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CITY NEWS.

(N. B. If you have relatives or friends visit in the city or going to make a visit, please inform us; we will call on your local news-Ed.)

Miss Lena Burger has returned from Kansas City.

Mrs. Mahala White is quite ill this week at her home, 123 East Grand.

The Messrs. H. A. and Geo. Lee, Wm Harding and Silas Ewing spent the 4th at Story City.

Mrs. Alice Newton of Burlington arrived in the city to day to visit Mrs. L. B. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould entertained at dinner Sunday Miss Edie Mason and Miss Ella Thompson of Iowa City.

Mr. H. W. Porter and family are stopping temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shepard, 1058 Fifth street.

Ed Morton has returned from St. Louis where he had been working, he says that there is no color line drawn as was first reported.

Miss Irwin Worthal of Lucas, Ia. spent the Fourth in our city visiting friends and old acquaintances, she enjoyed our capital city people.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

Grand Ball at Grand Avenue Cafe, Tuesday July 13. Good music and refreshments. Admission 50c per couple.

When in the city and wish a good meal call at 405 Court Ave. Waffle House. Open all day and night. J. D. FORMAN, Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones of Montezuma who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cleggett, Mrs. Jones' parents, returned home this week accompanied by little Ada Cleggett.

Mr. Nelson Watkins of Albany, Mo. spent the Fourth in our city visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Thompson and brothers, Messrs. Gus and Robert Watkins it was his first visit to Iowa and he enjoyed it hugely.

FOR SALE.

A good Restaurant for sale or trade, located at 405 Court avenue, one block from R. I. & P. depot, two blocks from Union Station. For full information call at above number.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dary of St. Paul, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to their home last Wednesday evening. Mr. Dary's mother went with them. She will spend several months in the Twin Cities.

Those who will leave to attend the Grand Lodge in Omaha, are J. H. Shepard, G. H. Glegggett, Wm. Coalson, E. T. Banks, H. E. Jacobs, Harrison Gould, Jeff Logan, R. N. Hyde, John L. Thompson and others we do not know.

Mesdames D. Roy and Wm. Russ and little daughter, Lillian, left last Wednesday for Keokuk to spend the rest of the summer visiting with the relatives and friends of the latter.

Last week the Union Congregational church gave a bazaar which was well attended and much enjoyed by all. Tuesday evening the Athenian Literary society gave an entertainment, each number on the program was well rendered, the bass solo on the horn by D. Patterson also the solo by Mr. Ed Thompson was well rendered.

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EDITORIALS.

NEW PASTOR HERE.

Rev. H. W. Porter, the new minister who has been called to the pastorate of Union Congregational church, arrived last Saturday accompanied by his family and preached his initiatory sermon Sunday morning to a large and interesting crowd. A crowded house greeted him Sunday evening and his sermon was a strong, able and instructive Christian sermon, which pleased his audience.

Rev. Porter is one of the most scholarly ministers that ever came here, and has but few equals among the white clergymen. He is a graduate from Atlanta university and the theological course from Tuledego college. His wife is amiable and highly cultured. One of her sisters is a teacher in Baltimore public school and other one teacher in the South. They are now spending their vacation in Chicago attending the Northwestern university. The reverend and wife expect to soon be at home to their friends.

DRIVEN FROM CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Prominent Colored Women Make Appeal to Cardinal Gibbons.

Baltimore, July 4.—Because the wife of a colored physician and the mother of one of the two colored Roman Catholic priests in America were ordered out of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, appeal has been taken to Cardinal Gibbons.

Mrs. W. T. Carr, Mrs. Dorsey, the mother of Father Dorsey, and Mrs. Thomas W. Turner, instructor in the colored high school, went to mass at the Immaculate Conception Church Sunday a week ago. Mrs. Carr says she was ordered to leave and Mrs. Dorsey was told to go while kneeling at prayer. Mrs. Turner and her sister went to the church again last Sunday. They say that Father Donoghue came hastily down the aisle and said: "Get up and go out of this church, I don't want any colored people in this church."

It is our opinion that perhaps this is the first time that persons of our race and members of the Catholic church have ever been refused permission to worship in their churches. We are anxious to hear what Cardinal Gibbons' reply will be, as we believe that he will not uphold race discrimination in any of their churches.—Editor.

In an age of celebrations of centennials and semi-centennials it is appropriate that the semi-centennial of the Iowa State Fair should be celebrated this year by Iowa people with a state fair that cannot be surpassed anywhere in the world. This is the high aim and purpose of those who are planning for the Iowa fair of 1904. To make the occasion noteworthy it is proposed that there shall be a reunion of all those who assisted in the formation of the first fair or attended the same, and especially of the exhibitors. Not very many, it is anticipated, will be found to attend this remarkable reunion; and yet, Secretary Simpson has already received letters from a number of those who would be eligible to participate in this gathering. The first state fair probably drew from at most a dozen counties in the southeastern part of the state, and most of the persons who attended live there now. But the names of the survivors will be secured as far as possible and a reunion be arranged for all who can attend the semi-centennial of the state fair organization.

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Cats' Well.

In the south of Ireland, near Inch-gelish, is the "Cats' Well," the waters of which are supposed to exert marvelous remedial effects upon ailing tabbies.



ALBERT WALKER.

The above cut represents one of Iowa's economical and substantial young men, Mr. Walker of Marshalltown, Iowa, who was recently elected W. M. of Eureka Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and will be in Omaha next week to attend Grand Lodge. He was born in Iowa and educated in the public schools. He began work as a boot-black and errand boy, and at the age

AFRO-AMERICAN COUNCIL MEETING.

Ask Aid From Employers. Claim Discrimination Retards the Progress of the Race.

We deplore the fact that our skilled and educated laborers are not accorded the same opportunity to earn a livelihood that is accorded to those of the dominant race, who have had similar preparation and training; and call upon all fair-minded employers of labor, trained, skilled or professional, who do not believe it right to, by thus discriminating, drive our boys to acts of lawlessness and our girls to lives of shame, to allow merit, and merit only, to be the criterion by which all applicants for positions

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Afro-American council at their session at Bern's A. B. church recently. The passage of the resolutions was the signal for much enthusiasm. The resolutions contained the following: We affirm and indorse the resolutions and declarations in the public address issued by this council at its second annual session in this city on August 27, 1903 and congratulate ourselves upon the fact that the declaration contained in said address demanding the reduction of southern representation in congress, as provided for by section 2 of the fifteenth amendment, has been approved by the national republican party and has, in substance, been incorporated into its platform issued at its convention at Chicago June 22, 1904, and we reiterate that we will and do hereby advise our people everywhere to sacredly adhere to said declaration and to positively refuse to support any party or candidate who fails to guard the rights, civil, political or otherwise, of all American citizens, whomsoever wheresoever.

We congratulate the negroes of Iowa upon the progress that they have made during the past year along industrial, business and professional lines, and exhort them to continue to improve their condition in these respects by instructing their children in habits of industry and economy and by establishing and patronizing their own business and professional enterprises.

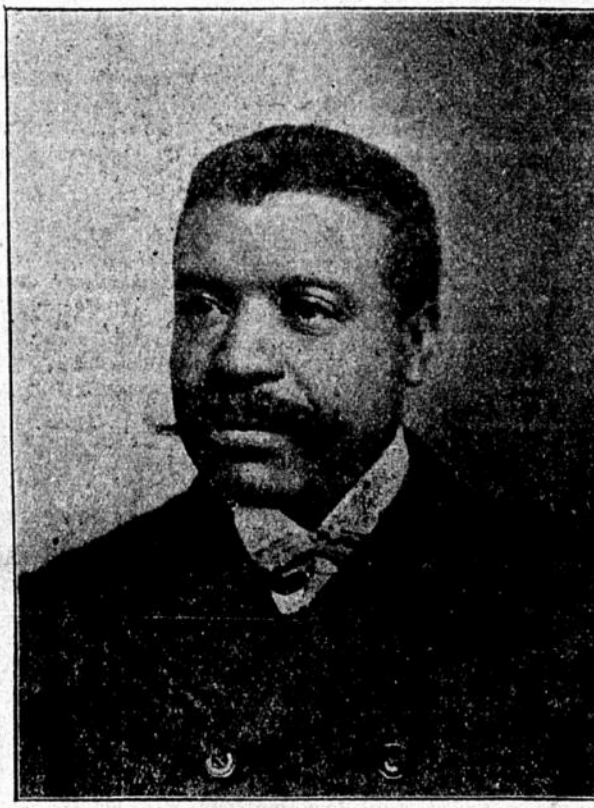
We also congratulate the negroes of the state upon the progress that they are making intellectually and morally, and upon the fact that during the past year a number of our boys and girls have been graduated from the public and high schools and several from the various colleges and universities of the state, which is abundant evidence of the fact that we are educating the brain as well as the heart and the hand.

