MINOR MENTION.

Clark's, sodas. Stockert sells carpets. Fine engraving at Leffert's. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer.
Plumbing and heating, Bixby & Son.
Souvenir postals, Alexander's, 333 B'way.
Lewis Cutler, funeral director. 'Phone St. Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. 339.
Tell your troubles to Hafer, the Lumberman, if they are in his line.
DIAMONDS AS AN INVESTMENT,
TALK TO LEFFERT ABOUT IT.

George Hoagiand has the Kansas Shall Lick. All hard brick, Get his prices.
See Stephen Bros. for fire brick and fire clay, sewer pipe, fittings and garden hose.
SRICTLY CASH FOR ALL SHOES AT DUNCAN & DEAN'S GREAT CLOSING

Tom Robinson, a negro-wanted in Omaha for the theft of a suit of clothes, was picked up by the police last evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Haggerty of Mina. Nov., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hahan of Washington avenue, en route home from Himois.

I pay \$12, per ton for cast iron, mixed.

home from Rilacis

I pay \$12, per ton for cast iron, mixed, \$10; stave, \$85; rags, \$Mac per 1b., rubber, \$74c; copper, 14c per 1b. I. Katelman, \$63 Main. both phenes \$50.

We wholesale ice cream. Shipped to any part of the state. Special prices to the retail trade. I. Muccl, \$13 West Broadway, Council Bluffs, la. Tel. \$64.

We have the finest line of sample monuments to select from in the west. Sheeley & Lane Marble and Granite Works, 217 East Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Mrs. Waites C. Joseph and Mrs. Arthur

ments to select from in the west. Sheeley & Lane Marbio and Granite Works, 21.

East Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Mrs. Waites C. Joseph and Mrs. Arthur Pickering will entertain the women of the Second Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pickering, 230 North First street.

Fall opening Western Iowa college, Merriam block, Coundil Bluffs, Ia. Morday, August 27. English, Normal, Bookkeeping and Shorthand departments, Send for new catalogue. Both phones.

The following leed drinks and lee cream will be served all this week at the Clark-Drug company's. Madja, frozen phosphate, Siberian filb, eldorade sundae, tropical sundae, Carmencite kiss, southern beauty, American sundae and Greenland Iceberg.

Mary A. Gregory brought suit in the district cougt to have a temporary guardian appointed for her flusband. George A. Gregory, who is over 89 years of age and alleged to be of unsound mind. Gregory is said to own property valued at over 14.00.

The receipts in the general fund of the Christian home last; week were 140.45, being 159.55 below the needs of the week and decreasing the balance in this fund to \$708.55. In the manager's fund the receipts were 116, Being 115 below the needs of the week, and increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$472.22.

An information was filed in Justice Gardiner's court yesterday charging Charles Nelson and Dan Farrell with assaulting Leonard Noyes with a piece of lead gaze pipe. They gave bonds for their appearance today. Nelson went before Justice Field and filed an information charging Leonard, and Jesse Noyes with assaulting Leonard, and Jesse Noyes with assaulting him with brass knuckles.

The offices in the county court house will close this hiternoon at 3 o'clock on account of the buse bail game between the officials of Pottawattamie and Harrison counties. The contest, which is for the editication and probable amusement of the visiting county officials from all parts of the state, will be pulled off on the Sixteenth avenue grounds.

The Pottawattamie Co

teenth avenue grounds.

The Title Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs will henceforth be known as the Pottawattamie County Abstract company, an amendment to this effect to the articles of incorporation having been filed for record yesterday. It is understood that some contusion existed at times, owing to another company entitled the Abstract Title Guaranty company, which is also doing business in Council Bluffs.

A. Metagar & Co. ew Location of Wholesale Bakery. 516 Mynster Street, Co. Bluffs, Ia. Home-made Bread a Specialty. Visitors Welcome.

I carry a large line of the latest improved machines. I have machines ranging in prices from \$23.50 up. Can furnish machines that make both look and chain stitch. . I sell the finest and only perfect rotary shuttle machines now on the mar-I sell mathines on easy payments with liberal discount for cash. All machines taken to your home for trial. I repair all makes of machines; keep needles, olis and parts of machines, have had twenty-six years' experience in sewing ma chines, all in Council Bluffs. Come in and see my goods and figure with me. I sell Edison and Victor talking machines and carry a large stock of records. Ind. 'Phone 107-Red; Bell 'Phone, Red 11157. S. M. Williamson, 17 South Main.

