NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.
Stockert sells carpets.
Expert watch repairing. Leffert, 409 B'y.
Celebrated Metz beer on tap. Neumayer.
FOR rent—Modern house. 719 Sixth ave.
Cabinet photos, 25c per dozen. 308 B'way.
Real estate in all parts of the city for sale. Thomas E. Casady, 235 Pearl street.
Herman Lund is seriously ill at his home on Vine street.
Harry Z. Haas is convalescent from a severe attack of the grip.
Before papering your rooms see Brenneman for fine goods and work. 'Phone 3465.
For furniture and anything in the house furnishing line see D. W. Keller, 407 Broadway.
Jewel court, Tribe of Ben Hur, will entertain its members and their friends at a box social Tuesday evening.
Another half-price sale on short lengths of picture frame mouldings. C. E. Alexander & Co., 323 Broadway.
Before papering your rooms we want to show you our elegant 1903 designs. C. B. Paint, Oil and Glass company.
If you are looking for a baby carriage or go-cart see those on display at D. W. Keller's, 407 Broadway. They cannot be beaten for the price.
The board of directors and finance committee of the Council Bluffs Woman's club will meet Monday afternoon at the clubrooms at 4 o'clock.
L. G. Consigney of Avoca, candidate for the republican nomination for county treasurer, was in the city yesterday looking after his political fences.
If any of W. S. Homer's customers wish to give immediate orders and will notify E. B. Morehouse, 1009 Fourth avenue, they will receive prompt attention.
Schmidt's elegant new photos, very latest shapes and sizes, $1.50, $2 and $2.50 dozen; large sizes, $3 and $3.50 dozen. First-class work guaranteed Schmidt, 531 Broadway.
Thirty-five teachers took the examination Friday and Saturday for state certificates, conducted by County Superintendent McManus at his office in the county courthouse.
Our spring stock of carpets, rugs, window curtains, portieres, oilcloths and linoleum, is the most complete in the city. Our prices are always the lowest. D. W. Keller, 407 Broadway.
Members of True council, Knights and Ladies of Security, desiring to visit the South Omaha council Monday evening will meet at the corner of Pearl street and Broadway at 7 o'clock.
We are closing out the balance of our slightly damaged sewing machines at very low prices. Call early if you want to take advantage of this offer. The Singer Sewing Machine company, 331 Broadway.
The funeral of Thomas Kirkland will be held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. M. Foster, on Nineteenth street and Fifth avenue. Interment will be in Prospect cemetery, Omaha.
A special examination of applicants for positions as rural mail route carriers will be held Monday morning at the postoffice building at 7:30 o'clock. The examination will be conducted by Alexander Charles of Cedar Rapids.
The preliminary hearing of James Burke, charged with the theft of clothing and other articles from a Main street restaurant, has been continued in Justice Ouren's court to permit the grand jury to take action in the case.
The Council Bluffs Trades and Labor assembly has elected these delegates to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Labor to be held in Davenport May 12: J. L. Smith and F. E. Marlowe of the Carpenters' union and Harvey A. DeLong of the Typographical union. The alternates are: F. Raph, William Seymour and T. D. King.
The hearing of Otto Kahler, bartender in the Red Light saloon on Broadway, charged with embezzling $30 belonging to David McKnight, who alleged he entrusted the money to Kahler to keep for him, was continued in Justice Carson's court yesterday for one week. In the meantime the grand jury, now in session, will investigate the case.

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

Omaha Elks Defeated.

The return bowling match between the Council Bluffs and Omaha Elks on the alleys of the Council Bluffs clubhouse resulted in the defeat of the Omahans by forty pins. The visiting team was entertained at supper at the Grand hotel after the game by the Bluffs team. The score:

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Searle	177	174	129	480
Deetken	186	188	177	551
Hafer	145	145	169	459
Etnyre	181	198	165	544
Wilcox	171	169	172	512
Totals	860	874	812	2,546

OMAHA.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Reed	182	170	221	573
Boyd	141	178	134	453
Lucas	155	188	158	501
O'Brien	188	148	155	491
Krug	139	145	204	488
Totals	805	829	872	2,506

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 126 Main St.

