THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1892-SIXTEEN PAGES.

FALCON

Special sale next week in every department of the store. Underneath we mention some of the principal bargains. Kead carefully what we offer in dress goods, silks, black goods, jackets, capes and wrappers, muslin underwear, draperies and rugs. We desire also to call special attention to the wash goods. In this department we are far ahead of last year. No such value in ginghams was ever before offered in this city. But the same might be said of every department of the store. The goods are all new, and on account of the extraordinary state of affairs in the east are at least 30 per cent cheaper than goods carried over from last year. N. B. FALCONER.

Black Wool Goods

Double width pure mohair brilliantine, 50c. Double width all wool French altatross, 60c. Deuble width all wool bedford cord, 65c. Double width all wool beatord cord, esc. Double width all wool French crepon, 85c. Double width all wool henrietta, 90c. Double width silk finish "princetta," 95c. Double width silk and wool mousseline, 90c. Double width all wool tamise cloth, 90c. Double width silk warp henrietta, \$1.25.

The bargains for this week are all away below price, and if you are in want of a dress come in and see them. Come this week if you want bargains.

Priestley's Gray Novelty Suitings

We are headquarters on these goods, carrying their entire collection and can show the finest assortment of grey goods in the west.

We give a few of the popular prices.

40 inch all wool French twill, \$1. 42 inch all wool new crepon cord, \$1.25. 42 inch all wool new diagonal effects, \$1.25. 44 inch all wool wide wale, \$1,50. 52 inch all wool Foule serge, \$1.25. 60 inch new water proof serge, \$2.50. And a full line of new and

pretty novelty weaves so desirable this spring.

Also a great many other higher priced goods, which we have only one or two pieces of. The prices will be marked away down.

See our west show window for dress goods bargains.

Wool Dress Goods

COLORED

Big Slaughter of Fine Dress Goods.

The season has been backward, and we are heavily stocked with goods. There is only one remedy. We must sell and sacrifice our profits. So now is your opportunity.

75 pieces pure Sicilian Brilliantines, the actual value to-day 60c; this week 25c. 40 pieces Diagonal (wide wale) Chovrons, honest goods and actually worth 40c; this

week 20c. 35 pieces odd weaves which have retailed for 35c and 45c; your choice of the lot this week 25c.

16 pieces 54-inch Sacking, in dark colorings only, actual value 65c; this week 39c.

30 pieces all wool Cheviot Suitings, made from a fine all wool and worth in any market 65c. This is a big chance. This week 39c.

We have perhaps about 75 pieces, odds and ends, which have sold for 75c and \$1.00 per yard, all first-class style and perfect in every particular. In one lot this week 58c. Hair line stripes are very much in de-

mand. We fortunately purchased a large stock of them at our own price. They are worth \$1.00 per yard and were never offered for less. We are going to make a run on them this week at boc.

just the shades for spring. It was consider-ed a big bargain at \$1.00. For this week 78c. Imported Castile or Bedford cord, excel-

neat dress and good wearing. For this week

54-inch Snow Flake Novelty stripe in

lent shades and all wool. Makes up a very

SILK DEPARTMENT.

We offer the following extraordinary bargains, picken up at some of the great forced sales recently held in New York. 85c figured India silks at 37 jc.

\$1.75 black satin rhada mes 99c. And a lot of black and colored gros grains, black and colored rhadames and colored taffetas, the regular price of which is \$1.25, will be placed on sale Monday at 64c. Come and see that this is true.

WASH GOODS.

100 pieces standard prints 3ic, value 7ic. 200 pieces challis 5c, worth 10c.

GINGHAMS ! **GINGHAMS** !

Great sale of dress ginghams Monday. 124c ginghams, new and stylish patterns, Sic.

Scotch zephyr ginghams 111c, worth 20c.

Best quality Scotch and French ginghams 19c, value 25c and 30c. Fine satines, 25c quality, at 11c. Silk finish Melanels 19c, actual value

35c. Satin Chevronne, entirely new, 15c, worth 25c. Satin stripe challis, new effects, 30c

yard. French batistes in beautiful floral designs, 40c.

Drapery Dep't.

Portieres -- Chenille portieres with dado top and bottom, very fine quality and pattern, \$6 a pair. Plain Chenille portieres, heavy fringe top and bottom, \$5 a pair.