S. Joe Brown, chairman, Rev. O. A. Johnson, I. M. Jones and C. M. Hendricks, committee.

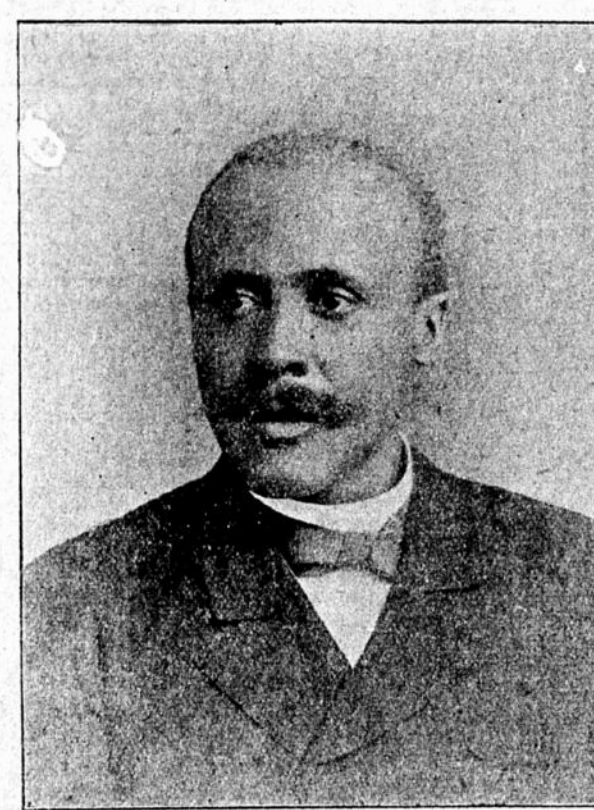
This was the third annual session of the state Afro-American council and was called to order by its president, Attorney George H. Woodson of Muskegon, Mich. There were many delegates in attendance. The president in his address made an appeal to the colored people of the state to acquire and invest wealth, and suggested that the erection of a business block in Des Moines would be a good investment. An address given by S. Joe Brown, president of the local council, was responded to by E. M. Hendricks of Saylor. The meeting was addressed by Rev. H. W. Porter, the new pastor of Union Congregational church, who has just arrived from Charleston, S. C. There were addresses in the afternoon by Mrs. H. S. Graves, president of the Iowa Federation of Afro-American women; Hon. R. N. Hyde, the first president of the state council; Rev. Henry Cravens, Rev. O. A. Johnson and Mr. J. B. Rush.

At the evening session the principal address was delivered by Edward A. Carter, Ph. B., the young negro who graduated with honors from the college of liberal arts at the State university last year, and who is now a student in the college of medicine at Iowa City. His subject was "The Negro and the Fourth of July," which was an earnest as well as eloquent appeal to the patriotism of the negro. Other speakers at the evening session were Editor John L. Thompson of the Iowa State Bystander, who recounted some experiences at the republican convention in Chicago several

of eighteen years learned the barber trade and is now associated in the tonsorial business with his uncle, E. J. Wright. He has saved his money, sent his sisters to college, owns property in Marshalltown, and has also gone into the stock raising business. He now has many fat hogs ready for market. He was elected janitor of the house in the legislature last winter. Albert is doing well and is yet a single man.



Wm. Coalson, Grand Treasurer, who will be in attendance at the Grand Lodge next week in Omaha.



J. H. Shepard, Chairman of Committee of Foreign Correspondence, will attend the Grand Lodge next week.

appeared in the role of Dr. Gillas Hall. All the characters acquitted themselves well and the entire production was pronounced by all who witnessed it as one of the best ever presented in the city. Immediately before the curtain Prof. Geo. I. Holt sang in his own inimitable way and to the gratification of all present.

Master James Windsor and Mr. O. J. Gross furnished piano and violin solos between the acts, and were both greeted with hearty applause. Mrs. Wm. Smith, pianist, accompanied the artists and dispensed charming music at the intervals between the acts, as only she can. The club realized the neat sum of \$53.15 on the entertainment, of which \$50 was paid on the new \$300 piano which they recently purchased and presented to the church, leaving a balance due on said instrument of only \$50.

KIRALFY'S SPECTACLE PERFECTION OF BEAUTY From The St. Louis Star June 7th. Kiralfy's now famous "Louisiana Purchase Spectacle" is beginning to attract large houses to the Odeon theater, which it truly merits, for certain

ly it is not only the greatest, but the most magnificent spectacular production that has ever been put on in this country.

It is so bewilderingly beautiful in every particular that it cannot fail to please the most fastidious. Everything has now been whipped into the proper shape—the ballets and ensembles show plainly the effect of the strenuous and persistent labor of Bolossy Kiralfy.

The leading parts are ably portrayed by the Misses Belmont, Burt Robinson and McCane, and the mimic and pantomime work in the hands of Messrs. Franciolo Sartorius and St. Elaim is ably done. The singing of Granville Lane and the ballet dancing by La Mora is worthy of the special praise. Arrangements have been made to accommodate the outside public whereby they can reserve their seats 4 weeks in advance by mailing post office money order to Roy Crawford, Manager Press Bureau Department, Odeon Theater, St. Louis, Mo. Prices are 50c, 75c, \$1.00 \$1.50. Box seats \$2.00. Matinees 25c to 1.00.

"A WOMAN'S HONOR."

The drama, "A Woman's Honor," was presented by the Monday Night club to a large and appreciative audience at St. Paul's A. M. E. church last Thursday evening.

The entertainment was under the direction of Mrs. S. Joe Brown, the president of the club, and the cast, which was an exceptionally strong one, was composed entirely of members of the club with the exception of Mr. Edward A. Carter of Buxton, who

the West," issued by the Passenger Department Chicago & North-Western R'y. Call on any ticket agent of The North-Western Line, or a copy will be mailed to any address on receipt of two (2) cents in postage by L. F. Berry Gen. Agt., C. & N. W. R'y, 401 Walnut St., Des Moines, Ia.



Past Grand Master, George H. Cleggett of Des Moines, who will attend the Grand Lodge at Omaha next week.



Harrison Gould, Past Master of North Star Lodge No. 2, Des Moines, who will be in attendance at the Grand Lodge in Omaha next week.



The above cut represents Mr. Lindsey Pitts, one of the wealthiest colored men in Scott county. Born a slave in Randolph county, Mo., in 1846, when the civil war came on, young, although a slave, was anxious, like many of his race, to fight for his own liberty, and enlisted in Co. J, First Iowa Colored Infantry in 1865 at Davenport. After the war was over he returned to Davenport, where he has remained ever since, except seven years spent in Chicago. He opened a saloon in 1888, where he has been ever since. He also conducts a billiard hall and is doing well. He has just signed with contractors to build a three-story brick on his present place of business. Mr. Pitts has made and lost lots of money. He is now single, a very pleasant man to meet and is well liked. He is a race man and pays taxes on many thousand dollars worth of property.

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6 lbs. Navy Beans.....25c
1 pk. Fancy New Potatoes.....30c
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Cream Corn, can.....10c
8 bars White Laundry soap 25c
Sugar cured Bacon, lb.....12c
Sugar cured Hams, lb.....11c
Fancy lemons, dozen.....15c
6 cans Oil Sardines.....25c
Package Coffee, 2 for.....25c
8 bars White Ribbon Soap.....25c
2 cans Lewis Lye.....15c
2 bars Sapollo.....15c

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Men's Women's and Children's \$3.00 Shoes now \$2.00; \$2.50 Shoes now \$1.75; \$2.00 Shoes now \$1.50; \$1.75 Shoes now \$1.38; \$1.50 Shoes now \$1.25.
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What fun Japan is storing up for herself in "investigating" her heroes after the war is over!

Residents of Port Arthur can practice economy in one direction. They do not need to buy alarm clocks.

Among those who think a Derby isn't all they can get it is the lady whose beautiful train was stepped on.

There is a great deal of pretense in the culture of some people. They carry an imitation gold case in a champagne bag.

They are passing around the doctor of letters degree more freely than usual this season. It makes a very pretty boutonniere.

It's a queer thing that champion Jeffries, after surviving all the perils of championship prize fights, should be disabled at baseball.

"Does your lawn mower need sharpening?" asks an advertiser in big, large type. Of course it does. All lawn mowers always do.

Mr. Carnegie declares that he has prospered because of his ability to employ men cleverer than himself. Such modesty seems too good to be true.

Miss Carl's portrait of Tsi An makes the dowager empress look quite young and handsome. This shows how kindhearted a girl the young American artist is.

The pounding of the hammer and the scrape of the trowel and the clink of the riveter are the chief sounds that now greet the ears of visitors to Baltimore.

The Sultan of Turkey has received another protest from the powers in regard to the Armenian atrocities. Like the other 41,144 protests, it has been placed on file.

If the ministers of Cincinnati stick to their intention of telling the truth about the deceased in all cases, a good many of their fellow-citizens will be afraid to die.

Rear Admiral Sigsbee cabled from San Domingo to the navy department as follows: "Revolution now ended." He carelessly neglected, however, to mention which one.

One of the amiable professors of Chicago university announces that hell is not a fact, merely a condition. But when the condition is sizzling, what's the odds about the fact?

The newspaper correspondents in the field with the Japanese army have submitted a round-robin protest to the staff, and in all probability the staff knows precisely what to do with it.

Two New York amusement managers have just signed a contract with Edouard de Reszke for a tour of sixty concerts in this country next season, just as if they had never heard of Patti.