Pastor Invites Saloonmen.

All the saloon keepers of the city, including the landlords of the different hotels in which saloons are conducted, received yesterday copies of the following circular letter from Pastor Buriff of Trinity Methodist church:

Dear Sir: I am glad that under existing conditions you have the opportunity for Sunday rest. You and your employes are cordially invited to attend the services at the Trinity Methodist church next Sunday. You will hear only gospel sermons, with no personal matter interjected, hearty congregational singing, and will receive a cordial and hearty welcome and uniformly courteous treatment.

Trusting that the invitation may be received and accepted with a full persuasion of the sincerity with which it is extended, I am sincerely yours.

A. E. BURIFF,
Pastor Trinity Methodist Church.

Mr. Henry in Charge.

Mr. S. F. Henry has purchased a large interest in the Evans laundry, 522 Pearl street, and has again assumed the management of the concern. Additional improvements of the most modern types of machinery for turning out laundry work of all kinds have been put in, and this laundry is now prepared to do everything that pertains to laundry work in the best possible manner, and can sustain better than ever the enviable position it occupies in this city and vicinity. If you have some exceptionally fine work, or a family washing, telephone 290 and a wagon will call promptly for your bundle.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Nellie M. Currie and husband to E. H. Lougee, e½ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼ 20-76-41, w. d. $8,400
Albert W. Casady and wife to W. H. Klippack, lots 17 and 18, Thomas Elder's add., w. d. 1,200
James P. Zimmerman and wife to Jens Christiansen, lot 4 and e½ lots 5, 6 and 7, block 2, Avoca, w. d. 1,200
Hiram V. Stead and wife to Soren Peterson, lot 8, block 19, Gatesburg add., w. d. 550
H. A. Terry and wife to Caroline Frost, lots 1 to 6, block 170, Crescent, w. d. 121
P. A. Warren to J. P. Greenshields, lot 9, block 30, Perry's 1st add., w. d. 1
T. J. Evans to same, lots 11 to 15, block 20, Perry's 1st add., w. d. 275
Receivers of Officer & Pusey to same, lots 7, 8 and 10, block 30, Perry's 1st add., q. d. 90
Robert Bleakly and wife to F. A. Warren, lot 9, block 30, Perry's 1st add., w. d. 100
Nine transfers, total $11,817

LEWIS CUTLER
MORTICIAN.
'3 Pearl St., Council Bluffs. 'Phone 9.

SETTLE THE HOLMAN ESTATE

Half of Judgment Against Motor Company Goes to Attorneys.

CREDITORS AND HEIRS GET REMAINDER

Farmer Pleads Misrepresentation by Agent as a Defense Against Note Given to a Medical Institute.

A settlement was finally reached yesterday in the matter of the estate of Mrs. Emma Holman and a decree in accordance with the terms of the settlement was entered by Judge Wheeler of the district court. The estate originally amounted to $14,049, being a judgment of $12,000, interest and costs obtained by Mrs. Holman against the motor company. Of this Mrs. Holman's attorneys, Flickinger Bros., received $7,024.58. James Holman, the husband, receives $2,300 and Mrs. Roth, mother of Mrs. Holman, who cared for her during her sickness, receives $2,804.83. Frank Reed, administrator, receives $193 for his services and the balance is divided up among numerous creditors.

Mrs. Alma Murphy was granted a divorce by Judge Wheeler yesterday from W. A. Murphy and given the custody of the minor son.

O. H. France, a farmer living near Osceola, Ia., has filed an answer to the suit brought against him by John W. Creekmur to recover on a note for $150 given by France in favor of the University Medical institute. France alleges that he gave the note on the representation that the institute was a branch of the Chicago university, which, he says, he has since learned is not the case. He says that a stranger called at his residence on the farm one day and volunteered to make a medical examination of France, his wife and daughter. The stranger, so France alleges, worked upon his credulity by informing him that he (France) was imminently threatened with paralysis; that his wife's system was filled with a dangerous poison and that his daughter was afflicted with a dangerous and progressive malady.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., Tel. 250. Night, F467.

