That a settlement had been reached was

news to County Auditor Cheyne. If an

agreement has been reached, it is possible

it has been by the township trustees, who

have the duty of looking after the high-

ways. The only action taken by the super-

visors was the rescinding of its action.

giving the railroad permission to construct

the covered arch and notifying the rail-

The grand jury at its last session in-

dicted the Illinois Central for obstructing

a public highway, but the indictment was

dismissed, as it was shown the offense

complained of had not been committed

Special Preces.

FOR ANYTHING IN RAIN COATS.

CRAVANETS, TO ORDER. SEE E. S.

Real Estate Transfers

These transfers were reported to The Bee

June 25, by the Pottawattamie County Ab-

way commission of the controversy.

at the time the bill was returned.

D. W. Keller, 103 South Main street.

posite Nebraska Telephone building.

stract company of Council Bluffs:

Pauline Dobson and husband to H. A. Noble, lots 7 and 8 in block 7 in Grimes add. to Council Bluffs, Ia.,

Total transfers eight.....

Meet After Many Years.

BOONE, Ia., June 26.-(Special Tele-

gram.)-Warren Patrick of this city and

Ed Patrick of near Des Moines met here

after a separation of fifty-one years. They

are cousins and had thought each other

dead. They met here by chance, Ed Pat-

rick being a fruit tree agent and finding

Buys Release from Army.

COLUMBUS, O., June 25 .- Garvin Harris

son of the late Congressman Stephen Har-

ris of Bucyrus, has purchased his release

from the army for \$120. Harris is an actor.

His enlistment last March created a sensa-

tion. He will go to Iowa and work on a

Iowa News Notes.

of the grand jury upon the char-seduction preferred by Mary Boggs.

CRESTON-The magnificent new lodge tome of the Elks in this city was formally

were given an apportunity to view the nterior of the Elks' new home. In the

Bee Want Ads always bring results.

Further Increase Announced in Sal-

aries of Nehraska Postal

Clerks.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 26 .- (Special Tele

gram.)-Postmasters appointed: Nebraska,

Rollwitz, Dundy county, L. C. Wiley, vice

C. M. Loveland, resigned; Thayer, York

county, Harry O. Price, vice J. A. Eckles,

resigned. Iowa, Judd, Webster county, Al-

vin C. Marshall, vice George Merrill, re-

Upon the recommendation of Congress-

appointed pension examining surgeon at

The following promotions of clerks in

Nebraska postoffices become effective July

: Omaha, nineteen, \$700 to \$800; thirteen,

\$500 to \$900; fifteen, \$900 to \$1,000; eleven

to \$500; one, \$700 to \$800; one, \$800 to \$900;

two, \$900 to \$1,000; four, \$1,000 to \$1,:00. Clay

Center, one, \$500 to \$600; one, \$600 to \$800.

one, \$800 to \$100. North Platte, one, \$400

The Iowa Manufacturing company of Os-

one, \$600 to \$800. Fairbury,

Osceola, Neb., vice Dr. L. M. Shaw, re-

signed.

his cousin here.

farm he owns there.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs Stockert sells carpets. Pumps. J. Zoller Mer. Co. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer. Fine engravings at Leffert's. See Schmidt's elegant new photos. BUY BORWICK'S PURE PAINTS.

Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'phone 97. Woodring Undertaking company, Tel. FE | ERSEN & SCHOENING SELL RUGS Storage, nousegoods, inquire 333 Bwy. Fishing tackie fit for fishing. Big selec-ion. Feterson & Schoening. Hammocks from 75c to \$10.00. Great va-riety. Petersen & Schoening. Judge Wheeler yesterday adjourned dis-rict court until Friday morning. DIAMONDS AS AN INVESTMENT. Council Bluffs, Ia., has the lowest lumber freight rates. Hafer has the lowest prices. Call 72 and have the Council Biuffs Cost and Ice company's wagon leave you some

Comfort porch chairs. More comfortable than a hammock. See L. W. Zeller, 103 South Main street. FLANNEL TROUSERS AND BLUE SERGE COATS ARE THE THING NOW. SEE E. S. HICKS.

