CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA

COUNCIL BLUFFS

Office, 10 Pearl St. Tel. 43.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.
Stockert sells carpets.
Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.
Drs. Woodbury, dentists, 30 Pearl street.
Woodring-Schmidt, undertakers. Tel. 539.
Leffert's improved toric lenses give satisfaction.
Wanted, press feeder. Morehouse & Co., 18 North Main street.
School paints, brushes and papers. Alexander's, 522 Broadway.
Large attendance at night school. Western Iowa College. Enroll now.
Farms for sale, all sizes, easy terms. Squire & Annis, Council Bluffs, Ia.
Fryer Printing Co., 33 Main. Tel. 206. Let us figure on your next order of printing.
Alvin Hicks and Maggie Bolton, both of this city, were married yesterday by Justice Field.
On the ground floor. Morehouse & Co., printers and binders, are in their new building now, 18 North Main St.
We take contracts for paper hanging and house painting; all work guaranteed. H. Borwick, 211 S. Main. 'Phone 683.
The Board of Park Commissioners held a special meeting last evening to provide for the payment of a number of laborers who were laid off during the week.
Jerry, the 3-year-old son of W. M. Pyper, received the scalp of the Council Bluffs Savings bank, was badly bitten in the right hand Friday evening by a pet monkey at the home of John Beresheim.
Frank Wesley Beck, a mechanic of this city, filed in the federal court yesterday a voluntary petition of bankruptcy. He schedules his liabilities at $1,056.11 and his assets at $276.35, all of which he claims as exempt.
Mayor Macrae will leave today for Detroit to attend the convention of the National Society of Military Surgeons. He goes as a delegate from Iowa under appointment from Governor Cummins. He expects to return in about a week.
Abe Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Woman's Relief corps will hold memorial services this evening at 7:30 o'clock in Grand Army hall in memory of National Commander Blackmar and deceased members of the post and corps.
The Knights of Pythias will hold an entertainment under the joint auspices of the lodges here next Monday evening at Pythian hall. Arrangements have been made for a program of cards, music and dancing. All Knights and their ladies are requested to attend.
Harry Leuch, son of Motorman C. H. Leuch, while practicing a "slide for life" stunt with other boys at his home on Stutsman street Friday evening, fell and broke his leg in three places above the knee. The wire broke when young Leuch was about fifteen feet above ground.

JURY HAS BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT

Unable to Arrive at a Verdict Last Night.

The $25,000 breach of promise suit of Miss Scythia Ferguson of Louisville, Ky., against W. H. Kennedy, the Montgomery county, Iowa, farmer, was given to the jury in the federal court shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. At a late hour last night no verdict having been reached, the jury was allowed to separate, with orders to reassemble at 9 this morning.

On court reconvening in the morning the plaintiff's cross-examination was resumed, during which the defense succeeded in introducing a letter written to Kennedy by Miss Ferguson on October 30, 1903, over a year before suit was brought, a copy of which letter Miss Ferguson sent her attorney. In her letter to her attorney enclosing the copy of this letter to Kennedy Miss Ferguson wrote: "I only wrote it for the benefit of our case, thinking I would bring him closer to the point. I think his object now is marrying. He thinks that is the best way out of it. Keep me informed, but avoid publicity as much as possible."

Kennedy was recalled to the stand for a short time, but his further testimony was not of very great interest.

Maude P. Hess was granted a divorce from Harry D. Hess on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

In the divorce suit of Clara J. Bejma against Joseph S. Bejma, Judge Macy yesterday ordered the defendant to pay into court $15 a month pending the determination of the suit, for the maintenance of the plaintiff and her children.

In the tax ferret suits of L. G. Consigny, country treasurer, against Elizabeth Knowles and William Orr, administrators of the estate of the late Henry B. Knowles, involving a large amount of back taxes for property omitted from assessment, Judge Macy yesterday overruled the demurrer of the defendants.

Get an Honest Opinion About Your Eyes.

Dr. Maggarell, Leffert's optician, is an expert optometist and optician. He has had years of experience and scores of satisfied patrons depend upon him to look after their eyes and keep them in shape.

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When he makes a statement about your eyes you are perfectly safe in accepting it and in following his advice; he won't advise glasses unless you need them.

