

NEWS OF THE WEST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Left's glasses fit. Rocket's carpets. A stare for Mrs. "Dena's."

ALL OPPOSE THE REMOVAL

Western Iowa Legislators Give Views on Location of School for Deaf

COMMERCIAL CLUB TENDERS BANQUET

Claims of Council Bluffs Ably Presented by Charles M. Harl and Others from Western Iowa.

APPROVES OFFICIAL BONDS

County Board Fixes New Officials for Assuming Duties of Their Positions.

Preparing for Graduation.

The public schools of the city reopened yesterday morning after the Christmas vacation and with but few exceptions all of the teachers and the pupils were found at their desks.

Remember Retiring Officers.

William Arnd, who after serving eight consecutive years as treasurer of Pottawattamie county, turned over the keys of the county strong box yesterday afternoon to Treasurer L. G. Consigney.

Much Business for Court.

The January term of the district court will be convened this afternoon by Judge A. B. Thornell at Sidney.

Sheriff Brings Walker Back.

Sheriff Cousins returned last evening from Nevada, Mo., having in custody Archie Walker, indicted at the November term of district court for complicity in the holdup at Graves' grocery store.

EVERYBODY KNOWS THIS CASE

Mrs. Lavellon, Accused of Murder Can Find No Jurors at Newton.

WOMAN RAILROAD PRESIDENT

Mrs. T. N. Hooper of Des Moines is Given that Unique Distinction.

BRAKEMAN KILLED IN WRECK

Engineer and Fireman of Same Train Injured and Cars Go into the River.

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Electric Bitters invigorate the female system and cure nervousness, headache, backache and constipation or so pay. Sec. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

tendered an informal reception at the Elks' club house. The guests were:

- Hon. L. F. Puffer, Harlan; D. L. Heinzelman, Glenwood; H. M. Bostwick, Woodbine; Hon. Webb Byers, Harlan; J. S. Dewell, Missouri Valley; H. Arthur Logan, Jewell; Glenwood; Superintendent W. H. Rothert of the school for the deaf; H. H. Moore, Des Moines; and state senators R. A. Hasequist, Chariton; D. Turner, Corning; James E. Bruce, Atlantic; C. G. Saunders, Council Bluffs; John H. Jackson, Sioux City; representatives: C. F. Cross, Shenandoah; F. M. Laird, Tabor; F. J. Jones, Villisca; E. H. Gregory, Neola; Scott Skinner, Creston; W. H. Fennell, Indianola; Robert J. Martin, Jewell; H. B. King, Woodbine; D. C. Mott, Audubon; E. W. Weeks, Guthrie; J. C. Cole, Carroll; W. A. Davis, Dunlap; Chas. N. Jepson, Sioux City; W. W. McElrath, Moulton; H. M. Wright, Fort Dodge; G. W. Wyland, Harlan.

The president's report also reported that the association had \$1,500 in bank and pledges to the amount of \$4,500 towards the new hospital building.

The report of M. S. Wallace, treasurer, showed a balance on hand on January 1, 1903, of \$37.65; total receipts during year, \$13,842.70; disbursements, \$13,966.20, leaving balance on hand January 1, 1904 of \$283.25.

The Board of County Supervisors on convening yesterday afternoon for the first session of the new year reorganized by electing Colonel W. P. Baker of Council Bluffs chairman in place of Perry Kerney, who retired in favor of George Spencer of Neola, elected last fall.

The first business before the board was the approving of the bonds of the newly elected officers, as follows: L. G. Consigney, treasurer, \$20,000; sureties, J. H. Jenkins, A. L. Proctor, William Theis, C. W. Meier, H. E. Leach, Henry Wiese, J. Kanter, R. Frost, O. W. Harton, W. V. Roca, C. H. Norton, C. E. Emery, Henry Slevers, Cassie Consigney, High Pritchard, Peter J. Howell, H. Seifert, William Arnd, J. P. Greenhalgh, C. G. Turner, C. V. Rock, O. Mosher, Julius Hector, E. F. Hanna, Otto Young, H. F. Spillat, W. H. Freeman, S. S. Rust, L. F. Erhart, Ernest E. Hart, O. H. Mayne, Wiloughby Dye.

