

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA

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MINOR MENTION

Davis, drugs. Borwick, wall paper. Lewis Cutler, funeral director. Phone 37. Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. 228. FAIRBANK BEER AT ROGERS' BUFFET. Mastic ranges, E. C. DeVos. Marjorie Co. Cut flowers. Herman Bros. Florists, 10 Pearl street. Pyrography outfits and wood. Alexander's, 235 Broadway. Two, three or five rooms for rent, 531 West Broadway, upstairs. BAIRD, LONGENECKER & BOLAND, undertakers. Phone 12. H. N. Main St. THE DELIGHTFUL comfort of perfectly fitting glasses. Dr. Terry affords this at Leffer's. The annual meeting of the Commercial club, which fifty directors will be elected, will be held Wednesday, March 3. O. R. Wickham left last evening on a visit to Burlington, Wis. E. Rohrer on his visit his son, Robert, at St. Mary's Kan. The first shoot for the Petersen & Schoening trophy will be held this afternoon at the grounds of the Edgewater Gun club at Manawa. Miss Beesie Brno left Thursday for a visit to friends in Chicago. She was accompanied to Chicago by her brother, Mr. Don Beno. Council Bluffs chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will give a Martha Washington card party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Drayton W. Bushnell. A general meeting of all the chapters of the Woman's guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. F. Rohrer on Vine street. The woman's auxiliary will meet Friday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Emmet Tinley, on Willow avenue. Dave Roach and John Lewis, charged with breaking and entering the chicken house of Thomas Johnson, took a change of venue yesterday from the police court to the court of Justice Cooper, where their hearing was postponed to March 1. Roach and Lewis each gave bonds in the sum of \$20 for their appearance in court on that date. Prof. M. L. Bowman will address the men's meeting under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association at the First Baptist church at 4 o'clock on Wednesday evening. Prof. Bowman, who is a member of the faculty of the Iowa State Agricultural college at Ames, will talk on the subject of his address, "The Value of an Education." and Miss Martha Florence Byers of this city, will read a paper on "The Value of an Education" at the home of Mrs. J. B. Landis, 2813 Seventh avenue, on Wednesday evening. Williams, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of guests, a few intimate friends of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Lortimer will reside on the groom's farm in Union county.

GRAND JURY FINISHES UP

Fails to Reindict in Several Cases Which Were Quashed.

ONE OF BATTEY CASES IN LIST

Gambling Charge Against John N. Sheffer Ignored, but Judge Declines to Dismiss Bond and He is Held to March Term.

The district court grand jury reported Saturday afternoon six indictments and was discharged for the term. As Judge Thornell was on the point of adjourning court in order that he might go to Sidney to spend Sunday with his family, he turned the batch of indictments over to the clerk of the court with instructions to look them up in his hands until Monday. No bonds were fixed, no bench warrants issued and the indictments will not be made public until Monday.

The records, however, show that the grand jury failed to return indictments in several of the cases which had been referred to it. One against John N. Sheffer for running a gambling house; two against H. V. Battey, one for embezzlement and one for keeping a house of ill fame and the other for maintaining a nuisance; one against George Towler for maintaining a nuisance, and one jointly against Gus Volkus, Charles Perrine, and William Williams for running a gambling house.

The entry of Judge Thornell in the court record shows that in the case in which H. V. Battey, former clerk of the district court, and Ernest Lathrop, former deputy county recorder, that the grand jury for 1908 had failed to return a fresh indictment. The entry reads: Cause dismissed by grand jury defendant discharged and bond exonerated." No such entry appears in the record as to the case in which Mr. Battey was charged with embezzlement, so it is presumed that the grand jury has found a new indictment on this charge.

Some Who Go Free.

The grand jury failed to return indictments in the following cases which were submitted to it: George Towler, saloon-keeper, charged with maintaining a nuisance; Charles Perrine, Gus Volkus and William Frazier, formerly indicted jointly on the charge of keeping a gambling house, and John N. Sheffer, charged with keeping a gambling house. In the case of John Sheffer the court declined to discharge the defendant and ordered that he be held to the grand jury at the March term of court. Sheffer's bond was placed at \$400, which he furnished during the afternoon.

The grand jury appeared to have some trouble in reaching a conclusion in the cases against H. V. Battey, the former clerk of the district court. Shortly after court convening yesterday morning an appeal before Judge Thornell and through its foreman, A. K. Chambers, asked for further instructions. In response to a question from the court, Foreman Chambers stated that the evidence before the grand jury indicated that the defendant Battey was charged with embezzling had been repaid to the county and members of the grand jury desired to ascertain whether they should take this into consideration in determining whether new indictments should now be returned. Judge Thornell read to the jury the law on embezzlement, explaining its provisions at some length. The return of the property, he informed the jury, did not exonerate the accused person.

Hearing in Saloon Case.

