MINOR MENTION.

Davis, Armes. Stockert sells carpets. Pumps. J. Zoller Mer. Co. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer. Fine engravings at Leffert's. Hee Schmidt's elegant new photos. Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'phone W Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. SM, PETERSEN & SCHOENING SELL RUGS. Storage, housegoods. Inquire 333 B'w'y Fishing tackle fit for fishing. Big selec-ion. Petersen & Schoening, tion. Petersen & Schoening, DIAMONDS AS AN INVESTMENT. TALK TO LEFFERT ABOUT IT.

The regular meeting of Harmony chap-er, Order of the Eastern Star, will be heid this evening.

Comfort porch chairs. More comfortable than a hammock. See E. W. Keller, 108 South Main street.

friends that she will arrive home this morning, when arrangements for the funeral of her husband will be made. BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED ONLY AT FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAFES. I. ROBENFELD CO., Agua. Before getting your upholstering, mattress making, repairing and refinishing dene, get the prices of the Morgan Upholstering company, 331 Broadway, next to Alexander's art store. Telephone for quick orders. Bell, 898; Independent, 376 red.

By is said that the Board of Education.

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The said that a special meeting in a few flays to take up the matter of manual training, which it has been decided to introduce into the public schools of this city at the opening of the new school year in Beytembes.

Today will be Woman's Christian Tem perance union day at the Hunter store and the percent of all the sales will be turned that the Young Men's Christian association building fund. The members of the union will also serve luncheon and supper in the basement of the store.

The receipts in the general fund of the Christian Home last week were \$12.41, being \$98.59 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$416.08. In the manager's fund the receipts were \$17.5, being \$7.55 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency to \$668.06 in this fund to date.

ficiency to \$568.66 in this fund to date.

Judge Smith McPherson has sent word
that he will hold a special session of
Unit edStates court in this city next Monday afternoon. There are a number of
matters pending since the March term of
court which Judge McPherson is anxious
to dispose of and he has indicated that he
will take up several of these at this sitting. How long he will remain here was
not stated by Judge McPherson.

Mrs. J. W. Barnes of Newark N. J. 1880. not stated by Judge McPherson.

Mrs. J. W. Barnes of Newark, N. J., secretary of the International Primary Junior department of Sunday school work, will deliver an address tomorrow evening at the First Cengregational church under the auspices of the local Sunday school union. Following the lecture there will be an 'institute' 'session for teachers and officers of the several Sunday schools of the city.

Mrs. Charles P. Shepard has telegraphed Colonel W. F. Baker of the Board of

Mrs. Charles P. Shepard has telegraphed Colonel W. F. Baker of the Board of Supervisors, who is a member of the committee, has been advised that the executive committee of the TransMississippi Commercial congress, will meet at Muskogee, I. T., Tuesday of next week for the purpose of selecting a date for the annual meeting of the congress. Colonel Baker will not be shie to attend the meeting of the committee but expects to attend the annual session of the congress which will be held in Muskogee.

W. Wilson, who gave his age as 1 Pand

be held in Muskogee.

W. Wilson, who gave his age as 1 Pand Elizabeth King, who said she was 16 on her last birthday, both hailing from South Omaias, applied for a marriage license yesterday morning. Tracy Rodwell, deputy clork of the district court, politely but firm! informed the youthful couple that if they brought their parents or guardians with them, the license might be issued, but not otherwise. The youthful would-be groom did not take the refusal over kindly and he intimated to Mr. Rodwell that he probably would have issued the license had they seen fit to lie about their ages.

Specias. On refrigerators-Iciale, Bowen and Northern Light. Go-carts, \$2 and up. D. W. Keller, 103 South Main street.

272, BOTH 'PHONES, GRAND LIVERY, J. W. AND ELMER E. MINNICK, PRO-

Bee office removed to 15 Scott street, opposite Nebraska Telephone building.

S. M. Williamson, bicycles, sewing machines, Edison phonographs, records. Repairing machines and bicycles a specialty. 17 South Main street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Shell Bark Hickory. In stove wood length, \$1.50 a rick. Bridenstein & Smith, 1401 S. 8th. Both 'phones 182.

