NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

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There will be a special meeting this evening of Excelsior Masonic lodge for work in the second degree.
W. D. Gibson of Danbury, Ia., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. T. N. Harford of 609 South Eighth street.
M. F. Rohrer left Saturday evening for St. Joseph, Mo., to attend the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. E. V. Spiveley.
A half dozen sterling silver teaspoons, $4.00. Purchases limited to one dozen to each customer. Leffert's, 409 Broadway.
A meeting of the Woman's auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. T. J. Foley, on South Sixth street.
The hearing of Charles Armour, who is charged with passing a forged check given him by "Doc" Church, the erstwhile promoter of fistic bouts, has been continued in Justice Ouren's court until March 25, so that the grand jury can investigate the case. Armour, who at the time was in the saloon business, got the check cashed for Church on the supposition, as he claims, that it was genuine.
The funeral of Chris Schramm will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 from the German Lutheran church and burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Besides his wife Mr. Schramm is survived by seven daughters, Mrs. William Hellstine of Stanton, Neb., Mrs. Leitzback of Atwood, Colo., Mrs. R. A. Easley of Boulder Creek, Colo., Mrs. J. E. Crane of Boise City, Idaho, Mrs. Otto Weiderander and Mrs. J. H. Duis of Gothenburg, Neb., and Miss Rose Schramm of this city, and two sons, Frank of this city and Jacob of Chicago.
Frank Stevick, charged by Cal Shaffer with the theft of $20, was brought back yesterday from Persia, Ia., and lodged in the city jail. Stevick was visiting relatives at Persia when taken into custody at the request of the authorities of this city. He was brought back yesterday afternoon by Detective Leuch. Stevick admitted taking the money and said he had bought a new suit of clothes with the greater part of it. Stevick, who was permitted by Shaffer to sleep in the latter's livery barn, took the money from under Shaffer's pillow while the latter was asleep.

Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

Funeral of J. B. Atkins.

Members of the Masonic fraternity paid tribute to the memory of the late J. B. Atkins yesterday afternoon by attending his funeral in large numbers. At the family home on Sixth street and Sixth avenue a short service was first held by Rev. H. W. Starr of St. Paul's Episcopal church, after which Bluff City Masonic lodge took charge of the funeral and conducted services according to the ritual of the order, the ritual also being followed at the cemetery. Among the many beautiful floral offerings were elaborate set pieces from the different Masonic bodies.
The procession from the house to Fairview cemetery was an imposing spectacle, there being upwards of 150 members of the Masonic order in line, among them being fifty Knights Templar in full uniform. Past Grand Master and Grand Commander H. W. Rothert acted as master of the lodge in conducting the services, at the request of the family. The active pallbearers were James McMillen, Judge George Carson, J. C. Madsen, N. C. Phillips, H. E. Doolittle, S. L. Etnyre, E. H. Rothert and Peter Jensen. The honorary pallbearers were J. W. Wells of Marshalltown, eminent grand commander Knights Templar of Iowa; W. H. Norris of Manchester, past eminent grand commander; D. M. Brownlee of Sioux City, grand recorder, Knights Templar; Captain Thomas Adams of LeMars, grand trustee, Knights Templar; Victor Jennings of Council Bluffs, past commander Ivanhoe commandery, Knights Templar, and C. Colburn of Creston.

Ogden Hotel—Rooms, with or without board; steam heat; free bath; public parlor.

A business man's lunch will be served today by the women of the Congregational church at the art loan exhibit in the W. H. M. Pusey home, on Willow avenue, from 11 to 2 o'clock. Price of lunch, with admission to exhibit, 25 cents.

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Mixup in Eleventh District.

SIBLEY, Ia., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The republican congressional convention of the Eleventh Iowa district will contain 135 delegates, as follows: Buena Vista, 10; Cherokee, 10; Clay, 8; Dickinson, 6; Ida, 8; Monona, 11; O'Brien, 10; Osceola, 6; Lyon, 8; Plymouth, 12; Sac, 10; Sioux, 11; Woodbury, 25. Indications are that Ex-State Senator E. H. Hubbard of Sioux City will have the twenty-five votes of Woodbury county, Ex-Congressman Isaac S. Struble of LeMars the twelve votes of Plymouth county, Judge Lot Thomas of Storm Lake, the present congressman, the ten votes of Buena Vista county, and Ex-Assemblyman E. C. Roach of Rock Rapids the eight votes of Lyon county. It will take sixty-eight votes to nominate. The delegates will all be chosen before the 18th of May the date of the Iowa republican state convention. Plymouth chooses delegates March 3; Sibux, March 9. The time and place of holding the congressional convention has not been determined.

