CURRENT NEWS

COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stockert sells carpets. Ed Rogers, Tony Faust beer, School Supplies, Alexander's, 333 B'way, Lewis Cutier, funeral director, 'Phone 37, Woodring Undertaking company, Tel 339, BUY YOUR STAPLE DRY GOODS AT

We know we have the pest flour. Each is the name. Bartell & Miller. 'Phone 250 C. C. Haynes, funeral director and em-balmer, 301 Broadway. See our stove department. Over 200 heating stoves to choose from. Petersen & Schoening Co.

Belect your pictures from the largest picture department in the city. Borwick, 209-311 South Main St.

The home of Mrs. Jacob Hansen, 1338 South Third street, was quarantined yes-terday for diphtheria.

If you have eye trouble, come in and let me tell you about the new Health-Ray lens. Dr. W. W. Magarrell, optometrist, No. 10 Pearl St.

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Air tight heaters, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00; oil heaters, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00; just the thing for these cool evenings. P. C. DeVol Hardware Co., 604 Broadway.

Joe Sabel of Friend, Neb., and Belle Moore of Dorence, Kan., were married in this city yesterday, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Henry DeLong.

Peter Fourter a transfert cialming Buts. Peter Foster, a transient cialming Buffalo, N. Y., as his home, applied at the police station last night for medical treatment. He was attended by City Physician Tabba.

The foot bail teams of the Council Bluffs and Red Oak High schools will meet on the gridron at the ideal-Hostlers ball park tomorrow afternoon, when a good game is looked for.

Jordan Stricker and Ruth M. Harber, both of Bennett, Neb., were married in this city yesterday morning by Rev. Henry Dellong, the ceremony being performed at his office in the county court house.

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Mrs. Mary Schoentgen, widow of the late John Schoentgen, is in a critical condition at her home, Seventh avenue and Sixth street, as the result of a streke of paralysis which she suffered Wednesday noon. Her left side is completely paralyzed and she was last evening reported to be in a comatose condition, although somewhat improved from Wednesday.

At the close of the testimony of the plaintiff in the suit of John W. Hellwig against Daniel Hoffman and others in the district, court yesterday Judge Thornell took the case from the jury and ordered a verdict entered for the defendants. The suit was on an alleged contract to purchase and saw cottonwood lumber. The court held that the plaintiff had failed to prove delivery.

The fire which broke our Wednesday night at the rear of the printing shop of Woodford & Ainsworth, on Pearl street, is believed to have started in a small room in which gasoline for cleaning the printing presses was kept. Mr. Ainsworth was covered by insurance. The damage to the building and stock of the Tent and Awning company is also gavered by insurance. Charles Barke, former city poundmassier.

Charles Burke, former city poundmaster, instituted habeas corpus proceedings in the superior court yesterday to recover possession of his 4-year-old daughter. Louise. The writ is directed against Mrs. Belle Stout, living at 1122 Avenue C, who has had possession of the child since it was five days old. The hearing was set for next Tuesday, Mrs. Stout rurnishing a bond in the sum of \$200 to produce the child in court at that time. All of the parties are colored.

City Engineer Etnyre stated vesterday

city Engineer Etnyre stated yesterday that he had determined not to make any further attempt to repair the bridge over Indian creek at Fleming avenue, but will replace it with a new structure. The city has on hand steel girders which can be utilized for the new bridge and much of the old lumber can also be used. This is the bridge, the collapse of which brought about the controversy between Mayor Maloney and certain councilmen and the city engineer over the discharge of Bill Hoyt, the bridge foreman.

Night school Western lowa college opens next Monday evening. College office open evenings this week.

Fall term. Western Iowa College is open, cock. Enroll any day. Send for catalogue.

Marriage Licenses. the following:

Name and Residence, Jee Sabel, Friend, Neb...... Bell Moore, Dorence, Kan... H. P. Stolko, Council Bluffs Brace A. Rahlin, Council Bluffs.

WOMAN'S BACKACHE



The back is the mainspring of woman's organism. It quickly calls attention to trouble by aching. It tells, with other symptoms, such as nervousness, headache, pains in the loins, weight in the lower part of the body, that a woman's feminine organism needs immediate attention.

In such cases the one sure remedy which speedily removes the cause, and restores the feminine organism to a healthy, normal condition is

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND Mrs. Will Young, of 6 Columbia

Ave., Rockland, Me., says: "I was troubled for a long time with dreadful backaches and a pain in my side, and was miserable in every way doctored until I was discouraged and thought I would never get well. I read what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and ecided to try it; after taking three bottles I can truly say that I never felt so well in my life."