Buy the Jewel gas or gasoline stoves. They are the safest, Petersen & Schoening. C. Hafer of Council Bluffs, Ia., will deliver at your nearest station lumber so

cheap that you will wonder if he has not made a mistake in figuring same. Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The

Bee June 19 by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs: Frank Blank to Chris N. Petersen, lot 7, block 2, Turiey & White's subdivision to Council Bluffs, Ia.,

George Blank and wife to Frank
Blank, lot 7, block 2, Turicy &
White's subdivision to Council
Bluffs, Ia. w. d.
Mikel Kempkes and wife to Bertha
M. Kempkes, lot 19, block 11,
town of McClelland, Ia., w. d.
Portsmouth Sayings bank to Ger-

Five transfers, total 37,915

MOTELS.

STEVENS HELD FOR TRIAL

Much Testimony to Corroborate That of Christiansen Child.

Only Testimony for Defense Was Men Who Saw Him About an Hour Before in a Saloon on Main Street.

After a preliminary hearing lasting a greater part of yesterday, R. O. Stevens, the alleged assallant of 'little Christina hristensen, was bound over by Judge tion of the district grand jury. In default of ball at \$800, but which Assistant County Attorney Ross said likely would be raised, Stevens was committed to the county fail. The state produced an array of witnesses females. who testified to seeing and speaking with the accused man near the scene of the

assault Monday night. The little girl re- Special offers. Petersen & Schoening. peated the story she told the police Monday night in all its details and the frightened manner in which she looked at the prisoner during the recital was a convincing feature of her testimony. Stevens practically offered no defense excent a couple of witnesses who testified to seeing him in a saloon earlier in the even-

He denied having anything to do with the girl and declared that after reaching the Broadway Methodist church that evening between 7:30 and 8 o'clock he remembered nothing until he fell into the creek from the approach of one of the bridges, but where that was he was unable to say.

Court Has No Doubt. In binding the prisoner over to the grand jury Judge Snyder said the corroborative evidence of the little girl's story could not be stronger and that he had not the slightest doubt that Stevens was the child's assailant. He said further that the prisoner's defense did not alter the case.

The story of little Christina showed that her assailant would undoubtedly have accomplished his purpose but for the passing of a wagon which disturbed him and gave his intended victim the opportunity to escape.

Reno Anderson, a boy living on East Washington avenue, and Chris Thompson, 122 Hunter avenue, told of having seen and talked with the prisoner on the Hunter avenue bridge about 8 o'clock Monday night. Stevens was enquiring for a number on Hunter avenue which Thompson informed him was a vacant lot. Chris Anderson testified to seeing Stevens talking to his brother Reno. Chris was later at the Jacobsen home when the little girl ran to the back of the house and fell faintinginto Mrs. Jacobsen's arms. W. C. Lang testified to being approached by Stevens on East Broadway about 8 o'clock Monday night. Stevens asked for a number which proved to be a vacant lot. The witness said he noticed that the man was somewhat deaf, which is the case with the prisoner. None of the witnesses noticed that the prisoner was under the influence

Another Woman Identifies Him. Damaging testimony was also given by works in a downtown dressmaking estabthe man who Monday evening, while sho CARRIAGES ALWAYS READY. CALL was on her way to her home at 1218 East and Charles A. Beno. The widow, John o'clock, followed her for several blocks from the Broadway Methodist church. Roger Mortensen, a young lad testified to seeing Stevens following Miss Larson. E. T. Krohm testified that about 10:20 o'clock Monday night he saw Stevens in a saloon on Broadway near North Second

street. Stevens' clothes were covered with mud and Stevens asked the witness where he could clean up a little. The only witnesses for the defendant were L. H. Balley, stereotyper at the Nonparell office, where Stevens was employed as linotype machinist, and J. A. Macomber a bartender in a saloon on Broadway and Bryant street. Bailey testified to seeing Stevens in a saloon on North Main street

ing, while Macomber testified that Stevens was in his saloon at 6:30 that evening. The district grand jury will not convene until August 27. On his way to the county jail Stevens stated to Officer Crum that he expected a brother from Lincoln today who

between 7:20 and 7:30 o'clock Monday even-

would furnish ball for him. Artificial Eyes.

