

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

COUNCIL BLUFFS
Office 15 Scott Street. Both Phones 43.
MINOR MENTION.

Stocks, drugs,
Hogers, Tony Faust beer,
Buy a diamond for her at Lett's,
Mrs Schmidt's elegant new photos,
Lewis Cutler, funeral director,
Woodring Undertaking company,
Peterson & Schoningh Co.,
Sewing machines, guaranteed, \$15.00 and up,
Leather and water color novelties,
Alexander's Art Store, 332 Broadway,
Send your family washing to the Bluff Laundry,
O. A. Atkins of the independent Tele-phon company,
Mrs. Clara Snodgrass has gone to Emerson, Neb., to join her husband,
Frasa Hetrick, 306 Grace street, was reported to the board of health yesterday as suffering from diphtheria,
Overstocked with diamonds; must turn into cash,
Special discount of 10 per cent on Christmas bookcases,
BUY YOUR HOLIDAY WINE AND LIQUOR,
Excelsior Masonic lodge will meet in regular communication this evening,
WATCH FOR THE GREAT OPENING OF THE TOY DEPARTMENT,
William Kelley, who died last Saturday at his home in Pacific Junction, was buried in St. Joseph cemetery,
The Woman's auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church will hold a special meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Tinley on Willow avenue,
The Ladies' Missionary society of the First Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Knuts, 80 South Sixth street,
James C. Ford, broker, will meet at the Chicago Great Western railroad,
Owing to the high wind the test of the new turret nozzle, recently purchased for the fire department, has been made yesterday morning,
Nine pairs of shoes found in a thrashing machine at Fifteenth and seventh streets and supposed to be a part of the loot from a freight car,
The meeting of the Men's league at the Broadway Methodist church last evening was addressed by State Senator C. G. Hammons on banks and banking in relation to the recent financial flurry,
Arcible Smith, driver for Kretsch brothers, who was injured by falling from a wagon last Saturday, has sufficiently recovered to be able to leave the Edmondson Memorial hospital and return to his home,
Our stock of pictures and arts by leading artists is larger than ever this year,
F. M. Scott, a clerk employed in the First National bank, living at 74 West Washington avenue, reported to the police yesterday the loss of a small pocketbook containing a diamond ring and a diamond stud, valued at about \$50, and a small amount in cash,
Rev. Henry De Long performed the marriage ceremony yesterday for Maurice Beeson and Nellie Peterson, both of Council Bluffs,
Charles W. Ford, a negro, is being held by the police for investigation,
WE NOW HAVE A BIG LINE OF CHIPPING AND BAKING DISHES, CARVING SETS, GILLETTE SAFETY RAZORS, BRISTLE AND FRANKEL PLATED WARE FOR OUR CHRISTMAS TRADE. WE WILL APPRECIATE A LOOK IN ANY LINE OF C. DE VOL HARDWARE COMPANY.

pointed a committee to draft a resolution endorsing the action of Attorney General Myers in his endeavor to enforce the laws of the state.
Ladies' desks for \$200, \$50 and up, Peterson & Schoningh Co.
Christmas Framing,
Do not delay. Place your orders at once for frames. We are just proud of our large showing of handsome mouldings and beautiful oval frames. They are just what you want for your pictures. C. E. Alexander, 323 Broadway.
WATER RATE ORDINANCE GO OVER
Committee of the Whole to Take Them Up This Evening.
Councilman Smith forestalled any action by the city council last night on the water ordinance by asking for an amendment to his measure which eliminates all flat rates and compels the use of meters by all consumers of water.
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blowing the safe in the office of the Council Bluffs Transfer and Storage company, was taken yesterday.
Lumber and building materials. We can quote you the lowest prices and pay the freight besides. C. Hafer Lumber Co., Council Bluffs.
Framed Pictures.
From 25c up—something for everyone. A gift that lasts. Try them. Alexander's.
Opposed to Parcels Post.
The Council Bluffs Commercial club at its monthly meeting last Wednesday expressed itself as opposed to the proposed parcels post and Secretary Reed was instructed to so notify the postmaster general.
In answer we beg to state that the members of our club at the regular meeting on December 5, 1907, declared themselves as almost unanimously against the plan as proposed, your department and passed a resolution condemning the country at large.
Hand-Painted Chins.
Some beautiful pieces, perfectly and artistically done. On all of which we are giving a 20 per cent reduction. Lett's.
Real Estate Transfers.
These transfers were reported to the Recy December 9 by the Pottawattamie County Abstract Company of Council Bluffs:

Johnna P. L. Bouricou and husband, subdivision of ne 1/4 of 20-75-43, \$700
Chas. E. Peterson and wife, 1/2 of lot 4 in Park addition to Macedonia, Ia., \$250
Salma Bell and husband to Leona F. Pauls, lot 5, block 2, Central subdivision to Council Bluffs, Ia., \$200
Agnes Folsom and Ward F. Folsom, Railroad addition to Council Bluffs, Ia., \$15
W. C. Barber and wife, 1/2 of ne 1/4 and 1/2 of ne 1/4 in Piches subdivision in Council Bluffs, Ia., \$1
A. H. Hill and wife, subdivision of ne 1/4 of 20-75-43, \$1,900
Total \$3,065

A beautiful china closet will make an appreciative and lasting Xmas present. Call and see our line. Peterson & Schoningh Co.
Don't take chances with your eyes. Don't wear those "cheap" let's see! invisible pretenders touch them. If you have any eyeglasses, see Dr. Terry, the Council Bluffs optician, at Lett's.
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BIRKENHEAD'S TOBACCO
THE HEIGHT OF GOOD TASTE
NO better tobacco is made anywhere. The finest leaf is selected with the utmost care—only the choicest of the best of every ingredient used.
Not expensive—even though it is the best. Sold in more stores than any other plug tobacco—because particular men demand it.

START PROHIBITION MOVE

Ministerial Association at Des Moines Decides to Call Convention.
CHARGE AGAINST MAJOR PARKER
Railroad and Express Men Gather for Hearing on Express Rates Before the State Railway Commission.

DES MOINES, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the Des Moines Ministerial association today, resolutions were adopted favoring a campaign of agitation for a prohibitory constitutional amendment on all liquor business, and it was decided to issue a call soon for an "amendment convention," at which plans for the campaign will be perfected.
Rev. W. C. Barber, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Iowa, addressed the meeting of the ministers. He informed them that the league is already at work conducting a campaign of agitation for a constitutional amendment, and that the Women's Christian Temperance union and the third party prohibitionists each have paid lecturers who have been put into the field since the sentiment for law enforcement became awakened.

CHARGES AGAINST PARKER
Charges were filed today against Major George H. Parker of the Fifty-sixth regiment of the Iowa National Guard, which necessitates another court martial, the third in the Iowa National Guard within a few weeks, the three being Kulp, Chantland and Parker.
The charges against Major Parker are filed under the sixty-first and sixty-second articles of war and grow out of the trouble and irregularities attending the election of a colonel of the Fifty-sixth, Parker and Chantland being candidates for the position.

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deeming the profession with a little gasoline smell.—Holt County Democrat.
Pitch in the County Jail—Some fellows, whose names we were unable to find out, played a pretty good joke on the fellows who congregate in the corridors of the county jail evenings to while away the time in playing a social game of pitch, one night the forepart of the week. They secured a plank and closed the iron door and braced the plank against it, making the inmates practically prisoners, who finally used the telephone in calling someone from the outside to remove the plank. If the perpetrators of the joke had only cut the telephone wires the joke would have been complete.—Bloomington Advocate.

Most Wonderful Healing.
After suffering many years with a sore, Amos King, Port Byron, N. Y., was cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.
BUSCH IS FOR LOCAL OPTION
Big Brewer Says He is Also in Favor of Modified Sunday Closing.

NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY
Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.
The editor will grin—a good, broad grin—for every one who will pay cash on subscription. If it be a woman he will smile—one of his sweetest smiles.—North Loup Loyalist.

EXPRESS COMPANY WINS SUIT
Not Compelled to Accept Money One Day for Shipment on Trains the Next Day.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—In a decision by the federal circuit court of appeals the South Dakota railroad commission's order, requiring the express company to accept money for shipment on trains the next day, was set aside.

SENIOR BRAND College Clothes
STYLED up to the limit and timed down to the minute. Really smart clothes that surpass the young chap's idea of "the kind he always wanted." The noblest, smartest and nattiest effects shown this season—and priced less than you would imagine.
College Boys favor "SENIORS."

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THE MORE FASTIDIOUS YOU ARE, THE MORE YOU LIKE COMFORT, OR THE MORE ECONOMICAL YOU ARE, THE BETTER YOU WILL LIKE THE GAZIAN SHOE
MADE IN ST. PAUL BY C. GOTTIAN & CO. SINCE 1855.