Mrs. Augustus Lyon, of East Earl, Pa., writes to Mrs. Pinkham: and had no appetite. Lydia E. Pink-

"I had very severe backsches, and pressing-down pains. I could not sleep, ham's Vegetable Compound cured me and made me feel like a new woman."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN. For thirty years Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills. and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearng-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

PICNIC AT COUNTY FARM

Work of Agricultural Experiment Station to Be Inspected.

INTERESTING RESULTS IN CORN

Forenoon Exercises to Be informal and Afternoon to Be Devoted to Speeches and Other

The county poor farm at McClelland will be the scene today of the picnic to be held in connection with the experimental station work at the farm. O. L. Barritt, superintendent of the poor farm, who has conducted under the auspices of the State Agricultural college at Ames, will be master of ceremones as well as host to the visting farmers.

In connection with the picule there will be a discussion of the results obtained from the experimental field of corn grown on the farm from seed taken from planter boxes or seed sacks of eighty-three farmers in different sections of Pottawattamio the officers went to the woman's home on each man's seed being marked so as to dren with her. distinguish it from the rest of the field. K. Bliss and A. E. Nelson, experts from the Iowa State college at Ames, will be present to discuss the experiment and tive and beneficial as possible.

products grown in the county as well as of a milking machine and a milk testing ap- eastern jewelry house. paratus during the afternoon.

Only one part of the day's program will of this city and F. H. Klopping of Underwood, one of the commissioners from Potseq usunpreod 'IK' Asy usq1 sours 'ose tawattamic county to the National Corn exposition to be held in Omaha in Decem-

Charles A. Beno, president of the Council formal exercises.

Forenoon to Sightseeing. Most of the forenoon will be devoted to sight-seeing about the farm, inspection of the stock, grain and vegetable displays and n social pleasures. It is the hope of Superstendent Barritt that the social features f the picnic, which it is proposed to make in annual event may be emphasized and assist in making the time enjoyable for ose who attend, he has engaged the Neola

band, which will play at intervals for the n'ertainment of the plenickers. From to 2 o'clock in the afternoon the county house will be open for the inspection of isitors, who will thus be affarded an opportunity to see the institution of which most of them have heard and read, but

which only a few have seen. The committee on reception consists of Representative Henry C. Brandes and Supervisors Allen Bullis, W. F. Baker, T. J. Johns, Felix Setz and G. W. Spencer. The committee on arrangements is composed of Albert Peterson, Oakland; D. S. Pleak, Oakland; C. P. Wasser, Avoca; A. F. Hager, Aveca; G. H. Darrington Honey Creek; F. H. Klopping, Neola; Geore Whitson, Neola; H. C. Brandes, Han-

The train which will convey people from this city to McClelland will leave the local passenger station of the Chicago Great Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to Western railroad on Main street at 7:50 a. m. A special coach will be provided for those going from here. This coach will be attached to the freight train leaving McClelland about 6 p. m. for the return

> MANY ATTEND THE PARADES Local Hotels Crowded by Overflow

> > from Omaha.

It was figured yesterday that the street railway company carried at least 15,000 people from Council Bluffs to witness the electrical parade in Omaha Wednesday night. Despite the big crowd and the crowding of the cars not an accident was

at 6 o'clock in the evening this number was increased to thirty-four. With this number

Since the first of the week Council Bluffs has been called upon to provide lodging for the overflow from across the river. By noon on Wednesday all of the hotels in this city were taxed to their utpeople away. In each hotel every vantage one Broadway hotel the expedient of placing cots in the basement was resorted to. People were not too perticular. Any old place in which to spend the night went and they were willing to pay for it even if it meant to sleep on a cot alongside

of the furnace in the basement. Several people who came over on the late ears from Omaha in search of a place to sleep were obliged to return across the river. All of the restaurants did a land office business Wednesday, this being particularly true after the crowd got back

Wanted, places for ladies to work for coom and board. Western Iowa College.

Democratic Meetings.

State Senator W. F. Cleveland of Harian, Ia., will address the members of the Bryan-Kern club at the regular weekly meeting this evening at democratic head-quarters, ion Pearl street. Local speakers will also discuss the issues of the present campaign. The meeting will be at 8 o'clock. A democratic rally was held at Bentley last night, the principal speakers being Attorney Harry L. Robertson, candidate for county attorney. Other candidates on the democratic county ticket present were Fred charge. Bryan-Kern club at the regular weekly lemocratic county ticket present were Fred Niemann, Myers Hansen, Mack Goodwin

and W. H. Barghausen. The meeting was presided over by W. H. Schurz, vice chairman of the democratic county central committee.

