# NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Davis sells glass. Moore's food kills worms and fattens. Fire escapes for buildings at Bixby's. Budwelser beer. L. Rosenfeldt, agent. C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jeweters and op-

ticlans, 27 South Main street. W. C. Estep, undertaker, 28 Pearl street. Telephones, office, 97; residence, 38. Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. 'Phone 157.

Mrs. R. Adler of Chicago is the guest of or daughter, Mrs. Bessie Haggerty of Ben-Fifty-six marriage licenses were issued by

the clerk of the district court during the month of August. White Rose Rebekah lodge will meet in regular session this evening, when all mem-

pers are requested to be present. Judge Aylesworth presided at the session of police court yesterday morning for the first time since his return from California. Street Supervisor Avery has a force of twenty men cutting weeds in various parts of the city. He expects to complete the

Mrs. W. J. McCune of 209 West Pierce street is entertaining her sister, Mrs. C. H. Palmer, and son, Roy, of Solon, Ia. Mr. Palmer is expected here later.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eslie Gra-ham, the colored woman who died Thurs-day at St. Bernard's hospital at the age of 100 years, was held yesterday afternoon from St. Francis Xavier's church. Grant Smallwood and Gene Cisne, two

graders from the Fort Dodge & Omaha road, were taken to police headquarters yesterday suffering from chills and fever. They were attended by City Physician Lacey. Charles Yancy, a former resident of this city, and "Sfoppy" Smith of Omaha are under arrest in Des Moines, charged with the shooting of Conductor Hicks on a Northwestern passenger train Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Julia Howard, wife of John Howard, Broadway, died yesterday morning of art and stemach trouble. She leaves beheart and stomach trouble. She leaves be-sides her husband three children. The remains will be taken to Marne, Cass county, S. J. Dalbey and family will leave next

eek for Des Moines, where they will re-tie in the future. Mr. Dalbey's son, C. W. Dalbey, the well known music composer who formerly lived here, is now a resident of the capital city.

The funeral of the late Charles J. Atherton will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence, 711 Washington avenue. The services will be conducted by Rev. R. Venting of the First Bap-tist church. Interment will be in Walnut

At 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at the Fifth Avenue Mehodist church, the pastor, Rev. G. P. Fry, will deliver an address to women only on the subject, "The Old-Fash-ioned Mother." This will be the last of the series of lecture-sermons under the auspices of the Epworth league of the church. Fred Klepfer, one of the barbers who kept his shop open last Sunday and plied his trade, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued from the superior court, charging him with violating the Sunday law. The informawas filed by the attorney for the Bar Protective association and the trial will be had this morning before Judge Ayles-

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250.

All lovers of music should be sure to attend the Blind Boone concert at the Broadway Methodist church Tuesday even-ing, September 5. Blind Boone is supported by Miss Josephine Rivers, a charming singer. Admission, 25 cents.

Possible Clew to Identity. The police yesterday received a possible clew to the identity sane man captured by Officers Weir and Stockdale Wednesday at Mosquito creek and it may be that the man is a returned Klondiker, as at first suspected. Yesterday Chief Bixby received a postal card from J. P. McElroy of Blanchard, Ia., asking for particulars and a description of Ward. Mc-Elroy is inclined to believe that he is Frederick F. Ward, a resident in the vicinity of Branchard who left about eighteen months ago for the Klondike, Ward, Mc-Elroy writes, was a well-to-do farmer, owning 160 acres of valuable land and other property. He was taken with the Klondike fever and, despite the warning of friends and family, left his wife and five children to go there. From the day he left no tidings of him have ever been received by his family and he has been mourned for dead. The description given by McElroy of the missing farmer answers to that of the man here. McElroy asks the chief to send him a photograph of the man who is now at St. Bernard's hospital, where he was temporarily committed on order of the insanity commissioners.

Prizes go with Domestic soap.

Scientific optician, Wollman, 400 Br'dway. To Whom it May Concern. We have this day sold the business of he Council Bluffs Cyclery and have no longer any connections whatever with the formerly known under this name. All notes, accounts, leases and bills due the Council Bluffs Cyclery are payable to

our authorized agents. This is to notify the public that no one is authorized to do business under the name of the Council Bluffs Cyclery for us. The Council Bluffs Cyclery COMPANY ave purchased our bicycle business and the good will of same and will continue to do business under this name. We recom-mend them for favorable notice and patron age in the bicycle line.