Muslin for Curtains--45 inch spot muslin, 371c yard. 30 inch tambour muslin in

a great variety of patterns, at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 50c yard.

Imitation China silk, in new designs, at 15c per yard.

Easels, screens and tables at very low prices, as we wish to close them out to make more room for our rug department.

We are receiving new patterns in rugs daily, and our prices are lower than those quoted by any other house in Omaha. Smyrna Rugs--15x26 at 68c. 16x30 at 98c. 18x36 at \$1.25. 26x54 at \$2.50. Moquette Rugs--- 18x36 at \$1.10. 27x54 at \$3.50. 36x72 at \$4.50.

ART SQUARES.

We have decided to carry a line of art squares, (or crumb cloths) and can show you a very fine line, in all the different sizes.

CLOAKS.

Ladies' Jackets, made of all wool broadcloth in tan, navy, gray and black, 30 inches long, NEW GOODS, at \$2.98, worth \$5.

Ladies' Spring Jackets \$3.75, made in either of the three popular spring styles, Blazer, Reefer or Top Coat, in navy, black or tan. Any of these jackets would sell from \$6 to \$7.50, but WE offer the choice for \$3.75 each

Our silk embroidered Ladies' Cape full 40 inches long, made of broadcloth, in tan and black, Monday at \$6.75. Would be cheap for \$10.

We have received another shipment of the \$1.35 Wrapper. All ladies that did not get any during our last week's sale, we ask to come Monday as we have all sizes.

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, Mother Hubbard style, double yoke bick and finished with three rows of feather stitching on yoke, at 48c

Ladies' Gowns, tucked yoke with inser-Gowns, trimmed with embroidery, at 69c. Ladies' Muslin Gowns, having the hem-stitched yoke, at 73c and 79c.

Muslin Gowns having a V front, double

yoke back, trimmed with embroidery and insertion of fine embroidery, at 95c. A full line of Children's Panties now complete.size.01 and 2 and 3, having worked buttonholes and a cluster of three tucks, at 15c, and larger sizes 5c on a size. Children's Panties, having an edge of embroidery and a cluster of tucks from 25c up. Children's silk, mull and embroidered

Caps now complete.

N. B. FALCONER. 1505-1507 Douglas Street.

CAPTAIN YOCUM PARDONED wiewing it from the standpoint of immediate proximity, have made it incumpent upon me to view it in the same broad spirit of mercy. "The question that confronted me as con-trary to the natural promptings of the human heart to be merculu was, would my arrendsa

Goudy, deputy state superintendent of pub-lie instruction, Prof. O. C. Hubbell of Fair-

NEBRASKA SCHOOL LANDS is being made to make the country believe that this was an immense political concess-ion to Mr. Dunbar, while the fact is that Commissioner Raum simply followed a cus-tom of Democratic Commissioner Black and many of his predecessors. Inquiry among Senator Paddock is looking into the ad-Senator Paddock is looking into the ad-

rode a fast horse and was on the ground early. The outlook for water and other necessaries is good. There will be no suffering. Excellent water flows from numerous springs.

Penitentiary.

PATHETIC SCENE AT THE HASTINGS JAIL Soy of the Prisoner Manifested by Shouting

and Laughing-How His Wite Received the Information-Nebrasks News Notes,

HASTINGS, Neb., April 16.-[Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-Shortly before nooa today a telegram addressed to Mrs. Anna P. Yocum was delivered to the wife of Captain A. D. Yocum, who was yesterday sentenced to one year imprisonment in the state penitentiary for the homicide of Myron Van Fieet. It announced that Captain Yocum had been pardoned by Governor Boyd.

She was much affected by the information although it had been expected and she manifested her joy quite strongly. The message was then taken to the jail and handed to Captain Yocum through the bars. Captain Yocum began shouting and laughing, while the other prisoners in jail crowded around him and warmly congratulated him. On the street the news spread rapidly.

This action on the governor's part was not unexpected but it caused much comment. Yocum's attorneys, Messrs. Bowen, Hart-igan, Dilworth and Tate, are feeling jubilant over the pardon, while County Attorney Hoeppner and his associates, McCreary, Casto and Batty, are equally well satisfied in convicting their prisoner.

GOVERNOR BOYD EXPLAINS.