J. J. Hughes, member of the state democratic committee, received word last evening that Congressman William P. Black would spend all of next week in the Ninth Iowa congressional district. Mr.

democratic candidate for United States senator, will also speak in Council Bluffs before the close of the campaign, but the date

WOMEN AND CHILDREN DISAPPEAR Police Unable to Secure Any Trace of

Them. Mrs. Catherine McGee, against whom an information had been filed charging her with being mentally deranged, left her home at 2218 Fifth avenue yesterday afteroon, taking her five children with her and up to a late hour last night the authorities had been unable to secure any trace

Mrs. McGee's husband, who is a carriage painter, is said to be working in Cedar Rapids, but according to a statement by the woman to the police he has not written or sent any money to his family for three. weeks. The family is said to be almost destitute and this and other troubles are believed to be responsible for Mrs. Mc-Gee's alleged condition.

According to the police the unfortunate woman is laboring under the hallucination been in charge of the experimental station, that Patrolman Allen is her husband and she has recently written several letters to him, addressed to police headquarters.

Reuben Herner, truant officer for the school district, yesterday filed in the district court an application that the woman's five children, whose ages range from 4 to 13 years, be ordered placed in the Associated Charities creche until some other disposition could be made for them. When ounty last spring. This seed was all Fifth avenue, it was found she had left planted in one field, the plat devoted to there shortly before, taking the five chil-

Games Does Not Work.

Wednesday evening a stranger dropped into a Broadway saloon and while taking its results, in order to make it as instruc- a drink bemoaned the loss of a valuable diamond ring for the recovery of which There will also be exhibits of wheat, he said he was willing to pay a reward of sorn, outs, potatoes and other farm \$50. To the bartender to whom he recounted the loss of the ring the man said his name stock. There will be a demonstration of was Duncan and that he traveled for an

Not long after Duncan had left the saloon another stranger seedy as to clothbe at all formal in character and that will ing and appearance, drifted into the place be in the afternoon, when addresses will and confidentially informed the bartender be made by State Senator C. G. Saunders that he had just found a handsome diamond ring. He was in need of cash and not in need of a diamond ring. At the request of the bartender the fellow produced the ring and the practiced eye of the dispenser of drinks at once perceived that it was a "phony." The fellow was willing to Bluffs Commercial club, will preside at the sell the ring to the bartender for \$3.50 spot cash, but the bartender instead of purchasing called the police and gave the felow into custody. In police court yesterday norning the fellow who gave the name of John Baker was given ten days in the city jail.

the man who had lost the valuable ring. The graft that the two men tried to work on the bartender, who, however, was too wise, the police say, is an old one.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee October 1 by the Pottawattamie County

Abstract company of Council Bluffs: Abstract company of Council Bluffs:
Jessica J. Sedentoph and husband to
Ada Benson, lot 14, in Original plat
lot 74, in Council Bluffs, q, c, d, ..., \$
Jessica J. Stedentoph and husband to
Rose D. Clark, 8½ of the wie of lot 3,
in Aud subd. of pt. of 8½ ne½ of
25-75-44, q, c, d.
Agnes Wehrhaha and husband to Willlam and Leuis Hall, und, ½ int. in
lots 21 and 22, in blk. 11, iz Burns'
add. to Council Bluffs, w d.
O. B. Polk and wife to Eva B. Warner, lot 9, in blk. 33, in Bayliss and
Palmer's add. to Council Bluffs,
w d.

L Woolfson and wife to Elme

Hart, lets 11 and 12, in blk. 12, in erce's subd., in Council Bluffs. d.

S. Best and wife to W. W. Paier, lot 1, in bik. 12, in Mullin's subd.
Counicl Bluffs, q. c. d...
W. Squire and wife to Benjamin W. Squire and wife to Benjamin Fehr Real Estate company, lot 9, in W. d. Leuis St. Antoine, wildower, to George W. Boyer, lots 1 and 2, in blk. 12, in Macedonia, w. d. Nathan E. Tyrell, guardian, to Adolph Diwoky, lot 6, in blk. 1 in McMahon, Cooper & Jefferis' add. to Council Bluffs, guardian

Board Sustains Chief.