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Eighty per cent of the vehicles around Council Bluffs are Van Brunt's work. There must be some good reasons for this. Call around and Van Brunt will give you the reasons why. At the Big Repository, 12 and 24 Fourth street.

M. S. Clawson and family wish to extend sincers thanks to their many friends and neighbors and especially to street railway of Division 288, during the sickness and less of the late E. T. Clawson.

Where Shall I Buy My Groceries? WE ANSWER THIS QUESTION, FIRST WHERE PRICES ARE RIGHT. SEC. OND, WHERE THE GOODS ARE FRESH AND FIRST CLASS. THIRD, WHERE YOU WILL RECEIVE COURTEOUS AND HONEST TREATMENT. - WE FULLFIL THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS IN EV. ERY RESPECT. GIVE US A TRIAL OR. DER AND WE ARE SURE YOU WILL BE OUR REGULAR CUSTOMER, JOHN OLSON, 735 W. BROADWAY.

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## OFFICIALS TAKE THE CITY

Five Conventiens Assemble at Same Time for First Time in History.

WELCOMED TO CITY BY MAYOR MACRAE

Little in Way of Business Attempted by Any of the Associations on the Opening Day-Afternoon and Evening for Pleasure.

State Associations of County Supervisors, County Treasurers, County Recorders, County Auditors and Clerks of the District Court are holding their annual conventions at the same time and in the same city. Although yesterday was the opening day of the five meetings, the attendance what not as large as had been predicted but it was sufficient to make things interesting. Little business was transacted yesterday by any of the organizations, although the recorders and clerks of the court and treasurers held forenoon sessions. The principal meeting of the day was in the afternoon when the supervisors, auditors and treasurers gathered in the large ball-room at the Grand hotel, which was assigned to the supervisors in which to hold their sessions, and listened to an address of welcome from Mayor Macrae. Dr. Macrae made one of his characteristic talks. saying in part:

Welcomed by Mayor.

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In expatiating upon the beauties of my city and telling you of the nice things we have here, so that you may want to stay in Council Hluffs, I am at a disadvantage in lacking the power of picturesque oratory, so i must set forth these Lhings in a simple manner. Our citizens have sent me here to bid you welcome and to invite you to partake of the good things we have, and the bad things, too, if you choose; we have both.

We hope that while you sojourn in our town you will not fall to visit our various places of interest, not only for the sake of the pleasure you would derive in looking up our magnificent institutions. We think we have some of the finest factories in the United States. As citizens we do not brag muth, but as mayor of the city that is a part of my business. We want you to go through some of them and go home and tell your people that Council Bluffs is not behind the times.

I want to say that meetings of this character, composed of supervisors throughout the state, are most excellent in their results. Some counties are advanced in some things, some in other lines; these conventions give you the benefit of an exchange of ideas.

I notice one number on your program for discussion—the matter of congrete culverts. As a city official this matter is of interest to me in relation to our various problems as to Indian creek in this city. We have had the old wooden bridges and from bridges, costing thousands of dollars every year to maintain. Every year it is necessary to build new ones; others are being constantly torn up and money expended on them, and the money that has been thrown a way in the last fifteen yedrs in repairs of our bridges, it seems to me, would pay for solid silver bridges.

The manner in which public money is not taken care of as, it would be in a private business behoves us to look into these things in a serious manner. I hope the fime is not far distant when every culvert in Pottawattamte county, if not in Iowa, will be made of concrete.

We think w

F. T. Morris Replies.

F. T. Morris of Polk county, president of the supervisors' association, who presided at this joint meeting, replied to tion and the other two associations. He stated that owing to sickness and death in his family he had not expected to be able to be present until the tast moment and consequently had not prepared any ad-During the course of his remarks Mr. Morris said:

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Any man who will attend these meetings, pay attention, and listen, will set information that will be of great assistance to him in performing his duties as a member of his board of supervisors. We are men who are chosen by the people, and the various counties of the state, to transact the entire business of the county in our line of work, and we have a great responsibility resting upon us. We have the handling of the funds of the county, and it behooves us as representatives of the people to use it right, and to adopt methods that are to the best interest of the public, entailing the least expense and affording the greatest gain possible.