With the Churches.

German Methodist Episcopal Church, Thirty-second and North Seventh Street, Rev. Henry Muenster, Pastor—Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. H. Zimmerman, presiding elder of the Burlington district, will conduct the meetings and administer the Lord's supper in the morning. He is expected to remain a few days to help in the meetings which are now being held at the church every evening except Saturday. The meetings are held in German and will probably be continued till Easter. All German friends very cordially invited.

Rev. George Edward Walk, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, will preach this morning on "Religion for Busy People." At the vesper service he will speak on "Some Important Epochs in Church History." Lenten services will be held this week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons at 4:30 o'clock.

At Grace Episcopal church, Lay Reader Edwin Abbott will conduct morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday school will be held at 9:45 a. m.

This will be the order of services today at the Fifth Avenue Methodist church: Class meeting at 9:45 a. m., Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday school at noon, Junior league meeting at 3 p. m., Epworth league meeting at 6:30 p. m. In the morning the pastor, Rev. J. W. Abel, will preach on "Gethsemane." His subject in the evening will be "The Message of the Cross."

At Trinity Methodist church, the pastor, Rev. A. E. Buriff, will preach in the morning on the subject, "Rest." His theme in the evening will be "The Lamb of God."

Rev. Newman H. Burdick will speak both morning and evening today at the Second Presbyterian church. Assisted by W. Henry Collisson, he will continue the evangelistic services each evening of this week, except Saturday.

Rev. James Thomson, pastor of the First Congregational church, will deliver one of his popular illustrated lectures on "The Life of Christ" this evening. His subject will embrace incidents from the raising of Lazarus to Christ's entry into Jerusalem. At the morning service Rev. Thomson will preach on "Christian Courage."

This evening, at the First Baptist church, the pastor, Rev. Milford Riggs, will preach especially for the young people of the church and the ordinance of baptism will be administered. Preaching services will be at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school will be at noon and the Young People's union meeting at 6:30 p. m.

At Broadway Methodist church these services will be held today, the pastor, Rev. W. J. Calfee, preaching both morning and evening: 10:30 a. m., preaching service, 12 noon, Sunday school; 6:30 p. m., Epworth league; 7:30 p. m., preaching service.

Elder James Caffall will preach this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Latter Day Saints' church and Elder Edward Rannie of Omaha will occupy the pulpit in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school will be held at noon. The quarterly business meeting of the church will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The First Church of Christ (Scientist) will hold services at 11 o'clock this morning in the Sapp building, when the subject of the lesson will be "Unreality." The regular testimony meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Second Church of Christ (Scientist) will hold services in Modern Woodmen hall, in Merriam block, at 10:45 a. m.; subject, "Unreality." Sunday school immediately after the service. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:45.

"A Model Church" will be the subject of Rev. W. B. Crowdson's sermon this morning at the First Christian church. In the evening his topic will be "A Church Divine." Services will be held at the following hours: Bible school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor meeting at 3 p. m.; Senior Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Correct Visiting Cards

At DeLong's, 307 Broadway.

Commercial Club Doings.

Commissioner W. W. Loomis will represent the Council Bluffs Commercial club at the Good Roads convention to be held in Des Moines, April 15, prior to the International and National Good Roads convention to be held in St. Louis, April 27 to May 2. To these conventions the Board of County Supervisors is entitled to name five delegates Mayor Morgan, three delegates, and the Commercial club, one delegate. Mayor Morgan has not yet anounced his selection and the county board is expected to name its delegates at its meeting in April.

The executive committee of the Commercial club at its regular weekly meeting yesterday selected a design for a lapel button. The button will be of straw color with the word "Booster" in red letters across the face, while around the edge in small black letters will be the words "Council Bluffs Commercial Club."