J. P. Christensen, deputy treasurer, \$5,000; sureties, F. E. Fetter, C. G. Harl, Ed. Arnd, J. P. Greenhalgh, C. Hafer, W. A. Groneweg, deputy sheriff, \$2,000; bonding company, F. McCaffery, deputy sheriff, \$2,000; bonding company, Clarence E. Woolman, deputy sheriff, \$2,000; sureties, Emmet Tinney, O. M. Harl, Fred Peterson, deputy sheriff and court bailiff, \$2,000; sureties, Joseph Lidgett, Frank Peterson, F. M. Gallup, deputy sheriff and county jailer, \$2,000; sureties, H. Y. Graybill, Andrew Peterson, A. J. Grace, deputy sheriff at Avoca, \$2,000; sureties, J. T. Armstrong, F. P. Shurtzworth, M. Palmer, M. A. Johnson, deputy sheriff and court bailiff at Avoca, \$2,000; sureties, Joshua Davis, O. V. Barton, C. J. McManus, county superintendent of schools, \$1,000; bonding company, W. L. Treynor, notary public, \$2,000; sureties, H. H. Field, Perry Kerney, John A. Knox, superintendent of poor farm, \$2,000; sureties, W. E. Smith, Wiloughby Dye.

The salary of the sheriff was placed, according to law, at \$2,500 per annum, which he is to pay one deputy. As the deputy, W. A. Groneweg, will receive \$1,000 a year, this leaves the sheriff's salary the same as before, only that if the fees collected are not sufficient to meet his and the salaries of his deputies, the county will have to make up the deficiency.

The county will pay the salaries of two deputies at Council Bluffs, McCaffery and Woolman, and one, Grace, at Avoca. They will receive \$1,000 a year each. F. Peterson, the court bailiff at Council Bluffs, will be paid by the county according to the days he serves, and A. Johnson, the court bailiff at Avoca, will be paid likewise, although the latter will receive \$120 a year in addition for acting as janitor of the courthouse in Avoca.

The sheriff will be allowed \$50 per annum for care of the county jail, the cost of and washing for the prisoners, about 124 cents for each meal furnished and 124 cents for each lodging given county prisoners. For the care of federal and city prisoners he will have to look to the United States and the city governments.

The custom of observing the first week of the new year as a week of prayer will be followed by most of the Protestant churches of this city.

At the First Baptist church prayer meetings will be held every evening of the week except on Saturday. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. F. M. Case, the services last evening were in charge of Charles Warner.

At the First Congregational church there will be services Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and possibly Friday evening.

At the Fifth Avenue Methodist church the special revival meetings which began Sunday evening will continue each night during the week. The services are being conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. N. Graves, assisted by Evangelist Mott Mitchell of Hamburg, Ia., and a special choir of fifty voices. In connection with the revival meetings, prayer meetings will be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock at the following homes: Tuesday, Mrs. Atkinson; Wednesday, Mrs. Mitchell; Thursday, Mrs. Spaulding; Friday, Mrs. Cushing.

At the First Presbyterian church services will be held each evening of the week at 7:30 o'clock.

The members of the Woman's Christian Temperance union will also observe the week of prayer with meetings every afternoon at the home of one of the members.

The week will also be a busy one among the different societies of the churches, many of them holding their annual elections this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Watts, 128 Grant street, when the annual election of officers will be held. Luncheon will be served at the close of the business meeting.

On Friday afternoon the Woman's Board of Missions of the Christian church will meet at the residence of Mrs. T. J. Shugart, 332 Glen avenue. The pastor, Rev. W. Clemmer, will talk on "Systematic Bible Study." Mrs. G. Saunders on "Woman's Work in the Century." Mrs. C. Gillespie on "The Beginning of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions." and Mrs. F. W. Wesner on "The Review of Tidings." Wednesday night at the close of the regular prayer meeting the annual election of the trustees of the church will be held.

