## NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells plass. Moore's food kill's worms and fattens. Fire escapes for buildings at Bixby's. Budweiser beer. L. Rosenfeldt, agent. Hon. H. W. Byers of Harlan is in the

Mrs. E. P. Johnson of Fourth street is on the sick list.

Miss Eisle Honn has returned from the University of Chicago,

Miss Anna Vandercock, 1700 Avenue A, is visiting in Superior, Wis. C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and opticians, 27 South Main street.

Mrs. B. Durgan has gone to Tama City on a visit to her mother. State Senator Warren Garst of Coon Rapids was in the city yesterday. W. C. Estep, undertaker, 28 Pearl street. Telephones, office, 97; residence, 33.

Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. 'Phone 157. Alderman and Mrs. T. D. Metcalf have returned home from their eastern trip. W. S. Edic and W. E. Maxwell of Cen-

ter township are in the city visiting friends. George Bolton and George W. Fletcher of Grove township were in the city yesterday Miss Helen Shepard has gone to Sicux

Falls., S. D., to spend a vacation of two weeks with friends. Charles W. Wigginton and A. E. Seaburg of Silver Creek township were in the city yesterday, warrants being issued in every yesterday on business.

and relatives in Persia, Ia. Miss Celia Chapfin of Seventh avenue left

last evening on a visit to her siser, Mrs. J. D. Maule, at Fairmont, Neb. F. P. Brineman of Washington township was in the city yesterday calling on friends and attending to some business riatters. Mrs. John D. Curtin left for her home

Chicago yesterday morning after visiting friends and relatives in this city. Thomas Daugherty and Milton Osler of Grove township left yesterdty for Salt Lake on a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Hon, John Y. Stone was called to Silver City yesterday morning by a message announcing that his aged father was not expected to live. A competitive examination for non-com-

will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening at I. M. Roman, foreman for J. F. Wilcox,

the florist, has returned from his trip to Europe, during which he visited Norway, Sweden and Finland. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coad, jr., and Miss Wyckoff left yes-

terday morning to drive overland to Fine lake, near Onawa, where they will camp for a couple of weeks. Charles Goff, the Broadway second-hand goods dealer, charged with the larceny of a hand wagon, the property of I. Mucci, had

a hearing bfeore Justice Ferrier yesterday, resulting in his disharge. The hearing of the application of Colonel F. C. Reed for an annulment of the con-tract between Lessee W. W. Cole of the Grand Plaza and Receiver Hannan of the Lake Manawa Railway company is set for tomorrow morning in the district court.

The city council will meet in adjourned session tonight for the purpose of consider-ing the proposition of President Draffen of the Municipal Contsrutcion company of Chicago to crect in the city an electric light plant to be owned in the future by the municipality.

The finance committee of the city coun-The levy under the law has to be de- township will amount to considerably to the Board of County Supervisors at its session in September.

Arguments in the injunction suit of J. J Shea to restrain the city from issuing bonds to refund the outstanding general and water fund warrants were partially heard before Judge Smith in the district court yesterday. They will be resumed next Saturday, to which time Judge Smith adjourned court.

Lee Evans and wife left last evening to be absent two weeks. They will stop in Des where Mr. Evans will attend the democratic state convention. From there city from Council Bluffs.

The authorities at Winterset, Ia., have written to the county authorities here, nutifying them that they intend returning to this city Daniel H. Ruth, who was arrested here about three weeks ago in an insane condition. He was treated temporarily at St. Bernard's hospital and when by the insanity commissioners.

