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CITY NEWS.

(N. B. If you have relatives or friends visiting in the city or going to make a visit, please inform us; we collect all your local news.—Ed.)

Mrs. J. E. Todd is convalescent.

Rain, rain, we are having plenty now.

Rev. J. C. Reid of Sioux City passed through our city last Sunday enroute to Ottumwa.

Miss Lorna Wilson left last Saturday morning for Buxton, where she expects to spend her vacation.

Robert Woods, a former Des Moines boy who went to Chicago about seven years ago, returned last Saturday to make this city his future home.

The International Order of Twelve of Knights and Daughters of Tabor will hold their District Grand Session at Des Moines July 27, 28, 29.

Mrs. E. B. Elston, 519 13th st. makes a specialty of Human Hair Goods, also Shampooing and straightening. Mail orders promptly filled.

S. A. Jordan, I. C. G. M. of Little Rock, Ark. will be in Des Moines to attend the grand session of the Knights and Daughters, and while here will deliver a lecture.

Mrs. Gertrude Bell-Harris of Atchison, Kans., and spent a few hours with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bell. She left in the evening for Davenport where she will spend several weeks.

The Alpha club will hold their semi-monthly meeting Sunday afternoon at four o'clock with Elbert R. Hall, 817 Maple street. Following the transaction of business, the usual luncheon will be served.

One of the most beautiful three course dinners of the season occurred at the home of Miss Jessie Bell, 1104 E. Fremont street, Saturday evening July 3rd, in honor of Misses Susie Lee of Clarinda and Mabel Johnson of Gravitv. The evening was spent in music and at a late hour each departed for their home.

Miss Marie Flummer of Indianapolis entertained a few friends at her home July 1st, at a four course dinner in honor of the Misses Susie Lee of Clarinda and Mabel Johnson of Gravitv. The decorations being pink and green. All report having spent a pleasant evening.

The Callanan club met at the home of Mrs. Adam Dixon Wednesday July 7th and had a very interesting meeting. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Dixon at 8 o'clock for the election of officers. All members requested to be present. On account of the Sunday School convention held in June the club postponed the quilt entertainment until August; will give date later. All parties having tickets hold them.

There will be a large delegation of Masons and friends to leave this next week to attend the Grand Masonic lodge meeting at Keokuk the 13th, 14th and 15th. Among those who have informed us that they are preparing to attend are Joseph H. Shepard, Robt. N. Hyde, Jefferson Logan, Geo. H. Clegggett, H. E. Jacobs, E. Tracy Blagburn, W. H. Humburd, Charles B. Woods, John L. Thompson, James H. Woods and wife, C. A. Harris, wife and daughter and Miss Cecil Harris. A good time is anticipated as the Keokukites are good entertainers.

The Kings Daughters will give a Trolley Party Monday evening July 12, for the purpose of raising \$100 to complete the furnishing of a room in the Mercy hospital. All friends are asked to assist in making this party a success. The car will leave the waiting room promptly at 8:30, making a trip to Valley Junction and then to the Army Post, returning to the waiting room at 10:30. Tickets can be purchased from the Kings Daughters.

Regular services at Union Congregational church Sunday July 11th. Morning service, topic "The Power of God". The Bible and Intermediate S. S. classes will conduct the evening service. Program: Music, scripture reading, prayer, music, scripture recitations by members of the Intermediate class, solo by Mr. Harry Hughes, paper On Life of the Apostle Paul by Mrs. J. H. Williams, paper, On Life of Lydia by Mrs. Stella Spaulding, quartette consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mr. W. H. Mackay and Rev. H. W. Porter. All are invited to the services. H. W. Porter, Pastor.

THE ROYAL Mexican Chili Cafe, Henry West, Prop. Open all night. First-class Service MEALS 15 CENTS. 107 Seventh Street.

The District Grand officers of the International Order of Twelve are as follows:
D. G. M., Mr. Edward Robenson of Keokuk.
D. G. P., Mrs. Tillie Reese of Council Bluffs.
D. G. Treas., Mrs. Della Bryant of Des Moines.
D. O. S., Mr. J. Tannahill of Council Bluffs.
D. G. O., Rev. S. Bates, Des Moines.

L. H. S. Brown, the D. G. S., of the D. G. L., 30, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, of Iowa, has purchased the home of H. E. Graves, corner of 13th and Day streets also a lot at the corner of Arthur avenue and Oxford street, Highland Park. Mr. Brown has been very successful for the last ten years as a scientific practitioner, but at present belong to the office force of the Iowa Dairy Co.

The Intellectual Improvement Club met last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harvey Brown, and among other things decided to hold only one meeting during the summer months. Mrs. J. H. Williams was present and who elected assistant critic. The newly elected officers were then installed, each making appropriate remarks. The president, Mrs. J. H. Woods, delivered a fitting address in which she gave much wholesome advice, after which the hostess served light refreshments assisted by Miss Martha Leffler. The club adjourned to meet the first Friday in August with Mrs. Chas. Cousin.

Miss Tabitha Mash will be hostess to the members of the Des Moines Negro Lyceum Tuesday evening at her home on Fourteenth street, at which time a chautauqua program will be rendered consisting of quotations by club members from any chautauqua speaker; a paper on the rise and progress of the chautauqua movement, by Mrs. H. W. Hughes; an address on "The 1909 Midland Chautauqua" by Mrs. Mattie Warricks. The paper and address will be generally discussed, led by Mrs. J. B. Rush. All members are urged to be present at this meeting at the home of Miss Mash, who during the past year has been in a hospital in Kansas City, Kans., receiving training as a professional nurse, and who leaves soon to resume her studies.

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WELL-DONE THOU GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT.

The undersigned, pastor and board of trustees of St. Paul's A. M. E. church of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, deem it a befitting tribute to faithful service to express our deep regrets to accept the resignation as choister of Mr. Geo. I. Holt, and Miss Ethel Bowmer as organist of our church. Each of whom has assigned as a reason for discontinuing their work, condition of health. They have both rendered long and faithful service, which we are sure has been appreciated by our congregation. It gives us further pleasure to inform the public that we are fortunate in securing Mr. Geo. H. Mason as choister and Miss Bertha Allen as organist, thus assuring a continued service of our splendid choir without a hitch or break. Both Miss Bowmer and Miss Allen are the children of the church and have proven worthy examples for the young members of the church and Sunday School.

