# NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

# COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. pokert sells carpets. Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son. Drs. Woodbury, dentists, 39 Pearl street. Leffert's improved toric lenses give satis

Pyrography outfits and supplies. C. E. Alexander, 333 Broadway.

Large attendance at night school. Western lowa College. Enroll now.

Frames, pictures and wall paper at H. Borwick's, 311 So. Main. Tel. 583. Farms for sale, all sizes, easy terms Squire & Annis, Council Bluffs, Ia. Fryer Pinting Co., 33 Main. Tel. 205. Let Charles E. Wilson and Mrs. Maud May Taylor, both of Omaha, were married in this city yesterday by Justice Field. Contractor Wickham expects to complete the paving of Benton street this week and then will begin work on Madison avenue. Big sale of home made candles at Brown's Purity Kitchen on Saturday, October 14. We are going to sell nothing but fresh candles

Mrs. Bilharz and daughter, Mrs. Volmer of Audubon, is., who have been the guests of Mrs. Bilharz's niece, Mrs. John Moran of Fifth avenue, returned home yesterday. Joshua Haskins, who went gunning for his brother James and created a disturb-ance at a Broadway saloon, was fined \$15 and costs in police court yesterday morn-ing.

S. P. Mathiason, the young man charged with passing a number of worthless checks in this city and Omaha, was arraigned in Justice Field's court yesterday, but in the absence of his attorney from the city took time to plead and no date was set for his preliminary hearing. He is still in the

E. Webb, a young man in the employ of the Omaha Roofing company, who has been working on the roof of the street railway company's new car barn at Twenty-eighth street a. d Avenue A, fell yesterday morn-ing while carrying a bucket of boiling tar. He was badly burned about the left arm and hand.

and hand.

Robert F. Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hall of this city, who was with "The Lifting of the Lid" company at the New Amsterdam roof gurden in New York during the summer, has signed for the season of 1908-7 with Rogers Bros. in their new play. "In Ireland." Mr. Hall is the possessor of a fine tenor voice and his friends prophesy a bright future before him on the stage.

Willie Steele, a runaway boy from the Christian Home, was picked up by the Willie Steele, a runaway boy from the Christian Home, was picked up by the police last night and returned to the institution. The boy demonstrated that he had a vivid imagination, as before his identity was disclosed he told a lengthy story of having run away from his home in Butler, Mo., because as he had fifteen brothers and sisters he did not receive the attention that he considered was due him from his parents.

No winter quarters will be provided for

parents.

No winter quarters will be provided for the Indian creek dredge for at least another week. The meeting of the committee of the whole of the city council called for yesterday afternoon to take some action in this matter, after a visit to the scene of the machine's anchorage in the creek, falled for want of a quorum. Alderman McMillan was the sole member of the council to put in an appearance. The meeting was accordingly postponed by the unanimous vote of the one lone alderman, to Tuesday afternoon of next week.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The B October 13 by the Title Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs:

company of Council Bluffs:

Anna M. Weaver to Orson W.
Weaver, lots 10 and 11, block 1, Mynster place add to Council Bluffs,
W. d.

John M. Vickers and wife to Ann
Davidson, lot 4, block 59, Riddle's
subdiv in Council Bluffs, W. d.

Charles Schmidt and wife and Leuis
J. Bunge and wife to Fred Guttau,
et nwis and net 30-76-50, W. d.

James O'Donnell and wife to W. W.
McRory, swi 28-76-40, W. d.

George S. Wright and George H.

Mayne to Freda Lusk, part of lot 13,
bleck 15, Mill add to Council Bluffs,
W. d.

W. d.
Soren Petersen to Marie Peterson.
lots 7, \$ and 9, block 19, Galesburg
add to Council Bluffs, w. d.
Robert L. Keach and wife to Mercantile Trust company, lot 6, Wells'
Park add to Council Bluffs, w. d.....

