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of an average erop is possible in Otoc county with rain inside of two or three

LINCOLN, July 25 .- Except in the northeast section of the state, where a heavy shower is reported tonight at Niobrara, Neb., Nebraska had little rain today. The temperature in the southern half was almost up to the record stage, the maximum for Lincoln being 104.7. There were two prostrations in this city. Otta A. Schoenrop, a Union Pacific passenger from Cleveland, O., to Portland, Ore., was prostrated by heat at Columbus, Neb., and taken to the hospital, where he died,

FREMONT, Neb., July 25 .- (Special.)-The drouth and hot weather have put Dodge county's corn crop in a critical condition. Oats are almost a total failure and pastures and lawns are dried out.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July 25 .- (Special.) --O. A. Schoenrock, on his way from Cleve- and cooler weather is promised. land, O., to his home at Portland, Ore., was taken from Union Pacific train No. 3 last evening suffering from heat. He was died in less than two hours. He was 47 ent to Portland today. The weather continues hot, with no indication of rain.

WAYNE, Neb., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-Yesterday morning Alex Beatite, a bachelor farmer twelve miles southeast of Wayne, was found dead in bed at his home by a neighbor, J. C. Keenan. He had been dead some time and the body was in a terrible condition. There was no evidence of violence and it is supposed he was overcome by heat. There was also evidence that he had been drinking. Sheriff Cherry was summoned and the remains were taken Wisner for burial by the Masonic lodge of that town, of which deceased was a member. There is every indication of rain Although the crops have suffered considers as necessarily dangerous. this evening.

LYONS, Neb., July 25.-(Special.)-Yesterday was the hottest day since the hot county. Corn has stood up in fine shape spell began, the thermometer registering until this week, but is now badly in need of 109 in the shade. Corn is withstanding the rain. Wheat is beyond a point where rain in a dangerous condition. hot weather remarkably well, especially that which was cultivated since the last are already being harvested. The out crop

FATAL LIGHTNING IN IOWA Leo Lininger is Stricken Dead by a Bolt in a Melon Patch Near Aften

CRESTON, Ia., July 25 .- (Special.) -- Leo Lininger, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lininger, was killed last evening by lightning during a storm near Afton. The body of the boy was found this morning by the parents, who returned home after a night's stay with friends. Leo had been left at home to do the chores and his body was found in a melon patch.

farm east of Creston.

CORNING, Ia., July 25.-(Special.)at the time were saved, but a set of har-

IOWANS SLEEP IN PARKS Unable to Bear Indoors Heat, Many Men Are Obliged to Quit Work.

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-Considerable distress is being caused in Fort Dodge by the excessive heat. Many people are unable to sleep in houses and the park every night is filled with sleepers. Many of the workmen on buildings in process of erection and workmen in factories have been obliged to give up work. The large force on the O'Connell flats quit today and half the force at the Dodge Manufacturing company has been obliged by the heat to lay off.

SIBLEY, Ia., July 25,-(Special Telegram.) -This afternoon at 2:15 the government thermometer registered 103 degrees. The LIGHTNING ROD MEN BALKED 400 sections of grain, hay and corn in this county show a diminished yield. There Cass County Man Takes Signed Conwill be a large amount of rough feed, as the straw is free from rust.

AUDUBON, Ia., July 25 .- (Special.)-Paul Hansen, a farm laborer, was overcome by heat yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. He was working in the harvest field, suddenly cial.)—Two lightning rod men recently dropped down and before medical assistance called at the home of William Betts, a could be summoned he expired. This is the well-known Cass county farmer residing first heat victim that has been reported near Avoca, and after much talk succeeded from this county.

clal Telegram.)-Frank Condon, a well the matter over and telephoned to Attorknown young man of this city, left this ney H. D. Travis of this city for advice, morning to visit in Moorehead. A tele- which was in substance to not allow them gram received this afternoon states he to put the rods on the house. A few days dropped dead shortly after his arrival later three strangers, who claimed to repthere. Death was due to the intense heat, resent the men who had drawn up the DES MOINES, July 25 .- (Special.)-The contract, appeared on the premises and

the last thirty days. Intense heat is the bureau for local thundershowers. The temperature today reached 102 at 2 o'clock. DUBUQUE, Ia., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-William Pauls, one of the oldest