If your eyes are giving any kind of trouble better see Dr. Maggarell at once. Consultation and examination are free.

LEFFERT'S, Council Bluffs, Ia.,
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High School Defeats Alumni.

The opening foot ball game of the season yesterday afternoon between the high school and a team organized among the alumni, resulted in a victory for the high school by the score of 5 to 0. The game was hard fought and the small crowd which went down to Manawa to witness, received full value for their money.

The first half closed without either side scoring. In the second half Captain Nicoll of the high school secured a touchdown but was prevented from attempting to kick through violating the rule forbidding the kicker to touch the ball. Benjamin failed to place the ball exactly to suit Nicoll and he stooped down and set it right, this breaking the rule.

Wheeler and Riekman of the alumni team were put out of the game in the first half, both being more or less severely hurt. They were taken to the Boat club house where they were put to bed. They both received injuries about the head, but are not thought to be of a serious nature.

This was the line up:

HIGH SCHOOL.		ALUMNI.
Dimmock	C	Hardin
Harlan	R. G. R. G.	Miller
Craignile	R. T. R. T.	Van Order, Grason
Cooper	R. E. R. E.	Stubbs
Dobson	L. G. L. G.	West, Cessna
Hechinger	L. T. L. T.	Aylesworth
Williams	L. E. L. E.	Heiser
Benjamin	Q. B. Q. B.	Warner
Scheffler	R. H. B. R. H. B.	Walters
Cutler	L. H. B. L. H. B.	Rickman, Porter
Nicoll	F. B. F. B.	Wheeler, Van Order

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported to The Bee September 23 by the Title, Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs:

Ruth Emily Teetzel and husband to Frank Carlson, e½, nw¼, 23-77-42, w. d.	$ 5,600
The Manning Mercantile company to Louisa D Beh, s½, ne¼, and se¼, nw¼, ne¼, and n½, se¼, and n½, s½, se¼, 23-77-43, w. d.	23,000
Maud G. Wilson to Maud A. Pettit, lot 5, Auditor's sub. of out-lot 1, Carson, w. d.	950
Standard Manufacturing company to C. M. Crippen, lots 1 and 2, block 1, Wright's add., w. d.	1
Agnes Folsom to J. E. Torbitt, lots 25 and 26, block 34, Central sub., s. w. d.	100
Five transfers, total	$29,651

PROGRAM FOR THE TEACHERS

Sessions to Be Held in November at the High School Building.

NOTED EDUCATORS DOWN FOR ADDRESSES

Teachers from All Over the Southwestern Portion of the State Included in the Association Membership.

The annual meeting of the Southwestern Iowa Teachers association will be held in this city November 2, 3 and 4. The sessions will be held in the high school building, which has been placed at the disposal of the association by the Board of Education.

The executive committee met yesterday and outlined the following program for the meeting:

Thursday—Visiting day in the schools of Council Bluffs.

Thursday Evening—Illustrated lecture by Frank Roberson of Chicago. Mr. Roberson is just back from another visit to Russia and Japan and his lecture will be especially interesting at this time.

Friday Morning—Round table.

Friday, 2 p. m.—Lecture, by Principal O. T. Bright of Chicago. Mr. Bright has given careful study to school decorations, both in the town and the country, and will give an illustrated lecture which will be of great value to teachers.

Friday, 4 p. m.—Reception for the visiting teachers by the Council Bluffs teachers.

Friday Evening—Address, by Miss Jane Addams, Hull House, Chicago. On account of the extensive work in the Hull House Settlement in Chicago her address will be of special interest to teachers interested in sociological problems.

Saturday Morning—Lecture, by State Superintendent J. F. Riggs of Des Moines. Lecture, "The School as an Investment," by Dr. A. E. Winship of Chicago.

Saturday, 9:30 a. m.—Lecture.

Saturday, 10 a. m. to 12 m.—Round table: "Methods," President H. H. Seerley; "Superintendents and College People," President Charles E. Shelton; "Principals of Graded Schools," Principal O. T. Bright; general topics, Dr. A. E. Winship; "Sociological Problems," Miss Jane Addams; "High School Principals and Teachers," State inspector F. C. Ensign; "Primary Methods," Miss Alice Hopper; "Music," Miss M. Lucile Porterfield; "Drawing," Miss Kate Wickham; "County Superintendents and Rural Teachers," Superintendent J. F. Riggs.