The hearing in the contempt proceedings against Hansen & Nielsen, saloon men, was begun yesterday before Judge Thornell. The proceedings grew out of the suit of Mrs. Ivy Goldsberry against Hansen & Nielsen, in which the jury awarded Mrs. Goldsberry \$300 damages for the sale of liquor by the defendants to her minor son, Bert Sult. Following the rendering of the verdict Judge Thornell ordered the county attorney to file the contempt case against the saloon men, an injunction having been obtained against them in 1904 by Attorney S. B. Wadsworth. For the state suit and several other young men were called as witnesses to testify that they were minors and had purchased liquor at the defendants. These alleged sales were denied by the defendants, who testified that they had repeatedly refused to sell to Sult and had notified him to keep away from their saloon at 230 West Broadway. The hearing was not completed yesterday and will be resumed Monday.

Big Doings by Eagles.

Council Bluffs acrole, Fraternal Order of Eagles, is planning for a big initiation to be followed by a banquet Friday evening. A class of 150 candidates will be instructed in the art of flying. At the banquet there will be a program of toasts, music, both instrumental and vocal and other features. Among the speakers will be Mayor James Dahlman of Omaha, Mayor Thomas Maloney of Council Bluffs, George F. West of Omaha, Harry M. Plaster, editor of the "Mid-West Eagle", J. M. Tanner of South Omaha, Emmet Tinley and S. B. Wadsworth of this city. If the arrangements can be made the initiation ceremonies and banquet will be held in the auditorium.

Holiday Hours Monday.

The banks will be closed Monday, it being a legal holiday, and at the city hall Washington's birthday will be observed by closing all of the offices except that of the city clerk, who will keep open until noon. At the county court house the offices of the treasurer, auditor and recorder will be closed, but as district court will be in session the offices of the clerk and the sheriff will have to be open. The stores, it is understood, will be open for business as usual, but the saloons will have to be kept closed. The public library will observe the holiday and will be closed.

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How to Test a Newspaper Advertisement

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Test No. 6

Of a series of Ten tests which an advertiser should apply to every advertisement before he publishes it.

The complete set mailed upon addressing John Lee Mahin 125 Monroe St. Chicago

A single newspaper advertisement, standing alone, cannot perhaps be said to possess within itself the quality of persistency of pertinacity. It can, however, form a part of and bear out a plan which a business house has adhered to strictly for years.

The trade mark, or name of a house which is reproduced in newspaper publicity in an individual or characteristic style, indicates that each advertisement containing it is one of a series or that the use of advertising space is an established policy of the house.

In no other way can a merchant win confidence or establish so thorough a credit with the public as by advertising prudently and persistently in the newspapers.

Confidence is a plant of slow growth, but persistency is its sun, rain and fertilizer.

When the late Frank Cooper, of Siegel, Cooper & Co., was running a store in Peoria and needed \$10,000 he did not go to the bank for it. He frankly told the people that he wanted to raise this amount of money and got it by offering them inducements for immediate purchases.

Persistency in an advertiser is necessary to establish such a reputation with the people that he can command co-operation like this.

An advertiser establishes his character with the public the same as he does with his bank by persisting in making promises and never failing to fulfill them. A credit with the great general public is a very present help in time of need.

A persistent advertising campaign covering a period of three years in legitimate newspapers will seldom fail to produce a good will asset that is worth more to the advertiser than the entire amount spent in newspaper space during that time.

In preparing a newspaper advertisement, remember this quality of persistency—the fact that it is published as a part of a house's policy and will either build or break down prestige.

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Bee Want Ads Produce Results

Stock to Amount of \$70,000 Subscribed in Marshalltown Light and Power Company.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Determined to secure public utilities, such as gas, electric light and power, which both in quantity and quality shall meet the public demand and at a cost which shall be just, business men of this city today subscribed \$70,000 in stock of a \$200,000 corporation which proposes to erect the plant. This amount was subscribed in fifteen minutes and the rest, it is expected, will be subscribed within a week.

This is the first determined move the business men of the city have made in their fight to either out or bring to terms the Marshalltown Light, Power and Railway company. The outgrowth of this movement, it is expected, will be either the erection of the plant or the beginning of outer proceedings to take from the present company its charter.

CITIZENS FOR LIGHT COMPANY

Take Championship of Northwest Iowa by Defeating Algona.

PORT DODGE, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Port Dodge High school, with Charles Meloy, Richard Colby and George Bradshaw as debaters, won the championship of northwest Iowa in the state league contest last night here, the negative winning the unanimous decision over Algona. The judges were David Evans of Hampton, John M. Hemingway of Hampton and S. F. Paville of Storm Lake.

Tobin college lost the second annual debate with Humboldt last night at Humboldt. The decision was two to one.

Workman Killed by Fall. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Mystery surrounds the death of Cashmer Lumkoski, 30 years old, who fell five stories to his death at the plant of the Cudahy Packing company this afternoon. Lumkoski went through an elevator shaft and, as far as is known, no one witnessed the mishap. Whether it was an accident, suicide or foul play has not been determined by the police. Lumkoski's skull was crushed, death being instantaneous.

Liquor Taken in Raid. LOGAN, Ia., Feb. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—By authority of County Attorney C. C. Smith, Sheriff Rock arrested August Bierbach of Missouri Valley Saturday afternoon for maintaining a nuisance. The specific charge was in keeping liquor, and five wagon loads were taken from the basement of his place of business and hauled to Logan. Bierbach will be tried Friday for maintaining a nuisance.

An Aste Collision means many bad bruises, which Buckler's Arnica Salve heals quickly, as it does sores and burns. So. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

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