The Supervisors.

The Supervisors. The opening session of the tenth annual convention of the State Association of County Supervisors was called to order by President Morris of Polk county but beyoud the registration of members and the payment of dues no business was trans-

After the joint session in the afternoo to listen to Mayor Macrae's address of welcome the supervisors adjourned until this morning, most of the members, going with the other visitors to Lake Manawa. This is the program for today:

9:30 a. m .- Meeting called to order by the 9:30 a. m.—Meeting called to order by the president.
Reading and approving of minutes of previous meeting.
Appointment of railroad and finance committees by the president.
Discussion—New and Changes of Lawa.
8. A. Wilson of Scott county.
H. Cl Brandes of Pottawatamie county.
John G. Smith of Algona.
T. H. McQuillian of Dubuque.
Godfrey Durat of Woodbury county.
Frank H. Plumer of Mills county.
A. S. Hosbrook of Harrison county.
L. H. DeFord of Polk county.
2:00 p. m.—Election of officers.
Selection of place for holding next convention.

ention. Referring of bills. Supervisors from the following countie were registered yesterday afternoon, but this number was added to by late ar-

Boone-H. D. Hone, V. O. Holcomb Cedar-Fred Goldsmith, John Bannick, Charokes W. Mummeri, James Dalton, J. Nell. rivals:

Charokes—W. Mummert, James Dalton, J.
R. Néll.
Clarke—R. R. Chapman.
Clinton—T. E. Hanke.
Crawford—Thomas Ahart, C. H. Molter.
Davis—Harvey Wray, M. F. Patterson.
Dubuque—J. L. Cooney, E. P. Lande.
Martin Byrne. A. H. Pillard, T. H. McQuillan, H. Schollian, John Andre.
Fremont—T. J. Morgan, George Gilmore,
H. L. Vanatta, M. Gröve.
Harrison—J. S. Hall, M. Murray,
Kossuth—John G. Smith, W. T. Hall.
Lyon—M. Priester.
Madison—M. O. Brady, James Breckenridge, A. J. Jones
Mills—E. S. Bogart, A. J. Chantry.
Muscatine—F. P. Day, R. T. Shannon.
O'Brien—George J. Smith.
Page—J. H. Abbott, I. H. Taggart.
Palo Alto—John Anglum, J. A. Hughes.
Plymouth—L. H. Schulte, M. Russ.
Pocathontas—H. R. Weber, Frank White,
J. Winegarden.

Winegarden.

Polke-F. T. Morris.

Pottawattamie—Allen Bullis, Felix Sets.

W. Spencer. H. C. Brandes.

Poweshiek-J. C. Maney.

Bac-H. C. Goodman. A. McCorkindale.

Tama-C. S. Winders.

Union-W. W. Burns, R. C. Holland, J. B. hade.

Van Bucen-T. L. Workman, Albert Bowles. Woodbury-E. C. Copeland, Godfrey Wright-G. H. Jameson, J. K. Miller, J. K. Shepler, R. Frances.

Clerks of District Courts. B. F. Coffin of Polk county, president of the organization, oxided the sixth annual convention of the State Association of Bluffs for nineteen years, died Monday at terday morning, about an hour later than years. He was born in England and came the scheduled time, which was 9 o'clock. direct from that country to Council Bluffs.

Atlantic, Cass county, in the absence N. M. Nelson of Clarion. Judge O. D. Wheeler delivered an interesting address, his subject being "The

Clerk and the Court," saying in part:

The litle of the office of clerk is a misnomer. His duties are so many and varied that it would be easier to tell what he does not have to do than to tell what he does. Little's of public importance transpires which does not leave its impress on the pages in his office. He is the official biographer of his community and from his records might be gleaned material of every one who had been born or had lived or died in his balliwick. Here is to be found the advent into the vale of tears, the guardianship through which matured into manhood, the momentous time when he takes unto himself a partner of joys and sorrows, for better or for worse, and if for worse, here will be found the record of the decree absolving him from the burdensome hymencal knot. Here, too, will be found the record of his worldly success, when the time comes to administer his state. Clerk and the Court," saying in part:

when the time comes to administer his estate.