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Total seven transfers ......\$30,240

Schunk Wanted in Illinois. Leo Schunk was taken into custody yes terday morning, charged with being a fugitive from justice. His arrest was at the instance of the authorities of Lewiston, Fulton county, Ill. Schunk is charged with being implicated in a criminal operation performed on a young woman of Lewiston. Schunk has been in Council Bluffs about a week and when taken into custody expressed his willingness to return to Illinois without requisition papers. His arrest fol-lowed the receipt of a letter from J. H. DeWolf, sheriff of Fulton county, in which it was stated that while possibly a charge of murder might be lodged later against Schunk, the latter insists that he is merely wanted as a witness against another young man who was the principal in the case Schunk says he was engaged to the sister of the young man and admits he was cognisant of the alleged crime and that he even drove the wagon for his friend in connection with the affair.

An officer from Lewiston will be here this morning to take young Schunk back to Illi-

Foot Ball at Manawa. The Missouri Valley and Council Bluffs High schools will contest for henors this afternoon on the Manawa gridiron and the local boys, after putting in a hard week's practice, are confident of carrying off the persimmons. Captain Nicoll of the Bluffs team will not be in the game and his place will be taken by Williams. It is said that Captain Nicell desires to save himself for the big game with Bloux City next week. Several new men will be tried out in the 2:30, and this will be the Bluffs lineup! Left end, Hawkins; left tackle, Harlan; left guard, Dobson; center, Dimmock; right guard, Holmes; right tackle, E. Norgaard; right end, Cooper; quarterback, Benjamin; left half, Johnson; right half, H. Norgaard; fullback, Williams; substitutes, Graves, Beno, Henninger and Scott.

Dance at G. A. H. Hall. Dance at the G. A. R. hall tonight. Admission 50 cents a couple.

'Phone Company Will Pay. Clarence H. Judson, superintendent of construction for the Council Bluffs Telephone company, stated yesterday that the city council had misunderstood his position in regard to the liability of his company for the payment of the inspector appointed to supervise the relaying of the paving tern up for the laying of the company's underground conduits. He disclaimed any intention of disputing the bill, but contended that it should have been presented to Contractor Wickham and not to the company. Mr. Judson also disclaimed any attempt at sarcasm when he referred to Wickham as the "official paver" of the

The incident, Mr. Judson said, could be considered closed and the bill would be

A Judicious Inquier. A well known traveling man who visits the drug trade mays he has often heard druggists inquire of customers who asked a cough medicine whether it was wanted for a child or for an adult, and if for a child they almost invariably recom-mended Clamberlain's Cough Romedy. The reason for this is that they know there is no danger from it and that it always cures. There is not the least danger in giving it and for coughs, coids and

## BROADWAY PAVING PROBLEM

Residents of West End Hold Meeting to Urge Action This Fall.

PROSPECTS APPEAR DECIDEDLY SLIM

Paving Contractor Says He is Waiting on Curbing, and Curbing Contractor Says He is Waiting on the Phyers.

The meeting called for last night to dis cuss the question of paving lower Broadway resulted in a resolution being adopted requesting the city council to pave the thoroughfare as far as "practicable" and to use as much of the county road fund as is levied within the city as far as possible on improving the lower end of the street beyond the paving.

Broadway has ben ordered paved from Thirteenth street to Twentieth, that is to say two strips, on each side fifteen feet wide are to be paved with Galesburg block on concrete base, and the intervening strip of twenty-four feet to be repaired with the existing slag and surfaced with gravel or some other material. Mayor Macrae suggested that the city council might, if it felt so disposed, order another stretch of ten blocks between Twentieth and Thirtieth streets paved and turn over the burden of paying for the same to the incoming administration next spring. In support of this scheme, he said that the present administration had been greatly hampered on assuming office by having to pay for a great quantity of paving ordered and contracted for by the former administration Mayor Macrae, however, was not fully confident that the aldermen would consent to this, as he claimed that he had received but little support from the aldermen in his office to improve the city. "Why, I can't even get the bunch up their (pointing in the direction of the city hall) to allow me to get a sweeper to keep the

streets clean with," he said. With the exception of Alderman Maloney, Macrae was the only city official who appeared to attend the meeting. Even Alderward "would lose his job" next spring. tion of their old friends and neighbors Mr. Keller said he spoke with authority, as which Colonel and Mrs. Hepburn enjoy and he was well aware of the sentiment in that part of the city.

Waits on Curbing.

