

NEWS OF THE WESTERN COUNCIL BLUFFS

YOUNG WOMAN TAKES ACID

Doti Frazier Becomes Dependent Over Ill Health.

COMPULLED TO GIVE UP HER POSITION

Had Neither Father nor Mother, but a Pleasant Home with Family Which Had Raised Her.

Evidently dependent over her continued ill-health, Doti Frazier, a 19-year-old girl who had been employed at the Bluff City laundry, committed suicide yesterday morning by drinking carbolic acid at the home of William H. Chrisman, 1429 Third avenue, where she made her home.

LEWIS OUTLER MORTICIAN

RAILWAY TIME CARD

Table with columns for station names (Union Pacific, Overland Limited, Chicago & Northwestern, etc.) and train times.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of indebtedness. All existing debts of Omaha Live Stock Commission company...

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Secures Over Eighty Dollars as Result of Call.

Two masked men entered the saloon of O. K. Harden, Twenty-first and Broadway, shortly after 10 o'clock last night and robbed the proprietor and three customers who were in the place at the time.

IDENTITY STILL A MYSTERY

The identity of the man who committed suicide in Fairview cemetery Tuesday evening by shooting himself still remains a mystery.

SIMPSON HAS CRIMINAL RECORD

Alleged Holdup Man Has Served Time in Nebraska.

Alexander Simpson, arrested on suspicion of being one of the men who held up Fry's saloon near the transfer depot Monday night, has been identified as Alexander Chapin, who was sentenced to the Nebraska state penitentiary at Lincoln for fifteen years for complicity in the attempted murder of an old man named Edna Keck in Barry county about ten years ago.

WORK ON TELEPHONE CONDUCITS

Contractor Wickham will break ground this morning for the laying of the conduits of the Council Bluffs Independent Telephone company. Work will be begun at Twelfth and Broadway, and the route followed will be on Twelfth street to Main street, north on Main street to Broadway, and then on Broadway east to First street.

DRUGGIST CASHES A CHECK

George S. Fisher, a Broadway druggist, last evening cashed a check for \$100 on a stranger and subsequent developments led him to believe that the paper was worthless. His suspicions were so strong that he turned the matter over to the police.

WOODRUY COMPANY REORGANIZES

The Woodruff company has reorganized with William G. Woodruff as president and manager and W. A. Maurer as secretary and treasurer. The other stockholders are John Henry, Harry E. C. L. Bullard of Creston, Ia. The capital stock of \$40,000 is divided equally among the four. Mr. Maurer having purchased that held by Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.

BRIDGES OUT OF JAIL

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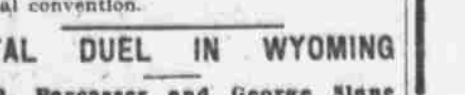
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