He was unmarried and aged 65

CEDAR FALLS, July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-John Storm died last evening of heat after a day's work in the harvest

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## field. He quit the Wallace circus at

Waterloo two weeks ago. He was a brother of Mrs. Lem Whitmer of Eigin, Ill. SOUTH DAKOTA HEAT FATAL

Michael McAllen, One of the Golden Crown Owners, Is Among the Victims.

LEAD, S. D., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-Michael McAllen is dead here as a result of heat. He was part owner of GENEVA. Neb., July 25,- (Special.)-The the Golden Crown mine, north of this city, heat was intense yesterday, again reaching which was recently sold for a good price to the Hidden Fortune company of Denver. He was a prominent politician.

PIERRE, S. D., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-The government maximum temperature was 89 here today, the first day in three weeks when the maximum was not above 90. A northwest wind is blowing

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-The first death in this immediate locality as the result of the intense removed to St. Mary's hospital, where he heat occurred late this afternon, the victim being Gilbert Helgeland, aged 25, who was years old. The body was embalmed and in the employ of Ole Hoeland, a farmer near East Stoux Fails. Heigeland, whose home was near Larchwood, Minn., was a single man and had no relatives in this country, so far as known. His condition becoming serious through working in the harvest fields he was brought to Sloux Falls, but died soon after reaching here. Reports of horses dropping dead in the harvest fields are numerous. So dry is vegetation throughout the state that a farmer living near Howard burned up twenty-five acres of wheat as a result of carelessness in knocking the ashes out of his pipe while in the field.

> VERMILION, S. D., July 25 .- (Special.)erably since the intense heat began, there will be nothing like, a fallure in Clay would be of much benefit and many fields aged five bushels per acre, are a failure and will reach \$1:50 m bushel before winter sets in. Fruit trees show the effects of heat. Not a drop of rain has fallen here since July 1.

## ALSO SKEPTICAL OF SUN SPOTS

Portland Forecast Official Differs from the Theory of Astronomer Servins.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 25.-Edward A Beals, forecast official in charge of the Portland office of the weather bureau, said Thirty-five tons of hay were destroyed today concerning Garrett P. Serviss' theory by fire during the storm on the Longstreet of heat causation through sun disturbances.

"If Mr. Serviss' theory is correct the ex-Lightning struck the barn of William Allen, cessive heat being experienced in the east Saturday fair and warmer; east to south half a mile north of Corning, at 8 o'clock should be correspondingly felt in the north Wednesday night. Three horses in the barn Pacific states, as we are under the influence of the same sun and situated in the ness, thirty tons of hay and some grain and same hemisphere. The facts are that the the barn were consumed; also a stack of central west has had a month or more of wheat. The loss is \$1,000; insurance, \$750, temperatures averaging from 6 to 12 de-A good rain fell and will save the corn grees warmer than usual. The normal daylight temperature in Portland in July is 66.3. This year it has been only 62.5."

> DROUTH PUTS POTATOES UP Increase of Forty Cents a Bushel in

> > a Day is Said to Be Un-

precedented.

CHICAGO, July 25 .-- In less than a week the wholesale price of potatoes in the local market has advanced as a result of the drouth from 70 cents a bushel to \$1.10, the latter being the closing figure today. This increase of 40 cents a bushel in so short a time is said to be unprecedented.

