### MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Leffert's glasses fit.

The Faust cigar, 5 cents. Bruce Orr of Logan, Ia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor.
Pyrography outfils and supplies. C. E. Alexander & Co., 32 Broadway.
Miss Julietta Shreves and Miss Wyoming Harder left yesterday on a visit to relatives and friends in Underwood, In.

The regular meeting of Harmony chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held this evening in Masonic hall.

The fire department was given a run yes-terday morning at 11.30 to Oakland avenue to extinguish burning grass in a vacant

W. J. Almy left yesterday for New York to visit his sister, Mrs. M. V. Webbs. While east he will undergo an operation for deaf-

Mynster street.

Mrs. J. P. Greenshields of Oakland avenue has been removed to the Woman's Christian association bospital to undergo a severe surgical operation.

Colonel W. J. Davenport of the Burling-ton has sufficiently recovered from his at-tack of pneumonia to be able to be out yesterday for a short while, the first time in six weeks. At the meeting of the Council Bluffs Fish and Game Protective association Tuesday night it was decided to retain the str-vices of Harry Simms as warden at Lake Manawa for another month.

Howard Hendley, an attorney of Chicago, is the guest of Deputy City Clerk Harry Brown, enroute home from Scattle, Wash. Mr. Brown and Mr. Headley were schoolmates at Galesburg. III.

The regular meeting of the Union Veteran legion will be held this evening in Woodman hall, when all members are requested to be present as it is said the Woman's suxillary has a surprise in store for them. Judge Thornell yesterday overruled the motion on behalf of the city for a new trial of the personal injury damage suit of Mrs. Margaret Cramer, in which a verdict for \$5.00 was returned in favor of the

Anderson has announced himself E. A.

N. P. Anderson has announced himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for alderman from the First ward. He is a resident of the Second precinct of the ward and a member of the contracting firm of Anderson Brothers.

City Clerk Phillips was busy yesterday paying the judges and clerks of the special election held Monday. The total expense of the election, which is borne by the Council Bluffs, Tabor & Southern Electric Railway company, will not exceed 1975.

Council Bluffs lodge of Elks will hold its regular meeting this evening instead of Council Bluffs lodge of Eliks will hold its regular meeting this evening instead of Friday to avoid conflict with the Katherine Ridgeway Concert company, which will appear Friday evening at the high school auditorium under the auspices of the Eliks' entertainment course.

The Young Peoples' society of the First Baptist church will give a social and entertainment at the church, corner First avenue and Sixth street, this evening at 8 o'clock. A most excellent musical pro-

gram will be rendered, after which refresh-ments will be served.

Failure on the part of the janitor to shut off the intake of the boiler Tuesday night resulted in the steam pipes and radiators filling with water and flooding the upper floors of the Brown building. The water poured down to the first floor, considerably damaging the stock of Peregoy & Moore, wholesale tobacconists.

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

Church Choir Concert.

choir of the Broadway Methodist church will give its annual concert this be the rendition of the cantata. Owing to the indisposition of Mr. Murphy Dr. Lewis will sing the baritone solos in "Ruth." The other soloists will be announced. Miss Edith Foley, soprano; Miss Alida McFadden, soprano; Miss Anna Louise Getty, contralto. For this work Mr. Carl Scherff will be the organist and Mrs. Stratton, planist. The remainder of the program is as follow:

Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes... Broadway Quartet. Violin, Fantasie-Caprice... Vieuxtemps Mary Mackenzle Cahill; Miss Effa Ellis

Miss Blanche Lewis. Violin, Elegie. When the Little Ones Say Good Night, Broadway Quartet.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250; night, F667.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported March 2 to The Bee by the abstract, title and loan office of Squire & Annis, 101 Pearl street; Frank G. Schofield and wife to Wil-liam Coffeit, 30 acres in ne's se's 

2-74-40, w. d.
Charles H. Coy and wife to George
Bolton, sig seig 6-74-39, w. d.
Emeline M. Jensen to Alex Shannon,
lote 43, 44, 47 and 48, block 6, Wright's
addition, w. d. 3,350 lote 43, 44, 47 and 48, block 6, Wright's addition, w. d.
Gustav Kinkel and wife to William D. Ivers, lote 11 and 12, block 4, town of Minden, w. d.