\$1,000 worth on display in our east window. We make a specialy of fitting them. \$3,500 Dr. W. W. Magarell, optometrist, 10 Pearl street.

New Picture Mouldings. We are just in receipt of another large shipment of the much-wanted resewood, walnut and mahogany mouldings-fash-

ion's favorites. Come in and let us have the pleasure of showing them to you. C. E, Alexander, 333 Broadway. Cliff Dwellers Want Revenge. The Cliff Dwellers of Omaha, smarting under their recent defeat by the Pottawattamies at Dietz ball park, have challenged

the court house ball players to a return game. The deft has been accepted and the second contest on the diamond between the officials of Douglas county, Nebraska, and Pottawattamie county, Iowa, will take place on the afternoon of Saturday, June 29, and the scene of the combat will be the Ideal-Hustler's ball park on Sixteenth avenue. If you have a pair of shoes that you

want repaired right, bring them to the Duncan Shoe Co., 23 S. Main. Teach the boy to swim by using patent

water wings; will hold a person 250 lbs. weight; absolutely safe; only 80c. Peterson & Schoening Co.

Special Preces. On carpets, rugs, linoleum, cilcloth and natting, window shades and lace curtains.

D. W. Keller, 163 South Main street. Fourth to Be Celebrated.

At the meeting held yesterday afternoon n the rooms of the Commercial club, it was decided to hold an old-fashioned Fourth of July celebration, and Fairmount and Thursday. W. Runyan. park was selected as the place to hold it n. The call for the meeting was issued by Secretary Reed of the Commercial club, at the instance of the park commissioners, who had been approached by a number of citizens relative to celebrating the great national holiday in proper style in one of the public parks. About twenty attended the meeting, and all were in favor of the proposition. On behalf of the board of park commissioners, Mr. Graham prom-

sed they would do their part. Although the program was not decided pon at yesterday's meeting, it was pracically arranged that there will be a numper of races and other sports for both western National Life Insurance company young and old, together with music and of Minneapolia, was tonight found guilty addresses. Chairman Graham of the park of grand larceny by a jury which had board, and several of those who attended been out for twenty-eight hours. Sentence yesterday's meeting will meet with the will be imposed Saturday moraing by executive committee of the Commercial Judge H. D. Dickson,

charge of the arrangements for the cele- COX HAS AMBITIOUS PLAN bration will be appointed.

Pay for Domages by Dogs. County Auditor Cheyne is in receipt of a copy of what is known as the "domestic animal" law, enacted by the recent state legislature. This act provides that any person who suffers loss in stock or fowl from being worried by dogs can file a claim with the Board of County Supervisors with proof of same as is required in any claim, which claim shall be investi-DEFENDANT WAS NEAR SCENE sated by the supervisors, and if found correct, the person filing it shall be issued a warrant on what will be known as the

domestic animal fund." To form this domestic animal fund the supervisors at their session in September are required to levy a tax of \$1 on all male and \$3 on all female dogs as returned by the assessors. The proceeds from this tax will go into the domestic animal fund. Twice a year, on January 10 and July 10, the county auditor will certify to the county treasurer the amount of all war-Snyder of Council Bluffs to await the ac- rants drawn on this fund, and if the fund is insufficient to meet all the warrants in full, the treasurer will pay them pro rata. Heretofore the tax on dogs in the county has been 50 cents for males and \$2 for

See our sliding settee for porch or lawn.

Attention! One E. Z. dust pan free to street, the house furnishing store. D. W. Keller.