DEERE, WELLS & CO. August 31, 1899.

Domestic soap sold by all grocers.

Domestic soap is the purest made, Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of

J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street: J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:
Paul Keiler to C. F. Webb, lots 21 and
22, block 15, Burns' add., w. d. . . .
Charles B. Burnstt and wife to George
V. Burnett, undivided half w front
half swig 31-76-38, w. d.
Alexander Armstrong and wife to
Heinrich Wisch, elg swig section 22,
and neig nwig 27-76-39, w. d.
Ellen M. S. Haas and husband et al to
Fort Dodge & Omaha Raliread Co.,
part wig nwig section 22, w. d.
George W. Lipe and wife to Charlotte
V. Smith, lot 17, block 21, Ferry add.,
Q. c. d.

Charles E. Reynolds and wife to C. V. Smith, part lot 3, in Original Plat lot 58, Council Bluffs, w. d.
South Branch Elevator Co. to Edwin Puryear, lot 34, block 6, Oakland,

Seven transfers, aggregating ..... \$7,747

Be sure and take the children to hear Brad Boone. He has been the cause of a great many children falling in love with the plane. Children under 15 years, 15

Marriage Licenses Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following persons: Name and Residence. Edward Reisner, Quincy, Ill...... 25

Elia Smith, Milan, Mo..... Clinton R. Scholz, Adams county, Iowa., 23 Mollie Gordon, Adams county, Iowa ..... 21

Domestic soap whitens your clothes. Domestic outwashes cheap scape.

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES BOUGHT For Cash or Loaned Us. E. H. SHEAFE & CO.,

Pearl Street, Council Bluffe, Inwa

### SIGNAL VICTORY FOR GEAR

for Present Senator.

S. Hazelton, Gear Candidate for State Senator, Gets Fifty-Three of the Sixty-Four Delegates. to the Convention.

The republican caucuses in this city last night resuited in a signal victory for A. S. Hazelton, the Gear candidate for state senator, and he will go into the county convention next Wednesday with fifty-three of the sixty-four delegates selected, while Colonel C. G. Saunders, the Cummins canditest, which was the all-absorbing factor, the primaries last night drew out the bigfact so large was the attendance in some precincts that the number of ballots cast exceeded the recognized vote of the precinct. Both sides worked like beavers the entire day and until the vote was counted, both the friends of A. B. Cummins and the followers of Senator Gear being equally sure of victory. In some of the precincts the contest was remarkably close and spirited and it was a toss-up as to which faction had gained the day until the result was officially announced. The friends of Mr. Cummins recognized that they had an uphill fight on their hands and when the outcome was known they took their defeat philosophically, realizing that they did the best they could for their candidate. With an overwhelming majority of the city delegation at his back the nomination of A. S. Hazelton for state senator is conceded.

The First precinct of the First ward returned a Cummins delegation by a vote of 70 to 65, while the Second precinct of that ward went for Gear almost two to one,

the vote being 112 to 61. In the First precinct of the Second ward Gear carried the day, the delegation favorable to him being selected by 82 to 56. Contest in the Second.

In the Second precinct of the Second ward refused to entertain the nomination and supervision to the work of construction. for nearly half an hour pandemonium reigned. Finally a division was called for men proceeded to hold their caucus. Then the Cummins faction decided to hold a Stewart and Cooper of the finance commitseparate caucus. The vote in the Gear caucus gave Gear 131 votes and Cummins 13, while in the Cummins caucus the ballots showed 150 for the Des Moines candidate and 41 for Gear. The delegates selected by the Cummins faction last night stated that they would contest the right of the other delegation to be seated in the convention

next Wednesday. In the first precinct of the Third ward the Gear followers outnumbered the Cummins men two to one, Hazelton's delegation being elected by a vote of 137 to 65. and one for Cummins. The vote in this announced. unanimous vote of the caucus.

test was very close, the Gear delegation the remark that it was not fair. being selected only by a majority of three votes, sixty-two ballots being cast for Gear as against fifty-nine for Cummins.

