#### POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

(Should be read daily by all interested, as changes may occur at any time.)

Foreign mails for the week ending June 18, 1904, will close (PROMPTLY in all cases at the General Portolle as fullows: Parcels Post Mails close one hour earlier than closing time shown below. Parcels Post Mails for Germany close at 5 p. m. June 13 and 30.

Regular and Supplementary Mails close at Foreign Station (corner of West and Mor-ton streets) half hour later than closing time shown below (except that Supple-mentary Mails for Europe and Central America, via Colon, close one hour later at Foreign Station).

Transatiantie Mails.

TUESDAY (14th)—At 2:30 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Kaiser Wilhelm II., via Plymouth, Cherbourg and Bremen; at 7:30 a. m. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s. s. Potsdam (mail must be directed per s. s. Potsdam").

WEDNESDAY (15th)—At 2:30 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Cedric, via Queenstown.

town.

THURSDAY (16th)—At 7 a. m. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT, GREECE and BRITISH INDIA, per s. s. La Gascogne, via Havre (mail for other parts of Europe must be directed "per s. s. La Gascogne").

FRIDAY—(17th)—At 6:30 p. m., for AZORES ISLANDS, per s. s. Komanic, from Boston.

SATURDAY (18th)—At 6 a. m. for EUROPE per s. s. Philadelphia, via Piymouth and Cherbourg (mail for Liverpoo), Scotland and Ireland must be directed per s. s. Philadelphia"); at 6:39 a. m. for Europe, per s. s. Campania, via Queenstown; at 8:30 a. m. for BELGJUM direct per s. s. Zeeland (mail must be directed "per s. s. Zeeland"); at 9:30 a. m. for BCOTLAND direct, per s. s. Anchoria (mail must be directed "per s. s. Zeeland"); at 9:30 a. m. for BCOTLAND direct, per s. s. Anchoria (mail must be directed "per s. s. S.

Anchoria").
After the closing of the supplementary transatiantic mails named above, additional supplementary mails are opened on the piers of the American, English, French and German steamers, and remain open until within ten minutes of the hour of steamers.

Mails for South and Central America West Indies, Etc.

West Indies, Etc.

TUESDAY (14th)—At 9:20 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for CENTRAL AMERICA (except Costl. Rica) and SOUTH PACIFIC FORTS, per s. s. Segurance, via Coion (mail for Guatemaia must be directed 'per s. s. Segurance'); at 12:30 p. m. for BRAZIL, per s. s. British Prince, via Pernambuco, Maccio and Santos (mail for Northern Brazil must be directed 'per s. s. British Prince').

WEDNESDAY (15th)—At 10 s. m. for GRENADA, TRINIDAD, CIUDAD BOLIVAR, BRITISH, DUTCH and FRENCH GUIANA, per s. s. Maracas; at 12 m. for NORTHERN BRAZIL, per s. s. Dominic, via Para and Manaca; at 12:30 p. m. (supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for ST. THOMAS, ST. CROIX, LEEWARD and WINDWARD ISLANDS BRITISH, DUTCH and FRENCH GUIANA, per s. s. Fontabelle.

THURSDAY (16th)—At 8 s. m. for CUBA.

at 12 m. for MEXICO, per s. s. Niagara, via Tampico (mail must be directed "per s. s. Niagara").

PRIDAY (17th)—At 9:30 a. m. (supplementary 19:30 a. m.) for INAGLA, hairi and SANTA MARTA, per s. s. Fiandria (mail for other parts of Colombia, via Savanilla, must directed "per s. s. Fiandria"), at 10 a. m. for GUANTANAMO and SANTIAGO, per s. s. Clenfuegos (mail must be directed "per s. s. Clenfuegos (mail must be directed "per s. s. Clenfuegos").

BATURDAY, (18th).—At 7:30 a. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per s. s. Slivia; at s. a. m. for HERMUDA, per s. s. Trinidad; at 8:39 a. m. (supplementary 9:30 a. m.) for CURACAO and VENEZUELA, per s. s. Maracaibo (mail for Colombia must be directed "per s. s. Maracaibo"); at 9:30 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for FORTUNE

Cauca and Magdalena Dep'ts, per s. s. Surplus fund. Surplus fund. Surplus fund. Capital stock paid in. Surplus fund. Capital stock paid in. Surplus fund. Surplus fundivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid. And PARAGUAY, per s. s. Egyptian Prince.

Mails Forwarded Overland, Etc., Ex-

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CUBA—Via Fort Tampa, Florica, closes at this office daily, except Thursday, at \$6.30 a.m. (the connecting mails close here on Mondays, we directly and Salvirdays).

MEXICO CITY—Overland, unless specially addressed for despatch by steams—closes at this office daily, except Sungay, at 1:30 p. m. and 10:30 p. m. Sundays at 1:00 p. m. and 10:30 p. m.

