COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Hamilton's shoe store, 412 Broad #17. Davis sells glass. Stockert Carpet Co., 205-207 Bwy. Moore's food kills worms and fattens. Abs Lincoln Relief will hold its regular

meeting this afternoon.

C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and opticians, 27 South Main street. Freddle, the young son of H. J. Chambers, is seriously ill with appendicitis. W. F. Chester, deputy clerk of the district court at Avoca, was in the city yesterday.

St. Albans lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pyth-as, will install the newly-elected officers next Monday night. Unity guild will hold its regular meet ing this afternoon in the Sunday school room of Grace Episcopal church.

J. C. Bixby, heating and sanitary engineer, Plans and specifications for heating, plumb-ing and lighting. 202 Main, Council Bluffs A marriage license was Issued vesterday to R. V. Heinzerling, aged 25, and Clara Mabel Wycoff, aged 18, both of Blair, Neb. Howard W. Tilton, editor of the Nonpaeil, is on the sick list and is contemplating sojours at Colfax for the benefit of his bealth.

Bert Haney, sentenced to three years in the penitentiary for burglarizing the Mur-phy planing mill, has filed notice of appeal to the supreme court.

They had not met for years. "You have chenged," she murmured. "Yes," said Algernon, "I now send all my work to the Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. Fidelity council, No. 156, Royal Arcanum, will hold its regular meeting this evening, at which the newly-elected officers will be installed and refreshments served.

The Westinghouse company took out \$600 building permit yesterday for the erection of a temporary warehouse, to be located just south of the Bloomer Fence works. Abe Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic, and Women's Relief corps, No. 180, will hold a joint installation of officers

this evening at their hall on Pearl street. Rev. G. P. Frv. pastor of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, is recovering from his recent attack of the grip and expects to be ble to fill his pulpilt at both services next Sunday.

Council Bluffs lodge, No. 270, Ancient Order of United Workmen, will meet in regular session this evening and a cordial in-vitation to all visiting brethren to attend is extended. The cases of Marie and Charles Akers,

1508 South Eighth street, suffering from measles, and Frank Burgen, 1605 South Tenth street, were reported to the Board of Health vesterday. Council camp, No. 14, Woodmen of the

World, will install its officers for the en-suing year this evening. There will also be work in the exemplified degree, to be followed by a banquet.

County Attorney W. H. Kilpack has resigned as mayor of Neola, as the duties of his new office will necessarily keep him away from home much of the time. had fifteen mouths yet to serve. The had fifteen mouths yet to serve. The city council of Neola will meet tonight to fill

The dockets and records and all suits no disposed of will be transferred from the justice court formerly presided over by Ambrose Burke to that of Justice Ferrier. Under the old law there were three justices of the peace for Kane township, but the new code cut this down to two. To which of these two justices the dockets of the retiring justice should be transferred was decided last night by County Auditor Innes drawing lots and Justice Ferrier proved the

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250. Pive

Per cent off on water bills until January 10. Court Notes.

In the superior court yesterday afternoon, as both sides waived a jury, the suit of John L. Templeton against C. B. Jacquemin was tried by the court and the jury was excused for the balance of the term. The suit dates back to the time when Templeton was city marshal of Council Bluffs. In his capacity as city marshal he levied on the fixtures and a stock of clears in the Orden hotel building in a suit brought by Max Meyer of Omaha. Meyer gave an indemnifying bond, with Jacquemin as surety. The suit went against Meyer and the owner of the goods seized sued Templeton for damages and recovered judgment. Templeton then brought suit against the surety on the bond to reimburse himself. The court took his decision under advisement.

Judge Macy of the district court handed down his decision yesterday in the case of George H. Mayne against the City of Council Bluffs, giving the plaintiff judgment for \$147.68. In this suit Mayne sought to recover city taxes on property within the city limits which had been adjudged agricultural land and therefore exempt from such

The case of the Omaha Packing Company against M. H. Hegarty, which has been on the docket for each succeeding term of court for two years past, was dismissed yesterday at defendant's cost. Judge Smith overruled the motion to re-

tax attorney fees in the case of Lilian Boardman against Amy Douglas et al.

Airing a Family Jar.

W. C. Jenkins, living on Mynster street, will have a hearing before Justice Ferrier tomorrow on the charge of assaulting his wife. Jenkins and his spouse had trouble Wednesday afternoon over the possession of their household furniture and during the six months ending January 1. dispute Mrs. Jenkins alleges that Jenkins so far forgot himself as to strike her. While was preparing to haul the furniture away terrupted the proceedings. He in turn hastened to the court of Justice Vien and replevined the furniture.