The First precinct of the Fifth ward went for Gear by a vote of 109 to 88, but the Second precinct reversed the order of things and elected a Cummins delegation with 93 votes against 56 for Gear. The First precinct of the Sixth ward was

carried by the followers of Gear and they elected their delegation by a vote of 121 to 78 for Cummins. Although no official returns were received last night from Cut-Off, which constitutes the Second precinct of the Sixth ward, it was generally conceded that the one delegate from this precinct would be for Senator Gear.

The country precincts will hold their conucuses tonight. While the Cummins men ships, it is generally conceded that the ma- such a course? jority of the delegation will be against him and in favor of Gear.

List of Delegates. The following are the delegates selected

last night: First ward, First precinct: (Cummins lelegation) Carl Morgan, Charles Atwood, delegation) Carl Morgan, Charles Atwood, Ed Fuller, W. C. Dickey, C. Davis, First ward, Second precinct: (Gear) A. Wood, W. S. Baird, D. Maltby, S. T. Con-ner, R. T. Bryant, E. H. Ohlendort. Second ward, First precinct: (Gear) W. F. Sapp, E. H. Lougee, C. S. Hubbard, J. B. Sweet, G. W. Long, J. J. Steadman, Frank Peterson.

Peterson egation) Ovide Vien, H. A. Baird, Walter Joseph, P. H. Wing, Theodore Guittar, N. P. Peterson, E. A. Risser; (Cummins delegation) C. B. Aitchison, John H. Mithen,

Henry Snyder, John Olsen, F. E. Sellers, F. A. Hollis, Fred Wesner. Third ward, First precinct: (Gear) E. E. Hart, W. C. Hendricks, P. C. DeVol, jr., W. E. Haverstock, G. M. Hanford, O. S. Third ward, Second precinct: (Mixed, four

for Gear, one for Cummins) W. J. Snethen, Martin Schmidt, J. F. Marshall, A. B. Walker, H. W. Butterfield. Fourth, ward, First precinct: (Gear) W. J. Davenport, F. H. Hill, J. J. Hess, H. J. Chambers, John Lindt. Fourth ward, Second precinct: (Gear) Ed

Ford, Soren Wilson, Karl Mayne, Price Gib-Fifth ward, First precinct: (Gear) E. E. Sayles, J. N. Davis, Luke Poland, D. J. Clark, F. A. Sackett, J. Hoon. Fifth ward, Second precinct: (Cummins) C. B. Howard, Nels Christenson, F. M. Phillips, James Cochran, J. P. Johnson. Sixih ward, First precinct: (Gear) L. M. Shubert, A. F. Clatterbuck, J. W. Kirk, John M. Hardin, S. Dobson, A. L. Lorenson.

Howelf's Anti "Kawf" cures coughs and Plan to Raise Pridges

treacherous little stream overflowing its banks and flooding the town. In order to raise these bridges, and consequently the tracks, it will be necessary to change the grade of Broadway between Tenth and Twelfth streets. The plan proposed conout changing the curb or property lines. It Republican Caucuses Result Very Favorably also provides for a subway under the side-

templates the raising of the thoroughfare between the above mentioned streets withwalk to carry off the water on Broadway in case of a heavy rain. The plan has been suggested by the railway company as a pos-CUMMINS FACTION IS BADLY DEFEATED sible solution of the ever recurring trouble by the overflowing of the creek. The city engineer has been requested to make the necessary drawings and profiles and submit them to the railway company.

GIRL WANTED-At 713 South Seventh

Davis sells paint.

HUGHES GETS THE CONTRACT. Bid of \$57,700 Brings the High School

The Board of Education held a special meeting yesterday afternoon at the Bloomer date, will have but eleven back of him. As building and decided to award the contract the last day. The management made a bad been fully anticipated, owing to the for the construction of the new high school great protest and finally told the exhibitor keen interest taken in the senatorial con- building to George F. Hughes on his bid of that if they moved their displays before \$57,700. The award, however, was made conditionally and the contract will not be for- would not pay their premiums. This made gest attendance ever known in the city. In mally entered into between the board and the exhibitors hot and they immediately ap-Huges until after the decision of State Super- pealed to the courts and asked for an inintendent Barrett in the T. L. Smith site Junction, claiming that matters had been appeal case is received, and only then pro- misrepresented to them and that they viding the ruling upholds the action of the wanted to leave in order to reach the Minboard in selecting the Oakland avenue prop- nesota State fair on time. The matter was erty as the location for the new high school, finally patched up without court interfer-The resolution awarding the contract condi- ence, however, and the stock was permitted tionally also provides that it shall not be to leave, all others remaining.