Contractor Wickham was present and in reply to the question if he was ready to go ahead with the paving between Thirteenth and Twentieth street and complete the work this year, stated he was prepared to commence operations the moment the

Contractor Jensen has the contract for the curbing, and Mayor Macrae stated that Jensen had told him he was ready to go ahead as soon as he saw any indication that Wickham was prepared to do the

paving. meeting, spoke at length on roads and road making and for a time the meeting resolved practically into a "goods roads" meeting, and the main question, that of improving Broadway, nearly got lost in the shuffle. Colonel Baker claimed that the solution of the question of improving Lower Broadway was "wide tires," and he urged that an ordinance covering this be passed by the city council. During the discussion it developed that a few years ago the city council had passed a wide tire ordinance, but that later the measure was repealed.

Former Alderman W. C. Boyer suggested the plan of reducing the width of the street to twenty-four or thirty feet and thereby reducing the expense of the paving. Mayor Macrae said he favored Mr. Boyer's suggestion, but the aldermen, he said, seemed opposed to reducing the width f any of the streets, and cited the cases of Madison avenue and Ninth avenue. D. E. Stuart presided over the meeting

Another meeting will be held Friday evening. October 27, to further discuss the

INJUNCTION DIES IN MORNING Probability Obstacles to Ditch Con-

tract Will Be Removed. At 9 o'clock this morning the time will expire in which R. A. Brown & Co., the county ditch injunction suit were given to secure from the supreme court an order restraining the supervisors of the two countles from entering into the contracts Pollard, Goff & Co. for the construction of the joint ditches. Up to last night County local team. The game will be called at made during the week to secure the re- that the people of the Islands are divided

straining order from the supreme court. It is thought likely that the matter of comprising the great mass of the people, the bond proved an obstacle to Brown & and the class of direction, composed of the Co. trying to secure the restraining order few, and of these they are to be the leadand that the company decided to merely ers. The demand for independence is made take the case up on appeal in the ordinary by men who see themselves at the head of manner to the supreme court. In the injunction suit in the Monona-Harrison simply substituting for Spain's monarchical county drainage ditches the parties seeking the restraining order to enjoin the supervisors of the two countles from entering into the contracts after they had been awarded, were required to furnish bonds. it is said, in excess of \$400,000. The controversy in the Monona-Harrison county ditches was very similar to the one in the Harrison-Pottawattamie county ditches.

The boards of the two counties are scheduled to meet in joint session in this city next Tuesday, when, if the restraining order is not secured by Brown & Co. from the supreme court, the contracts as recently awarded will be entered into. It is not thought likely, however, if there is no further delay in the matter of signing up the contracts, that work on the ditches will be begun this year.

Man Who Stands Trial Fares Better

Than Companions. Henry Bailey, charged with assaulting Henry Kay with intent to murder him, was found guilty of assault and battery by a jury in the district court yesterday. Baller to stand trial. It was charged that Kay refused to loan the defendints \$1 with

is that of Henry C. Bell charged with the OLD MAN ASSAULTED IN HOME theft of tickets from the depot ticket office | OLD MAN ASSAULTED IN HOME of the Rock Island railroad. He was indicted on two counts in connection with the theft. His trial is set for next Monday. The only other criminal case remaining for this term is that of David T. Stubbs, former cashier of the Citisens' Gas and Electric company, charged with embessle-

J. E. Follette brought suit in the district court yesterday against Arthur and William Reed, owners of a farm near Ascot, Ia., for \$4,060 damages for personal injuries. Follette recites that he was employed by the Reeds last August stacking hay and that while working with a hay stacking machine he was ordered by Arthur Reed to get up on the fork of the machine, which was loaded with hay, and ride to the top of the stack. Follette mounted the fork, but alleges that Reed instead of raising the fork about ten feet to the top of the stack raised it about twenty-six feet and then suddenly unloaded it. The result was, as Pollette claims, he was precipitated to the ground with much force, the ligaments of his shoulder ruptured and his right arm broken at the wrist. He says owing to his injuries he has been unable to do any work

Julius Katelman appears as plaintiff in a suit against the City Water Works company and the city of Council Bluffe in which he asks \$1,400 damages for the flooding of the cellar of his junk shop at 803 South Main street last summer. It is alleged by Katelman that the cement sidewalk in front of his place was improperly laid and that it caused the hydrant to break, with the result that the water poured into his cellar, which was stored miscellaneous junk.

