NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Davis sells drugs. Leffert's giasses fit. Bteckert sells carpets.

A store for men—"Beno's." Peterson, gun and locksmith, 420 B'y. Diamond betrothal rings at Leffert's, 409

14-K and 18-K wedding rings at Leffert's, Special candy sale Saturday at Purity Twenty percent discount on picture moldings. Alexander & Co., 333 Broadway. 20 per cent discount on furniture and stoves until Jan. 30. Petersen & Schoen-ing Co.

Patersen & Schoening Co., 20 per cent dis-count sale on furniture and stoves closes January 30.

Mrs. Frank M. Rohrbaugh has been called to Illinois by the serious illness of her father.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Fred Jensen, aged 24, and Nellib John-son, aged 21, both of Omaha. The case against James Ellsworth, charged with stealing coal from the Union Pacific, has been continued in Justice Ouren's court until February 13, William Hardis was arrested last night charged with the theft of brass belonging to the Northwestern rallroad. He was taken into custody while trying to dispose of some of it.

Farwell Merriam, an old-time resident of this city, was before the Board of Commissioners for the Insane yesterday afternoon and was committed to St. Bernard's hospital for observation.

Attorney J. J. Shea filed yesterday in the United States court a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities, consisting mostly of old judgments, amount to \$3,392. His assets are valued at \$1,500, but are such as are claimed as exempt.

Articles of incorporation of the P. C. Articles of incorporation of the P. C. DeVol Hardware company were filed yesterday. The incorporators are Paul C. DeVol, William Roy DeVol, Mary E. DeVol, Hattie L. Judson (formerly Hattle DeVol) and Katherine M. DeVol. The capital stock is placed at \$50,800, fully paid up and the corporate life of the company will commence February 1, 1904. The company will carry on the business of P. C. DeVol & Son.

Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

Urge Removal of Deaf School.

The Iowa Association for the Advancefrom Council Bluffs to Des Moines in a dreular letter, copies of which have been sent to every member of the state legislature. The circular is signed by Fred E. Ward, acting president, and Waldo H.

The circular sets forth many alleged reasons why the institution should be re-moved from Council Bluffs to Des Moines, ness in the Fifteenth judicial district. principal one being that Des Moines is the most central location.

The Iowa Association for the Advancement of the Deaf is an incorporated orgunization. J. Schuyler Long, principal of the Iowa School for the Deaf under Superintendent Rothert is its president, but refrained from signing the circular. Waldo H. Rothert, the secretary, is a son of Superintendent Rothert and formerly a member of the faculty of the Nebraska School for the Deaf. The present address of Fred E. Ward, the acting president, is

nknown here. While the stand taken by the association has created some surprise here, it is not thought that it will have much weight, as on only boasts a membership of 100 of the 1,300 deaf people of the state.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250; night, F 667. Koller Found Guilty.

William W. Koller, the Omaha young man charged with unlawfully cohabiting with Mrs. R. Cohen in this city, he being already married, was found guilty by, a jury in the district court last night. case was given to the jury shortly after 5 o'clock and the verdict was reached at 0 o'clock. Judge Thornell announced that would pass sentence Wednesday. In the meantime Koller is permitted his free-dom on his original bond. Koller was unsubtedly convicted on his own statements made preceding and after his arrest on complaint of his wife.

The case against Mrs. Cohen, who was indicted along with Koller, was dismissed yesterday, by Assistant County Attorney ess, as the admissions of Koller could not be held as competent evidence against her.

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

Porterhouse Steak,

Sirioin Steak

Boiling Beef.

MUST OBSERVE MULCT LAW

County Attorney Killpsok Takes a Hand in the Saloon Fight.

CANNOT RETURN TO OLD CONDITIONS President Dobbs of Tabor Line Makes

Insists That if They Can Obey the Law as Result of Quarrel They Will Be Compelled to Continue the Practice.