In the suit of J. L. Fuller against Sue A. Hoyt in the United States circuit court an appeal has been taken by the defendant. Fuller secured a judgment against Mrs. Hoyt for \$3,447 for alleged unlawful seizure of a large quantity of corn in crib at Guth-rie. Fuller's loss, it was claimed, was caused by a fall in price of corn during the time that it was under attachment. wishing to be on the winning sid declared themselves for Gear wer flocking to his standard. He said: "The prospects for the election The receipts at the Christian home are

The financial report of the home for last week, just issued, shows that the receipts in the general fund amounted to \$143.50, being \$56.50 below the estimated needs for the current expenses of the week, increasing the deficiency in this fund to date to \$70.44. one look on Mr. Cummins' election as cer-in the manager's fund the receipts amounted tain now. Of the twelve republican sento \$23.85, being \$11.15 below the needs of the week. In the suit of James Doyle against James

Burns, president of the Portland Gold Mining company of Colorado, Judge Smith yesterday made an order discharging the receiver, Ernest E. Hart, who had been yesterday appointed to take charge of the stock and transfer books of the company. The district court, Precharge of Receiver Hart followed as a re- of nine. Four have as yet not declared ence, but Mr. Reed was called to Oakland sult of the setting aside by Judge Thornell of the judgment for \$717,025 secured by secured by Doyle against Burns by default.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 256,

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yester day in the abstract, title and loan office of W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

George Foglesong to William H. Fog-lesong et al. ste nwte 22 and nte net 21.74-39. w. d.
Savings, Loan and Building ussocia-tion, Council Bluffs, to L. Harter, lot 1, Hutchinson's subdiv. w. d. Executors of Samuel Royer to Charles E. Tucker, lot 6, block 16, Beers 1,000 add., w. d. Ann E. McEndree and husband to John Gelger, lot 8, block 8, Minden.

Total, four transfers..... \$2.201

O. Younkerman & Co., grape baskets, barrels, and all fruit packages.

Domestic soap is the purest made.

Tyler's Unfortunate Sleep.

Harry Tyler, a traveling man was found drunk and asleep in the weeds on lower Broadway at an early hour yesterday morning. When searched at the station he was found to be carrying a large revolver and Justice Vien fined him \$5 and costs for having a concealed weapon about his person. As he was minus the cash to pay the fine he was committed to the county jail, Later word was received from Omaha to hold Tyler as he was wanted across the river to answer to the charge of skipping a hotel

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES BOUGHT

For Cash or Loaned On. E. H. SHEAFE & CO., 5 Pearl Street, Council Bluffs, Iowa

WAR DECLARED ON BARBERS

Protective Association Brings Action Against Those Transgressing Sabbath.

Twenty New Cases Are Begun, Sixteen by the Offenders Themselves with the View of Hending Off Prosecution.

The fight inaugurated by the Barbers' Protective association against these barbers who refuse to close their shops on Sundays is becoming a costly one for the taxpayers of this county. Already the costs incurred in the several prosecutions brought by the association have reached a large sum, the expenses connected with the trial of Fritz Bernhard! alone amounting to over \$60 and the end is not yet. Prosecutions for violating the Sabbath were commenced yesterday by the barbers, the costs in which it is estimated will reach between \$200 and \$300. all of which the taxpayers of Pottawattamie county will be called upon to bear. No less than twenty new cases were started instance. Sixteen of the informations were Mrs. James Wesley of Graham avenue filed in Justice Vien's court in this city caves this morning on a visit to friends and four before Justice D. S. Frank of Keg filed in Justice Vien's court in this city Creek township. The sixteen cases commenced before Justice Vien were started by the barbers themselves, who refuse to accede to the demands of the association that they close their shops on Sundays and were done so with a view of heading off prose-

cution on the part of the association. Six informations were filed against Fritz Bernhardi, proprietor of the Grand hotel barber shop, for keeping open on July 9, 16, 23 and 30 and August 6 and 13. The hearing on these six cases is set for this morning. Five informations were filed against F. E. Silvers, the Pearl street barber, for keeping open on July 9, 23 and 30 and August 6 and 13. The hearing on these cases is set for this afternoon. Four informations were filed against John Schicketanz, the missioned officers in the High school cadets | Broadway barber, for keeping open on July Bohn, the proprietor of the barber shop at was filed against John Bohn for keeping open last Sunday and this case is set for tomorrow afternoon. F. E. Silvers filed this information