> was to go, to avoid any further delay after the first official announcement. While Marthe ruling of the state superintendent is tin resigns his office he will be connected known and which the board believes will be with the road for some time to come-at

> favorable to it. subcontract for the carpenter work in the or Burlington are consummated. J. N. Titte-event of his being awarded the contract to a more will act as general manager of the party who was not acceptable to the members road as he has during the illness of Martin. of the board. The plans and specifications The facts in the case are that Martin was under which the bids were made provide told by the owners of the road while east that the persons securing the contract shall that it was almost impossible in this age furnish the architects with the names of their to operate a small system, especially where subcontractors and that they must be satis- the system begins at nowhere and ends at factory to them. Hughes said he was anxious the same place. The Iowa Central has been to meet with the wishes of the board and getting the short end of the stick and yet agreed not to employ the carpenter objected its expense is as heavy as the other roads to. Hughes' bid of \$57,700 was the lowest proportionately. received.

occurred the hottest fight of the day and ized to complete the contract with the arch- and for a time it looked as though a block the result was that there will be two con- itects, Cox & Schoentgen, who prepared the or two of the business portion of the east testing delegations from this precinct. .The plans and specifications for the new high side would go. The warehouse was owned trouble arose over the appointment of a school. The contract provides that they by Cohen Brothers, The contents, valued chairman. Precinct Committeeman G. G. shall receive \$2,600 for the entire work, which at \$15,000, are an entire loss and the build-Baird, a Gear man, on calling the caucus to includes the supervision of the construction ing, valued at \$8,000, is totally destroyed, order, appointed Ovide Vien permanent of the building. This is to be paid them there being but \$2,000 insurance on the chairman without giving the caucus a in three amounts, the first installment of structure, chance to nominate its own chairman. \$750 on the signing of the contract, \$750 when Vien on taking his place immediately pro- the building is under roof and \$1,000 when ceeded to name a secretary and two tellers the school has been completed and turned without asking the wishes of the voters over to the board. The compensation to the This aroused the temper of the architects is a little over 4 per cent on the Cummins men and they placed C. B. Altchi- cost of the building. Under the contract, son in nomination as chairman. The chair Messrs. Cox & Schoentgen are to give daily An attempt on the part of Hess to introduce a resolution restoring the salaries of and while the followers of Cummins were the principals who had been reduced was gathering in one end of the room the Gear thwarted by Moore, who objected to any such action being taken in the absence of

Before introducing his motion, Hess marks in explanation of his vote at the regular meeting, at which he supported the report of the finance committee reducing the and, after thinking the matter over, felt that it was wrong to reduce the pay of teachers who had reached their present positions by years of service and merit. He thought it was all wrong and if any cutting The Second precinct of this ward returned grade teachers that should be reduced. As was to be done it was the salaries of the a divided delegation, four being for Gear he was about to introduce his resolution, Member Moore interposed, saying that the precinct was neck and neck and it was any- ought to postpone the matter until Cooper body's victory until the official count was and Stewart were present. This, he said, About 250 ballots were cast he believed was only justice to the two here. The First precinct of the Fourth members of the finance committee who had ward was conceded to Gear and the Cum- been mainly responsible for the cut in the mins people made no effort to select a dele- salaries. President Sims said he was pregation. The delegates were selected by a pared to vote right there and then and did committee and received consequently the not see the necessity of putting the matter off until Stewart and Cooper were present. In the Second precinct, however, the con- This brought Moore to his feet again with

Hess said: "I want to be fair and if the board so wills it, will wait until Cooper and Stewart are present."

Swaine said he was in favor of postponing the matter, but Henry was ready to vote. Further discussion of the question elicited from Moore the admission that the reason he had supported the report reducing the salaries was because the board had refused to reappoint E. R. Fonda as supervisor of buildings. He said: "Hitherto I have always kept politics out of the board and, although I have always been in favor of paying liberal salaries, I had to stick to my friends and by voting as I did I secured another vote for Fonda, although it failed to elect him."

Sims-Do you mean to say, Mr. Moore, that in order to retain Fonda you voted to reduce the salaries of the principals alare hopeful of securing some of the town- though in your heart you were opposed to

Moore-I had to stand by my friends and when politics were introduced by the other members, and Fonda turned down in inject a little politics myself.

