

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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BOARD MAY PAY THE TUITION

Plan to Provide Facilities for Pupils in Out-Of-District.

ATTEND THE SCHOOLS IN OMAHA

Cheaper to Pay Expense of Tuition Than to Provide Facilities for Instruction in Their Own District.

It is likely that the Board of Education, when it meets in adjourned session Wednesday night will solve the problem confronting it at the Courtland school by paying, for the present at least, the tuition in the Omaha schools of those pupils residing in Out-Off who have passed the sixth grade.

At the meeting of the board last week it was represented that there were five pupils who, having passed the sixth grade, the highest grade taught in the Courtland school, had gone to the Lake school, which the Omaha school most accessible to that portion of the city of Council Bluffs lying west of the Missouri river. The Omaha school authorities, however, notified the parents of these pupils that they must pay tuition the same as is demanded of nonresident pupils.

A statute provides that when children live an unreasonable distance from their own school, the board may contract with boards of other school townships or independent districts for the instruction of children thus deprived of school advantages, in any school therein, and the cost thereof shall be paid from the teachers' fund.

While this law makes no specific provision for attendance outside the state, there is no prohibition upon such a plan, said Mr. Speller. The fact that no mention is made of paying tuition to a school district in another state is probably because such a contingency was not thought of when the law was drawn up.

To pay for the tuition of these five pupils in the Omaha schools, it is conceded by the members of the Board of Education, would be far less costly than to establish the seventh and eighth grades in the Courtland school, which would mean the employment of an additional teacher and the opening of another room.

PAY TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

Veterans Attend Exercises at Broadway Methodist Church. Tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln, the martyred president, was paid last evening at the Broadway Methodist church by a special commemorative service, a feature of which was the recital by Mrs. Dollie Dick Burgess of Lincoln's favorite poem, "Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?"

WELCOME WORDS TO WOMEN

Women who suffer with disorders peculiar to their sex should write to Dr. Pierce and receive free the advice of a physician of over 40 years' experience—a skilled and successful specialist in the diseases of women. Every letter of this sort has the most careful consideration and is regarded as sacredly confidential. Many sensitively modest women write fully to Dr. Pierce what they would shrink from telling to their local physician.

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IOWALEGISLATORS ARE SLOW

Three Weeks of Session Closes, with No Important Law Enacted.

APPROPRIATION BILLS WAIT

Deadlock on Junketing Trip Forces Other Legislation to Background—School Officials Oppose Codifying Laws.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Three weeks of active work on the part of the Iowa legislature without a single measure of state-wide importance passed, in line with the recommendations of the governor. This is the record of the thirty-third general assembly to date.

The only measure which was of statewide application which has passed was one to make Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday, and this had no opposition. The other bills which have gone to the governor are mainly legalizing acts or acts to correct small errors in the code.

Nothing has been done in regard to appropriations, as only the bills for state institutions have been received. The state has about \$1,500,000 for expenditure in the two years. The three state colleges are asking \$1,000,000 and the board of control asks \$500,000 for the fifteen other institutions.

Christie Endeavor Anniversary

The twenty-eighth anniversary of the organization of the Society of Christian Endeavor was celebrated at the First Presbyterian church last evening with a special service. The meeting was conducted by Rev. Marcus P. McClure, the pastor, assisted by Everett Wright, president of the City Union of Christian Endeavor societies.

Automobile Company Incorporates

The title of a new company, which recently filed articles of incorporation, will erect a garage on Fourth street. The building will be 50x110 feet and will be constructed of cement blocks. The company expects to begin construction at once and is now awaiting material.

Amendment of Primary Election Law

Proposed to return to the circle on the ballot for the general election to avoid alleged confusion. Strengthening the railroad commission and giving it more power of public service corporations. This would make the commission appointive.

Change in Law of Mortgages

Adopting the law of Minnesota as to a fee in lieu of other taxes. Creation of a commerce court to appear for the people in all matters affecting rates and assessments of railroads.

Requiring Reports from Corporations

Direct inheritance tax. Assessment of railroad terminals locally. Authorizing county or district agricultural high schools with state aid.

