

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA. COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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and is the one interested in the new cyanide plant. There is a great quantity of low grade ore in the adjoining camps.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Black Hills Water and Mining company, held at Custer, the following officers were elected: President, Louis Hehman; vice president, William Nevin; secretary and treasurer, H. M. Healy; recording secretary, P. X. Lang; directors, William Nevin, Louis Hehman, O. L. Metcalf, H. M. Healy and P. X. Lang.

Aides to the Commander. PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 14.—(Special)—General E. P. Foss, department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic for South Dakota, has announced the appointment of the following as aides-de-camp on the staff of the commander-in-chief: A. R. Anderson, Hot Springs; Charles H. Sheldon, Anderson; D. T. Hindman, Britton. The following are also appointed aides-de-camp on the staff of the department commander: John C. Stoner, Highmore; S. P. Howell, Leola; C. H. Ager, Oaika; Joseph Elson, Northville; V. W. Norton, Brookings; David Stewart, Arlington; E. P. Cause, Smet; E. E. Needham, Lake Preston; Ed Wheeler, Iroquois; P. A. Mansou, Huron; E. T. Sibleton, St. Lawrence; Nye Phillips, Sioux Falls; William Abbott, Tyndall.

Severe Storm in South Dakota. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram)—The worst hailstorm for several years passed over this section this evening, doing considerable damage to windows, gardens, etc. In this city many panes of glass in western ends and sides of buildings were broken. Hailstones were unusually large. No reports of damage done in the surrounding country have yet been received.

South Dakota News Notes. Sioux Falls is infested with rats and cats. Governor Lee has issued his annual labor day proclamation. Sioux Falls is to build an auditorium to seat 3,000 persons. Work on the Rapid City Indian school is now practically completed. Isaac Crow has sold his Bald Mountain News to John Skinner of Terry. An Illinois banker last week invested \$22,000 in farm land near Sioux Falls. A patriotic concert for the benefit of the Red Cross in Rapid City was a great success.

A party of surveyors for the United States Geological survey reached Spearfish last evening. Emma A. Cranmer has dates for a dozen speeches in favor of votes for women in Yankton county. The natural gas at Pierre will soon be turned into pipes, where it can be used for heating purposes. Yankton republicans instructed their delegation to the state convention to vote for Gamble for congress. The new Spearfish creamery has been in operation months and now receives about 2,500 pounds of milk a day. The safe in the office of the Northwestern railway at Henry was broken into by burglars, but nothing was stolen. Joe Hooker, past Grand Army of the Republic of Sioux Falls, wants the next national encampment held in that town. The sheriff of Day county has offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of "a certain murderer named Shorty."

The frat car of new wheat shipped from Mitchell graded high and came from land that averaged fourteen and a half bushels to the acre. The boy who tried to wreck a Burlington train last week in the Black Hills by placing a tie across the track and fastening it has been caught. He is about 15 years old. There is great rejoicing at Sisseton because N. M. Johnson has been transferred to an Arizona Indian agency and H. L. Spockman appointed in his stead at the Sisseton agency. Prof. Hansen of the South Dakota Agricultural college has decided to remain, although he has been informed that he could secure the position of professor of horticulture in the Iowa Agricultural college. Referees in bankruptcy have been named in South Dakota as follows: Edwin Perlin, Mitchell; Charles H. Harris, Aberdeen; John F. Hughes, Pierre; Robert J. Ogden, Deadwood.

Choctaws May Cause Trouble. SOUTH MALESTER, I. T., Aug. 14.—There promises to be serious trouble in the Choctaw Nation over a proclamation just issued by Governor McCurtin disfranchising 700 freedmen at the coming election on August 24. On that date the question of the ratification or rejection of the agreement made and entered into with Aloka on April 25, 1887, by the commissioners on the part of the Choctaws and Chickasaws and the United States is to be decided. "The real question is whether the provisions made in the agreement are to be done with the annulment of money and public domain of the two nations." The freedmen have always voted at every election, and it is said that, aided by members of the union party, they will force the judges to accept their votes. The feeling is intense and it is believed that a detachment of soldiers will be required to prevent an uprising.

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BIG BILL FOR BLANK BOOKS

Difference Between Officials as to the Value of the Work.

STATE PRINTING OFFICE WANTS BIG SUM

Calls for One Thousand Dollars for Press Work and Two Books of Two Hundred Pages Each.

DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram)—The state printing office has filed a bill for \$1,000 for press work on two books of 200 pages each, finished by the office of the treasurer of state. There are twenty-three words and fifty different figures on each page of one book and twenty-four words and fifty different figures on each page of the other. The books are check registers, made necessary by the establishment of the state board of control. They are merely big blank books whose pages are slightly larger than those of the ordinary ledger or journal of a business establishment. The pages are ruled very simply. In each book the lines are numbered, fifty numbers in the page, and running on the 200 pages from 1 to 19,999.

Secretary of State Dobson refused to pay the bill and was joined in this by State Treasurer Herriott. The state law provides for the payment of printing blanks at \$2.50 for each impression. As there are 400 pages in the two books, this makes \$1,000. Since each page in the books has one column of numbers which are in rotation from the first page to the last, State Printer Conway contends that under the law each page is a different impression and that he should receive \$2.50. The state officers say that the law cannot be construed in that way. The bill was withdrawn.

MINING IN THE BLACK HILLS

News of Interest from the Rich Mineral Districts of South Dakota.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Aug. 14.—(Special)—On the first of the month, F. Faust & Son of Central City commenced treating free-milling ore from the Esmeralda mine in Blacktail gulch in their new mill. This mining property is among the oldest in the Hills, having been worked on an extensive scale for several years by the late owners. The company failed to get dividends even on \$20 ore for the reasons that the process of treating the ore was not well understood and the company allowed too large salaries for the officers. The sixty-foot shaft, which was sunk in 1887, and erected at the Uncle Sam mine, in Pennington county, where it stands today. The Esmeralda property came into the hands of Faust & Son about four years ago. The main body of ore is 250 feet wide, and extends for a mile and a half. It is forty feet thick and has a value of from \$2 to \$20 a ton in gold. The new mill is equipped with a Huntington pulverizer, a machine quite new in the Hills. It does better work on the cement ore of the mine than a stamp mill would. The capacity of the mill is about twenty-four tons a day. The ore from this mine is mined and milled surprisingly low, being estimated to be only 90 cents a ton. The lowest grade of ore can be treated at a good profit. It is estimated that there are 150,000 tons of workable ore in sight.

The Wing Tze Chinese syndicate of Deadwood has some property at the entrance of Sheeptail gulch. Three shafts have been sunk to quartzite, but the grade of ore is too low to ship. The working shaft at present is just through the quartzite and is farther east than the other shafts. Should it appear that there is no shipping ore in the Sheepshead side of the property a shaft will be put down in Blacktail gulch, where it is known almost for a certainty that a good ore body exists.

The American Express group of claims, owned by W. S. Elder and R. S. Jamison of Deadwood is one of the heavy producers of the Northern Hills. The property was purchased from R. M. Maloney and work commenced on an old tunnel on February 15. A crosscut was run from the old tunnel through three distinct chutes of ore, which carry values of about \$16 a ton, gold, low grade to ship at a profit. A header was run north 300 feet, on quartzite, then a crosscut started west again, which is now 100 feet deep. The ore in this shaft was encountered in the first crosscut appear in crosscut No. 2, much larger and closer together, and have increased to \$26 a ton in value. There are three more claims extending north in the group and it is expected that the three chutes of ore will come together into one shaft. The value of the ore will increase. Crosscut No. 2 is to be extended 1,100 feet to connect with a shaft sunk by R. M. Maloney. Fifteen tons of ore are being shipped every twenty-four hours. The owners of the property are considering the proposition of erecting some sort of a plant to treat the great quantity of low grade ore at the mine.

The labor strike is still on at the Boley mines in Blacktail gulch. Some development work is being done by contract. The property is owned by D. C. Boley, who extends 6,000 feet on the ore course and is several claims wide. The greatest amount of development work has been done on the Maggie fraction, which has 2,000 feet of workings. The main body of ore is forty-three feet wide, ten to twelve feet thick and carries an average value of \$25 a ton. Water is very bothersome in all of the workings. A tunnel has been run 585 feet on the Blain fraction, which passes through a number of chutes of ore of considerable value. There is some prospect that the district being worked by the labor union and Mr. Boley will be settled soon. If not settled the work will be let out on contract.

Meredith Jones has struck two fine shoots of ore on a lease on the Rossett property across the gulch from the Boley mines. Both shoots are very close to the surface of the ground and assays give a value of \$37 a ton gold. A. C. and D. H. McDonald of Garden City have a lease on the same claim higher up on the mountain.

The King property, in Strawberry gulch, which joins the Gilt Edge mine on the east, an striking wonderfully rich bodies of ore. In one shaft, at a depth of thirty-two feet, a body of rich tale ore was struck which has been penetrated eighteen feet. It resembles soft white mica and it will carry a value of \$80 a ton. It would seem that the entire mountain is one solid body of rich ore.