After a little further discussion the in cident was closed by Hess agreeing to postpone the matter until next Tuesday night, when the board will hold an adjourned meeting.

Welsbach burners at Bixby's. Tel. 193. Domestic soap is full weight.

ELDORA, Ia., Sept. 1.—(Special.)—Sheriff Mitterer arrested Fred Hass, jr., about 8 o'clock Wednesday night and now has him

safely lodged in jail. Hass was indicted by the grand jury last on a note for \$300. Both notes have been time. was given to George Pattee of Ackley. Said notes purported to be signed by Hass and his father, with A. Herbrechtsmeier, a wealthy farmer near Hubbard, and Christian

Smith, a wealthy farmer near Steamboat

Rock, as sureties Manufacturing Company in Trouble. BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 1 .- (Special.)-Suit was begun yesterday against the Har mer Manufacturing company of Burlington to settle a tangle into which the company has gotten by reason of a mortgage on its property to the American Trust and Savings company of Illinois, amounting to \$75,000. Among the suitors are the National and State bank of Burlington and the First The Chicago & Northwestern ratiway is National bank of Ottumwa, which holds the considering a plan whereby it can raise its bonds of the company. The Harmer mills three bridges over Indian creek to the same have closed down in the meantime, throwlevel as the other bridges over the creek ing several hundred men out of work.

### and thereby remove an obstruction which GOING TO HAVE A SURPLUS

Close of the Most Successful State Fair Ever Held in Iowa.

TO IMPROVE THE GROUNDS AND STANDS

Resignation of General Manager Mar tin of the lown Central Road Goes Into Effect-Large Warehouse Burns.

DES MOINES, Sept. 1 .- (Special Telegram.)-Today was Des Moines day at the fair, when some 20,000 people attended. The fair ends tomorrow after the most successful week in its history. The receipts will aggregate \$40,000 and as the expenses are but \$20,000 to \$25,000 it is going to leave a neat surplus. This surplus will be used in improving the grounds and making the fair still better next year. Late this afternoon many of the big exhibitors packed up their exhibits and began moving out, as it always has been the custom to make Friday Saturday afternoon the fair management

entered into until the title of the property General Manager Martin of the entered into until the title of the property train stated that his resignation went train stated that his resignation went trains to be a part of the property trains and the property trains a stated that his resignation went trains a property trains a stated that his resignation went trains a stated trains a This action was taken yesterday so that into effect today. There have been all sorts bidders might know to which the contract of rumors about the matter, but this is least until the negotiations for the sale of ft developed that Hughes had arranged to the Iowa Central to either the Milwaukee

A large warehouse stored with iron, rub-The president and secretary were author- ber and rags, burned early this morning

> Changes at Cornell College. MT. VERNON, Ia., Sept. 1 .- (Spe-

cial.)-The Cornell college bulletin has just The total attendance of last year reached 647, the largest enrollment shown by any denominational school west of Chicago. The department of physics and chemistry has multiplied by fission and will retain the physics and Dr. Nicholas Knight, who has his degree from Strasburg university, Germany, will teach the chemisstated that he wished to make a few re- cessful teacher and fresh from two years' salaries of the principals. He now was sorry from the Oberlin conservatory. Miss Theo- greetings and congratulations upon the esthat he had voted to support the report dora U. Irvine, one of Cumnock's strongest the school of oratory. The school of music oming service includes Cheyenne and Lara- pay for everything. The Glit Edge mine

> to its equipment this vacation. About two years ago a movement was begun to raise \$350,000 for additional endowment to the college. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars have now been raised.

> Mortgage for Half a Million BOONE, Ia., Sept. 1 .- (Special.) - The third allroad mortgage of the last twelve months was filed with County Recorder Olson yesterday for the amount of \$520,000, covering all the property of the Marshalltown & Dakota railroad and all its extensions. The purpose of the loan is to defray the

expense of construction on the road from Fraser to Gowrle and the cost of building next year from Story City to Fraser. That part of the line west of Fraser is rapidly nearing completion and that east of Fraser will be pushed rapidly next year.