GLASSES are a positive help and a per-manant pleasure if fitted by Dr. W. W. Magarell, Optometrist. 10 Pearl street. BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED ONLY AT FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAFES. I. ROSENFELD CO., Agts. The Woman's Relief corps will be entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. Pagenstecker, 817 East Pierce in-

Mrs. Thompson, the aged woman who is believed to be somewhat mentally deranged, will be sent by the county authorities to relatives at Clay Center, Kan.

Complaint was made to the police yester-day that a Great Western freight car had been broken into Monday night and a num-ber of pairs of shoes stolen.

Despite reports to the contrary the base-ball game between the officials of Potta-wattamic county and the Cliff Dwellers of Omaha will take place in this city next

Jack Convey, charged with the theft of a stock and die, the property of the Citizen's Gas and Electric company, was sentenced by Judge Snyder yesterday to thirty days in the county jail.

The Ladies' Aid and the Woman's Missionary societies of St. John's English Lutheran church will meet Thursday atternoon at the residence of Mrs. Tora Leffert, 226 Eleventh avenue.

While the program for the Fourth of July celebration at Fairmount park has not been completed, announcement is made that George W. Egan of Logan, la., will deliver the oration of the day.

The deed by which Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Dobson have transferred the Metropolitan hotel property on Broadway to H. A. Noble of Atchison, Kan., the consideration being \$20,000, was filed for record yesterday.

Marie Hollingsworth, 215 Avenue A. and Bouth Ninth street, was reported to be suf-

South Ninth street, was reported to be sur-fering from spinal meningitis.

C. H. Johnson, the man with many names, charged with mortgaging an Omaha livery rig to A. A. Clark, waived prelim-inary examination yesterday before Justice Greene and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$200.

For the accommodation of those intending to attend the commencement exercises at the lowa School for the Deaf tomorrow af-ternoon. Superintendent Rothert has ar-ranged to have conveyances leave the Grand hotel between 1 and 2 o'clock. The Grand hotel between 1 and 2 o'clock. The exercises are scheduled to commence at 2

Mat Knight waived a preliminary examination on the charge of the theft of valuable brass fixtures from the premises of the Pintsch Gas company and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$400. In default of bail Knight, who claims to be from Ottumwa, was committed to the grand jury was committed to the from Ottumwa, was committed to the from Ottumwa, was committed to the from Ottumwa, was committed to the fif you appreciate good work, let us company tall.

county Jail.

The receipts in the general fund of the Christian Home last week were \$132.20, being \$67.80 below the needs of the week, and increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$483.85. In the manager's fund the receipts were \$19, being \$16 below the needs of the week and increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$674.05.

in this fund to date to \$674.06.

Mrs. Laura Stephens began suit for divorce yesterday from Jonn Stephens to whom she was married in this city January is of last year, alloging cruel and inhuman treatment and asking that her maiden name of Laura E. Powell be restored to her. The court lisued an order prohibiting the defendant from interfering with the plaintiff at her home, 365 North First street, and from doing any bodily harm to her.

Attorneys interested in the hankruster

Attorneys interested in the bankruptcy of the Union Transfer company of this city have been advised that the New Decatur Buggy company of Middletown. O., has gone into the hands of a receiver. Notes amounting to about \$60,000 given by the Union Transfer company to the New Decatur Buggy company were contested by the creditors of the former company on the alleged grounds that they were given without consideration. The notes turned up in out consideration. The notes turned up in the hands of innocent purchasers and the claims of the holders are still pending be-fore Referee Mayne here.

Attention!

Do not break your back to sweep the dust into a dust pan. Get an E. Z. dust pan. We give one free to every lady customer at 108 So. Main. D. W. Keller. The House Furnishing Store.

Special.

On refrigerators-Icicle, Bowen and Northern Light. Go-carts, \$2 and up. D. W. Keller, 163 South Main street.

Petersen & Schoening sell matting. Teach the boy to swim by using patent

in weight; absolutely safe; only 80c. Petersen & Schoening Co. Uphoistering. George W. Kline, 19 So. Main street.

Phones Ind. 710, bluck, Beit 548.

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

Name and residence. A Prank Edward Maginness, Omaha..... Mary A. Polen, Council Blufts.......