This list will be increased in the permanent program.

These are the officers of the association:

President—Superintendent H. H. Savage, Waterloo.

Vice President—Miss Lulu Kittle, Shenandoah.

Secretary—Principal Martina Erickson, Atlantic.

Railroad Secretary—Superintendent F. M. Abbott, Shenandoah.

Chairman of the Executive Committee—W. N. Clifford, Council Bluffs.

Chairman of the Local Committee—Principal S. L. Thomas, Council Bluffs.

GRAND JURY COMPLETES ITS WORK

Number of Indictments Returned and Jails Inspected.

The district court grand jury completed its deliberations yesterday and after reporting a second batch of indictments, was discharged for the term. It paid a visit to the county and city jails reporting the former to be in a good sanitary condition and the latter in a fair condition.

Among the indictments made public was one against David T. Stubbs, former cashier of the Citizens Gas & Electric company, on the charge of embezzling $1,877.40 from the company. His bond was placed at $2,000, which he furnished, with the following sureties: W. I. Smith, R. F. Davis, F. Gunnoulie, L. Zurmuehlen, jr., C. R. Tyler, D. J. Clark, F. E. Everest, G. S. Wright, F. T. True, E. F. Stimson, D. W. Bushnell, M. F. Rohrer and F. B. Hahn.

Other indictments announced were as follows:

William Hammond, for the larceny as bailee of a pony, saddle and bridle, the property of J. H. Turner of Washington township, on July 2. Hammond is charged with selling the outfit to Omaha parties. Bond was fixed at $250.

Harry Walker, on the charge of stealing a $10 gold piece the property of Gus Wager, his roommate on the farm of David French of Hazel Dell township. Bond was fixed at $250.

Clyde Miller on the charge of embezzling $50, while in charge of a concession on the Fourth of July at the celebration at Ascot Park. The money is said to have belonged to his employers, L. S. and Will Ryan. His bond was fixed at $300, which he furnished.

H. C. Bell (two indictments) on the charge of stealing a number of railroad tickets from the depot ticket office of the Rock Island railroad and then forging same. Bonds were fixed at $800 and $350 in the two cases.

George H. Brown, on the charge of larceny as bailee. He is charged with hiring a horse, buggy and harness from the Cotton Livery company in Omaha and selling the same to Marks & Co. of this city. The property was valued at $190. Bond was fixed

Creche to Move in October.

The Associated Charities made arrangements with William Arnd yesterday to vacate the property at Third street and Ninth avenue on October 1. The Creche will be removed to another location, the association having several places under consideration. Mr. Arnd, to whom the association was indebted in the sum of $400, generously donated $50 as his contribution toward "tag day" and also deducted a half month's payment on the bulding, which the association found too big a burden to carry any longer.

Complete returns show that "tag day" netted the Associated Charities $500, and the members are duly thankful to the public for its assistance.

Construction Company Branches Out.

At a meeting yesterday of the stockholders of Warehouse Construction company No. 2 it was decided that the company go into the general traffic and storage business. The company will occupy either half or the whole of the building on South Main street which was rebuilt after the fire last winter, when it was occupied by the Fuller & Johnson-Shugart company.

Charles W. McDonald will be manager for the company in its new venture, but the position will in no way affect or interfere with his present position as manager of the Sandwich Manufacturing company in this city.

Alleged Burglars Arrested.

Mickey Taggart and J. D. Richardson, wanted in Omaha on a charge of burglary, were arrested yesterday in this city by Deputy Sheriff Woolman and Detectives Ferris and Dunn of Omaha. They were found at a horse traders' camp on West Broadway. They refused to return across the river without requisition papers and were placed in the county jail until the papers can be secured.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Frank E. Cave, Council Bluffs	29
Mattie Boysen, Council Bluffs	29
Alvin Hicks, Council Bluffs	25
Maggie Bolton, Council Bluffs	25

Dunlap Lecture Bureau.

DUNLAP, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The Dunlap lecture bureau has been organized, with the following officers: President, Dr. G. T. Hood; secretary, A. Roy Thompson; treasurer, George G. Cronkleton. Dates have been arranged during the winter for a number of noted speakers.