Geo. W. Gaines, pastor.
John Walker
E. B. Elliston
Adam Dixon
A. C. Fisher
Edward Weeks
L. A. Avery
Trustees.

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"He has achieved success— who has lived long, laughed often, and loved much; who has gained the trust of pure women, the respect of intelligent men, and the love of little children; who has filled his niche and accomplished his task; who has left the world better than he found it, whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem, or a rescued soul; who has never lacked appreciation of earth's beauty; who has not failed to express the best in others and given the best of himself; whose life has been an inspiration; whose memory is a benediction."—Bessie A. Stanley.

STATE AFRO-AMERICAN COUNCIL MEETING.

The annual session of the Iowa State Afro American Council was held at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church in Ottumwa Monday July 5th, and evening, and notwithstanding the fact that it rained all day the sessions were all well attended by the citizens of Ottumwa as well as by visitors from the state.

About twenty delegates were present, representing Des Moines, Sioux City, Newton, Washington, Okaloosa, Buxton, Clinton, Keosauqua and Ottumwa.

This is the first time the Council has been held outside of Des Moines for many years, but the members of the Local Council proved themselves the equal if not the superiors of those in Des Moines at entertaining.

At the conclusion of the evening session the Council adopted a ringing public address, in which they heartily commended Senator J. B. Foraker for his defense of the Brownville Soldiers; and Gov. B. F. Carroll for his protection of John Junkin from mob violence; but firmly denounced Senator E. G. Moon of Wappello County for his opposition and defeat of the bill in the last legislature making it unlawful for an incorporated school or college in Iowa to exclude Negro students.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Atty. S. Joe Brown, Des Moines; vice president, Miss Edna Martin, Ottumwa; secretary, Miss Lena Williams Keosauqua; assistant secretary, Mrs. T. Hughes, Newton; treasurer, R. D. Smith, Clinton; organizer, W. S. Page, Ottumwa; assistant organizer, J. C. Reid, "Sioux City; sergeant at arms, Wm. Thompson, Ottumwa and chaplain, Rev. L. J. Phillips, Washington.

Executive committee: Atty. Geo. H. Woodson, Okaloosa; Rev. T. L. Griffith, Des Moines; Rev. M. I. Gordon, Ottumwa; Mrs. S. Joe Brown and Mrs. Mattie Warricks, Des Moines. Extension Committee: Rev. D. E. Butler and Rev. H. Lackey, Ottumwa; Atty. Jas. Spears, Buxton; Rev. W. A. D. Venerable, Keokuk, and Atty. A. G. Clark, Okaloosa.

A WORD FROM THE EDITOR OF THE LEVER.

Dear Friends and Subscribers to the Western Lever:

I take this opportunity through the kindness of the Editor of the Bystander, to acquaint you with the situation that confronts us in the publication of our magazine, the Western Lever. In addition to the previous statements made in the magazine itself a previous issue, I am forced now to state that the treatment I have received from my printers forces me to suspend further attempts to publish the magazine until I can complete the selling of my farm and return to my office, when and where I expect to install my own press and force and then continue the publication of the Western Lever from our own press and office.

My printers have delayed every issue of the magazine considerably over time, even when I have sent the money in advance, for its publication with the manuscript, as was the case of our last issue. The money and manuscript were sent in during the month of March, the magazine came out the last of April. With this kind of service from my printers it is impossible to successfully get my magazine out on time until I return to the office, and I cannot return to my office until I can sell my farm and effects.

But I wish to assure our subscribers that the Western Lever, will continue to be published as soon as I can return to the office, and that every subscriber shall have his and her money's worth through the magazine. I solicit your good patience until we can overcome our present disadvantages. I hope soon to be able to leave these parts.

J. D. PETTIGREW, Editor, Western Lever.

DAVENPORT NOTES.

Mr. D. L. Holmes has returned home to Davenport after attending the Afro-American Council, at Ottumwa, he reports a delightful time.

General Houston wife and grand-daughter Ione, and Mrs. Rosie Corbin were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Cash Lambert of South Rock Island, Sunday July 4th, at their home.

Mrs. Alice Thompson and mother of Muscatine, Ia., were callers at the home of Mrs. Wm. Bates on Ridge avenue. After attending the Wood-Rogers wedding in Moline.

Mrs. B. Applewhite entertained a few ladies at her beautiful residence on Pleasant street July 4th.

The young people gave a surprise on Miss Burton Wednesday evening, she left for her home Thursday evening.

is spending the summer with her aunt Mrs. C. H. Marshall, has completed a course in manicuring chiropody and shampooing and is now ready for business.

Miss Margaret and Alice Payne of 535 Ridge avenue are visiting relatives and friends in Louisville, Ky. Every one should subscribe for the Bystander.

CLINTON HAPPENINGS.

At the home of the officiating minister, Rev. S. L. Birt, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church, occurred the marriage at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening June 26th, of Mr. Wilber Toney of this city to Miss Estella Garrett, of St. Charles, Mo. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett of St. Charles and is a former student of Lincoln Institute at Jefferson City. The groom is the only son of Mr. Wm. Toney of Hustaville, Mo., and is a graduate of the high school of that city. The attendants were: Miss Anna B. Cooper and Mr. Ike Robinson of this city. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride and groom repaired with their friends to the home of Miss Mamie Hall of the north side where they were tendered a most enjoyable reception, at which time an elaborate three course dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Toney start out with the best wishes of their many friends. The bride has but recently come to Clinton but in the short time she has been here she has made many friends. Mr. Toney was the recipient of a beautiful mahogany rocker, a gift from the employees of the Clinton Bridge and Iron Works of which he is a valued employee. For the present they will make their home at 725 So. 5th street Lyons, Ia.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bush, a son at the Mercy Hospital Friday evening June 25th, mother and son are doing nicely.

Miss Virian Smith of Waterloo, a former Clinton girl is the guest of her cousin Miss Murda Beason.