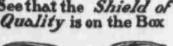
J. L. Huff and wife to Minnie Boospart lot 1, Auditor's subdivision and sets swits 8-76-39, w. d.
Peter Smith and wife to F. M. Schwartz, why sets and els swits 11-78-38, w. d.
Fred W. Ivers and wife to Detlef F. Dan, sits swits 22-76-41, w. d.
J. H. C. Stuhr to August Kay, els nwis 22 and 15 acre in swis 15-77-41, w. d.

Twelve transfers, total .. \$76,930 Hafer sells lumber. Catch the idea?

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued to the following:

Name and Residence. Harry Porter, Sidney, Ia.... Ethel Campbell, Honey Creek, Ia. L. A. Hyde, Minden, Ia. Dora Grodt, Marne, Ia.

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## COMMERCIAL CLUB BANQUET

O'd Officers Report and New Ones Elected for the Ensuing Year.

ALTOGETHER HARMONIOUS

Colonel Clark E, Carr of Galesburg Spenks on Lincoln and W. E. Bainbridge on "Our Trade Relations with the Orient."

H. H. Van Brunt was elected president of the Council Bluffs Commercial club at the annual meeting held last night at The members of Tigredia temple, Rath-bone Sisters, will meet this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. H. B. Lackey on Mynster street. tary, W. B. Reed.

The old executive committee, with exception of H. H. Van Brunt, was reelected. The committee now is Emmet Tinley, F. R. Davis, H. A. Quinn, H. W. Binder, C. W. McDonald.

Board of directors, N. P. Anderson, Mar Bouricius, V. E. Bender, W. L. Beattle, John Beno, H. W. Binder, L. C. Besley, A. Beno, W. J. Davenport, F. J. Day, R. Davis, E. H. Doolittie, Leonard Everett, A. T. Flickinger, E. B. Gardiner J. P. Greenshields, William Groneweg Lewis Hammer, F. H. Hill, E. E. Hart C. H. Huber, C. Hafer, E. W. Hart, C. Jensen, E. H. Kimball, F. H. Keys, E H Lougee, E. H. Merriam, D. Macree, ir., T. D. Metcalf, William Moore, D. C. Morgan, W. McDonsid, W. A. Maurer, John , T. N. Petersen, H. A. Quinn, B. Sargent, C. G. Saunders, John Schoentgen, W. H. Town, Emmet Tinley, F. T. True, H. H. Van Brunt, E. H. Walters, J. G. Wadsworth, J. F. Wilcox, Wickham, Lucius Wells, G. S.

Report of Secretary. The report of Secretary Brooks Reed showed a total membership in good standing at present date of 175. Secretary Reed also read an exhaustive report giving in detail the work of the executive com

mittee during the past year. During the past year the fifty members of the board of directors paid \$25 each as dues. It was decided that in future they pay the same dues as the ordinary members, namely, \$12 a year.

The report of Treasurer E. E. Hunt showed that the total receipts from membership dues, including directors' fees and other sources were \$5,760.31 and the disbursements \$3,747.31, leaving a balance of \$2,013.00 in the club treasury. The prinipal disbursements were: Lumber fixtures of club rooms, \$817.78; printing and supplies, \$287.86; salaries, \$1,331.90; rent and heat, \$281.50; postage, \$95.50; entertainment.

A suggestion that in recognition of their services during the past year the officers be re-elected on suspension of the rules was declared out of order, it being understood that several of them did not desire to serve again.

A nominating committee, consisting evening at the church. There will be no H. H. VanBrunt, F. H. Hill, F. T. True, C. against the cotor company was opened by admission charged and the public is cor- Huber and E. Tinley, submitted the list of Judge Thornell on convening district court dially invited to attend. The principal fifty names for the board of directors, and yesterday morning and was found, as had feature of the evening's entertainment will, these were unanimously elected by the been reported, to be in favor of the de-

Preceding the business meeting the club Hon. W. Bainbridge of this city, formerly demnifying the plaintiff company against tion at Peking, China, and more recently any of its employes. The petition sets tions for the Deaf School at Council Bluffs. Trade Relations with the Orient." About \$7,102.87, which the Cudahy company paid, duced the speakers.

