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PATRONAGE WRANGLE IN IAIN

Effort to Divide Plums in Iowa is Fruitless.

CAUCUS COMMITTEE AN ISSUE

Row Develops Over Question of Apportionment—Progressives Stand Ground in Position of Opposition.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
DES MOINES, Jan. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Efforts made late this afternoon to secure an agreement on the part of members of the Iowa house for a division of the patronage came to naught.

A committee of three from each faction wrestled with the matter for some time. The sticking point, however, was not so much that of patronage as it was that of an agreement not to have a caucus committee appointed. The committee consisted of Representatives Johnson, Moore, Klay, Crist, Fulton and Cunningham. The reason for asking that no caucus committee be appointed is that by so doing there will be no chance for a regularly called senatorial caucus. The progressives refuse to concede this and it is feared that unless they yield the minority will not go into the house caucus at all. All opposition to Representative Stittman for speaker has disappeared. It is expected that the senate organization will be held early tomorrow, as the senators have all agreed upon it.

Byers May Be Out of Race.

A sudden change in the senatorial program followed the unexpected announcement that the city council made a tender to ex-Archbishop General Byers of the position of corporation counsel for Des Moines at \$5,000 a year. Mr. Byers has practically accepted the place. In fact, the arrangement has been under consideration for some time. This may take Byers out of the senatorial race entirely, though he was regarded as a leader before the caucus.

Friendship is in Doubt.

There are now several candidates for state printer and state binder, including R. A. Stann, Adair; S. M. Greene, Charlton; J. G. Lomas, Maquoket; George Galliano, Des Moines; Robert Henderson, Council Bluffs; George Tucker and Lars Bindland, Webster city. Two candidates are in the field for state binder: Joe Long, Cassiopolis, and John Jamison, Guthrie county. The caucus for these offices is usually held late in the session, so that they are not elected until near the close and do not take office for more than two years.

Two City Cases in Court.

City Solicitor Robert Brennan will go to Council Bluffs to appear tomorrow before Judge McPherson in two cases from Des Moines. The first is the injunction suit of the gas company to prevent lowering of gas rates in Des Moines. The company will endeavor to show that the reduction would leave the company with less than 2 per cent net profits. The other is an appeal from the report of the master in chancery as to the water company rates.

City Railway Earnings.

The gross earnings of the Des Moines street railway increased more than \$20,000 in 1910. The gross earnings of the company for the year were \$1,082,338.82. According to classification of government census authorities, makes Des Moines a "Class A" city. There are twenty-seven other such cities in the country.

Shippers to Get Rebates.

Many Des Moines shippers are signing

a petition asking the Interstate Commerce commission to secure rebates on freight rates already paid.

Water Company is Blamed.
The report of George W. Fuller, New York City, as an expert on the city water supply of Des Moines, made to the council today, virtually places upon the company the blame for the typhoid fever epidemic and exonerates the company for the methods in use in securing water for the system. It is pointed out that infection is very probable because of the methods used and the lack of care in having the water filtered.

Horse Sale at Mason City.
MASON CITY, Ia., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Twenty-three standard bred and record horses were sold under the hammer here yesterday. Colonel Hain of Lexington, Ky., crying the sale. It was given under the auspices of the Mason City Horse Sales company, and was the first of a series of sales they expect to give regularly each year. About sixty more, mostly record horses, were sold in the afternoon, principal among which was Dr. B. P. gray stallion, owned by Woods & Bockhaus. The firm is to dissolve and Mr. Bockhaus bought him at \$1,500. The twenty-three head sold yesterday on an average of \$133, the sale totaling \$3,321.

Iowa News Notes.
LAKE CITY—After being threatened by the agent of the State Board of Education to lose accreditation privileges on account of lack of sufficient laboratory and library equipment, the city school board voted an appropriation for the additional equipment of these departments of the high school. Prof. Emsich, state superintendent of education, has been favorably acted upon by the state board.

IDA GROVE—When Attorney Will E. Johnston was abroad last summer he met the late John H. Morgan, the aviator who recently fell to his death, and they became fast friends. Johnston saw Morgan in England and also saw him the day he shocked the British navy by suddenly appearing in the heavens as he dashed out of a fog and maneuvered over the British channel fleet.

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Bryant, Griswold; H. S. Ely, Arthur Poe, Cedar Rapids; C. O. Harrington, Vinton; V. R. McGinnis, Leon; C. F. Mauss, Milford; F. S. Merritt, Mrs. Agnes W. Smith, Waterloo; and Thomas H. Smith and Edward S. White, Harlan.

IOWA CITY—Walter M. Davis of Iowa City has been chosen president of the Johnson County Savings bank here to succeed W. F. Fry, resigned. The elevation came at a meeting of a meeting of the board of directors last evening. Mr. Davis assumes his duties immediately.

DEATH RECORD.

Es-Sheriff J. M. Smith.
MADISON, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—J. M. Smith died at the home of his son, Monroe Smith of this city, at 9 a. m. Thursday. His death was hastened by a paralytic stroke received several days ago. He leaves a widow and five sons to mourn his loss.

Sheriff C. S. Smith, Monroe Smith, deputy sheriff; A. V. Smith, Elmer Smith of Madison and C. A. Smith, cashier of the Elkhorn National bank of Tilden, all well and favorably known to the people of Madison county.