Four Shops Singled Out. The other four informations which were filed before Justice Frank of Keg Creek township were at the instance of the Barbers' Protective association and are against Fritz Bernhardi of the Grand hotel shop, F. E. Silvers of Pearl street, John Bohn of the Ogden house and John Schicketanz of Broadway. The warrants will be served this morning. Several other shops were open last Sunday, but the association appears to have singled out the above named four upon which it is determined to wage the

Judge Vien, in talking of the cases yesterday, said he estimated that the costs in each of the sixteen actions commenced before him would amount to about \$10 and possibly more. The costs in the cases cil held its first meeting yesterday after-noon for the purpose of fixing the tax levy. brought before the justice in Keg Creek termined some time this month and reported owing to the longer distance that the witnesses will have to travel.

Scientific optician, Wollman, 102 Br'dway, Domestic outwashes cheap soaps.

CUMMINS FORGES TO THE FRONT. Opinion Expressed that He Will Pass Gear in Senatorial Race.

Hon. A. B. Cummins of Des Moines, can didate for United States senator, was in the city yesterday and spent the day conthey will proceed to Chicago, where they ferring with his friends at the Grand hotel. will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Du- Mr. Cummins declined to be interviewed or quette, who recently removed to the Windy discuss the senatorial contest beyond admitting that he was here for the purpose in this city. Many of the leading republicans called during the day and assured him of their support. Mr. Cummins returned to Des Moines last evening.

A leading republican of this city, who sufficiently recovered was ordered discharged is a warm supporter of Mr. Cummins, said that Mr. Cummins' strength was growing been under the impression that the parties back of Senator Gear were invincible and wishing to be on the winning side had declared themselves for Gear were now "The prospects for the election of Mr.

Cummins to succeed Senator Gear in the again below the needs of the institution. United States senate were never brighter and throughout the state people are commencing to realize that he is the coming Since the state convention his yet expressed their preferences.

"So far throughout the state nineteen republican senators have been nominated and Bluffs. The clerk of the district court, Freeof nine. Four have as yet not declared themselves. Then again, of the forty-six by the illness of his mother and Mr. Tinley. members of the house nominated so far, owing to the absence of his partner, Hon. Gear has, with any reasonable certainty, only ten. Fourteen are still on the fence, not having declared themselves.

"Of the counties in which nominating conventions have been held Gear can only count on both members of house and senate in seven. In those counties which are doubtful as to electing a republican member Gear can, if the party is successful next Rev. W. S. Barnes, pastor of the First November, count on eight more. On the other hand, Cummins can safely claim in Walnut Hill cemetery, Drs. Macrae and fifteen counties and if the doubtful counties Green have been selected as honorary pallsucceed in electing republicans he will have nine more to his credit. These figures do not include the counties where the issue as between Gear and Cummins is still doubtful.

"A general summing up of the situation at present gives Cummins fifty-three votes as against Gear's thirty-two. Of these fiftythree votes, thirty-eight have already been nominated and the balance are reasonably sure enough to be figured on. Yes, indeed, I honestly believe that A. B. Cummins of Des Moines will be the next United States senator from Iowa. As to the result in Pottawattamie county, I am unable at present to express any opinion.'

Domestic soap whitens your clothes.

Welsbach burners at Bixby's. Tel. 193.