Australian Mothers Use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

The following letter from Mrs. W. F. Mitchell of Broadford, Victoria, Australia, shows that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy furnishes the same prompt relief and is prized as highly by the mothers of that far away country as in the United States. She says: "In my family of eight, all of whom are subject to colds and coughs, I have tried many cough mixtures, but have found nothing so good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Even in whooping cough it makes the attack very much lighter. In fact I have used nothing else since first trying it, for its value was proved. I always recommend it."

Institute a Success.

CLAY CENTER, Neb., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Clay county has held its first farmers' institute, which closed yesterday. It was certainly a success and was well attended. The citizens of this place, where the institute was held, provided entertainment and the lectures were very entertaining and instructive. A large vacant store room was utilized for an exhibition of different products and was visited by many.

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VOTE ON FRANCHISE TODAY

Voters to Decide Whether Tabor Electric Line Shall Enter the City.

CONDITIONS OF THE PROPOSED GRANT

Work to Be Commenced by July 1 and Road in Portion of City and to the School for the Deaf to Be Completed in One Year.

The polls for the special election today at which the people of Council Bluffs will decide whether a franchise, such as is proposed by the ordinance passed by the city council, shall be granted to the Council Bluffs, Tabor & Southern Electric Railway company, will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.
The proposed franchise is for a period of twenty-five years and gives the Tabor company the right to construct, maintain and operate by electric or other motive power than steam or gasoline in the city of Council Bluffs an interurban belt line and street railway for the transportation of passengers, baggage, mail, express packages, produce and freight.
The streets and avenues over which the franchise gives the company the right to operate are divided into two subdivisions, as follows:

Subdivision One.

Over and along the easterly twenty-six feet of South avenue, commencing at its intersection with Garfield avenue at the south city limits, to Tostevin street.
Tostevin street, from its intersection with South avenue to Eighteenth avenue.
Eighteenth avenue, from Tostevin street to High street.
High street, from Eighteenth avenue to Sixteenth avenue.
Sixteenth avenue, from High street to Third street.
Third street from Sixteenth avenue to Ninth avenue.
Ninth avenue, from Third street to Fourth street.
Fourth street, from Ninth avenue to Story street.
Story street, from Fourth street to Main street.
Main street from Story street to the intersection of Main street, Washington avenue and Bryant street.
Washington avenue from the intersection of Main street, Washington avenue and Bryant street, to Sixth street.
Sixth street, from Washington avenue to its northern end at Rohrer's park.
Curtis street, from Rohrer's park to Avenue F.
Avenue F, from Sixth street to Curtis street.

Subdivision Two.

Avenue G, from Sixth street to Thirty-second street, and to a point that would be interested by the extension of Avenue G and Thirty-fifth street, if and when such avenue and street are extended.
Nineteenth street, from Avenue G to Avenue M.
Avenue M, from Nineteenth street to Thirtieth street.
Thirtieth street, from Avenue M to Avenue G.
Twenty-ninth street, from Avenue M to the northern city limits, or to some other street or streets to be hereafter selected by said company, in order to reach the east end of the Omaha Bridge and Terminal Railway company's railroad and wagon bridge.
Thirty-fifth street, from Sixteenth avenue to Avenue C, and to a point that would be intersected by the extension of Thirty-fifth street and Avenue G, if and when such street and avenue are extended.
Second avenue, from Thirty-fifth street to its western termination and to a point where it would intersect the right-of-way of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company, if extended.
Fourth avenue, from Thirty-fifth street to its western termination, and to the city limits, when extended.
Thirty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Second avenue.
Avenue C, from Thirty-fifth street to Thirty-second street.
Thirty-second street, from Avenue C to Avenue G.
Sixteenth avenue, from Thirty-fifth street to the Union Pacific transfer grounds.
Twenty-third avenue, from Union Pacific transfer grounds to Eleventh street.
Eleventh street, from Twenty-third avenue to south city limits.