A. A. Smith Insane.

The local commissioners on insanity yesterday adjudged A. A. Smith, who has been n St. Bernard's hospital since April 4 of this year, as insone. The hearing was mainly to determine the legal residence of Smith, who was brought to this city from Rock county, Neb., where his mother resides. The mother was present at the hearing yesterday, and the commissioners un derstood from her that now that her son has been adjudged insane the sheriff of Rock county would come and take him back there. Smith was wanted in Sheridan, Wyo., on a charge of murder, but as to allow the dealers to get rid of the Attorney S. Wadsworth, who returned stock of goods that they have on hand, from there Tuesday night, succeeded in having the charge dismissed. Mr. Wadsworth showed that Smith was insane at the time the killing was committed, and that Moines rifle range. The national shoot it would be necessary to take him in chains from Council Bluffs to Sheridan If trial gust. Before that time the Iowa team was insisted upon. Smith when brought before the commissioners yesterday had to shoot will assemble and practice for a be confined in a straight jacket. He has a week. They will also be given arms and brother, Free Smith, residing in Cut-

W. W. Dickerson, 332 West Broadway Council Bluffs, Ia., does all kinds of fine watch repairing.

Upholstering. George W. Kline, 19 So. Main street. Phones Ind. 710, black, Beil 548.

Will of John Beno Filed. The will of the late John Beno, ploneer dry goods merchant and business man of this city, was filed for probate in the district court yesterday. It provides that the widow. Mrs. Lizzie Beno, shall have a life personal, out of which she shall provide for herself and daughter, Katherine, and give to the other four children. John. Don-ald, Grover and Elizabeth, \$125 each, quarterly. The interest of Grover, the youngest is to be held in trust for him until he reaches the age of 26. The estate is to be Miss Dorothy Larson, a young girl who divided among the heirs after the death of the widow. Provision is also made for the lishment. She identified the prisoner as disposition of lands and lots owned jointly by the testator and his nephews, Adolph Washington avenue, shortly before 8 Bereshelm and Adolph Beno are named as executors without bond. The will is dated July 13, 1906.

> Ice cream flavored with pure vanilla. something that will please you. Purity

Candy Kitchen, 546 Broadway.

Petersen & Schoening sell matting. Lecture on Agriculture.

The Commercial club has secured the south court room in the county court house for F. S. White, agricultural and horticultural commissioner of the Rock Island-Treisen lines, to deliver hi slecture on Saturday afternoon. The lecture by Commissioner White will be free to the public, and at the close the car in which Mr. White travels, and in which is an attractive display of fine grains, fruits and farm products will be open for inspection. The car will be placed on a side track near the Rock Island passenger depot at the foot of Main street. Valuable bulletins on grains, grasses, fruits and other farm products will be distributed free by Commissioner White. The lecture will be at 2 on the condition of the crop are more favorable from that section than farther south. Plums, cherries, peaches and pears will be scarce this year. Grapes, raspherries, blackberries and strawberries are still in good condition and strawberries are still in good condition and promise a fair crop. The prospect for a fruit crop this year and 7 per cent less than in June, 1962, when there was a prospect for all per cent of a full crop. The conditions may improve as the season advances.

Office Space for Rent. Only half block from Broadway, opposite Nebraska Telephone building. Heat and light furnished. Omaha Bee office, 15 Scott street,

Our wagons are all over town; stop one Coal and Ice company.

Uniforms Found in Pasture. Two uniforms of privates of the Thirtieth infantry, stationed at Fort Crook, consisting of trousers, coats and caps, were found yesterday afternoon in what is known as Haag's pasture on Ridge street, by two boys who notified the police. The uniforms are at police headquarters awaiting instructions from the authorities at Fork Crook. One uniform bears the badge of Company A, while the other bears that of Company I. Residents on Ridge street noticed two soldiers Monday entering the pasture, but failed to see them come out sumption of the police.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Anton A. Tiarks, Council Bluffs 35 Louisa M. Torneten, Council Bluffs 18 My beautiful home, No. 169 Park avenue, is for sale. Inquire on premises Tuesday

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250, Night, L 698. Lawn mowers and retrigerators at Peter-

sen & Schoening When you have anything to buy or sell

advertise it in The Bee Want Ad columns. BECHTEL IS FOUND GUILTY

President of Minneapolis Insurance Company is Convicted of Grand Larceny. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 20 .- W. F. Bechtel, former president of the North-

Proposes to Build Interurban Across the State of Iowa.