NEWFOUNDIAND (except Darsale-Post Mails)—By rail to worth Syoney, and thence by steamer, closes at this office daily at 6:30 p. m. (connecting mails close here every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday).

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JAMAICA—By rail to Boston and thence
by steamer, closes at this office at 6.30
p. m., Tuesday and Friday.

MIQUELON—By rail to Boston, and thence
by steamer, closes at this office daily at by steamer, closes at this office daily at 6:30 p. m.
BELIZE, PUERTO CORTEZ and GUATE-MALA-By rail to New Orleans, and thence by steamer, closes at this office daily, except Sunday, at \$1:30 p. m. and \$16:30 p. m. Sundays at \$1:00 p. m. and \$10:30 p. m. (connecting man closes here Mondays at \$10:30 p. m.
COSTA BICA-By rail to New Orleans, and thence by steamer, closes at this office

thence by steamer, closes at this office daily, except Sunday, at \$1.30 p. m. and \$10.30 p. m. Sundays at \$1.30 p. m. and \$10.30 p. m. (connecting mail closes here Tuesdays at \$10.30 p. m.). \$REGISTERED MAIL closes at 6:00 p. m.

Transpacific Mails Perwarded Over

The schedule of closing Transpacific mails is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit to port of sailing. The final connecting mails (except registered Transpacific mails which close 6 p. m. previous day) close at the general postoffice. New York, as follows: HAWAII, JAPAN CHINA and the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. June 17th for despatch per s. s. Coptic.

FIJI ISLANDS, AUSTRALIA (except West), and NEW CALEDONIA, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., close at 6:30 p. m. June 18th, for despatch per s. s. Moans.

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HAWAII, via San Francisco, close at 6:39

D. m. June 20, for despatch per 8. 8. Alameda.
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. June 26th, for

Alameda.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. June 25th, for despatch per U. S. Transport.

TAHITI and MARQUESAS ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. June 25th for despatch per s. s. Mariposa.

HAWAII, JAPAN. CHINA and PPILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m., June 25th, for despatch per s. s. Korea.

CHINA and JAPAN. via Vanccuver and Victoria, B. C., close at 6:30 p. m., June 25th, for despatch per s. s. Empress of China. (Merchandles for U. S. Postal Asency at Shanghai cannet be forwarded via Camada).

NEW ZEALAND, AUSTRALIA (except West), NEW CALEDONIA, SAMOA, HAWAII and FIJI ISLANDS, yia San Francisco, close at 6:30 p. m. July 2d, for despatch per s. s. Sierra. (If the Cunard steamer carrying British mail for New Zsaland does not arrive in time to connect with this despatch, extra mails—closing at 5:30 a. m., 8:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.; Sundays at 4:30 a. m., \$ a. m. and 6:30 p. m., will be made up and forwarded until the arrival of the Cunard steamer).

MANCHURIA and EASTERN SIBERIA at present forwarded via Russia, instead of via Japan the usual route.

NOTE—Unless otherwise addressed, West Australia is forwarded via Europe; and New Zealand via San Francisco, and certain places in the Chinese provinces of Yunnan, Kweichow. Szechwan and Ewangsi, via British India—the quickest Poutes. Philippines specially addressed via Canada or via Europe' must be Foures. Philippines specially addressed "via Canada" or "via Europe" must be fully prepaid at the foreign rates. Hawaii is forwarded via San Francisco exclusively.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT. Postmaster. Post Office, New York, N. Y. June 10, 1904.

DEPUTY STATE VETERINARIAN. RAMACCIOTTI D. V. S. Office and Infrinary, 28th and Mason Sts. OMAHA, NEB. Telephone 539.

#### BANK STATEMENTS.

No. 16. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE OMAHA NATIONAL BANK, At Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business June 5, 1894. RESOURCES. \$4,943,379 04 come and disc

25,987 48 600,000 00 400,000 00 bonds onds, securities, etc. one from national bunks (not reserve agents) \$480,540.08 213,321 42 1,204,063 01-\$1,897,936 5

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banks
ructional paper currency, nickels and
cents

cents awful money reserve in bank, viz.: pecie ....\$732,66100 egal tender egai tender notes .... 120,587 00—\$ 853,241 00—\$1,076,646 2 ledemption fund with

U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)... Total.....LIABILITIES. apital stock paid in.

paid .... bank notes outstanding
Due to other national
banks
Due to state banks
and bankers. 1,822,368 84 2,455,704 80 deposit ..... ashier's checks outstanding ... 141,797 25 Inited States deposits 800,775 77 Deposits of U. S. dis-bursing officers .... 84,789 39—47,905,391 40

Total.

State of Nobraska, County of Douglas, ss.:

I, Chas. E. Waite, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS, E. WAITE.

Cashier. CHAS, E. WAITE. Cashier.

