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M. D. Reed, 2000 Fourth street, is reported ill with typhoid fever.

H. I. Forsyth and Dr. A. H. Carter are home from a trip to New York.

Mrs. Bernice Smith of Sterling, Colo., is the guest of Mrs. A. Metzger.

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Members of Ligzedia temple, Rathbone Sisters, will meet Thursday with Mrs. Graney, 3012 Avenue H.

Mrs. Carpenter has arrived from Michigan to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wilkins, 746 West Washington avenue.

Mrs. R. Lyon has as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Turner of Harlan, Mrs. True Cleveland and Mrs. T. J. Taylor of Taylor.

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Mark Holder, who has been living with his mother on Vaughn street, has been recommitted to St. Bernard's hospital on order of the commissioners for the insane.

T. R. Glenn, the half-breed who ran amuck in a South Main street saloon Monday night, was given ten days on bread and water in police court yesterday morning.

The remains of Charles H. Brayman, father of A. H. Brayman of this city, who died in Greeley, Colo. Sunday, were brought to Council Bluffs yesterday for burial.

At the regular meeting of Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran legion, this evening officers will be elected for the ensuing year. The Ladies' auxiliary will meet at the same time.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's English Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at 130 South Main street, where the members are conducting a rummage sale.

Mrs. Louisa Dilsaver, 1339 Fifteenth avenue, reported to the police yesterday the theft of a large quantity of household linen and other articles from her clothesline.

T. P. Mullick, for several years manager of the Champion branch of the International Harvester company in this city, has gone to Minot, N. D., where he will assume the management of the company's office.

E. L. Anderson, business manager of The Telegraph of Atlantic, Ia., has notified the police of this city that his residence was broken into Sunday night and a valuable gold watch stolen. He asks the police to search the local pawnshops for the stolen timepiece.

Mrs. Hans Olson, aged 68 years, died yesterday morning at her home in Boomer township from cancer, after an illness of four months. One daughter and one son survive her. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock and interment will be in the Danish Lutheran cemetery in Boomer township.

The receipts in the general fund at the Christian Home last week were $290.55, being $80.55 above the needs of the week and decreasing the deficiency in this fund to date to $2,882.81. In the manager's fund the receipts were $20.50, being $14.50 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency to $218.45 in this fund to date.

A. A. Covalt, leader of the Manawa band, has gone to St. Louis to join John Merkel of this city and together they will produce a musical play for a tour of the south. Mrs. Covalt will leave to join her husband in a few days and will accompany him on the tour. Mr. Covalt expects to return to Council Bluffs in time to resume the leadership of the Manawa band for next summer.

Mrs. Amelia Jane Beswick, wife of O. E. Beswick, 1705 Sixth avenue, died yesterday morning at St. Bernard's hospital after an illness of five years, aged 66 years. Her husband survives her. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the Fifth avenue Methodist church, the pastor, Rev. J. N. Graves, conducting the services. Burial will be in Gregg cemetery.

The thirty-third annual Pottawattamie County Sunday school convention will be held today and Thursday at Avoca. Rev. James Tomson of the First Congregational church, Rev. P. A. Cace of the First Baptist church, Rev. Harvey Hostetler of the Second Presbyterian church and A. M. Hutchinson of this city appear on the program. Others who will attend from Council Bluffs are Colonel C. G. Saunders, Alex Tipton and Rev. Henry DeLong.

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ATTENDANCE FROM ALL OVER DISTRICT

First Formal Session Will Be Held in Morning, When Libraries and Kindred Topics Will Be Subject Under Consideration.

The reception last evening at the home of Mrs. Thomas Metcalf on Bluff street to the visiting club women, here to attend the second annual convention of the women's clubs of the Ninth Iowa district, which will be held at the First Baptist church today, was a brilliant social affair. A large number of the delegates to the convention arrived yesterday and at least 150 club women were present at the reception. Mrs. Metcalf was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Horace Everett, Mrs. J. P. Davis, Mrs. Victor E. Bender and Mrs. Drayton W. Bushnell.

The opening session of the convention will be at 9 o'clock this morning, when Mrs. Metcalf will make the welcoming address and Mrs. Phelps of Atlantic will respond. A large portion of the morning program will be devoted to the discussion of libraries and subjects of like import.