According to the pure food authorities, much of the raspberry jam of commerce is composed of syrup of apple cores, aniline dye and hayseed. It is almost as base as a deceiver as maple syrup.

The directors of the Yale library announce that they have a fragment of a lost tragedy by Euripides or Sophocles in a package of papyrus fragments lately found in Egypt. More trouble for the students.

An esteemed contemporary raises the question of how to distinguish between poison ivy and Virginia creeper. One sure way is to rub the face and hands thoroughly with the suspect and note results.

Perhaps in the scientific assertion that a man's beard is the horror and haunt of countless harmful microbes there is some comfort for the youth who is trying desperately to raise a small mustache and can't.

According to a London newspaper "nothing remains for Kuropatkin but to stake his all upon one last wild fling of the iron dice." Previous to writing this the author must have taken one last wild fling at a dope bottle.

When the liberty bell was in Minneapolis the public schools were dismissed and the Rapid Transit company gave each of the 25,000 children a free ride to view the bell and return. That was better than any lesson in history that the children may have missed.

We read with delight that Alfred Austin anonymously sent a one-act play to a London theater manager while ago which the manager thought was capital and which he has accepted. It's such a pleasure to learn that Alfred can write something.

"Hereafter," says a contemporary, "the average man will examine the life rafts and life preservers before he trusts himself on an excursion steamer." Probably not. The careful man may do so, but the average man will continue to take things for granted.

Here are some of the most interesting statistics of the Princeton graduating class: The average age of graduates is 22 years and six months, the weight is 143 pounds and the height 5 feet 10 inches. The probable style of beauty is the brunet, and the favorite name is Helen. Helen must have brown hair and blue eyes. In the entire class 185 smoke, and only fifty-three began smoking in college. The seniors boast of kissing 151 girls and retaining 614 girl correspondents. Evidently most of them have obeyed the injunction: "Never tell."

POLICE OFFICER KILLED ON DUTY

Daniel Norton Was Killed By Drunken James Reed.

YOUNG GIRL HAS DISAPPEARED

Fear That She Is Procurer's Victim—Girl's Clothing Was Discovered On River Bank, But She Was Seen To Board Train With Stranger.

Dubuque, July 8.—While pursuing James Reed, who had threatened to kill his wife and small child, shortly after 7 o'clock p. m., Patrolman Daniel Norton was shot through the heart by Reed and killed.

Reed is a construction foreman and was doing work for the Standard Telephone company. He was addicted to drink and it was while intoxicated that he returned to his home and threatened to take the life of his wife and child. Fearing that he would carry out his threat, Mrs. Reed notified Norton.

The policeman went to the Reed home in the basement of the building at 330 Bluff street and attempted to arrest Reed. Reed saw the policeman approaching and he ran into the Palmer residence and made his way up stairs. Norton followed quickly and as he was gaining on Reed, the man, apparently at bay, turned around and without a word of warning leveled a six-shooter at the officer's breast and fired. One shot passed through the victim's heart and he sank over dead.

Reed, armed with the six-shooter and a rifle, rushed into the street and after firing four shots in front of the Wales hotel ran down to Washington park, where he took two shots at a young man who was standing about twenty feet away from him. The shots were wide of their mark.

In the meanwhile a big crowd had gathered and the daring ones began to press in on Reed. He fought like a lion at bay, but a burly expressman threw his weight onto Reed's back and brought him to the ground with a single effort. The police were notified and it took three officers to handle the prisoner. He tried hard to gain his liberty, but he was landed safely behind the bars.

Norton was given medical attention, but life was extinct and the inquest commenced. Great excitement prevailed as Reed was taken through the streets. People did not realize that the policeman was murdered until it was announced by the doctor.

In his cell in the city jail Reed is apparently unconcerned over the murder. He was not fully recovered from the effects of liquor and will not speak of anything.

YOUNG GIRL DISAPPEARS.

Fear Felt That She Is Procurer's Victim.

Centerville, July 8.—Miss Emma Davidson, an unusually bright and pretty girl, the daughter of W. R. Davidson, a prominent farmer living four miles northwest of here, has disappeared. No definite knowledge of her fate can be learned by her father, but he believes that she has been enticed away from home, and according to one report, was seen to take a train from Centerville in company with a stranger man.

The girl's clothing was discovered on the banks of the Clinton river, about a mile from the Davidson home. Careful search has failed to discover any trace of the girl or her body, and the hundred or more farmers who joined in the hunting expedition have grown discouraged. It is believed here that the clothes were left on the bank as a blind to give the impression that the girl had committed suicide.

Either the girl's father or a friend will go to St. Louis to make a search for the girl there. According to one report, the girl had received offers of work in that city and it is surmised that she may have fallen a victim to a procurer.

Miss Davidson is about 17 years of age. She left home last Monday, saying she was going into the woods to gather some ferns. She has not been seen by her parents since.

BOY KILLED; BODY BURNED.

Claude Dean of Dunlap Perishes in Railway Wreck.

Omaha, Neb., July 6.—Freight train No. 114 on the Northwestern main line, east bound, was badly wrecked three miles east of Logan at the overhead crossing of the Illinois Central. At this point it met freight train No. 115, going west on the other part of the double track. A freight car from the east bound train was thrown from the track by a broken car wheel, and landing on the other track was struck by the engine of No. 115, and as a result the engine and fourteen cars were derailed, and six cars of the other train were carried from the track.

Three boys were stealing a ride from Missouri Valley to Dunlap, and one of them, Claude Dean, was killed in the wreck and his body burned in the fire which followed the collision. Dick Gilford, another of the boys was injured, and was taken to the hospital in Carroll. The engineer of the east bound train, was badly injured, and brakeman Spurgin suffered severe bruises. Fireman Charles Perry has his leg fractured in the places and was taken to the hospital at Boone.

Easily Got Three Thousand.

Maquoketa, July 6.—Using the name of Alderman Langer of Davenport, a fourth grader secured \$3,000 from a prominent real estate man of this city and has left for parts unknown. The graffer bargained to buy the farm of A. P. Gish at Lost Nation. While the abstract was being made out he forged a deed and the abstract came to Maquoketa and he borrowed the \$3,000. He claimed to be Alderman Langer of Davenport.

Stabbed by a 17-Year-Old Boy.

What Cheer, July 6.—Tuge Tingley, clerk in Charles Sprinkle's chop house, was stabbed in the abdomen by Howard Dawson, 17 years old, and dangerously wounded at 11 p. m. of July 4. Dawson bought a sandwich and refused to pay and a quarrel resulted. There were no other casualties.

William Beckworth, aged 28, is in jail at Northwood for assaulting criminally a 15-year-old daughter of a Worth county farmer.



GREAT OCEAN HORROR OCCURS

Six Hundred Lives Are Lost Off the Coast of Scotland.

THREE AMERICANS ARE LOST

Danish Steamer Norge Carried a Crew of Fifty and Was the Oldest Danish Steamer in the Ocean Passenger Business.

Stornoway, Scotland, July 5.—One hundred and one survivors of the Danish steamer Norge have been landed here.

The British steamer Cervonia, from Leith, July 1, for Montreal, brought in thirty-two survivors before noon. She picked them up from a boat Saturday evening westward of the butt of Lewis. They were in a woful plight, nearly all of them being naked. One dead child was with the party.

Shortly afterwards the German steamer Emmerge arrived with sixty-nine persons rescued from the Norge's life boat. They all were terribly exhausted.

The Cervonia proceeded on her voyage, but will keep a lookout for possible survivors of the Danish steamer. Leith, July 5.—More than 700 Danish and Norwegian emigrants bound for New York are believed to have been drowned in the north Atlantic on June 28. Out of nearly 800 souls on board the Danish steamer Norge, which left Copenhagen on June 22, only twenty-seven are known to be alive and for the rest no hope is held out.

When last seen the Norge was sinking where she struck on the isle of Rockall, whose isolated peak rises itself from a desolate Atlantic reef some 200 miles off the west coast of Scotland.

Early Tuesday the Norge, which was out of her course in heavy weather, ran onto the Rockall reef, which in the distance loomed like a ship under full sail. The Norge was quickly backed on, but the heavy seas poured through a rent in her bows. The emigrant, who were then awaiting breakfast below ran on deck. The heavy seas came clogged.

The Norge quickly began to go down by the head. Eight boats were lowered and into these the women and children were hurriedly put. Six of these boats smashed against the sides of the Norge, and their helpless inmates were caught up by the heavy seas.

Two boat loads got safely away from the side of the sinking ship, and many of the emigrants, who were left on board, seizing life belts, threw themselves into the sea and were drowned.

Captain Gundel, so say the survivors, stood on the bridge of the doomed vessel until it could be seen no more. The Norge foundered suddenly, and some 600 terrified emigrants were thrown into the water or drawn down with the sinking ship. Those who could swim tried to reach the boats, but these were already too full, and their occupants cast off the drowning wretches with oars.

The boats kept together for several hours. Practically all of the occupants were passengers and were not used to handling such a craft. The boat occupied by the survivors, which landed at Grimsby, was a life boat.

One account says that three boats were successfully launched, the other two holding about ten persons each. The life boat made faster progress and fell in with the Salvia. What became of the other boats is not yet known.

