NEBRASKA'S MONEY CAINS

Increase in National and State Banks is Bearly Four Millions.

TREASURER STUEFER'S OCTOBER REPORT

Greater Amount Than Ever Before -Result of Constant Vigilance and Inremitting Effort.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 31 .- (Special.) -The increase of deposits in Nebraska national and state banks from July 17 to September 30, the day of the last call is approximately \$3,650,000. The increase in state and private banks alone, as shown in the report issued by Secretary Royse of the State Banking Board today, is \$1,195,010. The average increase of deposits in the national banks of the state is 10 per cent, which makes a total in these institutions of over

\$27,060,000, or an increase of \$2,455,460. The figures for the national banks are merely estimates based upon the statements of the Omaha and Lincoln banks, but it is conceded that they are very nearly correct. If the same ratio of increase prevalls throughout the state in the national banks the total deposits in Nebraska banks will be over \$58,000,000.

Following is a summary of the statements of all state and private banks at the close of business on September 30: DESCUERCES

ENGLESS OF A SECURIORS	
Loans and discounts	23,791,865 98
Overdrafts	3.6,778 4
United States bonds	
Stocks, judgments, etc	411.363 54
Due from banks and bankers	
Banking house furniture and fix-	
	1,228,923 86
	1,460,043 00
Other real estate	575,353 16
Current expenses and taxes paid	382,957 32
Premiums paid	3,685 11
Cash	2,282 244 19
Other assets	150,417 - 3
Other assets	A007, 121 10
Total	41,469,992 88
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	7 140 450 (0
Capital stock paid in	1 174 040 04
Surplus fund	1,144 042 01
Undivided profits	1,237,101 94
Dividends unpaid	4.96 . 16
General deposits	31,759 641 80
Notes and bills rediscounted	
Bills payable	
Assure Services	10, 6-0 10
marks.	
Total	11,469,102 88

Stocks, bonds, etc...... \$ £6.882 54

Loans Cash Capital stock increased ten.
Compared with the statement for Sep-Cash Surplus Deposits Capital stock

The following report of State Treasurer Stuefer for the month of October was given to the public today:

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I think it quite proper to preface this month's statement with the following quotation from former State Treasurer Meserve's last blennial report:

"I called attention in my last report to the great difficulty in the future to invest the educational funds under our present law, and unless means are taken to amend the constitution so that we can buy other securities than are now allowed by law it will become harder every year to keep these funds invested."

I heartily indorse this statement of a too little known fact, as I have, by practical experience, demonstrated its truthfulness. Ever since assuming the duties of this office up to the present hour I have used all honorable means within my power to invest the educational funds in interest-bearing securities, in which efforts I have been ably assisted by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. Lest some unsuspecting people be hoodwinked into believing that our efforts in this direction date no farther back than the late republican state convention I desire to call attention to the following facts of record:

The investments of educational funds in the month of May amounted to \$116,620.07; June, \$152,921; July, \$165,690.10. These investments were made prior to the meeting of the convention and are much larger than the investments for September, the first full month since the convention met. The investments for which have been in progress for about three months. The total amount invested before the meeting of the convention sor which have been in progress for about three months. The total amount invested before the meeting of the convention was \$750.290.66, which is \$71,370.90 greater than the entire investment for the year 1900 by my predecessor.

Exceeds Other Investments.

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By the willing and efficient aid of the educational board in conjunction with my own anceasing efforts we have succeeded during the ten months of this administration in investing educational funds to the magnificent amount of \$1,082,966,60. This so far exceeds any investment of educational funds in the same length of time in the past history of the state as to place it in a separate class entirely by itself. This result could not have been accomplished except by constant vigilance and unremitting attention to business. Comparisons are said to be odious, but they are the most effective method in presenting results in a manner to be easily comprehended. Trust fund investments for the first ten months of 1900 amounted to \$506,-543,66, being \$476,823.03 less than the investments this year for a like period of time. The investments for the first ten months of 1808 amounted to \$506,-543,66, being \$476,823.03 less than the investments this year. The comparatively small amount of investments for the first ten months of 1808 amounted to 1804,229,79, or \$518,736,39 less than the investments for the clare administration could not possibly have been for lack of funds, for the daily average trust fund balance for the entire term amounted to more than \$250,000. A like disparity appears between the collections this year and the two preceding years. The total collection of trust funds for the ten months of this year amount to \$1,036,811,83; the co..ections for the first ten months of last year amounted to \$681,288.64, or \$517,223.19 less than this year. The amount of trust funds on hand at the close of business today is \$106,482.72; one year ago today the balance on hand two .ears ago today was \$857,146,84, being \$250,664,82, more than at present.