Real Estate Transfers. following transfers were filed yester

day in the abstract, title and loan office of

J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:
Thomas E. Price and wife to Fort
Dodge & Omaha Rallroad company,
strip 200 feet wide across nels nels
21 and nwls nwls 22-76-44. d...

Same to same, strip 100 feet wide across
sels nels 21 and swls nwls 22-76-44. d...

E. George to James B. Meikle, undiv be of lot & block 12. Potter &
Cobb's add, a c. d. 257

div 14 of lot 8 block 14.

Cobb's add, q c d.

Lula E, Daty and husband to Fort
Dodge & Omaha Raiirou 1 company,
lot 4 block 14 Beers add, w d.

Western lowa Building association to

Vestern lowa Building association to Fort Dodge Railroad commany, wi2 of lot 3, block 2, Beers' add, w d.... ay Warren Joseph et al to A. Joseph lot 9, block 1, Williams' subdiv of

2,407

lot 9. block 1. Williams substantial lot, q c d.

Sheriff to Passumpsic Savings bank, lot 3 in subdiv of out lot "E." John Johnson's add s d.

Sheriff to Thomas Officer and William H. M. Pusey, swig 17-76-43, except 21

. 2,488 A fresh Jersey cow for sale, cheap, by C.

W. Foster, 232 Avenue G.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O!

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has tast rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. It the price of coffee. 15c and 25 c per package.

MORE SCHOOL ROOM NEEDED

Problem that the Board of Education Finds Difficulty in Solving.

CONTEMPLATED CHANGE IS A MAKESHIFT

Necessity of a New High School Building Becoming More Apparent-School Attendance Constantly on the Increase.

The decision reached at the meeting of the Board of Education Wednesday night to open a room in the Washington Avenue school building to accommodate the class of fifty-three pupils that will pass up into the High school next month is but a temporary expedient and the same old question of a High school building, adequate to accommodate the ever-increasing number of pupils, will still confront the hoard

The situation at the opening of the new school year next September in this respect will be such that the members of the board are without exception in favor of taking some action that will settle the matter, at least for several years to come.

Some of the school directors are of the opinion that the opening of a room in the Washington Avenue building to accommodate the class that will be promoted in February will finally result in this building being transformed into a high school and the present building on the hill, which for several years past has been inadequate to properly accommodate the pupils going through the High school course, will either be abandoned and sold or else turned into a grade school.

The present school board does not feel like building a new high school unless from \$50,. Office open Saturday and Tuesday evenings to \$60,000 could be expended in erecting a building after the most approved modern plans. This at present it is conceded to be out of the question, as the expenditure of such an amount would bring the indebtedness of the district too close to the constitutional limit.

The Washington Avenue building, many of the members of the board believe, to be the only present solution of the question. This building could be altered to meet all the requirements of a high school at comparatively small expense and a ward school with ten or twelve rooms could be erected at a cost not to exceed \$25,000 or \$30,000 that would amply accommodate the pupils now attending the Washington Avenue building. Bonds to this amount could be issued without bringing the district's indebtedness up to the limit allowed by law.

Not only is the present number of pupils in the High school greater than in 1897, but it is estimated that at the opening of the school year next September this number will be further increased by over 100 pupils that will be promoted from the Washington Avenue and Bloomer schools.

The first three months of the present school year show a steady increase in the number of pupils enrolled in the High school over the same period of the previous year. The enrollment for the first month of the previous school year was 358 and for the present year 380, an increase of twentytwo; for the second month it was 357, as against 389 for this year, an increase of thirty-two, and for the third month last Office open Saturday and Tuesday evenings. year's enrollment was 351, as against 386 same time of the last school year.

building. The plan at present under con- but as his body was not found it is suptemplation is to reorganize the work at the posed he left the wagon before the accident. High school so as to permit of the transfer of one of the teachers now employed there to take charge of this room at the Washington Avenue building, where the pupils will take the same course of studies as pursued in the High school.

The increase in the number of High school pupils by the promotion of this class of fifty-three will be offset next June, when some fifty members of the senior class will graduate. But at the same time there will be over 100 to take their places from the Bloomer and Washington Avenue schools. The class at present that will be promoted at the close of this school year in June number 116 and Superintendent Hayden states it is safe to estimate that at least 100 and possibly more will enter the school at the opening of the new year.

Five Per cent off on water bills until January 10. Office open Saturday and Tuesday evenings.