The rescue of those in the life boat took place at 8 o'clock on the morning of June 29, the survivors consisting of twenty men, one of them a seaman, six women and a girl.

One of the survivors said that when he got on deck, the Norge was half submerged and was rapidly getting lower in the water. Half mad with fight, the survivors all struggled for places in the boats. They fought their way to the big life boat and an officer stoked in the six women and the girl and then told the men to get in.

The officer then took charge and got the boat away from the edge of the Norge. Seeing that the boat was already overloaded, the officer, with great heroism, jumped into the water and tried to board another boat which was not so full. He failed, and was drowned.

In the sea by this time was a mass of struggling men, women and children, gasping and choking from the effects of the water. The boat was

and just as she drew away, the Norge went down.

Peter Nelson, one of the survivors, described as a young American said: "For several hours we rowed in company with the other boats, but the strong tide drifted us away from the others, and nothing has been seen of them since. The Salvia picked us up and we were well cared for on board the trawler."

The only hope except for those known to have escaped is that some few of the emigrants might have been washed up on the barren rock. Their chance of being rescued is almost nil, for vessels sailing the north Atlantic give Rockall as wide a berth as possible.

The news of this disaster, which is feared in its death record is greater than any previous tragedy of the Atlantic, came with the arrival of the night of the steam trawler Salvia. The Salvia had been on a fortnight's cruise around the Hebrides. By chance, she steamed further west than usual for a Grimsby trawler and fell in with the survivors of the Norge, who for twenty-four hours had been tossed about in a small boat in the rough waters of the north Atlantic. The survivors were taken aboard the Salvia and were landed at Grimsby last night.

London, July 5.—Of 774 souls on board the Danish steamer Norge, 138 including Captain Gundel, are known to have been saved up to this hour. One of the children died in a lifeboat, which brought others to safety. For the missing 646 persons small hope is entertained.

The enormous death toll which was feared at the first news of the wreck has been decreased by twelve. That number of survivors, after many hardships, were landed at Stornoway yesterday.

Vessels are searching in the vicinity of Rockall for any more survivors. The chief hope lies in Captain Gundel's statement that seven boatloads got safely away.

No more tragic story of the sea has ever been known here than that of the sinking of the Norge.

Aberdeen, Scotland, July 6.—Another lifeboat containing seventeen survivors of the ill-fated Danish steamer Norge, which foundered off Rockall reef, 200 miles from the Scottish mainland, on June 28, were landed at Aberdeen, Scotland, last night by the steamer trawler Largo Bay. Six hundred and twenty-seven persons are still missing.

MADE DARE-DEVIL ATTEMPT.

Japanese Torpedo Boats Enter Port Arthur Harbor.

St. Petersburg, July 7.—A few nights ago Admiral Togo attempted to repeat the Japanese exploit with torpedo boats at Wei Hai Wei during the Chinese-Japanese war by sending torpedo boat destroyers into the harbor of Port Arthur for the purpose of sinking ships at their anchorage, but the attempt resulted in disastrous failure. Four torpedo boats were succeeded in creeping into the harbor, which was not protected by booms, but only one escaped. Two were sunk by the shore batteries and one was crippled. The reckless bravery of the Japanese in going to almost certain destruction excites sympathy.

The Japanese fleet of destroyers, which entered the harbor at Port Arthur, was not so fortunate. They were repulsed by the shore batteries and were driven out of the harbor. The Japanese torpedo boat destroyers did not even succeed in launching torpedoes.

Japs Close in on Port Arthur.

Che Foo, July 5.—Chinese who arrived here last night from Port Arthur say the Japanese forces have formed a complete cordon around the land side of the town and that they are occupying all the commanding hills, including Wolf mountain, within a radius of seven miles of the fortifications.

The Chinese say also that two large warships are missing from the squadron which went out from Port Arthur on June 23 and that the Russian battleship Sevastopol was damaged on that day.

The Japanese bombarded Port Arthur from the sea on June 30, but did no damage to the town.

The Rush to Rescue.

Bonneton, S. D., July 7.—When the registry office here closed last night 3,115 persons had registered for free homes. The rush that is still on hand was indicated by the fact that on the late evening train 600 people got off and will register today. The train that went out was equally full. The town site war will be on from now on. Ten town site companies are reported to have made applications to the commissioner for town

CHEER BRYAN, VOTE AGAINST

Nebraska Orator's Magnificent Appeal Fails to Sway His Hearers.

FORMER ELOQUENCE ONLY

Loses On a Test Vote—Ballot On Report of Credentials Committee Indicates Strength of Parker and Anti-Parker Forces.

St. Louis, Mo., July 7.—The democratic national convention met yesterday, listened to an extended speech from Representative John Sharp Williams, its temporary chairman, appointed the committees necessary to perfect a permanent organization, and adjourned. In a session lasting two hours and fifty minutes, one striking incident overshadowed all other proceedings. That was the enthusiastic and prolonged cheering which greeted the name of Grover Cleveland. While the outburst which greeted the name of the former democratic president before his last syllable had fallen from the lips of the temporary chairman, was noteworthy in itself, it was magnified by contrast with the greetings accorded the actual persons of men who stood for all that has been opposed to Mr. Cleveland within the party during the last eight years.

James K. Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the national committee, went onto the platform and took his seat unnoticed. Practically no greeting was given him when he faced the convention with gavel in hand.

There were other stalwart lieutenants of the Nebraska who entered the hall unacclaimed, and lastly Mr. Bryan himself who, for the first time during the last two national campaigns, was greeted with silence. Eight minutes after the gavel fell the twice named candidate of his party passed in the main entrance and sought his seat unheralded and unheeded. A few moments later he arose and pushed his way to a seat nearer the aisle, where standing a moment to give greetings to friends, he was caught sight of and applauded. But the measure of applause was but a ripple when compared to the storm called forth by Cleveland's name.

Listening to the democratic doctrine laid down by Mr. Williams, the conservatives found occasion for the first demonstration when reference was made to the record of the former President. The absolute control of the party interest which had lain dormant through two national campaigns was released as by the touch of a trigger. The name of Cleveland was echoed from a thousand throats. Hats, handkerchiefs, fans and arms were waved, delegates and spectators stood on chairs and the last semblance of order was turned into confusion, which convention officials were powerless to subdue.

While the outburst was at its height, Mr. Bryan's following attempted to convert the demonstration into an appeal for their leader. The name of Bryan was yelled lustily, but in vain. Shouting of "Grover" and "Cleveland" was renewed and the Bryan following was hissed. The greatest significance was attached to the showing made by the anti-Bryan element. The absolute control of the convention is no longer doubted even by those who have heretofore declined to be convinced. The nomination of Judge Parker for president is assured beyond any possibility of defeat.

St. Louis, July 8.—The democratic national convention yesterday adopted the reports of the committees on rules, credentials and permanent organization. The session opened at 10 o'clock and an hour later took a recess until 2 p. m., and adjourned at 6:20 until 10 o'clock today.

The resolution of the day made, which was William Jennings Bryan's effort to overthrow the report of the credentials committee and seat contesting delegates from Illinois. The controversy was ended by the rejection of the minority report of the committee by a vote of 647 yeas to 291 nays.

Mr. Bryan's speech and his appearance on the floor of the convention was cheered far beyond any previous demonstration. It made few votes. The alignment of delegates proved the correctness of previous estimates of the party. The majority of delegates favor the radicals and those who are supporting the conservative element, which is now in control.

When the result of the contest was announced the report of the committee on permanent organization was made. Representative Champ Clark, addressed the convention. He had prepared and furnished to the press a speech of great length. The hour was so late when he gained the platform, however, that he spoke about 300 words and his audience to read the remainder.

The ovation given to Mr. Bryan was one of the greatest ever transpiring at any of the notable events for which the immense coliseum is famed. It was begun before the afternoon session of the convention had been called to order and continued for twenty minutes with so much fury that Temporary Chairman Williams and all of his assistants, including a hundred policemen, were unable to restore order. Quiet came from the convention only after the Parker forces joined in and by persistent efforts varied the tide by a great counter demonstration for the New Yorker, so that the favorite candidate for the nomination for president finally reaped the harvest of enthusiasm sown for Mr. Bryan.

St. Louis, July 8.—The subcommittee of the committee on resolutions passed the entire day until 5 o'clock in perfecting the details of the democratic platform, concluding at that hour with the adoption of a gold standard plank. The plank was voted in during the absence of Mr. Bryan and Congressman Williams, and the ballot stood 7 to 3, the affirmative votes being cast by Messrs. Daniel, Hill, Patterson, Hamlin, Cable, Poe and Davis, and the negative votes by Messrs. Dubois, Shively and Newlands. The understanding was that if Messrs. Bryan and Williams had been present they would have cast their votes in the negative, thus bringing the opposition to five.

The income tax plank was opposed by Hill and favored by Tillman. Bryan made a vigorous plea for the income tax plank, asserting that it was true democratic doctrine.

Immediately after the full committee convened at 8 o'clock, Senator Daniel read the subcommittee's draft of a platform, which was listened to with interest, but in silence.

As soon as the reading was completed the committee entered upon the consideration of the tariff plank. The change suggested by Bryan was adopted.