Council Bluffs from this out will be one of the few cities in the state in which the saloons are conducted according to the provisions of the mulct law. Commencing with Monday, February 1, every saloon in the city will have to be run according to the requirements of the mulet law. This is the latest mandate which will be has announced his intention of taking a hand in the saloon fight, "If thirty-one saloens, at the behest of

Mr. Storz, head of an Omaha brewing company, can to all intents and purposes obey the mulct law, they certainly can comply with the same law at the behest of the state" was the statement of County Attorney Killpack yesterday when asked if he intended, as had been reported, to see, in his official capacity, that the state mulct law was continued to be observed. Mr. Killpack, bowever, stated that as with the law in the manner they had been doing since the injunctions were secured against them by Attorney Wadsworth, local counsel for the Storz Brewing company, but he was determined that there would be no exception to the rule. In explanation of this the county attorney said he meant that a certain few saloon proprieters, who it appeared to him considered they could run under the old conditions, ment of the Deaf is advocating the re- or just as they pleased, would have to moval of the State School for the Deaf get into line with the rest of the salcon men or else close up their places. No subterfuge to escape complying with the provisions of the mulct law would be tolerated and any evasion or violation of the law would result in the prompt closing of their places and the proprieters would find themselves in a position where they

Can Keep It Up.

It has been rumored for several days that the county attorney had decided to take a hand in the fight and see that the saloon men who showed such a haste to get in under cover and run according to the mulct law should continue to do so. Mr. Killpack takes the position that the saloon men, having decided practically at the behest of a brewing compay to comply with the state law governing the sale of liquor, piece. there is no valid excuse why they should not continue to abide by the provisions of the same law at the behest of the state. Of all the saloons in the city, but seven as yet have not been enjoined. Five of these have their hearings set for Tuesday. while two have sought the protection the federal court. The order of the federal court in the case of the two saloons simply enjoins Attorney Wadsworth from them. It does not, however, apply to any action that the county attorney might deem fit to bring and Mr. Killpack stated emphatically yesterday that so far as he was concerned, all saloons, no matter by whom owned or controlled, would henceforth have to be conducted according to the provisions of the muct law as closely

When informed yesterday that there was a possibility of the saloon war being settled, Mr. Killpack asked if it was meant that under such settlement the saloons were to resume running under the old con ditions, and when told that this was evidently the result sought by a settlement;

he stated: "That cannot be. No matter what agree ment the warring factions among the saloon men may reach among themselves, they will have to conduct their saloons ac

MEAT A NECESSITY-

HIGH PRICES ARE NOT

We are here to convince people that high prices are not neces-

sary. These prices ought to convince you that we are leaders.

Nothing But First-Class Meat

Breakfast Bacon 9c

21c

Lamb Chops,

Spare Ribs.

Pork Roast.

Veal Roast,

per lb.....

Good Butter,

Hams,

.8c

62c

74c

6c

ness. That is all there is to it. As long as | FOR they comply with the law I shall not interfere, but there will be no preferences shown

situated, will have to be conducted accord-Ogden Hotel-Rooms with or without

READY FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

Necessary Deposit with City Clerk.

board; steam heat; free bath; public par-

ng to the mulct law."

William J. Dobbs, president of the Councompleted arrangements way company, yesterday with City Clerk Phillips for pushed through the last general assembly Monday, February 29, at which time the ordinance granting his company a fran- is in the exact wording of the amendment people. To cover the expenses of the some years ago, but declared not passed special election, estimated at \$685, President Dobbs deposited cash to this amount issued by County Attorney Killpack, who ing the ordinance published in the local press as required by law were also made by Mr. Dobba.

President Dobbs reported that E. M. Sanger, of the financial firm of Hooper, Nickerson & Company of Boston, which expects to ficat the bonds of the Tabor company, had telegraphed him that the franchise ordinance was satisfactory and to order the special election. Mr. Sanger, accompanied by eastern capitalists, will be in Council Bluffs Tuesday to look over the line. President Dobbs will recommend in view of the proposed packing house and stock yards here that the beit line portion in the southeast part of the city be constructed, at the same time as the portion in the business center in order that the company may be prepared to haul stock to Council Bluffs as soon as the packing house is ready to do business. Mr. Dobbs expressed the opinion that his road would be able to haul all the cattle that the

packing plant here could handle. The Tabor company has received at least one setback. The farmers residing in Locust Grove township, Fremont county, voted down the proposition to grant the company a 5 per cent tax on the assessed valuation of the property in the township, which would have meant a bonus of something over \$12,000 to the company. They voted it down by a vote of 114 to 23. In retaliation President Dobbs immediately sent out his engineers to survey another route and the proposed line will now skirt Locust Grove township four miles to the west and will cut through Madison township, the people of which will furnish a right-of-way and a townsite of forty acres. stated yesterday, would not only straighten the line, but shorten it at least three miles.