Snap Shots all go at 10 cents each at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee. SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

mounts Are Practically More Than Provided For by the State Law. The Board of County supervisors spent the greater part of Thursday checking up

County Treasurer Arnd's accounts for the Before starting on checking up the treas urer's accounts the board fixed the salaries Jenkins was under arrest and trying to get for the ensuing year of the county auditor a ball bend for his appearance Mrs. Jenkins clerk of the district court and his deputies secured the services of a moving wagon and and the county attorney. The salary of County Auditor Innes was fixed at \$5,000, he

permitted to retain the fees of the office, which, as a rule, do not amount to much The salary of the clerk of the district court is fixed by law and F. L. Reed will draw the next twelve months \$2,200, as pro vided by statute. In addition to this he is permitted to retain \$300 from the fees in probate matters. The salaries of his deputies, G. G. Baird and W. C. Cheyne, were fixed at \$1,000 each. The salary of W. F.

Chester was fixed at \$900, the amount provided by law. The salary of County Attorney Kilpack was fixed at \$1,500, but the board failed to reach any decision as to the remuneration his assistant should receive. Last year Assistant County Attorney Spencer Smith received \$60 per month. Under the state collateral inheritance tax law, the county attorney receives compensation in all cases

The report of County Treasurer Arnd showed that during the last six months the collections were \$352,400.77 and warrants drawn and paid, \$296,943.21, leaving balance in the county treasury at the opening of

the new year of \$55,457.58. Davis' Change of Base.

Although he declines to discuss the matter himself the friends of School Treasurer Davis maintain that he was perfectly justified in withdrawing the funds of the school district from the Council Bluffs Savings bank and the bank of Officer & Pusey. The he has been traced to Hubbard and Lis position of treasurer of the school district carries no salary with it, but a big responsibility and considerable work. The two banks where it was arranged he should deposit the school moneys declined to allow egram.)-The young man killed by a Burhim any interest on the daily balances and | hington train yesterday has been identified the Citizens' bank, now the First National, as Marius Caristrum of Macomb, Ill.

it is said, offered him 3 per cent, therefore | SALE OF AN IOWA RAILROAD in the latter institution

PLANS TO CARE FOR THE POOR. Woman's Christian Association Gets Right After the Overseer.

Mrs. O. H. Lucas, president of the

Women's Christian association, and Mrs.

appeared before the Board of County Supervisors yesterday afternoon for the purpose of trying to get the board to make some definite arrangement as to the care of city emergency cases. A few years ago on the matter being brought to the attention of the Board of Supervisors the board agreed to pay for all city emergency cases cared for at the hospital. Since the appointment of T. C. Jackson as overseer of the poor the women in charge of the hospital have had case has been taken to the hospital they for it. Overseer Jackson, Mrs. Lucas complained, has insisted that the hospital had county physician. Under the system in vogue allow the bill.

The board listened to what Mrs. Lucas had to say, but gave no intimation as to Madison; Jesse A. Baldwin, Chicago. what action it would take. As numerous complaints have been made of late of the manner in which Overseer Jackson conducts his office it is expected that the board will ough overhauling before it adjourns this session.

Five Per cent off on water bills until January 10.

Sanitary Relief Commission. The Council Bluffs Woman's Sanitary Re for the ensuing year. Mrs. A. B. Moore was chosen president to succeed Mrs. L. tary, Miss Beatrice Tinley, declined re-election, as she leaves Sunday evening for New | Hanson, vice president; powered to select her own vice president. The report of the retiring president, Mrs. Kirkland, reviewed the history of the commission and the object of its organization, giving in detail the work that had been accomplished in providing for the soldier boys that had gone to the front from this city. The report of the treasurer showed that the receipts to date had been \$368.05 and the expenditures \$365.50, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$2.55.

Bluff City laundry, 'phone 314. "Finest work in the state.'

Remember the exposition by getting some copies of Snap Shots at the Council Bluffs office of The Bee. Ten cents each.

Davis sells drugs. WILL DRIVES INTO AN AIRHOLE.

Driver with His Team and Wagon Go to Rottom of Missouri. gram.)-William Will, aged 65 years, was drowned in the Missouri near thirty-five. The present average daily at- found today. He was going across the river drove into an aichole. The conveyance On February 3 a class of fifty-three pupils went to the bottom at once. Wednesday -thirty-six from the Bloomer and seven- night a searching party went out to find teen from the Washington Avenue school- him and after working until today they will be promoted to the High school and it found tracks leading to the airhole, where of goods taken. All of the stolen property is to accommodate them that the board has the man, horses and wagon could be seen. decided to open a room in the latter named Another man had been driving with Will,

> Will leaves a wife and two children. BRAKEMAN FALLS ON THE TRACK. Northwestern Employe Instantly

Killed by a Misstep. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 5.—(Special.) brakeman in the employ of the Chicago & the State Board of Control. Northwestern, was instantly killed at La pilot of the engine and in stepping off to tion of the cornerstone for the new state striking him on the back of the head, crushing the skull and breaking his neck. Fitzgerald resided at Clinton.