Correct-Attest:

Correct—Attest;

J. H. MILLARD,
I. W. CARPENTER,
C. H. BROWN,
Directors,
Directors,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
(Seal.)

L. D. SPALDING,
Notary Public.

No. 200, REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank of Omaha,

At Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business June 9, 1904.

Loans and discounts.

Overdrafts. secured and unscoured. 22,735 14

U. S. bonds to secure ctruitston 200,000 00 U. S. bonds to secure
U. S. deposits....
U. S. bonds on hand.
Bonds, securities, etc.
Banking house, furniture and fixtures...
Due from national
banks (not reserve
agents) Due from state banks

817,085 28 2,588,616 52-\$3,874,787 3 Exchanges for clear-Notes of other national 40,000 00 Fractional paper cur-rency, nickels and 205 48 417,000 00 438,974 00—\$1,189,685 38

49 70

\$9,897,677 77

Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:
Specie
Legal tender notes.
Redemption fund with
U. S. treesurer (5 per cent of circulation).
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund

LIABILITIES. 141,203 45 banks
Due to state banks
and bankers...
Due to trust companies
and savings banks.
Individual deposits
subject to check...
Demand certificates of
deposit 1,495,441 12 58,016 82 2,481,782 93 deposit ime certificates of 253,223 56 

Certified checks.

Sushier's checks outstanding

United States deposits
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers.... 11,002 38-88,456,474 24

Correct-Attest;

J. A. CREIGHTON.
J. M. WOOLWORTH.
CHAS. T. KOUNTZE,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ith day of June, 1994.
(Seal.)

One of June, 1994.

One of John H. BEXTEN, Notary Public.

No. 2775. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, At Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, a the close of business June 9, 1994.

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Overdrafts, secured
and unsecured.....
U. S. bonds to secure
circulation....
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U. S. bonds to secure
U. S. bonds on hand... S. bonds to
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cents
Lawful money reserve
in bank, vis.; 4,286 00 3,728 02

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Redecaption fund with
U.S. treasurer (5 per
cent of circulation)... 191,010.00 210,000.00 \$1,942,075.50 4,600 0 Total.....LIABILITIES. \$4,567,906 ES 'apital stock paid in urplus fund on the paid in only ideal profits, less expenses and taxes paid 42,391 42 paid sational bank notes outstanding due to other national banks 80,000 00 banks
Due to state banks
and bankers
Individual deposits
subject to check.
Demand certificates of ¥ 709,532 48 600,947 37 1,550,612 14 1.145 31 certificates of

ashier's checks out-231,586 81 70,000 00-\$3,845,515 13 nited States deposits State of Nebraska, County of Douglas as I. Luther Drako, cashler of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that it above statement is true to the best of n \$4,567,906 35

knowledge and beller, knowledge and beller. Correct—Attest:

PRANK MURPHY,

HEN H. WOOD,

PRANK T. HAMILTON,

Directors.

Bubscribed and sworn to before me this

Isth day of June, 1904,

P. P. HABILTON,

ISeal.)

# NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

## COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Leffert's glasses fit.

The Faust cigar, 5 cents. Peterson sharpens mowers, 420 W. D. W. Full line fishing tackle Morgan & Dickey. Tel. 134. Case Storz Blue Ribbon beer. Pictures for wedding gifts given special ttention. Alexander's, 323 Broadway. For wall papering, painting, picture fram-ing, see Borwick, 211 Main st. Phone A-620 Jap-A-Lac floor finish. Morgan & Dickey. New classes Monday at Western · Iowa

oilege.

Hase ball photos at special prices this season. Williams. Mrs. John Worthy of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. John T. Stewart. Edgar Hafer is home from Seattle, Wash, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hafer Judge Wheeler announced yesterday that he would hold sessions of the district court Wednesday and Saturday mornings of this

Mrs. C. E. Bell, formerly of this city, but now a resident of Helena, Mont., is the guest of Mrs. C. O. Fitch. L. B. Morgan of Des Moines and Grace Harding of Omaha were married in this city yesterday afternoon by Justice Ouren. Ain't it funny what a difference just a few hours make in delivering? Hafer de-livers orders promptly, no matter how large or small. 'Phone 202.

large or small. 'Phone 202.

J. A. Hathaway, who has completed his term of enistment of four years and three months in the United States navy, has returned to his home in this city.

Mrs. May Crouch, daughter of the late J. W. Chapman, a former mayor of Council bluffs, died Saturday in La Jolia, Cal. The body will be brought to this city for burial in the family lot.

The fire denortment, was called at \$2.

The fire department was called at \$ o'clock last night to the frame residence of C. A. Wilson at 1618 South Englith street. An unruly gasoline stove did about \$50 worth of damage to the kitchen. Frank Westlake, a lineman in the employ of the Nebraska Telephone company, reported to the police yesterday afternoon the theft of a bicycle from the rear of the telephone exchange on Scott street.

telephone exchange on Scott street.