At the noon hour the local club women will serve lunch to the visitors in the church parlors. The afternoon session will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

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LITTLE CASE OUT OF COURT

Commences Damage Action Too Soon and is Likely to Lose Chance to Recover.

The $20,000 personal injury damage suit of Robert Little against Pottawattamie county has been ordered dismissed by Judge Thornell in district court at Atlantic, Cass county, to which place it was taken by the plaintiff on a change of venue from this county. The suit is dismissed on the grounds that the suit was filed before Little's claim for damages was brought before the Board of County Supervisors and could have been acted on by it.

Little was seriously injured by the collapse of a county bridge near the town of Minden on June 5 last, but it was not until August 24 that he filed with the county auditor his claim for damages against the county. The Board of Supervisors did not meet until September 7 and so had no chance to pass on the claim until then, but in the meantime Little, on September 1, filed suit in the district court.

The court held that the suit had been "prematurely filed," inasmuch as the county board had had no opportunity to pass on the claim before action was commenced.

The ruling of Judge Thornell places Little in a bad position. Under the statute governing such cases Little would be obliged to bring his suit for damages within three months of the accident and under the statute of limitations this time expired on September 5. The question now is can Little, in the face of Judge Thornell's ruling, bring a new action at this late date.

That Little was seriously injured there is no controversy, but his claim for damages was considered excessive by the county board. Little was driving across the county bridge near Minden on June 5 last, when it collapsed, precipitating him, buggy and team into the ditch beneath. Little received a fractured jaw as well as other injuries.

The order dismissing the suit was made yesterday by Judge Thornell.

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Likes Toll Road Proposal.

Regarding the suggestion of Park Commissioner Graham to transform Broadway from Thirteenth street to the approach to the motor company's bridge into a toll road City Engineer Entyre stated yesterday that he believed such a scheme would be a practicable solution of the question of putting and keeping in repair this important thoroughfare. He said, "Broadway is to all intents and purpose an interstate road. It is the thoroughfare most used and without doubt is the one most in need of repair. While there would be no intention of charging toll to the people using the road within the city, those, going to or coming from across the river, would have no objection, I should think, to paying a small toll for the use of a good road in place of having to travel over such a thoroughfare as it now is."

Mr. Entyre is at present working on a report giving an estimate of what it would cost to pave a strip twenty feet wide in the center of Broadway from Thirteenth street to the motor company's bridge but will be unable to complete it until he secures figures on the cost of paving brick etc.

Albums for kodak pictures and postal cards. Alexander's, 333 Broadway.

Doctors Elect Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Pottawattamie County Medical society last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. W. F. Pierce, Carson; vice president, Dr. F. W. Houghton, Council Bluffs; secretary, Dr. F. W. Doane, Council Bluffs; treasurer, Dr. Grant Augustine, Minden; board of censors, Dr. G. A. Spalding, Avoca; Dr. J. H. Cole, Council Bluffs; Dr. A. O. Wyland, Underwood; delegate to state society, Dr. H. B. Jennings. A committee to draft resolutions on the death of Dr. John Green was appointed. The meeting was held in the ladies' ordinary at the Grand hotel, the business session being followed by a banquet.

Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

OBJECT TO DITCH ASSESSMENT

Northwestern Railroad Files an Appeal from the Award of the Appraisers.

The Chicago & Northwestern railway company filed in the district court yesterday the petition in its appeal from the amount assessed against it for the construction of the Pigeon creek drainage ditch. The commissioners appointed by the county auditor assessed the railroad company $1,626.90, this being the amount in their opinion the railroad would be benefited by the ditch.

In the first place the railroad company asserts that the board of county supervisors had no right to establish the drainage ditch for the reason, it is alleged, that the petition asking same lacked the required names of 100 legal voters and further that no sufficient bond was filed by the petitioners. The railroad company also contends that on June 10 last an agreement was entered into between it and the county board whereby the railroad company waived all claims for damages to its property by reason of the construction of the ditch in consideration among other things that the ditch should be constructed without liability or cost on the part of the railroad company.

The railroad company also takes exception to the commissioners finding that 100 feet of its right-of-way was equal to one acre of land classed as swampy. Such classification the railroad company contends is arbitrary, unauthorized and erroneous and further, that its right-of-way is not subject to assessment for the cost of the construction of a drainage ditch.