Reports from southern Illinois, Missouri and Kansas indicate that the recent showers came too late to save much of the potatoes in those sun-parched sections.

tract from Them by

Force.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 25 .- (Spein getting him to sign a contract. Soon MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., July 25 .- (Spe- after the men departed Mr. Betts thought weather has continued the same today as in informed Mr. Betts that they were ready to do the work. Singling out the man who order, with little prospect of any change appeared to be the boss of the job Mr. despite the predictions of the weather Betts invited him to accompany him to the barn, as he had something important to tell him privately. Arriving at the barn he asked the stranger if he had the contract and, being informed in the affirliverymen in the state, was found dead mative, asked to see it. This was re-this morning as a result of the extreme fused and during the scuffle that followed Betts threw the man to the floor and took the contract from his pocket. It is said he then returned to the house, procured

> them with shot. They left. Post Traders' Licenses Renewed PENDER, Neb., July 25 .- (Special.)-News has been received here that the license of O'Connor Bros. of Homer, post raders at the reservation, had been renewed for another year. They have been

> the traders for several years, but this year

a shotgun and informed the strangers that

if they did not leave at once he would fill

Only to 102 . Degrees.

Atmosphere is Heavily Saturated and

Effect of Weather is Very Gen-

erally Felt-Slight Traces of

Rain in Various Places. Yesterday was a cool one. Two points

above the century was the best the mercury could do. and the temperature gained one mile on the second century. The next hour landed

the bubbling mercury at 102. In spite of the fact that the thermometer day's record the heat of yesterday was alhumidity. The air was charged with moisture. Sixty-one per cent was the amount

of humidity registered. The light showers of Wednesday night lid but little for the sizzling earth. Early in the morning the air seemed slightly purer than it had been formerly, but the humidity became oppressive as the sun began to get in its work. Before noon all traces of the showers were gone.

Heat is General. enough to be of much benefit. North Platte had .02 of an inch and Chevenne had a and it was still raining there last night Parts of Michigan had about .10 of an inch of rain. Amarillo, Tex., had .08 of an inch. of precipitation and several other Texas towns had an equal amount.

The rains were scattered. In most cases the water fell upon limited areas. The indications are that similar raips will fall today, but no general rain is promised. At St. Paul, Minn., rain fell yesterday evening to a depth of .16 of an inch. This was the heaviest fall reported from any point in the middle west.

The man who is longing for cooler weather can find but little that is hopeful in the predictions of the weather bureau. Omaha people have come to take the extreme weather as a matter of course. Few prostrations were reported. People who appeared on the street wore no cumbersome clothing and were taking things easy. The men and women who rush madly along the street at breakneck speed are either in the hospital or have had a change of heart. A man with a coat on is a great curiosity on the Omaha streets at noonday.

Results of the Heat.

Albert Dunnlevy, an iceman, living at Fourteenth and Nicholas streets, was overcome by the heat Thursday afternoon, bepital, where his condition is not considered Lead butiness men are looking forward

Ray Morris, 12-year-old son of a city fireman, Thirty-fourth and Jackson streets. who was stricken Tuesday, is reported to be

WARMER, SAYS FORECASTER head of a newly incorporated, company that which was cultivated since the last rain. Small grain is threshing out better than expected, although it will not be an aging forty to sixty bushels an acre. Wheat than expected, although it will not be an is estimated at fifteen to twenty-five bush.

Western States Friday and which the farmers large numbers of cattle which the farmers large numbers of cattle which the farmers.

> WASHINGTON, July 25 .- Forecast for Friday and Saturday: For Nebraska-Fair Friday; probably warmer in western portion; Saturday fair; variable winds For lowa-Generally fair; continued warm

> Friday and Saturday; winds mostly south-For Western Texas-Showers Friday and probably Saturday; southeast winds, be-

oming variable. For Colorado and New Mexico-Local thunderstorms Friday and Saturday; variable winds. For Arizona-Partly cloudy Friday and

For Oklahoma and Indian Territory-

winds For Arkansas-Local showers Friday and probably Saturday; southerly winds. For Illinois-Continued warm in the inerior; warmer near Lake Michigan. For North Dakota-Showers Friday; the state. varmer in central portion; Saturday partly

cloudy; easterly winds, becoming variable. For South Dakota-Partly cloudy Friday, with warmer in western portion; Saturday partly cloudy; variable winds. For Kansas-Fair; continued warm Friday and Saturday; southerly winds,