TERMINAL AT COUNCIL BLUFFS

Horticultural Society Issues State-

ment of the Condition of Fruit Showing Condition Not so Bad.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, June 20 .- (Special.)-By the arrest of John A. Cox of Chicago in this city today it is disclosed that there is a scheme to build an interurban railway from Council Bluffs to Des Moines and on through Vinton to Elkader, the line extending entirely across the state. Cox was arrested on complaint of W. H. McAndrews, president of the United States Power and Smelting mpany of 5311 Cottage Grove avenue, Chicago. He was indicted by the Cook county grand jury. It developes since the arrest that Cox is the promoter for a big concern with millions of capital that roposed to build the Iowa State Union railroad across the state. He has been quietly working on the plan and had designed not to allow it to be publicly known. On his arrest today he sold of every lady customer at 103 South Main the plans to clear himself. In explanation of his arrest he said he had gone on a note with McAndrews and one Patterson of Chicago for \$650, so they could get money at a bank to float an invention made by McAndrews. After they had been advanced \$150 on the note Cox claims he learned that they did not have any inventions or patents and he withdrew his support and is now arrested for stealing the balance of the \$650 by having the note withdrawn.

Firecrackers the Fourth Firecrackers can legally be fired in Iowa Fourth of July. The anti-firecracker law does not go into effect until January 1, 1908. The law was purposely so drawn

Shoot Ends Tomorrow. With fair weather the National Guard shoot will end tomorrow on the Fort Des does not take place until the last of Auto be selected as a result of this week's ammunition to practice at their homes untill that time. As a result of shoot here thus far, Captain F. S. Hurd of a Des Moines company heads the list with a score of 82 in the skirmish ring and 45 at a distance of 200 yards.

Big Fees to the State. Two big fees, amounting to \$1,000 each, were paid to the state of Iowa today. of Davenport and the other from the People's Light and Power company of Daven- over to the jury. port. Both fees are paid with the filing of amendments to the articles of incorporation, in which the capital of each corporation is increased by \$1,000,000. The estate in all the property, both real and street car company takes over the Daven- clude his argument until 4:45 this afterport & Suburban railway and some other small Tri-City lines. The increase by the purpose of taking over smaller companies. Bids on State Work.

Bids will be opened at the state house woman's infirmary at Mount Pleasant, The plans have been completed, and it is claimed the building when completed will be a model one for a state institution. Bids are already being received. The state architect is also completing plans for remodeling a brick hay barn at Mount Pleasant into farmers' lodge for the insane patients who work on the farm. On Condition of Crops.

Wesley Greene, secretary of the State Horticultural society, today issued the following statement as to the condition of the fruit of the state at this time:

Apples, 50 per cent; pears, 18, American plums, 31; Japanese plums, 7; European plums, 11; cherries, 16; peaches, 24; grapes, 75; red raspberries, 73; black raspberries, 11; blackberries, 77; currants, 31; gooseberries, 49; strawberries, 70 per cent of a full

rop.
There was less injury to the early bloomog fruits from the frosts of May in the
torthern part of the state and the reports
on the condition of the crop are more fa-

Raise the Rates. Beginning with July 1, when the new 11cense fees for registering automobiles are due, it is expected at the secretary of state's office that there will be trouble. The last legislature enacted a law raising the fee from \$1 to \$5 and it is anticipated that most automobilists will not know this when you want tee. The Council Bluffs and will send in \$1 and will have to be informed that the law now requires \$5. Trouble is further expected from the fact dimmed the eyes of the veteran attorney. that on that day the business of making and it was some minutes before the two out notary public commissions will be transferred entirely to the office of the governor and many notaries will send in their commissions as heretofore to the secretary of state and make their checks payable to him, when they should be sent to the governor.

Outdoor Meet Next. At the convention of the Christian churches of Iowa being held here it has been decided to hold the next year's meeting out of doors instead of the usual conagain. That the uniforms belonged to two Vention. Next year's meeting will be deserters who sought the timber in the turned into an assembly to last a week pasture as a convenient place in which to and will be held on the Chautauqua doff them for civilian garments is the pre- grounds in this city. It has been decided by the convention also to ask the general board to rearrange the church offering days.

