

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis seizes drugs. Expert watch repairing. Letter, 406 B. Y. Annual reduction on picture and picture framing.

We are headquarters for ideas of all kinds. See us before you buy. C. B. Faint, Oil and Glass company.

William Goodwin of Malvern, Ia., died yesterday from paralysis at St. Bernard's hospital, where he had been a patient for three weeks.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Christian church will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. E. Gillespie, 544 Myrtle street.

J. F. Letton, who recently resigned the management of the Grand hotel, left yesterday morning for Kansas City to join his wife, who is undergoing treatment there.

Rev. Allen Judd will conduct services at Grace Episcopal church Friday as follows: Holy communion, at 9:30 a. m.; confirmation class, at 4:30 p. m.; evening prayer, at 7:30 o'clock.

The members of the Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic, will meet at 7 o'clock Friday afternoon at the corner of Broadway and Twentieth streets to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. J. J. Carter.

Thieves attempted to break into Tom Connors' saloon, at Tenth avenue and Main street, Tuesday night, but were frightened away after they had succeeded in opening the front door by breaking off the glass.

Wanted, to rent part of rear room by responsible firm, on long time lease. An exceptional good chance for some one having spare room to let. Address O. Bee office, Council Bluffs.

Members of the Municipal Reform league deny any connection with the recently inaugurated crusade against the Sunday night theater. They are not interested in greater evils which should be attacked first.

D. Richards, the elderly farmer from Hastings, Ia., who, while drunk, mistook a bank of snow for a feather bed and was nearly frozen when discovered by a neighbor, was released yesterday morning from the city jail after serving a two-month term.

George Shivers, arrested Tuesday night on the charge of stealing a ham from the city jail, was released yesterday morning to the county jail to serve out the balance of a former sentence of thirty days for the theft of a ham near Griswold.

H. G. Auld of Wright township, former member of the Board of County Supervisors, who for the last year has been on the Pacific coast, was a visitor at the court-house yesterday for the first time since his return to his home near Griswold two months ago.

According to a weekly paper published in the east end of the county, the Avoca Telephone company is planning an extension to South Omaha in the near future. Also the construction of a number of new lines from Avoca into adjoining territory and to Griswold.

The receipts in the Council Bluffs post-office during January were \$2,544.88, being slightly less than during the same month in 1902. The first business day of this month, however, made up for the deficiency, the sales being \$2,600 in excess of the same day last year.

Hazel camp No. 11, Modern Woodmen of America, will observe its twenty-fifth anniversary this evening at its hall in the Meridian block. A feature of the celebration will be the old original work on an original candidate from opening to closing by the charter members of the order. All members of the order are invited to attend.

Herold, the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Braden, 218 Story street, died yesterday afternoon from pneumonia, after an illness of nine days. The funeral will be private, and will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence, and burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. Rev. W. J. Calfee, pastor of Broadway Methodist church, will conduct the services.

The motor company had a large force of men at work clearing the snow from the intersection of Broadway and Pearl street. The John Hago company also had a number of men at work clearing away the snow from that portion of Broadway in front of its building. Street Commissioner Galt had a number of men clearing the crossings which had become impassable with the snow.

Rev. J. S. Kirtley, D. D., of Kansas City will deliver two free lectures today at the First Baptist church, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon his subject will be "Making All Work A Joy." The social invitation has been extended to the members of the women's clubs to attend this lecture. In the evening he will lecture on "In the Barefoot Kingdom."

Miss Myrtle Worley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Worley, 416 Broadway, died yesterday afternoon from consumption, aged 32 years. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence, and interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. Rev. W. S. Barnes, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of which Miss Worley was a member, will conduct the services.

Mrs. Mary DeForest, widow of J. L. DeForest, died yesterday at the home of her son, J. L. DeForest, at 1117 Broadway. She was 90 years old, and death was due to the influenza of old age. Her husband was a veteran of the civil war, having served in Company I, Forty-third regiment, Missouri volunteers. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Adams, 11 North Twentieth street. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery. A daughter, Mrs. Margaret Law, is a resident of Nebraska City, and another, Mrs. Anna Cramer, lives in Omaha.

Plumbing and heating, Hixby & Son. Rooms for Commercial Club. The executive committee of the Commercial club yesterday opened negotiations for the first floor of the Woodbury building, on Pearl street, adjoining the Grand hotel, for quarters for the club. The rooms which are commodious have until recently been occupied as law offices. With but slight alterations, it is said, they can be made suitable for the club.