STEAL AUTO LADEN WITH COIN

Thieves, However, Smash Car and Cannot Carry Cash.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—W. F. Maher and Mack Hurlbut, while carrying the receipts of the day for the carnival shows in an automobile last night at midnight, stopped for a moment at the latter's store. Coming out a moment later they found the automobile gone. Search by the police discovered it in an alley in a disabled condition, the valise full of receipts of the day, amounting to nearly $2,000 being untouched. It is supposed that an attempt was made to steal the machine and money but that the robbers were frightened away and did not dare to carry the valise which was filled mostly with silver and was very heavy.

Municipal Squabble at Onawa.

ONAWA, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—A row has broken out in the Onawa town council over the conduct of affairs in regard to street crossings, sidewalks, etc., and charges of "graft" are being freely circulated among the members and citizens. These charges were first made about three years ago and it is claimed that the sidewalk and crossing "ring" is still doing business in the old way. Yesterday C. H. Bradbury, a member of the city council of Onawa and ex-clerk of the district court of Monona county, obtained a writ of injunction in the Monona county district court restraining Ed S. Cody and M. A. Marley, members of the town council, and N. Conley, builder of cement sidewalks, "from erecting or building said crossings, unless the same is ordered by the town council and the said defendants authorized to legally construct same."

C. M. Ross, town clerk, is also restrained from issuing warrants to said defendants or any other person in payment of crossings already so constructed, and for such other relief as may be deemed equitable in the premises.

Phi Delta Anniversary.

TABOR, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Phi Delta Literary society of Tabor college celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary yesterday. The exercises consisted of a public program given in Adams hall at 7:30 p. m. Dr. J. W. Ferner, pastor of Tabor Congregational church, led in prayer, President G. N. Ellis gave the address of welcome and Attorney Ed Mitchell of Sidney the response. Rev. Fred Long of Huron, S. D., said that "although it is expensive to live, yet life is worth while," and Mrs. B. E. Harris read an historical sketch. Prof. W. O. Allen had the subject, "The Value of the Society to the Student." Miss Eunice Wilkins sang a solo and the program closed with a paper by Miss Blanche Stevens on "Literary Organizations." This program was followed by a banquet in the church basement. The society roll contains the names of over 400 members, a number of whom were present at the celebration.

Court at Onawa.

ONAWA, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—For the first time in many years there is a genuine horse thief trial on in the Monona county district court and it smacks of old times, as horse stealing in western Iowa had almost died out, but seems to be reviving the last three or four years. Thomas Moran is on trial in the Monona county district court today, charged with stealing a team of horses at Mapleton in 1901. Moran, after escaping with the Mapleton team, stole another team in Minnesota, for which crime he served three years in the penitentiary at Stillwater, Minn., being brought from there to Onawa to answer his indictment in Monona county.

Foot Ball at Dunlap.

DUNLAP, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The foot ball team for 1905 has just been organized, with the following players: D. Roush, C. Liscomb, W. Wettengel, T. Monahan, Edgar Enbody, E. Young, F. Wettengel, J. Pounds, E. Glaze, D. Morton, W. Chupp and N. Waitley. This team will play Logan at Logan on Tuesday, September 26, with Denison at Denison on September 30, with Missouri Valley at Dunlap on October 7 and with Woodbine at Dunlap on October 17.

Horsethief Taken at Modale.

LOGAN, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—O. O. Rock, deputy sheriff of Harrison county, today arrested at Modale William Fitzpatrick, who, in March, 1902, stole a team of horses from Mahlon Hammer's livery stable at Modale. The horses were soon after retaken at South Omaha, but the thief has just been secured after a long chase. The officer made the arrest in a field where Fitzpatrick was hiding near his old home. He is now in the Logan jail.

Foot Ball Team at Little Sioux.

LITTLE SIOUX, Ia., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The little Sioux foot ball team for 1905 was organized here this week, with E. A. Lynn as coach, Dr. R. A. Weston as captain and S. S. Ellis as manager.

