

Department of Indianapolis next federal grand here tonight. Made known to father. Police...

SECOND TERM FOR IOWA MEN

Action of Congressmen in Regard to Federal Jobs Causes Surprise. OFFICEHOLDERS ARE DELIGHTED...

Information from Indianapolis today was to the effect that all former office employees of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers...

The story of the failure of detectives who were investigating the Los Angeles explosion to obtain from Miss Haley information about her work...

It related to visits by the sleuths to the Haley home and their efforts to have the stenographer attend theater parties...

Since Miss Haley left Indianapolis a search has continued for her. When the secret service men went to Mr. Haley...

The subpoenas directing Miss Haley to appear before the federal grand jury at Indianapolis were served on her at a hotel...

The subpoenas were drawn at the direction of United States District Attorney Charles W. Miller of Indianapolis...

With Will Plead Guilty to Forgery. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Deputy Sheriff Waughness has arrived here with Edgar With...

Co-operatives Are Alarmed. The representatives of farmers' co-operative societies in Iowa are preparing to carry out once to the supreme court an appeal from Judge Hobson...

Vinegar is on Trial. In the federal court at Dubuque Judge Reed has under consideration an action by the government against seventy-five barrels of vinegar...

Expect to Try Marks. Attorney General Cason is prepared to go to Council Bluffs on Monday and get ready for the trial of Ben Marks...

On Trial for Horse Stealing. Horse stealing has become so rare in Iowa that a trial in court for stealing a horse creates comment...

Will Have Women's Hospital. Des Moines newest hospital is one of women, for women, and by women, only women and children will be treated...

Articles Incorporating the Women's and Children's hospital were filed Saturday. The purposes of the hospital as stated in the articles are to maintain a hospital for women and children...

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Sorority House Hobbed. IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 10.—Burglars entered the Delta Delta Delta Sorority house at 19 East Davenport street here last night and secured over \$300 worth of jewelry...

Do you know that more real danger lurks in a common cold than in any other of the minor ailments? The safe way is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy...

Apollinaris Water has been awarded the Grand Prix at the Dresden Exhibition.

New Plattsmouth Postoffice Ready

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The new government postoffice building was ready for the public last evening and postmaster H. A. Schneider expects to be installed by Monday...

High School Leaders Confer at York

YORK, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The two days' session of the high school leaders' conference closed at the opera house this evening. There were 350 delegates present...

PRIZE WINNERS IN CUMING COUNTY POULTRY SHOW

WEST POINT, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The fifth annual exhibition of the Cuming County Poultry and Pet Stock association was held during the week at the city hall in West Point...

CUMING COUNTY NEWS NOTES

Federal of Enoch Wetzel Held Saturday Afternoon—Beemer Has New Light Plant.

WEST POINT, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The funeral of Enoch Wetzel, one of the oldest settlers and best known citizens of West Point...

The neighboring town of Beemer has installed an up-to-date electric light plant. It consists of a fifty-horse power oil engine and dynamo...

Red Cross seals have been placed on sale in all the banks and stores in town and are being with gratifying success.

Silver Wedding. WEST POINT, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. James M. Morgan of Sherman township celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Friday...

Larceny Case Settled. TABLE ROCK, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The case of the state against Frank Bascom, which was set for hearing before M. H. Marble, justice of the peace at this place, yesterday has been settled...

Firebug Burns Barn. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Fred Patterson, county surveyor of Cass county lost his barn Friday morning by fire. Mr. Patterson was away from home and when the family awoke in the morning the barn was about all consumed...

COSSON AND MABRAY LEAVE FOR DES MOINES. (From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Attorney General Cason left this evening for Council Bluffs, accompanied by J. C. Mabray and other witnesses who will be used in the trial of Ben Marks in the state court this week...

guard on steamer ships the comfort and health, both moral and physical, of future American citizens and to prevent their being landed in a weakened and perhaps disease-infected condition...

BLACK DAMP PUTS STOP TO RESCUE. (Continued from First Page.) was on June 1, Deputy Inspector Richards, who had the east Tennessee mine under his personal supervision, was appointed July 14.

Two Killed in Kansas. PITTSBURG, Kan., Dec. 10.—Andrew Richards and Napoleon Lettice, miners in this country are rapidly adopting the same principle in the retirement of their aged employees. On business grounds, if for no other reason, the government should do likewise.