His duties comprise all those handed down by our forefathers, together with those added from time to time by legislative wisdom or caprice, until now they well nigh embrace the three constitutional departments of state executive, legislative and judicial. And the legislature still sits from time to time. For the first time in their history the

"The Clerk's Duties" was the subject of paper by C. B. Clovis of Cass county. In the afternoon the visiting clerks went to Lake Manawa. This is the program for

"Relationship of Attorneys and Clerks,"
E. H. Addison, Nevada.
"History of Clerks," C. M. Soper, Nevada.
"New Legislation Effecting Clerks," H.
V. Beattey, Council Bluffs.
"Bonds," Thomas Hickenjooper, Albia.
General discussion.
Election of officers.

Among the clerks who registered yester

day were:

C. B. Clovis, Case county; Charles Benesh, Tama; E. W. Hoyer, Ida; A. S. Tharp, Decatur; J. A. White, Iowa; R. B. Harper, Monona; B. F. Coffin, Polk; H. G. Barnes, Mentgomery; J. A. Way, Madisen; A. P. May, O'Brien; H. V. Battey and J. N. Toilinger, Pettawattamie; C. Stephenson, Buchanan; O. G. Peiniger, Sioux; H. W. Borg, Boone; W. C. Dewel, Kossuth; Thomas Hickenlooper, Monroe. County Recorders.

The fifth ennual convention of the State Association of County Recorders was called to order by the president, F. H. Wells of Emmetsburg, and the delegates were made welcome to Council Bluffs by City Clerk W. F. Sapp on behalf of the municipal administration and the Commercial club. J. S. Halliday of Boone responded in a neat little speech.

In his annual address President Wells said it was most gratifying to see the interest that was being taken in the organization by the recorders throughout the entire state. He said he regretted that many of the members were unable to attend owing to the supervisors of their respective counties declining to help bear part of the burden of expense. "May the benefit derived by us, more fortunate in this respect than our brothers, be so conspicuous as will cause the county fathers, garding this matter, to sit up and take notice.

Mr. Wells' address in the main dealt or matters of interest particularly to the members.

Secretary Ole Langland of Nevada took occasion to express regret that the legislature had failed to pass the law endorsed by the recorders, providing for a four year term to county offices. After the appointment of committees the

recorders adjourned until this morning. most of the members enjoying the afternoon and evening at Lake Manawa, This is the program for this morning

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Paper—Method of Indexing and Recording Instruments Filed for Record, J. E. Webb of Elkader.
General discussion.
Paper—Deeda; warranty, Special Warranty and Quit Claim. (a) When Entered for Taxation. (b) When Filed. (c) When Refused. (d) Authority for Se Doing in: Each Instance, K. E. Stephens of Bedford.
General discussion.
Adjournment for lunch.

County Auditorne The auditors did not convene until the

afternoon and then only a very brief sexsion for the purpose of organizing was held, the members adjourning to hear Mayor Macrae's address, President J. W. Dailey of Cherokee county

called the meeting to order and Auditor Hoxie of Bueha Vista county was selected as secretary. This is the twentieth annual meeting of the organization, and at the opening session yesterday about thirty were In attendance This is the programme for to-day:

MORNING—9:30 O'CLOCK.
President's address.
Enrollment of new members and collection of annual dues.

tion of annual dues.
Reports of officers.
Reports of officers.
Reports of committees.
Discussion of new laws passed by the last general assembly, in so far as they pertain to the work and duty of the county auditors, led by Auditors A. S. Lawrence, Muscatine county, and W. K. Hamilton, Guthrie county.

General discussion.
AFTERNOON.
Paper or address—Subject: "Assessment and Classification of Taxable Property and the Relative Value of Taxable Property, as Compared with the Real Value," Auditor W. E. McLeland, Marshall county.
General discussion.