Louis Zurnmueler, Jr., who has been employed by the club to collect dues and recruit new members, is meeting with remarkable success. Although but two days at work, he has succeeded in securing a number of new members, and is experiencing no trouble in collecting the entrance fee and first quarter's dues from those who signed the membership roll. Mr. Zurnmueler expresses the opinion that the membership will reach the 500 mark.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., Tel. 250. Night, 1967. Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Table with columns: Name and Residence, Age. Albert Wolfgram, Madison, Neb., 27; Rosa Gieseler, Council Bluffs, 25; H. F. Meisner, Toledo, O., 27; Isabelle Nichols, Omaha, 24; Will Thoms, Omaha, 24; Lillian Felix, Omaha, 23.

LOOK ELSEWHERE FOR LIBRARY SITE. Declaration is announced to fight for City's Right to Big Lake Park to Court of Last Resort if Necessary.

"The Carnegie public library building will never be erected in the center of Baylis park. Those who are agitating the park as a site for the new library building may as well understand this now as later. The Board of Park Commissioners will never give its consent to any portion of this park being utilized as a site for the library." This was the emphatic statement of the entire Board of Park Commissioners at the regular monthly session yesterday afternoon.

In making this statement the board advised that the library trustees had not up to date made any suggestion that they had even considered Baylis park as a site for the new building, but some of the papers had suggested this location. A passer-by one of the churches, the commissioners had in a public statement to the park being utilized as a site for the new library. He said: "Few cities if any possess a prettier little park than Council Bluffs has in Baylis park and it would be a sacrifice to place a large building like the new library will be in the center of it. The authority of the board in such matters is absolute and the trustees of the public library will have to look elsewhere for a location for the new building."

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SCORES TEMPERANCE PEOPLE

Anti-Saloon Crusader Resigns and Takes a Parting Shot at Everybody in General.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Assigning as his reason for resigning the superintendency of the Sioux City anti-saloon league that he has been made the cal's-paw of the temperance people, and because he refused to do their dirty work any longer without remuneration and support, Rev. T. E. Carter abandoned the war on the saloons. Rev. Carter was made the superintendent of the league a few months ago, and at once inaugurated one of the most bitter anti-saloon feuds ever prosecuted in Sioux City. Acting under the provisions of the Martin law, he secured injunctions against nearly every saloon in the city. The feeling was as intense as it was previous to the time when Rev. George C. Haddock was shot down on Fourth street by saloon men. Carter received threatening letters, and it was said he had abandoned his activity on that account. In refutation of this statement he has come out in a letter resigning and bitterly assailing the temperance people for non-support, the city administration and the newspapers.

TRAIN RUNS INTO CARRIAGE

One of Occupants Fatally Injured and the Other Severely Bruised.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—During the furious storm of last night a Northwestern train ran into a buggy occupied by Mrs. Cyrus Beeghly and Miss Phyllis Strohm. Mrs. Beeghly was badly hurt and Miss Strohm had her skull crushed. She died today. After running them down the Northwestern train backed into Pearson, where the crew reported the accident. The injured people were left in the snow for half an hour, and would have been covered with snow had not Mrs. Beeghly recovered and put in the unconscious Miss Strohm. The conductor averred as his reason for doing so that he had recently had trouble because he had removed the body of a person killed before the body had been viewed by the coroner.

PHILIPPINE VETERANS ELECT

Donald MacCrex, Jr., of Council Bluffs Chosen President of Association for Ensuing Year.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—The annual meeting of the Iowa State Society of the Army of the Philippines was held here yesterday. There were about 100 delegates present from the seven camps represented in the association and states. Any soldier who served in the Philippines up to July 4, 1902, is eligible to membership in the society.

FATHER CARES FOR BOY.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Teddy DeVoe, the 11-year-old highwayman who was convicted at the last term of court of assault and robbery, was today sent to his father at St. Joseph, who promised to take care of him. It is understood that the young man who served in the Christian Brothers' home at that place and remain there until he is of age. DeVoe was arrested several months ago, but escaped from the officers and beat his way to Deaver, where he was captured and brought back, and when he appeared in court this time he was found after a long search stowed away in a boxcar with a supply of clothes and grub ready to leave town. Though young, he has caused the officers more trouble than many an older criminal. Young Hanson, 15 years old, who was implicated with him in the holdup, was sent to the reform school.

Looks Like Firebug's Work.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—The home of Charles Robinson of Afton was destroyed by fire yesterday. The house was built of native lumber and burned slowly, so the neighbors were able to save most of the household goods, but the town being without fire protection the house could not be saved. The loss will be about \$1,000, covered by insurance. How it caught is not known as the family was not at home at the time. This is the third house that has burned in or near Afton in the last two weeks while the family was away and there is strong suspicion that a gang of firebugs is at work in that vicinity.