The Board of Fire and Police commis sioners at its regular monthly session last night approved the action of Major George H. Richmond, chief of police, in discharging Patrolman Collins and suspending indefinitely Patrolman Steinfel. The discharged of the large cars on the Omaha line and officers, however, are reserved the privilege of demanding a trial if they so desire Several applicants for positions in both of cars the big crowd was handled in ex- the fire and police departments were exellent shape and the bulk of those who amined. Among those who took the exwent to Omaha to see the parade were amination for the police department were brought home before midninght. The cars W. H. Richards, who voluntarily resigned after this hour were only partly filled with about three weeks ago, and S. B. Smith, a stragglers who had stayed to take in the former patrolman, who resigned nearly a sights in the carnival grounds and other year ago to go west. Both desire to re-enter the department in which they bore firstclass records as officers.

Independent Ticket Incubating OTTUMWA, Oct. 2.-Following of Hearst necessary papers will be filed tomorrow spot was utilized to place cots in and in with the secretary of state. The slate Which has been decided upon by the leaders

is as follows: For Governor-L. H. Weller, Nashua, For Lleutenant Governor-A. J. Cronkhite, Cedar Rapids. State Secretary-Harry H. Mix. For State Auditor-James E. Danek, Fairfax. For State Treasurer-Harry Sowden,

For Attorney General-W. H. Van Fleet, For State Superintendent of Public In-traction—L. J. Mesmer, Burlington, For Railroad Commissioner—F. M. Simp-

MARSHALLTOWN—The district court will be asked to grant a change of venue in the case of W. D. Toler who is in jail, being held for the murder of George W. Davies, an Iowa Central striker.

Iowa News Notes.

MARSHALLTOWN-W. Warner, aged 25 years, whose permanent residence is not known, was instantly killed late Tuesday afternoon by falling from a tank on which he was working at the Chicago, Rock is-land & Pacific railroad at Traer, Tama county. Warner was heating rivets on a platform thirty feet from the ground. He stepped backwards, and slipped off the platform, falling thirty feet to the cement floor below. His skull was fractured and death was instantaneous.

MARSHALLTOWN-A telegram received Black's itinerary has not been arranged definitely and Mr. Hughes hopes to be ably to secure him for a meeting in Council Bluffs.

MRSHALLTOWN—A telegram received club two propositions for the erection of a viaduct across the railroad tracks at Seventh street leading to South Des Moines and the passenger revenue decreased \$1,107,230.05 at viaduct across the railroad tracks at Seventh street leading to South Des Moines and the passenger revenue decreased \$2,24.27, whil all the other revenue for transportation is to build a viaduct sufficiently strong to carry ordinary traffic, but not strong enough to carry two years, going to Red Oak five years ago, where he remained until two years been pastor of a Minnespolis church.

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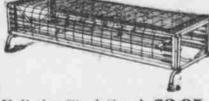
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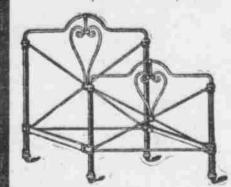
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CONSOLIDATION

375 George Neal Pleads Guilty to Crack- day as one of the suspects charged with Says Money Was from National Coming the Safe of the Postoffice at Slatter and is Held to the Federal Grand Jury.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Oct. 1 .- (Special.) -- Repre- fense. sentative John Sullivan of Polk county, who is a candidate for the position of speaker of the next session, is preparing a bill providing that all school, city, county and township funds must be deposited at vital importance to all cities of Iowa in interest and that the people shall have the which paving litigation is in progress or benefit of the interest paid on the funds. prospective, was given today at Des Moines the subject of the publicity of campaign Mr. Sullivan believes that many thousands in the cases of the Barber Asphalt Paving contributions. of dollars will come into the public treas- company against G. W. Calhoun and ury by this means that is otherwise a gift Timothy Brown of this city. The decision to the banks of the state.

the proper division of the funds among the decision affirms the decision given by banks will remedy the difficulty of the Judge C. B. Bradshaw in the trial court. banks being in politics. It is claimed that At the first trial of the cases, the as test between the banks of the city or county to secure the deposit of the public funds. It is believed that when the banks have to pay interest on these funds their interest in the matter will be taken out.

Along the same line it is claimed that there will be bills introduced at the next seesion to consolidate the various treasurers on one office. For instance the county treasurer collects all the taxes and it is argued there is no reason why he should not retain the morey and pay it out on the warrant of the proper officer of law. It is therefore planned to do law away with the offices of school treasurer and township treasurer and all the other petty treasurers and provide for the county treasurer to act for all. It is claimed that the report of the school law revision commission will recommend that the office of school treasurer be abolished and that the county treasurer be abolished and that the county treasurer be made the custodian of the funds.