County Trensurers. The convention of the State Association of County Treasurers is being held in the rooms of the Commercial club but the organization, like the others, has its headquarters at the Grand hotel. The opening session yesterday morning was called to order by I. N. Shearer of Ida county, president of the association. Treasurer Kellogg of Audubon county was selected

as secretary. The session was devoted to the discussion of the methods of keeping cash accounts in the county treasurers' office. A uniform system of bookkeeping is favored by the organization and this matter will receive in overalls and wore a straw hat. considerable attention, it is expected, at the

convention. --The attendance yesterday was small, less than twenty members being present, but a larger number is looked for today. This is the program:

80 a. m.-Judge Macy's decision in the Monona-Harrison ditch controversy in the case of Boiter et al. against Chicago Canal Construction company et al., as the same affects warrants issued for the construction thereof prior to the rendition of said decision, and other matters of interest in connection therewith.

Il a. m.—Legislation that would be bene-ficial to the county treasurer, state and kny taxing district.

Il:30 a. m.—County depositories, and as to the payment of interest on county de-toolis.

Recess. 1:30 p. m.-Bonds furnished by the county treasurer, corporate and personal.

2 p. m.—Duties of anditing committee and their relations to the county treasurer.

2:30 p. m.—Special assessment: Who shall enter same on their tax list, or shall it be kept in a separate book? Who pays for collecting same?

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to Duncan & Dean or the Duncan Shoe company are requested to call and

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Charles Cherret Dies in Hospital. Charles Cherrett, a resident of Council of the district court to order yes? St. Joseph's hospital in Omahs, aged by

will be held Thursday morning at Nebraska City, but friends may view the remains at Heafey & Heafey's morgue, Omara, Wednes-

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the tobacco leaf.

Real Estate Transfers. August 21, by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs: Margaretta Wagman and husband to William H. Thomas, lots 1 to 28 in block 16, in Potter & George's addi-

benjamin Fenr Real Estate Company to Charence F. Bbwman, lot 26, in block 35, in Ferry addition to Council Bluffs, Iowa, w d. Benjamin Fehr Real Estate company to Mamie J. West, lots 3, 10, 11 and 12, in block 7, in Mayne's first addition to Council Bluffs, Iowa, C. S. Lefferts and wife to Margar-etta Wagman, lots I to 28, in block 16, in Potter & George's addition to East Omaha, q c d... A. G. Gilbert and wife to Ernest E. Hart, 62 lots in Council Bluffs, Iowa, w d...

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Miss McKeown gave a good description of the brute, which was furnished the police here by Mr. Hough. The fellow had either a gray beard or whiskers, which showed beneath the mask. He was dressed

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Wedding Gown is Stolen. Annie E. Lowrey of this city was mar ried Saturday evening to Roy Wilcox, the peremony being performed by Rev. G. W. Sayder, paster of St. John's English Lutheran church. For some reason Miss Lowrey at the last moment decided not to be married in the white dress she had the scheduled time, which was 9 o'clock. Mayor Macrae was on hand and did the Mayor Macrae was on hand and did the For the last twelve years he was custodian grets her change of mind. Following the correction which was responded to by C. B. Clovis of relatives living in Omaha. The fun-rai ransacked by some one who had carried of Guard at the maneuvers. Mayor Macrae was on hand and did the For the last twelve years he was custodian grets her change of mind. Following the honors on behalf of the city, helding the of the Council Bluffs Rowing assistation ceremony when she returned to her home visitors welcome in a neat, short address. He leaves a wife and a number of hear she discovered that her room had been able to the council bluffs.

her wedding gown, together with a table cloth valued at \$12.50, one of her wedding SYSTEM OF CITY ACCOUNTS

other system, would make the same cigar cost 10 cents instead of five.