We are selling our entire stock of china-Will sell in one lot or by the ALBERTI & BULLIS. 337 West Broadway. Frank Fowler, auctioneer.

Olsen Bros., plumbers, 700 B'way. Tel A458.

Inquest on David Brown,

Coroner Treynor began yesterday morning an inquest over David Brown, who died suddenly yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. Ida Stowe, 624 Third street, where he proceeding with his injunction suits against boarded. The testimony of several witnesses was taken and the inquest adjourned subject to the call of the coroner. As a result of the autopsy performed Thursday night by Coroner Treynor and Dr. J. M. Baratow on Brown's body, the contents of the stomach were sent to Omaha for chemical analysis and it was to await the result of this that the inquest was adjourned.

Charles Woodruff, a teamster, who had been employed by Brown to drive his team, was the chief witness yesterday, and his testimony was corroborated substantially by Mrs. Stowe, her daughter and son. Their estimony was to the effect that Brown had been ill since last November with supposed kidney trouble and that he had been in the habit of taking some patent medicine for his atlment. Brown was taken ill Wednesday night and became much worse Thursday morning, but persisted, against the advice of the family, in going out to the barn and feeding his team. On returning to the house he went to his bed, lay down and died. Mrs. Stowe testified that Brown, before going to the barn, vom-

ited some black looking stuff. During the inquest inquiry was made by the coroner as to what had become of the money Brown was said to have had at the time of his death. Brown, it was said, invariably had considerable money and Woodruff testified that for the few days before his death Brown carried \$100 in gold for the purpose of buying a horse. After Brown's death only \$1 was found in his pocketbook. Mrs. Stowe denied knowing anything about the purse until it was found under the pillow after Brown's death, when the bedding was being re-

Until February 1st, special price of \$2 per dozen en photos. Hansen & Haverstock, 48-45 Main street. Mention this ad when

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported January 29 o The Bee by the abstract, title and loan of Squire & Annis, 101 Pearl street: The Pottawattamis Investment com-pany to S. L. Etnyre, lot 2, Casady's subdivision, w. d. Christ Dreckmeyer to W. P. Gardner, lot 3, block 6, Town of Underwood.

lot 2, block 6, Town of Underwood, w. d.

W. P. Gardner and wife to Christ Dreckmeyer, lots5, 6, 7 and 8, block 5. Town of Underwood, w. d.

George E. McMahon and wife to James P. Christensen, part lots 33 and 33. Johnson's add. w. d.

H. Mendel to L. D. Goodrich, part block 20, Town of Neola, w. d.

S. L. Moore to Chresten Peterson, w. d.

S. L. Moore to Chresten Peterson, w. d.

18-17-42, w. d.

David Johnston and wife to T. F.

Wager, part ne's nw's 7-76-42, w. d.

Pearl Gilinkly to O. C. Brewn, lot 2, block 18, Bears subdivision, w. d. 5,062

New Factory for Dunlap. LOGAN, In., Jan. 29.-(Epecial.)-A new mpany organized at Dunlap by the lead-

ng business men of that town and capitalized at \$10,000 will soon open a factory and begin the manufacture of a new patent stovepipe. Charles A. Overton is the inventor and will have full charge of the factory, and Hiram A. Kellogg of Glidden will be business manager. Dr. G. Hood, who holds the position of president, left this week for the east, where he hopes to interest certain money interests. A Wactory and storehouse will be located at

LEWIS CUTLER

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS

and every saloon in the city, no matter how | Senator Harper Introduces Resolution for a Constitutional Amendment.

