Union Pacific Engineers and Firemen Will Confer with High Officials.

FIREMEN ASK INCREASE IN WAGE SCALE

Introduction of Large New Engines. Gives Rise to Demand for Higher Wages, as More and Harder Work is Required.

Representatives of the various lodges of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen at points along the lines of the Union Pacific rallroad in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado and Vandeville-Wyoming are in the city for the purpose of conferring with General Manager Dickinson and Superintendent of Motive Power McConnell. The engineers are members of McConnell. The engineers are members of the committee of adjustment and the firemen belong to the general protective board. Annually these committees meet to adjust difficulties and grievances arising with the engineer during the year. After such met. enginemen during the year. After such matters are considered by the committees they are presented to the higher officials of the road for final disposition. Numerous grievances arise in the course of a year which division superintendents, master mechanics and lesser officials are unable to decide. ages the committee of adjustment and genconsidered.

ferences with Mr. Dickinson are expected. G. W. Vroman of North Platte, chairengineers, says: "The matters which have bers which make up the bill. been brought before our committee are of

road officials and the engineers themselves. be seen and until that time I am at liberty to say nothing regarding our grievances." Pay of the Firemen.

as the 1500 and 1700 class. For firing these pany his singing cause the audience to bubengines the railroad company has inaugurated a scale of \$2.75 per 100 miles for the 1500 class and \$2.35 per 100 miles for the 1700 class. This scale has never been accepted by the firemen and the protective board will endeavor to press upon the officials a higher schedule. One of the members of the board stated that the advance

an evasive answer was given. question with the engineers also relates to and that by mistake she entered his room an increase in their scale of wages for run- at the hotel in Italy where he stopped and ning the large new engines. The members kissed him, thinking it was her brother,

result in case the advance was not granted,

of the two committee in the city are: Ellis, Kan.; William Hockenburger, Den- mands satisfaction in a duel and while he ver; H. C. Gutch, Cheyenne; D. Bress, goes to get the weapons the naval officer the purpose of equalizing the cost among all Laramie: A. F. Wilkins, Beatrice; G. M. Baker, Evanston; T. C. Livingston, Omaha, returns, introduces her as his future wife benefited. Locomotive Firemen: McCray, North Platte;

George Updegraff, Omaha. THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.

When Does the Twentieth Century Begint Is it in 1900 or 1901?

This is the question that at present is puzzling the inquisitive mind. of the nineteenth century, and the 1st of with lightning-like rapidity and the char- fill for 6 or 7 cents a cubic yard. January, 1901, the first day of the twentieth acters are all quite diversified. century-so says Camille Flamarion.

at midnight, December 31. tieth century before the United States.

What a record the nineteenth century will changes of costumes, appearing in a number Napoleon, that developed the wonders of the some parodles that are up-to-date, besides railway, the steamship, the telegraph, the telling a batch of stories that are new and telephone and gas, and that reaches its witty. Ore, Bernard and Ore offer another apotheosis in electricity.

If America, owing to her position on the Chinatown." A unique transformation scene map, does not head the line of is used in the act. triumphal procession of nations entering the portals of the new who are appearing as headliners at the Orcentury, she certainly takes precedence pheum this week, are to close their vaudeof the whole world by the marvels of her vast industries and scientific discoveries and gaged for the Woodward Stock company in in the production of the most potential of Kansas City, for which place they leave all remedies-DUFFY'S PURE MALT Saturday night. Mr. Huntington takes Wil-

The formula was discovered in 1860 by one of the world's most famous chemists. This great whiskey has saved the lives of thousands of people who were apparently doomed by that dreaded of all disease-consumption. For forty years Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has stood the most crucial test of doctors and chemists and is today recognized and indorsed by the best authorities in the medical profession as the greatest known stimulant and tonic on account of its absolute purity and medicinal properties.

Rich Trent for Musicians. A small coterie of music lovers were given a rich treat Sunday night after the service at the First Methodist church by Thomas J. Keily, director of the choir. A program of excellent organ numbers was given in good taste and appreciation of the heautles of the compositions. Among the selections given were the overture to



covered with pimples? Your skin rough and blotchy? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, billousness, and dyspepsia. 25c. All druggists.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE Whishers

WILL PRESENT GRIEVANCES "Aroldo," by Verdi; a fantasie on airs from "Faust," by Gounod; "The Funeral March of a Marionette," by Gounod, and the overture to "William Tell."