Reasons Why He Exercised Executive Clemency in the Yocum Case.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 16.- [Special to THE BEE.]-Captain Aaron D. Yocum, who was yesterday sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for the killing of Myron Van Fleet at Hastings on February 22, is today a free man, Governor Boyd having signed a full and free pardon a few moments after 10 O'clock this forenoon. A brief telegram was jent to the wife of the condemned man informing her of her husband's pardon and the sheriff of Adams county and Warden Mallen of the state penitentiary were notified. The latter precautions were taken to prevent any action looking to Captain Yocum's incarcera tion before the new of the pardon could be received at Hastings. General Vifquain then started for Hastings as the special messenger of the governor to convey the official pardon To the reporters for the several state pa pers Governor Boyd this afternoon made the following statment in reference to his action in pardoning Captain Yocum:

After patiently listening to the statements of counsel for and against, as well as to special pleas by ladies and gentlemen, many of whom could have had no other object but to express their sympathy for a man who knowing that there is no law or statute to punish the instigator and writer of slander-Ous gossip and newspaper articles assailing the good name of members of his family, and who, to protect his home, took the law into this own hands, I have concluded I will best

his own hands, I have concluded I will bas exercise the pardoning power vested in me within the intention of that investment by pardening A. D. Yocum for the slaving of Myron Vanfleet. "It is unnecessary here to review either the testimony or the pleadings. The killing was not donied. It is therefore evident that but for mitrating circumstances the verdict must have been murder in the first degree. The jury of tweive men which sat through the whole trial found a verdict for man-slaughter, a verdict which, in my judgment, practically exonerates Captain Yocum for the killing. The trial judge also went as far as the cold letter of the law will allow him in extenuating the killing by imposing the light-fet sectence contemplated by the statutes—

neart to be merciful was, would my exercise of the executive prorogative encourage crime, or the counter proposition, would this father's incarceration prevent crime? Care-ful deliberation and earnest thought have led me to believe that the cause of good govcrument would not be subserved in a meas-ure to warrant it by the incarceration of Captain Yocum within the pententiary walls. Neither do I believe that his full and ree pardon will lend any encouragement to lize crime. Indeed, I hope this case may serve as a deterrent to that class of people who esteem a woman's chastity too lightly or who too carelessly trifle with a woman

good name. "The taking of human life is an awfu thing; but so, too, is the destruction of vir-tue and the assassing tion of good men. The man who, as the head of a family, would shirk the responsibilities of that headship is unworthy to be considered a man; and unworthy while it is far from my purpose to extol Cap-tain Yocum for his rash act, yet I am firmly impressed with the belief gained from hundreds of letters, petitions, conversations newsprper editorials, etc., that public senti ment bestows upon him its approval. It has been said: 'He did wrong that he might do right,' and to this public sentiment I yield the assent of executive clemency.'

Sensational Cases at Clay Center.

CLAY CENTER, Nob., April 16 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-The jury in the case of the State of Nebraska against Dr. F. A. Butler came in yesterday morning, after being out all day and night, without agreeing upon a A number of prominent physicians from Hastings were in attendance, and the court room was crowded all through the trial with interested spectators. But the event of this session of the district

But the event of this session of the district court was the divorce case of Potter against Potter, which came up for hearing yester-day. All parties concerned are prominent in social circles in Fairfield, and a large portion of the population of that city has been in attendance either as winesses or apoctators. Mrs. Potter is plaintiff and charges her husband, C. W. Potter, with adultery and cruelty. A detective from Lincoln plays a nominent part in the case, having been emprominent part in the case, having been emhe plaintiff to shadow the accused With the closing of this detective's testi-mony the plaintiff asked for a continuance for thirty days with permission to file an amended petition. The case will come up again at a special session in June.

Will Ship Cartle to England.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., April 16,-|Special to THE BEE.]-Today T. B. Hord will load twenty-four cars of cattle, 394 head, for shipment direct to Liverpool. Heber Hord and Willard Pennoyer will accompany them. The former has had considerable experience in this line of work. It is expected the trip will consume about two weeks. The Hord ranch, which does all its winter feeding here, is one of the largest in the west.

Fell Over a Precipice.