Mr. T. G. Dozier left Saturday for a few days visit with friends in Iowa.

Miss Estella Bdash attended the Woods-Rogers nuptials at Moline, Ill. June 30th.

The Misses Ella Wade and May Ford of Jacksonville, Ill., are the guest of Mrs. H. G. Williams.

Mr. Lewis of Prophetstown, Ill., spent the 4th in Clinton, visiting friends.

J. T. Culbreath took a vacation from business last week for a couple of days on account of illness.

Some of our subscribers did well in settling up their obligations this year, but there are still some who have not come to time, let us hear from you by making some kind of an effort.

ALBIA NEWS.

Miss Ida Davis of Ottumwa was the guest of the Misses Mildred and Ora Lewis for the past week on her return from the Sunday school convention in Des Moines also made many new friends in the city.

Master Malchia Griffith of Des Moines is the guest of his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Butler and son Lawrence spent the glorious fourth visiting friends in Buxton.

There was quite a sensation in our city Friday a woman shot herself in the Court House waiting room.

Mr. Ross Johnson spent Sunday and Monday at home Buxton.

Quite a number of people were in town the past week from Buxton.

There was no 4th of July celebration in Albia, the Albia people visited in other towns.

Miss Mildred Lewis has returned from her visit in Okaloosa.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

When six months old the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, a well known merchant of Agnewville, Va., had an attack of cholera infantum. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was given and effected a complete cure. This remedy has proven very successful in cases of bowel complaint in children and when given according to the plain printed directions can be relied upon with perfect confidence. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by all druggists.

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Prices Reasonable. Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Iowa State Fair AND Exposition August 27-September 3
Greek Proverb. What the wind gathers the devil scatters.

SHAREHOLDERS' LOYALTY.

Afro-Americans Rally to Business Needs and Subscribe Large Sum.

The Metropolitan Mercantile and Realty company held a large stockholders' meeting at Carnegie hall, New York, recently for the purpose of considering the financial condition of its affairs and to raise the necessary funds to complete the new home office of the company at Forty-sixth street and Eighth avenue. Owing to the short notice given for the meeting many of the shareholders were not present. Notwithstanding there were at least 600 shareholders and others who attended the meeting. The shareholders, many of whom seemed indifferent and lethargic in the onset of the meeting, warmed up to the necessities of the hour as the officers of the company explained the financial conditions of the same and its present urgent need of funds to complete the building.

The meeting was called for the express purpose of raising \$50,000, which is the amount necessary to complete the store end of the building. This amount the management is desirous of raising by the 1st; if not, the 15th of July at the latest. Five floors of the building have already been rented, and the lessee will take possession as soon as this part of the building is completed. An urgent demand was made on the shareholders present to pledge this amount. After much persuasion \$25,000 was pledged and paid at once toward raising the \$50,000. Indications pointed to the fact that the audience might have easily pledged the entire amount had they known beforehand the object for which the meeting was called. Other meetings will be held from time to time until the necessary funds to complete the building are raised.

Notwithstanding the fact that the \$50,000 asked for was not all pledged, the friendly spirit and the eager interest which those who were present displayed in their company demonstrated the fact that the shareholders are still loyal to the company and purpose that it shall succeed. Many shareholders, for one reason or another, have become discouraged and disgruntled because work on the home office has not progressed as fast as they would have liked to see it. They are not alone in desiring to see the building finished. But desire alone, as enabling as it may seem, will not do the work. It requires money to complete the building, and a very little would be required from each shareholder provided they all were to contribute something. But where some are always giving and others are simply complaining it causes the proposition to become burdensome and the building to drag along. This is annoying to all concerned, and yet it cannot be helped unless the shareholders get together, make up the necessary funds and complete the building.

There seems to be an unfounded idea prevalent among a good many stockholders that the company has the necessary funds with which to complete the building and that they could complete it should they desire to do so. These assertions are as ignorant as they are untrue, for no intelligent management of any corporation would pursue such a blind course as that, destructive alike of confidence and business. The whole truth is the company has done the best it could under the circumstances and deserves great credit for having been able to maintain its existence during the crucial period through which it is passing. A little more patience, money and confidence will put the company on its old running basis, and the shareholders will then be satisfied at the sacrifices they have made.

Eastern District Grand Tent. The most important event in the secret society life among Afro-Americans of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the annual convention of the most worthy Eastern District grand tent, No. 3, the Order of J. R. Giddings and Joffe union, which was held for three days in the Bridge Street A. M. E. church a few days ago. The presiding officer was Mrs. Louisa Marshall of New York.

The Eastern District grand tent is composed of forty-five different orders and includes in its territory New York, New Jersey and the New England states. There were about 150 delegates and high officers in attendance. The order is a sick and death benefit society composed entirely of women and has existed about forty years. The sessions were largely attended, and the various reports showed that the order was in a healthy condition in both membership and finance. A reception was tendered the delegates and visitors at Sumner hall at the close of the three days' meetings.

Elks Seeking Reconciliation. At the annual election of officers of Brooklyn lodge, No. 32, Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, held at Sumner hall, Brooklyn, N. Y., recently, Benjamin Williams, a prominent Republican politician, was re-elected exalted ruler. All of the old officers were re-elected except those who held the positions of lecturing knight and loyal knight. Six delegates were elected to attend the grand lodge convention, which will convene at Detroit, Mich., in August. A conference of the exalted rulers of the east was held in New York a few days ago to arrange for the convention at Detroit. The perfecting of a basis union which will bring the two factions together will be one of the most important propositions that will come before the convention. One faction is led by Grand Exalted Ruler Howard, the other by the principal lodge of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut.

MOLINE (ILL.) ITEMS.

Tonight at the St. Paul church will be given a recital and impersonation by Prof. O. O. Lewis of Upper Iowa University.

Mr and Mrs Charles Jones of Rock Island spent the 4th with their parents of this city.

Miss Anna Fontz of Des Moines, spent the 4th with Miss Mable and Clara Tarver.

On last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood occurred the wedding of their only daughter Miss Mayotta to Mr. Frank P. Rogers of Chicago.