PRESSURE EXERTED TO HEAD IT OFF

Silver Wing of Democratic Party Holds Conference with Object of Turning State Over to Hearst.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Jan. 29 .- (Special.)-The second introduction of the biennial eleccil Bluffs, Tabor & Southern Electric Rail- tions amendment to the Iowa constitution was by Senator Harper today. He had the holding of the special election on the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution. The amendment chise will be submitted to the vote of the to the constitution which was approved because of technical errors in its passage or recording its passage. If it is approved with Mr. Phillips. Arrangements for hav- by the people next fall it will end the elections in the odd-numbered years and leave all state officers to be selected every two years. It will extend the terms of office of those who were elected last year. Efforts had been made to induce Senator Harper to not introduce the resolution and thus to kill off the measure without a hearing, as it is opposed on factional grounds in this state. But he declined to do so and today introduced the resolution There is no doubt it will pass.

> Senator Young of Washington presented bill to prohibit docking of horses. A resolution and remonstrance agains the pardon of Hugh Robbard and L. W. Haley, murderers sent up from Dubuque ounty, from the supervisors of that county was presented by Senator Crawford.

Crossley, to amend code relative to sale of intoxicating liquors; Crossley, listing and taxing of mortgages; Molsberry, relative to publication and distribution of official register; Gillilland, personal bill for relief of James T. Ward; Newberry, compelling railway companies to maintain switch lights; Jones, amendment to code relative to divorces. Bills were introduced as follows:

Improvement to the Missouri,

Senator Hogue of Monona presented a resolution mentorializing the Iowa members of congress to aid in securing appropriation for improvement of the Missouri

Early Adjournment.

The first move in the house for an early adjournment came from the member from Jefferson county, Mr. Cassel introduced a concurrent resolution providing that the two houses should adjourn sine die March This change in the survey, President Dobbs 34 at noon. The resolution was referred to a committee where it can be carefully preserved until the work of the session

A concurrent resolution was presented in the house to provide for a committee of ware, queensware, graniteware and notions three from each house to inquire into the feasibility of the manufacture of binding twine at the state penitentiaries of Iowa for sale to the farmers of Iowa at cost. The house concurred in the senate resolution to appoint a joint committee to report on the cost of repairs to the state nouse due to the recent fire.

The bill to legalize the school district of mers was passed by the house.

Many Bills.

House Bills—By English, providing for grand jury clerks; Buckingham, to provide for damages done by dogs; Cassell, on telephone right-of-way! Coburn, appropriating for Cherokee hospital; Colcio, providing course of study for public schools; Cummings, making city cierks elective in second-class cities; Freeman, exempting personal earnings of nonresident heads of families; Young, to forbid docking horses trails; Harris, changing form of official ballots; Harris, changing form of official ballots; Harris, changing form of official ballots; Harris, changing form courses of appointment of administrators and filing wills; Mattes, appropriating for county hospital impection and for conferences of heads of state institutions; Morris, relating to placing telephone poles in highways; Stanberry, to prevent withdrawal of liquor suits.

New Rule on Appropriations.

New Rule on Appropriations

The senate committee on rules has adopted a rule for the guidance of the senate which, if adhered to, will revolutionize the manner of handling the appropriation business. The rule is that all the appropriation bills must go direct to the appropriations committee, and that committee must report them out by March 15 and they are to be considered separately in committee of the whole. This will prevent the bunching of the bills at the close of the session, when there is no time for their discussion. It is a measure advocated and urged by Lieutenant Governor

Supreme Court Decisions. The following were the decisions ren-

dered by the supreme court today;

A. F. Lough, appellant, against City of Estherville; Emmet county, Judge Baille; affirmed by Bishop.

John C. Bauer against City of Dubuque, appellant; Dubuque county, Judge O'Donnell; reversed by Sherwin.

A. S. Starnes against Elmer Stevenson, appellant; Tama county, Judge Caswell; affirmed by Bishop.

F. E. Pierce, appellant, against A. W. Houghton; Monona county, Judge Oliver; affirmed by Decmer.

Phillips & Robinson, appellants, against S. W. Hasen, Palo Alto county, Judge Quarton; reversed by Ladd.