If you have anything to trade, advertise

Marriage Liceases. Licenses to wed were issued vesterday to the following: 

HEPBURN TALKS ON PHILIPPINES United States Has a Difficult Task to

Perform. CRESTON, Ia., Oct. 13.-(Special.)-Colonel William P. Hepburn, representative of the who arrived just before the close, Mayor Eighth Iowa congressional district, discussed today his recent trip to the orient with the Taft party. Colonel and Mrs. Hepman Crippen, the representative of the burn arrived at their home in Clarinda Fri-Sixth ward, the residents of which are urg- day, having stopped at San Francisco for a ing the improvement of this portion of few days after the arrival of the party at Broadway, was conspicuous by his ab- that port. Their homecoming was made George M. Keller, who spoke on doubly enjoyable by the spontaneous recepbehalf of the West Enders referred to the tion accorded them Saturday by the people absence of Alderman Crippen and made, of Clarinda, among whom they had lived for the assertion that if Broadway was not forty years. This event was a testimonial improved the alderman from the Sixth to the high place in the esteem and affec-

> ment of pleasure. "We had a most delightful trip," said Colonel Hepburn, in reply to a question. "During the entire trip of almost three months, most of the time on the ocean, not one of the 104 persons who composed the party was sick. We were favored with the best of weather and encountered no storm of any consequence, a rather remarkable fact, considering the frequency of typhoons in the islands. There was a big storm some time previous to our arrival and the devastation of the great typhoon of a few weeks | part of his program.

the fact that the day was their golden wed-

ding anniversary was an additional ele-

ago is well known to newspaper readers." party at Honolulu, having sailed from San Francisco the last day of May for the purpose of visiting their daughter, Mrs. Maggie Chamberlain, at Honolulu. They remained in Hawaii until July 15, when the Taft party left Honolulu, "Colonel Hepburn talked most entertainingly of the trip and especially of the time spent in the Philippines and in Japan and China. He is not only of an investigating turn of mind, but he is a close observer as well, and the information he obtained was wide and varied. Asked regarding the value of the Philip-

pines to this country he replied: "The islands are commercially desirable, The soil is fertile and perhaps half the surface of the land is tillable. The variety of the products and the ease with which they are produced are wonderful. The only thing that can prevent the rapid progress of the country toward wealth is the character and disposition of the inhabitants. Politically I am very doubtful as to the kind of a bargain this country obtained. We have them, however, and it is our duty to fit them for independence. This is a most stupendous task and it is my opinion that long before it is accomplished the people will be so firmly attached to this country and its institutions that separation from the United States will be about the last thing they will want. At the present time the great mass of the people are satisfied plaintiffs in the Harrison-Pottawattamie with political conditions; they would be satisfied under any government which does not oppress them or rob them by unjust and burdensome taxes and which protects them from the depredations of the ladrones, which scourge the country. The intelligent residents of the country who have means that such a restraining order had been se- change of any kind. The agitation for indecured and as George S. Wright, local at- pendence comes almost entirely from those torney for Brown & Co., was out of the men who are more advanced in education city nothing could be learned in the matter. | than the average, but who have, as a rule, It is not known even if any effort was little property; whose idea of government is into two classes, the class of obedience, the new government, ruling the people and government an autocratic government, of which they shall be the rulers."

Mormons to Hold Conference. WOODBINE, la., Oct. 13 .- (Special )-The annual religious and Sunday school convention of the Latter Day Saints' churches in Harrison and Monona counties will be held here on Friday and Saturday, October 20 and 21. The program will be rc. dered as follows: "Elements Which go to Make a Live Religion," W. R. A. "Our Visit and Tour of the West, T. M. Adams; "Words of Welcome James Athey; "Parental Duty," Mrs. William Stuart; "Religious Dut' 28," Ruth Mintun; "Social Duties," My le Ballantyne; "The Religion in the C'ty," J. M. Baker; "The Religion in the C untry," Fred A. Fry; "The BAILEY GUILTY OF ASSAULT Spiritual Side of the Religion," Lou G. Mann.