Statement showing the receipts and disbursements of the Nebraska state treasury for the month anding October 31, 1801. Exceeds Other Investments.

Funds Sept.
General \$9
General \$9
Fermanent school 12
Fermanent university 14
Agricultural college endowment college endowment in the state library in the state library cash.
Normal interest the penticentury and shoot and series library special library special library special library special and mechanical arts peritured states Experiment station. 52 32 3 100.1 1.0

General fund warrants to the amount of \$1,500 have been called, but not yet presented for payment. Respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM STUEPER.
State Treasurer.

Articles of incorporation of the Farmers Grain and Lumber company were recorded in the secretary of state's office today. The capital stock of the company is \$10,000 and the incorporators are: J. Martin, S., H. Hockman, C. T. Springer, C. W. Tenhulzen, E. Richardson, William Krueger, William which I did, and it cured me sound and Kenamer, H. W. Kallemeyer.

Philadelphia filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today. company is capitalized for \$600,000

Republican State Central Committee The republican state central committee met tonight in adjourned session from the meeting of October 17. There, being no business of importance awaiting consideration the committee adjourned early and a meeting of the executive committee was then held. The political situation in the various counties was canvassed and some discussion was indulged in relative to the ballot. Reports from all localities were encouraging for republican success.

John Rush Bank Examiner.

Charles F. McGrew of this city has reigned his position as national bank examiner for the Nebraska district and it is understood here that his successor will be John Rush of Omaha, Mr. McGrew will become second vice president of the Omaha National bank.

Millard Rifes in National Guard. Adjutant General Colby has issued orders detailing Judge Advocate General Brown to muster the Millard Rifles of Omaha into the November 11. The organization will have is already assured. the status of an independent company, there being no vacancies in either regiment. The officers to be commissioned, contingent upon their passing the required examination, are Captain T. A. Baughman and Lieutenant H. C. Stafford and Ray H. Walker. The company was organized about me year ago, but did not adopt the name of the Omaha senator until July. The officers

company's equipment. End of Fishing Season.

Today marked the closing of the fishing cason for 1901. Hereafter nobody will be allowed to fish in any stream or water in Persons having fish in their possession are given five days' time to dispose of the same. The open season for wild pigeons, doves and plover closed yes-

Sues for Five Thousand.

Five thousand dollars is demanded in district court of the Lincoln Gas and Electric company by the estate of Oliver Neally, a lineman formerly employed by the compa" who met his death August 16, while work on a pole near St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church.

The suit is brought in the name of his nother, Nancy J. Neally, as administratrix of his estate, and for the benefit of his father, mother and two brothers, who are alleged to have been dependent upon him Dutch will be brought to Wyoming and put for support.

KILLS THE BACHELOR FARMER

Strychnine Ends His Prosper-

ous, but Lonesome Life.

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)—James Wallace, a well-to-do farm-er three miles south of Hastings, committed suicide this morning by taking a dose of strychnine. Wallace was a bachelor, 48 years old and lived on his farm, which adjoined his brother William's place. On October 17 James Wallace disappeared and for several days no trace of him could be found, but he returned to his home on the night of the 22d as suddenly as he disappeared. When asked where he had been he said Onawa, Ia. From that time on he showed that he was mentally unbalanced. This morning when William Wallace went to his brother's house he found him lying on the bed in a dying condition. Neighbors were called in, but he died before aid could reach him. Coroner Irwin held an inquest and the verdict of the jury was that the deceased had come to his death by a dose of strychnine administered by his own hand. The deceased owned a well-im-proved farm, had a large bank account and had nearly \$100 in his pocket. Besides the

DIETRICH FOR THE CARNATION Sebraska Senator to Introduce Bill

Making McKinley's Favorite the National Flower.