Decrease in Live Stock Assessment The State Board of Review has completed its work of equalizing the assessment and yesterday County Auditor Innes received from Hon. Frank Merriam, auditor of state, figures showing the percentages of decrease in the assessment of live stock in Poltawattamie county. They are as follows: One-year-old heifers, 12 per cent; 2-yearold helfers, 15 per cent; cows, 13 per cent; 1-year-old steers, 17 per cent; 2-year-old his way to Chariton.

steers, 5 per cent. These decreases in the valuation of live stock will only reduce the assessment of this kind of property in the entire county \$49,350. After deducting this and adding the increase, caused by the 4 per cent raise placed by the state board on all real estate in the county, the assessed valuation of Pottawattamle will be \$11,-

The decreases on the valuation of the above classes of live stock will not affect the assessed valuation of Council Blufts but very slightly. The state board made no changes so far as this county is concerned in the assessment of 3-year-old steers, feed-SUITS WILL PROVE EXPENSIVE FOR COUNTY ing cattle, 1 and 2-year-old colts, mules, swine or sheep. The figures for the entire state show a total reduction in the assessment of all property this year as compared with last of \$18,856,041. The tax levy last year was 3.2 mills, this year 2.9 mills. The total assessment, taxable value, last year The reduction is principally in real estate, poration stocks and live stock are somewhat

> Lowest prices, easy terms. The best and largest stock of planes at Swanson Music company, Masonic Temple.

Domestic soap sold by all grocers.

CRUSADE REGINS FOR GODD ROADS

President of Interstate Organization Meets with Small Encouragement. W. H. Moore of St. Louis, president of the State and Interstate Good Roads and Public Improvement association, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of making arrangements to hold a convention in Council Bluffs in the near future of all persons interested in good roads. He talked the matter over with Mayor Jennings and several of the city officials, but received little encouragement from them. The city fathers gave it as their opinion that it would be a lifficult matter to arouse sufficient enthusiasm in this city to make such a convention a success and it was very doubtful if the money necessary to provide for such a meeting could be raised here. The only encouragement that Mr. Moore received was from County Supervisor Matthews, who thinks well of the scheme.

Mr. Moore's scheme, as outlined by him s to organize a state society in Iowa, whose object shall be to devise ways and means to procure good roads. Auxiliary to it will be organized district societies or associations to make the work effective. The objects of the proposed organization are: 16 and 30 and August 6 and 13. These cases First, to create system and order in road are set for hearing tomorrow morning. John matters; second, to publish full information, showing in what manner and precisely the Ogden hotel, filed the information in for what work and materials the yearly each of the above cases. One information road taxes are expended; third, the road mileage and most suitable material for each county; fourth, the most suitable and economical roads for all classes and districts.

In connection with the convention Mr. Moore suggested giving a practical object lesson in the making of good roads, employing a steam roller and other improved machinery, which would necessitate an expenditure of between \$200 and \$300.

Manawa Fight Grows Warm. Charles R. Hannan, receiver of the Lake Manawa Railway company, filed an application in the district court yesterday for permission to sell the property of the company. In his application he sets up that the profits of the company since placed in his hands have not been sufficient to pay off the claims and that the only way to secure the necessary funds to do so would be to sell the property. He states that all the property, real and personal, should be sold together as same cannot be separated, he claims, without depreciating the value of he whole.

This application on the part of Receiver Hannan is said to be a sequel to the application of Colonel F. C. Reed, the former owner of the railway and resort, to have Lessee Cole's contract annulled, Colonel Reed's friends claim it is a scheme to freeze him out of his equity in the concern and some interesting developments are looked

Domestic soap is full weight.

Funeral of Miss McCullough. The funeral of the late Miss Hattie Mc-Cullough was held yesterday morning from the residence of her uncle, Mr. E. F. Watts, 366 North First street. Rev. M. C. Wadell of conferring with his friends and followers of the Broadway Methodist Episcopal church officiated. His remarks dwelt upon the pure. Christian life of the departed one who had united with the church of which he is the pastor several years before. The casket was literally buried in beautiful floral tributes by loving friends. The members of her Sunday school class, consisting of the following rapidly since the state convention and that young women, acted as pall bearers; Flor- their licenses paid up in advance, but deence Pippin, Grace Elebracht, Eva Nichols and Ethel Kendle. After the services at the house the remains were shipped to Missouri Valley, Ia., and interred in the family lo in the cemetery at that place, appropriate services at the grave being conducted by Rev. Mr. Harris of that town.