Weterloo Wants Two Postoffices. WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 13,-(Special.)-An eft it is being made in East Waterloo to ave a postoffice. An official from Washington is in the city today looking over was indicted, together with Ed Hoden and the field. When the new government build-Claude Biakeley. Hoden and Blakele, en- ing in West Waterloo is completed the tered pleas of guilty and the for er was present postoffice will be moved from the fined \$100 and the latter \$60. Ballay elected east to the west side of the river, and this will inconvenience so many of the business men on the east side that it is desired to which to buy liquor in a South Main street retain the present office with its equipsaloon, for which they est upon him and ment, which is owned by private parties. heat him with a chair and cuspider, knock- as a substation if not permitted a separate postoffice. The movement is made by the The next criminal case assigned for trial Board of Trade and Commercial club.

Severely Injured About Head and Likely to Die frem His Injuries.

WOMAN AND UNCLE ARRESTED FOR CRIME

Labor Commissioner in His Annual Report Recommends Passing of Child Labor Law by Next Legislature.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Oct. 13.-(Special.)-Samuel McConkey, an old shoemaker, was attacked and probably will die from the inmen this morning. McConkey is about 65 years old and lives at 319 Jefferson street. Early this morning two men were seen to run from his home and it is asserted they entered the home of Mrs. Elia Butler, a deaths; Donaldsonville, one new case; few doors south. Immediately afterward McConkey was discovered with his head badly beaten and \$10 of his money gone. Mrs. Ella Butler was arrested and this afternoon her uncle, Thomas Powell, was arrested and both are held awaiting an investigation. Several gashes were found in McConkey's head, but he revived sufficiently to tell the police something of the attack. The section he lives in is one of small shantles.

Iowa Has Many Suckers In the issue of the Iowa Health Bulletin,

the publication of the State Board of with old bottles, rags, rubber and other Health, Dr. J. F. Kennedy, the secretary of the board, says today that Iowa has more "suckers" who are taken in by quack doctors than any state in the union. In an article of two pages, amounting to two newspaper columns, he describes the conditions as very bad and states that legislation should be enacted, but hopes that education will yet do much to show the people that every one who claims to be "phenomenal" at curing is not always so. He criticises the physicians of the state for not fighting quacks more and says that many physicians protect the quacks by testifying at trial that they are supervising the work of the quack. He states that the right of physicians to give this protection will shortly be tested in the

Labor Legislation Asked. In the biennial report of the state labor commissioner, filed with Governor Cummins today, the recommendation is made that the next legislature pass a child labor bill. The report states that much has been accomplished by the state factory inspectors, who have succeeded often times in convincing the factory owners not to employ children, but points out the need of legislation. The report also recommends a law requiring the inspection of all boilers used for steam power purposes, a law providing a penalty against the removal of safeguards from dangerous machinery and a law requiring a report of all disabling

Ex-Mayor is Candidate. Ex-Mayor James Brenton, who following his term as mayor engaged as a bartender, then met one of the professional wrestlers and finally went to work on the city streets, rising toothe position of inspector, is now a candidate for police judge. Brenton recently declared his intention of working up and regaining his lost reputation. and the candidacy for police judge is a

Denver Widow Gets Money. Denver widow of the late E. L. Duwas discovered to have had three wives, were directly in its path. By a fraction of agreement filed in the probate court today. The Denver widow established her claim to the second. Then the machine turned over for \$3,500 for money loaned and \$5,000 damages, takes \$300 in settlement. Mrs. Victoria DuBois of Des Moines, who sued for \$6,361 for money loaned to DuBois, accepted \$700 in settlement. The Denver widow has already received \$1,500 and there remains \$2,445 left to be divided, of which she will get \$1.445. DuBois was a contractor and supposed to be wealthy at the time of his

Claims Coup in Temperance. O. D. Ellett, a third party prohibitionist, claims today that the prohibitionists have the Anti-Saloon league in their vest pocket along with all other persons who supported the resolutions passed at the conference yesterday. The conference effected a union of the various forces for effective work. Mr. Ellett said today: "The resolutions bind every one who took part in the deliberations to work for a constitutional amendment and pledges all to not vote for any candidate who will not denounce the mulct law. The republicans and democrats will never denounce the mulct law and hence there will be but one party the Anti-Saloon league members and others can vote for, and that is the prohibition."