As the bells tolled eight the bride and bridegroom descended the stairs to the strains of Lohengrien's wedding march, rendered by Mrs. J. F. Thompson of Muscatine, and took their places in the north east wing of the second parlor under a large wedding veil. The ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. S. B. Walkup of this city, assisted by the Rev. D. A. Holmes and Rev. W. W. Williams of Davenport. During the ceremony Mr. Wm. Turk, Moline's wonderful baritone singer rendered very softly "Oh Promise me." Little Miss Alice Maxie attired in pink and white and carrying a silver tray of sweet peas with the wedding ring in the center acted as ring bearer. The bride was attired in a robe of white lace over white silk, wearing a bridal veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a large spray of bride's roses. The house was very beautifully decorated in pink and white, the bride's colors.

After congratulations the guest which number a hundred and twenty-five departed for the Odd Fellows hall where a sumptuous wedding supper was enjoyed. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Daisy E. Settle.

The out of town guest were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson and Mrs. Townley of Muscatine; Miss Bush, Clinton; Miss Beattie Crenshaw, St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. Johnson of Dubuque.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers departed on a late train for Chicago where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Colquitt entertained Rev. T. W. Lewis and family at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ingraham entertained at a dinner party Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Bishop entertained at a dinner party Thursday in honor of Miss Beattie Crenshaw.

Miss Mable and Clara Tarver attended services at the Baptist church in Davenport Sunday.

Mrs. Marshall of Davenport was a Moline caller Sunday.

BURLINGTON ITEMS.

(Last Week.)
Mr. and Mrs. J. Mackay entertained Mr. Chas. Bongia one of the members of the Dixie Troubadors at a dinner on the 22nd of June.

Messrs J. Brooks, J. Trent, P. King and son Harry are at Yellow Stone Park for a ten days trip.

Mrs. J. Trent is visiting in Chicago with her mother-in-law Mrs. Trent.

Mr. G. L. Washington is confined to his home with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Reed and son Harry and Mr. and Mrs. Wicks are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. Morton at their home on Washington street.

Mrs. Cheek of Peoria, Ill., is visiting in the city with Mrs. A. Baker and Mrs. J. Mackay.

Mrs. Goens of Keokuk was called to the city on the account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. I. Cook who is suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. Silas Wells one of Keokuk's prominent young men is in the city on business.

Miss Lena Johnson is visiting in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordon Earle entertained Rev. Birton at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson entertained Mr. Silas Kellis of Keokuk at six o'clock dinner Sunday.

Mr. J. Murray is quite ill suffering with a broken back.

Mr. Leon Tyler is in Ft. Madison for an indefinite stay.

Miss Ida Palmer entertained Rev. Thomas at dinner Sunday.

Barton, Tyler; Walter Davis, Jr., Organist; I. Pettiford, Grand Organist; W. L. Bibb, Medical examiner; E. E. Manuel, Chaplain. Trustees, Walter Green, Walter Davis, Sr., Edward Emerson. W. L. Jones, Grand Master of Social Societon and delegate to the Grand Lodge at Detroit Mich. Robert V. Bidley, Grand Traveling Deputy for U. S. and Canada. I. B. P. O. E. W. Elka office, 33 Bank street, New Albany, Ind.

With the beginning of the present fiscal year the Republic of Cuba established a Bureau of Information. President Gomez appointing Leon J. Canova an American newspaper man, who has resided in Cuba eleven years and has a wide acquaintance with the island, as its director.

Parties wishing information of any nature concerning Cuba, can obtain same free of charge, by writing to Leon J. Canova, U. and I. Bureau, (Utility and Information Bureau) Department of Agriculture, Commerce and Labor, Havana, Cuba.

PROGRESS IN CUBA.

(Last Week.)
Miss Mason left Saturday for Denver for an extended visit with her brother.

Rev. R. H. Mackley pastor of the West End Mission, spent a few days here in the interest of his church.

Miss Lydia Crawford is visiting friends in Cedar Rapids.

Miss Della Bland of Keokuk, spent a few days in the city the guest of Miss Mayme Richardson.

In the recent civil service examination, Mr. Elmer Richardson had the honor to win first place and was assigned to route 4.

Mrs. B. Gregory entertained at dinner Saturday in honor of Miss Della Bland.

Miss May Farrall is in St. David for a short visit with her parents.

Miss Mayme Richardson entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Della Bland.

Mrs. Mary Lucas entertained the Autumn Leaf club Thursday afternoon.

The members of the Thimble Circle were entertained by Mrs. John Logan Friday at her home.

MINNEAPOLIS BUDGETARIAN.

(Special to Bystander.)
Mr. Jasper Gibbs Sr., was in the city the 4th, visiting his family.

The Arboretum Club met with Mrs. Simms, of Pillsbury avenue Wednesday evening of last week.

A club of members of the Eastern Star Chapter visited the St. Paul Chapter, Wednesday evening July 7th.

The members of the Bethesda Baptist church had the pleasure of hearing Rev. Carter, of Ripley, O., at both the morning and evening services Sunday June 27th. Mr. Carter is a brother to Mr. I. A. Lawrence of 8th., avenue south.

The trustees of St. Peter's A. M. E. church gave their rally Sunday July 4th.

Mr. A. Jackson of east 29th street who has been quite ill for the past three weeks is improving rapidly.

Mr. Sam Branch is still quite ill at his home on east 27th street.

Mr. Harry Harper spent Sunday July 4th with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Harper, of 2819 Chicago avenue. Mr. Harper left the city Sunday evening for Evanston, Ill., where he is living with his sister Mrs. J. B. Auer.

The ladies of the Dorcas Society gave their Larkin exhibit Wednesday evening June 30th, at the Bethesda Baptist church.

Mrs. Grant Barber of South Bend, Ind. has arrived in the city and will join her husband who has been here a month, they will make Minneapolis their future home. At present they are stopping with Mrs. Martin of 936 10th, avenue south.

On Sunday afternoon June 27th the Masons had their annual turnout at St. James A. M. E. church. Rev. Wharton preached a very impressive sermon to the large audience.

The Thursday evening whist club met with Mrs. Neal of 5th avenue south last week.