Miss Emma Burchard, residing with the family of her uncle, R. Frank, at dil South Seventh street, was reported yesterday to the health authorities as suffering from smallpox. The house was quarantined.

Thomas Carter, who, after being badly beaten in a fight in the Hooper saloon at Twenty-first atreet and Broadway, was arrested for being drunk, was sentenced to twenty days on bread and water in police court yesterday.

Let Lynch the railroad section hand ar-Pat Lynch, the railroad section hand ar-rested saturday night for being drunk and who had \$1,400 in his pockets, was fined \$6 and costs. He paid the fine and thanked the judge for not making it more and then hastened to a bank to deposit his cash in a place of safety.

The case of William Hooper, the schoon-keeper whose saloon was closed Saturday night by the police, was continued in police court yesterday until Wednesday, as was that of his bartender, John Holder. Hooper was permitted to reopen his saloon yesterday, he promising to conduct it in an orderly manner.

orderly manner.

Mrs. Phoebe Belle Dennin began suit for divorce yesterday in the district court from Albert Dennin, to whom she was married at Crescent City, ia., on March 15, 1898. She alleges that be deserted her seventeen months after their marriage and she asks that she be awarded the custody of their minor child, a daughter, aged 3 years.

Watter H. Mullen who stabbed M. F. minor child, a daughter, aged 3 years.

Waiter H. Muilen, who stabbed M. F. Grohnert during a right at their boarding place on East Broadway two weeks ago, was released from the county jail yesterday. In police court he was fined \$25 and costs, the fine being suspended during good behavior. Grohnert, for his share in the light, was given a similar suspended fine.

The annual recontinuor the council Blues. light, was given a similar suspended fine. The annual reception of the Council Bluffs Woman's club will be held Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Walter I. Smith on South Seventh street from 3 to 6 o'cleck. The members of the executive board of the club will be the hostesses. What promises to be an interesting feature of the afternoon's program will be the reports of the delegates to the blennial meeting at St. Louis.

Plumbing and heating Bixby & Bon.

A Bad Liver Causes a sick body. Drake's Palmetto Wine insures a healthy, active Liver, good Stomach and sound Kidneys. A bottle free if you send address to Drake Formula Company, Chicago

### WESTERN IOWA COLLEGE

A very high grade Business College and Normal College. New classes will begin Monday, June 13th, Beginning classes in all subjects. Review classes in all subjects. Write or call for information.

E. P. Miller, Pres. Masonie Temple.

LEWIS CUTLER B Fuel St. Council Bluffs. 'Phone St.

BANK STATEMENTS.

No. 3164. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK, At Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business June 9, 1904. RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts...
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....
U. S. bonds to secure circulation ......
Premiums on U. S. \$1,292,015 38 Stocks, securities, etc. Due from approved reserve agents...... Checks and other cash Exchanges for clear-Notes of other national banks Fractional paper cur-rency, nickels and Lawful money reserve

In Bank, vis.

Specie
Legal tender notes.,
Redemption fund with
U.S. treasurer (5 per
cent of circulation).
Bue from U.S. treasurer, other than 5 per
cent redemption fund Total. Capital stock paid in ... Surplus fund ... Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid ... National bank notes outstanding
Due to other national
banks
Due to state banks
and bankers and bankers.
Due to trust companies
and savings banks.
Individual deposits
subject to check...
Time certificates of
deposit
Certified checks...
Cashier's checks outstanding 864,491 75

Total.

State of Nahraska, County of Douglas, ss.

I. A. Millard, easiler of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. MILLARD. A. MILLARD, Cashier.

E2,884 97-\$1,556,633 7.

W. W. MORSMAN,
C. E. YOST
E. M. MORSMAN,
Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me the
(Beal.)

RAISES HUCKSTER LICENSE

Council Passes Ord nance Fathered by Retail Merchants.

DISCUSSION ON INDIAN CREEK PROBLEM No Action Taken Beyond Taking Steps

to See What Dredge Can Be Pur-

chased For - Paving

Matters Up.

The new hawkers' and hucksters' ordition developed at the previous meeting. was rushed through to its final reading her husband are recent arrivals from Chiand passed last night by the city council. The passage of the ordinance was urged Grocers' & Butchers' association to pay for the publication of the measure. The license at \$75, provides for an additional heaven. license of \$35 for every man besides himself worked by the owner of a wagon license to peddle. Thus, if a peddler uses a helper, his annual license will be \$110, and if he uses two helpers \$145; and so on. Indian creek came up for the usual disthe work of deepening it be let by con-

most costly experiment for the city, Mayor could purchase a second hand dredge at the aldermen who contemplate attending the democratic convention in St. Louis were "authorized" to go to Chicago at their own expense and see what they could do in the way of securing a cheap dredge. The council recently passed an ordinance

reducing the width of Benton street between curb lines to thirty-two feet. This of John W. Schott, at SII South Main, did not prove agreeable to all of the property owners on this street, so last night another ordinance further reducing the width two feet, thus making it thirty feet, was passed.

was discussed and the streets and alleys entrance by climbing through the transom committee was instructed to make a re- of the rear door leading into the alley. port at the next meeting relative to es- | Here the thieves failed to secure any cash tablishing the curb lines.