HANGS HIMSELF WHILE ON A VISIT.

Guest on Iowa Farm Surprises Relatives by Committing Suicide. BEDFORD, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-Joseph Willard of Dillon, Mont., who has been visiting relatives here for some weeks, committed suicide by hanging himself today in the barn of Mr. McMaster, a farmer living about five miles from town. The cause is unknown, but is supposedly insanity. The deceased was 24 years of age and was a nephew of Joseph S. Willard a prominent citizen of this place.

Commutation Company Asks Time. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-Attorneys for the Credits Commutation company of Sioux City are in Duwhen Jenkins appeared on the scene and in- to pay out of this all clerk hire. He is also the time for redeeming from J. Kennedy Tod & Co. of New York the Sloux City, O'Neill & Western railway. Under the mandate of the court the date for redemption expires January 7, but the Commutation company desires that its time be exnegotiating with the Milwaukee railway for in their propositions. For that reason more all sympathizing with the cause of peace. time is asked to see if an agreement cannot be reached.

> Increased Railway Earnings. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special.) Central railway for the month of December as shown by the statement of Auditor T. I. Wasson, were \$127,363.67, an increase of \$17. 202.49 over the month of December, 1897. The earnings were divided as follows:

Freight, \$105,860, an increase of \$15,416.25;

passenger, \$16,103.67, an increase of \$1,-

336.24; miscellaneous, \$5,400, an increase of

\$450. Demented Man Wanders Away. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special, -Mrs. C. O. Armstrong of Woodstock, Ill. has been in this vicinity for the last weel in search of her husband who disappeared from his home several weeks ago and who it is supposed, is dimented. She is confident he is somewhere in this vicinity, as

comb. Dend Body Identified. BURLINGTON, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special Tel-

us with special force."

Commissary of Subsistence Osgood

Testifies Before War Inquiry

Board as to Meat Supply.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Colonel Henry B.

Osgood, commissary of subsistence, who

served with General Miles at Tampa and

at Camp Thomas and Santiago, was before

the War Investigating commission today

General Beaver asked many questions as to

the quality of the rations issued during the

good, if not better, than those usually is-

The beef, he said, was particularly good,

better than any he had ever eaten at an

army post. It was the first time, he ex-

plained, that he had ever seen the refrig-

He said he had under him a butcher of

twenty-two years' experience who cut out

strict orders never to issue a pound of bad

they kept a supply of beef on hand in re-

the troops and if meat was bad when deliv-

there were many complaints as to the ap-

pearance of the meat. It had the green

mould or "beard" on the surface, as had

was repulsive looking, the witness said, but

the meat underneath was perfect, sound and

than any beef killed on the spot. Witness

corroborated the testimony of Major Duncan

Harrison that after the men who disliked

had a short experience with meat on the

Colonel Osgood cited one instance where

States volunteers had condemned a lot of

beef and reported it rotten. The contractor

protested to Colonel Osgood that the refrig-

erator beef was good and brought a steak

cut from one of the condemned quarters.

The steak was kept twenty-four hours longer

off the ice and then served to the members

of the board that had condemned it. They

did not know the antecedents of the meat

General Beaver said: "Colonel Osgood, it

"Yes, I can tell you a good deal about

missary, showed me four quarters of beef

hanging in the sun which he said was

process beef.' It was prepared at the re-

quest of an inventor named Powell, who

claimed that he had discovered a chemical

preparation that would keep meat in a hot

limate without ice. I looked at it and it

planation of the "process" beef experiment,

ernment. It was considered by the com-

Commissary department and the War de-

partment declined to accept the scheme.

The commissary general's office today re-

he refrigeration of the refrigerator beef for

he army in Cuba. The letter is substan-

tially the same as those received from othe

firms and previously published. It denies

in detail that any chemicals were used in

preparing the refrigerator beef, or the tinned

roast beefs. It denies that any soups are

made from the meat before being canned

and accerts that nothing but sound, whole-

Bounty on American Products.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Senator Hans-

rough today gave notice of an amendment

ne will propose to Senator Hanna's bill for

subsidy to American vessels engaged in

foreign trade. Senator Hansbrough's amend-

ment provides for an export bounty of \$2

per ton on all American products shipped

out of the country. He says the exporta-

tion of farm articles ranges from \$6,000,000

For Free Seed Wheat.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Senator Hans-

brough of North Dakota today introduced

a bill providing for the free importation of

SALE OF LARGE MINING PROPERTY.

One Hundred Acres of Rich Mining

Land Are Disposed Of.

to the ton, free milling, has also been en-

owners to begin operations to fully develop

the property and shipments are expected

This sale is the most important mining

GARRINGTON TRIED FOR MURDER.