The committee yesterday distributed among the members of the club cards to be hung in their places of business or offices, bearing the legend, "We are members of the Commercial club, the Boosters," and in the corner a small map showing Council Bluffs and its connections with nine trunk railroad systems.

The committee finally decided that it was too late in the day to consider the proposition of entertaining the Iowa State Firemen's tournament in Council Bluffs this year, and Chief Templeton was requested to so notify E. I. Alderman of Marion, secretary of the state association.

Easter Cards and Novelties.

DeLong, printer and stationer.

Chance to Enter Naval Academy.

Congressman Walter I. Smith has received word of the assignment to this district of one of the appointments for 1903 of cadets to the United States Naval academy at Annapolis, under the recent act of congress increasing the number of cadets at that institution by 100 per cent for the next ten years in order to provide officers for the increasing navy.

To fill this appointment Congressman Smith has announced a competitive examination to be held at Red Oak Tuesday, April 7. All young men living in the district, comprising the counties of Adair, Audubon, Cass, Guthrie, Harrison, Mills, Montgomery, Pottawattamie and Shelby, and between the ages of 15 and 20, are eligible to enter into the competition for the place and take the examination at Red Oak. This examination will be for both mental and physical fitness of the applicants, and will be conducted by a board of three disinterested men—a physician and two educated men of prominence in the district.

The applicant receiving the highest markings at this examination will be nominated as principal, and the next three will be selected as alternates in the order in which they pass.

The principal nominated as the result of the competitive examination at Red Oak will take an official examination as to his mental qualifications on April 21, probably at Omaha or Des Moines. The alternates will also be examined officially at this time if they so desire. In case the principal passes the entrance examination on April 21 he will then be appointed, subject to a physical examination to be undergone at Annapolis. Should the principal fail at either the mental or physical examination the alternates will then be considered in the order in which they stand.

When this appointment shall have been made the Ninth district will have two cadets at the academy, the present one being Allan J. Chantry, jr., of Mills county, appointed last summer following a competitive examination in which a dozen young men participated at Atlantic.

Correct Wedding Invitations.

DeLong's is the only place in the city where they are made. 307 Broadway.

Concert, Broadway M. E. Choir

Assisted by Robert Cuscaden, violinist; Mrs. L. R. Hypes, soprano, and J. H. Sims, organist, on Tuesday evening, March 31.

Church Choir Concert.

The Broadway Methodist Episcopal church will give its annual concert Tuesday evening at the church, assisted by Robert Cuscaden of Omaha, violinist; Mrs. L. R. Hypes, soprano; Prof. J. H. Sims, organist, and other well known talent. The program is as follows:

PART I.
Excerpts from Gaul's "Joan of Arc"—
(a) Movement Pastorale.
(b) Chorus—Hail Beautiful Morning.
(c) Tenor Air—There Is No One Like Her.
Mr. Lucius Pryor.
Violin—Legend Pathetique ..... Bohm
Mr. Cuscaden.
Duet—Selected .....
Miss Crane and Dr. Lewis.
PART II.
Organ—Marche Funebre and Hymn of the Seraphs ..... Guilmant
Mr. J. H. Sims.
Quartet—The Miller's Daughter (madrigal) ..... Ellis
Vocal—Doest Thou Know That Sweet Land, from "Mignon" ..... Thomas
Mrs. L. R. Hypes, with violin obligato by Mr. Cuscaden.
Violin—Madrigal ..... Simonetti
Mr. Cuscaden.
Cantata—The Story of Calvary ... Schnecker
Choir. Dr. Lewis, narrator. Miss Etta Ellis, organist.

The spring term of the Western Iowa college begins tomorrow. Now is the time for those to enter who wish to prepare themselves for teachers, bookkeepers or stenographers. Enter now and be prepared to go to work the first of September. A number of pupils from the public schools will enter Monday.

PAST WEEK IN BLUFFS SOCIETY

Literature Department of Woman's Club Gives Reception Friday Evening.

Mrs. E. L. Brown is visiting relatives in Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Todd are visiting in Colorado Springs.