The company is required to run all of its regular or scheduled passenger trains through the business part of the city, or, in other words, upon the streets named in subdivision one, and its passenger depot must be located at some convenient place between the intersection of Main street and Fifth avenue and the intersection of Main street and Washington avenue and Bryant street. The company is prohibited from running its freight trains on the streets named in subdivision one north of Tenth avenue, except between the hours of 1 a. m. and 5 a. m. and in no case shall trains containing live stock be run on the streets north of Tenth avenue at any time in the day or night.

Conditions of Franchise.

Construction work on the line on the streets in subdivision one shall be commenced by July 1, 1904, and completed by July 1, 1905, including the extension to the Iowa School for the Deaf, which extension the company is bound under the franchise to make. Work on the construction of the portion of the line on the streets in subdivision two must be commenced by January 1, 1906, and must be completed and in operation by January 1, 1909. In order to avoid the forfeiture of the franchise the company must complete the construction of its line from Council Bluffs to its terminus at Rockport or Tarkio, Mo., within four years from the passage and acceptance by the company of the franchise.
These are the main provisions of the ordinance granting the franchise upon which the people of this city are called to vote today.
The voting places in the several precincts of the city for the special election today are as follows:
First ward, First precinct, 132 East Broadway; Second precinct, 207 East Broadway. Second ward, First precinct, 22 Bryant street; Second precinct, 732 West Broadway. Third ward, First precinct, 101 South Main street; Second precinct, 807 South Main street. Fourth ward, First precinct, Farmers' Hall in court house; Second precinct, 612 Twelfth avenue. Fifth ward, First precinct, corner Fifth avenue and Twelfth street; Second precinct, 1511 South Thirteenth street. Sixth ward, First precinct, corner Avenue B and Twenty-fourth street; Second precinct, Magnussen building, corner Fifth and Locust streets.
A copy of the bill passed by the state legislature giving the Tabor company a right-of-way through the grounds of the School for the Deaf was received here yesterday. In return for the grant the company is required to maintain a passenger depot on the grounds and to put in a switch to the coal house of the institution. These requirements were tacked on after the bill had been originally drafted, but the company had proposed to do both these things as shown by the blue prints prepared by the company and placed on exhibition in the rooms of the Commercial club.

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Switchman Loses Arm.

Edward Watt, a Northwestern switchman at Missouri Valley, had his left arm so badly crushed while working in the yards there, yesterday afternoon, that it had to be amputated at the shoulder. The operation was performed at the Woman's Christian Association hospital in this city, where the injured man was brought last evening. Watt, despite the fact that he had lost a considerable quantity of blood, stood the shock of the amputation well. He is a married man with a family of four children, his home being in Missouri Valley.

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BUSY TIME FOR THE POLITICIANS.

March Has More Than Its Share of Conventions and Elections.

Politically speaking, March will be a busy month for republicans and democrats alike, with the school, city and county conventions and school and city elections scheduled for different dates during the next four weeks.
The political calendar for the month as arranged to date is as follows:
Saturday, March 5—Republican primaries to select delegates to school and city conventions at 8 p. m.
Monday, March 7—Republican school convention at 8 p. m.
Tuesday, March 8.—Democratic primaries to select delegates to school and city conventions at 8 p. m.
Wednesday, March 9—Democratic school convention at 8 p. m.
Saturday, March 12.—Republican ward caucuses to nominate ward aldermen at 8 p. m.
Monday, March 14—School election.
Tuesday, March 15.—Republican city convention at 2 p. m. Democratic ward caucuses to nominate ward aldermen at 8 p. m.
Wednesday, March 16—Democratic city convention at 8 p. m.
Saturday, March 19.—Republican primaries to select delegates to county convention at 8 p. m.
Tuesday, March 22—Republican county convention to name delegates to state, congressional and judicial conventions at 2 p. m.
Monday, March 28—City election.
Outside of the election of three members of the Board of Education and a treasurer of the district, but two propositions will be submitted to the voters at the school election. One proposition is to levy a tax of $25,000 for the improvement of and erection of an addition to the Avenue B school and the other to sell the old Clark school property. The threatened mandamus proceedings to compel the Board of Education to submit a proposition to levy a tax of $15,000 for the purpose of building a four-room school in the locality between Thirteenth and Twentieth streets failed to materialize and today the only two propositions decided on by the board will be published in accordance with the law.
The Clark school property, which the board seeks permission to sell, consists of half an acre and is located on Bennett avenue. The schoolhouse is a one-room brick building which cost originally about $500 and which is now in bad state of repair. The school was closed about a year ago and the children of that neighborhood are conveyed to and from the Pierce street school in a carryall, at the expense of the district, this being found cheaper than to keep the Clark school open.