For Wyoming-Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday; local thunderstorms in eastern portion; variable winds. For Montana-Partly cloudy Friday; showers in north central and southwest

portion; cooler in northern portion; Saturday generally fair and warmer; variable winds. Local Record

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, July 25—Official record of tem-perature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years: Maximum temperature 102 84 92 56 Minimum temperature 77 61 67 59 Mean temperature 77 67 67 67 79 Mean temperature 97 72 50 77 Precipitation 93 60 99 90 Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1:

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER. maha, clear... orth Platte, cloudy. heyenne, cloudy alt Lake City, part cloudy tapid City, cloudy furon, part cloudy Villiston, clear hicago, clear. t. Louis, clear t. Paul, clear.

T indicates precipitation.

Stocking Rivers with Fish. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 25 .- (Special. WANT FREE HOMESTEADS Settlers on Fort Randall Reservation Desire Congress to Grant

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 25 .- (Special.) -The settlers on the abandoned Fort Randall military reservation, in the south braska border, are preparing to circulate per acre for the land filed upon by them. What is known as the Fort Randall reservation was occupied by Brigadier General Harney in 1855, and by order of June 14. 1860, the 125,000 acres embraced in the reservation were formally set aside for military purposes. Three or four years ago, the post having been abandoned some years prior, the lands embraced in the reservation were opened to settlement. Practically all the land is now occupied costing the latter a cent, it would be no more than just and fair for congress to be extended to the land. The representatives from South Dakota in congress will be asked to take hold of the matter and urge the passage of a bill releasing the settlers from the payments required at present before they can procure title to their homesteads.

Elkhorn Will Fight Burlington for Business of that Sec-

been made by the Elkhorn company for right-of-way privileges from the mouth of Poorman gulch into the western portion of the city and that work on this part of the road will commence very soon. The company already has a standard gauge road as far as Central City and a narrow gauge continues beyond the mouth of Poorman gulch. Depot grounds are to be found in West Lead. The Elkhorn company will coming unconscious while driving his get a standard gauge road into the city wagon. He was taken to the Clarkson hos- with less expense than the Burlington. to the time when through passenger trains

> New Cattle Corporation. SIOUX FALLS, S. D. July 25 .- (Special.) Colonel Melvin Grigsby of this city, exattorney general of South Dakota, is at the have to sell because they have no feed for them. In addition to carrying on a stockyards business in Sloux Falls, the company has secured a ranch between the Missouri river and the Black Hills, west of Chamberlain, and will also engage in cattleraising. Cattle purchased in Kansas and other drouth-stricken states will be taken to the ranch. Associated with Colonel Grigsby are Senator Kittredge, Postmaster

Getting Ready for Camp. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 25.—(Special.) -As no appropriation was made by the state legislature for the annual encamp-Saturday; occasional showers in northern to be held at Huron about the middle of next month, the members of the various militia companies are devising schemes for Probably local thunderstorms Friday; raising the money to cover their expenses in going to and from and during the encampment. A popular plan has been adopted by the Herreid Guards of Eureka, the home of Governor Herreid, who will on the night of August 6 give a grand milltary ball. The proceeds will be used to Missouri-Fair Friday; continued defray the expenses of the guards during warm; warmer in southwest portion; Satur- the state encampment. This plan may be day fair; continued warm; southerly winds. adopted by the other companies throughout

> South Dakota Corporations. PIERRE, S. D., July 25.—(Special.)—These articles of incorporation have been filed:
> Armour Driving and Fair association, at Armour, with a capital of \$1,500. Incorporators, H. H. Smith, E. S. Johnson, F. A. Ray and W. F. Stevens,
> Rand Mining and Milling company, at Pierre, with a capital of \$250,000. Incorporators, Frank Brasie, W. L. Hurst and L. L. Stephens.
> Kentucky Petroleum company. Kentucky Petroleum company, at Pierre, ith a capital of fl.000,000. Incorporators, H. Waddle, R. B. Waddle and L. L. Laphons. Stephens.
> Imboden Lead and Zinc Mining company, at Pierre, with a capital of \$60,000. Incorporators, Delos S. Dunbar, C. H. Dunbar and L. L. Stephens.
> Maximo Valley Fruit company, at Pierre, with a capital of \$1,000,000. Incorporators, Charles E. King, Henry S. McFall and L. L. Stephens. state treasurer today received a draft from the general government for \$4.807 for aid in maintenance of the Soldiers' Home at Hot Springs.