Mrs. Ernest E. Hart of Park avenue is at Colfax Springs, Ia.

Mrs. Dailey entertained informally at whist Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mattingly have gone to Scholes, Neb., to live.

Mrs. C. W. McDonald is home from a sojourn at Colfax Springs, Ia.

Mrs. J. R. Bloom of Carroll, Ia., is the guest of Mrs. J. J. Evers of Fourth street.

Mrs. C. W. McDonald has returned from a two weeks' sojourn at Colfax Springs, Ia.

Miss Nora Bradley has gone to Chicago on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. B. Daniger.

Mrs. C. R. Cornelius and children left last evening on a visit to relatives at Freeport, Ill.

The University club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. W. Askwith of Mill street.

Mrs. J. R. Lambert left Friday on a visit to relatives in Cincinnati and other Ohio points.

Miss Genevieve Baldwin will leave this week for the east to spend the summer months.

Miss Marie Peterson left yesterday to spend the vacation with friends at Cedar Falls, Ia.

Miss Troutman entertained the members of the Euchre club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mary J. Stephenson will leave this morning for a month's visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry of Manning, Ia., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillard of Glen avenue.

Miss Jensen of the high school faculty has gone to Dakota to spend the vacation with relatives.

Mrs. C. R. Graves has gone to Des Moines to visit friends and relatives during the spring vacation.

Mrs. M. E. Harkness has returned from a several months' visit with friends and relatives at St. Paul, Minn.

Mrs. Arthur B. Sweeting of Chicago is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oliver of Park avenue.

Mrs. John N. Baldwin left last evening for a short visit with friends at Chicago and other eastern points.

Miss Flora Van Order of the high school faculty, accompanied by her mother, has gone to Phoenix, Ariz., in the hopes of benefiting her health.

Miss Jensen of the high school faculty is

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INEBRIATES ARE EXPENSIVE

Care of Them in Asylums is Running Many Iowa Counties Into Debt.

CUMMINS KEEPS OUT OF LAKE BED CASE

State Superintendent Invited to Attend Patriotic Exercises in Public Schools at Calumpit, Philippine Islands.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, March 28.—(Special.)—There is almost a rebellion in official circles in this county on account of the expense to the county of the operations of the new law for cure of the inebriates. The county officials have found that because of this law the insane fund of the county is likely to be exhausted long before the middle of the fiscal year and the county will be running in debt to the state. The law providing for the detention of inebriates at the state hospitals provides that they shall be treated as insane persons so far as it relates to their care. The state takes charge of all who are sent to the hospitals by the judges and the counties are made to pay for their support at the rate of $12 a month. If the county can collect from the estate of the persons this is done, but in only a few cases can such collections be made, and as a result the county is in great expense. It has been estimated that the total cost to Polk county alone from the care of the inebriates at the Mount Pleasant hospital will be about $15,000 a year. This has caused the officials to seek a way of escape. Efforts have been made to secure the return of many of the inebriates simply on the ground of saving expense, and as the superintendent will not recommend paroles, the courts are trying to secure the return of men by reopening the cases and giving a new hearing with the purpose of allowing the persons to remain at home. The members of the Board of Supervisors also threaten to refuse to pay the bills for the inebriates and thus leave the state without this support. The situation is one unlooked for and for which the county is not prepared. A similar state of affairs exists in a number of other counties of the state.

Looks Like a Suicide.

The police of Des Moines are trying to unravel what is supposed to be a suicide mystery. George Reed left a note to his wife that he intended to jump into the river and drown himself. The police think it is a bluff, but they are looking into the matter anyhow, to satisfy relatives and friends. This morning George Barkheimer found a package of letters and photos on the East Ninth street bridge. In them was a note from George Reed to his wife, telling her she would never see him again, as the river would be his resting place, or words to that effect. Detective Yeager and others have been searching the river, also inquiring in the country to the south and east, without securing any evidence of suicide. He leaves a wife and family in Southeast Des Moines.

Cummins on Lake Bed Cases.