CURTIS, Neb., April 16.-[Special to THE BEE.]-While S. J. Mason, a traveling man representing Lininger& Metcalf company, was making a drive from this place to Stockville vesterday, the team became unmausgeable and precipitated the buggy, driver and all over a precipice about fifteen feet high into a pool of water. Mr. Mason emerged from the wreck with a painful sprain of the left

Saddenly Lost His Reason.

LYONS, Net., April 16.- [Special to Tas Baz.] -John Koshler, the merchant tailor of this place, became violently insane Wednes day and had to be handcuffed. He chased an Indian through town and caused great ex-citement before he was shackied.

Daugerously Injured.

HENRON, Neb., April 16 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. !-Oscar Brumbaugh let his gun fall this morning, the load taking effect in his shoulder. He is seriously vouuded.

Divided the Houors.

HASTINGS, Nob., April 16.- [Special to THE Bas |- The fifth annual central Nebraska

field college and Roy. D. B. Perry, pressi-dent of Doane college. Prof. W. c. An-drews of Hastings was referee. The audi ence was well pleased and encores were fre quent. The judges gave the gold medal in the oratorical class to Miss Julia Dart o the oratorical class to Miss Julia Dart of York and the silver medal to Master Robert Holmes of Grand Island. In the dramatic class Miss Helen M. Allen of Hastings won the gold medal and Miss Cora Murphy of Kearney the silver. Miss Addie Thomas of Aurora obtained the gold medal in the humorous class.

Madrid's New Mill.

MADRID, Neb., April 16 .- [Special Telegram to The BEE. |- The Farmers Milling and Elevator association of this place have entered into contract with Nordyke & Mor mon company of Indianapolis for the construction and complete equipment of a first class flouring mill of seventy-five barrols capacity per day. The mill to be of the most modern and improved style. The work is to be commenced at once and to be fully com-pleted before hervost. Madrid is justiy proud and enthusiastic at the success of this enterprise which must prove of the greatest advantage to this unexcelled wheat growing region.

Will Have a Windmill Factory. STROMSBURG, Neb., April 16.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-An enthusiastic meeting of the business men of the city met at Boostrom's hall last night to take definite steps toward putting up a windmill factory at this city. Ten thousand dollars is to be the required capital to be divided among the stockholders. P. T. Bergman of Polk county is the patentee of the windmill, which is said to be superior in many ways to the best now in use. Another meeting is called at the same place Monday night.

Hampton Gets a Saloon. HAMPTON, Neb., April 16.- Special to THE BRE. |-The new village board held its first formal session last night. The meeting was a special call to hear the evidence of the remonstranco filed against H. Klimper's peti-tion for a saloon license. It took nearly all night to hear the evidence and spirited dis cussions occurred. At the conclusion the board decided that the evidence wasn't sufficient to invalidate the petition and a li cense was granted.

Concluded Their Meeting. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 16.-[Special to THE BEE. |- The convention of the Young People's Baptist union of the Grand Island district was closed last night. The follow-ing were the officers elected: President, Rev. E. Morrison, Central City: vice presi-Mey, P. atornson, Central City; vice presi-dent, C. A. Cook, Grand Island; secretary, Miss Leus Spear, Central City; treasurer, George Clendenio, Grand Island.

Indians Bound for Europe.

RESUVILLE, Neb., April 16 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-Fifty Sloux Indian gram to the BEE j-Fifty Sloux Indian bucks and anumber of squaws and popposes departed from here this ovening by special train bound for Europe to join Buffalo Bill's Wild West show. A large crowd of Indians were in town to see them off and they have been making night hideous with their wails

Used a Razor.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., April 16.- [Special Felegram to Tus Bas. |-- Mrs. Andrus Hanna, wife of a well-to do farmer living about seven miles northwest of this city, at tempted suicide yesterday afternoon by cut-ting her throat with a razor. Her attempt was without success, however, and she will probably recover. She was supposed to have been insune.

Will Not investigate. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 16 .- (Special to Tus Bas.]-The question as to whether Hall county should expend \$2,000 or \$3,000 for a thorough investigation of the treasurer's books for the last ten years or not came up before the board yesterday, and the proposed investigation has been practically laid away to dia

at Washington.	

PROSPECTS OF SUBSTANTIAL RETURNS

Indications That the Fort Randall Military Reservation Will Be Abandoned by the War Department-Democrats Anxlous to Cause Trouble.

> WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE, 513 FOURTEENTII STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.