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

My beautiful home, No. 109 Park avenue and Thursday, W. Runyan.

Special offers. Petersen & Schoening.

Purity and Goodness These two qualities are embod ed in our "Sanitary" Ice Cream. Pure, because it is made of pure Cream and the highest grades of flavorings. Good, because our exerts know how to make it. We make any flavor you want and deliver any quantity any place

in the city N.P. JORGENSEN Council Bluffe, Ia.

City Scavengers ses and cattle hauled free of charge ege, asines manure and all rub-clean vaults and cesspools. All done is guaranteed, is promptly attended to. Phone 1220 Y Bell Red 1878 SHERLOCK & GIBSON.

HEARING ON LIOUOR CASES

Judge McPherson Says Federal Court is Not a Police Tribunal.

CASE IS UNDER ADVISEMENT

Intimation, However, He Will Remand it to the State Courts for Adjudication-Hearing on Bankruptey Case.

"It is not for the United States court to ome in here and sit as a police court over the liquor cases of the state of Iowa," remarked Judge Smith McPherson in federal court yesterday when the case of the Lake Manawa liquor injunction suit was brought before him again. This remark from Judge McPherson is taken to indicate that he will remand the case to the district court. C. W. Atwood, G. H. Scott and the other directors of the Council Bluffs Fish and Game Protective association were permitted file their petition in the receivership ase of the Interstate Amusement company against R. H. and T. J. O'Brien, caterers at Lake Manawa, and counsel for the street railway company and other defendants were given time in which to file a demurrer with the court at Red Oak.

A hearing was had in chambers, on the motion of Atwood and his associates, to remand the injunction suit to the district ourt. Counsel for the defense contended that the plaintiffs in alleging that the street railway company had organized within itself the Interstate Amusement ompany and that this organization was a 'fake and a fraud' and was for the purpose of avoiding liability, had set out a separate cause of action against the strect rallway company which should be determined by the United States court and not by the district court. Counsel contended that if the court held with the plaintiffs it would act as an adjudication of this question and the street railway ompany would be made a party to any damage suit that might arise from alleged negligence of the Interstate Amuse-

nent company. These allegations on the part of the petitioners as to the amusement company Judge McPherson declared were mere surplusage and had no place in the petition for an injunction. "It's nobody's business what Marie Hollingsworth, 915 Avenue A, and this corporation is, and I do not think any Mrs. Miller, 1519 North Elghth street, were person has a right to inquire, except possiss having smallpox. Freddie Peterson, 218 ing to do with the case," said the court. At the close of the arguments by counsel Judge McPherson stated he would give the matter further investigation and hand down his final opinion later.

The hearing of some bankruptcy matters, ncluding an application for permission to foreclose the \$100,000 outstanding bonds of the Carroll Light and Heat company, of First National bank, is receiver, completed the business of the special session and Judge McPherson returned to his home at Red Oak in the afternoon. There will

tract for painting your house. We get the best help we can find, then we look after the work to see that it is done right. If you rather do it yourself we can supply you with Borwick's Pure Mixed Paint. Do the painting now, it is the best time. T. O. Borwick, 211 South Main.

W. W. Dickerson, 331 West Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia., does all kinds of fine watch repairing.

If you have a pair of shoes that you want repaired right, bring them to the Duncan Shoe Co., 23 S. Main.

FOUR HUNDRED IN JUSTICE COURT

Litigation Over a Bull Terrier is the Occasion.

Only a dog, but litigation over its possession is likely to introduce several members of the "400" of Council Bluffs to the where they will be subpoensed as witnesses. The dog in question is a well bred English bull terrier, and from the days of its pupof Mr. and Mrs. Charles Test Stewart, who tained from the commissioners of other Windsor Aylesworth, a son of Judge E. E. week. Aylesworth, has gone into the court of Justice Greene and instituted proceedings to mains to be seen. City Solicitor Kimball, claims ownership by gift from C. T.