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 31 -- (Special.)-When congress convenes Senator Dietrich will present a bill in which he will ask congress to make the carnation the national flower. Mr. Dietrich's reason for this is the fact that the carnation was President McKinley's favorite flower. The senator says he does not know any serious objections to the adoption of the carpation as the national flower and he

Tries to Alarm St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-W. J. Bryan spoke here today, predicting the utter ruin of the state financtally if republicans remained in control and incidentally booming the fusion candi-date for district judge. He drifted into national politics and dwelt on expansion and imperialism, ending with an appeal for the Boers and condemning the war against them. Republicans and fusionists joined in heartily applauding this sentiment. The opera house was filled with people of all political beliefs, but the parades and ovation accorded him when here some years ago on a similar political tour

Epidemie Spreads to Thurston. PENDER, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-Dr. Towne of the State Board of Health was sent for this week to examine a suspicious case of sickness at Thurston. He went to that place last evening, accompanied by Dr. Agan, city physician of Pender. They found two developed cases of smallpox in one family where the children had been attending school. Dr. Towne returned to Omaha yesterday morning after quarantining the families.

Lincoln Man Buys Stock Farm. RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-J. H. Neagle of Lincoln, Neb., has come in possession of Bullfield, a well known stock farm in Hanover. The Deswells, widely known as horse breeders owned the ground for over a century, and many of America's crack equines were bred in Bullfield. Mr. Neagle will make his home in Bullfield.

Leaves Industrial School Dark.

GENEVA, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-George Gould was overcome by sewer gas while at work Tuesday at the Girls' Industrial school and, the other engineer being away, the school was in darkness awhile Mr. Gould is quite sick since.

Builds His Own Auto.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 31 .-- (Special.)-By devoting odd hours to it for a year, Lon | 87 per cent. Slama of Humboldt has constructed an automebile that runs well and compares favorably to appearance with those from eastern factories.

The Best Remedy for Diarrhoen. "Some years ago while at Martinsburg, W. Va., I was taken with cholera morbus which was tollowed by diarrhoea. The doctor's medicine did me no good. I was ad-Colic, Cholers and Diarrhoea Remedy, enamer, H. W. Kallemeyer. well."—G. A. Morris, Embreeville, Pa. Sold The Booklovers' Library association of by all druggists.

BOER COLONY IN WYONING DEATH OF CAPTAIN REDFIELD

ome Details of the Plan to Transplant African Farmers.

DUTCH BANKERS WILLING TO FUND THEM

Hollanders Who Invested Heavily in Union Pacific Interests Are Said to Be Ready for this Undertaking.

CHEVENNE Wyo. Oct. 21 .- (Special.)gigantic colonization scheme for southern Vyoming has been undertaken and if plans already formulated are carried out this state will add to its population during the next year over 5,000 people. Wealthy bankers and financiers of Holland, men who a few years ago secured a controlling interest in the Union Pacific railroad, are back of the project and if plenty of capital Nebraska National Guard on the evening of will aid in carrying out the plans the colony

> F. L. Grubb of the Union Pacific has charge of the arrangements and he will shortly visit the state to transact business connected with the segregation of a tract of land for the colony. This land is situated in Sweetwater county, in the valley of Green river, and comprises over 300,000

It is proposed to colonize this large tract of land with Holland farmers and Boers were here this afternoon arranging for the from South Africa. Transportation is to be furnished by the Union Pacific railroad, which passes through the center of the land to be colonized, and the Holland bankers are to purchase the land and allot it to the settlers in blocks of eighty acres to the family.

A huge canal will be taken from Green river, which carries more than enough water, and this will carry water to the colony. The farmers will raise wheat, oats, potatoes, etc., but the growing of sugar beets will be encouraged by the promoters of the colony. A market and good prices will be guaranteed the settlers and a monster sugar factory will be built in the colony to handle the beets raised.

The promoters of the project have been selecting the prospective colonists in South Africa and in Holland and as soon as title to the land has been secured, surveys for the big canal and ditches made and right to the water obtained, a large number of to work constructing the canal and irrigation works.