Charles Wroughton, against Thomas E. Waffle, appellant; Ringgold county, Judge Towner; affirmed by Weaver.

Frank P. Phinney mgainst Illinois Central Raliroad Company, appellant; Cherokee dered by the supreme court today:

ilroad Company, appellant; Cherokee unty, Judge Wakefield; reversed by Mc-

The bill to change the supreme court rules has now passed both houses of the egislature and will soon become a law. It repeals that part of the code which re quires the assignment of errors in appeal

-Will of Major Hoyt Sherman. The will of Major Hoyt Sherman was filed for probate today. The estate is valued at over \$250,000 and is largely in realty in and around Des Moines and in stock in banks and corporations of various kluds. The will makes distribution of the property in equal shares among his five living children and one grandchild.

Second Democratic Conference. The secord conference of democrats of the silver wing of the party was doing business. General James B. Weaver came up from Colfax and was met by George F. Rinehart, Charles A. Walsh, Harry Evans and some others, and they held a private conference with the members of the legislature and leading democrats of the state The purpose of the meeting was to organize for pushing Hearst's candidacy for president. They feel confident that they will be able to control the state convention and select a delegation favorable to Hearst. It is the Bryan men of the party who are back of the movement, and they are assured of the support of the Nebraska man. Dunlap and will be constructed entirely of From the fact that others are also organizing it is evident, however, that there is to be a light before the convention

Crofford Wants Release of Bonds,

A petition is being circulated in the southern part of the state to have the case Lamoni dismissed. Dr. Crofford was con-victed of murder in the second degree for

10 Cents a Copy-\$1.00 a Year-At Any Price the Best

M°CLURE'S MAGAZINE

For February contains

A very striking article by Ray Stannard Baker about the

Corner in Labor

in San Francisco. Something entirely new in the labor world, described for the first time in this number of McClure's.

The most extraordinary chapter of Ida M. Tarbell's story of

Rockefeller

A collection of papers never before published, showing how the Standard Oil spies on its rivals and kills their business.

Good Short Stories-Fine Illustrations

"THE ALIENS" A picturesque story BOOTH TARKINGTON

OU CAN GET McCLURE'S FROM ANY NEWSDEALER OR McCLURE AGENT OR FROM THE PUBLISHERS 10c A COPY-\$1.00 FOR A YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION. S. S. McCLURE CO., 157 EAST 29th STREET, NEW YORK

Eight Beautiful Reproductions



Size, ITXI7 inches.

Each 11x17 inches; in tones of rich brown, mounted on a plate-marked mount, ready for framing. Each set furnished with an artistic Portfolio Cover, stamped in gold. Framed singly, they are admirable subjects for adorning the walls of boudoir, library or cozy corner.

The "Portfolio of Beauty" will be given free to all who, subscribe now to the MET-ROPOLITAN MAGA-ZINE at the regular yearly price of \$1.50. All charges prepaid. In no case will this Portfolio be sold separately. 16-p. illustrated folder about this offer mailed free on re-

METROPOLITAN MAGAZINE for 1904

will excel all magazines published. 160 Pages of Reading. About 100 illustrations in each issue. Its writers and illustrators, and special features are the best, as will be seen from the large announcements we are making in this paper almost daily.

A 35-cent Magazine for 15 Cents

Any Newsdealer will accept your subscription and forward the \$1.50 for you, and so save your time.

R. H. RUSSELL, PUBLISHER, 3 WEST 29TH STREET, N. V.

sanitarium. He obtained a reversal of the case and order for a second trial in De-1