Prosecution Opens Case and Offers

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 5 .- (Special

Preliminary Evidence.

Telegram.)-The prosecution in the Gar-

rington murder case this morning began of-

fering its testimony. The first witness for

the state was Mrs. Jordan, cunt of Erickson,

the murdered man. Her testimony was cor-

Ex-Policeman Bessler, who was the first

to enter Garrington's house on the night of

the murder and who discovered the body,

the last witness put on the stand this after-

noon. His cross-examination had not been

roborated in large part by her husband.

transfer ever made in the Black Hills.

made to smelter within ninety days.

countered. It is the determination of the new

to \$7,000,000 annually.

seed wheat.

to do with it."

and pronounced it particularly fine.

ican meat.

sued to the regular army.

generally had at various posts.

Extension and Improvements Planned by the New Management.

Ryerson, matron of the association hospital, WOMEN BOYCOTT THE NORTHWESTERN

That Line in Disfavor for Alleged Discharge of Female Employes-Later Day Saints Condemn Seating Polygamist in Congress.

DES MOINES, Jan. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Chicago, Fort Madison & Des Moines railroad was sold yesterday at Fort more or less trouble and when an emergency Madison by Judge Babb, master in chancery, of the federal court. The road was bid in were never sure of getting paid for caring by a committee of bondholders headed by J. A. Baldwin for \$150,000. The indebtedand issued the beef and this man was under ness for which the road was sold amounted no right to take in any such case unless on to about \$1,500,000. A reorganization of the an order either signed by himself or the property was immediately perfected and articles of incorporation of the new company before Overseer Jackson changed it all filed with Secretary of State Dobson today emergency cases were admitted without by E. H. Skinner, one of the new directors question, the only condition imposed upon of the company. The new road will be the management of the hospital being that known as the Chicago, Fort Madison & Des it notify the overseer as soon as possible of Moines company, the general offices rethe case. During the last three months the maining at Fort Madison. The capital stock hospital had cared for four city emergency has been increased to \$852,000. The followcases, the patients in three instances being ing signed the articles of incorporation: injured in rallroad wrecks, but so far as Isaac T. Burr, Boston; E. S. Conway, Chithey were admitted without orders from cago; G. T. W. Braman, Boston; William H. Overseer Jackson the latter has refused to Atlee, Fort Madison; Ashmel Atlee, Fort Madison; G. D. Braman, Boston; E. H. Skinner, Fort Madison; E. F. Potter, Fort Mr. Skinner says that the road will in all

probability now be extended from Ottumwa. the present terminus, to Des Moines, which was the original intention of the builders give the whole matter of caring for and fur- of the line. Skinner also denied that the nishing relief to the poor and needy a thor- Santa Fe was in any way connected with the purchase of the road, but admitted that a close traffic arrangement existed between his road and the Santa Fe and that if the line was extended to Des Moines it would give the Santa Fe an outlet into this city. The road itself will now be put on a sound footing, the line greatly improved and unundoubtedly will play a prominent part in lief commission held its first annual meet- the state railway affairs. The extension into ing yesterday afternoon and elected officers Des Moines will probably be built this year. The Des Molnes, Northern & Western

Railway company was re-organized in Des Kirkland, who assumes the double office of Moines today under the auspices of the secretary and treasurer. The retiring secre. Milwaukee, electing the following new offcers: A. J. Earling, president; Burton W. G Collins. York, where she will enter Bellevue Hospital general manager; P. M. Myers, secretary Training school. Mrs. Moore was em. H. D. Thompson, assistant secretary; F. G. Ranney, treasurer; John McNabb, assistant treasurer. The following directors were chosen: W. G. Collins, A. G. Earling, C. A. Goodnow, Burton Hanson, F. M. Hubbell, F. C. Hubbell, P. M. Myers, W. N. D. Winne, auditor.

It is probable that the road will maintain its personality, notwithstanding the fact that it has been merged into the Milwaukee system. It can be stated upon good authority that the road will be operated under the same conditions as before with the same exception of the auditing and treasurer's departments which have been removed into the parent system in Chicago

Suffragists Take Radical Action. At a meeting of the Polk County Equal Suffrage society held this afternoon the resolution, made by Mrs. Ellen M. Henrotin of Chicago, the president of the General seemed to be perfectly good. There was Federation of Women's Clubs of the United States to boycott the Northwestern railway for discharging all of the women in its Weston tasted some of it. So far as I know SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 5.—(Special Tele- employ was unanimously endorsed and the he was the only officer who tasted it." women present, led by their president, Mrs. Ritchie, determined not to patronize that for the same month this year, an increase of | S. D., Tuesday night and his body was only road. The women also discussed the question of whether to use their husband's intendance is thirty-eight above that at the with a team and wagon and in some way itials or to use their own nomes an their calling cards, in signing letters, etc. They | deicded on the latter course.