OLD HIGH SCHOOL IS TO BE SOLD Commission Adjourns to Await Some western states was held in Chicago Febru-

The Board of Education last night decided to place the old high school property on the market and Secretary. Ross was instructed to advertise for cash offers for the building and grounds. Most of the land adjoining the old high school was disposed of a few years ago for building lots, but no one appeared willing at that time to make an offer for the building itself. Chairman Anderson of the committee on buildings and grounds brought the matter up and recommended that the property be sold if possible. The old building is badly in need of repairs and is natur-

ally getting worse every year. The contract for supplying the schools with Centerville lump coal for the ensuing year was awarded to the Bluff City Coal and Lumber company on its bid of \$3.55 per ton. The other bidders were the Fenlon-Wickham Coal company, \$4.01; the Council Bluffs Coal and Ice company, \$4.07; Ralph Williams, \$3.64; the Carbon Coal company, \$3.74, and Bridenstein & Smith,

The resignations of the following teach ers were accepted: Viola Whistler, Emma Thomas, Clara Eyre, Catherine White and Miss Horton. The latter was but recently

In filling the vacancles the board elected four teachers from out of Council Bluffs, or Pottawattamie county. The teachers elected and their salaries were: Mabel Toye, Northwood, \$50; Florence Cady, Stuart, \$50; M. Louise Eddy, Marengo, \$50 Mary Mohler, Sheldon, \$50; Margaret McNamara, Council Bluffs, \$40; Edith Flickinger, Council Bluffs, \$75. Miss Flickinger, who will become a member of the high school faculty, is a graduate of the Council Bluffs High school and recently of Wellesley college.

Reuben Herner was reappointed truant officer and his salary placed at \$50 a month as before. The board ordered all Bell 'phones taken

out of the schools and in place will install thirteen Independent 'phones of which they, will get ten free of charge and will pay only for three.

If you are looking torward to your summer's outing you will need a few vaeatton necessities; if you are going camping with a small party you will want a few delicacies; if you are going to a picnic you will want your basket filled with "good things to eat." Sandwiches olives, pickies, cakes, cheese, fruits, a cold bottle of ginger ale or root beer-in fact McAtee has everything necessary to fill a dainty lunch basket and the best the market

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N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250. Night Loss. Favorite gas stoves, from \$12.50 to \$35.

& Handschey Hardware Co. Bluffs Resident Dead A telegram from W. F. Speakman at Danville, Ill., to Chief of Police Richmond ast evening contained the following: 'Frank Carlin is dead. Notify friends at

1709 Hayes street. What disposition to be made of body?" The directory gives the name of a Hugh Carlin living at 1709 South Eighth street.

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Further Information.

REPORT ON INSURANCE INVESTIGATION

Fight Over Fraternities in Der Moines High School Likely to Cause a Suspension of Athleties.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Aug. 21.-(Special.)-The ommission appointed by Auditor B. F Carroll to devise a uniform system of municipal accounts has adjourned till September 18 to await the collection of informa tion and statistics without which it cannot do its work. In addition, when the com mission comes together again, an expert from the census bureau at Washington, D C., will be present to meet with the commission and explain the system by which the census bureau classifies the various items of municipal expenditure and receipt The information that will be collected for the commission's use consists of the blanks used by the states of Wyoming and Ohlo the only two other states in the union that have a uniform municipal account law The American League of Municipalities has also been asked to assist in the work and will furnish the Iowa commission with its recommendations and the results of its investigations in the various lines of mu-

nicipal affairs. Auditor B. F. Carroll will leave tomorrow for St. Paul, where he will meet with the committee of fifteen, of which he is a

member, to prepare the report on the vestigation of the insurance question. ary 12 last to discuss the questions of insurance legislation. At that time it was decided to appoint a committee of fifteen to carry the investigation further and to report. The committee of fifteen has been awaiting the results of the thvestigation by the legislature of New York and also the results of investigations which have been made of New York companies by insurance commissioners of western states. This work having been concluded; the committee will meet in St. Paul to prepare its report, which report will be made to the entire conference at Washington, D. C., next

The fight over blich school fraternities started in the West Des Moines High school last spring by the Board of Education ordering them out has not been settled. It seems now as though there was liable to be no athletics and no school publication because of the action of the board. The order is that those who are members of fraternities in the High school will not be allowed to participate in athletics. As practically everyone in the High school is a member of a high school fraternity they have the deciding, and thus far are seemingly in favor of maintaining the fraternities. The Board of Education and superintendent have determined, however, to break up the fraternities, and may be depended upon to take some further action.

John Spring of 334 South Sixth atreet, in this city, is at the Methodist hospital with a crushed skull because he refused to make a small loan of cash to some acquaintances. They attacked him, and there is now danger that he will not recover. His assaffants have been arrested.