New South Dakota Lawyers. PIERRE, S. D., July 25- (Special Telegram.)-The supreme court today admitted

har who took the examination the first of the month. They are W. H. Roddle, Brookings; Frank McNulty, Paul Babcock, Sisseton; Edmund W. Fisk, Redfield. Gets Army Appointment.

been notified of his appointment to a place as second lieutenant of artillery and expects to be called upon to report at any

time. Cured of Anthrax. PIERRE, S. D., July 25 .- (Special Telegram )-Lisle Johnson, the Sully county boy who has been in the hospital in this city being treated for anthrax, was dis-

HYMENEAL.

charged today as cured.

HOOPER, Neb. July 25 .- (Special.) -- A ery pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tunberg at 8:30 o'clock last evening, when their daughter Miss Nora was united in marriage to Mr. James R. Burleigh. Rev. Marsh of Lincoln performed the ceremony. They will be at home after September 1 at 621 North | shook hands with her. Sixteenth street, Lincoln, Neb.

Reynolds-Kramer.

ONAWA, Ia., July 25 .- (Special.) -- Miss Mollie Kramer and Mr. Sidney R. Reynolds were married yesterday at the home of the bride's parents near Blue Rock. Over 100 invitations to the wedding were issued. After visiting the exposition at Buffalo and

Gray-Haired, Heart-Breken Mrs. Fesburgh Excuerates Her Sen.

SAYS BURGLARS KILLED DAUGHTER MAY

Tearful, Dramatic Recital of the Events of the Fatal Night-Effort to Have Jury Instructed to Say Not Guilty.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 25 .- In the Fosburgh manslaughter case today Mrs. R. L. Fosburgh, the grayhaired mother, went upon the witness stand and told in simple words how her daughter was killed. Her petitions asking congress at its session story was given with frequently uncontrolled emotion. Her voice failed her and guest in the Fosburgh home the night of free homestead law does not apply, and the the tragedy, was another important witto show that there were burglars in the house and that they were seen by little Beatrice Fosburgh. There was a long argument between

counsel over the government's objections to the admission of this evidence, but the court finally allowed it to go in because what was said was spoken in the presence of the defendant. Miss Sheldon was relating the story of her awakening by a piercing scream and

declared that she opened the door leading to May Fosburgh's room and cried, "What is the matter?" Robert, Beatrice and her father and mother were in the room at the time. Witness saw the body of May upon the floor and at that instant Beatrice replied: "Burglars have entered the house and shot May."

Others See the Men.

Mrs. B. E. Bullard, now of Madison, Wis. declared that on the fatal night about midnight she heard two men talking loudly in front of her house and that after they was. I remember little after that. I did had been gone an hour she heard pistol

Mrs. Nellie Beverly of East Cheshire, who lived in Pittsfield, testified that her husband was ill the night of August 20 and she claimed he was disturbed by the loud breathing of two men who had stepped of your own?" and he answered, 'Yes.' 1 running when opposite her house. She opened the blind and told one of the men who was standing by a tree to go away. Mrs. Fosburgh was the last witness for the defense and immediately after her tes- was bruised. The nurse told me that they timony was concluded the defense rested. Some rebuttal testimony closed the case

with the understanding that the commonwealth would have an opportunity of placing Colonel Whitney, state detective, on the stand in the morning. At the close of the session Judge Stevens with the counsel for both sides, retired to the antercom, where Mr. Joyner for the defense made a long argument on the question of his suggestion that the judge order a verdict of not guilty. The result is not