MURDERER ESCAPES GALLOWS

John Tully of Fort Missoula, Who Killed Fellow Soldier, is Released on a Technicality.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 23.—John Tully, a Fort Missoula soldier, who two years ago, in a fit of jealousy, shot and killed John Kennedy, a fellow soldier, was convicted in the state court of murder and sentenced to die upon the gallows, but who secured a new trial from the supreme court on the ground that the crime was committed on a military reservation and that therefore the state courts had no jurisdiction, was discharged from custody in the United States court today by Judge Edward Whitson. After Tully's case was removed to the federal court he was regularly indicted for murder by the grand jury and his attorneys at once raised the question of the jurisdiction of the court. Judge Whitson sustained this point, holding in effect that the place where Tully killed Kennedy was never a military reservation, and as Tully has once been in jeopardy he cannot again be tried for murder in the first degree.

HEAD-END WRECK NEAR BOISE

Westbound Passenger Train on Oregon Short Line Strikes a Local Freight.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 23.—A headend collision between passenger and freight trains occurred today on the Oregon Short Line, one mile west of Eaton, the first station west of Weiser, Idaho. The front section of west-bound passenger train No. 1 and the local freight running from Huntington, Ore., to Boise, which also carries a passenger coach, were in collision. The fireman of the passenger train was killed outright and the engineer, a mail clerk and a baggageman on the same train were severely injured. Both locomotives were demolished. The baggage and mail cars left the track and rolled over an embankment. The other coaches remained on the track. Aside from minor bruises received in the shakeup no passengers were injured. The crew of the local freight train jumped and escaped injury. The wreck delayed traffic twelve hours.

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OUR PRICE OF $22.95 FOR THE BURNETT TYPEWRITER is a price based on factory cost, the cost of material and labor with an extremely small profit added, a manufacturing cost that is reduced to the minimum by reason of the factory running every day in the year producing only this one machine and making it by modern methods and most automatic type of cost reducing machinery, figuring nothing for dealer's and agent's profits.

WE HAVE A CONTRACT TO TAKE EVERY BURNETT TYPEWRITER THE MANUFACTURERS MAKE. The Burnett is manufactured by an old established typewriter concern whose machines are widely known and used. They have perfected this latest model, the Burnett, at great expense and have combined all of their typewriter manufacturing experience, have added improvements and advantages not to be found on any other machine and they now manufacture the Burnett typewriter exclusively and we take every Burnett typewriter they turn out. They have discontinued their expensive agency organization. They have discontinued marketing their machines through agents and cut out the expensive method by which all other typewriters are handled, the method which adds $25.00 to $50.00 to the cost to the user and adds nothing to the value of the typewriter itself.

IF WE ASKED $100.00 FOR THE BURNETT TYPEWRITER we could not possibly improve the quality of the material or workmanship we put into it. None of the $100.00 typewriters on the market contain any better material or show any better workmanship than the Burnett represents. The difference between our price of $22.95 for the Burnett and the price asked for other standard typewriters is all in the method of selling and the number of different profits made on every machine with each successive handling. It probably costs more than $50.00 to market each one of the regular typewriters as sold in the regular way, the old fashioned way from which we have departed. This $50.00 and more you pay when you buy a $100.00 typewriter, and it represents nothing to you. Nothing in the $50.00 or more represents the expensive magazine advertising, the big salaries paid the state agents, the big commissions paid on each machine to the subagent, the big expenses the district agent has for rent, salaries and other expenses. In our price of $22.95 for the Burnett you are not asked to pay a single one of these profits or expenses. It costs us but a few cents on each machine to market the Burnett typewriter. All this saving you get the benefit of. Never before has such a high grade standard typewriter been offered to the public at a fair price.

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No. 2. SPEED. The rapidity of operation of the Burnett typewriter is wonderful. The touch is extremely light and the keys respond instantaneously, the impression is made in half the time it is required on other machines. It is faster than the fastest operator in the world. No time is wasted in lifting the carriage to see if the work is written right, to make corrections, to insert the right place, to unreeling the ribbon, to shifting for any kind. All is in plain view, and as a result it is possible to do nearly double the work on the Burnett typewriter than can be done on any of the $100.00 machines of the old style "blind" type.