Land Commissioner Humphrey, State Freasurer Hill and Senator Paddock today ooked up the school land interests of Nebraska at the Interior department. Under a recent construction of the law by the local land officers at O'Neill, filings have been accepted on the sixteenth and thirty-sixth school sections by homesteads, and the whole subject is being investigated by the general land office with a view of determining exactly as to the authority for the disjosition of these lands to homestead settlers. The

decision is expected soon. In connection with this complication and the possibility of there being a necessity to make a selection of school lands in iten of these sections, the possible aban-donment of Fort Randall military reservation was investigated at the War department. The pian suggested is that that part of the Fort Randall reserva-tion in Nabraska might afford an epoprtunity o secure the school lands which may be lost if there should be an adverse decision in re-spect to the school land selections in Holt county. The abandonment of the entire Fort Randall reservation has been recommended by the departmental military officials. The War department has approved such recom-mondation and advised the Interior depart-ment of its readiness to transfer the same to the control of the general land office under the law of 1854, providing for such transfers. These lands, however, under the act re-ferred to must be appraised and sold at the apprised valuation for cash.

May Secure the Lands.

Senator Paddock and the state officers named went at once to the Interio depart-ment and laid the subject before the socretary of the interior and were informed that the Indian office, on account of certain un-matured plans affecting the Rosebud agency, Sloux, objected to immediate action looking to the abandonment of the entire reservation which would result in the absolute removal of the post and garrison of Fort Randall for the present, admitting that such abandon-ment could properly be made some time dur-ing the present year: but Senator Paddock insisted that part of the reservation south of the north boundary of Nebraska was va-cant land not required at all for any military purpose in connection with the existence of fort Randall post which you was at once which would result in the absolute removal Fort Randall post, which yow was at once accepted and the assuratice of the secretary was received that he would advise the se retary of war that the Interior department was ready to accept that part of the reserva-

tion under the act above referred to. The suggestion for the abandonment of this part of the reservation was mentioned to General Schofield, who at once said that he would recommend such abandonment, as that part of the reservation was not suscept-ible to military use. Senator Paddock savs there seems to be no doubt about bringing these lands juito the body of public lands under the act of 1884 at an early day. He proposes to introduce a bill at once providing for the setting saids at langer of the for the setting aside at least a part of these lands for school purposes.

Democrats Catching at Straws

An effort is being made by democratic low spores to lay great stress upon the single fact brought out by the bouse commit-test investigating the pension office in the testimous taken yesterday. It was shown that Commissioner Raum, during the cam-paign of 1530, honored the pension claim calls of Mr. Durbar, the recording calls of Mr. Dunbar, the republican candi-date against Mr. Cooper, the same as these of the democratic congressmen. The effort

democratic and republican congressmen nlike by THE BEE correspondent today confirmed the fact, well known in congressional circles, that it is an old custom for the commissioner to recognize the calls for candidates for congress within his own party and also for at least one term for the retiring members of congress, whether he be in the majority or minority party. Commissioner Biack, without a single ex-

ception, honored the pension slips of demo cratic congressional nominees during Presi dent Cleveland's tenure, and the practice was dent Cleveland's tenure, and the practice was so old that not a single republican thought of making complaint. Furthermore, it is the custom for heads of departments to consult the retiring members of congress within their own party as to appointments when their successors are of the opposite political complexion. A majority of the fourth class postmasters appointed during the past two years in districts représented by rapublicans ears in districts represented by rapublicans were appointed upon the recommendation of the ex-congressman, and in the coming co test the republican nominees for cougress will be recognized properly and according to custom in appointments and in pension busi-ness. In so doing the heads of the departments and the commissioner of pensions fol low a time-worn custom.

Washington and the Encampment

Senator Paddock's position on the subject of appropriating \$100,000 for the entertain ment of visitors to the Grand Army of the Republic encampment here next fall was endorsed today by the Washington Post, which declares the appropriation should be made from the treasury of the District of Columbia and not from the public treasury It contends, as did the senator, that it is a local matter, and that the city should pay whatever may be contributed toward the comfort of the veterans. Senator Paddock was totally unaware of the feeling of his constituents upon this subject when he took the position he occupies, and naturally he feels much elated to find that it is fully endorsed by his constituents. The senator has procured a full copy of the promises made by the committee representing this city when it sought the encampment in a contest with Lincoln and it discloses the fact that the ommittee promised to raise \$75,000 and as nuch more as was necessary in order to en tertain its guests. The senator believes, as a matter of justice to Luccoln, that Washing ton should be compelied to do what Lincol would have uone had the encampment go to Neoraska. . In this matter the senator appears to have fully anticipated the wishes of his constituents. It is probable that the house will amend the senate's proposition and take the appropriation out of the treas ury of the District of Columbia. May Defeat the Anti-Option Bill.