known officially, but it is understood argu-

ments will be made in the case at the opening session tomorrow. The first, witness of the day, was Miss Estelle Chapin, a sister of Mrs. Shepardson, whose home is near that of the Fosburghs. She said she was awakened on the night of the tragedy by the incessant ringing of the door bell and soon she heard men's voices crying "Murder! police! help!" Her sister came into the room and together they kneeled at a windows and listened. They heard a woman say "She is gone." Then the witness, her sister, and her sister's husband went to the Fosburgh house, where they were told what had happened. cross-examination witness said had never spoken to any of the Fosburgh

it occurred. The next witness called was Harry S Plumb, one of the Fosburgh neighbors. His testimony was on the same lines as that of Miss Chapin. He added that the first time he saw Mr. Fosburgh, sr., he had on nightshirt and trousers. The defandant was dressed. Dr. Paddock came to the Fosburgh house three-quarters of an hour after Dr. Schofield. Witness was certain that he noticed the footprints, which seemed to be those made by two men who had dropped down from the piazza roof. On cross-examination the witness said he had introduced Mr. Chapman to Mr. Fosburgh, sr., and he heard the latter ask Chapman to keep outsiders from the house, Officer White appeared about that time with a shoe and hat in his hand. Miss Bertha Sheldon, the young woman who was visiting the Fosburghs when the shooting occurred, then went upon the witness stand. On the night of the shooting she occupied the guest chamber leading from May's room. The witness then proceeded to relate the happenings of Sunday, both day and evening. Sunday night May sang "The Holy City," and she remembered that the members of the family kissed one another and bade one another good night, as was their custom. Shortly after midnight she was awakened by a piercing scream, and then she heard a pistol shot. She got up, opened the door and asked what was the matter. She saw May upon the floor and visited the house of the Posburghs the she saw young Robert Fosburgh near his room. She also saw Beatrice, Mr. Fosburgh, sr., and his wife. She called Beatrice to her and again asked what had happened. District attorney objected to the witness giving the answer Beatrice gave. The court retired with counsel to consider in private the admissibility of this

evidence. Judge Stevens announced that by agreement of counsel the question would answered, and Miss Sheldon said that Beatrice exclaimed, "Burglars have entered the house and shot May." Wit. ness said that she then returned to her room, dressed and went down stairs. The admission of what Miss Beatrice said to Miss Sheldon was regarded as a victory for the defense. Continuing her testimony, Miss Sheldon said that she spent the rest of the night down stairs. She went away in the forencon, very much excited and nervous. She knew she would be in the way if she stayed. The witness described the scene in May's room at some length. She saw Mrs. Robert Stewart Fosburgh bend over her husband, who was

at the side of May on the floor. She would say that all the members of the Fosburgh family were very much devoted to each other. On cross-examination by Mr. Crosby, Miss Sheldon said she remembered a talk at her home in Providence with Colonel Whitney and Captain Parker of the Providence detective force about the tragedy. She told Colonel Whitney she had heard a shot and that she had then got up and opened the door.

"Did you see any burglars that night?" "No. sir." In re-direct examination by Mr. Joyner. Miss Sheldon said she told Mr. Whitney that what she did know was very little. Cross-examined by Mr. Whitney, Miss Sheldon said she had not been in Pittsfield since the day of the tragedy nor had she

T. P. Sheldon Testifies. T. P. Sheldon, the father of Bertha Sheldon, testified that his relations with the Fosburghs were pleasant. He would not per-

she left the stand all of the Fosburghe

as having been purchased at their store on July 5, 1900, by whom they did not know. Bridges, noticed that the size of the shoe worn by the defendant was one-half size smaller than the shoe in evidence,

which was \$16, C. Frederick W. Lund was recalled to prove that the defendant was not in New York July 5, the day the shoe was sold, but was

at the Fosburgh office at Pittsfield. William B. Hazen, formerly chief of the United States secret service, employed by Mr. Fosburgh, sr., described an experiment which he made last evening with a screen in the window through which it is claimed the burglars departed. He started from a point nine feet from the window and made the test by getting through the window to the balcony. It took him five seconds. The two Shepardsons went through in less time. Mr. Fosburgh went through in three and four-fifths seconds.