Early Impressions of City. Colonel Carr, who was the first speaker, Bluffs forty years ago. He made the trip sled for Council Bluffs. While in Council tax be declared null and void. Bluffs he said he became acquainted with Marshal Turley, a former resident of Galesburg. Ill., and a ploneer settler of this city.

Mr. Turley, he said, was very enthusiastic regarding the future of the city and frequently declared that Council Bluffs would some time become the railroad center of the west. "Mr. Turley was a good prophet. he said. Influenced by Turley's optimistic predictions and his own judgment Colonel Carr purchased forty acres of land on the ottoms in the western part of the city. "Although I have often been in need of money I have held on to my holdings and refused to sell them. I am confident, as formerly, in the ultimate success of the investment which I made forty years ago,

he said. From here he said he crossed the river to Omaha, where he found numbers of Pawnee Indians on what is now Farnam street. He purchased property there at what is now the northeast corner of Dodge and Thirteenth street, but subsequently sold it to W. P. Kellogg, first chief justice of Nebraska

After indulging in these reminiscenses Colonel Carr began to talk more directly on his subject. "Abraham Lincoln, the First Investor in Council Bluffs Real Estate.

Tribute to Lincoln. Tribute to Lincoln.

The charter of the Union Pacific railroad provided, as I recollect it, that the president of the United States should designate at a point on the Missouri river the initial point of the road. As I recollect, he designated a point in Council Bluffs in order to require the railroad to build a bridge across the Missouri river. It was then stated with how much truth I cannot tell, that when President Lincoln, with the map before him, designated this point he looked up and facetiously remarked: "I will put it here, for I own some lots in the neighborhood."

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Abraham Lincoln was the most serious man I ever saw. When I heard him in his great address at Gettysburg, when I heard him deliver his second inaugural oration when he said. "With malice loward none, with charity for all." there was such dignity and earnestness and solemnity and benignity as I have never seen displayed in any other human being Man is the most feivolous of animals. Man is the most serious of animals. Abraham Lincoln went through life acting out human nature. It was not because you felt if unnecessary to lock up your gnoons when he was about that he was called "Honest Old Abe." but because in all the relations of life he acted out honestly human nature, that in his feelings and emotions and relations with men he was always sincere.

Mr. Bainbridge, who was accorded an enthusiastic reception, showed a thorough

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Trade with Orient.

he had not been entirely forgotten by its people and that on every hand were mul-

said in part as follows:

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The ramincations of commerce are so intricate and far-reaching, local interests are often so dependent upon remote conditions, that no apology is needed or offered for my choice of a subject. It is a plain and practical subject, coming home to men a bosoms and business and I shall attempt to deal with it in a practical way, indulging in the somewhat dry but significant figures which mean national prosperity rather than in the more giltering figures of rhetoric.

The cry of the merchant and the manufacturer is apt to be: "What we want are orders." The cry of the commercial and manufacturing nations of the world today is: "What we want are markets." We are a commercial and manufacturing nations of the world today is: "What we want are market was all-sufficient. The home market is the best of all markets—there is no doubt whatever about that—and worth being kept the best. But domestic production will often outstrip domestic consumption, and the surplus must be curtailed with resulting loss both to labor and to invested capital. It has been for some time apparent to the student of American trade conditions that foreign markets would soon become an urgent necessity. The problem has been where to find them. The European states are commercial and manufacturing nations too, reaching out under the stress of an equal necessity, with intelligent and energetic effort for distant markets. Still American inventive genius, more intelligent and skilled, because better paid labor and production upon a vaster and hence a cheaper scale, have enabled us to entereven the markets of Europo with our manufactures. But the real need is for markets capable of exploitation and development.

Footheid in the Far East.