Mr. John Wright was found in a heap at the bottom of freight elevator shaft in the rear of the Warner Hardware Company's store, 13 Sixth street south, with his skull completely crushed, after the employees had seen an object about six o'clock Saturday morning July 3rd.

Mr. Wright was a porter at the St. Barnabus hospital, but had been helping the porter for the Bureau of Engraving, in the hardware company's building. While the manner of his death was not witnessed it is believed that in attempting to run the elevator he was caught and crushed. His hat was found on the third floor. Mr. Wright leaves a wife and two children. His home is at 1817 eight street south.

Mr. James F. Wilson is now correspondent for the Bystander and will be pleased to have you give him your news items each week, they can be mailed to 2313 Chicago avenue.

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MASON CITY, NEWS.

(Special to Bystander.)
A new Elk Lodge was organized in Mason City, recently and will be known as the Cement City Lodge No. 5, the following officers were elected and installed: David Howard, Exalted Ruler, 738 east 9th street; Geo. Harvey, secretary; Ben Haskins, treasurer; W. Thomas Esteemed Leading Knight; W. Lansford, Esteemed Loyal Knight; L. Watson, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; W. Robinson, Esquire; Lee Morris, Inner Guard; R.

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VICTORY FOR HARRY THAW

LEAVES MAD HOUSE FOR JAIL,
PENDING SANITY PROBE.

Former Gov. Stone of Pennsylvania
Testifies to His Normal State
of Mind.

White Plains, N. Y.—With two important witnesses expressing belief in his sanity, and Justice Mills deciding he may stay in jail here instead of the asylum at Matteawan pending the inquiry into his sanity, Harry K. Thaw won a double victory Tuesday in his battle for freedom.

Lawyer Morschauer said he desired to consult with his client frequently and that it was impossible for him to do so at the Matteawan asylum. Justice Mills added, however, that if Justice Gaynor or the Appellate division decide to transfer the insanity trial to New York county he will order the retrainer of Thaw to Matteawan.

After Justice Mills had heard the testimony of two witnesses produced by Lawyer Morschauer he adjourned the hearing until Monday.

The point which Justice Gaynor must decide is whether to take the case into a jurisdiction where District Attorney Jerome can oppose Thaw's application.

William A. Stone, former governor of Pennsylvania, was called by Lawyer Morschauer to prove that Thaw showed a normal state of mind in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings, in which the former governor acted as his attorney. Ex-Gov. Stone swore Thaw acted in a perfectly rational manner in all dealings with him.

The testimony of Mr. Stone was taken out of courtesy to him because he could not be present in court for some time owing to business engagements.

Justice Mills asked Mr. Stone if Thaw in talking to him about his father's will, spoke from memory.

"Yes, he spoke of his father's will, named the trustees and various items of property his father had devised," replied the witness.

The witness said Thaw talked to him about timber lands and discussed with him the advisability of going into the business of buying and selling timber when he got away from his confinement in the asylum. He declared Thaw would like to go into business in Pittsburgh when released.

STATES TO DECIDE QUESTION

Senate Puts Income Tax Proposition
Up to Legislatures—Brown Plan
Is Adopted.

Washington.—The senate Monday adopted the Brown resolution which submits to the legislatures of the various states the question of whether the United States is to have an income tax through a constitutional amendment.

The resolution submits to the legislatures of the states an amendment to the national constitution providing that "the congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several states and without regard to any census or enumeration.

There were three hours of debate over this measure, the principal contest being over an amendment by Senator Bailey submitting the amendment to conventions in the states instead of the various state legislatures. The amendment was defeated, the division being largely along party lines. The Brown amendment was adopted unanimously.

REBELLION IN COLOMBIA.

Opponents of President Reyes, Who
Is in London, Proclaim a
New Ruler.

Bogota, Colombia.—A portion of the army stationed at Barranquilla took arms on Sunday last against the Colombian government, made prisoners of the municipal authorities and proclaimed Gonzalez Valencia as president.

Gen. Jorge Holguin, who is acting president in the absence of Gen. Rafael Reyes, was strongly denounced and the gendarmes were driven out of the city, later arriving at Cartagena. The revolutionists took possession of the town and several steamers on Magdalena river.

Gen. Holguin has declared martial law throughout the country. Gonzalez Valencia has discovered the rising and is coming to Bogota.

Gen. Perdomo left Honda with six steamers having on board 3,000 men and 20 pieces of artillery. The objective point of the troops is Barranquilla.

Taxes of Gotham Rich.
New York.—Andrew Carnegie and Mrs. Russell Sage are assessed as possessing \$5,000,000 worth of personal property each in New York city on the rolls presented to the board of assessors. John D. Rockefeller's personal property assessment is \$2,500,000 and that of seven members of the Vanderbilt family aggregates \$1,840,000.

Acquitted of Perjury Charge.
Berlin.—Ervin Councillor Dr. Hammann, director of the press bureau of the foreign office, was acquitted of charges of perjury brought against him by Prof. Schmitz, the former husband of the present Frau Hammann.

Italian Murderer Electrocutted.
Auburn, N. Y.—Giuseppe Sanducci, who murdered Joseph Derdano, an Italian detective, at Belfast, Allegany county, was put to death in the electric chair in Auburn prison Tuesday morning.

Ovation to Prince Ito.
Seoul.—Prince Ito, former resident general of Korea, and now president of the privy council of Japan, arrived Tuesday in pay a farewell visit to the emperor of Korea. The prince received a tremendous ovation.

IOWA'S NEW LAWS

One Hundred and Sixty-Six Additional Statutes.

MANY OF GENERAL IMPORT

Synopsis of Fish and Game and Other
New Laws—Cession Removal
Acts and Saloon Laws of
Great Importance.

Des Moines—Iowans are now hedged about by 166 new laws. Last winter the legislature enacted 236 general laws, six special and 43 legalizing acts, making a total of 304 new measures to be added to the statute books. Of the 236 general laws, 70 went into effect as soon as published, and the remaining 166 became effective July 4.

Fish and Game Laws.