Governor Cummins, who some time ago decided upon refusing to mix in the controversy going on in Iowa over certain lake beds which are claimed as swamp land by speculators and others, has made plain his views on the subject. Governor Cummins refuses to ask of the general land office a resurvey of the lakes for the reason that to do so would be to recognize that the state of Iowa disclaims ownership of the lakes. But he holds that under the articles of admission as a state all the lake beds and meandered streams became the property of the state and the title to the land which may be reclaimed by drainage is in the state. He has authorized the renewal of leases of various kinds upon some of the reclaimed lake beds and this is done for the purpose of maintaining the rights of the state thereto. There are some law suits pending which it is believed will clear up the entire matter and the governor states that he does not want to interfere with these cases.

Parvin Case Appealed.

A somewhat celebrated insurance case has just come to the Iowa supreme court. It is that of Parvin against the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, involving $7,500 of insurance on the life of the late T. S. Parvin, grand secretary of the Masons of Iowa. He was originally insured in the Northwestern Masonic Aid association, but this was later transferred to the Reserve Fund, which carried the insurance for some time and then demanded a large addition to the premiums. This Parvin refused to pay and he brought suit to compel the company to continue business at the rate agreed upon in the policy. While this was pending he died. His heirs recovered in the district court the full amount of the policies, though Parvin had not paid for several years, and now the company appeals to the supreme court.

Depository Bonds Approved.

The State Executive council today approved the bonds of two of the depositories of state funds in Des Moines—the Des Moines Savings bank for $300,000, and the Grand Avenue Savings bank for $50,000. This practically concludes the work of securing bonds under a new regulation from all the banks in which state funds are deposited.

The articles of incorporation of the Iowa Savings bank of Tracy, Marion county, were filed with the secretary of state today. The capital is $12,000; W. T. Smith, president, and J. B. Lyman, cashier.

Invited to Go to Calumpit.

State Superintendent Barrett today received an invitation from the pupils of a school in Calumpit, Bulucan, P. I., to attend services on Washington's birthday, in which the special day leaflet issued by the Iowa department was to be used. Miss E. L. Evans, formerly of Iowa, is the teacher of the school. The invitation was written in neat style by one of the Filipino pupils in the school.

State Superintendent Barrett is receiving letters almost every day announcing that in the rural district of Iowa the school boards are increasing the salaries of teachers from $3 to $5 a month, this the result of the crusade which was started last winter at the State Teachers' association. The tendency all over the state at this time is to give the teachers better pay for their work.

State Did Not Get Tax.

The state of Iowa has just lost a case in Washington county brought by the treasurer of state to collect about $5,000 of collateral inheritance taxes. The case was that involving the estate of the late W. A. Chilcote. He died before the inheritance tax law went into effect and the estate was kept intact until the death of his widow, which occurred since the law became effective. The state claimed taxes on all the property which immediately descended to collateral heirs, but in Washington county Judge Clements held that the inheritance proper for the collateral heirs began at the time of the death of Chilcote. The state treasurer will appeal the case.

Dedicate College Buildings.

AMES, Ia., March 28.—(Special.)—The new engineering hall for the State college is to be dedicated May 22. The program will be arranged by President Stanton and an effort will be made to secure some notable speaker for the occasion. The contract has been let for the addition to agricultural hall by the building committee for $53,752. The contract goes to C. E. Atkinson of Webster City. This includes also the stock pavilion and the separate greenhouses.

HAZING DRIVES BOY INSANE

Mind So Badly Shattered that He Cannot Even Identify Perpetrators of Deed.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Returning from Janesville, Wis., with her son, Earl, an 18-year old boy who has been a student in the Valentine school of telegraphy, Mrs. Frank C. Cleaves threatens to prosecute students for hazing her son.

The boy is demented, the result of hazing, which he claims to have undergone at the school. He is unable to tell about the circumstances except to shudder at the remembrance.

He is under a physician's care, who thinks he will recover. In case his memory enables him to identify the perpetrators of the act, legal steps are likely to be taken.

Ex-Postmaster Killed in Runaway.

