

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

COUNCIL BLUFFS

MOTOR COMPANY IS SUED

Property Owners at Manawa Want Damages for Closing of Street.

SEQUEL OF SUPREME COURT DECISION

Plaintiffs Assert Their Business Has Been Damaged and Property Depreciated by the Closing Up of the Streets.

As a sequel to the supreme court refusing the motor company a rehearing in what is known as the Manawa fence case the company has been made defendant in three damage suits begun in the district court yesterday by owners of property at Manawa.

W. H. Beck asks \$5,000 damages. Christman and Roberts in their joint suit demand \$10,000, while Mrs. Emma Ballou DeFret, for herself and the heirs of her deceased husband, W. H. Ballou, claims \$2,000.

Mrs. Mary L. Kirley asks for a divorce from Patrick Kirley, to whom she was married in this city June 4, 1901.

Omaha Man in Trouble. W. R. Lytle, a young man whose home is in Omaha, is in a quack of trouble and will spend Christmas in the city jail here unless his friends come to his assistance.

Lytle was arrested about 1 o'clock Friday morning after he had smashed in the front door of Henry Lapidus' pawn shop, on Broadway.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to the Tax Assessor by the Title Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs:

James A. Current and wife to Mary M. Current, block 10, street 10, \$100. Sarah E. H. Rohrer and husband to W. M. Rohrer, block 10, street 10, \$100.

Minor Mentions. Davis sells drugs. Jeff's glasses fit. Stockert sells carpets.

Christmas for Poor Children. At the DeLong Industrial schools this afternoon the children will be treated with refreshments in honor of Christmas.

Arrested for Assaulting Child. Ed Farrell was arrested last evening on complaint of Charles Johnson, a farmer of Garner township, who charged him with attempting a criminal assault on his 12-year-old daughter.

Legal Notices. NOTICE TO WATER WORKS CONTRACTORS-WATER WORKS SYSTEM.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING. Office of Lee-Glass-Anderson Hardware Company, Omaha, Neb., Dec. 21, 1904.

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TAXES PILING UP TOO FAST

Civic Federation Fanned to Look After Municipal Taxation.

SHERWIN TO BE NEXT CHIEF JUSTICE

Pardon Secretary is Looking Into the Petition of George Burrier, the Clinton Burglar, Who Wants a Pardon.

COMPLAINS OF TAX FERRETS

East End People Say They Are Paid to Needless Expenses.

Attorney Frank Shinn of Carson appeared before the Board of County Supervisors at its session yesterday and raised objections to certain methods pursued by Flesner & Schleiher, the firm of tax ferrets now working under contract in Pottawattamie county.

Greater Des Moines in 1900 (the year of annexation) had no indebtedness, each municipality entering into the consolidation assuming its own indebtedness under the provisions of the consolidation act.

It has been decided that John C. Sherwin of Mason City will be the chief justice of Iowa next year, commencing with the January term on the 10th of the month.

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Gas Light for Mitchell. MITCHELL, S. D., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—The Mitchell Gas company has just completed its plant and has turned the gas into its mains.

Building at Fort Meade. FORT MEADE, S. D., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—Russell & Walker, the contractors who were awarded the construction of the double barracks and double captains' quarters at this post, have started excavation for the last named structures.

Woodbine Lodges Elect. WOODBINE, Ia., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—Seven Woodbine lodge elections have resulted as follows:

Daughters of Rebekah—Noble grand, Mrs. G. S. Roundy; vice grand, Mrs. C. J. Short; secretary, Bessie Donaldson; treasurer, Mrs. E. H. Hedlin; treasurer, Lewis H. Mafer.

Ancient Order of United Workmen—M. W. J. Supper; recorder, G. H. Benedict; foreman, William Beverness; overseer, Frank Bennett; receiver, C. W. Reed; P. M., C. J. Tuttle; L. W. W. H. Tuttle.

Modern Woodmen of America—Venerable consul, G. M. LaSourd; W. A. C. R. Stout; clerk, Lewis Haas; banker, G. N. Young; secretary, E. R. Hedlin; treasurer, Lewis H. Mafer.

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons—W. M. J. G. Duval; secretary, S. C. Eskelmann; treasurer, J. G. Giddings.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows—Noble grand, G. R. Rigg; vice grand, J. C. Arnold; secretary, J. H. Hedlin; treasurer, Lewis H. Mafer; captain, A. C. Torrey; lieutenant, E. Mafer; ensign, J. C. Arnold; clerk, P. M. Young; J. D. Kinnel; S. W. C. I. Short; J. W. William Beverness; scribe, H. A. Humphrey.

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to be brought back for punishment. He is now in jail here awaiting action of the state's attorney at the sitting of court on January 5.

Irrigation Ditch Assured. STURGIS, S. D., Dec. 23.—(Special.)—The south side project of the Belle Fourche irrigation scheme is assured. Less than 1,000 acres are lacking to make up the required total, and these will be secured before the close of the present week.

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