Section 2539, of Chapter 15, of the code, provides that there is hereby created the office of State fish and game warden. The warden shall be appointed by the Governor, and holds his office for three years from the first day of April of the year of his appointment. He shall receive a salary of twelve hundred dollars annually, together with his necessary traveling, contingent and office expenses, to be paid out of the State treasury. He shall have charge and management of the State fish hatcheries, which shall be used in stocking the waters of the State with fish native to the country and to the extent and means provided by the State. He shall impartially and equitably distribute all fry raised or furnished to the State, or for it through other sources, in the streams and lakes of the State; shall faithfully and impartially enforce obedience of the provisions of this chapter, and shall make a biennial report to the Governor of his doings together with such information upon the subject of the culture of fish and the protection of game in the country as he may think proper, accompanied with an itemized statement monthly to the executive council under oath of all moneys expended and for what purpose, and of the number and varieties of fish distributed, and in what waters. It shall be the duty of the fish and game warden, sheriffs, constables and police officers of this State to seize and take possession of any fish, birds, or animals which have been caught, taken or killed at a time, in a manner, or for a purpose, or had in possession or under control, or have been shipped contrary to the provisions of this chapter. Such seizure may be made without a warrant. Any court having jurisdiction of the offense, upon receiving proof of probable cause for believing in the concealment of any fish, birds or animals, caught, taken, killed, had in possession, under control, or shipped contrary to any of the provisions of this chapter, shall issue a search warrant and cause a search to be made in any place therefor. Any fish, birds, or animals so found shall be sold for the purpose of paying the costs in the case, and the amount, if any, in excess of the costs shall be turned into the school fund of the county in which the seizure is made. Any net, seine, trap, contrivance, material and substance whatever, while in use or had and maintained for the purpose of catching, taking, killing, trapping or deceiving any fish, birds, or animals contrary to any of the provisions of this chapter is hereby declared to be, and is a public nuisance, and it shall be the duty of the fish and game warden, sheriffs, constables and police officers of the State, without warrant or process, to take or seize any and all the same, and abate and destroy any and all of the same, without warrant or process, and no liability shall be incurred to the owner or any other person for such seizure and destruction, and said warden or his regularly constituted deputies or other peace officers as hereinbefore named shall be released from all liability to any person or persons whomsoever for any act done or committed or property seized or destroyed under or by virtue of this section.

Sec. 2540, provides that between the first day of October and April 15, no one shall take from the waters of the State any salmon or trout, nor between the fifteenth day of November and the fifteenth day of May any bass, pike, crows, pickerel (pickereel), catfish or other game fish, nor shall any one person take of said fish from the waters of the State in any one day more than forty (40) of any or all of said kinds of fish, of which total number not more than twenty shall be bass, pike or pickerel. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to offer for transportation or to transport to any place within or without this state for purposes of sale, any game fish taken from the inland waters of the state. Any person, firm or corporation desiring the shipment or transportation of any game fish, shall deliver to the common carrier, express or transportation company a statement under oath in duplicate, setting forth the name of the shipper, the person to whom the package is shipped, the residence of both, the kind and number of fish contained in such package, and that the fish contained in such package are not being shipped for the purpose of sale or market, and one copy thereof shall be retained by the common carrier, express or transportation company receiving such shipment for the period of twelve months thereafter and the other copy thereof shall be attached in a secure manner to such package. Any agent of any common carrier, express or transportation company receiving such shipment is hereby authorized to administer to such shipper the oath contemplated in the last preceding paragraph. Any shipment made in violation of the provisions of this act may be seized, confiscated and sold by any game warden in this state at private or public sale; the proceeds

thereof to be turned into the fish and game protection fund, or such shipment may be by such warden destroyed. Nor shall anyone fish for or by any means catch any fish in any stream, which has been stocked with breeding trout, one or two years old, within one year from the date of the stocking thereof, if notice of such fact is by the authority of the warden posted where a public road crosses such stream; nor shall any one at any time take from the waters of the State any fish, except minnows for bait, unless by hook and line; but any person may between the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November, use not more than one trot line in streams only, and extending not more than half way across; nor shall anyone place, erect or cause to be placed or erected, any trot line, seine, net, trap, dam or other device or contrivance in the water in such manner as to hinder or obstruct the free passage of fish, up, down, or through the same for the purpose of catching them, except as provided in the next section; nor have, erect or use, while fishing on or through the ice, any house shed or other protection against the weather, or have or use any stove or other means for creating artificial heat. The possession of a spear, trap, net, or seine in or upon any of the public waters of the State or upon the ice of the same, or on the shore within a limit of ten rods, or the taking or killing or attempting to take or kill any fish by any means other than by rod, line, hook and bait within three hundred (300) feet of a fish way shall be unlawful. No person shall at any time kill, destroy, have in possession or under control, any purpose whatever any bass, catfish, white-eyed pike, crows, or trout less than six (6) inches in length except for the purpose of returning the same to the water from which they were taken, as soon as they are taken therefrom with as little injury to the fish as possible.

Sec. 2540-A declares that placing explosives in the public waters in the state is unlawful, and provides a fine of from \$50 to \$100, or imprisonment of not less than 15 nor more than 30 days.

Sec. 2541 provides that a three-eighths inch mesh seine, not over five yards in length, may be used in taking minnows for bait.

Sec. 2542 provides that no person shall use more than two lines, with one hook upon each line, in still fishing, or otherwise, except that a trot line as above provided, or in trolling a spoon composed of three hooks fastened together may be used.

Sec. 2543 provides that no person shall knowingly buy or sell or have in possession for sale or transportation, or other purpose, any fish unlawfully taken.

Sec. 2544 provides that any person convicted of violating sections 2540, 2541, 2542 or 2543, may be fined not less than \$5 nor more than \$50, and cost of prosecution for each offense, or be imprisoned not less than one nor more than 30 days.

Sec. 2545 provides that owners of private waters may take fish therefrom as they see fit.

Sec. 2546 provides that the warden may take from the public waters of the state for propagation or other purposes, and that he may issue permits to take from certain lakes certain fish. Sec. 2547 provides that fishing with hook and line does not require a license; requires license for use of seines or nets; defines nets and seines that will be licensed; requires a \$200 bond; provides that licenses expire on 1st of March following issuance, and that metal tag must be fastened on each seine and net; that license funds are to be used for maintenance of fish and game department and for preservation of food fishes; fish and size of fish that can be taken under license; that food fishes must not be taken and destroyed, and that any person found guilty may be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than 30 days or fined not more than \$100.