> Iowa News Notes. LEMARS-The annual commencement of the leMars High school was held Wednes-day evening. The class numbered four-

ONAWA-Today at 4 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents on Iowa ave-tue, Maria Elliott Hoimes and Marcellus Sruce Holbrook were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Zukert.

CLARINDA—Henry Hanna, supposed to be an old resident of Page county, was found dead near Cambridge, Idaho, a short while ago. Authorities at Cambridge have written to the sheriff of Page county in an endeavor to discover Hanna's relatives.

for the special lecturing car of the Rock Island road that is to be here the 35th of the month. Mr. Bebee says that since the failure of the umbrella inctory the merchants have lost all interest. He will move that the organization, disband at their next meeting.

DAVENPORT—The contract for a five-story addition to the glucose plant in this city has been let to Thompson Starrett company of New York. While no figures have been given for publication, it is un-derstood that the improvement will cost upward of \$50,000.

CRESTON—The case against George Dow, a colored man of this city, who snot another colored man in an altercation Monday avening, was dismissed in the justice court yesterday afternoon, as the evidence showed that it was a case where Dow was justified in shooting the other man in order to protect himself.

CEDAR RAPIDS—Two hundred music teachers from all cities in the state are attending the convention of the State Muattending the convention of the State Music Teachers' society, which opened here Tuesday evening. Elaborate programs have been prepared for each of the four days, and leading teachers will give addresses on various branches of music. CRESTON-Dan Heaton, formerly a well-known banker of Greenfield and a targe land owner in this part of the country, who had been making his home at Wichita, Kan., for the last few years, died at his home Tuesday morning after a lingering illness. He was well known in Creston and Greenfield and in this section of the country.

ONAWA-The Munona-Harrison ditch, now in progress of construction, was cut through the illinois Central railway north-east of Onawa Sunday without special incident. The canal construction company is where the Fems Kessel compan lnkes.

inkes, where the Fems Kessel companicontract commences, work on the dicties is progressing favorably.

ATLANTIC-C. N. Simmons, who has been employed as shipping cierk in the wholesale grocery house of Simmons & Jones here since his graduation from Coocollege, has left for Santiago, Chile, where he will accept a chair in English at one of the largest boys' colleges in South America. He secured the position in competition with several other applicants for the place.

CLINTON—More than 500 bankers are several other applicants for the place. CLINTON—More than 500 bankers are here attending the annual convention of bankers, which opened here this morning. President J. J. Large of Rock Valley, in his annual address, declared that legislation asked for had not been granted and recommended the repeal of the banker purpose that a savely it is received.

ruptcy law, saying it is excellent in theory, but in application conductive of fraud. IOWA CITY—The life of Margaret Hayes, the 8-year-old daughter of Judge Samuel Hayes of the University of Iowa college of law faculty, was saved here by the presence of mind and absolute heroism of Marjorie Coast, the H-year-ond of Preston C. Coast. The Hayes girl fell into the Iowa river at a point where the water was deep enough to drown a man, Her little piaymates, paralyzed with fear, stood Idiy by until she had gone down twice. Then Marjorie Coast leaped into the river, and, just as her little friend was about to sink for the third time, seized her skirt and tugged her to a nearby pier, to which clung the rescuer until her elders ruptcy law, saving it is excellent in th to which clung the rescuer until her elders arrived on the scene, and drew both girls out of the water.

PLEADS FOR MRS. KAUFMANN Defense Closes and the Final Argument for the State Comes Today.

FLANDREAU, S. D., June 20 .- (Special Telegram.)-Contrary to expectation the Kaufmann murder case did not go to the jury this evening, and indications now are that it will be well toward the close of the afternoon session on Thursday before the One is from the Tri-City Street callway arguments are concluded and Judge Smith makes his charge prior to turning the case

Judge Frank R. Aikens of defendant's counsel, who commenced making the closing argument for the defense shortly before 10 o'clock this morning, did not connoon, at which time an adjournment was taken until tomorrow morning. The plea, power and light company is for the same in the opinion of veteran attorneys who heard it, was one of the most eloquent and thorough ever heard in a Dakota court room. Before its close scores of spec-July 10 for the erection of a \$65,000 tators were weeping, and this in an audlence whose sympathies, generally speakwere strongly with the prosecution and have been ever since Peter Erickson, star witness for the prosecution, told his dramatic story of cruelties and inhumaconduct to which Agnes Polreis was subjected at the hands of Mrs. Kaufmann. Among those who wept during the argument was Mrs. Kaufmann.