Davis sells paint.

Bringing Home the Soldiers. Council Bluffs will be represented at the strength has grown wonderfully and I for conference to be held in Des Moines today to devise some plan whereby the Fifty-first Iowa regiment can be brought in a body ators who hold over Senator Gear can only to Iowa, by Congressman Smith McPherson rely on securing the votes of two. Seven of Red Oak and City Treasurer Brooks Reed. are for Mr. Cummins and three have not Both will oppose the plan of taking the regiment to Des Moines and will urge the prac ticability of bringing it as far as Council Cummins can count on twenty-two, while John Y. Stone, from the city, was unable

Prizes go with Domestic soap.

Funeral of Dr. Thomas. The funeral of the late Dr. F. S. Thomas will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 127 South Eighth street. The services will be conducted by bearers, while the active pall-bearers will be Drs. Lacey, Robertson, Seybert, Treynor, Jennings and Dean.

Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following persons: Name and Residence. 

Tabor Stockman Injured. OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—A. W. Turner, a stockman of Tabor, was hurt in the Burlington yards about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Turner was en route to Chariton and was asleep in a way car in the yards. Some cattle cars were switched onto the track where the way car was lo cated and, there being no brake on the cattle cars, they struck the car in which Turner was lying with considerable force He was thrown forward in his berth and struck his head on the end of the car. Mr. Turner is a sufferer from spinal trouble and this severe shock rendered him unconscious. He was taken to the hospital.

where he was treated, and by 2 o'clock Mon-

day afternoon he was able to proceed on

BRYAN HOISTS THE OLD FLAG

Silver Leader Declares Chicago Platform is for All Time.

WAR QUESTION IS GIVEN IMPORTANCE

Campaign in Philippines is Denounced and Other Existing Conditions Come in for Their Share of Abuse.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-W. J. Bryan addressed 6,000 people here this evening in two separate meetings. The main address was given before the delewas \$544,347,783. This year it is \$525,391,741. gates assumbled for the state democratic convention here tomorrow. In his address being over \$21,000,000. Merchandise, cor- Mr. Bryan took occasion to fully outline his position on the political issues upon which he says the democratic party should make its campaign in 1900. Mr. Bryan divided his time between the war question and the money question, paying some little attention to trusts. He declared that the Chicago platform was made for all time. He said that the party need not repudiate a syllable or idea of it, although if other imbe made on them without apologizing for decared that the money trust is the mother of all trusts. He said the republican party is unable to oppose trusts because it is the only power that can cope with them. bers of the party. However, 16 to 1 was but York, once referred to and the free silver issue was subordinated to the war question.

The platform to be offered to the convenion tomorrow afternoon, unless the committee on resolutions makes changes, which are not anticipated, was gone over today by the state central committee with Mr. Bryan and James B. Weaver. Mr. Weaver expressed his unqualified approval. Mr. Bryan said:

favor of the Chicago platform will suit me. should be given prominence in the coming makes the war question most important." The silver question is disposed of by war in the Philippines, expansion and any foreign alliance are denounced in the most unmeasured terms. Trusts are equally

Sells Shows Strength. The anti-planks compose the platform practically entire. The trend of affairs on the floor of the lobbies today indicates that Cato Sells of Vinton will be the nominee of the party for governor. There is a pronounced movement among all the leaders of the party to put Sells at the head of the ticket and thus place the conservative element in control.

Mr. Sells still persists in saying that he is not a candidate. He admits, however, that if party duty demands it he will make the sacrifice and run. The state central committee and Mr. Bryan have decreed that Sells is to be nominated, and it is not believed that the united silverites will be strong enough to overthrow their influence. The support of S. H. Basher of Waterloo

is wholly from the strong silver men. This afternoon a boom was started for L. T. Genung of Mills county. It has not materialized as yet sufficiently to give any hope to Mr. Genung that he will win For lieutenant governor the candidates are

M. L. Bevin of Mount Ayr, A. H. Stahl of Mount Pleasant and Herman A. Wills of Clinton. M. J. Wade of Iowa City and Judge William Conner of Des Moines are mentioned for supreme judge. For superintendent of public instruction and railway commisssioner there are practically no candidates.