Footbold in the Far East, The highest American statesmanship, from William H. Seward to John Hay, has concerned itself to foster and make secure our commercial interests in the Orient. Slowly and laboriously American trade has gained and kept a foothold there as the barriers of exclusion and prejudice have yielded to the impact of western civilization. New wants have been created new demands have been supplied. as the barriers of exclusion and prejunce have yielded to the impact of western civilization. New wants have been created, new fields of enterprise opened. But it has been only within the last decade that the marvelous possibilities of the oriental markets have been actually demonstrated. Our total exchanges with China and Japan increased from \$46,000,000 in 1893 to \$120,000,000 in 1893. Our exports to those countries amounted in 1889 to about \$11,000,000. Last year we sold to Japan and China goods to an aggregate value of over \$48,000,000. The pessimist will say that after all this is only a comparatively small item in the grand total of \$1,400,000,000 of our export trade in 1903. Granted But mark the percentage of increase as indicating the rapid extension of demand and the inherent possibility of growth. In my judgment that is the test of the value of the oriental market and amply justifies an optimistic view.

The northern farmer no less than the southern planter is sharing in the benefits of the eastern markets. In 1889 we shipped to Japan and China 408,055 barrels of wheat flour, the value being \$1,746,622. In 1889 our exports reached 1.475,899 barrels, worth \$4,853,250—a gain of 1,000,000 barrels in quantity and over \$3,000,000 in value. Everything considered, the increased demand for American flour has been the most significant feature of our oriental trade. Prior to the military occupation of north China in 1901, following the selge, I had never seen in Peking, outside of the two foreign stores, which supplied the legations, a single sack of foreign-made flour. But when I left there in November, 1802. American flour was arriving by the trainioad.

Hon, Charles M. Harl made a short address in place of former State Senator Wil-Hon. Charles M. Harl made a short address in place of former State Senator William Groneweg, who was unable to be

present. Mr. Harl spoke of the good work the Commercial club was doing. Olsen Bros., plumbing, 700 Bway, Tel.A453.

Matters in District Court.

The sealed verdict returned Tuesday night by the jury in the suit of Chris Emkit fendant company

The Cudahy Packing company began suit sat down to a banquet, at which Hon. in the district court yesterday against the Clarke E. Carr of Galesburg. Ill., formerly New Amsterdam Casualty company of New United States minister to Denmark, and York to recover \$6,200, under a policy insecond secretary of the American lega- loss by reason of claims for injuries by American representative on the United forth during the existence of the policy of The consideration of this appropriation States and Venezuelan claims commission, contract on November 6, 1900, an employe bill brought up, of necessity, the whole were the guests of honor. They were the named Charles Antes was injured while matter of the propriety of providing for principal speakers. Colonel Carr taking as loading meat on an elevator. Antes sued his subject. "Abraham Lincoln, the First for damages placed at \$10,000, and after two to secure a new and better location for Investor in Council Bluffs Real Estate." years of litigation secured a judgment for the school before the state expends any and Mr. Bainbridge speaking on "Our \$6,500. This with interest amounted to 125 members of the club sat down to the as well as \$167.30 costs. The Cudahy com-Victor E. Bender, president of pany alleges that the Casualty company the club, acted as toastmaster and intro- has failed to live up to the terms of its contract and up to date has falled to reimburse it

T. H. Hoellworth began suit to enjoin in opening told of his first visit to Council County Treasurer Arnd and Pottawattamie county from collecting the tax assessed from St. Joseph to Council Bluffs, there against his property for the construction of being no railroads here at that time, the the Fensler drainage ditch in Rockford Northwestern, which was building in this township. Hoellworth alleges that his propdirection, being forty miles away. Its ad- erty is not located in the territory benevent, he said, was the topic of general fited by the ditch and he asks that when talk and a great future was being prophe- the injunction is made permanent that the

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Identifies Stolen Harness.

police learned yesterday that the louble set of harness which J. W. Norris was trying to dispose of when arrested had been stolen from the premises of Bert Fox a farmer living near Pacific Junction. Fox identified the harness and Norris was taken to Glenwood last evening by Sheriff Morgan. When arrested Norris claimed that he had recently sold out an express business in Lincoln, Neb., and that the harness was all he had left after the sale. police doubted his story and held him pending investigation.

For Sale.

Small fruit farm of 24 acres five miles from postoffice. Will sell at a bargain; must be sold this week. Call on or ad-Bluffs, Ia.