No. 3. SUPERIOR MANIFOLDING. The Burnett typewriter has better and greater manifolding powers than any of the high class typewriters on the market. We have demonstrated this by every test. You can make fifteen legible carbon copies using office paper and twenty legible carbon copies using light paper with the Burnett typewriter, a greater number of legible copies than can be made with the best manifolding typewriter on the market. The manifolding done with the Burnett typewriter is superior to any other. It is cleaner, the point of impression is such that the carbon does not smut the paper above or below the line, and the Burnett turns out neater, cleaner manifolding work than any other typewriter. FOR STENCIL OR MIMEOGRAPH WORK IT HAS NO RIVAL.

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SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO., Chicago, Ill.

OUR LETTER BOX.

Good Government Fake.

OMAHA, Sept. 23.—To the Editor of The Bee: On September 22 there appeared a short editorial in your paper attacking the Good Government league for issuing its first circular tattoing two republican candidate for county judge and indirectly indorsing another, and placing the Dennison brand on one candidate for sheriff, while giving another a clean bill.

It is true there was a circular sent out by some one, whom we do not know, that was headed "Good Government," which was not signed and which made some very uncomplimentary statements in regard to some of the candidates, but we are surprised that you should rashly jump to the conclusion, upon such slim evidence, that this circular was issued by the Good Government league.

The fact is, the Good Government league has not issued a circular of any kind, for or against any candidates, nor has it, up to this time, attempted to use its influence either for or against any one seeking the nomination of any party.

We feel, therefore, that you have, perhaps unwittingly, dealt with us unjustly and hope you will not only publish a correct statement in as prominent place in your paper as your first statement occupied, but that you will also give space to this communication.

GOOD GOVERNMENT LEAGUE,
By John D. Ware, President.

BAXTER DENIES THE STORY

Declares Statement that Government is After Rush's Scalp Wholly Without Truth.

In regard to the lurid story appearing in a recent issue of one of the Omaha papers relative to the cattlemen being after the official scalp of Special Attorney Rush, District Attorney Baxter said Saturday morning:

"There is not the slightest truth in the story. Had there been we certainly should have heard something of it here. On the other hand the Department of Justice has been with us all through these fencing investigations and has given us immediate assistance and encouragement. It is quite certain that with the present temper of the Department of Justice, backed up by the administration, any attempt made to bring about Mr. Rush's removal through political or other influences, because of his zeal in pushing these prosecutions, that the instigators of such an attempt would at once become objects of suspicion and investigation. In the first place the cattlemen are far too wary to permit themselves to be caught in any such an undertaking. It would prejudice their case at once and could but militate against them. There is not the slightest truth in the statement, and don't you believe for a minute that the administration of the Department of Justice is going to let up on these illegal fencing cases until every illegal fence is removed and the violators of the orders of the land department in regard thereto are punished."

WATER PRESSURE AGAIN SHORT

Final Test Made by Engineers Develops General Inefficiency.

Final tests of water pressure made Saturday by Engineers Rosewater, Williams, Stout and Craig again showed it to be not up to the contract specifications and inefficient for fire protection. The plainest demonstration was at the High school, where the contract calls for four simultaneous one-inch streams to a height of 100 feet from the base of the old High school building. The smokestack, which is 169.2 feet tall, furnished good and convenient gauge. The highest solid stream went only to forty-eight feet and the top of the highest spray only to fifty-six feet. The hydrants used are on Twenty-second street and the most favorable for the best pressure. The lengths of hose were 200 and 250 feet.

The test resulting most favorably to the water company was at Thirty-fifth and Martha streets, where a stream of water was thrown to a height of forty-eight feet at the end of two lengths of 1,000 feet of hose.

At St. Joseph's hospital Friday afternoon the two-stream, 1,000-foot hose test failed to put a stream higher than twenty-five feet in the air, or considerably less than necessary to be effective on a fire on the roof of the institution.

Saturday afternoon the engineers reduced their observations and computations to writing and exact figures to present to Attorney John L. Webster this week.

EXTRAVAGANCE ON NATAL DAY

Twenty-Three Cents Spent by A. J. Seaman, Professional Economist and Title Buyer.