The mayor was authorized to enter into candy and a few cigars. an agreement with Fred Rapp, secretary of the South Side Improvement club, for the renting of the engine house to be erected by the residents of that section of the city.

An invitation to the mayor, aldermen and all city officials, elective and appointive, whether wearing uniforms or not, to attend services especially for their benefit, at the First Baptist church on the morning of Sunday, June 24, was received and accepted. Henry Kay was granted permission to

conduct a saloon at 219 South Main street.

Small Sum, but Big Question, In a suit brought in the district court yesterday in which the Interstate Coal & building. Western Fuel company of this city is defendant the amount involved is merely nominal, being only \$45.81, but the question raised is an important one alike to whole sale and retail coal dealers.

In the early part of December last the Western Fuel company ordered from the plaintiff company a carload of Indiana coal. The coal was shipped December 30 but was not received here until February 26. In the meanwhile the Western Fuel company wrote several times to the Interstate Coal & Coke company inquiring about the cause of the delay and impressing upon the plaintiff company that the coal was needed for its winter trade and not for summer. Finally the local company countermanded the order, but the shipping company refused to accept the countermand. When the coal finally reached here the Western Puel company declined to accept it, and the railroad sold it. The Interstate Coal & Coke company now brings suit to recover from the Council Bluffs firm the difference between the price quoted on the coal and the amount

realized by the forced sale. Church Settles Up. "Doc" Frank Church, who promoted fistic entertainment before the Eagles lodge of this city and then suddenly left town after passing a forged check on Frank Henning, bartender in a Broadway saloon, was brought back from Omaha yesterday afternoon by Constable Alberti. Church was released from the county jail in Omaha yesterday afternoon, having sucseeded in squaring the charges against him there, but Constable Alberti was waiting for him with a requisition. He was taken before Justice Ouren, where he succeeded in settling up matters by paying Henning for the check he had cashed, all court costs and for a shotgun which he had taken hox office early and you may atfil secure from Charles Armour of this city and sold good seats. across the river. Under an agreement with the county attorney's office the indictment against Church will not be pushed and he was allowed to go his way, after settling up, without even being asked to furnish a bond.

Charles Armour, in whose saloon Church made his training headquarters while in Council Bluffs, was indicted for his alleged connection with the passing of the forged check, but it is understood the indictment will now be quashed.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250: night, F-652

Waits Till Late for Bride. Ernest A. Schurman of Muskogee, L. T. and Miss Isabel A. Carroll of Fremont, Neb., were married shortly before midnight Sunday at the parsonage of the First Presbyterian church by Rev. W. S. Barnes. The groom formerly resided in Fremont and the marriage Sunday night was the culmination of a courtship begun several years ago. He reached Council Bluffs early In the evening and having secured a marriage license and made the necessary arrangements with Rev. Mr. Barnes, went to the Grand hotel to await his bride, who was hastening to him from Toronto, Canada, where she had been visiting. From here they went yesterday morning to Fremont, where they will visit relatives before going to Musicogee, where Mr. Sherman is

Hafer sells lummber Catch the fdea?

Quick to flave a Hall. Residents of the little town of Quick, in Pottawattamie county, have organized o company for the purpose of erecting a hall in which to hold dances and other entertalnments. Yesterday they filed for record articles of incorporation of the Ideal Hall of Quick, In., with a capital 

Quick, B. P. Triplet, F. S. Thomas, C. L. RAILROADS FILE PROTEST Dryden, R. C. Hartwell, L. D. Perry, E W. Keefe, L. F. Minssen, W. P. Rosback, Five Small Lines the Only Ones Whore I. W. Hartwell, A. O. Minssen.