The Bryan plank is shorter, and more direct than that of the subcommittee. It declares in effect that all tariff for protection is robbery and advocates a gradual reduction along lines that will not disturb business interests.

Following are extracts from the platform as reported by the subcommittee: "We favor a liberal trade treaty with Canada."

"The discoveries of gold within the past few years and the great increase in the production thereof, adding two thousand million dollars to the world's supply, of which seven hundred million falls to the share of the United States, has contributed to the maintenance of a money standard of value, no longer open to question, removing that issue from the field of political contention."

"A private monopoly is indefensible and intolerable. We recognize the right of capital, in all legitimate lines of enterprise, to combine for the increase of business, for enlarging productive industry and decreasing the cost of production, but when such combination, in its purpose or effect, creates or tends to create a monopoly in its productions, to restrain trade, or to stifle competition, to increase cost to the consumer, or to control the market, it violates the spirit of our laws, becomes inimical to public peace, and should be so regulated, controlled or prohibited by law as to amply protect the public interests."

"We denounce the ship subsidy bill recently passed by the United States senate as an iniquitous appropriation of public funds for private purposes, and a wasteful, illogical and useless attempt to overcome by subsidy the obstructions raised by republican legislation to the growth and development of American commerce on the sea."

"We demand the extermination of polygamy within the jurisdiction of the United States, and the complete separation of church and state in political affairs."

REPUBLICANS HOLD JUBILEE.

Observe Semi-Centennial of Birth of Party at Jackson, Mich.

Jackson, Mich., July 7.—Nearly 10,000 people assembled in a picturesque place in the outskirts of this city yesterday to celebrate the semi-centennial anniversary of the birth of the republican party. It was in a smaller oak grove at the opposite end of Jackson that fifty years ago yesterday the first state convention that was held under the name of "republican" took place. Here the initial republican state ticket was placed in nomination.

Secretary of State John Hay was the orator of the day and United States Senator Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana, republican candidate for vice president, and Speaker Joseph G. Cannon of the national house of representatives were also present and delivered addresses. On the platform was seated a representative delegation of the republican leaders of this state, headed by United States Senator Alger and Burrows. Senator Burrows presided over the afternoon session and Senator Alger was the last speaker of the day.

Behind the speaker's platform rose a wall of bright colored bunting with immense pictures of John C. Fremont, the first republican nominee for president, and Abraham Lincoln, the first republican to occupy the White house. In the front rows of the audience were nearly a thousand men who voted for John C. Fremont for president, some of whom had participated in the original "under the oaks" convention fifty years ago yesterday.

The following quotations are from the address of Secretary Hay: "The republican party had a noble origin. It sprang directly from an aroused and indignant national conscience."

"If there is one thing more than another in which we republicans are entitled to legitimate pride, it is that Lincoln was our first president; that we believed in him, loyally supported him while he lived, and that we have never lost the right to call ourselves his followers."

"What we have done, what we are doing, and what we intend to do, on all three we confidently challenge the verdict of the coming people."

"To every grade of lawbreaker, high or low; to a man who would rob a till or a ballot box; to the sneak or the bully; to the hypocrite and the humbug, Theodore Roosevelt is more than a name; he is positively dangerous."

"Everything great done by this country in the last fifty years has been done under the auspices of the republican party."

DESPERATE BAYONET CHARGE.

Japanese and Russians Struggle Hand to Hand.

General Kuroki's Headquarters in the Field, (via Fusan), July 7.—On July 4 two battalions of Russians attempted to break through the Japanese outposts at the northern entrance to Mo Tien pass. After daylight they surrounded an outpost of eighty men at the foot of a hill and charged the trench above. A bloody encounter with bayonets, lasting a quarter of an hour, ensued. The Russians attacked the trench three times, but were driven up the valley by a Japanese reinforcement, leaving many dead and wounded. An observer saw fifty lying in front of the trench.

Tokio, July 7.—Supplemental dispatches indicate that the fight at Mo Tien pass on July 4 was a desperate hand to hand affair. A majority of the Japanese injured were wounded by bayonets. The Russians surrounded the outposts of the Japanese who fought until relief came.

The Russians left 53 dead and 40 wounded on the field. The Japanese lost 19 killed and 38 wounded. It is believed that the Russians sustained greater losses during the pursuit than in the attack.

London, July 7.—The Liao Yang correspondent of the Daily Telegraph in a dispatch dated July 7, at 1 a. m., says: "A battle is proceeding twenty-five miles from here."

"Numbers of wounded are being brought in from the mountains. Evidently the engagement is a severe one."

"It is believed that the Japanese are continuing their advance with the object of cutting off Mukden."

The original indictment of Adams for treason was recently found in the archives of the Federal Court in Richmond, Va. It was long supposed to have been lost. The document is signed by John Randolph, of Roanoke, foreman of the grand jury.

Dr. Richard T. Gottheil, of Columbia University, has a broad knowledge of Oriental tales and proverbs. One day he told an old Persian story about a pessimistic farmer. "Good friend," a visitor said to the farmer, "you are fortunate this year." He pointed to the heavy and rich grain fields spreading as far as the eye could see. "You can't grumble," he went on, "about your crop this season, eh?" "No," whined the pessimist, "but a crop like this is terribly wearing on the soil."

To Richard Mansfield an enthusiastic woman admirer had paid tribute of praise, adding: "I suppose, sir, that when in the spirit of those great roles you forget your real self for days." "Yes, madam, for days, as well as nights. It is then I do those dreadful things—trample on the upturned features of my leading lady and hurl tenderloin steaks at waiters." "And you do not know of it at all?" "Not a solitary thing, madam, until I read the papers next day," said Mr. Mansfield, solemnly.

It Pays to Read Newspapers.

Cox, Wis., July 4.—Frank M. Russell of this place, had Kidney Disease so bad that he could not walk. He tried Doctors' treatment and many different remedies, but was getting worse. He was very low.

He read in a newspaper how Dodd's Kidney Pills were curing cases of Kidney Trouble, Bright's Disease, and Rheumatism, and thought he would try them. He took two boxes, and now he is quite well. He says:

"I can now work all day, and not feel tired. Before using Dodd's Kidney Pills, I couldn't walk across the street."

Mr. Russell's is the most wonderful case ever known in Chippewa County. This new remedy—Dodd's Kidney Pills—is making some miraculous cures in Wisconsin.

When a girl angles in the matrimonial sea she is apt to catch a sucker instead of a goldfish.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

Local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear, there is no way to cure deafness. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When the tube is inflamed, it swells and closes, so that the vibrations which are transmitted through the ossicles cannot reach the hearing nerve. The only way to cure deafness is to disengage the tube, so that the vibrations can reach the hearing nerve. This can be done by using the method of Dr. J. C. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Save Your Ointment and Liniment

By giving them a coat of "Cala." For particulars write to Chas. Naeckel & Sons, Davenport, Ia.

Any man who thinks he is courting an angel may live to thank again.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and croup. N. W. SAMUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1901.

The Baltimore Judge who has decided that the value of a kiss is \$100 must surely be in love.

WANTED.—NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY.—Two or more Christian women in each town, to visit and advise the poor and needy of all ages and conditions. Address: Christian Medical Society, Room 7, 1200 Temple, Des Moines, Ia.

One good turn deserves another particularly if it is a turn-down.

Try Ode Package.

If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does please you, keep it. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

While the plotter schemes the plodder gets there.

WHEN YOU BUY BLEUING insist on getting Russ Bleaching Blue. Don't take a cheap imitation. All grocers, etc.

COURT DECIDES AGAINST DENNISON

Decrees That He Must Go to Iowa and Answer to the Charge.

COURT DECISION A SURPRISE

Dennison Will Appeal the Case to the Supreme Court for Final Decision on the Part of the Body—Will Be Hard Fought Legal Battle

Omaha, Neb., July 3.—Tom Dennison's application for a writ of habeas corpus has been denied by the district court. The attorneys have taken exception to the findings of the court and given notice that they will move for a new trial next Tuesday, and in the meanwhile the final order of the court will not be entered and Governor Mickey's warrant of extradition will be held in abeyance.

Attorneys for the Civic Federation stated in court yesterday they would give reasonable time to the attorneys for Dennison to make their record upon which to carry the case to the supreme court.

Court Room No. 1 was crowded when Judges Day, Troup and Redick read their findings in the habeas corpus case, in which all three of the jurists concurred, although they read separate opinions. The conclusions reached by the court are as follows:

First—That the warrant of the governor is prima facie valid, and in connection with the evidence before the governor make a prima facie case.

Second—The indictment is properly authenticated and establishes the fact that the relation existed between the commission of a crime against the laws of the state of Iowa.

Third—That the warrant of the governor is not invalid because it fails to recite the findings of the jurisdictional facts.

Fourth—The affidavit and copy of Sheriff's evidence before the grand jury are not competent evidence in this proceeding to prove either of the jurisdictional facts.

Fifth—The statute of limitation has no application where the parties are fugitives from the justice of the state.

Sixth—The burden is upon the relator to establish by clear and satisfactory evidence that he was not in the state of Iowa at or about the date of the alleged offense.