Sinking has again been resumed in the Fritz Webber mine in the Golden Crest shaft, in Two Big. The mine struck sandstone and has been working for some time at the 220-foot level, with good results. Edwin Henderson, one of the principal owners of the property, has arrived from Detroit. Good progress is being made upon the Detroit and Deadwood shaft, in Two Big. The mine struck sandstone this week, which is said to be identical with that overlying the ore bodies in the Bald Mountain district.

The first shipment of machinery has arrived at Spearfish for the cyanide plant, which is being removed from an old chlorination plant, at Garden City. Curtis Alexander, formerly connected with the Kansas City Smelting company, has purchased considerable mining ground in this district.

routes by laying track in the night to get possession of the Burlington grade south of Albia. The Central wished to secure the right of way to a coal field on the route. What will be the outcome remains to be seen. That the Wabash will build between here and Albia goes without saying. The route available one from St. Louis to Des Moines, shortening as it does the distance by at least twenty miles, besides lessening the cost of keeping it in repair.

Murder Ends an Iowa Feud. SIOURNEY, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special)—Jacob Gier shot and killed Matt Mohrain at Talleysrad in this county last night. Trouble had existed between the two men for years and the shooting was an outgrowth of this feud for what purpose is not known. Gier ordered him away and followed him down the walk, striking him with his fist. At the gate Mohrain turned back and struck Gier with a lantern in self-defense. Gier then opened fire, shooting five times. Two bullets took effect, the first going through his neck and the second entering at the rear of the skull and lodging in the brain. He died in a few minutes.

Iowa's Reduced Assessment. DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special)—A reduction of \$9,900,000 in the total assessment for Iowa is shown by figures compiled in the office of the auditor of state from assessment returns of the whole state. The reduction in personal assessment is \$7,500,000, the total being \$8,084,000. The real assessments were reduced \$2,500,000 and the assessment on railroads increased \$12,000. The personal assessment was made on the basis of 25 per cent instead of 33-1/3. The total assessment is \$344,100,000.

School Will Be Continued. DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special)—Dr. H. L. Stetson has been elected chairman of the faculty of the Des Moines college, the Baptist auxiliary to the Chicago university, which is now closed. The school will be continued and the other Baptist colleges of the state consolidated with it, only the Central university of Pella being maintained as a preparation school and academy. It was thought the school would have to be closed for financial reasons.

Street Cars at Spirit Lake. SPIRIT LAKE, Aug. 14.—(Special)—Spirit Lake is to have a street car line. The proposed line will have Milford as its terminus and will run through Arnold's park and Spirit Lake to Hotel Orleans. The citizens of Milford and Spirit Lake have promised a franchise to the Peoria Street Car company of Peoria, Ill., and their manager, F. W. Ryan, is here ready to begin operations as soon as the city councils of both towns vote on the franchise.

Sandy Brown Stabbed. HAMBURG, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special)—Dick Brown, commonly called "Sandy," son of P. P. Brown, an old citizen of Hamburg, was severely stabbed in the abdomen and chest last night by a man traveling through in a mover's wagon. His condition at this writing is very serious and he is so weak he cannot recover. No arrests have been made.

Apple Crop Will Be Short. DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special)—Reports received by the Iowa Fruit Growers' association indicate the yield of apples this year will be only 10 per cent of a crop and that these will be so wormy that they will not be marketable. Iowa will have to depend on Michigan and Missouri for its supply.

Iowa Press Comment. Keokuk Gate City: Iowa corn, the yield of which will be less than usual this year, is now taking its turn at coming into harmony with the existing gold standard.

Des Moines Register: State Labor Commissioner O'Brien, just home from a trip throughout the state, says that about 10 per cent more labor being employed than there was a year ago. Republicanism is accomplishing its good work in the face of war times, and the report for next year will be even better.

Des Moines Register: The total assessed moneys and credits increased nearly one-sixth under Iowa's new law. The total should have been doubled hereafter if the taxpayers are assured that the law will not be changed back to the old dishonest conditions.

Fairfield Ledger: There are 200 nurseries in the state of Iowa and more than half of them have been inspected in a search that is being made under a present law. It is the last general assembly for the San Jose scale. It is gratifying to know that not an indication of this disease has been found in the trees of the state.

Missouri Valley Republican: Western Iowa has one thing to be thankful for and that is that James B. Weaver in making another try for congress, says that the hearing of the Ninth district. Of course James wouldn't do any special harm if he was back on the Ninth district track where he tried for a republic in 1880. He knows his sweet tactics and prefer that he suffer himself on the voters of the Sixth for a change.