Term of Court Ends.

LOGAN, Ia., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—At noon yesterday the February session of the Harrison county district court came to an end. The last case tried was Mrs. Mattie Crow against Stephen Crow, in which the plaintiff prayed the court to appoint an immediate and temporary guardian for the defendant, but the action was not sustained.
Crow is 88 years old and has resided at Woodbine for fifty years. He was judged competent to do business for himself. W. H. Clifton against the Town of Modale resulted in a judgment of $242 allowed the plaintiff. Five thousand dollars was the amount sued for.

WEEK'S PROGRAM IN CONGRESS

Naval and Army Bill Up in the Senate —Smoot Case Scheduled for Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—It is expected that both the naval and army appropriation bills will be reported to the senate during the present week, and it is intended to take them up for consideration as soon as possible, regardless of all other legislation, and henceforth to give the supply bills right-of-way to the exclusion of all other matters. The army appropriation bill has been under consideration by a subcommittee of the military committee for some time and will be taken up early in the week. The prospect, however, is that the naval bill will be the first to secure consideration by the senate.
Both measures will meet opposition and probably will be debated at length. The bill authorizing the erection of a joint building for the use of the State department, the Department of Justice and the Department of Commerce will be called up on Monday by Mr. Fairbanks. It is understood that Mr. Gorman will seek to secure various amendments to the measure.
Tuesday will be devoted to the bill regulating the shipment of government supplies, and in accordance with the agreement reached yesterday a vote will be taken on that before adjournment that day.
It is not expected that the confirmation of General Wood will be considered during the week, owing to the absence of Senators Foraker and Blackburn, both of the committee on militry affairs and both interested in the case, though on opposite sides. It is the general expectation that the case will receive attention next week.
At the request of Mr. Beveridge next Thursday has been set aside for consideration of legislation in the interest of Alaska. There are several bills pertaining to that territory on the calendar. Mr. Beveridge, however, will not press these bills if there are appropriation bills ready.
The committee on privileges and elections will begin its investigation into the Smoot case on Tuesday, and it is also expected that the special committee appointed to inquire into the charges against Senator Dietrich will proceed with its work during the week.
The first week in March finds the house with a very small proportion of the big supply measures waiting its action. The naval was the eighth of the general appropriation bills that have been disposed of at this session. The remaining supply bills will be given precedence over other measures, as it is the desire of the leaders to call up all the regular business of the house as early as possible.
The District of Columbia appropriation bill will be taken up next and then will follow the Indian appropriation bill. The time allotted for general debate on these bills will give ample opportunity for political discussions.
With these two bills out of the way the postoffice appropriation bill will be placed before the house, the consideration of which will consume some time. In the meantime the appropriations committee will perfect the sundry civil bill, now in an advanced state of preparedness for this time of the session in order that it may be taken up at the earliest practicable moment.

Hinshaw May Be in Race.

YORK, Neb., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—York is headquarters for the congressional committee of the Fourth congressional district and the congressional convention will be held here. There are a number of admirers of Congressman Hinshaw who would be pleased to see him promoted, and will, if opportunity is given, work for his election to the United States senate.

IOWA GUARDS TO GET MORE

Certainty of Material Change in the Method of Making Appropriation.