Notices of three other similar suits, among the number being one in which the Illinois Central railroad is plaintiff, have been served upon the county authorities but the Chicago & Northwestern company is the first to file its petition.

West Enders Want Park.

Alderman Fleming of the Fifth ward, General E. F. Test, A. C. Keller and others representing the West End Improvement club, appeared before the Board of Park commissioners at its regular monthly meeting last evening and urged that the commissioners take steps to secure a park for the western part of the city. The committee suggested that an effort be made to secure all or part of the timberland on the river bank between the bridges of the Union Pacific and the Illinois Central railroads. The board agreed to look into the matter and will ask the city engineer to make a survey of this strip of land and after this is done will ascertain at what price it can be purchased.

The committee and the board held an informal discussion over the improving of West Broadway and a number of plans were suggested and talked over. The board assured the committee it was willing to do all in its power to assist any movement looking for the improvement of this much traveled thoroughfare.

Mrs. Mayne Ahead.

There was some lively voting in DeLong's Grandma contest yesterday, resulting in a change of leaders. The count at 6 o'clock last evening follows:

Mrs. W. S. Mayne.....8,057
Mrs. Charles Nicholson.....7,645
Mrs. O. Talbott.....6,480

Mrs. John Rogers, 5,634; Mrs. John Linder, 5,114; Mrs. Charles Lunkley, 4,490; Mrs. I. C. Bonham, 2,115; Mrs. Alice Davis, 1,900; Mrs. Mary Tibbits, 1,790; Mrs. N. W. Williams, 1,770; Mrs. Sarah Whittlesey, 1,535, and others. The contest closes Saturday evening at 9 o'clock.

Funeral of John Huntington.

The funeral of John Huntington, one of the pioneer settlers of Council Bluffs when it was known as Kanesville, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his son, J. F. Huntington, 221 Harmony street. Rev. Harvey Hostetler, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, will conduct the services, and interment will be in Fairview cemetery. The five sons and son-in-law, C. A. Cooper, will be the pallbearers. At the cemetery Council Bluffs lodge No. 49, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of which Mr. Huntington was a charter member, will take charge of the services.

Treynor Wants to Incorporate.

All of the voters in the town of Treynor, this county, with the exception of four, have signed a petition asking that the town be incorporated. Under the Iowa statute the incorporation of a town is a judicial proceeding and can only be effected after the requisite petition has been filed in the district court. A town meeting was held Monday night at which the petition was signed, amidst much enthusiasm, and it will be presented to the district court some day this week.

K. of P. Election.

Concordia lodge, Knights of Pythias, elected these officers last night: Chancellor commander, C. F. Kimball; vice chancellor, E. E. Steepy; keeper of records and seal, B. J. Bouricius; master of finance, Brandt Crocker; master of the exchequer, George L. Hill; master at work, Frank Elgan; prelate, Harry Black; master-at-arms, H. Koch; inner guard, E. A. Black; outer guard, Perry Alleshouse; trustees, P. Alleshouse, J. J. Klein, F. Elgan.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and residence.	Age.
Charles A. Erickson, Oakland, Neb.	39
Emelia Dahlgren, Oakland, Neb.	18
J. S. Harniss, Omaha	38
Linnie Coapland, Omaha	44

Boxes for Waste Paper.

According to a statement made by Mayor Morgan yesterday an ordinance granting permission to place metal boxes as "receptacles of waste paper and other rubbish at the street corners" will be presented to the city council at its next meeting. The boxes, it is said, will be similar to those now in use in Omaha and will carry advertising matter and a sign denoting the name of the street. Who the persons are who will submit the ordinance Mayor Morgan declined to make public yesterday.

An ordinance authorizing the erection of such metal boxes was passed by the city council several years ago and the mayor and city clerk were instructed to advertise for bids for the privilege of erecting such advertising mediums but there were no bidders and the matter was permitted to drop.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of Squire & Annis, 101 Pearl street:

Clair J. Stilwell and wife to William W. Farrand, lot 5, block 5, Burke's add., w. d. ..... $ 1,200

F. O. Gleason and wife to Clair J. Stilwell, lot 10, Glendale extension, w. d. 1,000

Alexander Shannon and wife to William T. Wilson, lot 2, Auditor's sub. se ¼ ne¼, 17-75-43, w. d. 1,800

Three transfers, total $3,800

DRAKE HEIRS BEGIN A FIGHT

Executor of Their Choice Announces He Will Disregard the Iowan's Will.