Some few weeks ago Mr. English Bull Terrier acquired the habit of straying from the hearth and home of its owners, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Stewart. It would water wings; will hold a person 250 lba. stay away for days at a time and then, with its caudal appendage trailing between its legs, return and by its shame-faced expression and manner denote that it knew it had done wrong in straying. It finally developed that the Stewart dog had formed an attachment for Dr. D. Macrae, jr., chief executive of the municipality, and the members of the family. Some say Mayor Macrae reciprocated this attachment, but be it as it may, the dog was repeatedly sent back to the Stewart domicile only to wander off again.

Finally Mr. and Mrs. Stewart decided they did not care to own a dog which would not stay at home as all decent canines are expected to do, and they took from the animal's neck its collar, to which the license tag was attached, and sent Mr. English Buil Terrier adrift. The dog, discarded by those who had tended it since it was a pup, sought the domicile of the mayor on is for sale. Inquire on premises Tuesday Fifth avenue, but was this time received of Indian creek. During the last two with cold favor. Windser Aylesworth, finding the dog wandering about and learning See our sliding settee for porch or lawn that it had been turned adrift by its owners, took the animal in, bought it a new collar and started to rehabilitate it in canine society. The dog disappeared and Mr. Aylesworth learned that W. Plummer, a farmer living near the city, had it and claimed possession by gift from Mr. Stewart. Then Mr. Aylesworth hastened to the court of Justice Green and brought a repleyin suit against Plummer to recover possession of the dog. The hearing is set for next Monday and in the meantime the dog is in

custody of the court and Constable Malthy. Shell Bark Hickory. In stove wood length, \$1.50 a rick. Briden stein & Smith, 1401 S. 6th. Both 'phones 182. Buy the Jewel' gas or gasoline stoves.

They are the safest Petersen & Schoening.

Holton Case Continued. The preliminary hearing of H. A. Holton the alleged shoplifter arrested Monday after a long and exciting chase, was continued in police court yesterday until this the State Railway commission, a coma traveling selesman for a Denver house, had been reached with reference to the has refused to talk. He was represented concrete passageway which the Illinois by an attorney in police court yesterday Central is constructing under its tracks

to trial, but the hearing was continued at Lewis says: "The commissioners are adthe request of Assistant County Attorney vised that the railroad company and the Ross. The police as yet have been unable county authorities have agreed upon the he made his home in Omaha. Neither have over the highway near Loveland. With they found where the three pearl-handled this understanding the case will be closed. pocket knives or the grip which Holton threw away when pursued, came from.

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

Ice cream flavored with pure vanilla. mething that will please you. Purity Candy Kitchen, 546 Broadway.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 250, Night, L 698. NEW MOVE IN FIRE CHIEF CASE

Majority of Commission Approves Bond of Nicholson. In the absence of City Solicitor Kimball from the city and despite the protest of Chairman Tinley, that in his opinion they were proceeding without authority of law, Members Sargent and Zurmuchlen took the bull by the horns at a specially called meeting of the Board of Fire and Police ommissioners last night and took such HICKS. action as they deemed sufficient to place the control of the fire department under Charles M. Nicholson, their appointee a

In the first place, against the protest of Chairman Tinley, the two members adopted a rule requiring the chief of the fire department to file with the commission a bond in the sum of \$3,060. This done, Grimes add. to Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

First National bank of Council Bluffs to J. A. Gorham, lot 1 in Auditor's subd. of nw4, sw4 of 28, and lot 1 of Auditor's subd. of ne4, se4 of 39-75-43, wd.

J. A. Gorham and wife to First National bank of Council Bluffs, Ia., C lot 4 in block 1, Bayliss 2d add. to Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

Charles Konigmacher and wife to Mary L. Cleaver, lot 5 in block B. Curtis & Ramsey's add to Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

D. P. Howes to O. J. McManus, lot 5 in block 11, Hyatt's subd. in Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

S. M. Forney to Sophis Leibold, e46 of lot 5 in block 10 of Grimes' add. to Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

Joseph P. Megeath et al. to W. L. Kerney, und. ½ of lot 23 in block 36 in Central subd. to Council Bluffs, Ia., wd.