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DEFICIT TURNS INTO A SURPLUS

(Continued from First Page.) extension of the postal service and higher compensation for its employees have gone hand in hand with a vanishing deficit. Postal Savings System. An important event of the year was the successful organization of the postal savings system. On January 3, 1911, depositories were opened experimentally at a single postoffice in each one of the forty-eight states and territories...

Parcel Post. Now that the successful operation of the postal savings system is assured, it is hoped that congress will promptly authorize the establishment of a parcel post. The benefits of this service are widely enjoyed by the people of foreign countries and should be provided in the United States. The department not only renews its recommendation of last year for legislative authority to start a parcel post on rural routes, but asks a similar authorization for the introduction of such a service in cities and towns having delivery by carrier. After the organization of a parcel post on rural routes and in the city delivery service is completed, its extension to include railway and other transportation lines can be more rapidly accomplished without impeding the handling of the ordinary mail.

If congress will grant without delay the desired authority and provide the necessary appropriations it is believed that before the end of another year a satisfactory parcel post can be organized on rural routes and in cities with Mrs. C. A. Carrier service. This paving the way for the final step in the organization of a general parcel post.

The Franking Privilege. In the last annual report it was recommended that the franking privilege be discontinued and that legislative authority be granted for the use of special envelopes and stamps in the free transmission of official mail, such envelopes and stamps to be furnished on requisition through the agency of the Postoffice department. It is to be hoped that favorable action on this recommendation will be taken at the coming session. The importance of such a reform is apparent when it is understood that the annual cost of carrying franked mail reaches into the millions.

Reorganization of Railway Service. Following the inquiry into the cost of transporting mail on the railroads the department started a thorough investigation of the railway mail service. In certain branches of that service most unsatisfactory conditions were disclosed as the result of inefficient management. It was found that in some divisions the chief clerks had not inspected their lines for several years. Employees on certain lines were compelled to work exceptionally long hours, while in other parts of the service a sufficient period of train duty was not required.

This reorganization, although not completed, has gone far enough to bring about a decided improvement over the unsatisfactory conditions reported. Unquestionably, the final result will mean a tremendous saving to the government accompanied by important benefits to the employees of the service.

In place of the present method of compensating railway mail clerks, which is far from satisfactory, the department will recommend to congress a new system of salaries that will insure regular promotions and a higher maximum compensation for those who render efficient service.

The plan of assigning to the railway mail cars best appointees without previous experience in the postal service is to be abandoned, and hereafter the additional clerks required on the cars will be recruited from the trained employees of the postoffices.

Almost without exception, foreign nations provide for the pensioning of civil service employees when they become superannuated. Large corporations in this country are rapidly adopting the same principle in the retirement of their aged employees. On business grounds, if for no other reason, the government should do likewise.

While the compensation of postal employees has been considerably increased during the last few years it is hardly more than sufficient to meet necessary living expenses and consequently does not permit the putting aside of any considerable savings against old age. It is believed that a civil pension based on length of employment should be granted by the government. Benefits to the service far outweighing the expense of such pensions would undoubtedly result.



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Useful Christmas Presents AT LOW PRICES. Including Bags, Suit Cases, Trunks, Automobile Shawls, Lap Robes, Horse Blankets, Harness and Saddles. We are selling a lot of Fur Robes at a big discount from \$13 to \$20. Automobile size. Alfred Cornish & Co. 1210 Farnam Street. Phone Doug. 2519.

KNOX PURE PLAIN SPARKLING GELATINE. Here is a toothsome dessert that can be prepared very easily: NUT FRAPPE. 1/2 cup Sparkling Gelatine, 1 cup cold water, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup pineapple and strawberries, 1/2 cup cream, 1/2 cup chopped nuts. Beat gelatine in cold water five minutes, dissolve over hot water, add dissolved gelatine to cream and sugar and stir in berries and nuts. Whip cream, add pineapple and strawberries (chopped) in small pieces, then chopped nuts. Serve in ice-cream glasses.

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DR. HAM IS REARRESTED ON BLACK HAND CHARGE. IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 10.—Dr. Charles Ham, arrested two weeks ago as a suspect and afterwards released on bonds in connection with the blackhand mystery against John L. Adams of Solon, Ia., was re-arrested by government authorities today. Jerry Wortner, a horse trader, living three miles east of Solon, was also arrested at the same time. The re-arrest of Dr. Ham and Wortner came as the result of new evidence in the blackhand mystery which, the detectives say, is conclusive. The case is that wherein John L. Adams, a prominent farmer of Solon, just north-east of here, was continuously threatened for six months being warned against his life on payment of money. One day he was shot at from ambush and another time, his barn was burned.