### FIVE DROWN WHILE BATHING

One Man, Three Girls and One Boy Drown at Beach Rock, Near Bridgeport, Conn.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 1 .- One man and four children, three girls and one boy, were drowned at Black Rock today while in bathing. The dead: ELIJAH MIDDLEBROOK, a farmer of

MAY MIDDLEBROOK, 14 years old, his daughter.

TONY KOEHLER, 14 years old, Easton. ETHEL HITT, 11 years old, Bridgeport. FLORENCE HITT, 14 years old, her sis-

The five victims with Andrew Koehler, favor of a republican, I thought I would father of the drowned boy, and Louis Hitt of this city, father of two of the drowned girls, ment, were spending the day at Black Rock. While bathing they all got beyond their depth. Koehler and Hitt succeeded in getting ashore themselves, but the others perished. Three of the bodies were recovered.

### OVERLAND RUNS INTO FREIGHT Defective Airbrakes on Union Pacific

Passenger Train Fail at Need and Cause Wreck.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 1 .- The Union Pacific westbound overland passenger train, which left here at noon, was wrecked at Tuesday for forgery. Two indictments were Silver Lake, twelve miles from this city, by returned—one on a note for \$150 and one running into the rear end of a freight train. The wreck was caused by the airbrakes the others to assist in the work. running about three years and Hass has of the passenger train failing to work. The been paying the interest on them for that engineer and fireman saved themselves by The first note was given to George jumping. Several freight cars were thrown E. Diehl of this place, and the other note from the track and the baggage car was telescoped

Beyond a bad shaking up none of the passengers were injured.

## TWELVE MORE OR LESS HURT

Special Train Bearing Cooper's Circus him, injuring him so severely that he died is Wrecked Near Chattanooga-Animals Scattered Everywhere.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 1 .-- A spectal to the News from Toiner's station says: A special train bearing Cooper's circus cus property and animals scattered in all are related to those traveling with Colonel No doctors are obtainable at Cody. that place and it is impossible to tell the extent of the injuries. None are thought dent Monday, is yet unable to move; to be fatally hurt.

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# HENRY H. VAN BRUNT,

COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

Valuation Returns from All the Counties in the State for Current Year.

RAISE OF 15 PER CENT OVER LAST YEAR

Tax Levy for the Year is Fixed at 6 1-4 Mills, Which Will Yield \$222,367.54 for All State Purposes.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 1 .- (Special.) -State Auditor Leroy Grant has received the valuation returns from all of the counties of the state for the current year. The valuations by counties are as follows:

Albany \$4,414.982.16 Natrona 1,327,139.00
Blg Horn 1,494.982.00 Sheridan 2,146.657.98
Carbon 4,653,487.73 Sw'twater 3,856.463.74
Converse 1,759.620.91 Ulnta 4,744.285.47
Crook 1,487.704.42 Weston 1,080,888.38
Fremont 1,469,389.09
Johnson 1,288.540.17
Laramie 5,851,065.53

The tax levy for the year has been fixed at 64 mills, which will yield a revenue for state purposes of \$222,357.54, an amount which it is expected will cover all state expenditures. The increase in state valuation over last year is \$4,769,514,755, a gain of nearly 15 per cent. The valuation exceeds that of any year in the history of Wyoming, as a state or territory.

The highest prior valuation was in 1886 when the total was \$33,338,541.00. This was in the height of the cattle business which commenced to decline during the fol lowing year. The state valuation grew less each year until 1894, when it was \$29,138,-041.20. Then it commenced to increase and has been gaining gradually since, the greatest gain for any one year being for the present one

In this year's gain in valuation the great est gains have been in sheep, cattle and lands. All branches of industry, however, show gains.

Long Distance Telephone. CHEYENNE, Sept. 1 .- (Special Telegram.) -Long distance telephone service between Denver and Cheyenne was established today when the line was formally opened to large chlorination works of this city. The try. A large supply of new equipment tween Governor Thomas of Colorado and The directors are: F. C. Lewis and J. L. has also been added to the laboratories. Dr. Chief Justice Potter of Wyoming, who ex- Lewis, West Superior, Wis.; William D. H. C. Stanclift of Cornell university, a suc- changed congratulatory messages in behalf Lowry, Minneapolis; John R. Wilson, Deadof the two states over the completion of the wood; M. H. Day and M. L. Day, Rapid travel and study in Europe, has accepted a line and establishment of the telephone City. The officers are: President, J. L. call to the chair of history. Miss Anne service. Mayor Schnitger of Cheyenne and Lewis; vice-president, W. D. Lowry; secre-Patton comes to the conservatory of music Mayor Johnson of Denver also exchanged tary and treasurer, F. C. Davis; general tablishment of closer commercial and social straightened up the old liens and indebtedstudents, becomes one of the teachers in relations between the two cities. The Wy- ness and will start up with ample money to is also adding seven new Chickering planes mie and will be extended to include the is one of the best in the Black Hills and