Tinsley Bros.' clothing house was entered by burglars last night and about \$500 worth was recovered and one of the burglars arrested today.

A Lamont dispatch says the Lamont branch of the Josephite church of Latter Day Saints at its regular annual session adopted a resolution of censure and protest on B. H. Roberts as a violator of law and polygamist and objecting to seating him in congress, by a vote of 17 to 14. Colonel C. C. Horton, the commandant

of the Iowa Soldiers' Home at Marshall--William Fitzgerald, aged 23, a freight town, was today re-elected commandant by The state executive council, at a meeting Moille last night. He was riding on the this afternoon, placed the matter of dedicathrow a switch, fell on the track, the pilot memorial art and historical building in the hands of Curator Aldrich of the State His-

torical department, with instructions The body was rolled under the locomotive hold the ceremony some time in May and to for several feet, but was not mutilated. have Hon. John A. Kasson, the Iowan serving as a diplomatic representative extraordinary, make the address of the day. Governor Shaw tonight entertained at or roast tins. large reception at the Savery hotel. Upwards of 500 were present, including many prominent state politicians, and the occasion was a success.

The State Railroad commission was today notified by the railroads that scarcity of cars east of Chicago has ceased and that shipments of Iowa grain could now be resumed at the shippers' pleasure. Wild Rumors Denied

BURLINGTON, Ia., Jan. 5 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The wildest kind of rumors have filled Iowa and Illinois of a wreck of one of the Burlington fast mail trains. There is no truth in them. Both trains are running on time in good shape.

buque arguing before Judge Shiras of the CARNEGIE UTTERS PROPHECY

American People Are Alarmed a Imperiatism and Will Be Heard in the Reckoning.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Jan. 5 .- (Special Telgram.)-A sale has been closed today of LONDON, Jan. 5 .- William T. Stead, edithe Barrett property consisting of over 100 or of the Review of Reviews, who has been tended. The officers of the company are recently agitating "a great pilgrimage of acres situated within the city limits of Deadwood. The purchasers are the Detroit peace through all nations, beginning at San and Deadwood Mining syndicate, represented the purchase of the line, but private advices Francisco and ending at St. Petersburg," reby Malcolm McCallum and Frank C. Anindicate that both corporations are far apart | ceived today numerous letters from America, drews. The purchase price is \$125,000. A tunnel on this property has been run Andrew Carnegie writes: "I need not say 280 feet, disclosing a twenty-five foot vermy heart is with you and that I wish you tical of native copper of 10 to 16 per cent to the ton. Gold bearing rock assaying 19.50

Godspeed. You have your field and I have mine. I am absorbed in an effort to keep this industrial union from falling away from The approximated earnings of the lowa its higher plane to the level of European powers, which are armed camps. I cannot leave this work or drive it from me, even if I wished. It is not what I can that I am doing, but what I must. "Concentration has been the motto of my

life and I cannot scatter my shot. You must, therefore, excuse your friend at present. Do not make the mistake of believing that the American people are in favor of departure from the policy of the fathers. A plebiscite today would drown the imperialists. Every labor organization meeting speaks practically unanimously against the imperialist policy. The farming interests are becoming alarmed and even if we ratify the treaty with Spain and hold the Philippines it will be only until the day of reckoning comes. Then the world will have another proff that the voice of the people is the voice of God. I have not lost my faith proved a good witness. Ex-Policeman in the American people and I am still yours Stringham, who accompanied Bessler, was for 'triumphant democracy. ' "

Senator Redfield Proctor of Vermont, who also coincides with Mr. Stead's views, says; completed when court adjourned until to "Aside from the interests of humanity, morrow,

which should appeal to all nations, the request from Russia, such a friend in our AMERICAN TRADE INCREASES darkest days of civil war, should appeal to

This in Spite of Decrease in General Com-FOUND NO SPOILED BEEF merce at Port of Liverpool.

CHILLED MEATS ARE GROWING IN FAVOR

Notable Exception to the General Rule is in Cheese, Where Canadians Are Displacing the Artiele from This Country.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Consul Boyle, in recent war. In brief, Colonel Osgood said a report on the trade of Liverpool with the the rations throughout the war were as United States, says that the last year has decline, however, in trade, mainly at Liverpool, in recent years. The value of the erator beef issued in the army and it was far better than the contract beef he had than in 1896. There has also been a very material falling off in total exports to all countries. Consul Boyle says in part:

trade of Liverpool. beef. The government, he said, had a good 1. That, contrary to general belief, the contract with Swift and Company, whereby falling off in exportation has been not only with the United States, but with the world frigerator cars and ships. Each day wit-ness called for what meat he wanted and concerned those from the United States have been continually increasing.