The Holland bankers, who will furnish the money necessary to reclaim this large tract and establish farms, are perfectly familiar with Wyoming, for their representatives recently visited this section and investigated the feasibility of the scheme. It is asserted that during the next few years there will be a heavy influx of Boers and Holland Dutch to this section. Agents of the Boers have been in correspondence with the promoters of several colonies in Wyoming and it is expected that there will be several movements of Dutch farmers to the valleys of this state in the spring. The sections that will receive the new settlers are Wheatland, the Big Horn basin and Uinta and Sweetwater counties.

BLOOD DYES WYOMING HAY acted strangely and at times his talk Paul Straight and Charles Gable Cut and Bruised While Sleep-

ing in a Stack.

CASPER. Wyo., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-Last night Paul Straight and Charles Gable made their bed in a haystack near the old Fuller ranch in Bates Hole. Some time during the night they were attacked and Gable's head is cut open in two places and his throat is partially cut. Straight has a broken hand and bruised brother in this country be has a sister at arm. No cause is known for the attack of the unknown assailant, as both men are

PUT THEIR HANDS TO THE PLOW

Implement Dealers Agree to Stand Sponsor for Many Desirable National Policies.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Oct. 31 .- The National Association of Agricultural Implement and Vehicle Manufacturers tonight elected the following officers: President W. S. Thomas, Springfield, O.; vice prestdents, J. E. Parker, J. B. Oliver, R. B. Lauden, C. A. Sprague, W. S. Munn, C. R. Rowley, Ira Miller, H. E. Miles, C. V. Dempster, G. R. James, S. V. Stakel of Kansas City and C. W. I. Burt; treasurer, S. E. Swayne; secretary, F. E. Lukens; chairman executive committee, Martin Kingman: members of the executive committee, James Deering, E. D. Metcalf, W. V. Brinton and S. E. Lafferty.

Minneapolis was chosen as the conven tion city for 1902 and the gathering will go to St. Louis in 1903.

S. E. Swayne presented the report of the olutions were those favoring the isthmian canal very strongly; approving reciprocity; urging the question of irrigation and action looking thereto; asking the committee to look into discrimination against American patentees; sending greetings to the message to W. I. Buchanan, chairman of the United States delegation; urging con gress to send business men as consular agents at adequate salaries; approving the Frye bill for a department of commerce and asking President Roosevelt to embrace a recommendation in his message to that sociation by all manufacturers appointing a vice president in each state on memberbership committee; favoring a national cor-A banquet attended by 300 of the im-

plement men was held at the Midland ho tel tonight.

DYNAMITE SENDS LEAD AFAR Kate Holcomb. Results in Presence of Gov-

ernment Officials.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 21 .- The new dynamite gun which has lately been in process of construction at Fort Wright Fisher's island, was tested today and bo h government authorities and constructors express their satisfaction. Majors Burney and Alton were the government representatives at the tests and the Pneumatic Torpedo Construction company was represented by President Darling. The test included the firing of the gun, which is loaded with projectiles containing nitro-glycerine, pure

Six, eight and ten-inch projectiles were fired from the gun out to sea. The sixinch projectile was hurled a distance of 5,700 yards and the eight and ten-inch respectively distances of 5,543 yards and 4,129 yards. Temerrow a test will be made of the gun firing a 15-inch projectile a distauce of about 4.000 yards.

Off Country is Perforated.

Pioneer Citisen Suffers Stroke o Paralysis and Passes Away.

Captain Josiah B. Redfield died at his home, 1725 Ontario street, at 4:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, death being the result of a stroke of paralysis which came upon him at 1:45 a. m. the same day. He had left his home to go to his daughter's and while walking near the corner of Twelfth and Bancroft streets was overcome. He was immediately taken home, but never

rallied from the shock. Captain Redfield was born in Vermont May 14, 1829. He was a veteran of the Mexican war and of the civil war, serving as captain of Company A of the Eighth Wisconsin during the latter conflict. He came to Omaha in 1866 and engaged in business at his trade, that of a printer, conducting a job office here for many years At his office in 1871 the first edition of The Omaha Bee was printed.