CENTERVILLE, Ia., Dec. 1.—Dr. J. L. Sawyers, appointed by the heirs of the Drake estate to wind up its affairs, will disregard the will found in the Des Moines consistory at Des Moines Sunday and has publicly notified creditors to present their claims to him. Heirs of the estate believe the circumstances under which the will was drawn render it invalid. It is claimed the instrument was drawn merely as a formality, conforming to the requirements of the consistory, and was not intended to represent General Drake's permanent wishes. They will attempt to keep it from probate.

DES MOINES' HOUSE CLEANING

Proprietors of Nine Gambling Houses and Wine Rooms Are Indicted by Grand Jury.

DES MOINES, Dec. 1.—Proprietors of nine gambling houses and that many wine rooms were indicted by the grand jury today. The crusade was inspired by the Good Citizens' league, a body of citizens organized to oppose the present city administration and for reform.

Waite Well Known in Onawa.

ONAWA, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—George W. Waite, civil engineer, whose death was announced Saturday in the Chicago papers, took a prominent part in the early railroad building in the west. In 1848 he laid the first railroad tie in Chicago and later built the Burlington between Mendota and Aurora, and was well known by the old St. Charles colony at Onawa, as it was by the advice of Mr. Waite, who was then living in St. Charles, Ill., that the Elliott-Morrison colony came to Monona county in 1856. George W. Waite, as chief engineer of the St. Charles & Iowa Central Air Line railroad, ran a line crossing the Mississippi at Lyons and following the Forty-second parallel to the Missouri river opposite Decatur, Neb. Mr. Waite at that time spent a couple of days at Morrison's tavern in the old town of Ashton, visiting his St. Charles friends and assuring them that the road would certainly be built the next year, so as to be the first road to reach the Morrison. In the spring of 1857, Assistant Engineer Leaming, now of Decatur, Neb., went over the line and located it to the Missouri river, the line passing midway between the old town of Ashton and the present town of Onawa, but the financial panic of 1857 knocked out all railroad building for some years and the St. Charles colony failed to see a railroad until the Sioux City & Pacific was built in 1867.

George W. Waite was for some years engaged in the banking business at St. Charles, the firm name being Freeman & Waite.

All Want Electric Line.

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The Rapid Transit company, instead of having to ask for rights-of-way into new territory, is being beseiged by requests from inland points to come and help them out. Fredsville, Dike, Lincoln, Kingsbury, Grundy Center, Gilbertsville and Jubilee are among the places, some of which have roads, which are anxious to have the electric system extended. The company has issued invitations to the newspapers of the county to send representatives over the entire system on a special train on December 7. More extensions are under plan, but just what towns will be touched, the president and management have not said.

Rebuilding Elevator.

LOGAN, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The elevator of the Updike Grain company at Missouri Valley, which was destroyed by fire two months ago, is being rapidly replaced by a larger and better structure. Several hundred men are now employed in the work. The new elevator will hold 300,000 bushels of grain and will cost about $100,000.

Drops Dead on Reaching Home.

LOGAN, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Frank Remmes, a young farmer who lives four miles east of Dunlap, fell dead at the entrance to his farm yesterday morning. He had just returned from mass at the St. Patrick's church and fell a victim to heart failure. He leaves a wife and one child.

Breaks Arm Tending Furnace.

GLENWOOD, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—John Hanson, the senior member of the Hawkeye Clothing company, sustained a bad fracture of the arm while attending to the furnace at his residence last evening.

Fred S. James Superintendent.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Dec. 1.—Fred S. James was today promoted from the position of trainmaster to superintendent of the Omaha division of the Illinois Central to succeed A. Philbrick.

Injured Man Recovering.

GLENWOOD, Ia., Dec. 1.—(Special.)—Ben Taylor, who was shot by William Myers here on Thanksgiving evening, is improving. Myers is still in jail, unable to give a bond of $1,000.