Sec. 2548 provides that all dams must have fish ways.

Sec. 2549 defines rights of citizens to condemn property for fish dams in lakes situated in any city or town.

Sec. 2550 provides a penalty of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500, or imprisonment for destroying any dam erected in any city or town.

Chapter 12 changes the compensation and raises the pay of shorthand reporters from \$6 to \$8.

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Sec. 2554 provides a penalty of \$10 for using any device to kill, trap, ensnare, buy, sell, ship or have in his possession or ship any birds or animals, or destroy any eggs or nests, unlawfully.

Sec. 2557 prohibits transportation companies from receiving fish, birds or animals for shipment, during the period limited, under penalty of from \$100 to \$500, and imprisonment.

Sec. 2558 defines what guns may be used.

Sec. 2559 tells how prosecutions may be made, and that the attorney general shall give opinions.

Sec. 2560 declares that hunting on cultivated or enclosed land is trespass.

Sec. 2561 provides for the protection of non-game birds; prohibits destroying of eggs and nests of wild birds, and prohibits shipment, except under certain conditions; tells how permits may be issued for scientific purposes only; names the English, or European house sparrow, great horned owl, sharp skinned hawk, Cooper's hawk and blackbirds and crows as birds that are not protected. A fine of \$5 and imprisonment is fixed for violating any of the provisions of this section.

Sec. 2562 provides that the fish and game warden may appoint deputies and fixes their compensation at \$2.50 per diem and actual expenses; that they shall have power to serve and execute warrants, and can call on the sheriff and other officers, and requires deputies to give bond.

Hunters' License Law.
The resident and non-resident license law provides that no person shall hunt, pursue, kill or take, any wild animal, bird or game in Iowa with a gun, without first procuring a license, and that minors must have consent of parents or guardians.

Wardens shall furnish applications and licenses to county auditors, who shall issue licenses after applications have been sworn to, on payment of \$1 by residents and \$10 by non-residents. A non-resident can take only 25 game birds or animals from the state.

The license funds shall be used to pay expenses of the warden and his deputies and for gathering and distributing fish in the public waters, and for the care and preservation of the lakes of the state.

County auditors are required to keep a record of licenses issued; hunters must have license in possession while hunting and provides for revocation of license; states that owners and tenants of farm lands shall have the right, without securing a license, to hunt and kill wild animals, birds or game, upon lands owned or occupied by them. A penalty of \$25 to \$50 is fixed for violation.

Under Sec. 2563-I it is declared unlawful to use any live bird for the purpose of a target, under penalty of from \$10 to \$100, or imprisonment for not more than 30 days.

Sec. 2563-U protects pheasants until October 1, 1915, and fixes penalty for violation of fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment.

Lacey Federal Bird Law.
The Lacey bird law provides that the duties and powers of the department of agriculture are thereby enlarged so as to include the preservation, distribution, introduction and restoration of game birds and other wild birds.

The secretary of agriculture is authorized to adopt such measures as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of the act and to purchase such game birds, and other wild birds as may be required therefor, subject, however, to the laws of the various states and territories.

The object and purpose of the act is to aid in the restoration of such birds in parts of the United States adapted thereto, where the same have become scarce or extinct, and to regulate the introduction of American or foreign birds of animals in localities where they have not heretofore existed.

OTHER NEW LAWS.
Chapter 10 changes the time of holding district courts; provisions are made for providing tabular statements by the secretary of state.

Chapter 11 provides the assignment of judges in certain districts by the chief justice.

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Chapter 62 authorizes the giving of pensions to disabled and retired policemen.

Chapter 67 grants additional powers to cities organized under the commission plan of government.

Chapter 68 makes provisions for primary elections, including the compensation of judges and clerks, time of opening polls, certification of nomination to the county auditor, form of ballot, publishing of proceedings, filling of vacancies, of holding county conventions, district conventions and state conventions.

Chapter 95 promotes the building of permanent roads in the state.

Chapter 96 provides for the destruction of weeds.

Chapter 156 allows a bounty of 25 cents for each ground hog killed within the county.

Chapter 137 fixes a bounty of 50 cents for each rattlesnake killed.

Chapter 139 changes the form of request blanks for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Chapter 141 prohibits the drinking of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and the use of profane language on any passenger railway car or street car, making the offense a misdemeanor.

Chapter 142 limits the number of persons to whom city or town councils may grant consent to sell intoxicating liquors.

Chapter 143 prohibits any person except a qualified elector from engaging in the sale of intoxicating liquors at retail.

Chapter 145 makes it necessary that employers furnish an authenticated birth record of any children employed in their establishment.

Chapter 148 makes it the duty of all persons and companies operating any vessel propelled by machinery or through the medium of sails to carry a light during certain hours.

Chapter 151 provides for the establishment of a laboratory for the manufacture of hog cholera serum at or near Des Moines under the supervision of the state veterinary surgeon.

Chapter 163 provides for a register in which shall be recorded the date of cocaine sales.

Chapter 167 defines and regulates the practice of optometry and for creation of a board of examiners in optometry.

Chapter 168 relates to hotels, inns and public lodging houses and prescribes rules so as to insure the safety and health of employees and patrons of the same, and provides for inspection thereof.

Chapter 169 is an act to prevent disease among bees and provides for inspection thereof.

Chapter 171 changes the name of the Iowa State Normal school to State Teachers' college.

Chapter 173 provides for feeble minded men at Glenwood.

Chapter 175 provides for the education of deaf and blind children at the school for the deaf, and the college for the blind.

Chapter 185 prohibits secret fraternal and societies in the public schools.

Chapter 212 is an act to enjoin and abate houses of prostitution, to declare the same to be a nuisance and to assess a tax against the person maintaining such nuisance and against the building and owner thereof.

Chapter 220 provides that all doors shall open outward in buildings of public nature.