The annual meeting of the congregation of the Second Presbyterian church will be held Thursday evening. The Young People's society will hold its annual meeting and election of officers Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Carson, 28 Franklin avenue. The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual election Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. Black, 14 South First street, and the Ladies' Missionary society will have its annual meeting Friday after-

noon at the residence of Mrs. Irvine, 209 East Pierce street.

The Woman's Missionary circle of the First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lewis Cutler, 106 Fourth street.

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REYES GETS INFORMATION

Minister from Colombia Told That Panama Independence Will Be Maintained.

TAYLOR EMPLOYED TO FIGHT SMOOT

Floor Leader of House in Roberts Contest Retained by Opponents of the Senator from Utah.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Accompanying President Roosevelt's message to congress were copies of notes exchanged between General Reyes and the secretary of state concerning the attitude of the United States in case Colombia's troops should be sent to Panama.

WANT PHILIPPINES DEFENDED.

A report submitted by the joint Army and Navy board, of which Admiral Dewey is the senior member, relative to fortifications for the Philippines, transmitted to the house today by Secretary Root and Moody, says:

INVESTIGATE COMMISSIONER'S ACCOUNTS.

The investigation of the accounts of the Interstate Commerce commission continued today. The books and funds in the safe of the disbursing officer, Edward A. Moore, have been examined and it is stated that so far they have been found to tally.

DECIDES DENVER SALOON CASE.

In the United States supreme court today Justice McKenna rendered an opinion in the case of Daniel Cronin of Denver, Colo., against the officials of that city. The case grew out of a city ordinance prohibiting saloon keepers from keeping separate apartments for the sale of liquor to women.

TYNER DEMARRER OVERTAKEN.

The district criminal court today overruled the demurrer to two of the three indictments against former Assistant Attorney General James N. Tyner and former law clerk Harrison J. Barrett, both of the postoffice department, growing out of the postal investigation. The court had already sustained the demurrer to the other indictment.

FOLK'S SALARY IS REDUCED

St. Louis Combine Fighter Has Been Paid More Than the Law Allows.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 4.—City Counselor Bates today, in an opinion transmitted to Mayor Wells, finds that Circuit Attorney Folk is only entitled to \$4,000 a year as salary from the city. Prior to November, 1902, Mr. Folk was paid by the city treasurer at the rate of \$5,000 per annum.

GRAVELLE GETS TEN YEARS

Montana Judge Gives Him the Limit for Sending Threatening Letters.

HAIR TELLS CHARACTER.

Color of Hair Said to Indicate a Person's Temperament.

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Many people believe that blonde or light hair denotes affection and dark hair constancy. A person without hair is not devoid of character; far from it. The disposition of no elective official shall be in to show such solicitude for the welfare of others that he neglects himself. A germ causes blindness. Prof. Sabouraud of Paris, France, inoculated a rabbit with dandruff germs, causing it to become totally blind in five weeks' time. To the scalp of the nation, the germ of dandruff is necessary to apply Newbro's Herpicide.

Destroy the cause—you remove the effect.

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FOR RENT—7-room cottage, 377 Harrison st., city water, paved street, good electric, \$40 per month. Inquire of E. P. Watts, 306 North First.

Hawley's lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will install officers Friday night. Following the business session refreshments will be served.

Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran legion, and Ladies' auxiliary No. 14, will install officers Thursday evening. The installation will be open to members and their families.

Mrs. W. C. Joseph has received word of the death of her uncle, George Sanford, at his home near Milwaukee, Wis. Mrs. Joseph was a brother of Mrs. Adelaide Jones, who died recently in this city.

The members of Unity Rebekah lodge will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Schroeder at her home, 814 Avenue A. The lodge will install officers at the regular meeting Saturday evening.