#### Pacific from Laramie to Ogden. per day. The company will add a cyanide GOVERNOR LEE WILL REFUSE plant to the works.

No Extra Session of South Dakots Legislature to Raise a Free Train Fund.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 1.-A Pierre (S. D.) special to the Dispatch says: The Populist, the official paper of Governor Lee in this city, today announces that the governor will refuse to call a session of the legislature to provide means to bring the troops from San Francisco. It also states pital fund. It is hoped \$3,000 may be that he will refuse to issue emergency war rants, which means that state warrants will have to be registered within a few days, but it is not likely that any of them will be

for more than a short time. The Populist also announces that Public Examiner Taylor has filed a report showing crooked work in the management of the penitentiary, the reform school and insane asylum under former management, but that the officers refuse to give out the report,

stating that it will be published in due time. NO SUCH AN EMERGENCY EXISTS

Desire for Free Soldiers' Train Doe Not Justify a Special Session. PIERRE, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special Telea special session. He believes the money can it will be raised by popular subscription and he is Manila. be raised by popular subscription and he is disposed to allow the committee appointed at Huron to carry its work to a successful

termination and will give it his encourage-The Populist, the official paper of the governor, states that he will not authorize the issue of emergency warrants to meet the deficit which will come in a few days without them, for the reason that he does not believe there will be any discount on the state warrants, as the time until they can be paid will be short. The same paper promises early sensations in the report of the public examiner on the past management of the penitentiary, reform school and insane hospital, but as yet the governor's office does not see fit to give the matter out for publication.

The first of the corps of Sisters of Mercy who will establish the hospital in this city arrived today and are at work arranging the building. Mother Catharine is present with

News Notes from Huron

HURON, S. D., Sept. 1 .- (Special.) -- A son of John Bolte and wife of Dearborn township was buried Thursday. Monday he was riding in a wagon from the creamery with a number of milk cans filled with water; the horses started suddenly, throwing the little fellow to the ground. One of the cans weighing 100 pounds or more fell upor

in a few hours. Half a dozen families of Indians have come from the reservation and are in camp here awaiting the arrival of Buffalo Bill and his Wild West show, which exhibits here on Tuesday. The Indians say that applicawas wrecked here this morning by the tions for leave of absence was asked for at bursting of an air brake hose, and twelve feast 150 Indians, but only a few were persons were more or less injured and cir- granted the privilege; some of those here

> Oscar Jamison, injured in a runaway acci ficsh on his legs and arms was torn loose

## GREAT GAINS IN WYOMING Cheap Acreage Near Council Bluffs DAY & HESS COUNCIL BLUFFS,

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> Counties Raising Money. ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 1 .- (Special.)-The counties of South Dakota report good progress is being made in raising the amount appportioned them for the bringing home of the soldiers. Brookings county has already raised \$1,000 and Brown county's share has been arranged for. The committee will soon have the buttons, which are to be sold for the benefit of the general hosrealized in this way.

> August Tabbert Under Arrest. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Sept. 1 .- (Special Telegram.)-August Tabbert, who was arrested at Newton, Ill., charged by Sherman Brothers & Bratager of Sloux Falls with grand larceny, was brought back today in charge of the sheriff and lodged in jail Tabbert has admitted his guilt. mated peculations amount to \$1,000. The preliminary hearing will be held tomorrow.

Thirty-First Reaches San Francisco SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The Thirty-first infantry regiment, the first of the new regiments organized under the new law PIERRE, S. D., Sept. 1.—(Special Tele-gram.)—Governor Lee in his refusal to call a detailed for service in the Philippines, arspecial session takes the position that no rived here this morning from the east and such emergency exists which would justify at once marched out to the Presidio, where will remain in camp until it sails for anila. The men are in excellent health and spirits and appear none the worse for the long railroad trip.

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