2. This decrease of trade is in spite of an

the contractor put it out on the block. They were responsible for it till the meat got to ered it went back on the contractor. The the decline in importations, the gross contractor made good whatever meat was amount of customs revenue collected is conrejected. Colonel Osgood explained that tinually increasing. While the figures covering the importa-tions at Liverpool from the United States

doubt that more American Loods, both agribeen explained by other witnesses. This cultural and manfactured, came into Liverpool during 1897 than in any other year, and even the exports to the United States in 1897 show a substantial increase over 1800.
Canadian competition with the United States in this market in meal, corn and was really prime beef, much better in fact provisions and fruit has developed greatly during the last year, and threatens to be keener in the future. The most noteworthy phase of the trade in American beef is the the appearance of the refrigerator beef had great increase in the importation of childed D. to Fort Snelling; E. to Jefferson Barmeat. Until quite recently it had been racks, Mo.; F. to Fort Thomas; G. to Colbeef they were glad to get back to the Amerthought that the meat of American cattle slaughtered here was far superior to chilled meat, but there is undoubtedly a great board of survey of the Second United change in this regard and mony buyers and sellers claim that the American chilled beef is equal, if not superior, to the meat of American cattle slaughtered here. The and there is a growing conviction that in the course of a few years it will almost entirely take the place of American meat

Better Than English Meat.

brought on the hoof.

American meat is often sold as English has been alleged before this commission, indeed, the choice cuts of American beef are preferred by many of the large butchers to not in sworn testimony and not in a way, the best English cuts. Experts say that English cattle are depreciating in value and perhaps, to demand any great attention, but still it has been stated that beef sent to still it has been stated that beef sent to quality, one reason being that animals are sentiago was prepared in some way with now being slaughtered at 2 years old, inchemicals to preserve it. Can you tell us stead of 4 years as formerly. Not only is Sentiago was prepared in some way with the trade in chilled beef increasing to vas dimensions, but there is a large and inanything on that head or why anyone should use chemicals on meat when it was apparcreasing trade in fresh chilled pork. It is a fact not generally known here to those ently so easy to preserve it in refrigeraoutside the trade, that most of the pork pies which are a staple article of food among that. The meat treated in that way was not the English working classes are made from the property of the government or any of fresh chilled American pork. contractors. I was aboard the Comal American mutton is not making headway one day and Colonel Weston, chief com-

largely because it is fattened too quickly.

There is a good demnad for American bacon and hams, and, provided they commild and not too fat, there is every prospect of increasing sales. They should not be smoked.

The fact that American cheese on this market is being displaced by Canadian is becoming more and more apparent. Or

inquiry from reliable sources I am told this is principally owing to the method of manu-facture, which is spoken of here as being no mold on it, as on the refrigerator beef and it had no smell. I believe Colonel radically wrong, and, assuming that the American factory men generally wish to compete for the English trade, the sooner Witness did not say what Colonel Weston | they set about altering the style of manuhought of the process beef. He continued: facture the better. The outlook for the apple trade here is good, as the crop is short, shorter even than was anticipated a month ago. I think Colonel Daly saw this meat and

probably the fact that this beef was there gave the start to all this talk of chem-Experimental shipments of tomatoes have cally prepared beef. It was purely a private been made to this market from the United experiment and the government had nothing States, but so far have proved a failure. The California canned fruits still hold the market In connection with Colonel Osgood's exhere in this line and the sales are increasing fruits there is a metallic taste extracted from can be stated that the inventor of the chemical preserve brought the matter to of enameling the inside of the ties, but it the attention of the War department before was not successful. the outbreak of the Spanish war and offered to sell the formula and process to the gov-

especially in machine tools.

The sale of American bicycles has manding general, the secretarry and the creased enormously in the last year. An American bicycle of the highest grade could until recently be bought \$25 cheaper than an English bicycle of the same grade. ceived a letter from the Cudahy Packing keen has been the competition that within company at Omaha in regard to the circular the last month (September) there has been a great tumble in the price of English asking whether any chemicals were used in bicycles.