Mrs. Fosburgh's Testimony.

Mrs. Robert L. Fosburgh, mother of the defendant, testified that she was awakened the night of the stragedy by a light. No one appeared, so she got up on her elbow and reached forward, looking into her daughter May's room. Instantly two men appeared before her, wearing masks and "looking like devils." She sprang to her husband, who awoke, and gave a scream. The men did not fire upon them, or at least before they had a chance to do so her husband sprang upon them. She screamed out loud and then she clutched one of the men. Then she heard Beatrice say. "Oh, mamina, look Mrs. Fosburgh went on to say that her child lay there upon the floor. She saw her son fall beside her daughter and she asked, "Are both our children gone?" and some one answered, "I am afraid they are." Continuing, Mrs. Fosburgh said: "I went up to where May was lying and put my fingers to her mouth, from which the blood was rushing, until I saw Miss Sheldop in the doorway and cried to her to get some water and a towel. Robert was rocking back and forth over his sister, saying, "Oh, why was not I taken?" I do not remember the arrival of Dr. Paddeck. I was trying to fix May when Dr. Schofield came. He said I must leave my daughter as she not speak to the officers. I did not see Dr. Paddock: He made a mistake in saying that I saw him that night. I saw him at breakfast only. I helped to get breakfast that morning and when Dr. Paddock came I said to him, Doctor, have you a daughter

must have tried to choke me." Continuing, the witness said she remembered that Dr. Paddock told her at the Chapin house it was his opinion that a slung shot was what had hurt her. Dramatte in Effect.

said, 'My girl was good; my girl was pure.

You will treat her as if she were your

own.' Later the nurse told me that I had a

stiff neck. On examination I found that it

Mrs. Fosburgh's testimony was given with The last bit of testimony she gave was to the effect that she never said that she did not see the intruders. The scene was so impressed upon her mind that she could never forget it.

Prosecuting Attorney Hammond began his cross-examination. , He elicited from the witness that she was sure that she did not see Dr. Paddock until the morning. Mr. Hammond read many questions which had been propounded at the mener relative to Dr. Paddock's first call, about which she testified last week, Mrs. Fosburgh reiterated that she did not see Dr. Paddock in his

first call. "Dhin't you tell Dr. Paddock that the trouble was between him and his wife?" "There was no trouble."

"Did you not tell Dr. Paddock that Robert had married below his station?" 'No." answered Mrs. Fosburgh. The judge excluded this question and the answer. Mrs. Fosburgh also answered in the negative when she was asked whether she had told Dr. Paddock that Amy should have pursued a different course of conduct

toward the defendant. The defense rested this afternoon and in rebuttal the state called six witnesses. The first was Major McKay of the state police, who testified that Beatrice Fosburgh had stated in his presence that she saw no one in the Fosburgh house but members of the

family at the time of the shooting. Patrick Parker, superintendent of detect ives of Providence, testified that he visited Miss Sheldon in company with General Whitney about September 20. Miss Sheldon described the events of the night and said she heard no shooting and saw no one but members of the family.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

Affidavits to Prove Burglary. NEW YORK, July 25.-Captain Titus chief of the New York City detective bureau, today forwarded to Chief of Police Nicholson and District Attorney Hammond of Pittsfield, Mass., two affidavits concernfug the Fosburgh case. The first affidavi is made by Alice Dugan, who says she is a housekeeper on East Forty-second street this city. She says a girl named Handiside of Springfield, Mass., who is living with her now, told her three weeks ago that a man named Lew Gray and another man night of August 19, 1900, found a revolver on the table and that he shot a girl and

escaped. The second affidavit is made by the Handi side woman, but signed "Olive M. Gray," the last name being that of the man with whom she had been living. She says that her home is in Springfield, Mass.; that she was at Springfield on August 19; that she remained there until Labor day and came to New York August 15; she met Gray in Springfield. He told her he was going to 'make a touch." She met him again on August 21, and he told her that he and fellow named Alfred Foy "did a track" at house in Pittsfield; that he heard a noise in the house and found a revolve on a table and he shot at some one. Re said that he got a gold watch and hid t under a large tree at Warren. He then left. The next time she met him was in the middle of September, in New York, on the Bowery. He told her then that he had an awful time getting away from Springfield, as he thought the police were after hime

Buffalo, County Convention.