Congressional Committee Meeting. Chairman L. S. Robinson has called a the impossibility of providing for the movmeeting of the Ninth congressional repubcan committee for Tuesday next at the Grand hotel at 11 a. m. The purpose of the meeting is to decide upon the time and place for holding the congressional and district national delegate conventions. The call for the Fifteenth judicial convention has not yet been issued but it is expected that both will be held on the same day and at the same place. The Ninth congressional district republican committee is made up as follows: Adair, W. H. McClure; Audubon, H. B. Herbert; Cass, Dr. C. L. Campbell; Guthrie, G. W. Cook; Harrison, M. H. Bostwick; Mills, L. S. Robinson; Montgomery, W. S. Ellis, Pottawattamie, H. J. Chambers; Shelby, E. Lockwood,

Mrs. Weish Released.

Mrs. May Welsh, one of the principals n the notorious Faith-Welsh bigamous marriage case, was released from the county jail yesterday and with her month-old baby, left for the home of her parents at Tekamah. Neb. The release of the woman was due to County Attorney Killpack, deciding to dismiss the case against her. J. M. Faith, with whom Mrs. Weish went through the marriage ceremony here before Justice Ouren and James Welsh, her hushand, who was a witness to the peculiar wedding, are now in the Fort Madison penitentiary, serving their sentences of conversancy with his subject. "America's eighteen months each, Mrs. Faith, who Trade Relations with the Orient," and his stood by and witnessed the marriage of address proved most interesting. He said her husband to Mrs. Welsh and on whose complaint Faith and Mrs. Welsh were arrested, was not prosecuted as she in-Mr. Bainbridge, after referring to the sisted that she had been forced by threats pleasure it gave him after several years of violence of consent to the marriage.

## absence from Council Bluffs, which he was LEGAL BAN ON CHILD LABOR proud to still call his home, to find that LEGAL BAN ON CHILD LABOR

tiplying evidences of the city's prosperity. House Passes Senate Bill with Only Slight Amendment

DEAF SCHOOL APPROPRIATION BILL UP

Indications Are Nothing Will Come of the Talk of Removing the Institution from Council Bluffs.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, March 2-(Special)-The bill to prohibit employment of children in certain occupations that deprive them of opportunity for education or injure their health, or are dangerous to life, was for the first time taken up in the house today for consideration. The child labor bill was an hour, including stops, would be imoriginally introduced in both houses. The possible senate passed it first and today Mr. Cummings had the senate bill substituted for the house bill, and debate was on the branches and approved, and it has back of it the good women of the state and the time is ripe for such legislation in lowa. and quoted statistics to show the rapid growth of child labor and the increase of lifteracy incident thereto. He regretted the senate has struck out the reference to

nercantile establishments. Mr. Hart had the bill amended to include mercantile establishments where more than ten persons are employed, and declared that there is no place where there is such mental and physical strain and moral danger to children as in the department stores, at which the bill strikes.

Pending further discussion the bill went over until 10 o'clock Thursday, when It wil be a special order in the house, The house considered and passed th Christianson bill to regulate the running of

automobiles and to provide for registration of owners and a small license fee. A resolution was passed calling for the reports of the subcommittees on visitation of institutions.

Senate Passes Many Bills. The senate went to work to clear the alendar and passed a number of bills, all of minor importance, among them the fol-

lowing: House bill to provide that contested election cases shall be heard by courts at the first term after docketing.

House bill to protect employes and wage carners from garnishment under certain circumstances, relating to the collection of bills in states other than where judgment is secured.

Senate bill to appropriate for a deficit in the supreme court contingent fund.
House bill to require county clerks to
notify the clerk of the supreme court in
case of disbarment or suspension of an at-Senate bill to appropriate \$1,000 for the aspection of county and private insane inspection of county and private insane hospitals.

The joint resolution defining the duties of the state labor commissioner in the matter of collecting statistics in harmony with the work of the national census bureau.

The senate passed a resolution providing for sessions at 9:30 o'clock each morning. New Bills,

Senate Bills-Crawford, to give Dubuque three supervisors; Turner, amending the dog tax law; Kinne, relinquishing title to the United States of land in Dickinson county.