Edward P. Schoeniger of the firm of Cox & Schoeniger, who is in charge of the State Capitol commission, left for Des Moines yesterday afternoon on receiving word of the burning of the capitol.

J. S. Stake of Des Moines and C. H. Stake of Oxford, Ia., have been called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. S. Stake, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. M. V. Beasore, 715 South eighth street.

At the meeting of Council Bluffs, the members of American, last evening the newly elected officers were installed, following which State Senator G. Saunders, member of the board of national directors, addressed the members, and refreshments were served.

Bright Prospect for the Hospital.

At the annual meeting yesterday afternoon of the Woman's Christian association Mrs. Emma G. Lucas was elected president for the ninth year in succession. Mrs. Martha Gaines was also honored by being re-elected recording secretary for the twenty-first year in succession. Other officers elected were: Vice president, Mrs. Harriett McCobb; corresponding secretary, Mrs. O. M. Ross; treasurer, Mrs. Mary E. Thomas; auditors, Mrs. Carrie Buckman, Mrs. M. E. Thomas, members of board, Mrs. Carrie Cutler, Mrs. Harriett Beno and Mrs. Carrie Keelone.

The reports of the association's hospital showed that the receipts during the last year had been \$2,23 in excess of those in 1902 and that the institution was financially in excellent condition.

The president, Mrs. Lucas, in a statement regarding the proposed new hospital building, said that she had received great encouragement from a friend of the association and that while she was unable at this time to give out any particulars she had good reason to believe that a handsome donation would be forthcoming shortly sufficient to enable the association to commence building. She said she had arrived at this conclusion from the fact that the benefactor, whose name could not be made public at this time, had suggested to her that plans for the new building be drawn without further delay.

Report Electric Ordinance.

At the meeting of the city council last night the ordinance granting a franchise to the Council Bluffs, Tabor & Southern Electric Railway company was introduced and after being read for the first time was laid over until the next meeting.

Alderman Lovett introduced a resolution requiring the Illinois Central and Northwestern railroads to place gates at their crossings on Avenue B. The matter was referred to the committee of the whole.

In view of the numerous holdups in that section of the city, Alderman McDonald introduced a resolution providing for the placing of an arc light at the intersection of Sixth avenue and Sixth street, but failed to secure sufficient support to carry it through.

A number of protests against the paving assessment on Graham avenue were received and the council will meet Friday morning to consider them.

The appointment of Sherman Humphrey as member of the police force to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of A. A. Kirk was confirmed.

Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

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

- Samuel Morgan and wife to Thomas Morgan, \$15,000, 39-74-20, w. d. 1-4-00
- Bunard, Nowell, and husband to P. M. Mowery, lot 2 and 4th lot & lot 2 and 4th lot 21, block 2, Big Grove, Oklahoma, 750
- R. H. Harris and wife to Albert B. Bluerhart, lot 11, and part lot 19 original plan, w. d. 1-1-00, 2,600
- First National bank of Council Bluffs to Herman Schmidt, lot 23, block 12, Perry add. w. d. 1-1-00, 50
- David B. Kinsey and wife to Citizens' State bank of Oakland, w. d. rods lot 1, Auditor's blk. 8, w. d. 1-1-00, 1,300
- W. C. Pope and wife to J. E. and S. R. Pope, blk. 4, w. d. 1-1-00, 1,500
- Council Bluffs Savings bank to city of Council Bluffs, 2-foot strip through part blk. 10, w. d. 1-1-00, 9
- Christina Gibler and husband to Louis L. Fauble and D. Driscoll, lot 1, block 12, Auditor's blk. 8, w. d. 1-1-00, 100

Eight transfers, aggregating \$3,921

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

Marriage Licenses.

- Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:
- Name and Residence. Age
- E. S. Lawrence, San Diego, Cal., 30
- Leovonia Schmidt, Scott, Ia., 24
- R. H. Perrels, Omaha, 27
- Minnie Harrell, Omaha, 25

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