KEARNET, Neb., July 26 .- (Special Telegram.)—The county central committee met pursuant to call this afternoon and agreed upon August 24 as the day for holding the county convention to select delegates to the state convention. The county nom inating convention will be held later.

Brand New Cycle Record.

Movements of Ocean Vessels July 25. At New York-Arrived: Teutonic, from Liverpool; Mongollan, from Glasgow; H. H. Meir, from Bremen. At Lizard-Passed: Steamer L'Aquitaine, from New York, for Havre. At Antwerp-Salled: Nederland, for Phila-

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me no pain or inconven-eince, and I should have forgotten about it had it forgotten about it had it not begun to indame and tich; it would bleed a little, then scabover, but would not heal. This continued for some time, when my jaw began to awell, becoming very painful. The Cancer began to eat and spread, until it was as large as a ed to give it a fair t

heat and after taking a few bottles disappears R. SHIRER, La Plata, Mo. blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable. Send for our free book on Cancer, containing valuable and interesting information about this disease, and write our physicians about your case. We

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Hood's Pills

Local Forecast Official.

-Captain T. C. Pearce, in charge of car No. 2 of the United States Fish commission who has been here with his car for several days distributing young black bass among the streams throughout the state has just completed his work and is expecting orders to return with his car to there was a spirited contest for the privi- the collecting station, located at Bellview, la. The present trip to South Dakota in- at Lake City, Ia.

MERCURY FALLS A LITTLE volved the distribution of 8,450 young black bass exclusively. He placed this number in quantities ranging from 200 to 1,000, according to the size of the streams. These Sizzling Hot Day, But Temperature Goes fish were distributed in streams in the vicinity of Sioux Falls, Volga, Watertown. Wilmot, Huron, Aberdeen, Ipswich, Irene, Volin, Tyndall, Geddes, Springfield, Alexandria, Mitchell, Kimball, Ethan and Parks ton. Captain Pearce has been constantly on his car for the last fourteen years en

gaged in the work of fish distribution.

Lands Free.

At 3 o'clock the 100-milepost was passed central portion of the state, near the Nenext winter to grant the settlers free homesteads on their lands. The tract was she shed tears. Miss Bertha Sheldon, lacked three points of reaching Wednes- opened under a special act, to which the most as oppressive on account of the grea. settlers are required to pay a certain sum ness. By her testimony the defense wished Yesterday was hot all over the west. In by actual settlers, who argue that inasmuch some sections there were slight showers, as the military reservation was confiscated but in no place were the rains heavy from the Indians by the government, not similar amount. Pueblo had .10 of an inch enact such legislation as would cause the provisions of the free homestead law to

STANDARD GAUGE AT LEAD

tion. LEAD, S D., July 25 .- (Special.) -- The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley Railway company does not propose to let the Burlington company have full sway with a standard gauge road into this city. It is stated that all arrangements have now

will stop here instead of at Deadwood.

family about the tragedy since the night

Schloszer, W. H. Lyon and Mayor George W. Burnside of this city.

the four applicants for admission to the

PIERRE, S. D., July 25 .- (Special Telegram.)-Arthur L. Fuller of this city has

Burleigh-Tunberg.

other eastern points they will be at home connected with a shoe store in New York,

visited the Fosburgh house. This conracing for about two years. He ha raced outside of the state, however cluded Miss Sheldon's testimony. When

Fosburghs were pleasant. He would not permit his daughter to testify at the inquest because she had not recovered from her shock.

William W. Sheldon and George Bridges, connected with a shoe store in New York, positively identified the shoe in syldence treal. Queenstown—Sailed: Germanic, for York Rotterdam—Sailed: Staatendam, for York