Seventh—The evidence and circumstances in evidence are not clearly and satisfactorily shown that the relator was not in the state of Iowa at or about the 5th day of November 1892, the date of the alleged offense.

The findings are:

First—That there was a legal demand made by the governor of Iowa upon the governor of Nebraska for the extradition of the relator in this case.

Second—That the warrant of the governor of Nebraska is sufficient in form and issued upon sufficient competent proof before him, and that the relator is now held under said warrant.

Third—From the facts proven upon the trial the relator has failed to establish that he was not in the state of Iowa at or about the time of the alleged crime.

The writ of habeas corpus prayed is therefore denied.

Dennison's attorneys alleged insufficiency of law, that the statute of limitation had run against the crime and that Dennison was not in Iowa at the time of the crime. In brief, the court held that the statute of limitation had not run against the alleged crime and that the warrant of extradition issued by Governor Mickey was sufficient, although it did not recite the jurisdictional fact that Dennison was a fugitive from justice.

The court held that the instant charging was not in violation of the extradition act, returned by the Harrison county, Iowa, grand jury, was properly authenticated and was a good basis for the extradition writ.

Omaha, July 4.—County Attorney Fallon of Harrison county, Iowa, discovered a few days ago that the record on the evidence in the Schercliff trial at Logan, Iowa, in 1893, has been mysteriously destroyed. Mr. Fallon was informed by one of the jurors in the Schercliff case that Dennison had testified at the trial that he was in Council Bluffs at one time, and that he had been in the Pollock diamond robbery. Mr. Fallon immediately made a search for the record in the Schercliff case, as this testimony would have proved that Dennison was in the state of Iowa. He found, however, that the record has been burned.

Omaha, July 6.—The motion for a new trial in the Dennison case was submitted in a formal manner, and without any arguments. The court overruled the motion and the final judgment of the court was entered on the record. Then the lawyers for Dennison applied for a subpoenaed giving the relator until next January in which to appeal to the supreme court. The court granted thirty days in which to file notice of appeal. Dennison's appeal was fixed at \$5,000 as before, and was signed by A. B. Hunt, superintendent of the Omaha Water company.

Easily Got Three Thousand. Maconeta, July 6.—Using the name of Alderman Langer of Davenport a smooth grifter secured \$3,000 from a prominent real estate man of this city and has left for parts unknown. The grifter bargained to buy the farm of A. P. Gish at Lost Nation. While the abstract was being made out, he forged a deed and the abstract came back. Maconeta and borrowed the \$3,000. He claimed to be Alderman Langer of Davenport.

Stabbed by a 17-Year-Old Boy. What Cheer, July 6.—Fuge Tinsley, clerk in Charles Sprinkle's shoe house, was stabbed in the abdomen by Howard Dawson, 17 years old, and dangerously wounded at 11 p. m. on July 4. Dawson bought a sandwich and refused to pay and a quarrel resulted. There were no other casual ties.

Several robberies took place on a train from the east into Bonesteel a few days ago, and W. A. Story of Indianapolis, Ia., lost \$200 to a pick-pocket who leaped from the train and escaped. Story's pocketbook, which was stolen, contained \$200 in cash and \$500 in drafts and certificates of deposit on the County bank at Indianapolis.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

And Its Harvest of Accidents From Fire Crackers.

Des Moines, July 5.—The Register and Leader has made a special effort to secure complete and accurate returns of Fourth of July accidents over the state. From returns received, one death can be blamed directly to the careless use of firearms in connection with the celebration. Six may lose their sight, either wholly or in part, from injuries received. Three are seriously burned, and five have had their hands mutilated by the premature explosion of firecrackers or by toy pistols. A number of others are more or less seriously injured.

A list of those who are the most seriously injured is as follows:

Killed—Ruth Pierson of Newton. May lose eyesight—Eddie Shenenberger of Cedar Rapids, Charlie Neville of Anamosa, 2-year-old daughter of B. F. Kirk of Council Bluffs, Henry Darnell of Council Bluffs, Willie Stroud of Cascade, Charles Babcock of Sioux City.

Seriously burned—Anton Jenista of Cedar Rapids, Gladys Bartlett of Boone, Roy Bethers of Council Bluffs.

Mutilated by firecrackers and toy pistols—Beach of Anamosa, Morris Goodrich of Council Bluffs, Young Olson of Council Bluffs, Miss Rebecca Todd of Vinton.

Newton, July 5.—While enjoying the pleasures of a Fourth of July picnic in a grove near home of William Nestem, three and one-half miles southwest of this place, Ruth Pierson, 12 years old, was shot and instantly killed by William Marshall yesterday. The shooting was purely accidental.

Marshall and a companion, also enjoying their Fourth of July holiday were walking up the railroad track, which passes near the grove. They carried a rifle with them, and were firing at a mark as they went. The rifle was 22-calibre and a repeater. Three bullets were fired by Marshall into the grove, and struck among the party of many toy crackers, who were standing near by.

One of the leaden messengers struck the little girl in the head, killing her instantly.

The coroner was summoned, but after viewing the body decided that no inquest was necessary.

Marshall was frantic with grief over the consequences of his action. The dead girl is the daughter of William Pierson, a well known resident of this place.

TICKET OF SOCIALISTS.

Convention at Marshalltown Marked By Harmony.

Marshalltown, July 6.—The socialists of Iowa celebrated the glorious Fourth in their state convention in this city by nominating a full state ticket and adopting a platform setting forth their principles before the voters of the state. The proceedings were characterized by harmony and unanimity. The ticket nominated is as follows:

Secretary of state, J. E. Shank, Sioux City; treasurer, Joseph Holmes, Marshalltown; attorney general, J. S. McCullis, Des Moines; judge of the supreme court, W. J. Martin, Sac City; clerk of the supreme court, Jacob Raphaelson, Davenport; reporter of supreme court, Dr. Enos, Waterloo; railroad commissioner, J. W. Zettler, Muscatine; presidential electors at large, John M. Work of Des Moines and Henry Bilterman of Avery.

The most urgent plank of the platform relates to the wage system, which is condemned as the cause of starvation and crime. In its place, a system of production for the benefit of the workers is advocated. A resolution was adopted extending sympathy to the Western Federation of Miners and denouncing the stand taken by Governor Peabody of Colorado.

There were fifty delegates present, representing 255 votes. The convention was called to order by Secretary J. J. Jacobsen of Des Moines. W. A. Jacobs of Davenport was elected permanent chairman and A. A. Twilley of Dubuque, editor of the Iowa socialist, was chosen permanent secretary.

WANTED TO STAB HUSBAND.

Mrs. Carrie Kimball of Sheffield Causes Sensation.

Hampton, July 6.—Because she wanted to stab her husband with a butcher knife and threatened to shoot the neighbors, Mrs. Carrie Kimball of Sheffield was brought before the insanity commission by her husband, Mr. Sophorne Kimball. When some of the neighbors were moving a building along the street past the Kimball home and were obliged to remove a limb from a shade tree on the corner they got permission to do so from Mr. Kimball, but when Mrs. Kimball saw what they were doing she commenced to cut down the trees within the yard to get even. She wanted to shoot a man who had been selling beer, and tried to stab her husband when he got the revolver away from her. Mrs. Kimball, who is a very handsome young woman of 22 years, says that she has a temper which she cannot control, but emphatically insists that she is not at all crazy. She will engage a lawyer and fight the case, even though the insanity commission decided her a fit person for the insane hospital.

BURIED IN RUINS.

Waterloo Man Has Miraculous Escape From Death.

Waterloo, July 8.—With a roar of a cyclone and loud crash the rear section of the third floor of the Fowler wholesale grocery building fell through two intervening floors to the basement yesterday afternoon. Nat Hartung and son, Lee, were pushing a loaded truck over the floor when it gave way and Hartung was carried with the load crashing through two floors to the basement and buried beneath the heavy mass. By a lucky jump the son saved himself. The father was buried beneath the debris for an hour, was dug out and taken to the hospital. His injuries are not great.

CLARENCE CAMPBELL, WHOSE HOME IS IN COLIFAX, WAS KILLED INSTANTLY, BEING CAUGHT UNDER A TRACTION ENGINE, WHICH WENT THROUGH A COUNTY BRIDGE FOUR MILES EAST OF COLIFAX. JOE SLAGHTER WAS INJURED IN A MANNER THAT WILL CAUSE HIS DEATH, AND HIS BROTHER, MELL SLAGHTER, HAD AN ARM BROKEN. THE THREE YOUNG MEN WERE RUNNING A TRACTION ENGINE FROM NEWTON TO COLIFAX, AND WHILE CROSSING INDIAN CREEK, NEAR THE HOME OF PETER PINK, THE BRIDGE CAME AWAY.

POPULISTS NAME NATIONAL TICKET

Nominate Thomas E. Watson of Georgia for President.

TENDERED BY ACCLAMATION

Other Candidates Withdraw Before Close of Roll Call—Platform Brief and Practically Reaffirms the Omaha Platform of 1892.