Alleges Neighbor is Insane. Mrs. Mary Leppner, an aged German wo nan, wife of William Leppner, living at Fifth avenue and Sixteenth street, was before the commissioners for the insant yesterday on an information filed by E. W. Davies, a next door neighbor. Mrs. Davies was the principal witness against Mrs. Leppner and gave her reasons for believing that the woman was more or less mentally deranged. Mrs. Davies was unwilling, she sald, that Mrs. Leppner be sent to the asylum if she was not insane, but if she was allowed to go free Mrs. Davies and her husband would have to remove their residence elsewhere. The board was unwilling to adjudge the woman as insane, but decided to send her temporarily to nance against which considerable opposi- St. Bernard's hospital for observation as to her mental condition. Mrs. Leppner and

Today the commissioners will investigate by Aldermen Olson and Crippen, the the case of the woman who was found former agreeing on behalf of the Retail preaching on the streets and sent to the hospital by the police. So far the woman has refused to give any information about new ordinance, while it leaves the annual herself, except that she came here from

Shenandoah Officials Seek Information A party of city officials from Shenandoah, Ia., spent yesterday in Council Bluffs looking over the forms used here and investigating other matters relative to ascussion, with no action resulting, although sessments for special improvements, such several of the aldermen suggested that as sewers, paving, etc. The party visited the offices of the city engineer, clerk, tract without further delay, as they were treasurer and auditor, where they examopposed to the proposition of the city pur- ined the records and were given such inchasing a dredge. Such a plan, they con-tended, would in the long run prove a of the party were Mayor George F, Cotrill, Aldermen H. T. Shurtz, John Win-Macrae, however, insisted that if the city hafer, C. A. Hamilton, O. T. Rankin, Joseph Auracher, City Clerk J. Swain, the a reasonable figure the work could be latter having with him Mrs. Rose Walling, done cheaper than by contract. Two of his stenographer, who made copies of the forms and ordinances desired.

Two More Burgiaries.

The youthful gang of burglars who have been raiding grocery and other stores almost nightly for the last week are credited by the police with two more robberies, committed Sunday night. The drug store was entered and the cash register robbed of about \$2 in small change. Entrance was effected by cutting out a pane of glass from a rear window. The grocery store of Peter Tholl, at 622 South Main street, The question of paving Upper Broadway was also entered, the thieves effecting an and contented themselves with taking some

Library Board Meeting.

The board of library trustees held a meeting last evening and in addition to transacting some routine business fixed the lo cation of the new library building. It is to stand thirty-two feet back from the lot line on Pearl street, forty feet back from the line on Willow avenue. It will also supreme court today. The high judicial house grounds and nine feet from the line of the lot on the west.

The board will have a special session today, at which time a member of the firm they are sold either an eating house, a of Winchester & Cullen, contractors, will be present and file his bond and be ready to proceed with the construction of the gists' liquor sale permits in Winterset the

Meet to Talk Telephone. A protracted meeting of several members of the Commercial club said to be inter- sale permits, these druggists should be ested in the organization of a new company to secure a franchise for an indewas held last night in the club rooms. met Tinley, Attorney F. W. Miller, C. A. Beno, F. J. Day and Secretary Brooks from Secretary Reed regarding the meeting

was that it was a "private" meeting. Doyle-Burns Case Remanded. The procedendo from the supreme court in the Doyle-Burns mining suit announcing the reversal of the verdict of the district court and ordering it back for a new trial. was received yesterday by F. L. Reed, clerk of the district court. It was stated yesterday that the motion filed by Doyle's attorneys for a rehearing before the supreme court had been withdrawn and that an effort will be made to have it retried at the September term of district court.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee June 12 by the Title, Guarantee & Trust company of Council Bluffs: Grenville M. Dodge and wife to Mars 

Two transfers, total......\$2.501 The ticket committee for the Comedy club entertainment makes the following announcement for Tuesday: All box seats

parquet circle and balcony seats will be

Card of Thanks. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Walker wishes to extend their thanks to Mr. Lewis Cutler for his good services in conducting the funeral. and especially to the Relief Corps and friends who assisted and sympathized with

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed have been issued to the following: Muskogee, I. T...

Name and Residence.
Ernest A. Schurman. Muskogee. I.
Isabel A. Carroll. Frement. Neb...
C. L. Neubert, Denver, Colo...
S. Alice Cross, Denver, Colo..... 

mother, Mrs. Lorinda Allen.

CHANCE FOR THE DISSATISFIED Regents of University Grant Them Day in Court.

IOWA CITY, Ia., June 11 .- (Special Telegram .- The Board of Regents of the State university, in session today, adopted the following resolutions in regard to the recent attack on President MacLean;

Resolved. That the board invite the students, alumni and all other parties who have any information to furnish or charges to make regarding the management of the university, the president or professors, or the relations existing between the different departments of the university, to offer the same before the board and give all information they may have in reference thoreto and that such hearing shall commence at 3 p. m., June 14, 1904, and continue until all parties shall have ample and full opportunity to be heard.

Contract for University Buildings IOWA CITY, Is., June 13 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The board of regents of the State University of Iowa today awarded the contracts for building the new gymnastum and museum to James Rawson & Son of this city. The contract price of the gymof ,... firled into forty shares nasium is \$78,550 and of the museum \$162,-

Statements Are Lacking. BIG ROADS ARE NOT SO PROSPEROUS

Smaller Lines Show Up Better in the Matter of Net Earnings Than the Large Trunk

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, June 13.-(Special.)-The reports of the railroad companies doing business in lows, showing the business dene in 1903, have all been received by the state officers, except in the case of three or four of the small companies. These reports show a considerable increase in the aggregate of business done, but a material decrease in the profits on the business as ompared with the previous year. In fact, one must go back five years to find any year with as small net profits to the companies on Iowa business.