A. J. Seaman, the wealthy tax title buyer and economist, celebrated his sixty-second birthday anniversary on Friday. He is prating today on his extravagance of yesterday. Starting the day with a 5-cent breakfast, and following it with a 10-cent 12 o'clock dinner, he was in prime condition to receive the felicitations of his numerous friends at the county court house, where he makes his Omaha headquarters. Five cents was expended for supper. During the day at intervals, 1 cent was spent for grapes and 2 cents for two pears, a total of 23 cents for the day. Strict economy is being practiced today in order to "even up" with the riotous expenditures of his birthday. Mr. Seaman's room costs him a rental of $2 per month, and it is there that most of his meals are prepared with his own hands. His bed and furnishings represent his own handiwork.

GRIER AND MAUD SEPARATE

Latter Will Not Tote Fair, So Police Court Clerk Dissolves the Partnership.

Lee Grier, clerk of the police court, like Si, has parted company from Maud, the little burro he bought last Monday evening at the Ak-Sar-Ben den, when five burros were auctioned off to the highest bidders. Mr. Grier thought that with the purchase of Maud his goblet of joy had reached the high-water mark, but a few days' acquaintance with the little animal convinced the police court clerk that there is no telling what the next day will bring forth.

Friday morning Mrs. Grier hung out on the line her husband's fall overcoat. Maud was given the liberty of the back yard and mistook liberty for license. The overcoat went to the bad and Maud was sold for $6. Grier is out a few dollars and an overcoat, but he maintains the fun was worth the price of admission.

GIRL WHO LIVES IN WAGON

Fourteen-Year-Old Child Turned Over to Juvenile Officers for Investigation.

Ivy Blizzard was arrested Saturday morning by Officer Devereese and charged at the city jail with vagrancy on complaint of her father, Harry Blizzard. The girl, who is 14 years of age, has been turned over to the juvenile officers for further investigation.

The father's story is that he has been married several times and that the girl in question is by his last wife. Recently he went to Colorado to visit a daughter, leaving Ivy with his last wife in Omaha. The wife went to Kansas City, he states, giving the girl to a family by the name of Green, that has traveled with the girl for nearly a year in a covered wagon. Returning to Omaha the other day Blizzard located the girl living in a wagon at Sixth and Locust streets.

MAN SELLS BEER TO CHILDREN

Dispenses Liquor to Minors Not Allowed to Buy It Under Law.

Chief Probation Officer Bernstein has run onto a new deal in the line of liquor buying. Down about Fourteenth and William streets the probation officer has found a man who has been buying beer for children whom the saloon keepers would not serve. When the adult in question was delivering a "can" to a juvenile messenger one of Mogy's deputies happened along and broke into the game. The advice given did not seem to sink very deep and there was almost open rebellion against the authority of the juvenile court officers. "Mogy" is now going after the grownup intermeddler and thus a new question will be raised to keep the district judges guessing for a day or two.

Fatalities Prevented.

After an accident use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It prevents fatal results. Heals cuts, burns, sores. 25c. Sold by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

Harvest Thanksgiving Services.

At the Salvation Army hall on Davenport street Major and Mrs. Bailey and Lieutenant Hodgson will conduct special harvest Thanksgiving services Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The hall has been suitably decorated for the occasion. There will be harvest scenes and songs and on Monday evening the special program of the series will be rendered. On October 11, 12 and 13 the Salvation Army will hold a sale at the hall to make up another payment on the legal property. Anyone wishing to contribute articles for the sale may communicate with Adjutant McKenzie, telephone No. 2258.

MANY WANT RILEY'S PLACE

Numerous Applications Received by Postmaster Palmer for Position in Money Order Department.

The enforced retirement of Jon J. Riley from the service of the money order department of the Omaha postoffice through a misunderstanding in accounting for some $900 of postoffice funds, has brought out a number of applicants for his job.

Postmaster Palmer said:

"I have just been overwhelmed with applications for the vacancy caused by Riley's removal. The vacancy will, however, have to be filled by appointment from a list of eligibles, by the Civil Service commission. I virtually have no control over the matter, and have practically no say in the appointment of Riley's successor. Hence all applications for the position are simply a waste of time on the part of the applicants."

SLOT MACHINE MEN LOSE

Government Declines to Consider Lead Slugs Counterfeit.

The treasurers of several slot machines in Iowa are in considerable trouble over the cachinations of some fiend who has been working them with lead slugs in the forms of quarters and nickels. The aid of the United States secret