Storm Delays Traffic.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—Business of all kinds is almost at a standstill in Creston from the effects of a severe blizzard that visited there parts Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning. Snow fell to the depth of ten inches and, driven by a northeast wind, drifted to the depth of eight feet. Railroad and wagon traffic was greatly interfered with and in some cases stopped entirely. The thermometer registered near zero. During the heaviest part of the snowstorm sharp flashes of lightning and heavy peals of thunder were noticed in the south.

Pneumonia.

This is one of the most dangerous and often fatal diseases. It always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy quickly cures these diseases and contracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It is made especially for these and similar ailments and can always be depended upon.

FUNERAL CHARGES TOO HIGH

Supreme Court Admonishes Rebuke to a Cedar Rapids Undertaker.

LAWYER'S TALK REVERSES A VERDICT

Greenwood Institute for Feeble Minded Sends Some Samples of Work Done by Inmates—Memorial for Judge Hubbard.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Feb. 4.—(Special.)—The supreme court of Iowa has fixed a limit on the cost of funerals for men of lowly station. A Cedar Rapids undertaker named Foley had been called to take charge of the funeral of one Edward Lynch, who had been a janitor at a railroad station, but who left property valued at about \$5,000, with no relatives. The undertaker thought it was a good thing to have a big funeral and he sent in a bill for \$250, which the administrator refused to pay, because the expenses were extravagant and foolish, considering the deceased's estate and his social standing and station in life. The undertaker got a judgment for \$450. The supreme court today judgment that this was excessive and that it was evident the undertaker had given the deceased the best he had without regard to expense merely because he believed nobody would complain, as there were no known relatives to contest the bill. The court said that a man dying leaving an estate of less than \$5,000 should have a casket costing \$425 and that his estate should be burdened with funeral expenses amounting to \$250 in the short of ridiculous. Courts will not permit such an injustice to be perpetrated no matter what the findings of the jury. Undertaker Foley is given the option of scaling his bill to \$150 and paying all the costs of the appeal or having another try at it with the jury.

Escapes Judgment for Damages.

The court also reversed the case of Sullivan against The Rock Island Railroad Company, from Guthrie county, where the plaintiff secured a judgment of \$7,500 against the company on account of injuries to his spine by falling as he was getting off a train. The attorney for the plaintiff made improper statements to the jury in opening the case, referring indirectly to the personal notes of the defendant company, and, although the trial court ruled this out as objectionable, the supreme court says it was prejudicial. There were other errors and new evidence after the trial was sufficient on which to secure a second trial.

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embalming and after the body has been wrapped in cotton and all the orifices of the body have been closed. Specific requirements are made also as to the nature of the casket in which the body is shipped.

W. S. Carpenter, who is a member of the executive committee of the undertakers' association, said today that the principal way in which the law has been broken in the past is in not wrapping the bodies in cotton.

Blind-Deaf Child in Hospital.

Mrs. Emma Stein and her daughter, Eva, came from Knoxville today and the child was placed in the Methodist hospital, where she will be examined by the best physicians in the city. The child is 7 years old and blind and almost deaf. It is thought possible that a surgical operation may restore the child's hearing, but if not the state will take charge of her education at any rate and care for her. She has been utterly neglected to this time. Expenses of about \$100 has been raised with which to make a beginning in the education of the girl.

Saw Fugitive Richards.

Evidence has reached Iowa authorities that W. A. Richards, the missing ex-deputy United States marshal charged with engineering the sensational holding of the Sullivan at Hamilton four weeks ago, is sojourning in Mexico. Jefferson Wiley, a well known character in Des Moines and Polk county, claims to have seen Richards this side of El Paso, Tex., less than three weeks ago, and to have ridden with him over the Rock Island a distance of 100 miles.

Mother Saves Her Child.

CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 4.—(Special.)—The mother's heroic and heroic courage of a mother saved the life of a little girl at Afton yesterday. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bird was playing near an open grate when her clothes took fire and she ran into the room where her mother was working. The mother caught the little one in her arms and soon had the fire extinguished. Mrs. Bird's arms were badly blistered and the girl was seriously burned, but it is thought that she will recover.

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Navy Department Pushes Repair Work on Pacific Coast.

HONDURAS REVOLUTION LEADS TO ORDER

Admirals Change Plans, Casey Succeeding Class One Week Earlier Than Was Originally Intended.

MARE ISLAND NAVY YARD, Cal., Feb. 4.—Rush orders have been received from Washington ordering that all work on vessels now in the navy yard be completed with the greatest possible dispatch.

In view of his orders, Admiral Glass turned over the presidency to a council of admirals in commission in this harbor will be on their way to Ampala, Honduras, early next week.

New York, Boston and Ranger are now in the bay ready to start on short notice. In view of his orders, Admiral Glass today relieved Admiral Casey in the command of the Pacific fleet. It had been arranged that the flags of the admirals should be changed on February 10.

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