The gross receipts from Iowa business as shown by these reports, counting the unreported roads, which do a business of less than \$150,000 as the same as last year. aggregated for 1903 a total of \$58,443,037. The year before it was \$1,976,732 less. The gain of 1902 over 1901 was less than \$400,000, The net earnings of the Iowa business, as reported, was \$15,028,551. This was \$2,105,550

less than the previous year. Of the aggregate of receipts for 1908 the six big roads-the Northwestern, Burlington, Rock Island, Milwaukee, Great Western and Illinois Central-had a total of \$52,-874,194, or an increase over 1902 of \$1,316,772. But these same six companies bore practically all the decrease in net earnings, or \$2,050,463

The five systems of considerable mileage in the state of next importance are the Iowa Central, Wabash, Minneapolis & St. Louis, Omaha and Great Northern, These five systems had \$4,425,705 in gross receipts a gain of only \$67,998. The same roads showed an increase of \$78,004 in net earn-

This leaves for all the smaller roads an increase in receipts of \$581,972 and a decrease in earnings of \$133,091. The companies not yet reported are the Colfax Northern, Manchester & Onida, Muscatine North & South, Newton & Northwestern and Tabor & Northern.

Last year the State Assessing board raised the assessment on Iowa railroad property so that the assessment was substantially the same as the gross receipts, whereas in other years there had been a difference of from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000. But last year the showing was of an enormous increase in net earnings and this year there is a decrease in net earnings.

The work of making the assessment be gins in about a month, and the State board at the same time acts as a board of review for the assessment of personal property in the state.

Sods Water Wins in Court. Soda water won a great victory in the stand forty feet from the line of the court body definitely settled the status of soda water and ice cream and declared that the sale of these refreshments in their season does not make of the place where restaurant or a saloon. In a contest before the court to prevent issuance of drug- | soon as possible. eating houses and saloons may not have

pendent telephone line in Council Bluffs unreasonable interpretation of the statute," says the court. "The sale of soda waters Among those present were Attorney Em- and ice cream is ordinarily carried on as a mere incident in connection with some other business or occupation, and it would The only information obtainable be a wide departure from the usual and accepted meaning of the words to hold that every place in which such refreshment is found is to be classed as a res-

taurant, eating house or saloon." There were four of these cases, and reversal was ordered in two, both being be cause the record showed that the applicants had been guilty of violation of the law in the illegal sale of liquors.

Court Decisions.

Application of T. F. Wilhelm to sell liquors; Madison county; Judge Wilkinson; reversed; opinion by the court.

Application of W. J. Henory, E. B. Griswold and M. E. Smith to sell liquors; Madison county; Judge Wilkinson; reversed as to Henery; affirmed as to the others; opinion by Weaver.

Coon & Conway against W. J. Birchard, appellant; Scott county; Judge House; affirmed by Deemer.

German-American Savings bank against Eliza and H. F. Hanna, appellants; Des Moines county; Judge Smythe; affirmed by Sherwin. Court Decisions.

Sherwin.

L. C. Shay against James Callanan, appellant; Taylor county; Judge Parrish; aftirmed by Ladd.

E. S. Pendleton against Harris-Emery company, appellant; Polk county; Judge McVey; modified and affirmed by McClain.

Conference of Superintendents. The quarterly meeting of superintendents of the state institutions will be held in the capitol tomorrow. The principal paper will and parquet at 75 cents. All remaining be one on "How the State of Minnesota Treats the Soldiers and Their Families," sold at 50 cents. Buy your tickets at the by Colonel James Compton, commandant of the State Soldiers' Home for Minneosta. Others on the program are: Superintendent W. P. Crumpacker of Independence, on "Detention Pavilions for the Insane;" Su perintendent Henry W. Rothert of Council Bluffs, on "Legislation and State Institutions," and Superintendent M. N. Voldeng Connection with Hospitals for the Insanc." them at the time of the death of their The new superintendent of the State Orphans' Home at Davenport, Prof. Frank Sessions, has just been installed in the position.

Movements of Governor. of regents of the State university and the with an exceptionally large attendance. Vernon to attend the semi-centennial of June 23, will be conducted by well-known Cornell college this week; then to St. Louis, educators.

to be with the Iowa people on Iowa days after which he will go direct to the republican national convention, where he is one of the delegates-at-large. The governor had a great number of invitations to speak on the Fourth of July, but has accepted the invitation to be the orator at Charles City. He has fully recovered from his illness of the last winter and spring.