He was a member of the Omaha city council and of the Board of County Commissioners some years ago. He was the first secretary and second master of St. John's lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, of this city. Captain Redfield leaves a widow and three

children. Miss Jennie S. Redfield, Melvin H. Redfield and J. B. Redfield, jr. The funeral will take place Sunday, No vember 3, at 2 p. m. from the residence of his son, M. H. Redfield, 1817 Jackson lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

Mrs. Mary Kelkenney

Mrs. Mary Kelkenney died at an early hour yesterday at the family residence, 2210 Capitol avenue, Her death was the result of a general breaking down, due to old age, and her end was hastened by the terrible runaway accident she sustained last July, when her life was despaired of for many days. She was 78 years old and had been a resident of Omaha for more than a quarter of a century.

The funeral will be held at St. John's

church at 3:30 p. m. Friday. The body will be taken to the Union station and from there at 6 o'clock to Chicago. Interment will take place in that city Saturday in the same cemetery in which Mrs. Kelkenney's husband is buried.

The surviving members of the family, John and James B. Kelkenney, reside in this city. John is the proprietor of the Lobby and James is an attorney. The latter was with his mother at the time of the accident and was severely injured.

Mrs. Elisabeth Hanbury.

LONDON, Oct. 31 .- Mrs. Elizabeth Hanbury, who was born June 9, 1793, is dead was sister of Sir Thomas Sander son, permanent secretary of state for foreign affairs, and Sir Percy Sanderson, British consul general at New York. Mrs. Hanbury was notable half a century ago in anti-slavery, prison reform and philasthropic movements. She could see to read and write up to her 100th year. She spent the last year of her life in bed.

Martin Dodge, Hill City. HILL CITY, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-

Martin Dodge died this week of heart disease, leaving a wife, five children, a brother and mother. Mr. Dodge was an employe of the Harney Peak Tin company and was interested in several valuable min ing properties in the Hills, among them being the Golden Slipper mine.

Josiah Dickerson, Madison.

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. \$1 .- (Special.) -siah Dickerson, a Prominent farmer of Union township, died suddenly at Madison the jobbing business in South Dakota was Tuesday and was buried from his residence small. Consequently, now that times are this afternoon. Mr. Dickerson was 60 good and the jobbing business has grown years old and had lived in this county for to considerable proportions, there can be nearly thirty years. A widow and four

Dr. Edward Watson, Friend.

Edward G. Watson of Friend died at an is in effect charging more for a short haul early hour this morning of typhoid fever and complication of other diseases. Arrangements for the funeral are not yet Saturday.

HYMENEAL.

Garrison-Gagnon.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-O. Y. Garrison of Humboldt was married to Mrs. Ella Gagnon, a Falls City woman. the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Williams, near Salem. They will be at home after next week in Falls City. The groom has for many years been a resident of Humboldt and the bride is one of the heirs to the estate of the late Samuel B. Miles, Falls City multi-millionaire.

Ward-Minor.

ULYSSES, Neb., Oct. 31.-(Special.)-Worth Lester Minor and Miss Sadie Ward committee on resolutions. Among the rea- were married today in the Catholic church, Rev. Father Murphy officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by 200 invited guests, after which a reception was given at the home of the bride's father. Miss Ward is on patents to have patents reclassified and the daughter of John Ward, a farmer of this vicinity. Mr. Minor is a young attorney. They will be at home after November 20 in Fairfield, Neb.

Gants-Harris.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special.) -News reached this city of the marriage this week of Fred Gantz, son of Dr. and Mrs. Gants of this city and prominent in society circles here, in Laramie, Wyo., to effect; favoring the full support of the as- Miss May Harris of Laramie, Wyo., at the

Holcomb-Brown

RAPID CITY, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-This week occurred the marriage of Rob-ert Holcomb, prominent in this city, to Miss Blanche Brown of Huntsville, Tex. at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs.

Donocan-Doling.

HURON, S. D., Oct. 31 .- John F. Done can of Beresford and Miss Agnes E. Doling of Sutherland, Ia., were married here Wednesday morning by Father Daniel F. Desmond of St. Martin's church.

