

COUNCIL BLUFFS

Minor Mentions. David, drugs. Pocket sets carpets. Ed Rogers, Tony Faust bear.

NEW TACK ON CHIEF JONES

Commission Restricted from Putting in Force Order of Removal. Formal Charges Preferred Against Him. Wednesday Has Been Set for Hearing, but it may be delayed by Jones going into court to test legality of commission.

Robert W. Jones is still chief of the fire department. Judge Wheeler of the district court held yesterday afternoon and when it came to a showdown the fire and police commission admitted it had erred and had been somewhat premature in appointing Charles M. Nichols as head of the department.

At the hearing before Judge Wheeler yesterday afternoon the controversy was submitted on an agreed statement of facts and on a number of affidavits. Nichols and Nichols both denied any intention of interfering with Chief Jones. On account of any action heretofore taken by the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, or for and on account, or by reason of any appointment of him (Nichols) as chief of the fire department previous to this date.

In the answer it is set forth that the commission on May 2 adopted rules and regulations governing charges and trials of officers and members of the fire department and that on May 4 written and verified charges were made and filed against Chief Jones.

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St. Wigner, Minister—Services at 10:30 a. m. communion and reception of new members; Sabbath school at 11:30 p. m.; Young People's society at 7 p. m. Evening services at 8 o'clock, open to new members.

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Program for Memorial Day. At the meeting of the Abe Lincoln Post, Grand Army of the Republic, last evening the program for the Memorial day exercises was completed.

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with Mrs. Weston's daughters, Mrs. W. G. Denney and Mrs. Charles Sweet. Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Goodman, 142 Glen avenue, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Opal Goodman, to Mr. John Robert Meyer of Atchison, Kan. The wedding to take place in June.

The young men of the Omega Eps Tau fraternity will give a dance next Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. P. Hollar, 537 Third avenue.

Miss Edna Keeline was hostess of the Klatter club Friday afternoon at her home, 129 Park avenue.

The Ladies Aid society of the Trinity Methodist church entertained at an informal reception Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Miller, 235 East 12th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Stewart entertained at a course supper Sunday evening at their home, 114 East 24th street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gulio, Mrs. Dewey and Captain Dooe, all of Omaha, were the guests of Mrs. J. P. Hollar, 537 Third street, at a luncheon Saturday afternoon.

The University club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Hollar, 537 Third street, at a luncheon Saturday afternoon.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage on May 1 of Mr. J. Tracy Hollar, 537 Third street, to Miss Gladys Hollar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Tibbitts, at the home of the bride's parents in Des Moines.

Much, the wholesale ice cream man. Phone 264. OLIVER ONCE MORE PRESIDENT. Morrison County Sunday School Workers Hold Convention.

ONAWA, Ia., May 4.—(Special).—The eighteenth Morrison County Sunday School convention held at Onawa Wednesday and Thursday of this week was largely attended.

Every township in Morrison county is now thoroughly organized, and there are forty-two schools in successful operation. Blencowe gets the next convention.

MR. O. OLIVER was re-elected president, Dan Gray, Blencowe, second vice president, Mrs. Knudsen, Turin, secretary and treasurer. Morrison county has held first place in the state of Iowa for three years on Sunday school work.

RIDES AT TWO CENTS, BUT LOSSES. Pocketbook Disappears While Transferring at Omaha. BOONE, Ia., May 4.—(Special).—Mrs. Mary A. Hall of Marshalltown, who has just concluded a visit with relatives in Nebraska, lost her pocketbook or had it stolen while passing between Onawa and Council Bluffs.

NEW FRUIT PEST DISCOVERED. Antipodean Farmers May Be Compelled to Import Wasps to Kill Flies. MELBOURNE, Mar. 4.—(Special).—A new terror for fruit farmers has arisen in New South Wales and Victoria.

Prisoners Confesses. DOWLING GREENS. Q. May 4.—Otto Fritz Schmidt, alias Kopler, under arrest here, made a confession today to the chief of police in the effect that while he was in the Cleveland jail a man who said he was a plumber and is being held under suspicion of a confession to a murder yesterday. Kopler was released from the Cleveland jail yesterday and turned over to the authorities to await trial for alleged swindling.

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Aged Woman Burned to Death. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., May 4.—Mrs. Honora McKnight, 90 years old, a reclus, was found this afternoon burned to death at her home. It is believed that she raked live coals from the stove to the floor.

Iowa News Notes. CLINTON.—D. Clark, a young man who has been employed by the Robt. Construction company of this city, has disappeared mysteriously and his friends fear that misfortune has overtaken him.

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