Made Sixteen Citizens.

Free School in identical against all the school are recommended to the district.

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PAY FOR PUBLIC DEPOSITS sufficient to earry street cars if the city BRYAN REPLIES TO TAFT sufficient to carry street cars if the city share of the expense.

It is probable the city will endeavor to Representative Sullivan of Opinion get a better law through the legislature Nebraskan Reiterates His 5 1 men next winter, one that will make it easier to compel the railroads to build viaduts. It is claimed that the present law is chiefly drawn so as to prevent their erection

Guilty of Safe-Cracking. George Neal, the bandit, arrested yester robing the Slatter, Ia., postoffice, pleaded guilty today before Commissioner Mc-Arthur of the federal court. He will be taken before Judge Smith McPherson at the next sitting of the court here and sentenced. He claims this to be his first of-

Important Paving Decision,

MARSHALLTOWN, Oct. 2 .- (Speciail.) -A supreme court decision which is of is that the paving company cannot collec-It is argued, too, that this scheme with from the property owners involved. The

in almost every county of the state the sessments made against the property by contest for county treasurer and in most the city, to pay for the paving, was set of the cities for city treasurer it is a con- aside because the contract was not ful-

son, Ottumwa.

For Supreme Judge—G. B. Holbert, Iowa Potentates and rulers of ten foreign coun- in the city. The object of the institution city, and James Hourihan, Mount Pleasant, tries.

About Campaign Publicit . . .

mittee, but Omits Any Reference as to What Was Done With It.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. f.-Declaring that every disinterested voter knows that large contributions have been used to secure mortgages upon officials," William J. Bryan tonight issued a statement criticising the adoption by William H. Taft, his republican opponent for president, of President Roosevelt's announced view on

Mr. Bryan said in part:

I am surprised to find that Mr. Taft inderses the president's views on the subject of publicity as to campaign funds, but since he holds these views, I am glad that he makes them known now. We now have publicity before the election as to his opinion, even if he does not believe in publicity of contributions until after the election. He fails to see the difference between the publication of contributions before election and the publication of expenditures before election. The publication of expenditures is required to show whether corrupt methods have been employed in the election and as the expenditures continue up to the Mr. Bryan said in part;

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knowledge which they may acquire, and they ought not to be required to employ detectives to find out what the officials are doing after the election. Mr. Taft knows that a great many matters come beknows that a great many matters come be-fore executives and legislatures where it is difficult, if not impossible, for the aver-age voter to investigate—the facts. The people have a right to know in advance of election whether those with special inter-ests to look after are contributing sums larger that public spirit, patriotic motives and general interests would explain.

Case of Mr. Hughes. Mr. Taft misrepresents what I said in Mr. Taft misrepresents what I said in regard to Mr. Hughes. I called attention to some of the contributions that were made to Mr. Hughes' fund, and in view of the fact that Mr. Hughes attacks the remedies presented in the democratic platform as a cure for the trusts without advancing any remedies of his own, and in view of the further fact that this testimony was quoted by the president against me. I asked the president whether he thought that these contributions by trust magnates would lessen or increase the weight of Mr. Hughes' testimony on the subject of trusts. would lessen or increase the weight of Mr. Hughes' testimony on the subject of trusts. It is only fair, however, to assume that in using Mr. Hughes' case as an argument Mr. Taft means to say that he will not object to contributions from trust magnates, railroad magnates and tariff beneficiaries, no matter how much those contributions may be, even though he may, if elected, be compelled to pass upon questions where their demands may be on the one side and the interests of the general public on the other. He must not complain if he finds that many republicans of the rank and file will differ from him on this subject. for the average man will judge aspirants for office by the rules applied to average men. Common sense and the o average men. Common sense and miversal judgment are against Mr. T

position and against the an ne advances in its support. After giving out the above statement Mr. Bryan referred to Mr. Taft's statement that Thomas F. Ryan contributed \$15,000 to the Nebraska campaign fund in

1904, and said: This was denied, but I assume that he has taken the statements of some of his republican advisers without taking time to

verify those statements. Mr. Ryan did not contribut any money to Mr. Ryan did not contribut any money to the Nebraska campaign fund. The national committee contributed \$15,000 in 1994 and the members of the national committee who had charge of the fund have stated that the contribution was made from the general fund of the committee and was not contributed to the committee by any one for the purpose of being sent to Nebrasks.