Arrange to Present Bill. Members of the State Marshals' club are meeting in this city, with A. C. Rankin, with the Western Dredging company and the organized bands of pirates and robbers, father of the state marshals idea, and are arranging a bill to be presented to the next session of the legislature. The bill will Auditor Cheyene had received no notice are also well satisfied and would deplore a follow the lines of the bills introduced for the same purpose heretofore, but there will he some changes, it is announced, to meet the objections of some persons, At the last session the bill was introduced by Representative Harris, chairman of the committee on the suppression of intemperance. There are nineteen members of the committee and ten of these reported against recommending the bill. Since the last session Representative Harris, Preve and Bachanan have died, which will change the entire complexion of the committee at the coming session.

FIVE YEARS FOR BANKER BROWN

Former President of Storm Lake Bank Sente ced at Stoux City. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Oct. 13.-(Special Telegram.)-W. N. Brown, president of the defunct First National bank of Storm Lake. at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the federal court was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary at Anamosa on the charge of fraudulent banking.

A motion for a new trial was overruled in the morning. Brown will not appeal. His term will be three years and nine months with deductions made for good be-

Pifty-Seventh Wedding Anniversary. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., Oct. 13 -(Special.)-Mr. and Mrs. Peter S. Robinson have just celebrated the fifty-seventh anniversary of their marriage. The former is 78 years of age and the latter 76. Both are well at heart and young in thought and interest. They have lived in this city all their married life. They have four sons, all of whom are honored citizens. They are William A., John H., James E. and L. O. Robinson. James E. has for several years been superintendent of the Iowa State Normal school buildings and grounds and is a valuable assistant to the Board of Trustees. There are ten grandchildren.

Rice and Gilman Go East. SAN FRANCISCO. Oct. 18.—A. L. Rice and W. O. Gliman, wanted at Providence, R. I., on the charge of defrauding the National bank of this city out of \$5.000 on fraudulent railroad stock, were taken

## east yesterday by detectives from Provi-

YELLOW FEVER SITUATION flight Increase in Number of Cases Causes No Anxiety at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 13 -Official report f yellow fever situation to 6 p. m.: otal to date New cases. Deaths w. Sew foul ascs under treatment. Cases discharged...... The jump to twenty-five new cases was something of a surprise, but it has caused

no uneasiness because the experience of all past visitations of fever is that toward the end there is always a periodical range of cases from day to day. Surgeon Corpul, who went to Patterson to look into conditions there, returned today

and reports that there is little hope of stamping out the fever there because of the lack of co-operation on the part of the juries he received at the hands of two people. He says that the true conditions there never have been made known. The country reports were as follows: Lake Providence and vicinity three new cases; Patterson four new cases, two

> Amelia and Bayou L'Ourse, seven new cases; Union plantation, Iberville parish, one new case; Kenner, four new cases. Dr. White returned today from Mobile. where he talked over conditions with the health authorities there. As the result of the conference, all southbound trains will now be premitted to pass through Mobile without delay.

> Sugar grinding in Louisiana started yesterday in East Baton Rouge parish. It is expected that no injury to the crops will result from the want of labor to handle it. CAIRO, Ill., Oct. 13.-Dr. James A. Egan. secretary of the Illinois State Board of Health, today ordered the Illinois quarantine against yellow fever infected points to be discontinued on Tuesday, October 17.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 13,-The official vellow fever summary for Mississippi today is as follows: Natchez, four new cases, three new focl; Vicksburg, eight new cases; Gulf Port, three new cases: Roxie, one new case: Hamburg, no new cases, one death, three cases under treatment; Port Gibson, two new cases; Rosetta, one new case. PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 13.-The sum-

mary of yellow fever cases tonight is as follows: Total deaths to date ....

Today again showed an increase in the number of new cases and also in the death

VANDERBILT'S NARROW ESCAPE Racing Auto Carrying Head of Family Overturns While Running at High Rate.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13 .- Alfred G. Vanderbile and Paul Sartori, the Italian automobile driver, had a narrow escape from serious injury while racing in Mr. Vanderbilt's high-power automobile over the Vanderbilt course on Long Island today. They had taken the car out for a trial spin and were going at a speed of ninety miles an hour down the narrow road from Albertson's station toward the double reverse curve that is the dread of every driver entered for tomorrow's race. To the watching crowd at the turn it seemed that the machine was beyond control and would shoot straight ahead into the field.