Placing the State Educational Institutions under one Board

In the work of the legislature the senate has gone very much farther than the house, the committees of the latter reporting any bills upon which the house could work. The organization of the house was effected by compromises which prevent any concerted program, and there is fear that important measures will fall just because of this fact.

Record to Date

The record of laws passed in each house and by both houses to date is as follows: Passed both houses: H. R. 1.—Requirement that the bonds of ex-cutors and similar officers shall be secured annually.

Bills Pending Senate

Passed the senate alone: S. F. 3.—Requiring banks to pay interest on county fundings. S. F. 4.—Giving additional powers to county attorneys.

S. F. 5.—Requiring lights on boats in Iowa. S. F. 6.—Requiring removal of public buildings to open outwardly. S. F. 7.—Revising law as to distribution of coal.

Iowa News Notes

FORT DODGE.—Leighton Bros., a large plumbing concern, reorganized today and L. L. Leighton, the senior partner, retired from active business.

MASON CITY.—Aas R. Hulbert, a prominent and wealthy farmer living near Clear Lake, committed suicide shortly before noon today by hanging himself in the barn.

FORT DODGE.—The memorial service for the late Thomas D. Healy held Saturday afternoon in the Webster county court house, presided over by R. M. Wright presiding, was attended by crowds of Fort Dodge people.

MASON CITY.—Because of the frequent robberies which have been successfully "pulled off" during the last few weeks, Chief of Police Lock today issued an order that all persons found on the streets at night should be of good character or else they must be able to give a satisfactory explanation of their presence abroad at that hour of the night.

EXTENDING OKLAHOMA ROAD

French Banks Are Furnishing the Funds to Build the Line.

MUSKOGEE, Okl., Feb. 8.—Authoritative announcement was made here today by Vice President and General Manager D. P. Dewar of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf Railway company that this new line, which has just been completed from Wagoner to Calvin, Okla., a distance of 110 miles, will immediately be extended on from Calvin to Denison, Tex., ninety-two miles farther.

NEWS HEARD AT OLD KIRKWOOD

With Sons of Postmaster General Omaha Was Spending Evening in Washington and Got Near Beside of President.

"It was either in the latter part of 1869 or early in 1870 that I first saw Abraham Lincoln at Columbus, O., where he delivered an address before one of the Ohio literary or school societies," said S. S. Peters, a civil war veteran and newspaper man. "He was just then fresh from his laurels in his debate with Stephen A. Douglas."

PACKING INQUIRY BROADENS

Others Besides Nelson Morris Said to Be in Line of Investigation.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Following District Attorney Sims' return to Chicago today from Washington, where he was in conference with Attorney General Bonaparte it was reported today that the inquiry into the matter of packing industry, begun some weeks ago by the summoning of the employees of Morris & Co., is to be extended so as to include most of the big packers in the stock yards.

DUEL IS FATAL TO BOTH MEN

One Dead When Picked Up and Other Expires in a Few Minutes.

DESLOGE, Mo., Feb. 8.—George Ketheride and John Hughes fought a duel in the main street of Leadwood, near here, last night, and each received fatal wounds. Their bodies were taken off each other by citizens after the firing had ceased. Hughes was carried to the home of his sister and died twenty minutes later. Ketheride was dead when his friends reached his side.

BRYAN DENIES BEING INJURED

Arrives at Jacksonville and Delivers an Address in the Evening.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 8.—W. J. Bryan reached Jacksonville yesterday from Deland and emphatically denied the report that he was injured in an automobile accident near Tarpon Springs.

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NIGHT OF GRIEF AND ANGER

S. S. Peters, Veteran Newspaper Man, Tells of Lincoln's Assassination.

Erastus Dennison and William Neil Denison, sons of Postmaster General William Dennison. We were at the Kirkwood hotel during the early part of the night, when about 11 o'clock a messenger came hurriedly into the hotel lobby and asked if Postmaster General Dennison was there, that he was wanted immediately at the Ford theater, as President Lincoln had been shot. The Denison boys and I hurried out immediately to find the postmaster general, and accompanied him to the vicinity of O'Connell's, the building of the Ford theater, where a great crowd was densely thronged with an excited mob calling for instant vengeance upon the assassin of the president.

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