Hawarden Saloons Closed. HAWARDEN, Ia., Aug. 15 .- (Special.) The saloons of this town closed Saturday night and expect to remain dry until after the Board of Supervisors meet in September. Some time ago it was discovered that through repetition and miscount the old petition failed to contain the required 65 per cent and a new canvass of the county was made, but the board refused to mee and canvass the new petition, hence Sioux county will be on the dry list for a few weeks. It is said that the new petition contains 75 per cent of the voters, so there is no doubt of the saloons opening again after next month. Both saloons here have cided to close as a precaution against trou-

Bryan Addresses Good Crowd. DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 15 .- This city is full of democrats tonight who came from all parts of thhe state to attend the democratic state convention and hear William J. Bryan, General J. B. Weaver and others Two great meetings were held this evening, the main one at the Auditorium, where William J. Bryan spoke to 5,000 peo ple, and the other at the Tabernacle, where General Weaver spoke for an hour until Mr. Bryan came from the first meeting. The democratic convention meets tomorrow

New Railroad Project. MONTEZUMA, Ia., Aug. 15 .- (Special.)-For the last few weeks a quiet but effective effort has been made here and elsewhere ooking toward the building of a new rail road from Tama City via Montezuma to Ottumwa. The line of road has been already marked out and you need not be surprised to see the surveyors on the route before October 1. Practical men are taking hold of the enterprise and are fully able to push it to completion.

Woman Horse Thief Shows Fight. WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 15 .- (Special.)woman horse thief by the name of Emma Lanz was arrested Sunday night, having a stolen horse in her possession. Deputy Sheriff Smith made the arrest on a road near this city and was lashed severely across the face by the woman who was in a buggy. Force was exerted to prevent her escape. A man with her submitted to arrest. The police are elated.

United Mine Workers Confer. OSKALOOSA, Ia., Aug. 15.-The Iowa division of the United Mine Workers of America convened here today. A membership of 5,000 is represented by ninety votes. State President John F. Ream is presiding. The president of the national organization arrived today from Indianapolis. Hamburg's Capping Factory

HAMBURG, Ia., Aug. 15.—(Special.)—The new canning factory at this place began work this morning. This is a recent addition to Hamburg's industries. They are now run ning a force of about twenty-five men but will add to this as the season advances, Fifty-Fifth Wedding Anniversary. PULASKI, Ia., Aug. 15 .- (Special Tele-

the fifty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. Fifty-eight members of the family were present, including thirty-three grandchildren Sioux City Delegation Londed. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Aug. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—The Woodbury county democratic delegation to the state convention in Des

the party. Mayor Quick of Sloux City to REV. D. S. TAPPAN PRESIDENT said to have in his pocket his constitutional amendment plank and may attempt to get it inserted into the platfrom. The general impression is that this delegation would prefer to see the financial question ouched on as lightly as possible in the platform or, if possible, ignore it alto-

GENERAL CUTTING OF RATES

Lincoln.

SURVIVORS REACH THE INTERIOR.

Believed to Have Been Rescued.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 15 .- Advices from

Edmonton, Northwest Territory, state that

eighteen survivors of the Edmonton trail

They are: William G. Smith, Selkirk Man.; John Selkirk, Toronto; Frank Bas-

tlan, St. Alberts; Carmichael, Sudbury

Ontario; Goddes, Ontario; Richie and son

Poplar Point, Man.; John Roe, Rapid City

Man.; R. Hunter, Hamilton; Joseph and Gus Schuler, Chicago; W. Schmidt, New

York; McClentic, Winchester, N. H.; Smith

and Hedley, Manitoba; John Stetson

Tragedy Owing to Drink and Trouble

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., Aug. 15.—Fred East-wood of Greenfield, N. J., who shot and