Wehr-Vandervoort.

FRIEND, Neb., Oct. 31 -- (Special.) -- W. E. Wehr and Miss Avonica M. Vandervoort of Friend were married last night by Rev. C. E. Bentley of Lincoln. They are to make their home in Seward county.

Hall-Smith.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Oct. 31.—(Special.)— George F. Hall of Omaha married Mrs. Emma J. Smith of Portland, Ore., here to-

Day-Van Pelt.

SHENANDOAH, Ia., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-Dr. C. W. Day of Benita, I. T., was married last night to Miss Ermina Van Pelt of near the Methodist church. Shenandesh and they left immediately on

BEAUMONT. Tex.. Oct. 31.—October was a record breaking month in the matter of bringing in oil gushers, twenty-four spouters being added to the list during the month. A careful count shows that there are now eighty-five gushers in the Beaumont field.

When suffering from racking cough, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved and a warm, grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced. ful feeling and healing of the parts affected

SIOUX FALLS FIGHTS RATES

Jebbers' Association Starts Two Injunction

"Suite Simultaneously.

NORTHWESTERN AND OMAHA MUST DEFEND

It is Their Proposed ... thdrawal of Terminal Rates, Previously Agreed On, that Stirs the Dakota Town.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-C. O. Bailey, special attorney for the Sioux Falls Jobbers' association between 5 and 6 o'clock this afternoon filed simultaneously in the United States and state circuit courts suits asking that injunctions be issued restraining the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha and the Chicago & Northwestern railroads from withdrawing the terminal rates now en joined in accordance with an agreement entered into in 1890.

Under this agreement the cities of Slour Falls, Aberdeen, Watertown and Sloux City were made terminal or distributing points and terminal or distributing rates were established for the carriage of merchanlise. The complaints in the two cases allege that the defendant railroads are threatening to cancel these terminal or distributing rates and place in effect socalled distance tariff, which will apply only to South Dakota. It is alleged to be the purpose of the railroads to retain the terminal rates at Sioux City. This, the complaints say, would result in great injury being done to the jobbers of Sloux

The new rates were to have gone into effect tomorrow. Judge Carland of the United States court has issued a temporary restraining order and fixed November 8 as the time for the defendant railroads to appear and show cause why the injunction should not become permanent. Judge Jones of the state circuit court also issued a restraining order and fixed November 9 as the time for similar proceedings in his court.

History of the Trouble.

When the railroad commissioners met in Chicago with the traffic managers of the various lines it was generally talked that the terminal distributing tariffs which had for years been granted to the three towns named, and which put the jobbers of those towns on an equality with jobbing centers outside the state, should be taken out. It was agreed that the Milwaukee road should take the initiative and the other lines agreed to follow the Milwaukee's lead. The new schedules have now been reeived. The Milwaukee, as agreed, took out the terminal tariff from Sioux Falls, but it also took that from Sloux City and

distance tariff basis. This is considered here to be fair to both. But the Northwestern and the Great Northern roads took out the distance tariff from this point, but left it in Sloux City. It is estimated here that as a result Sloux City, although twice as far away as Sioux Falls, will be able to lay down freight in many towns in South Dakota for less

placed both towns upon the South Dakota

money than Sioux Falls. The jobbers in this city as soon as the new tariffs were received held a meeting and decided to resist the new schedule in the courts.

The action of the jobbers is based upon two propositions. First, the jobbers contend that the old rates were manifestly fair since the roads voluntarily put them into effect several years ago and maintained them through hard times, and when no reasonable excuse for raising them. Second, they contend that to withdraw the terminal rates from Sioux Falls while allowing them to remain for Sioux City is a FRIEND, Neb., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-Dr. gross discrimination contrary to law and than for a long one.

In the meantime the Board of Railroad Commissioners has refused to drop the apcompleted, but it will probably be held peal in the famous rate case, pending the outcome of the present controversy.