FAVOR PERMANENT CAMP GROUND

Captains and Members of the Companies Express Their Views in Regard to the Camp Question.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The prospect is that there will be material change in the manner of making the appropriations for the Iowa National Guard by the present legislature and that the sums allowed will be increased. The present annual allowance of the state for the pay of the men and for all expenses of the encampments and armories is $57,300 a year. A pending bill provides for $75,000 a year, or so much of the same as may be necessary, and for a definite allowance for the guardsmen while at encampments. There was a deficit in guard funds last year which has been made good by a special $10,000 appropriation already made. This grew out of the fact that there was no appropriation made to pay armory rent and drill pay for the men, and this was raised a few years ago. There was also trouble because the men of the guard insisted on double pay this year for encampment duty on account of the provisions of the Dick bill, under which they were able to get pay from the United States as well as from the state. The legislature will change this, so that they will receive but one pay hereafter. The state of Iowa receives a credit of $27,500 a year from the United States for equipment, but this will all be needed for new uniforms the next few years. It is the intention of the adjutant general to fully equip the Iowa guardsmen with three full suits of uniforms and all the latest weapons and camp equipage. When this is done the Iowa guard will rival anything in the country.

Question of Permanent Camp.

In the matter of the state of Iowa acquiring permanent camp grounds for the guard encampments, while this has been recommended many times and it is understood that the legislative committee of the guard association is working to that end, yet the opinion of the men is greatly divided on the subject. Captain William S. Hart of Waukon, deeply interested in the guard from the fact that he has long been identified with it, is chairman of the house committee on military affairs. The subject of permanent camp grounds was early presented to him, and he has taken the pains to secure expressions of opinion from the members of the guard throughout the state as a basis for some legislative action. His correspondence reveals that the men of the guard are not so much in favor of a permanent camp as are the officers, though not all officers desire it. He sought to obtain an expression from the men, but the answers to his letters sent to company commanders shows that in only a few cases did they really get at the views of the men.
A great many of those who desire a permanent camp ground want it located at or near the United States army post and rifle range south of Des Moines. For instance, Captain Parker of Sac City declares: "What the Iowa National Guard needs and wants is a permanent camp ground near the regular army post, where we can receive the benefit of coming in contact with soldiers and not be sent off each year to some town to have a Fourth of July picnic. I believe a permanent camp in Des Moines would be the thing."

Near An Army Post.

Captain Gray Warren of Ida Grove favors a permanent camp and that "we think the idea of establishing the same adjoining the United States army post at Des Moines to be a fine one, owing to the advantage it would give the guard in the use of the target range at the post and the advantage of being close to a United States post."
Captain Whipple of Vinton called his men together and thirty-one being present all but three voted for the project, and personally he "would much prefer that the location be at Des Moines."
Captain Caughlin of Ottumwa favors the permanent camp, and "the general opinion of the men in my command is a preference to locate it at some river point or larger city, but for the general good of the guard I think it is far better to be farther away from such places in order that men may do their military duty without being entrammeled with other attractions."

Commanders Favor the Plan.

Captain Cotton of Waterloo and his men favor the permanent camp; and so also Captain Moore and his men, of Oskaloosa; and Captain Van Order of Council Bluffs and the men with whom he has talked; and Captain Rankin of Mason City; Captain Harvey, of Washington; Captain Clifton, of Grinnell; Captain Dalzell, of Newton; Captain Frisbie, of Sheldon; Captain Gilbridle of Algona, and Captain Lucas of Fairfield.
Captain Howell, of Iowa City would locate a permanent camp "as near the center of the state as possible."
Captain Holstein, of Burlington would have "not less than 160 acres of land, centrally located, if possible within the near vicinity of Fort Des Moines, where the state troops, both officers and men, can be afforded an opportunity to see how things are conducted in the regular army."

Various Opinions Expressed.

Captain Chantland, of Fort Dodge, favors the permanent camp ground, "especially when we can secure it near a regular army post."
Captain McCrillis, of Hampton, thinks that Cedar Rapids is a good location for a permanent camp ground but "Des Moines has more in its favor than any other city of the state."
Captain Stanley, of Corning, favors it and "that the location of the same at Des Moines near the fort would be advisable."
Captain Nichols, of Sioux City, favors the camp ground, "my men and myself beg leave to state that in our opinion Cedar Rapids would be a more desirable place, providing the state could secure about 150 acres including the state rifle range."
Captain Williams, of Osceola, finds sentiment about equally divided among his men, but personally he favors the grounds.
Captain Wright, of Centerville, opposes the idea, because of the greater necessity for a state arsenal, and "you have all out of doors in Iowa to camp on and in a pinch can go to Kansas."
Captain Gooch, of Sioux City, reports that out of forty-seven men, only two voted in favor of the permanent camp ground, and he says that the guard "as it is equipped now are able to take care of themselves anywhere, and this is as it should be as near to the regular army as possible."
Captain Castle, of Shenandoah, favors a permanent camp ground and it should be "if possible near a government post, where troops are stationed."
Captain Thrift, of Dubuque, is in favor of a permanent ground and in favor of not fixing the place but leaving it to competition among towns. He also opposes any appropriation for a state arsenal.