Chapter 223 authorizes the seizure of cigarets and cigarette papers, the apprehension of the occupant of the place or building in or upon which the same were sold or kept or provided for the levy of a tax.

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BOY DELAYED BY THE STORM

Mrs. Mary Kranninger, of Council Bluffs, Took Lantern and Ventured Forth in Darkness and Lost Life.

Council Bluffs, July 9.—The body of Mrs. Mary Kranninger, aged 58, wife of John Kranninger, who was drowned while frantically searching for a son who had gone to Lake Manawa and had gotten caught in the storm, was recovered. The Kranningers live near the outskirts of the city, and near the school for the deaf. Mrs. Kranninger became alarmed over the continued absence of one of her five sons. With but one thought and desire, to aid the boy if he was in distress, Mrs. Kranninger took a lantern and started out in the direction of the city, thinking that possibly her son had lost his way in the darkness intensified after leaving the city streets. She evidently attempted to cross a small ravine which had become a torrent, and was swept from her feet and drowned. The lantern was found where it is supposed she fell, and the body more than a mile away.

Five sons and four daughters survive. The family did not report Mrs. Kranninger's absence until the body was recovered.

Ames Loses Prof. Bowman.
Ames.—Every trophy that has been offered in the United States for prizes in students' corn judging contests is now at Iowa State college, they having been won by the teams instructed and organized by Prof. W. L. Bowman. On every occasion his corn judging teams, in competition with those of other states, have won first place. Nevertheless the trustees of the college permitted him to resign and he will sever his connection with the college in September. Professor Bowman has risen in popularity until he ranks with the greatest in the country in his line. Professor Holden repeatedly has declared that the loss of Bowman to the institution would work a great hardship on the college and to the students who have recognized in him an authority on the subject of field crops.

Iowa City Man Finds \$10,000 Pearl.
Iowa City.—E. R. Moore of this city while fishing took from an Iowa river clam a pearl which sold for \$360. Expert jewelers who have examined the stone carefully, say it surpasses in value any ever found outside the Mississippi river, in this vicinity. It is estimated that it will actually bring \$10,000 or more on the metropolitan markets.

Miss Lunbeck Resigns as State Agent.
Mason City.—Miss Clara Lunbeck has resigned her position as state agent for the orphans' home at Dav-erport and the girls' reform school, after five years of service, and is at home here for a vacation. She will not take up the work of the state again. Before taking the position with the state, Miss Lunbeck was for nineteen years in the service of the Children's Home society.

Aged 79, Takes First Train Ride.
Bloomfield.—Mrs. Eliza McCord, who is seventy-nine years of age, and who resides in Grove township, southwest of here, enjoyed her first ride on a train one day recently, going from Pulaick to West Grove. Although residing within six miles of the railroad for the past thirty-seven years, she was never on a train before.

Infuriated Cow Injures Man.
Eddyville.—While David Roberts and W. P. Chilton were bringing some cattle to market a cow became maddened by the heat. After running over fences and taking after a woman the beast knocked Mr. Roberts down. He sustained a compound fracture of the leg. The broken bone protruded from the flesh and the wound is serious.

Chosen for Marshalltown Schools.
Marshalltown.—Miss Catherine Elizabeth Wellemeyer, of Charles City, Ia., was elected supervisor of music of the Marshalltown public schools, to succeed Miss Julia Krause, resigned.

Swisher Made Treasurer.
Iowa City.—The state board of education has appointed Lovell Swisher as treasurer of the university.

Young Man Slain by Boy.
Webster City.—A seven year old son of Henry Miller, who lives near Roland, shot and killed Martin Langland, accidentally.

Girls to Mitchellville.
Dubuque.—Mamie and Mabel Hansen, 15 and 17 years old, were sentenced by Judge Bonson in juvenile court to Mitchellville. The girls were sentenced a year ago and sentence was suspended during good behavior. Both are incorrigible.

Monticello Woman Suicides.
Monticello.—Mrs. Herbert Fletcher took strychnine with suicidal intent and died in great agony a short time afterward. No reason is known for the rash act.

Delegates to Des Moines.
Dubuque.—Ed Trench and Ed Harris of Epworth, rural mail carriers of Dubuque county, were elected to be society delegates to the state convention of mail carriers to be held in Des Moines in August.

Four Hurt in Runaway.
Iowa City.—Four Iowa City people were hurt in a runaway at Indian Lookout, west of town, the injured party including Margaret Pohlner, Katie Vevers, George Miller and Joseph Herdlicka.

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ALDRICH BILL PASSES 45-34

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Washington, D. C., July 9.—The tariff bill passed the senate by a vote of 45 to 34. Republicans voting in the negative were Beveridge of Indiana, Bristow of Kansas, Brown of Nebraska, Burkett of Nebraska, Clapp of Minnesota, Crawford of South Dakota, Cummins of Iowa, Dooliver of Iowa, La Follette of Wisconsin, Nelson of Minnesota, McEnery of Louisiana was the only democrat recorded in the affirmative.

Senator Cummins in the last few minutes before the bill was placed on its passage, offered the famous "Iowa Idea" amendment drafted by him early in the session. When the senator had briefly stated his views, the amendment went to a viva voce vote and was rejected.

Crabtree Tries to Kill Himself.
Des Moines, July 9.—Crazed with the knowledge that he has killed a man, despondent and brooding over the heavy sentence which will probably be meted out to him, Corporal Lisle Crabtree, who shot and killed Capt. John Raymond at Fort Des Moines several weeks ago, sought to end his life by "dashing out his brains against the bars of his cell."

At Last a Depot for Kansas City.
Kansas City, July 9.—An ordinance was passed by the city council and signed by the mayor legalizing the erection in Kansas City of a new union railway station. The proposed station it is said, will cost \$20,000,000.

Snell Case Testimony.
Clinton, Ill., July 9.—The Snell will case was devoted to testimony by Bloomington business men showing Thomas Snell mentally competent in his last years.

River Rising Rapidly.
Des Moines, July 9.—With the Des Moines river a raging flood and the government gauge on the Locust street bridge showing a depth of 14 feet 8 inches, families on the southeast bottom of the stream removed their furniture to higher ground.

Bryan at New Hampton.
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