instantly killed Frank Fenn, his brother-

in-law, and attempted to murder Mrs. East

the bullet was too low and he will prob-

German Kriegerbund at Chicago

CHICAGO, Aug. 15 .- Veterans of German

wars who are delegates to the national con-

vention of the Kriegerbund held their last

session here today. The chief business trans-

acted was the consideration of a plan to

change the by-laws which makes it compul-

sory upon the members to contribute to the

relief fund. Reports of officers and commit

tees and a discussion of a meeting place for

Better Wages for Lake Sallors.

new schedule goes into effect at once.

Express Train Kills Three.

er, and two young women, Hilda and Ger-

tie Fleischman of Harrisburg, with whon

Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saved

Mrs. Hayes From an Operation.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINEHAM NO. 64,283]

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-Words cannot

express my thanks to you for your kind

advice to me in regard to my health, I

had been running down in health for

about seven years. I had doctored

with good doctors and taken a great

many patent medicines. My trouble

began when my first child was born.

I had a very bard time and after its

birth would have severe flooding spells.

good health until last winter when I

very much and miscarried. I came

very near dying, and the doctor said I

must have an operation, which fright-

ened me very much, and concluded to

write to you for your advice, and take

your medicine. Was troubled with the

whites, great pain in back and hips,

sometimes when lying down or sitting

was unable to get up. Would have

such pain in groins could hardly walk.

thing so wonderful as Lydia E. Pink-

ham's Vegetable Compound and Sana-

wonders for me. Hoping that many

of my suffering sisters may be led to

take your medicine from reading this

letter, I remain, sincerely yours, Mrs.

Letters like the foregoing should

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PURE MALT WHISKEY

ALL DRUCCISTS

convince everyone that Mrs. Pinkham's

MARY HAYES, HARDINSBURG, KY."

advice is certain help.

"I can say I have never seen any-

again became pregnant and

"After my second child I had very

sumerea

Mr. Hassler was slightly deaf.

1900 completed the day's work.

wood at Middlebury last night, surrendered

Princeton, Ill., and Wood, Delaware,

had reached there from the Interior.

Fares Are Cut Almost in Two for Grand Army of the Republic Encampment.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15 .- Tomorrow the Erie railroad will announce a rate of \$18.45 for the round trip between Chloago and New York. There is at present no round trip rate between the two cities, the standard one-way rate being \$20. The rate to be made by the Eighteen Edmonton Tenti Miners Are Erie is, therefore, less than a single fare. At the same time corresponding rates will be made from all intermediate points to New York. A rate of \$15.35 for the round trip between Cincinnati and New York will be made, the one-way rate being \$18. Between Cleveland and New York a round trip rate of \$14 will be made, against a one-way rate of \$13.

The Erie will place these rates in effect during the first four days of September, the return coupons being good at any time during that month. The rates are put in to meet the rates made between Chicago and Philadelphia for the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. This rate is \$16.45; it does not apply to New York, the fare between Philadelphia and New York being \$2, a total of \$18.45. In order to meet portant questions arise the campaign may this condition the Erie has determined to make the round trip rate between Chicago any former fight. On the trust question he and New York \$18.45. It will also meet the himself today. He attempted to commit Grand Army of the Republic rate of \$16.45 suicide by shooting through the heart, but to Philadelphia. The new rates will not only be made openly, but have been tendered to ably recover. Mrs. Eastwood's injuries are their creature. The federal government is all connecting lines for basing purposes. It dangerous, Drink and family troubles are is the general opinion that the action of the said to have led to the tragedy. Mr. Bryan's speech was somewhat of a Erie will start up the liveliest kind of a disappointment to the conservative mem- fight on rates between Chicago and New

Demand Just Treatment.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15 .- The following tele gram was sent today in behalf of the St Louis business interests to the Chicago con ference of western line executive officers on the Gulf line-Missouri river rate situation;