Attorneys to Argue Demurrer to Easterners' Application for Mandamus Compelling Tax Levy.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Oct. 31,-(Special.) There will be a rehearing of the case instituted in the United States court in this city wherein eastern holders of bonds against the city of Pierre are striving to force the city to pay them. The bonds were issued during the capital fight. The holders not long ago secured judgment against the city and the present action was instituted for the purpose of securing writs of mandamus compelling the authorities of Pierre to levy a tax for the payment of the bonds, which aggregate about \$53,000. The city attorney, who represented Pierre at the former hearing, demurred to the application of the bondholders. The plaintiffs have now filed a special answer to the demurrer and the attorneys will agree upon a day for further arguments to be made.

PLEADS GUILTY AS ADVISED Dillon, Acting on Father's Suggestion.

> Seeks Leniency and Gets Year's Sentence.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)-John E. Dillon, charged with robbing Otto Bunley, entered plea of guilty before Judge Campbell today and received a sentence of one year in the penitentiary. Dillon's father, who is a highly respected citizen of Woonsocket, came here and, after learning the facts in the case, advised his son to plead guilty and get as light a sentence as possible. The old gentleman is almost heartbroken. The money was nearly all re-

Herried Names Mrs. Lyon.

PIERRE, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-Governor Herried has appointed Mrs. W. H. Lyon of Sloux Falls a member of the Woman's Board of Investigation of charitable and penal institutions. She takes the place of Mrs. S. E. Young, who has resigned. The state land department today is send-

Flywheel Scatters Itself.

ing out eighty-seven land patents to final

purchasers of state lands, most of them

going to counties on the east line of the

ABERDEEN, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special.)stationary engine in a local woodyard became unmanageable and increased its speed to an extent that sent the engineer off in alarm. Finally the flywheel burst into many pieces, one of which was hurled through the air nearly a half mile, falling

A report from Supt. J. C. Gluck, Reform school, Pruntytown, W. Va., Oct. 18, 1900: "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform school. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless."



The feeling of being delightfully clean pervades the entire person when the bath is accompanied by this

Free Lathering, Floating, Fragrant and Pure Soap.

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It takes money to drill wells, build pipe lines, erect storage tanks and otherwise develop such extensive properties-hence the OMAHA-TEXAS OIL Co. is obliged to sell a portion of its stock to raise money for development purposes and offers a limited amount of Treasury Stock at

25 CENTS PER SHARE

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He Must End His Days at Sloux Falls Without Betraying Emotion. DEADWOOD, S. D., Oct. 31 .- (Special Tel-

egram.)—The jury at 2:30 this morning brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in he first degree against W. H. Ward of Pluma and he has been sentenced to life mprisonment at Sjoux Falls at hard labor. This has been one of the most interesting murder cases ever tried in the Black Hills. Vard killed Lee Shephard, a young man, and buried the body in his potato garden near his house. The body was found and the evidence was all against Ward from the start. It is believed that the motive in killing the Shephard boy was to get him out of the way to he would not influence his brother Harley, adopted by Ward, to leave the old man. Ward is also suspected of killing Kirk Shephard, a younger brother, both boys disappearing at about the same time. Some of

and people are still searching for his body. Ward takes his sentence coolly. FIRE RECORD.

the clothes worn by Kirk have been found

Newcastle Business Blocks. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Word has been received from Newcastle, Wyo., which states that a whole block in the business section of the town

has been destroyed by fire, the origin of

which is not known. The postoffice and

contents were destroyed and an inspector

has gone to the scene, but the amount of the loss is not yet reported.

Five Firemen Injured. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.-The five-story building at Worth and Church streets, occupied by White & Co., wholesale dealers in linens and dry goods; Joshua L. Bailey & Co., linens, and a branch of Henry Clews & Co., bankers, was burned tonight. Five firemen were injured, one of them seriously. The loss is estimated at \$60,000.

Business Biock at Newcastle. DENVER, Oct. 31 .- A special to the Re-

burning at Newcastle, Wyo., of an entire block of buildings, including the postoffice. Loss, \$100,000. Salvage Building, Wheeling.

publican from Cheyenne, Wyo., reports the

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 31 .- A fire started in the business district this afternoon, but was confined to the Salvidge building, which was entirely destroyed.



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