BLYDENBURGH ON THE STAND Defendant in Iowa Murder Case Tells

of Actions on Day Wife Died. ELDORA, Ia., Jan. 29 .- Eben S. Blydenourgh, accused of murdering three wives,

took the stand in his own behalf today, answering the charges that he had poisoned his third wife by administering arsenic in a meal cooked by himself. Blydenburgh told a straight-forward story, corroborating the testimony of his daughter Irene, who swore that she cooked the meal which the state says contained arsente administered by the accused man. "I did not urge my wife to go to church

on the day of her death," said Blyden-burgh in a calm voice. "On the contrary, she first suggested it and I gave my consont. Shortly after she left I took a bath the state was held here today, this time sand then lay down on the lounge to rest. My daughter Irene cooked the Sunday meal. The boy went to Sunday school a little after 9 o'clock, returning at 11. He then went to church and returned again about the same time that Mrs. Blyden. ganization of a state agency to do all the burgh came home. We all sat down to the meal together, Shortly afterward Mrs. Blydenburgh complained of naureating pains and vomited. I supposed it was merely her old complaint and did not treat the matter seriously until I saw that she was in a dangerous condition

purchased rough-orbrats for any purpose than for that which the poison is generally used. He told of his wife's alleged complaint and stated that the family physician pronounced it uremia. He denied that

Stomach Sufferers Are quickly and permanently cured by Drake's Palmetto Wine. No distress or Flatulency after third day. One bottle cures. Trial bottle free to renders of this paper who send address to Drake Permain Company, Chianga.

causing the death of a young woman at his they had ever had trouble other than fam- WOMAN KNOWN IN KANSAS ity quarrels of little consequence The state hopes to break the weight of Blydenburgh's testimony in cross-examina-tion. It is admitted, however, that he has told a good story, thereby alding his case

New Graft Exposed.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Jan. 29.-(Special.) -A few people of Cedar Rapids have been windled in a new manner. A few days ago tric old woman who had lived alone in a many residents received a card purporting to be from the Globe Express company of Davenport telling them there was a package at that office for them and asking for shipping instructions. When they answered they were told there was some charges to be paid. Some of the people sent the zoney, but have received no package and faculty develops that there is no such scress company in Davenport.

ONE AGENCY TO BUY FOR ALL Kansas State Co-Operative Union Will Supply Thirty-Five Stores

Through Central Body.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 29.-At a meeting here today of the Kansas State Co-Operative union the members discussed the or buying, estimated at \$3,000,000 a year, for the thirty-five co-operative retail stores in Kansas. The central buying agency, it is planned, is to be but a preliminary step to the establishment of a great co-operative wholesale house.

Blydenburgh denied that he ever had SLASHES ITS GRAIN RATES

Missouri, Kausas & Texas Road Announces a Reduction in Freight Bates to the Gulf.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—The Missouri, Kansas & Texas today announced a 12-cent to Galveston, effective February 1. The present rate is 17 cents on wheat and 16 cents on corn.

Miss Marie Uitts Had Lived for Man; Years in and Around Independence.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Jan. 29.-Mrs. Marie Uitts of Independence, who was found in a dying condition in the Union station at Louisville, Ky., was an occenhumble cottage here for a nur ber of years. She was known to own considerable property, but no one ever knew its exact value, She and her husband lived on a farm near Independence until he died, a few years ago. They came to Kansas from Kentucky. It was Mrs. Utts' custom to visit that state occasionally. Two some near here, but have not been found up to late today.

Bucklen's Arnien Salve. The best in the world for cuts, corns, boils, bruises, burns, scalds, sores, ulcers, salt rheum. Cures pile For sale by Kuhn & Co. Cures plies or no pay, 250.

WOULD FIND ST. LOUIS MAN Chief of Police of Omaha Has Porce Get After One John J. Terpity.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—(Special Telegram.) -Chief J. J. Donahue of Omaha has written Chief Matthew, Kiely to learn the whereabouts of John J. Terpity, for whom, it is said, an estate has been left by a relative. Chief Donahue says that Terpity when last heard from was running out of St. Louis as a conductor for the Santa Fe.

Your Nerves

Furnish the motive power of the entire body. Dr. Miles' Nervine will keep the nerves strong and healthy or restore their strength if weakened. Sold on guarantes. Write for free book on nerveus decomp.

The Orvis Market Telephone 46. 537 Broadway.

Kettle Rendered Leaf Lard, 3 lbs.... 25c

Chickens, Oysters, Eggs, Celery

SPECIAL RATES TO HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS