

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

COUNCIL BLUFFS

PAVING CLAIMS REJECTED | charging Willie Brocker with the murder of Fred Merrill on Sunday last.

Council Decides Controversy Over Harrison | no opportunity left for anyone to insinuate Street Work.

PROPERTY HELD TO BE WORTH ASSESSMENT

Those Who Are of a Different Opinion WILL Have to Stand it or Take the Matter Into the Courts.

he city council met in special session resterday afternoon to consider certain protests against the assessment for the paving of Harrison street, which has proven such a bone of contention ever since

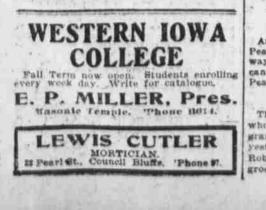
the work was completed by Contractor Wickham. Special interest centered in the protests of W. C. Shoemaker and Emma Clark, which at the meeting of the council Monday night had been referred to City County treasurer to Mary L. Everett Solicitor Snyder. Mr. Snyder reported that lots 7 and 12, block 28, Omaha add. the valuation as placed by the city council the valuation as placed by the city council was fair and equitable, and the assess-ments as originally placed were allowed to stand. The council then took final netton on the assessment resolution and from this on all protestants, if they desire relief, will black 10 same to same, lot 12, block 12, Omaha add., t. d. Same to same, lot 12, block 12, Omaha add., t. d. Same to same, lot 12, block 16, Omaha add., t. d. Same to same, lot 12, block 16, Omaha add., t. d. Same to same, lot 12, block 16, Omaha add., t. d. Same to same, lot 12, block 16, Omaha add., t. d. have to seek the ald of the courts. As the assessment now stands the city will have to bear approximately \$1,800 of the total cost of paving this street.

With regard to the grading of Franklin street the council rescinded its action of Monday night in cancelling the contract of L. C. Besley and gave Besley sixty days in which to complete the work.

The aldermen also met as a committee of the whole and took up the application of the Commercial club that the Illinois Central railroad be given a right-of-way across Eleventh street and Second avenue for the accommodation of a proposed hay tool factory. The committee decided to recommend that the right-of-way be granted, but that instead of the railroad running its switch track along the alley it occupy the ground proposed to be purchased by the company seeking a location here.

With regard to the curb on South Main street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets which has been in dispute since the laying of the cement walks began, the committee decided to recommend that the curb be left at the present grade.

Charges Brocker with Murder. Notwithstanding that the coroner's jury found that the shooting was accidental. Assistant County Attorney Hess yesterday filed in the superior court an information



them Harry Robinson, Chester Egbert, John Murphy and Jack Wilson, charged with Mr. Hess pursued this course, he said, ecause he thought that there should be

that a more rigid investigation ought to have been made. Mr. Hess stated that he had no desire to be harsh or prosecute the

boy without cause, but he was of the opinion that the case should be referred to a higher authority than the coroner's jury. He took this position, he said, in view of the fact that Merrill had stated to more than one person after he was wounded that he had been deliberately shot and his statement was consequently op-

posed to any theory of an accident. N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 290, Night, For. Judge Scott of the superior court fixed Thursday morning for holding the prelimi-Judge Smith McPherson yesterday connary hearing of young Brocker and in the vened the September term of United States

meantime the youthful defendant is being confined at the city jail.

For Sent.

petit jury being excused until Thursday. Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee September 20 by the Title Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs: \$ 2.84 to same, lot 12, block 22, Omaha 1.42 1.42 3.56 7.55

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under the peddler law and being compelled superinte clothing. 4.68 to secure his release by habeas corpus proceedings. 1.85 The suit of Lucius Wells against James

murder, pleaded not guilty.

county jail.

Norman Taylor, the Omsha youth

charged with breaking and entering the

residence of Mrs. J. K. Cooper and steal-

him to fifteen days imprisonment in the

Federal Court Convenes

court and impaneled the grand jury, the

1.51 Patton, arising out of the reorganization of the old First National bank of this 1.00 city several years ago, which was assigned

1.00 for trial this morning, was settled out of court last night. 2.16

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. 2.13 Leffert's glasses fit. Stockert sells carpets. 2.82 Duncan sells the best school shoes. Open Sunday. Tucker's B'way studio. Duncan does the best repairing. 23 Main st. Western Iowa college fall term now open.

School paints, brushes and paper. Alex-ander's, 333 B'way. 4.05 Rev. H. W. Starr, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, went to Lemars yester-terday on business. 2.03

An excellent office location, fronting on Pearl street, only half a block from Broadway, with a nice large showwindow which can be used for display: Bee office, 10 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

Matters in District Coart. The defendants under, arrest against whom indictments were returned by the John Pruitt, arrested on suspicion of robbing a small candy store on West Broadway, was discharged yesterday morn-ing for lack of evidence.

'The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's

Chilson, entered pleas of not guilty and Attorneys Organ, Pusey and Wadsworth were appointed by the court to defend E. Etzensperger, 804 Madison avenue.

were appointed by the court to defend There will be services this evening at St John's English Lutheran church prepara-tory to communion next Sunday. After the services the vested choir will meet in re-

hearsal. larceny from a building and burglary, took Mrs. A. C. Graham, wife of Park Com-missioner Graham, and granddaughter, Margaret, arrived home yesterday from a six weeks' stay in Wyoming and the Yel-lowstone park. the statutory time to plead, while Fred Stone, the colored ex-city poundmaster charged with assault with intent to commit

Building permits were issued yesterday o John J. Myrlue for a one-story frame ottage on Harrison street, to cost \$1,500, nd to M. Ryan for a one-story frame col-age, to cost \$1,000.

John H., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Field, 2807 Avenue J. died Monday light, aged 3 months. The funeral was teld yesterday afternoon, interment being in Fairview cemetery. ing a pocketbook containing \$2.50, entered a plea of guilty and threw himself on the mercy of the court. His decision to throw himself on the mercy of the court was not misplaced, as Judge Macy only sentenced

In Fairview cemetery. Classes in expression are being organized in the Western lowa college this week. Missouri oak dry cord wood, \$4.00 per cord, delivered. William Welch, 16 North Main street. Telephone 128. The Council Bluffs Rowing association will enteriain its members Friday night with a smoker at the club house at Lake Manawa. Special cars will be run for the convenience of those attending. James T. Lidell was brought back from

James T. Lidell was brought back from Lincoln, Neb., last evening by Constable Alberti of Justice Guren's court. Lidell is charged with betrayal under promise of marriage of a young woman named Gon-

These comprise the grand jury: William Thomas, Red Oak, foreman; Charles Nelson, Corning; J. L. Jeter. Thayer: John Rickers, Arcadia; W. G. Daniel, Keokuk; F. W. Myers, Missouri Valley; Carl Schmick, Carroll; C. L. Bison, Brayton; H. D. Lewis, Mondamin; Peter Atzen, Denison; Joseph Heider, Carroll; C. E. Foster, Panora; George Kebler, Wood-bine; A. A. Laschey, Conway, Frank Lamb, Afton; S. D. Tidball, Milo; J. D. Hillman, Lorimor; J. B. Dodge, Bedford. The criminal business is expected to be light and the grand jury will be able to adjourn Thursday if not this afternoon. The needs of the week, and increasing the deficiency to 5554.69 in this fund to date. The primary and the grand jury will be able to adjourn Thursday if not this afternoon.

A suit arising out of the enactment of the new state peddler law was transferred to the federal court yesterday and may possibly be tried at this term. Roy L. Har-ris is plaintiff and Richard A. Meister is defendant. Harris sues for \$5,000 for dam-ages for being arrested at Portsmouth, Ia., under the peddler law and being compelied to secure his release by habars enactions. Compelied

School paints and paper. Alexander's,

Ditch Appraisers Meet.

ONAWA, Ia., Sept. 20 .- (Special.)-The parties appointed by the Monona and Harrison county Boards of Supervisors to appraise the damages in the big Monona Harrison ditch and Sloux River cut-off. Messrs, E. C. Eshelman of Harrison and Madison H. Chaffee of Monona counties. met in Onawa yesterday and organized by appointing C. M. Ross of Onawa as the third member of the board, as provided by the new drainage law. The board of appraisers and the engineer, Mr. R. S. Fessenden, drove out this afternoon to the north end of the proposed ditch and will follow the route to the southern terminus so as to appraise the damages to each land owner. The appraisers are likely to be kept busy for several days.

Cuts Throat with Knife.

AVOCA, Ia., Sept. 20.-(Special)-John Whittaker committed suicide here today between 12 and 1 o'clock by cutting ht throat from ear to ear with a jackknife at the rear of Schmidt & Son's hardware store. He lived only a short time. He came to Avoca with his parents from England when a small child, and has continuously resided here. He is unmarried. He made his living by doing odd jobs and was thought of as being slightly domented. He was about 35 years old and has no relatives this side of the water.

If you have something to trade, advertise it in the "This for That" column of The Bee Want Ad page.

Four Hundred Appeal Cases on Docket of Supreme Court.

BANK TRANSFER TO BE INVESTIGATED sold or transferred \$1,300,000 of deposits to

State Board Questions Right to Transfer Deposits and Change Character of Business With-

out Permission.

(From-a Staff Correspondent.) night, and today reports from the suburbs

DES MOINES, Sept. 29 .- (Special.)-The and surrounding country show that the September term of the supreme court comstorm did probably \$10,000 damage here. The menced today with a large attendance of lawyers from all over the state and a buildings blown down and to greenhouses. docket with 400 appeal cases thereon. The One owner of greenhouses reports a loss term is divided into four periods, commen- of \$5,000 to his houses. The rain fell fast cing today, then October 18, November 15 and there was some hall, but the amount and December 13, respectively. In the first of rainfall was not great. News from the period there are sixty cases noted for oral state indicates that the storm scattered all argument and two of them were argued over the eastern part of the state and at various places did considerable damage.

foreseen.

today. The court, therefore, has before it an extensive docket and prospect of a ng term. A larger number of cases are

The weekly weather and crop report, isto be argued orally than usual, owing to sued this afternoon, says:

In the most hopeful estimates due allow-ance has been made for somewhat more than the average percentage of soft or un-merchantable corn. Considerable progress has been made in cutting and shocking the most advanced fields. bank without consultation with the state banking department, and also as to the intent of the bank in the future. The question is raised whether or not a savings bank can continue to do any business and abandon the savings bank feature. IOWA'S GRAIN WINS A PREMIUM

Much Damage by Storm

Frost Did Little Harm.

The Security has announced it will go into the brokerage and discount business, but First Prize on Corn. Threshed Grain

and Grain Seed at St. Louis. the Des Moines bank. It is the opinion of ONAWA, Ia., Sept 20-(Special Tele-the state officials that the bank will have gram.)-Will C. Whitney, World's fair commissioner for lowa, announces today that to liquidate or change its incorporation lowa has won first prize on corn at St. character if it is to continue business and Louis; also first prize on threshed grain and grass seed, scoring 99 points out of 100, number of interesting complications are The Onawa county exhibit was raised on land that is classed as overflow land and A severe storm passed over the city last

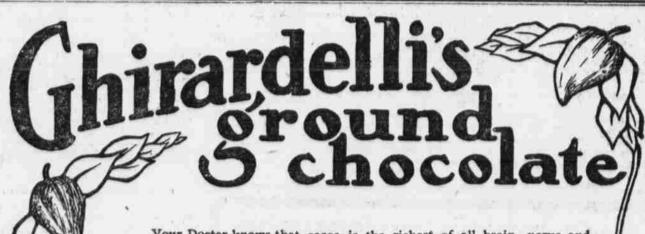
said to be too wet for cultivation.

Old Capitol Bell Located. IOWA CITY, In., Sept. 20.-(Special.)-

damage was chiefly to trees and small Iowa's old capitol bell, stolen more than a generation ago from the Presbyterian church tower, whence it was carried off, after its transfer from the state house, may be restored. Hon. Charles W. Irish, a member of the Nevada state surveying staff, and a representative of the United States government for years, in the irrigation department in Nevada, has discovered the old bell in Salt Lake City, Utah.

MRS. BOTKIN AGAIN ARRAIGNED

to be argued orally than usual, owing to the change in the law, which requires the judges to decide cases practically as fast as they are submitted and within a short time after submission. The class for ad-mission to the bar will not be called until the beginning of the second period. No opinions were filed by the judges today and justice McClain was absent, but will be here the remainder of the term. The supreme court rooms, which were badly damaged by the fire last winter, have been repaired, but the walls will be without decoration until the capitol is completed. Trust and Savings bank of this city for an explanation of its action in disposing of its



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A draft horse belonging to H. Messmore II and broke a leg yesterday morning at e Burlington depot. The animal had to shot.

Samuel Taylor, committed to St. Ber-nard's hospital September 7 by the com-missioners on insanity, was ordered paroled yesterday, in custody of his wife.

Robert L. Turner and Andy Hill, the negroes charged with the murder of George

grand jury were arraigned in district court yesterday afternoon before Judge Macy.

add., t. d. Same to same, lot 30, block 13, Ferry add., t. d. Same to same, lots 20 and 28, block 17, Ferry add., t. d. Same to same, lot 10, block 18, Ferry add., t. d. Interstate Reality company to C. V. Miller, lot 8, block E. Perry's 2d add. w. d. Lena M. Ware to Sophia Marcus, lot 9, block 19, Beers' subdiv., b. w. d. 2.82 1.07

100.00 Chief of Police Richmond has removed William Busse as night captain and ap-100.00 pointed Jailer Jack O'Neil in his piace.