J. L. Druien and wife to W. L. Kerney, lot 23 in block 35, Central subd. to Council Bluffs, Ia., und. ½. wd....

Total transfers eight. they ordered the oath of office filed by Nicholson on June 12 received and placed on record. Then Secretary Sapp was instructed to produce the bond in the sum of \$2,000 furnished by a bonding company. which Nicholson presented to the city council, but which was not approved and was subsequently withdrawn by Nicholson. Secretary Sapp had the bond conveniently in his coat pocket and Member Zurmuehlen moved that it be approved. Chairman Tinley declined to entertain the motion,

aying: "Such a motion is not properly before this commission. We have no right to receive a bond. We would be acting illegally and in conflict with the state law. decline to entertain this motion." Member Sargent: "This is boys' play."

Chairman Tinley: "I may not be well posted on parliamentary rules-" "But you appear to be well posted on rules of trickery," interposed Member Zur-

One man holding out against two."

Member Zurmuehlen: "No it's a holdup

At this point, when the atmosphere of he mayor's office in the city hall, where the meeting was being held, was becoming decidedly sultry, Member Sargent adjusted his eyegiases and remarked, with considerable emphasis: "Well, I know one way to do this," Suiting the action to the word, Mr. Sargent reached across the table grasped the bond firmly in one hand while with the other he seized a pen and quickly wrote across the back of the document, 'Approved. B. M. Sargent, Commissioner." Mr. Zurmuehlen followed suit by writing which Ernest E. Hart, president of the on the document, "Approved. L. Zurmuchlen. Commissioner."

When his associate had finished writing

If you appreciate good work, let us con- retary Sapp was instructed to notify the R. W. Jones as chief of the fire department of for cause and of the appointment of Charles M. Nicholson as chief of the department, who had duly qualified "through this commission," and who is now chief of the department.

Following this, upon motion of Mr. Sargent, the secretary was further instructed to at once notify the assistant chief and captains of the department that the fire department of the city of Council Bluffs was now in charge of Charles M. Nichol-

Asked if it was the intention of the commission that Nicholson should at once assume the office of chief of the fire department, despite the fact that his bond had not been approved by the city council, Members, Sargent and Zurmuehlen replied that "prominent lawyers whom we inside of the court of a justice of the peace, have consulted tell us he was foolish not to have done so long before this."

It is understood that Members Sargen and Zurmuehlen determined on the action hood until quite recently was the property taken last night by reason of advice obyearly paid the city tax necessary to keep cities with whom they conferred at the the poundmaster from lagsoing it. Now firemen's tournament at Sioux City last

What action the city council will take rereplevin the dog from W. Plummer, who who is also admitted by the three members to be the legal adviser of the commission, is out of the city. Mr. Kimball from the start of this controversy has maintained that the bond of the fire chief must be approved by the city council. Chairman Tinley contended last night that the proper and legal way for the commission to proceed was to mandamus the city coun ell to approve the bond presented by Nicholson, there being no question about it being a gilt-edged one. Some interesting developments may be looked for in the event of Nicholson attempting under the action of the commission last night to assume the office of chief of the fire depart-

> CARRIAGES ALWAYS READY. CALL 172, BOTH 'PHONES, GRAND LIVERY, J. W. AND ELMER E. MINNICK, PRO-PRIETORS.

Lawn mowers and retrigerators at Petersen & Schoening.

River Cutting Its Banks. The Missouri river is cutting into the Iowa shore in the vicinity of the outlet weeks quite a large section of land has \$1,000 to \$1,100. South Omaha, three, \$600 been washed into the river and it now looks as if the Big Muddy was intending to cut into Lake Manawa. A forty-acre tract owned by the Everett estate and Columbus, occupied by D. A. Lavenberg, a renter, one, 1800 to \$300, one, \$700 to \$800. Fremont, has suffered to the extent of about twenty; two, \$500 to \$600; one, \$600 to \$500; one, \$700 acres which are now at the bottom of to \$800; two, \$900 to \$1,000. Grand Island. the river. Tracts owned by Greenshields two, \$700 to \$900. Hastings, two, \$600 to \$500; & Everest and Charles R. Hanan have also one, \$800 to \$900. Norfelk, two, \$600 to \$800; been badly cut. The land which is being washed by the river now was formed at to \$600; one, \$500 to \$600; one, \$760 to \$800. the time the river changed its course and Plattsmouth, one, \$500 to \$600; one, 2800 to formed Lake Manawa. Should the river \$1.000. Schupler, one, \$500 to \$600. York, reach the old slough which formerly was one, \$500 to \$600; one, \$500 to \$500; two, \$500 an outlet for Indian creek, the danger to to \$1,000. Lake Manawa, but a mile distant, would be great. It is believed, however, that with the subsidence of high water the river will for installation of the heating apparatus in resume its former course and the cutting the public building at Seattle, Wash., at on the Iowa side at this point will cease, its bid of \$17,720.