Springfield, Ill., July 6.—Thomas E. Watson of Georgia, for president, and Thomas H. Tibbles of Nebraska, for vice-president, was the ticket nominated yesterday by the populist national convention. The names of William V. Allen of Nebraska and Samuel W. Williams of Indiana were also placed before the convention for president, but before the list of states had been completed in the roll call, their names were withdrawn, and Watson nominated by acclamation. Former Senator Allen made good his word that he would not enter into any scramble for the nomination, and while the nominations were being made he twice instructed the chairman of the Nebraska delegation to say that his name must not go before the convention, but in the face of this he received over 400 votes and many believe he would have been nominated had he given his consent to be a candidate. Whether Watson will accept the nomination or not no one in the convention seemed to know, and all efforts to secure some definite information from Watson's friends failed. Watson was quoted as saying that if the democrats at St. Louis nominated William R. Hearst he (Watson) would support him for president.

Williams of Indiana, who worked hard for the nomination, and who made more claims than anyone else, made a poor showing, and when his own state was called, eleven of the twenty-four delegates refused to support him, and voted for Allen. He soon withdrew in favor of Watson, and the nomination of Watson was unanimous.

There were five nominations for vice-president, Thomas H. Tibbles of Nebraska; Theodore B. Rydler of Pennsylvania; L. H. Weller of Iowa; George F. Washburn of Massachusetts, and Samuel W. Williams of Indiana. The two last named candidates practically received all the votes on the first ballot and was nominated by acclamation.

It was after 10 o'clock a. m. before the committee on credentials made its report, and from that time until the convention adjourned at 7 o'clock the evening there was almost a continuous wrangle among the delegates over almost every question that came up for discussion, and it required the entire day to adopt a short platform and nominate a ticket.

J. A. Mallett of Texas was permanent chairman. The platform adopted is brief and is a practical reaffirmation of the Omaha platform of 1892. It was adopted as reported by the committee, without a dissenting voice.

Former Congressman E. R. Ridgeley of Kansas attempted to secure the nomination of nominating a ticket until after the St. Louis convention, but he was hissed and interrupted so he could not speak, and the convention promptly tabled his resolution.

After the convention adjourned, a meeting of the national committee was held, and James H. Perris of Illinois, who was elected chairman and Charles Q. DeFrance of Lincoln, Neb., secretary.

The committee also appointed members of the national committee for those states that were not represented at the convention. For Michigan these were appointed: Mrs. Marian Todd, James E. McBride, E. J. Payne.

According to advices from Des Moines competition from the St. Louis exposition is not making itself felt as against the Iowa state fair which is but seven weeks distant.

Secretary Simpson is receiving entries for the Iowa fair at an unparalleled rate, considering the time that yet remains in which to make them. What is more, many of the entries come from points near St. Louis.

Two big cattle heads were entered a few days ago, one of which comes from Missouri and the other from Illinois. Mr. Simpson accounts for the unusually large list of entries on the theory that many small exhibitors are entering this year in the belief that competition will not be so strong. They anticipate that the cream of everything will be at St. Louis and that they will stand a chance to win at the Iowa State fair. It is the way they are figuring they will be disappointed, as the winners of past seasons are, with very few exceptions, entering their exhibits with Secretary Simpson again this year.

Secretary Simpson anticipates a record-breaking attendance in the year if the weather is anything like favorable. He figures that good crops and good times will result in the usual pilgrimage to the state fair, notwithstanding the world's fair.

"I wish," said the expression to the lawyer, "that you would send in your bill for legal advice." "I am waiting," replied the lawyer, "until I get your bill for my May moving. I'd rather have the last chance."

"It's always dangerous to jump at conclusions," said the careful man; "you're liable to make yourself ridiculous, at least." "Yes," replied the Jersey commuter, "I jumped at the conclusion of a ferry-boat once, and missed it." Philadelphia Ledger.

"Mysterious Billy" Smith, the prize fighter, has come to the conclusion that he can whip nobody but Satan. He has joined the Salvation Army.

Dry stockings are provided in the schools of Rhenish Prussia, for the pupils who arrive there with wet feet.

"Have you heard about the latest insurance company?" "No; what is it?" "Why, it's one that promises to pay all money to both parties in case the marriage proves a failure."—Detroit Free Press.

While—"My mamma gave me a nickel for being good." "Tommy—" "Huh, my mamma never gives me anything. I have to be good anyhow!" While—"Well, my mamma doesn't want me to be good for nothing."—Washington Life.

NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL

Des Moines, July 8, 1904.

One of the leading attractions of the present session of the Midland Chautauqua, Des Moines, July 7-17, will be the political debate between Congressman J. Adam Bede of Minnesota and Congressman J. DeLoach of Iowa, which occurs on July 12. Mr. Bede is acknowledged as one of the greatest orators in congress and Mr. Wade has a reputation as a debater who stands high in the lists of the lower house. It is conceded that the debate will be a great one, and many visitors are expected from out of town. Dr. Frank Gansuau of Chicago will deliver an address on Sunday, July 17. The program, which is in charge of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, is full of good things and the railroads are giving reduced rates.

Detectives Eli Hardin and Andrew Brackett returned from Chicago bringing with them Frank Jennings, who once escaped, and "Smitty" Schmuck. The two men are charged with having blown up Cady's safe in Des Moines last week and securing \$5,000 worth of diamonds. Chief Hardin, with some difficulty, succeeded in securing the men for trial in Des Moines, as Chicago officials were anxious to lodge similar charges to those for which they are wanted in this city. The grand jury will take up the investigation of the charges against the men at once.

A parole has been granted to Sam Horton of Sioux City, confined in the Woodbury county jail for a year. Horton had served for six months. He was convicted for knocking the eye out of another negro's head with a stone. It was the first time that he ever got into trouble, the story that he had served a term in the penitentiary being a fabrication. He will go to work at the Mondamin hotel in Sioux City.

James Brendel, warden of the insane ward of the Polk county poor farm, who was recently charged with cruel and inhuman treatment of inmates, has been emphatically vindicated in the report of the committee on the inspection of the poor farm and buildings. The examining committee says that "praise is due Warden Brendel for the efforts made by him in behalf of the insane of the county and the proper keeping of the county's interests at the poor farm."

According to the figures and estimates of Director J. R. Sage of the Iowa Crop and Weather service, the month of July has a better prospect of a crop than the same month in last year. Almost every form of plant life has prospered exceedingly well and gives evidence of the lower crop as much desired by the Iowa farmer and consumer of the world. Heavy rains of last year were of course responsible for the poor condition of the crops as compared with the outlook this year, while the average quantity of rain and the general good condition of the crops have done for aid in giving the farmers the ideal year for corn and all manner of garden products. The condition of corn is represented to be at least 15 per cent better than it was last year.

The state board of control expects to name a state visitor within a day or two. A score of candidates for the appointment have filed their applications. The position is one which requires a peculiar ability. The law is construed to authorize the board to employ a visitor not only to find homes for the children in the soldiers' orphanage home, but also to find positions for paroled convicts and youths paroled from the industrial schools at Mitchellville and Eldora.

Secretary Davison of the executive council says that the reports of telephone companies are now being collected at the state house after a fashion which indicates that these corporations will have furnished the council with the information needed by it before the time for making the assessment has arrived. "One of the chief difficulties of the work of gathering the reports of the companies has been the failure of those which have changed their names during the past year to report the name under which they were assessed last year," said Mr. Davison. "The result of this failure on the part of the companies has been that in some cases concerns which have reported are assessed as delinquents, and the reports, and they have been appealed to strenuously. It is necessary to ask the companies to file a statement, now, as to the name under which they were assessed last year."

State Superintendent Riggs, who has returned to his office after an absence of several days, announced on behalf of President H. H. Seerley the appointment of C. S. Hammock of Aberdeen, S. D., to be director of the manual training department at the State Normal school at Cedar Falls. The trustees of the normal school decided some time ago to establish manual training department. President Seerley was commissioned to make an investigation of the subject. At the recent meeting of the trustees he submitted an elaborate report on the advisability and desirability of establishing such a department. Following this came the announcement of the selection of Professor Hammock to be the director of the department at Cedar Falls. He is said to be one of the leaders of this sort of work in the country.

McWork's Kindly Theory. Mrs. McWork—"Old Bullion is making me a money. Phy should he wantin' to reduce your wages?" Mr. McWork—"Sure, O! dunno. Maybe he do be tryin' to get rich enough to be a great philanthropist."

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The green ants of Australia make nests by bending leaves together and uniting them with a kind of natural glue, which exudes from them. Hundreds have been seen on one leaf drawing it to the ground, while an equal number waited to receive, hold and fasten it.

In most of the Japanese cities there are young women who earn a living as professional entertainers. When requested they visit the homes of their patrons, and make themselves agreeable. They are well educated, can converse, recite poetry, tell stories, sing songs, play the guitar and dance.

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John Stonebruner, of Springfield, Ohio, is a believer in dreams. He dreamed that at a certain spot, near Beatty, he saw a settler burying gold. The repetition of the dream for three days later, caused him deep reflection. He went to the spot indicated, and there unearthed gold coins to the value of \$1,500. The treasure is supposed to have been concealed there in the year 1746, by a French settler.

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SIoux CITY ITEMS.