Within thirty yards of the first sharp curve in the "S" Mr. Vanderbilt slapped the gutter and against the soft earth at Bols, who on his death some months since the side, where three big telephone poles being his only legal wife. Mrs. Melvina on its side and threw its occupants out into DuBois, the New Orleans widow, who sued the soft earth. Sartori was slightly bruised, but Mr. Vanderbilt was uninjured. They righted the machine and finished the course.

CUNLIFFE IS STILL MISSING Embegaling Employe of Adams Express Company May Have Left

the Country. PITTSBURG, Oct. 13.-The continued earch for Edward G. Cunliffe and the \$101,000 belonging to the Adams Express company has not brought to light any definite clue. The authorities and General Agent Hines of the American Express company said today that there was absolutely nothing new in the big express robbery. One of the theories advanced today is that Cunliffe has sailed for some South Amer-

ican port. VALUE OF 'PHONE FRANCHISE Expert Says \$7,750,000 is Value of Twenty-Five Years' Grant in

New York NEW YORK, Oct. 13 .- The price of \$7,750,-000 as the value of a telephone franchise for twenty-five years in New York City was submitted to the board for estimate and apportionment here today by an expert, employed to state the sum which should be obtained by the city in return for granting such a franchise,

The Atlantic Telephone company has applied for a twenty-five-year franchise and the estimate was made for this company's application.

Says Criminals Are Brought to New York

to Vote Illegally.

WAS CAUGHT WHILE ROBBING BUTCHER

Police on East Side Have Lively Chase After Band of Robbers Who Commit Several Crimes.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.-That gangs of thisves have been imported to New York to register for the fall elections on the lower Past side was the statement made to the police today by a prisoner who was arrested after a series of bold assaults and robberies had been committed in the streets last pight.

The prisoners told the police that "all the cops in New York" could not prosecute him because he had come to town only to register and intended to leave again immediately. He refused to give his real name. The police make the charge that the thugs have registered fallely and believe they have political license to rob and plunder. One of the gangs was pursued for an hour by the police last night, who traced it in the vicinity of East Houston street by the noise of breaking windows, by evidences of freshly committed robberies, and finally by finding a woman beaten into helplesaness on the sidewalk. She was so seriously injured that she was sent to the hospital. She said the gang robbed her of \$5. A few blocks from where the woman was found the police discovered the robbers at work looting a butcher shop. They fled and the police got only one of them, who was locked up on a charge of burgiary and highway robbery.

### PACIFIC ROAD INCORPORATED

Company Organized to Construct Line Across Washington Said to Be in Interest of St. Paul.

SEATTLE, Wash, Oct. 13.-Articles of inorporation for the Pacific railroad were filed here today. Attorneys and lawyers' clerks were named as incorporators. The road ,with a capitalization of \$3,000,000, ta projected from Seattle to Wallula. Simultaneously with the filing of the articles all the tide lands recently acquired here in the name of J. T. Woodward, president of the Hanover National bank of New York, were transferred to the railroad corporation. These tide lands are, in the main, located between the tracks of the Northern Pacific and the Columbia and Puget Sound railroads.

The purchases of the Seattle tide lands in Mr. Woodward's name began after the visit of President Earling of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, two years ago, and have been stated to be in the interest of Pacific coast. that road. The projection of the Pacific railroad, according to the articles of corporation, in a southeasterly direction to the Columbia river, in Walla Walla county, would be toward Cowlitz pass, toward for the place. Mr. Lane is a well known which the Tacoma Eastern and the newly organised North Coast railroads are build- | didata for governor of California and ing. The three systems are apparently later for the mayoralty of San Francisco links in a chain to cross the state from Seattle and Tacoma

JUDGE KNAPP ON RAILROADS Says Prying Off the Lid May Revent Graft Like that Found in Insurance Companies.

ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 12.-Judge Martin loud reports and the wheels skidded across | sloner, delivered an address on the subject of "Government Regulation of Railroad Rates" to the undergraduates of Cornell university today, in the course of which gets the bulk of the estate, according to an an inch the machine missed the first of he suggested the possibility that a condisimilar to that revealed in the life insurance companies. He said:

ance companies. He said:

The great inquiries that now are in progress in regard to our life insurance companies and attempts which have been made to "pry off the lid" in these matters, give us only an inkling of what the full extent of graft may be.