Mr. Smith was 82 years of age. He came to this city from Allentown, Pa., in the early 30s and for many years was in the furniture business. The funeral services will be from the residence of his son, C. S. Smith, to the Methodist church and interment will be made in the Clackson cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Anderson Miller.
FALLS CITY, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The funeral of Mrs. Anderson Miller was held yesterday, with burial in Steele cemetery. Mrs. Miller, who was a daughter of Dan of Crane, was born November 10, 1825, was married to Anderson Miller at Greenfield, Ind., March 17, 1853, and came west to Andrew county, Missouri, where they lived until March, 1880, when they came to Falls City and located on a farm adjoining town. The family has resided there since that date. Two daughters, Fannie, who resides with her father on the home place, and Mrs. W. H. Keeling, are the children who survive her.

Mrs. Miller took an active interest in what was doing throughout the country in her time in preference to what was done centuries ago, and was a worker in the ranks of the Women's Christian Temperance union.

Bachelor Wins Cooking Prize.

IDA GROVE, Ia., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—George Youngling, a bachelor who keeps house on his place just south of town, won five prizes for fancy cooking in the domestic science department of the short course just held here. Youngling won first prize for white cookies and second for angel food. He was also awarded a special prize for the best five-pound jar of butter exhibited. Lillie Haxter of Galva won first for white bread and Mrs. S. Simon of Ida Grove first for rye bread.

Colonel James V. Vincent.

HOUSTON, Tex., Jan. 6.—Colonel James V. Vincent, one of the veterans in Texas journalism and public affairs, died at Sour Lake, Tex., today, in his 73d year.

HYMENEAL.

Meyerle-McFadden.
CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The marriage of Miss Madge McFadden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McFadden of Holbrook, Neb., to Mr. John A. Meyerle took place at 3 o'clock yesterday morning at Hastings, Neb.

The bride is a graduate of the Western university and is one of the popular young women of Holbrook, where she recently held the position of instructor in the public schools.

and out of Toronto, Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Meyerle started for Buffalo, N. Y., immediately after the ceremony was performed, where they will remain for a short time.

Nebraska

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Chairman Lassen, who retires from the board was presented with a fine charm and fob as a token of esteem by the old board.

GOTHENBURG—The mail between here and Arnold, a distance of forty-five miles is being carried by automobile. This is one of the few routes in the United States where the government allows the use of the auto. The car makes the round trip of ninety miles, every other day. The route has been made by automobile since last July and seldom does it pull in late.

GRAND ISLAND—The city council has recently passed ordinances prohibiting minors and confirmed drunkards from entering saloons and prohibiting any other person to enter saloons for the purpose of procuring liquor or liquor or confirmed drunkards. As a companion piece an ordinance was passed prohibiting minors below the age of 15 from being in or entering pool halls.

MADISON—Michael Dowling, an administrator of the estate of Richard G. Dowling, deceased, has brought action against the Union Pacific Railroad company for damages in the sum of \$30,000. Michael Dowling is the father of Richard G. Dowling, who lost his life while working in the Union Pacific yards at Omaha some months ago.

GENEVA—The funeral of Mrs. J. R. Lewis was held at the Methodist church this afternoon. Mrs. Lewis resided in Geneva for many years, her husband, Prof. J. B. Lewis, died here several years ago. Her two daughters, with another, Mrs. Cramer of Omaha, are here. Her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Donahorse live here.

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Harrison, at Julesburg, Colo. She was in the 73d year of her age, and the couple celebrated their golden wedding here in April last, being one of the few couples privileged to celebrate their golden wedding in the same place they were married fifty years previous. Mr. Heywood settled here in 1864, and Mrs. Heywood a year later. She was the daughter of M. J. Mumford, also an early pioneer of 1837. The husband, A. E. Heywood, and four children survive as follows: A. L. Heywood, Grand Island; E. M. Heywood, Lincoln; Mrs. Thomas J. Harrison, Julesburg, Colo.; Mrs. C. W. Aylor, Napier, Mo. This body will be brought here for burial.

TABLE ROCK—The Table Rock Clay company at its annual meeting elected the following board of directors: E. P. Brocken, William Sutton, C. H. Barnard, W. H. Wilson, president; George F. Cotton, secretary; J. I. Miller, treasurer. The Table Rock Lumber company at its meeting elected the following board of directors: Dr. W. H. Wilson, C. E. Smith, George F. Cotton, J. I. Miller and J. N. Phillips, who, in turn elected the following officers: Dr. W. H. Wilson, president; George F. Cotton, vice president; J. I. Miller, treasurer; J. N. Phillips, secretary and manager. The Table Rock Electric Light company elected the following board of directors, who have not yet elected their officers: Dr. E. L. McCrean, G. W. Fellner, Robert I. Miller, A. R. Kovanda and Gary K. Cooper.

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IOWA CITY—The following have been chosen to receive the prize in the Historical Society of the State of Iowa. W. Baldwin, Burlington; Mrs. Mary Gokal Beyer, Des Moines; C. N. Kline, Des Moines; J. B. Bruff, J. B. Rockafellow, Atlantic; T. J.

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