at least for the time being. Notice Surprises Supervisors. County Auditor Cheyne received yesterday from Dwight N. Lewis, secretary of Holton, beyond claiming to be munication to the effect that a settlement morning and declared he was ready to go near Loveland. In his latter Secretary

Commission Makes it Eighty Per Cent of the Two Locals.

to learn where Holton resided, but believe plan of construction of the concrete arch PROMULGATED AS EXPERIMENT

Rathroads Likely to Accept it with Nothing More Than a Formal Protest for the Time Being at Least.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, June 18 .- (Special.)-In acordance with their announced purpose yesterday afternoon, the Railroad commission announced today in a general way the joint rates. Chairman N. S. Ketchum, speaking for the board, said that it had decided that the rate should be a blanket one of 80 per cent of the sum of the two locals and that the railroads should absorb the transfer charge. He intimated that the commission would promulgate the rate pretty much as an experiment and would On carpets, rugs, linoleum, oticioth and expect it to be in force at least six months matting, window shades and lace curtains. without change. If at the end of that time it is satisfactory it would be contimued indefinitely, and if unsatisfactory the commission would listen to statements either from the railroads or the shippers as to proposed changes. Commissioner Bee office removed to 15 Scott street, op- Eaton stated for himself that he did not favor the 80 per cent rate, but did favor the idea of making the rate the regular distance tariff, but that he had acquiesced with the other members for experimental purposes, it being found that it is very difficult to adopt a joint rate in the inflexible Iowa distance tariff. It is expected that the commission will promulgate \$29,000 the rate so that it will go into effect about

August 1. In outlining the plans of the commission Chairman Ketchum intimated that the commission would look further into the question of the transfer charge, but that where the transfer is in carload shipments the transfer charge. Where the transfer is in less than carload lots the transfer must 5,000 vary, because of the variance in the distance between depots at junctions. It was further announced that the joint rate shall in no case be less than the straight distance tariff for the total distance and that the minimum shipments under the joint rate might be restricted to distances of twenty-five miles.

Watson for the Great Western and Titte more for the Milwaukee informed the commission that they would co-operate in .\$40,700 every way possible to give the decision of the commission a fair test and that they would keep strict account of all joint shipments, in order that at the end of the six months the commission may know the facts. Carroll Wright for the Rock Island and attorneys for other roads entered formal protests and had the protests made a matter of record in order to protect themselves legally and form a foundation for action in the courts if such were declded upon. It is understood, however, that these roads will all give the order a test and will not start any action to prevent the order from taking effect. Attorney Watson for the Great Western stated before the commission that the question of railroad rates was to be a matter of education with the railroads, railroad commission and the public, and stated furthermore that the attempt would be made to educate

lows News Notes.

DENISON—Congressman J. P. Conner of the Statisfaction remarked: "It may not be legal, but the bond is approved, all right."

Then, on motion of Mr. Sargent and against the protest of the chairman. Secretary Sapp was instructed to notify the city council of the permanent removal of R. W. Jones as chief of the fire department of the grand jury upon the chairms of the standard of the standard in the protest of the department of the Atlantic Canning factory, is in jail under \$500 bond awaiting the action core compositions and that the meadows are core conditions and that the meadows are core core core conditions and that the people up to a point of radically changes in general the people up to a point of radically changes in general the people up to a point of the people up to a point of the charge in general the people up to a point of the people up to a point of the charge in general the people up to a point of the charge in general the people up to a point of the charge in general the people up to a point of the charge of the Table Power than the charge of the charge of the charge of the ch charge of improving rapidly. The stand of corn is reported as not as good as in the best years, ATLANTIC-The second week of normal opened yesterday with a total enrollment of 182 students, or about forty more than the county superintendent was looking for. but satisfactory and far better than the first claims by the farmers.