In looking over the names of men who may be connected with the life insurance scandals, one thing alarms me and yet it is a thing that I can hardly believe to be true. These men are the same as those who control many of the great railroad interests of the country. Is there not a possibility that we will find the same rottenness and graft at the bottom of the railroad system? This is an idea that seems too awful to be true, but nevertheless it is one that cannot help but present itself.

#### HYMENEAL. Pyne-Cady.

ST. PAUL, Neb., Oct. 13 .- (Special.)-Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock George Pyne and Miss Adnelle L. Cady were joined in wedlock at the Methodist Episcopal church in this city, the church being handsomely and elaborately decorated and filled with several hundred invited guests. The ring ceremony was simply and impressively read by the pastor of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. George Ray. At the close of the church ceremonies a magnificent reception was given by the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cady, at their large and beautiful home. Here the bridal couple received the congratulations of the large number of guests, who showed their esteem and good will by the gift of numerous and valuable presents. The bride is the only daughter of Senator A. E. Cady, president of the First State bank and of the St. Paul Mercantile com-

THIEF ALLEGES CONSPIRACY | pany. She has grown up in this city and personal accomplishments. The groom is also a St. Paul product and is one of our most excellent young men and the present afficient clerk of the district court. The young couple will make their home in St. Paul.

Shinbur-Leland. OAKLAND, Neb., Oct. 18 .- (Special.) --Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Elver L. Shinbur to Miss Anna M. Leland of Ann Arbor, Mich., on October 10. Mr. Shinbur is an Oakland boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Shinbur of this city, and is expected here today with his bride. After a short visit here they will be at home after December 1 at Mitchell, Neb., where Mr. Shinbur is in the employ of the United States geo-

#### CARTER CLAIMS CROOKEDNESS

logical survey as a civil engineer.

Says Through Attorneys that Government Officials Destroyed Evideace in His Case.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13 .- Charges of dishonesty against government officials connected with the investigation of Captain O. M. Carter's affairs as a government engineer were made today by Attorney Stone, counsel for Captain Carter, Attorney Erwin for the government had asked Captain Carter to produce certain check stub books. Thereupon Attorney Stone declared the stubs had been seized by the government some time ago and everything favorable to Carter's case was destroyed, while the unfavorable documentary evidence was saved. We did not get the stub book in ques-

Carter is known to have received it from R. F. Westcott, his father-in-law, so Captain Carter must produce it." "The stub books," answered Attorney Stone, "were in a box which was seized and

tion," said Attorney Erwin, "and Captain

we want you to produce it." "We intend to show that they are in Carter's possession after the box was selzed," said Attorney Erwin, "and he

must produce the documents," Carter was then asked concerning a contract which bore his signature and that of his father-in-law showing that Carter had paid \$62,020 on certain property in Orange, N. J. Carter declared that he signed the document believing it merely meant the deeding of \$1,000 worth of property to him by his father-in-law as a present.

FIFER PERMITTED TO LEAVE

Resignation as Commissioner Accepted and Man from Pacific Coast May Be Named.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.-Having accepted the resignation of former Governor Fifer of Illinois, a member of the Interstate Commerce commission, the president has let it be understood that he expects to appoint as his successor a man from the

While definite decision has not yet been reached regarding the appointment, it is known that Franklin K. Lane of San Francisco is under serious consideration lawyer, was one time the democratic can-

Tucker's Future Uncertain. HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 18 -- (Special.)-News of the resignation of Eugene A. Tucker, federal judge of Arisona, came first to his home city in the shape of a private telegram, but was soon generally known. It was not in the nature of a surprise, as those who had followed the matter closely were anticipating this outcome. Mr. Tucker has not yet returned to Humboldt and in on the brakes. There was a succession of | A. Knapp, interstate commerce commis- his absence it is impossible to ascertain his plans for the future, but it is presumed that he will again take up the practice of law here, where he has been for a quarter of a century or more. His wife and son are with him in Globe, Ariz., at this time, his them and its rear wheels actually grazed | tion of affairs might exist in the railroads | son having taken steps to locate in that state for the practice of medicine. Whether this incident will cause him to abandon the project or not is also a matter of specula-



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