WOULD SIT IN CONVENTION

Republicans of Porto Rico Will Consult Americans as to Standing in Party.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Dec. 1.—Dr. Jose Brioso, of the executive council and Mayor Todd, of San Juan, will sail for New York tomorrow on the steamer Caracas to consult at Washington with President Roosevelt, Senators Hanna and Foraker and others regarding the admission of republicans from Porto Rico to the next republican national convention.

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MORE MONEY FOR EXHIBIT

Iowa Commission Finds Itself Handicapped by Lack of Sufficient Funds.

DISCUSS DECORATIONS FOR BUILDING

Jefferson Logan Gives His Annual 'Possum Dinner to the Politicians and Many Participate in the Feast.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Dec. 1.—(Special.)—The Iowa exposition commission is holding a meeting here today, the executive committee hearing from the various departments and the entire commission to consider appropriation matters tomorrow. The chief purpose of the meeting at this time is to decide on the interior decorations for the Iowa building at St. Louis. The building is now completed so far as the exterior is concerned, but no decision has been reached as to the interior. It was planned that the commission might use some of the decorations prepared for the interior of the state capitol, but this is found now to be impossible as the decorative work for the state capitol has not been ordered. The commission is also engaged in rearranging appropriations among the different departments and apportioning the money for immediate use. Last spring the commission appropriated $43,000 for the different departments, but in September this was cut on nearly all departments. It is now expected that the commission will ask more money from the legislature in addition to the $125,000 made available by the last session. Five of the departments have been actively at work with salaried agents engaged in gathering exhibits, and the Iowa commission is in excellent condition to begin making the exhibit.

Made Up Shiloh Case.

Messrs. Hayes and Carson, of the Iowa commission on the Shiloh monuments, had a consultation with Governor Cummins today in regard to the preparation of the case to be presented to the secretary of war in regard to the Shiloh monuments. There are two monuments regarding which there is a controversy as to what should be said on them. These tell the story of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Iowa regiments. The record has now been made up as it will be presented in Washington by the governor.

A class of sixty-three persons is engaged in taking the examination for pharmacy certificates before the State Pharmacy board.

Possum Supper and Politics.

The annual possum supper given by Jefferson Logan, colored, to the state officials and politicians was given this evening at his home. Logan is a wealthy leader of the colored population and generally secures a good position each legislative session through his pull with the politicians. Tonight he gave his possum supper to leaders among the politicians and the governor and other state officials were present. There were speeches and good cheer and a great supper.

Planning for Inaugural.

Lieutenant Governor John Herriott has been in the city for several days where he is meeting members of the senate and getting acquainted with them. He has appointed the senate committee on inauguration consisting of Senators Dowell of Polk, Winnie of Humboldt, Molesbury of Louisa, Turner of Taylor and Lombert of Jackson. This committee will act in conjunction with a similar committee of the house to arrange for the inauguration which will take place January 15 next. Nothing has been done as yet as to other committees.

State to Get Big Fee.

The state of Iowa will probably get from the estate of the late Jacob M. Funk, of Hamilton county, the largest collateral inheritance tax collection ever received by Iowa. The estate is variously estimated at from $500,000 to $1,000,000, and practically all in Iowa. If the estate goes to the higher figure, after deducting expenses of administration, the state treasury of Iowa will be richer by $50,000 than before. The state collects 5 per cent tax on estates that descend to collateral heirs. Mr. Funk was never married and he leaves a brother and a number of nephews and nieces, who will get the estate.

KELLY LIKES CANADA WELL

Has No Desire to Go Back to Jefferson City and Expose Boodling.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—After having been in conference several times with D. J. Kelly, who is under indictment in Missouri in connection with legislative scandals, R. E. See, a marshal of the Missouri supreme court, has left the city, says a Montreal dispatch to the Times.

The exact nature of See's mission was kept secret, although it is presumed he came as the representative of Attorney General Crow of Missouri, to induce Kelly to turn state's evidence. It is said Kelly told him he liked Canada very much as a place of residence and that if he desired to make any overtures he should communicate with Kelly's attorney. Kelly declares William Zeigler of New York, who is also under indictment in Missouri, had absolutely nothing to do with the legislation at Jefferson City.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1.—Attorney General Edward S. Crow will leave here Friday night for Albany, N. Y., where the hearing on the requisition issued by Governor Dockery, of Missouri, for the return of William F. Ziegler, the controlling stockholder in the baking powder syndicate, indicted for alleged bribery, will be held before Governor Odell next Monday.