Throughout the entire afternoon session, in an atmosphere that was stifling, a great crush of people filled every available foot of space and listened eagerly to every word that fell from the lips of the voteran attorney, who was pleading the cause of Mrs. Kaufmann. Referring to the wellknown generosity and good heartedness of Moses Kaufmann, the husband of the defendant, he said: "A word by Erickson to Moses Kaufmann that a human being was being injured in his house and he would

have stopped it." He also referred at some length to the improbability of the girl submitting to the cruel treatment testified to by Erickson and not endeavoring to make her escape, with the nearest house only sixty feet away, and with other houses nearby, and streets and alleys passing the Kaufmann home which were traveled night and day, An affecting scene was witnessed shortly after court adjourned for the day. While talking with Judge Aikens, who was much fatigued by his long argument and was seeking rest in a chair on a veranda on the St. Vincent hotel, Moses Kaufmann, husband of the defendant, who had not seen Judge Aikens since court adjourned, came up to him and grasped his hand. So great was his agitation that he could not speak, but firmly held the hand of the attorney for a time, and then, sinking down in a chair broke down and swept. Tears

men could recover their composure. Friends and enemies alike hastened to congratulate Judge Aikens for his great and eloquent effort in behalf of his clients. Tomorrow morning George B. Egan of Logan, Ia., who was engaged by the people of Parkston to prosecute the case against Mrs. Kaufmann, will commen making the closing argument for the pros-This is expected to extend throughout the greater part of the day.

MINERS REPUDIATE CONTRACTS Western Federation Declares Existing Agreements Between Local and

Operators Void. DENVER, June 20,-The convention of the Western Federation of Miners today adopted the amendment to the constitution prohibiting the local unions from making labor contracts with the operators.

The discussion developed over a resolution introduced by Delegate Robert Randall of Goldfield union No. 230. The resolution reads as follows:

Contracts entered into with the employing classes are of benefit only to the former. Such contracts divide the workers in their by Rev. Mr. Zukert.

KEOKUK—In a quarrel over the charge of feeding a team of horses at a livery bern in Hamilton, seven men are charged with probably fatally injuring George Carr, the man in care of the livery stable.

10WA CITY—The Abstracters' association of lowa will hold their annual meeting to the announgement made by Secretary Hastie of Dea Moines and President Almor Siern of Legan.

Such contracts divide the workers in their struggle with the exploiters, chain one body of workers in subjection while war is being waged upon another body; often compet one union to seab upon another union; destroys the class instinct of the workers by a false sense of temporary security to cease taking an active interest in the affairs of their organization while such contracts are in force, and have absolutely no place in a progressive labor organization, therefore by

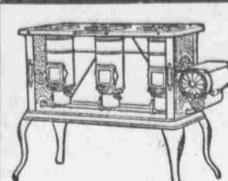
be it

Resolved. By the fifteenth annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners
that any and all signed contracts or verbal
agreements for any specified length of time
that may have been entered into by any
local union or unions of the Western Federation of Miners are by this convention
declared null and void.

an endeavor to discover Hanna's relatives.

ATLANTIC—Judge Green is holding an adjourned term of court here this week. Yesterday he heard arguments in the case for a new trial of Fleming against the Rock Island road, in which plaintiff was awarded a verdict of 45% for the death of a relative. He granted a new trial.

ATLANTIC—The Merchants' association of Atlantic, which has existed for the last few years, and which accured the Atlantic umbrella factory and the Atlantic Northern & Southern refiroad for this place, seems to have died a natural death. Last night as association for the place, seems to have died a natural death. Last night association as a man responded to the secretary's call



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The combination of hot meals and a cool kitchen has always seemed an impossibility, yet this happy

result is obtained wherever there's a New Perfection Oil Stove in the kitchen. The blue flame produced by the

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