public schools for the last few years, has been appointed superintendent of the public schools of Tacoma, Wash. J. H. Beveridge of Glidden, Ia., will succeed Prof. Warner in the local schools. Prof. Warner received a substantial increase in salary at Tacoma, where he will have charge of over 200 teachers.

Largest Class in Creston's History. CRESTON, Ia., May 28.—(Special.)—The graduating class of the Creston High school, which will finish up Thursday, May 29, is the largest yet turned out here, consisting of fifty-one members, forty young

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