Fierce Electrical Storm. with several more yet to enroll for the second week's work. A flerce electrical storm prevailed here second week's work.

MANILLA—The semi-annual conference of the Council Bluffs district of the Des Moines conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held here on Monday and Tuesday. Presiding Elder Griffith was present, as well as a majority of the ministers of the district. Questions relating to the practical workings of the church in the district were discussed at length. last night that did considerable damage to trees and buildings. Lightning struck several residences and at the residence of George M. DeVore at East Twenty-fifth and Easton boulevard Mrs. DeVore was struck and it was some hours before she

regained consciousness. in the district were discussed at length.

CRESTON—A cablegram was received in this city Friday evening from Mrs. Frank Powell, formerly Miss Elenor B. Hicks of this city, announcing her safe arrival in Liverpool. Mrs. Powell is a Creston girl, who sailed several weeks ago for England to join the English company of Miss Ellen Terry, in which she will tour England the coming season. Her husband will assume the stage management of the company.

CRESTON—The magnificent new lodge Weddings Wreck Sunday School. Five weddings between the members of the Cella class, a class of girls, and the Philo Christo class, a class of boys, at the Central Christian church, since last October have about broken up the two classes. A by the members of the classes to celebrate the last wedding.

dedicated yesterday by the members of the local lodge. The ritual of the order was given at 2 o'clock and addresses were delivered by Hon. Thomas Maxwell and D. W. Highee. Following this the lodge was thrown open to the citizens of Creston, who Roe Candidate for Auditor. It is understood among the friends of Olo O. Roe that he probably will be a candidate for the position of state auditor, subject to the republican primaries, next June Mr. Roe comes from Story county. He was evening a ball was given to the members and their friends. One of the facts of which the members of the lodge are most proud is that all of the work of erecting the building was done by its own members. The contractor, plumber, decorator, painter and mason all being prominent members. deputy state auditor for six years and at another time had charge of the banking department. He is now chief clerk in the insurance department in the state auditor's office and is thus, by training, familiar with all the details of the office. Thus far there is no other person announced for the office and so far as generally known there is no WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL other candidate in training

Names State Bank Examiner. Auditor Carroll today named I. M. Sproull, cashler of the Citizens bank at Washington, Ia., as state bank examiner, to succeed Bank Examiner McKee.

Arrest Archaeologist. Prof. August Mau, probably one of the nost noted archaeologists in the country, was arrested here today because of his queer actions. He got immediate recognition from members of the local archaeologist society because of letters of introduction. He claimed to be hunting work. He borrowed some money and it is now sus pected that he is not the noted archaeolo man Hinshaw, Dr. O. L. Lemars has been gist who is the author of scientific works or else is insane.

WILL TEST TWO-CENT LAW Illinois Roads Will Give New Rate a Trial Before Attacking it in

Court. CHICAGO, June 26.-Presidents of Illinois railroads have agreed that there shall be no immediate contest of the 2-cent rate law which becomes effective July 1. The present plan of the railroad officials, as announced today, is to put the rate in effect and later, should passenger earnings show a large decrease to go into court and declare the rate law confiscatory. President Harahan' of the Illinois Cen-

tral railroad, said:

"After a reasonable period of operation under the new law, if there is a decrease in net passenger carnings, as I believe there will be, as a result of the law, we shall present such an exhibit and ask the courts for a decision on the grounds of a loss of revenue which, in its effect we believe to be caloosa, Is., has been awarded the contract confiscatory, I do not believe that the population of Illinois as it is distributed outside of Cook county, will warrant a 2-cent

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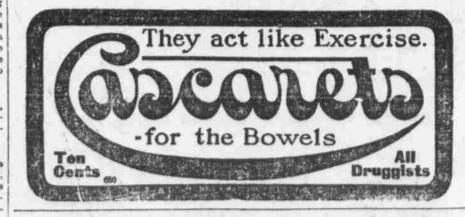
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