House Bills—Weeks, permitting garnishment of wages except \$40 thereof: Davle, appropriating to pay Oil Inspector Young; Hambleton, permitting a contract with private hospital for public service; Jacobson. hanging method of changing names; yeeks, to sell the lake beds of lown; shool committee, bill to provide for con-didation of schools and transportation of

Appropriations for Deaf School. The senate committee on appropriations today considered the bill for appropria-

rebuilding on the present site or the scheme more money on the same. The committee called the members of the State Board of Control before it for consultation and to secure information as to the needs of the school and the necessity for suitable ground on which to place the same, and there was also before the committee persons interested in having the school retained at Council Bluffs. While the committee did not at this time decide the matter, the general sentiment of the mem bers seemed to favor making the appropriation with a view to leaving the school

on its present site. Lobby for Pure Food. A number of the members of the state Agricultural department are here in the interest of the pure food bill which was prepared and endorsed by that department and has received the approval of the retail merchants of the state. It is expected that the bill will be amended materially before it becomes a law, but the opposition of the jobbers to the measure will not be sufficient to prevent some sort of legislation along this line. The bill for bids adulteration or misbranding of foods and fixes beavy penalties. In case the dealer has a guaranty on the stuff purchased he is released and the penalties

fall on the person selling the same. Opposition to Stockmen's Bill. The legislative committees on the Delance bill, or measure to regulate the running of stock trains, was continued today and representatives of the railroad interests were heard. Five of the general managers of dress William Wilde, Kiel hotel, Council lines in Iowa have appeared before the committee to state their views on the matter. Their argument was much the same in all cases. They pointed out especially

ing of trains at a fixed rate of speed, or

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the fact that extra speed in trains costs ties, but solely in regard to the congresmoney, and it cannot be reached withgo twenty miles an hour there will be accidents and extra expense. He thought of the district on the nomination of Hull more could be done by conference than by legislation

speed of trains on the Milwaukee line, and Mr. Williams stated that on a certain line of double track where there is nothing to do but keep the trains moving forward the best the company could do in H. November was to average twenty-one miles an hour and in December nineteen treasurer. miles an hour. To require twenty miles Lake. The association spent a con-

amended bill. Mr. Cummings stated it was the certainty of serious accidents if an drawn up by an able lawyer and had been attempt was made to maintain a speed passed on by a subcommittee of both of twenty miles an hour as proposed for labor organizations. He declared that the complishes the most with reasonable ex- Arnold and William Bennett. The latter pense and perfect safety.

The opponents of Governor Cummins who bury lumber yard.

of getting them all at the market at the are members of the county convention same time. The Northwestern company which is to meet Saturday, held a meeting had handled 60,000 cars of stock. The today and determined that if possible there same company. Mr. Gardner stated, gen. should be an attempt made to send to erally has twenty-five stock trains into the state convention a delegation hostil Chicago every Monday morning. It would to the governor and to keep him off the e impossible to get them all in at the delegation entirely. In this way it would ame time. The Milwaukee company, it was stated would not send the governor as a dele-

ater, often has as many as fifteen stock gate to the national convention and the trains on the tracks between Savanah and way would be made clear for others. But Chicago and they cannot be run closer to-

Mr. Delano, of the Burlington, spoke of out great expense. If stock trains are to hostile to the governor it is regarded as

An experiment had been made as to

Mr. Slifer, of the Rock Island, spoke especially of the danger of attempting to run freight trains at high speed, and of a law in Iowa. The successful railroad manager, he stated, is the one who ac-

be made sure that the state convention it is uncertain whether the governor or his opponents will control the county convention, as the delegations were not picked with a view to dabbling in the state polisional fight. In case the convention is certain there will be a fight in the rest The situation promises some political un

rest for some time. Corn Belt Ment Producers.

The state association of the stockmen of forn Belt Meat Producers' association, today elected officers as follows: President A. L. Ames. Buckingham; vice president. W. Letts, Columbus Junction secretary, J. J. Ryan, Fort Dodge Charles Goodenough, Wall siderable part of its time today in considering the plans for the establishment of an independent packing plant at some point in Iowa and the city of Oelwein is favored

Business Change at Woodbine. LOGAN Ia., March 2-(Special.)-John son Brothers, who have for several years past operated one of the principal grocery stores at Woodbine, sold out yesterday to has until recently been manager of a Dan-

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