There is some fear that the Hatch-Wash burn anti-option bill will drag in the house Mr. C. Wood Davis of Kansas, who is look ing after the interests of the bill, says it may be crowded out on account of the prospective early adjournment and effort of the repre-sentatives from board of trade cilles who

are anxious to prevent the bill coming up although it will pass if considered. "We have obtained the views of 154 reprisentatives on the bill thus far," said Mr Davis. "We found 132 for it, fifteen doubt ful and seven against it, none of the me bers representing the thirty-six board of trade cities of the country are included i this canvass of the house, We count thes representatives against the bill. The in funnee of thirty six neared of the test. livence of thirty-six board of trade citle which have at least one representative each, and in not a few cases four to six, is a great factor against the bill."

Miscellaneons

Postmasters appointed today: Nebraska-Barwyn, Custer county, J. E. Nickerson vice J. O. Taylor, resigned; Elkhorn, Doug las county, L. Richardson, vice J. W. Good hard, remeveut; Ira, Boons county, H. F. Orendorff, vice D. P. Roynolds, resigned, Iowa-Courtoy, Iowa county, S. L. Fister, vice C. M. Engelbert, resigned; L. A. Cona, Warren county, D. B. Graham, vice J. M ochraa, resigned.

Coordina, resigned. In the preemption final proof contest of Nelson Smith against George W. Chapin from Watertowa, S. D., Assistant Secretary Chandler today decided that the entry of Smith should be cancelled and that the final

visability of the establishment of a new postoffice in Lancaster county to be named Normal. Rev. S. D. Roberts of Beatrice is yet in

the city industriously working to secure orators and other attactions for the Chau tauqua. Mrs. J. E. Booge of Iowa 1s at the Coch-

ran. Senator Manderson has recommended the appointment of George W. Beard as post-master at Kimball, Neb., vice Poiley, re-

signed. Dr. Walter has resigned his position as i member of the pension board at Chadron. Dr. Orchard is mentioned as Dr. Walter's

SUCCOSSOT. Senator Manderson has recommended to Cnevalier Schmit von Saver, the minister plenipotentiary to the United States for Austrin-Hungary, the appointment of John Rosicky as Bohemian consul at Omaha. There have been many requests made of late for the establishment of a Bohemian consulate at Omana, and it is believed that it will now be established with Rossicky in charge.

P. S. H.

Western Peasions. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16 -- Special Felegram to THE BEE. |-The following list of pensions granted is reported by THE BEE and Examiner Bureau of Claims:

Nebraska: Original-Henry H. Johnson, Nebraska: Original-Henry H. Johnson, John O. Griggs, Alfred G. Kendall, White Wolf, Walter W. Woodard, Thomas Crab-tree, Harry E. W. Doremus. Increase-David C. Lord, Levi Carkins. Original widows etc.-Susan McBride, Iowa: Original-Clement Thompson, Her-mam Aldhere, John C. Thompson, Henry O. Becos, Ett J. Hazerman, William P. Trues-dell William J. Miller, D. S. Martie Paul

dell, William J. Miller, D. S. Martin, Paul Northam, Joseph Colpert, Joseph Aldridge William L. Alexander, Henry W. Douglas. William J. Smalley, William H. Baker, Edward Jeffords, Albert R. McCloud, Frank-in Perkins, George K. Smith. Additional-Edwin F. Stevens, Isaac Allen, Manuel H. Davis, Increase-Henry Richardson, Ed-mond B. Chadwick, George W. Taylor, Jacob Harsh, Timothy Hunt, Original widows, ote.-Sarah E. Beatl, William Sturman, father.

South Dakota: Original-James O. Con B. Volney Howard, Additional -John Warner B. Volney Howard, Additional -John Warner nell. Increase-William T. Price, T. O. Jeffries.

PEACEFULLY SETTLED.

settlers on the Sisseton Reservation al Satisfied.