Charlat City Citizen: From this time on the editor of the Citizen will advocate the principles of and affiliate with the republican party, therefore the Citizen while under the editorial control of the present owners will be a republican paper, working for and advocating republicanism with whatever ability we may possess. This republicanism has come about without the "aid or consent" of any other persons, and wholly because the party calling itself democratic has wandered away from the old principles and is advocating the principles of a despotic and autocratic both to true democratic and republican principles.

Iowa Newspaper Notes. C. A. Craig has sold the Geneva News to J. A. Cline of Goodell.

Charles Hellen of the Webster City Tribune is scheduled to be postmaster of that city.

The Pontanella Sentinel has been purchased by Dr. R. W. Anderson, J. G. Powers retained the editorial control of the paper. The editor of the Iowa Prison Press are said not to accept railroad transportation in exchange for advertising space. They could not use it.

A. L. Clark, a former Iowa newspaper man, has recently sold his newspaper at Ballinger, Tex., and has purchased the Prairie City News-Kodak.

J. E. Clary of Des Moines, formerly editor of the Mail and Times and several other Iowa newspapers, has been elected Berkshire Courier of Great Barrington, Mass.

Stephen A. Callvert, for many years judge of the circuit court in the Des Moines district, is now editor of a newspaper at New Whatcom, Wash., but is said to desire to come back to Iowa.

Sam G. Sloane, editor of the Charles City Citizen, returned to his home in that city a few days ago after a long confinement with illness and immediately changed the politics of his paper from democratic to republican.

New Pike's Peak Observatory. COLORADO SPRINGS, Aug. 14.—(Special)—The company which owns and operates the cog road on Pike's Peak has performed arrangements for and next week begin the erection of a large observatory at the summit of the mountain; four magnificent telescopes will be mounted in a building designed for the purpose and which is to take the place of what is now known as "Baldy house," or the old government signal station. By means of the new observatory eight miles may be plainly seen, one of them 100 miles distant.

LESSON OF A FISH STORY

One of Christ's Examples that Teaches Us Patience and Reverence.

HAUL MADE BY THE DISCOURAGED TRIO

Experience of Peter, James and John May Be Realized by Many Now—Aids if They Only Trust God and Obey Him.

The pulpit of St. John's English Lutheran church was filled yesterday morning by Rev. L. A. Kuhn of Middlebury, Ind., who is here on a visit. He took as the text for his sermon Luke v, 4: "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a draught." The theme of his discourse was to have courage. He said in part: "Many of you have heard fish stories, but the one recorded in the scriptures appeals to us today. A party of fishermen, consisting of Peter, James, John and others, had toiled all night on the sea of Galilee and caught nothing. Discouraged they left their boats and were washing their nets when they were met on the shore by the Savior. He commenced to preach to them, but they complained of the fruitless toil. He answered them in the words of the text I have read. They obeyed Him, and what was the result? They caught many fish. Now, my friends, look at the contrast between yourselves and the fishermen. Be not discouraged.

"The life of Christ is full of such contrasts. It made no difference to Him whether He preached from a boat, a mountain side, a well curb or a synagogue. Everybody expected Him to preach on weekdays as well as on Sunday. Of the many accusations made against church-going people, and many are wrongly made, none are so severe and bitter as those against persons who manifest a great spirit of prayer and piety on the Sabbath and a spirit of worldliness on Monday. Just in proportion as a man is regarded in one way in the church and another in his business and social relations. Just in the same ratio is his religion valueless and he is a hindrance in the progress of Christianity. What is needed for the good of Christianity is that men should be just as conscientious at one time as another.

"The command which Christ gave Peter was after a night of unsuccessful fishing. Peter might have said it is unreasonable and demurred, but he did not; he obeyed and he was rewarded. So come God's commands in the past, and so many of them come to us now. The commands are given and are to be obeyed, and God assumes the responsibility. Our duty then is to know what God commands of us and then obey cheerfully and not to argue in advance whether it seemed reasonable or not. Nearly everything commanded in the bible contravenes the reason or judgment of some one."

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Hot Fire at the Ogden. The fire department was called out to the Ogden hotel shortly after 9 o'clock yesterday morning, where a blaze had started in a store room on the second floor. By the time the fire was discovered the flames had made considerable headway and for a time it looked as if they would get beyond control. The fire reached to the third floor and the sleeping rooms of the hotel being at the rear of the building were more or less badly scorched before the fire was got in hand. The damage, it was estimated, would amount to about \$500, which is amply covered by insurance. How or when the fire started is not known. The room in which the flames were first noticed is used solely to store stoves and other furniture not needed and as far as is known no one had been in there for several days.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand bicycle at bargain. Call at The Bee office, Council Bluffs.

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