The contention of the Missouri authority is that Ziegler furnished to D. J. Kelley, now a fugitive from justice in the Dominion of Canada, the boodle fund with which certain members of the criminal jurisprudence committee of the Missouri senate and the lieutenant governor are alleged to have been brought to advocate legislation favoring the cream of tartar interests as against the alum baking powder manufacturers.

DROWN WHEN TUGS COLLIDE

Three Men Lose Lives in Accident Off Ellis Island—One Other Maimed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Three lives were lost and one man was badly hurt today by a collision between the tugs Idlewild and Hercules off Ellis island. Hans Peterson, William Lasker and a man whose name was not learned were drowned. John Storberg, a boatman, was cut about the head and his left leg broken. He is in a serious condition and unable to give any details as to how the accident occurred. The Hercules is owned by the American Towboat company of Baltimore.

MEXICAN CENTRAL IS BALKED

Two Bondholders' Committees Decline to Allow Retirement of Income Bonds.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Inability of the Mexican Central railway to carry to a success its effort to retire its income bonds, amounting to approximately $22,000,000, has been announced. The failure of the plan, which was intended as the first step in the reorganization of the company's finances, was due to the opposition of two bondholders' protective committees, each acting independently of the other.

Henry Clay Price, chairman of the Mexican Central board of directors, in announcing the withdrawal of the plan, states that each bondholder will be thereby enabled to act independently in his dealings with the two committees.

COLON IS A PLACID TOWN

Arrivals from There Report that the Discontented Have Been Deported.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Among the passengers who arrived today on the steamer Alliance were Lieutenant Commander Braunersreuther of the United States steamship Dixie, who is on sick leave. Passengers who were questioned said that quiet prevailed at Colon and that business had assumed its usual course. It was denied that the prisons were filled with political prisoners, but about 130 persons in all, it was said, were deported for showing discontent.

GUERILLAS ARE GETTING BUSY

Several Parties of Them Reported to Have Commenced Stalking the Isthmus.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A private cablegram, received here from Beuna Ventura, cables the Paris correspondent of the Herald, states that several guerilla parties are already in the field and that several engagements have taken place in the interior of the isthmus.

MAJOR KILBOURNE IS DEAD

Paymaster of the Department of Dakota Expires on Train Bearing Him Homeward.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Major Charles E. Kilbourne, U. S. A., paymaster of the Department of Dakota, died on a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train as it neared Chicago. He had been very ill and was on his way to his home in Columbus, O., accompanied by his wife and son, Captain L. F. Kilbourne of the Twenty-sixth infantry. Major Kilbourne graduated from West Point in 1866 and was 59 years old. He was treasurer of the Philippine islands while they were under military government in 1898-99.

KANSAS IS AFTER ROBBERS

Five Men Under Arrest in Nebraska to Be Taken Back for Trial.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 1.—Secretary of State Burrows returned today from Nebraska, where he arranged for requisitions for the robbers who attempted to blow up the bank at Agra, Kan., last week.

Five men are under arrest for the crime, three at Bloomington and two at Riverton, all in Franklin county, Nebraska, which lies just over the state line north of Smith and Phillips counties.

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$2,000—115 Stutsman st.; modern cottage, five rooms, gas, bath, closets, shade, paved street, fine location. Rents for $18.00.

$400—1325 Avenue D; cottage, three rooms, corner lot, good location, size of lot 44x130 feet. Cheap.

$500—1009 Avenue H; frame house, five rooms, corner lot, size 44x130 feet. Rents for $7.00.

$700—725 Avenue D; cottage, four rooms, water in kitchen, cellar, shade. Rents for $8.00. Well located.

$2,000—2102 Sixth Avenue; modern cottage, six rooms, city water, bath, fine lawn, two lots, on corner. Size 20x128 feet.

$1,000—702 South 24th Street; cottage, six rooms, cellar, closets, well, cistern, corner lot. A good home. Size 40x120.

$1,300—1026 Avenue C; cottage, five rooms, closets, water in kitchen, cellar, shade. Lot 40x120 feet. Rents for $13.00.

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