BROWNS VALLEY, Minn., April 16 .- The situation here today presents nothing to justify the slightest apprehension of trouble from claim squatters or any of the causes which usually makes mischief in similiar occurrences. The Sisseton reservation, so far as heard from, has been thrown open without the firing of a shot or a squatters row or anything of a serious character. There are broken wheels, smashed axles and a few brushes after the scramble for the town site Friday, but the accidents were taken good naturedly. Worse had been anticipated by every man on the ground, and they had no complaints to make of the comparatively slight inconveniences met with. A few min utes after 1 o'clock the leaders in the town site race arrived on the chosen ground. Half an hour afterward 200 men and a few women were on the spot. There ensued a discussion as to the exact locality of the section line. The

first care of the locators was to settle the women. Miss Burnett of Minnespolis, Miss Sharpe, Mrs. Osborne, Miss Derfart and other venturesome squatters of the fair sex were promptly installed on good land close to the town site. The site is on an elevation. Half an hour later a restaurant and grocery store were running full plast, while a dozen shantles were in course of construction. In spector Callahan of the quartermaster's department of the army, stationed at St. Paul,

he new town is a few miles nearer Wheaton than to Browns Valley. The distance west from that point is fifteen miles. The site is close to the intersection of three pro posed lines of railway, the Great Northern extension from Morris north, the Milwaukee from Wilmot, now in course of construction and the Duluth extension north from Water

All the cavalry and infantry under Colonel Bernard and Captain Williamson are lying quietly in camp. The troops will not move until instructions in writing are received rom the secretary of the interior. The mili tary orders were carried out with praise worthy precision, and not a drunken trooper has been seen in Browns Valley. The order for the withdrawal of the military is ex-

The crowd is increasing at the townsite, but all is quiet. Officials who have just re at this point is slightly increasing and there is liable to be trouble there, though not of

rious character. They have found strag-ers in every direction. In the last two hours they passed fifty people on their way back here discouragel, bedraggled and ex-hausted. A few are now arriving and have rot a word to say. They became lost on the prairie and thereby lost their claims. The The number will steadily increase. The Indiana have picked up quite a number and guided them back to this town. Soldiers have run across others and brought them here.

LIDGERWOOD, N. D., April 16.—There was bardly any trouble here in setting. In almost every instance the boomers got what they wanted and there are no two men on the same quarter. Plenty of fine farming land is yet to be had for several weeks to come, as the greatest rush was made from points east and south. While Lidgerwood had large crowds of land seekers the land tributary to this point was not cut up as much by Indian allotments as the land near Browns Valley, Wilmot and Watertown.

MINNEAPOLIS, MIND., April 16 -- Assistant General Superintendent Williams of the Milwaukee road came home this morning from the Sisseton reservation. He was there during the excitement yesterday and says the newspaper accounts have not been exaggerated.

"Our special train," said he, "reached the line about two minutes before 12 o'clock, and was stopped by the government agents, who placed ties across the track. Soon a puff of smoke was seen to rise, followed by a faint report. It was the signal gun from one of the pickets above. The picket below fired upon hearing the report, and so the signal passed on down the line. As soon as the sentries nearest fired the ties were taken away and we proceeded to the terminus of the line, six miles within the reservation. There were four coach loads of us, but most all were sight seers, and not interested in se-curing lands. Following each gun the crowd that pressed to the reservation line broke away on borseback in a free-for-all dash for

"Our line in the reservation runs twelve bern north from Wilmot. It was built some years ago when it was thought the ter-ritory would be thrown open to settlers and not operated, because, the opening having been postconed, it could not be made profita-blo. We have now a station and an operator blo. We have now a station and an operator at the end of the line, but it is not likely a town will be laid there, since the adjoining lands bave been taken by the Indians. As to town sites I know nothing. Our road is not town sites I know nothing. Our road is not interested in any of them and will not be. The Milwaukee road has a right of way through the Sisseton reservation, bought a number of years ago from the Indians. It runs northwest through the reservation from our entering point near Wilmot. Whether the line will be extended across the reserva-tion, or when it will be, is a question I can-not answer. You may depend upon it, the line will not be extended until it can be made profitable. That means that we have no im-mediate intention of extending it." mediate intention of extending it."

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and lamentations since the train left.