Sentenced for Entleing. Mrs. John Dickerhoff was sentenced in district court today to one year in the penitentiary on a plea of guilty of enticing girls to the city for immoral purposes. Her husband was found guilty and given a six years' sentence for the same crime. Both are also indicted on other charges, but these are to be dropped. They employed two bright young girls living at Lamont, in Decatur county, to come here ostensibly as house servants, and the girls found they had been betrayed. The Dickerhoffs are believed to have been systematically carrying on the traffic for a long time.

Iowa Authoress Weds. Miss Eleanor M. Hoyf of New York City, author of "The Misdemeanors of Nancy," was married this evening at the home of E. C. Finkbine to Charles S. Brainerd of New York. Miss Hoyt was born at Iowa City, and after completing the high school course there went to Cincinnati, where she graduated from the Wesleyan college. She has been engaged in newspaper work and writing since that time. Mr. Brainerd is a lawyer in New York City, and they will make their home at Glen Ridge, a suburb of New York.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR CROPS

Southwestern Iowa Finds Weather Conditions Payorable to Crops. BHENANDOAH, Ia., June 13 .- (Special.) -Southwestern Iowa is at the dawn of the fattest year in her history, if present prospects for bounteous crops of all kinds point the way, and this is especially true of Page and Framont counties, where the outlook for all kinds of fruits without a single exception is most promising. The cold spring kept the shrubbery of all kinds dormant, likewise the buds on the trees, and when they finally came out all danger of frost, was past and not a bloom of any kind has been injured. The result, of course, is that the berries of all kinds, tha

and, in fact, all fruits are making most abundant promise. The hay and small grain crop will exceed that of last year, which was good, and the last ten days has put the cora prospect away up in the pictures. The seed corn agitation resulted in more cars being used in the selection of seed corn and the result is that the stand is fine, A good bit of wet weather in May retarded the planting, but all of June so far has been warm and, as the farmers call it, "growing weather," plenty dry chough to

peach and cherry trees, the apple, plum

plow the corn and kill the weeds. With all these splendid prospects Page and Fremont counties will break all past records so far as splendid crops are concorned, unless something unforeseen and unheard of prevents.

DEATH IS FASTER THAN TRAIN

Fails to Reach Dying Brother's Bedwide in Time, MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., June 13.—Ellis Kempner of New York today made a vain attempt on a special train to reach his dying brother in Denver before death came. He received a telegram at Belle Plaine, Ia. announcing his brother's demise.

When Mr. Kempner reached Chicago this morning he missed connection with the fast Colorado special train leaving on the Northwestern railroad at 10:15 o'clock. He secured a special train on the Northwestern road at 12:46 p. m. This special had orders to overtake the Colorado special as

The line was cleared and the special sped complainants set up that the druggists away to the west in a fast chase after places, and, as keepers of restaurants, cial averaged sixty miles an hour from Chicago to Marshalltown, 289 miles, where the Colorado special, due at 5:28 p. m., was held seven minutes to take Mr. Kempner "We think this would be a strained and aboard between Clinton and Belle Plaine Mr. Kempner's train made 112 miles in 101

Improvements at Shenandosh. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 13 .- (Special.)-The city of Shenandoah is making some public improvements this year of a substantial and lasting nature. Among other things it has added a four-acre park in the west part of town and has set out about 500 native trees thereon. All of its crossings are being replaced with brick nes this year, following out a line of action inaugurated four years ago, and the private walks that are being put down

or brick. Nearly twenty miles of brick walks now grace the town. Three extensions are being made to the vater mains, the pipes being laid this week, and these things, with the new library and the Baptlat church, which will also be built this year, mark a degree of steady growth that is most pleasing to the admirers of the Queen City of the Nishnas

in the town on its streets are all of cement

SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 12.—(Special.)→ The People's Gas company has finally made sale of its bonds and now is busy making extensions of its mains and putting in stoves and lights. During the last ten days orders for over fifty additional consumers have been made and for the next two months this concern will be busy laying mains. Some outside capital has been interested in this plant and its resources are now ample for all purposes.

Work on Carnegle Library. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 18 .- (Special.)-Work on the Carnegie library is now under way and the foundation is nearly level with the top of the ground. A solid cement foundation is being built and the cement part will be carried to the first floor and the finish above will be of chipped brick, The building stone for the entire structure of Cherokee, on "Observation Cottages in is on hand and it gives promise of much beauty in the building. T. B. Wright is the contractor.

Junior Normal Opens. ALLIANCE, Neb., June 13.-(Special Telegram.)-The Alliance junior normal school, Governor Cummins left today for Iowa embracing the western part of the state, City to attend the meeting of the board opened here today for a ten-weeks' session, commencement. He will also go to Mount | The regular lecture course, which begins

## Married Women

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided,

however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the langer of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the

use of this wonderful druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little Mother's this liniment, will be sent free.
The Braffield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Sa. book, telling alkabout