The picnic given by the A. M. E. Sunday School a week ago at Talbot's farm, and which was traveled there on a hay rack has caused some to be stiff yet from the trip, they say when they get down they can hardly get up. It is too bad, I guess we will have to recommend Omega Oil.

Mrs. Anna Moore returned home on the 4th from Yankton, S. D. after a two weeks' visit. She reports a very pleasant time.

Mr. O. W. Moon has returned to our city after spending six months visiting relatives and taking in the World's Fair on his way home.

The Silver Leaf Club met with Mrs. Co. a Harrison last Tuesday. The evening was spent in having an old fashion spelling bee.

Mrs. Polly Jewell left Tuesday for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Paris, Mo.

Mrs. Bruce of Sioux Falls, S. D. is visiting in our city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baker.

The trolley party given by the Mt. Zion Baptist church was well patronized and was highly enjoyed by all who went. The Watkins Cornet band furnished the music.

The Watkins band is coming to the front and are making grand progress for the time it has been organized. It may be because the largest man in the band plays the big-st drum. Now they need a big cornet player; if you want the position call on Mr. Joseph Baker on West Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young went to Norfolk, Neb. last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Young's aged grandmother, which occurred in that city last Tuesday. They arrived home Wednesday and were accompanied by Mrs. David Shores' sister, Miss Mitchell, who will visit in our city several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Sioux Falls, S. D. spent several days in our city last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Young.

The Willing Worker Club will give a shadow entertainment Thursday evening July 7, at the residence of Mrs. A. Jordan.

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CEDAR RAPIDS NOTES.

The 4th passed off quietly without any serious accidents to the youngsters.

We believe that Elder Clemens is still improving slowly; though unable to leave his bed.

Miss Katie King of Ft. Madison is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Robinson.

Miss Mary Green who has been spending the season with her grandparents, Mrs. E. C. Thomas expects to leave for her home in Toledo in a few days on account of ill health. We deeply regret Miss Green's departure and hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. James Jones of Tipton, Ia., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Maud Green on the 4th.

Mrs. Ed. Marshall has issued invitations for a party to be given at her home Wednesday evening, in honor of Mr. David Lewis. Mr. Lewis has been doing a thriving business in the city and will leave in a few days for Davenport and other points in the state. His many friends extend to him their most hearty wishes of success.

Last week Mr. Porter Johnson enjoyed a visit from his mother of Washington, Ia. A few ladies of the A. M. E. church will serve fried fish Thursday evening. Mr. Roscoe Roper and wife of St. Louis are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Thomas.

The Glen Elks, Cedar Rapids base ball team, played at New Hall July 2, winning in a score of 4 to 1. The feature of the game was Christian's pitching.

MT. PLEASANT NOTES.

The entertainment given by the pulpit committee of the A. M. E. church was a



FOR STATE TREASURER.

It is a degree of pleasure that we present the well known State Treasurer, Hon. G. S. Gilbertson of Forest City, the present incumbent, who is now asking for re-nomination. Senator Gilbertson, as he is better known, was one of the self-made men of Winnebago county. He has always taken an active part in the Republican party for years and has held several offices of honor and trust in the party. He was elected to the Iowa Legislature for two terms and his record was honest, open and business like, and the party of his choice called him higher, to State Treasurer. He is a good business man—having been a banker many years at Forest City. He is a friend of the colored race and we hope he will be unanimously re-nominated, and re-elected by an increased majority.

very pleasant affair and proved to be a success in every particular.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Brooks and children of Keokuk are in the city for a short visit with Mr. Brooks' mother, Mrs. Matilda Atkins.

Mr. Rufus Keith and Mr. Ollie Folks of Burlington visited friends in the city on Monday.

Mr. Lucian Carter of Denmark is in the city for a short visit with his sister Mrs. Nellie Palmer.

The Misses Harris entertained a few friends Sunday afternoon in honor of Miss Ethel Brooks of Keokuk.

Among the visitors to Burlington Monday were Messrs. Harry Barnhart, Henry Stewart, George Robinson, Sam and Chas. McCracken, Miss Hester Bartlett has returned from Evanston to spend the summer with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Arbuckle and Messrs. Lincoln Nunnley and Thornton McNeal were visitors to Ottumwa Monday.

Mrs. Beckley of Keokuk is expected in the city soon to make her home with her sister, Mrs. R. N. Hackey.

Miss Elizabeth Wicks of Rome spent Sunday with the Misses Harris who accompanied her home on Monday for a short visit.

The I. K. S. club and a few friends spent Monday at Barlow's Ford, and encountered several huge snakes. The party sat down to a very elaborate supper served in regular picnic style. The evening was spent in a grand display of fire works.

Mrs. K. Bartlett entertained at dinner Monday, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brooks of Keokuk, Mrs. Matilda Atkins and Mrs. Hattie Hedger.

MARSHALLTOWN NEWS.

Mrs. Charles Watson and Mrs. Owens of Mason City spent Sunday in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Taylor.

Mrs. Ross of Muscatine is spending a few days in the city, visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Crawford.

Miss Lottie Sellers of Davenport is in the city on account of the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Mamie Baker of Buxton is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crawford entertained at luncheon in honor of their mother, Mrs. Ross, Rev. and Mrs. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cobb. A very pleasant evening was spent in conversation.

The picnic given by the Christian Union club the Fourth of July was largely attended, and was a grand success.

Mrs. Wm. Johnson still continues very ill.

Mrs. Mary Sellers is quite sick at this writing.

Those who will attend grand lodge from this city are: Mr. I. L. Brown, grand master of the state; Mr. Geo. Senter, Mr. Lewis Johnson, Rev. Green, Albert Walker and sister Jessie.

FT. MADISON NOTES.

Sunday was Quarterly Meeting at

the A. M. E. church. The presiding elder being absent, Rev. Ford was assisted by Rev. Williams of Burlington.

Wednesday evening, at his home on Walnut street, occurred the death of Mr. Patrick Bowman. The funeral was held from the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. D. A. Holmes officiating.

Mrs. Fairfax of Hamilton, Ill., who has been visiting Mrs. Lizzie Holmes, returned home Tuesday. Mr. Pleasant is visiting her brother, Mr. Edward McKane.

Mrs. Scott of Quincy, Ill., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Lucy Woods. Miss Agnes Harper, who has been ill the past four weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Ambrose Jackson is visiting relatives and friends at Monmouth, Ill.

Mr. Geo. Yelzer of New Boston, Iowa, was in the city Sunday.

Messrs. Charles Prentice, Thomas Smith, Ernest Harper and Calvin Anderson spent the Fourth at Vincennes, Iowa. They attended the picnic which was given by Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Dandridge.

Mr. Henry Foster is on the sick



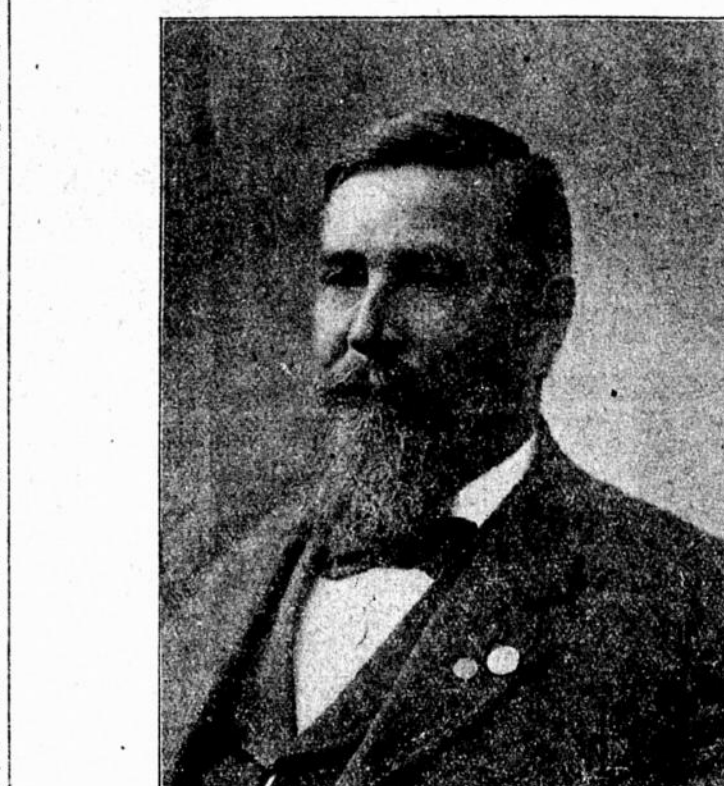
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It is hardly necessary for the Bystander to introduce the familiar face of Hon. W. B. Martin, the secretary of state of Iowa, and he here and now announces himself as a candidate for the republican party of Iowa to serve. He is a sociable and courteous gentleman to meet and will no doubt be better qualified to do even more things for the people of Iowa if elected.

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September Term. A. D. 1904.

Daisy Ives, plaintiff, vs. Frank Ives, defendant.

Frank Ives, you are hereby notified that on or before the first day of September, 1904, the petition of the plaintiff in the above entitled cause will be filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Polk county, claiming of you a divorce on the grounds of desertion. And that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the September term, A. D. 1904 of the said court, which will commence at Des Moines, Iowa, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1904, default will be entered against you and judgement entered thereon.

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