"H. H. Courtwright, Chairman Western Trunk Lines Committee, Chicago: I am instructed by Business Men's league, Mer. "Gentlemen: I did not come to Iowa to chants' Exchange, Associated Wholesale make platforms. A simple declaration in Grocers, Paint, Oli and Drug club and other commercial organizations, to request such If other issues seem more important, they action today by lines west of the Mississippi river as will enable us to meet competition campaign. This platform, as now drafted, of eastern seaboard and Missouri cities, in territory west of the Missouri river. Louis, Chicago and other cities similarly simply ratifying the Chicago platform. The situated, are losing business that will never be regained. We have waited patiently more than ninety days for the adjustment of the rate war. The entire territory, Sioux City to Kansas City, west of Buffalo and Pitts burg, is affected by present conditions. Are Lebanon Valley express near Wernersville. he western railroads doing injustice to

themselves or us in permitting this diversion of trade from them and us? "A. J. VANLANDINGHAM. "Commissioner St. Louis Traffic Bureau.

Los Angeles to Retain Headquarters LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 15,-President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe Railway company is in this city today and in an interview states that the Santa Fe road will surely be in San Francisco on or before January 1 next. President Ripley will leave here tomorrow for the purpose of making a thorough inspection of the recently acquired Valley road. The Santa Fe Pacific has expended \$3,000,000 on improvements between Albuquerque and Mojave in the last three years, he says, and will continue to make improvements. The headquarters of the road will not be moved to San Francisco, but remain in Les Angeles.

INDIANS SCATTERING Defeated in General Engagement They Brenk Up Into Small

Bands. CHICAGO, Aug. 15 .- A special to the Times-Herald from Guaymas, Mex., says: Military operations in the Yaqui valley culminated on Friday in a series of engagements and the final route and dispersal of the Indians.

The Yaquis in rebellion had concentrated their forces at Vicam, on the south bank, General Torres began offensive operations on Thursday. After a sharp engagement the Indians fled, leaving thirty dead on the field. The Mexican loss was ten killed and twenty-two wounded.

General Torres returned to Orrin for the night and at 4:30 o'clock the next morning he began the march to Vicam. The troops dislodged the Yaquis and killed four. of the Fourth battalion and one man of the National Guard were wounded. Following the enemy closely, General Tor-

es found another force of Indians entrenched behind the bank of the irrigation canal. where the road crosses. After half an hour of fighting the Yaquis were driven from this position with a loss of six killed. One Mexican sergeant and three soldiers were wounded. The Yaquis are now scattered in small

parties and it is not likely that they will

oncentrate again. The rest of the campaign will probably consist of hunting out the enegades from their hiding places. NOGALES, Ariz., Aug. 15.-The miners are beginning to gain confidence in the ability of the Mexican government to hold the Yaquis on the reservation. Marshal P Wright, owner of extensive property in the Yaqui valley, after consultation with the authorities, has started on a tour of in spection of his camp and mines. He does

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP Comprehensive Discussion to Take Place at Convention of League

of Municipalities.

not regard the undertaking as hazardous

although he must travel overland 135 miles.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15 .- Arrangements have just been completed for a comprehensive and significant discussion of the municipal ownership question, which will occupy an entire day of the convention of the League of American Municipalities, to be held at Syracuse, September 19-22. The affirmative side of the question is to be presented in papers by Mayor Henry V. Johnson of Denver. Mayor Gustav Tafel of Cincinnati Mayor Frank F. Pierce of Marshalltown, Ia. and Mayor J. R. Robinson of Colorado Springs, Colo. Papers on the negative side will be read by Robert P. Porter, M. A Gemunder, former director of public works at Columbus, O., and others.

Following the reading of these papers the onvention will enter into a general discusion of municipal ownership, to be led on the affirmative side by Mayor John MacVicar o Des Moines and on the negative side by Henry Doherty, president of the Northwest ern Electrical association, and Allen R Foote.

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