SOME OF THE COMMISSIONERS ILL

Remaining Members Proceed wit Canadian-American Conference. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- The Canadian joint high commission resumed its sessions here today after the holiday recess. The only absentees on the American side were some beef is used either for the corned Representative Dingley and John W. Foster, both of whom are sick. The Canadians were present, except Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who is expected tomorrow, and Sir James Winter and Mr. Charlton, who will arrive later. 1 was decided that the several committees should continue their work, thus indicating a hope that some results will come from the commission's labors. The joint session was followed by a meeting of the subcommittee on the Bering sea negotiations. Beyond this no statement was made by the members on either side. It is understood, however, that the negotiations are proceeding as amicably as could be expected, and that substantial progress is making toward a scaling agreement. The range of the negotiations is a wide and the subjects so mutually depend ent in many cases that it is impossible even for the members themselves to fore cast final action on any one point. Con cessions on one point are necessarily depend ent on concessions in entirely another quarter, and as one member put it, the whole treaty fabric is like a Chinese puzzle that must be fitted together with great care to make all the lines of contact agree. It can be stated that no conclusion has mass of evidence in the form of surveys

been reached on the question of shipbuilding and armament on the great lakes, not on the several boundary disputes. There is and reports on these several disputes, which include the Alaskan boundary, the Lake o the Woods and the Passamaquoddy bay. It s hardly thought that the present commission will attempt to pass on this evidence as such, but will rather outline the princtples on which the various boundaries should be settled. It is generally conceded that the present session will be comparatively short. It is not thought that the personnel of the American commission will be affected by the illness of its two members, matter being in such shape that negotiations can be concluded without the vacancies temporarily created being filled. Daily session will be held each forenoon and evening, and for this reason the commissioners will be compelled to decline all evening invitations

Bills Favorably Reported. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- The house committee on Indian affairs today ordered favorable reports to be made on these bills: To extend to December 31, 1901, the time is which the Kansas, Oklahoma Central & Southwestern Railroad company shall build the first 100 miles of road through the Indian Territory and Oklahoma; to authorize the Little Valley Railroad company to construct and operate a railway through the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations, Indian Territory; to enable the secretary of the interior to

protect the timber in the Indian Territory and collect the proper royalties therefor; and an act granting to the Kettle River Valley road a right of way through the Colville

Indian reservation, Washington, PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS

Survivors of the Civil War Remembered by the General Government. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- (Special.)-The ollowing western pensions have been

Issue of December 22 Nebraska: Original—David Carpenter,
Palmyra, \$12; Virgil W. Graves, Leigh, \$6.
Increase—Oliver Vansickle, Chapman, \$6 to
\$8; Edwin Jacobs, Soldiers' Home, Hall, \$8.
to \$17. Original, Widows, etc.—Euretta
Hogue, Gordon, \$8.

lows: Original—Harrie L. Peacock, Davenport, St. Additional—Morrill Godfrey, Lansing, \$4 to \$6; Sutton P. Newcomb, Des been the best in history for trade in American products in that district, and there is every reason to believe that it will continue to grow. There has been a very material decline, however, in trade, mainly at Livery decline, however, in trade mainly at Livery decline, however at large mainly at Livery decline, however, in trade mainly at Livery decline, however, in trade mainly at Livery decline, however, in trade mainly at Livery decline mainly Colorado; Original-Morgan Barnhouse, Akron, \$8; Joseph Marion Dyer, Balzec, \$6. total importations in 1897 was \$7,821,325 less | Reissue-James Downing, Colorado Springs, \$6. Original windows, etc.—Mary Stein-metz, Denver, \$8. North Dakota: Original widows, etc.-

ountries. Consul Boyle says in part:

There are two very remarkable facts in connection with this great falling off in the trade of Liverpool.

North Dakota: Original widows, etc.—Martha Carlsen, Belleville, \$8.

South Dakota: Additional—Hiram S. Roberts, Milbank, \$6 to \$8. Original widows, etc.—Special, December 22, Sarah E. Bixby, Alexandria, \$8.

PRIZE MONEY FOR ST. PAUL'S CREW, Rewards for Officers and Sailors for Capture of Restormel.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- Auditor Morris increase in the townage of vessels cutering for the Navy department has issued cerand clearing at this port. Notwithstanding tificates for prize money to Captain Sigsbes and all the crew of the St. Paul engaged in the capture of the British ship Restormel, the cargo of which brought over \$13,000. Captain Sigsbee receives \$976.98. The next are not available, there is not the slightest largest sums go to the paymaster and chaplain. They get \$79 each. The gunner's mate gets \$10 and the sailors between \$4 and \$5 each.

> Supply Places of Absent Troops. WASHINGTON, Jan. 5 .- In order to supply the places of troops ordered to foreign service, companies of the Seventh Infantry, now at Forts Wayne and Brady, Mich., have been ordered to take stations as follows: umbus barracks; K. to Fort Sheridan; L., to Fort Crook. The remainder of the regiment will retain their present station in Michigan.

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