ONAWA, Ia., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—B. W. Henderson, ex-postmaster and a well-known and prominent citizen of Rodney, was almost instantly killed there while driving a team, assisting his brother-in-law to move. The team became frightened and ran away, throwing Henderson between a tree and the wagon in such a manner that his skull was badly fractured and he was otherwise injured. He died in a short time. Henderson was about 45 years old and had lived in Rodney for more than ten years.

Sioux City Water is Pure.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Examinations of the Sioux City water supply made by A. D. Meed, Minneapolis; Prof. Floyd Davis, Des Moines, and Dr. O'Rastus G. Smith, Beloit, is to the effect that it is as good as any in the world. It is absolutely free from all impurities of an organic nature. Water tests included samples from all over Woodbury county, made with a view of determining a source of water supply when Sioux City's municipality-owned water work shall be reconstructed. It is obtained from gravel stratum.

Iowa Professor Arrested.

ESTHERVILLE, Ia., March 28.—Prof. Edwin Dukes, superintendent of public schools, has been arrested on a charge of assault and battery, made by W. H. Foote for injuring his son Clare, a pupil.

BOSTON STORE
Broadway, Council Bluffs.

New Spring Goods, New Easter Novelties

BARGAIN LIST

9c Yard wide silkolines, good patterns and sold formerly at 12½c.
3.95 Silk Waist, black and colors, choice of any in stock, some sold as high as $7.50.
25c Children's washable lace trimmed hats and ladies' sun bonnets, all traveler's samples and most of them worth double.
12½c New French batiste, all the most desirable spring patterns and usually retails for more money.
1.25 Fancy pillow ribbons, 5 yds. to a piece, formerly sold for $2.50—half price.
35c Silk mixed zephyrs, very desirable waisting, in neat stripes, same goods sold for 50c.
1.50 Ladies' black mercerized petticoats, extra deep flounce and finely ruffled, value $2.25.
15c Fine Irish dimities, in an endless assortment of patterns, special values.
3c 2 for 5c—good machine thread, black and white, 3c, two for 5c.
1.50 EACH—a large selection of trimmed and ready-to-wear hats in all the poular shapes of the season, both black and colors and worth up to $3.00. (See show window display).

Spring Millinery Opening THIS WEEK.

We extend a general invitation to the ladies of Council Bluffs and vicinity to attend our annual spring opening. Great care has been displayed in the selection of all our goods and having a competent trimmer in our workroom leads us to believe that this is the keynote to a successful millinery season, and we hope to be favored with a call.

BOSTON STORE,
Boadway, Council Bluffs.

BARGAIN LIST

25c Any new necktie in stock, all shapes and colors, mostly 50c goods, in one lot, 25c.
2½c A roll—choice of wall paper, everything, per roll, 2½c.
5c A big lot of torchon laces and insertions, medium and narrow width, worth up to 12½c.
3c 2 for 5c—Turkish and honeycomb towels, good size, just half price.
4c Light prints and gray prints, of the very best quality.
12½c New dress ginghams, the most beautiful in the market and will compare with goods at more money.
25c Ladies' medium weight vest, umbrella trimmed drawers to match, vest cut high and low neck.
39c Summer net corsets, these are always sold for 50c.
50c New batiste corsets, four hook, straight front, extra value.
15c 2 for 25c—boys' 2xl heavy ribbed hose, 7 to 10, value, 20c.
19c A YARD—Mercerized zephyr waisting, new neat effects, all colors, guaranteed the genuine IMPORTED goods—sold regularly for 25c, 30c and 35c.

BOSTON STORE,
Broadway, - Council Bluffs.

Your Next Suit

Will be had from us if you'll only give us a chance to show you our line.

Not a coat in the assortment that hasn't the patent "shape retaining front" that cannot break down.

All the latest weaves and patterns at

$10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $17.50 to $22.00

Also a swell line of soft shirts just received—"Manhattan," Wilson Bros., Monarch—three of the leading American makes.

JOE SMITH & CO.
415 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

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