Iowa Congressional Fight.

The republican congressional primaries in Polk county, which county controls the Seventh congressional district, are scheduled for Monday, the last day of the month; and predictions are freely made that there will be bloodshed or at least noses broken on that day. The interest has become intense and there has been much money used the past few weeks. In fact, the chief feature of the campaign has been the use of money by both the candidates and the constant crossfire of the campaign managers consisting largely of accusations and counter accusations of intention to do wrong. This has largely been done through the advertising columns of the daily newspapers and a great deal of money has been spent in this way. But the courts have been resorted to and efforts made to prevent the county committee from conducting the campaign as others have been in the past. Friday night there was a big Hull meeting and last night a big Prouty meeting and both were addressed by fiery speakers who abused the other fellows. There have been about 200 public meetings held in the city the past month, chiefly small ones in schoolhouses and stores and saloons. Not until the past week has money been plentiful, but all reports indicate that the managers used a great deal.
It is the old fight over again of two years ago of Judge Prouty against Captain Hull. One wants to be congressman and the other doesn't want to let go. Judge Prouty is ambitious and aggressive and he has been organizing for more than two years. He has a perfect machine and he has the county committee, which named the election judges with him, so that he virtually controls the election. Captain Hull is making the campaign largely on the ground that he got an army post and a site for a new postoffice and is in position to get more government money to be spent in Des Moines if he is only kept in congress right along. To some extent the fight involves the well recognized factions in Iowa, as Captain Hull has been much opposed to Governor Cummins, while Judge Prouty is equally bitter against Blythe and the other crowd of political managers.

Tonight the Finish

There are only a few hours between now and the finish of De Long's Bachelor Girl Voting Contest. Exactly at 10 o'clock tonight the ballot will be closed and it is expected that by about 10:30 the names of the three prize winners will be announced, for, although the vote will undoubtedly be a heavy one, much of it will be in good-sized tickets and the counting will be done on a total adding cash register, which insures speed and accuracy. Everybody is invited to come and see the finish of this interesting contest.

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Cora Gretzer	18,589
Anna Wack	18,043
Lena Datchler	14,117
Maud Bryant	11,395
Kate Groneweg	11,196

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TO ARRANGE ENTERTAINMENT

Members of the Board of Lady Managers Meet in St. Louis on Tuesday.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Daniel I. Manning, president of the board of lady managers of the World's fair, and Mrs. Finis P. Ernest of Denver, a member of the board, arrived tonight from Washington to attend the meeting of the board here on Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Phelps Montgomery of Portland, Ore., also a board member, has been here for several days.
Mrs. Manning said tonight that the purpose of the meeting is for the appointment of committees on music, entertainment and furnishing of the board's headquarters. She said that the $100,000 that the board will receive as its portion of the loan from the government, will be used for paying the bills incurred by the board for maintenance of the board's headquarters, furnishings and entertainment. The other members of the board are expected to arrive tomorrow.

LADS WANTED TO BE BANDITS

Are Arrested for Shooting at a Passenger Train Near Franklin, Indiana.

FRANKLIN, Ind., Feb. 28.—George Logan and Arthur Johnson, both colored, and 13 years old, were arrested today charged with shooting at the J. M. & I. passenger train here last night. A warrant has also been issued for James Campbell, colored, aged 12, but the police are unable to find the boy. Johnson was subsequently released because of insufficient evidence.

MEN ARE DYNAMITING THE ICE

More Viaducts at Kansas City Menaced by the Obstructions in the Kaw River.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 28.—The ice gorge in the Kaw river at this point still threatens to carry out other of the temporary bridges erected following last year's great flood. The wreckage of the three temporary bridges destroyed last night, added to the great field of ice, proved a greater menace today to the structures yet standing. A force of men was employed today in dynamiting the ice. It is not believed that any of the permanent bridges will be damaged seriously and no great loss to property is expected.

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