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COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION. ..

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Leffert, eyesight specialist, 238 Broadway. Dr. Stockdale, First Nat. Bank building.
Picture framing. C. E. Alexander & Co.,
233 B'way. Tel. 568.
L. H. Greer has been called to Michigan
by the serious illness of his mother.

Take home a brick of Metzger's ice fream. Vanilla, 25c; Neopolitan, 35c. Mrs. G. T. Joslin and sons returned yes-erday from an extended eastern trip. Miss Louise Brown of St. Paul is the guest of Captain and Mrs. J. J. Brown. Miss Louise Lefferts has gone to Hot Springs, S. D., to spend the summer vaca-

Mrs. J. H. Hunter of East Pierce street has gone to Pocatello, Idaho, on a visit to relatives. Mrs. A. C. Davis of 2302 Avenue B left ast evening for Portland, Ore., to spend

Bluff City Masonic lodge will meet in regular session this evening for work in the first degree.

Misses Carrie and Loretta Evers and Miss Edna Schroeder left Sunday on a visit to Cloquette, Minn.

Cloquette, Minn.

Mrs. W. E. Strock of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson, 1961 East Washington avenue.

The local lodge of Maccabees will join with the Omaha members of the order in a picnic today at Courtiand beach.

Charles Lunkley and daughter, Miss May, will leave today for an extended trip to Senttle and other Pacific coast points.

Colonel W. J. Davenourt of the Burling. Colonel W. J. Davenport of the Burling-on system and family will go today to ake Okobojii for their summer outing. Dr. Matthew Tinley is home from New York, where he took a postgraduate course, He has decided to locate in Council Bluffs. Mrs. George Kerber and children and Miss Phyllis Bachle of St. Louis are visit-ing their sister, Mrs. J. R. Schmidt, 2313

Rev. James H. Cloud of St. Louis will conduct services Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Episcopal church for

S. V. Hiley, alias Scott, said to be wanted in Atlantic, ia., has been released by the police, as the Cass county authorities made he effort to get the man.

Mike Fahey, sentenced to four years in the penitentiary by Judge Wheeler of the district court, was taken to Fort Madison yesterday by Sheriff Cousins.

The Union Pacifics defeated the Subur-pans Sunday at a good game of ball by a score of 5 to 4. The Union Pacifics will play at Underwood next Sunday.

Rev. W. S. Barnes, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, is visiting in South Dakota and until his return there will be no Sunday services in the church.

te contract for repairing the bridge Indian creek on North First street been awarded by Alderman Casper to mond & Campbell, on their bid of \$100. The funeral of Miss Stella Dalton will e held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from he family residence, 1910 Tostevine street, and burial will be in Walnut Hill ceme-

Mrs. Spencer Smith has gone to Hot Springs, S. D., where she will join her mother, Mrs. George Keeline, and sister, Mrs. C. L. Felt, who are spending the It is said that sneak thieves got in their

Zeph Hughes complained to the police late Sunday night that he had been assaulted by three men, named Jesse Young, Leonard Young and W. S. Rogers. The police arrested all four and yesterday morning in police court Zeph Hughes was given five days on bread and water, while the men he accused of assaulting him were discharged.

discharged.

A large banner on which is inscribed in big letters, "Headquarters of National Society Army of the Philippines. Council Bluffs, August E-15," and from which were suspended two American flags, was hung yesterday across Pearl street from the Grand hotel, where the headquarters have been established by the citizens' committee, to the Shugart block.

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John F. Plunket, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.
F. Plunket, died yesterday afternoon at the
home of his father, 703 East Pierce street.
He was 43 years of age and his wife and
one daughter, aged 12 years, survive him.
The funeral will be under the auspices of
Hasel camp, Modern Woodmen of America, by special request of the deceased, it
will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30
o'clock from the family residence and interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.
Rev. J. W. Calfee, pastor of Broadway
Methodist church, will conduct the services.

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LEVY FOR A LIBRARY SITE

Board Unanimous in Recommending Three Mills for This Purpose.

HOPE CARNEGIE WILL GIVE BUILDING

New Board Organizes by Election of M. F. Rohrer as President and Mrs. Dailey as Librarian for Current Year.

The board of library trustees at its annual meeting yesterday afternoon determined to renew its efforts toward securing a building as a permanent home for the library by levying a 2-mill tax for a fund for the purchase of a suitable site on which later to erect the building. One year ago the library board recommended such a levy which is empowered by statute, but the city council refused to certify it up to the county board.

As the last census shows that Council Bluffs has a population in excess of 25,000 the law provides that a levy of not exceeding 3 mills can be made for the purpose of acquiring real estate as a site for a library building or for the purpose of erecting the building itself.

The board was unanimous in recommending the levy of this tax and President C., B. & Q. passenger station at Red Oak, Rohrer, W. S. Baird and Dr. Cleaver were Ia. appointed a committee to present the matter before the city council. The board has every reason to believe that if it succeeded in accuring a suitable site for a library that Mr. Carnegie would be willing to donate sufficient of his wealth to provide for the building.

The board also decided to recommend the levy of 11/2 mills for the maintenance of the library for the ensuing year. Last year the library was compelled to get along on a 1mill levy.

New Board Organizes.

Stewart, the latter two taking the places stead of calling a special meeting yesof E. A. Troutman and T. E. Casady and terday. Mr. Baird succeeding himself, M. F. Rohrer Mrs. J. R. Casey of North Platte, Neb., is a patient at the Woman's Christian Association hospital in this city, where she underwent a severe operation Sunday. was re-elected president for the third year elected librarian at the same salary as before, \$60 per month, and Miss M. E. Sherman and Mrs. B. K. Black were re-elected assistants at the same salaries as last year, \$45 per month. Trustee J. J. Stewart was clerk of the board.

It was decided to pay the dues of the library as a member of the State Library association and as a compliment to the president his also. Last year the board paid the dues of each individual member of the It is said that sneak thieves got in their work Sunday evening at the motor company's bathing house on the Manhattan side of Lake Manawa. They are reported to have stolen a valuable gold watch and several sums of money.

The motor company has a large force of men at work constructing a dam at the point where Mosquito creek broke into Lake Manawa last Saturday in order to prevent the water from escaping from the lake as the level of the creek subsides.

Orders have been received changing the route to be followed by the contractor carrying mail between Council Bluffs and Taylor, which is known as Star Route No. 48872. He is to go from Council Bluffs to Council Bluffs to Will hereway of Armour. The proved appearance. Certain repairs were ordered and the janitor was allowed \$5 for the extra work he had done during the reboard, but at the suggestion of Congress-

Council Bluffs by way of Armour. The the extra work he had done during the re-prder will become effective July 21. pairing. President Robrer asked that he be allowed \$29, but the other members decided that the smaller amount was ample for the

extra work he had performed. The report of the librarian for June showed these figures: Number of visitors, 4,084; registered book takers, 2,802; number of books taken, 3,266; books in circulating library on July 1, 18,523; money paid for rented books, \$264.40; amount received to

date for same, \$264.80. The report of the finance committee showed the balance in the treasury on July to be \$2,322.82.

Use any soap so its Puck's soap.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

HAZELTON IS NOW POSTMASTER Given Out that No Changes Will Be Made in the Employes of

Hon. A. S. Hazelton assumed the duties of postmaster of Council Bluffs vesterday. succeeding I. M. Treynor. The legal transfer of the office was made by Mr. Treynor to Mr. Hazelton one minute after midnight Sunday, but neither the incoming nor the outgoing postmaster was present at that time, both presumably being in bed sleeping and dreaming over what was and what might have been.

the Office.

The advent of Mr. Hazelton into the postmastership will, it is said, make no changes at the postoffice. With the exception of the deputy postmaster all the positions are held under civil service rules George T. Phelps, who was deputy postmaster under Mr. Treynor, will continue in the same position, at least for the present. In accordance with the usual custom, Mr. Hazelton also becomes custodian of the federal building, but will not assume the duties until Mr. Treynor has had time to prepare an inventory of the government plates one or more changes in the em-

ployes under his control as custodian. election will be held before the next meeting of the state legislature. It is possible, however, that Governor Cummins may issue a certificate for the election this fall of a successor to Mr. Hazelton to provide for a state senator from this district in the event of an extra session being called. The Council Bluffs postoffice is now one of the most important in the state, paying galary of \$3,200 to the postmaster, an in-

pervises the immense mail transfer at the Union Pacific depot. The employes at the postoffice presented the retiring postmaster, Mr. Treynor, with a handsome library table as a mark of their esteem and regard. Mr. Treynor terms with the unqualified esteem of all

free delivery routes, keeps the payroll for

about sixty railway mail clerks and su-

Funeral of Captain Denny. resterday afternoon from the family rest-

dence on Baughn street, was attended by

a large gathering of friends and acquaint-

(Successor to W. C. Estep) and the deceased poince officer and the i ridged, butter, water in because the period of the deceased poince officer and the i ridged, butter, water in because in the body was recovered.

many and beautiful. The services were | HEAR conducted by Rev. W. B. Crewdson, pastor | HEAR of the Firsts Congregational church. The local serie of Fraternal Order of Eagles. of which Captain Denny was a member, attended the funeral in a body, over 100 members being present. Those acted as pail bearors: W. H. Ware, Arthur W. Slack, Phil Wareham, S. B. Dobson, Herman Schurz, J. W. Pinnell.

Objects to a Grade Crossing. The Mason City & Fort Dodge Railroad company began suit in the district court yesterday to restrain the board of county supervisors from establishing a grade crossing over what is known as the Maxfield road in Hardin township. As the road is at present the railroad in crossing it will make a cut of about-twenty feet, forcing the county to erect an overhead crossing over the tracks. W. H. McClelland and others petitioned the county to change the grade and the commissioner who was appointed reported in favor of the request. The railroad asserts that a grade cross will not be feasible nor practicable, owing to the height of the embankments on each side and that, further, it would be dangerous and prevent the company from running its trains in safety. It is further alleged by the railroad company that the county board has not the right to arbitrarily determine the kind of grade and that where a controversy arises it should be determined by a court of equity. It was stated last evening that the case would in all probability be settled out of court and the petition withdrawn by the railread company.

J. C. Bixby & Son have beeen awarded the contract for steam heating in the new

Puck's Domestic scap is best for laundry. Davis sells gians,

Board of Education Meeting.

The regular monthly session of the Board of Education will be held this evening, when the repairing of the Harrison street school house will come up for action. Temporary precautions have been taken to prevent the bulged out wall from colliapsing entirely, aand inasmuch as the regular meeting of the board is slated for tonight the matter On the reorganization of the board by the of awarding the contract for the permaseating of Trustees Baird, Cleaver and nent repairs was postponed until then in-

> Keep clean. Use Puck's Mechanic's soap. Davis sells paint.

Puck's Domestic soap is best, Special Police at Manawa.

W. H. Busse, a former member of the selected as secretary and Mrs. Dailey as Council Bluffs police department, and P. Lewis, have been appointed special deputy sheriffs at Lake Manawa. This is in conformity with the agreement entered into by the motor company and the city council that Council Bluffs men should be employed as special officers at the lake in return for the city council approving the appointment of Omaha men to act as special officers at Courtland beach.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street: w. d.
Augusta Stagg to Theodore Guittar,
8% lot 2, block 3, Grimes add, w. d.
W. S. Cooper and wife to Leonard
Everett, lots 7 and 10, block 18, Williams 1st add, w. d.
J. J. Stewart, administrator, to Leonard Everett, executor, lot 14, block
30, and all block 31, Beers' subdiv,
a. d. 1,250

a, d...
John Bennett and E. H. Ohlendorf, referees, signet, and nig seig 29 and swig nwig 28-76-43, r. d...
Leonard Everett and Mary L. Everett, executors, to Mason City & Fort Dodge Railroad company, right-of-way over seig nwig 23-77-41, w. d. W. d. Same to same, same over swi4 swi4 23-76-42, w. d.

23-76-42, w. d.
Same to same, same over e½ ne½ 2776-42, w. d.
Philis Bints and wife to same, same
over part nw½ nw¼ 4-76-41, w. d.
Leonard Stuckert to same, same over
nw¼ se½ 33-76-42, w. d.
Christine Reimers to same, same over
ne¼ sw½ 2-77-41, w. d.
Benjamin Forter and wife to same,
same over ne½ 33-77-41, w. d.
Frederick Hansen and wife et al to
same, same over se½ nw¼ 8-75-42,
w. d. 825 Herman Grote, sr., and wife to same, same over part nw4 ne4 18-75-42, w. d. Friend and wife et al to same, same over sets swi 23-76-42, w. d. Leonard Everett and Mary L. Everett, executors, to same, same over nets 33-7-41, w. d. Maggie Blumer and husband to same, 50 of an acre in swi nwis 14-77-51, w. d. 371

w. d.

Julius C. Hasier, trustee, to same, right-of-way over se¼ 15-77-41, w. d. George Rieder and Frank M. Compton and wives to J. W. Colt, 44 of an acre in lot 1, Auditor's subdiv, ne¼ se¼ 5-74-43, w. d.

John Evers and wife to J. W. Colt, part sw¼ nw¼ 5-74-43, w. d.

George Ronings and wife et al to same, undiv% sw¼ ne¼ nw¼ 5-74-43, w. d.

A. E. Bailey and wife to same next w. d. E. Bailey and wife to same, part lot 6, Mallett's subdiv, w. d......

Total twenty-three transfers \$29,511 NODAWAY MAN DISAPPEARS Starts for Home May 31 and Not Seen or Heard from

Since. CRESTON. Ia., July 14 .- (Special.)-The little town of Nodaway, on the Burlington seen since May 31. On that day he came to town from his home west of here, and Mr. Hazelton forwarded yesterday to after doing some trading started for home. Governor Cummins his resignation as state He never arrived and nothing has been senator. It is unlikely, however, that the heard from him. He was in the best of vacancy will be filled, as another state health and his financial affairs are said to be in the best of shape.

There is no apparent reason for his mysterious disappearance and much concern is felt over his absence.

Unique Bank Opens at Creston.

CRESTON, Ia., July 14 .- (Special.) -The new Creston Loan and Trust company bank although many small accounts have alcrease of \$100 having been granted July 1. ready been opened by small depositors. tances from about 300 smaller postoffices in back of every transaction, and is the first be the cause. this district, has charge of several rural of its kind to be opened in this part of the country. Deposits will be received from \$1 upward. J. B. Harsh is president of the new bank and H. W. Perrigo secretary.

> lows Farmer Drowns. CEDAR FALLS, la., July 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-Harry Gilbert, a young farmer, was drowned in the Black Hawk, near

THE CORPORATIONS

Telephone and Telegraph Companies Want Their Assessments Lewered.

RAILROADS ARE TO BE TAKEN UP NEXT

Iowa Telephone Company Refuses to Treat with Strikers and Fight is Now on to a Finish.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., July 14 .- (Special.)-The state executive council met this morning for the purpose of making the annual assessment of railroad, telegraph, express and telephone property, and to sit as a Board of Review in passing on the equality of the assessments in the various counties of the state. All the members were present. The work of the Board of Review could not be taken up today because not all the reports from counties are in. The reports from Dubuque, Monroe and Wright countles came in late and the figures have been put into the tables, but Linn county is still not represented. It is expected the auditor's report from Linn will arrive in a few days, when the footings will be made and the information will be turned over to the Board of Review by Mr. Gunderson, bookkeeper for the auditor of state.

The railroad assessment matter will be taken up formally tomorrow, and representatives of the railroads will be heard. The council gave a hearing today of the representatives of telegraph and telephone companies. Before noon the following were heard: E. B. Smith of Davenport for the Iowa Telephone company; Mr. Miller of Clinton, representing the Tri-State Telephone company, and Representative B. F. Cummings of Marshalltown, representing the Marshall Telephone company. They went over the telephone assessments and pointed out inequalities, from their standpoint, and generally asked that there be at least no increase in the telephone assessments. It is understood, unofficially, that the council is rather favorable to some in crease in telephone assessments.

The representatives of the Western Union Telegraph company were heard this afternoon and some others. The executive council is not yet ready

to take up the final disposition of the Burlington survey at Glenwood, although the people of Glenwood and the Burlington engineers are urging that there be no de-

Report on Orphan's Home.

The annual report of Superintendent Gass of the Iowa Soldiers and Sallors orphans' home at Davenport, was filed with the board of control today. The report shows that there were in the home July 1, a total of 474 inmates, of which 275 were soldiers' orphans and 199 county charges, there being 271 male and 203 female. The total of the year before was 439. The average attendance during the year was 470.

A new turn was taken in the telephone strike today when the organizer of the telephone operators announced there would be a fight to a finish against the Iowa company in attempting to bring about a general boycott. Manager Smith refused to further treat with representatives of the strikers. It was announced last week the strike was to be declared off today. . .

Condition of lown Crops.

ne-third of the oats crop is lying flat on the ground and cannot be saved," said Henry Wallace, the well known writer on farm topics, after a return from a trip through the rural districts of the state, "It is my opinion that the corn acreage in the lowlands and on the flats is 45 per cent of the total acreage and nearly ruined. The winter wheat is good. Almost a full crop will be realized. Pastures were never better. If conditions remain normal until the hay crop is harvested a heavy crop will be saved. I do not believe the clover has reached the stage where it can be damaged by the wet weather. It is true that clover lies flat on the ground, but it has not reached a stage where the decay-

ing-begins. "I believe the crops this year will b far better than those of 1901. There is lots of tilling in Iowa this year and wherever you find a farm well tilled you will find the soil in excellent condition for working. In my travels throughout the state I found, of course, a great many fields where the weeds are even with the corn. These fields were less frequent, however, than one would naturally suppose after the superabundance of rainfall."

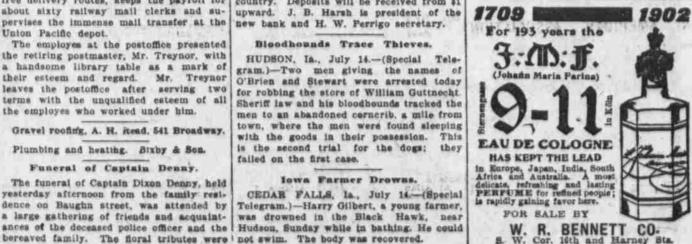
The date for the opening of bids for the new buildings at the Soldiers' home at Marshalltown has been changed from July 23 to July 31. The new buildings include an assembly hall, a hospital building, a kitchen, a smokestack 143 feet high, s laundry building, a cold storage building, a nurses' cottage and an icehouse,

Bankrupt Will Settle Claims. WATERLOO, Ia., July 14 .- (Special.)-H. W. Guy, the proprietor of the Royal hotel, who filed a petition in bankruptcy a few days ago, has asked that it be withdrawn and he will pay up. He was brought into court by some of the parties holding claims against the estate of his wife and asked to account for certain properties. Action was threatened to place him in an embarrassing position and he property under his charge and close up road west of here, is greatly interested took the above step to relieve the pressure the other business connected with the ofand will settle his claims. He was the fice. It is said that Mr. Hazelton contem- of its prominent citizens, who has not been guardian of the estate of his wife, who died recently.

> First White Child of Jefferson County PARSONVILLE, Ia., July 14 .- (Special.)

Sunday was the birthday anniversary of W. H. Coop, who was born in Jefferson July 13, 1836. He was the first white child born in Jefferson county and the anniversary was the occasion for an old-fashioned jubilee. The exercises were held at the regular hour for church services.

Old Man Tired of Life. ATLANTIC, Ia., July 14 .- (Special Telewas formerly opened to the public today, gram.)-Louis Knop, an old man 75 'years of age and an early settler of this county, committed suicide by hanging in the barn In addition to the regular business the This is a land credit bank modeled after at the county poor farm early this morn-Council Bluffs postoffice receives remit- the Franch system, in which real estate is ing. Despondency and old age appears to





THE MAN WITH THE LEVEL HEAD-Ah, you old sinner! No rest for the wicked! You will go on a bat while your wife's in the country, will you? You ought to suffer! But why didn't you do as I told you when I left you last night, and as I did myself: take a CASCARET Candy Cathartic before going to bed? You'd feel good like I do. They work while you sleep, fix up your stomach and bowels, cool your feverish liver, and make you feel fine and dandy the morn

Cloudburst Makes Torrent Out of Dry Run and Buildings Are Damaged.

RIVERS IN EASTERN IOWA OVERFLOW

kunk, Iowa and Lower Des Moines Spread Out Over Bottoms and Immense Damage Done to Property.

OSKALOOSA, July 14 .- (Special.)-A terrible storm of wind, hall and rain visited this part of Iowa Sunday and Sunday night and two inches of rain fell here. This place seemed to be the center of the district, with Grinnell on the north, where heavy hall was reported, and Eldon on the south, the limits. The rainfall here was the hardest of the year and there was much damage also by reason of wind.

At What Cheer was the hardest of the storm. At 3 o'clock this morning what amounted to a cloudburst occurred at the head of a dry run which trends directly through the city of What Cheer. Usually this is entirely dry, but this morning the water came down in a torrent four feet deep and swept through the heart of the city, taking everything before it. Nine buildings were moved from their foundations, including the Methodist church. One farge building, the Palace livery barn, was carried a mile down the stream and lodged in the trees.

The following buildings were moved from their foundations: Methodist church, Palace livery barn, Ed Manny, livery stable; Ed Crow, chophouse; Neiman's saloon, Swan laundry, J. N. Wilson, restaurant; Stanley's lumber office and yards, Standard Oil company, gasoline tank.

A number of residences were moved from their foundations, but not carried away. The people barely had time to get out of their houses and escape without making any effort to save their property. The loss is conservatively estimated at \$25,000.

Improvement at Des Moines.

wo rivers which meet here is becoming better. The rivers are down about five now in their banks and the work of repairing levees and rebuilding roads and representative in the council to look after bridges has already commenced. All the heavy rains of last night were in the southeastern part of the state and will not affect the river at this point.

There is no doubt that the ice supply in Des Moines the rest of the summer will fall must answer to a serious charge. While short of the demand. Three houses have at work in his shop this afternoon he threw been wrecked by the floods and hundreds a four pound-hammer at a 13-year-old boy, of tons of ice either floated away or will The result is a large indentation in the melt in the black waters around the plants. boys skull above the left ear. The boy had say the Skunk is over a mile wide in some provoked the blacksmith, who warned the places and is filled with buildings and car- boy that he would get the hammer if he casses of dead animals. Residents along the did not cease. The boy threw the light three rivers, further down, are moving out once more with above result. The lad may in anticipation of a situation similar to survive. Brooks was arrested and will be that which prevailed here. Between Eddy- given a preliminary hearing tomorrow at ville and Ottumwa on the Des Moines and 10 a. m. the territory along the Rock Island be-

tween Oskalocea and Knoxville the situation is said to be the most serious ever known. At Oskaloosa, Ottumwa, Keosauqua and other towns in this section severe electrical storms were reported last night and nearly two inches of rainfall. At Ottumwa two houses were struck by light-Ottumwa a Heavy Sufferer.

The crest of the flood in the Des Moines river has now reached Ottumwa and is rapidly drawing toward the towns farther down stream. The Des Moines has risen six feet at Ottumwa since yesterday morning and is still rising. It is eighteen feet above low-water mark and has driven eighty-four families from their homes.

Traffic on the Rock Island and Iowa Central railways has been abandoned and it was suspended temporarily on the main line of the Burlington, trains being compelled to make a detour from Ottumwa on the Wabash yesterday. Eddyville and Oskaloosa report great

damage from floods and heavy rains last night. The Skunk river at Brighton and the Iowa river at Iowa City are at their highest points, submerging many houses and doing great damage.

Iowa Central Tied Up. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., July 14 .- Im-

mense property damage has been done the lowa Central railroad by high water in the Skunk river. Several hundred feet of track has been washed away and approaches to the Skunk river bridge undermined, rendering it unsafe for use. There has been much damage between Hugent and Ollie, culverts being washed out. Passenger trains are running ten to twelve hours late and a number have been annuled altogether.

IOWA CITY, July 14 .- (Special.)-The Iowa river has joined the Des Moines in its rampage and has overflowed its banks, inundated adjacent roads and submerged property in a manner unprecedented since 1881. Property loss will be large. The swollen stream is now almost a quarter of a mile wide here-whereas the normal width is but a little over thirty feet. This tremendous rise has all come in forty-

Small grain fields and all of the cornfields immediately along the river are in-

live stock has been reported lost.

BAD STORM AT WHAT CHEER undated and will be very much damaged. \$5.00 stream of water poured into ft steadily all day, and last night the water was standing about five feet higher than usual. The rise is due entirely to the heavy rains in the central part of the state, for it has not rained hard in this county since last Tuesday.

Brenks Over Leeves.

KEOKUK, Ia., July 14 .- Just as the Des Moines river began to fall at the lower portion after the floods from the upper waters, another flood came and caught everybody by surprise. At the mouth the river rose eight feet today and tonight it is still rising one inch an hour, notwithstanding the breaking of levees.

The levee of the Keokuk Canning company broke this morning early and 1,000 acres of cucumbers and tomatoes and 2,000 acres of corn were flooded. The loss of the canning company is \$10,000 and to the farmers twice as much more. The total loss here today is about \$30,000 and there is danger that this will be quadrupled in Clark county, which is protected now by only the Egyptian levee, the last stand against the advancing waters. The cause of the flood was a cloudburst near Given, In., with a rainfall of five inches over a large section near the river. All points between here and Ottumwa will suffer great damage and the loss in the lower fifty miles of the Des Moines river totals hundreds of thousands of dollars, chiefly to fine cornfields.

The indications tonight are that the Egyptian leves may be held by its watchers through the night.

SIOUX CITY MAY LOSE SUBURB Leeds Declares Intention of Withdrawing and Setting Up Muntcipal Government.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-Sloux City is threatened with the secession of one of its most populous suburbs. Leeds, situated on the northeast, is exercised over a proposed scheme to annex the Second precinct of the Third ward to Leeds and has served notice through its alderman, C. A. Nuessle, that if the plan is DES MOINES, July 14 .- (Special.) - The put into execution, the suburb will withdraw flood situation in Des Moines and along the and set up a town government of its own. Leeds has a republican majority and the feet from the high water marks of last casts more votes than the Leed's ward, is week and are steadily declining. They are democratic. The people of Leeds fear the loss of the alderman and ineist they need a

Blacksmith Strikes Boy with Hammer

DUNLAP, Ia., July 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-M. Brooks, a Dunlap blacksmith Telegrams from Brighton and Coppock been throwing a reflection from a glass and

New Methodist Church Dediented.

CARROLL, Is., July 14.—(Special.)— Carroll's new \$17,000 Methodist Episcopal church was dedicated today, free from debt, Bishop I. W. Joyce of Minnespolis delivering the dedicating sermon. Practically all of the \$4,700 was raised at the close of services in less than half an hour. About a year ago excavating for the basement of this church was begun. It can be truly said that the Carroll church is one of the finest in the district, having a seating capacity of about 700.

Citizens Oppose Gas Franchise. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., July 14 .- (Special.)

-Wednesday evening the city council will consider the gas franchise which is asked the combined electric companies of this city and Waterloo. The plan is to pipe the gas to this city. The measure will meet with opposition by both aldermen and citizens, who do not favor its passage in its present form, as they think better protection should be guaranteed the users of gas for the future.

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Carter's Little Liver Pills.

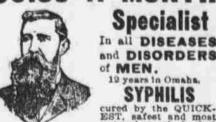
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