Not a Surprise.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Skinner, general agent of the Chicago Stock Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that Yards company, conferred with a number people everywhere take pleasure in relating of Nebraska live stock men regarding the their experience in the use of that splendid medicine and in telling of the benefit they have received from it, of bad colds it has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it company, Mr. Skinner is general manager has averted and of the children it has saved of the International Live Stock Exposition from attacks of the croup and whooping company, and is dividing his time between cough. It is a grand, good medicine.

these two big interests.

"This international show has been gotten

of the continent," said Mr. Skinner. "It is

entirely non-mercenary in that the man-

agement will permit no individual gain-in

other words, it will be a wide open show.

on foot by the live stock interests of the

country and is backed by the Allied Live

Stock Interests of Chicago and will be the

most powerful union of producing, market-

ing and consuming interests over effected.

The event will be patterned after the Royal

Live Stock show of England, except that it

can be more attractive than a study of such

and common cattle."

... AMUSEMENTS ...

Regular weekly change of bill at the Creighton-Orpheum Sunday afternoon and evening. THE BILL

Oro, Bernard and Oro sition management. The show is to be a

Since the Orpheum theater opened over These are necessarily brought before the a year ago there have been few, if any, bills general officials. The Union Pacific encour- as meritorious throughout and furnishing the same amount of real pleasure as the one eral protective board, and the members are which had its first presentation Sunday always accorded respectful hearing and the afternoon. There are no thousand-dollar a matters presented by them are carefully week "headliners" upon it, nor does its personnel include the names of any performers In September these committees held a that are particularly well known in Omaha, lengthy session in this city and arranged or anywhere else for that matter, but their grievances for presentation to Gen- each and every one of them is deserving of eral Manager Dickinson, Owing to the press- praise for their part in the entertainment ing demands made upon the time of the offered. There is not a single act included general manager an adjournment was taken in the program which could be classed as until this time. The present session will commonplace; on the other hand, they are probably be speedily ended as early conall decidedly above the average usually seen at this theater, and it would be hard to find two hours and a half of more pleasant man of the committee of adjustment of the amusement than is offered in the seven num-

If one were to judge by the applause, a nature interesting to none but the rail- Louise Dresser and her two chocolate-colored, kinky-headed picanninnies are the hit played at this exhibition. What disposition the railroad officials will of the performance. Miss Dresser is a see to make of these matters remains to beautiful weman with a mellow soprano ing cattle, sheep and swine, agricultural Boers. Hosts of the northern farmers are voice of quality and cultivation and she horses will also be included in the display. now likely to join the rebellion, Defeat is uses it to excellent advantage in singing At the same time a fat cattle show of the also serious because it will delay the junca number of coon songs in which her pic-With the firemen the principal question animnies play an important part. Clad in of this cannot help but appeal to the people French at Naauwpoort. The plan was for has relation to the matter of salaries. A overalls, bareheaded and one with a guitar fireman is paid at the rate of so much per and the other a mandelin, they accompany given to the upbuilding of their herds will on Lord Methuen's column. hundred miles. The lowest scale is \$2.25 Miss Dresser in her songs and join in the per hundred miles. The contention has chorus. Both have splendid voices and one arisen regarding the introduction by the of the little fellows is quite a show in him-Union Pacific of the large engines known self. The facial expressions which accom-

Mr. Farren supersedes Walter Green.

"A Black Sheep."

enedium-sized audiences. It is the same

He is the same robust, good-natured De-

The engagement was for one day only.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

ble over with merriment. Considering the bill from an artistic point of view Wright Huntington's little one-act comedy is the feature of the performance. record It is entitled "A Stolen Kiss," and tells the story of a young American naval officer, United States. With such men at Modder river originated from the fact that an artist as well, who, while traveling in the head of the organization the show canbers of the board stated that the advance sought is a slight one, but asserted that large an inspiration during a dream, not possibly fail. General Manager Skinger hauled a naval gun to the top of a high sought is a slight one, but asserted that the firemen will contend for its acceptance on the part of the officials of the Union the part of the Union the Union the part of the Union t Pacific road. When asked if a strike would ture is exhibited and brings him fame as is to be made to interest Nebraska stockmen tion at a range of 6,700 yards, where the an artist as well as fortune. He is visited and it is more than likely that Nebraska- enemy was apparently constructing an emby a young woman at his study who in- bred stock will bring home some of the It is understood that the most important forms him that the picture is her likeness prizee. Grading and Paving Project. A petition is being circulated for the who, upon seeing the picture, becomes in- grading of M street from Thirteenth west to are still in possession quite close to Mod-Committee of adjustment, Brotherhood furiated and immediately seeks the Ameri- Twenty-fourth. With the exception of the Locomotive Engineers: G. W. Vroman, can's life. The woman advises him to leave blocks between Twentieth and Twenty-secchairman, North Platte; Thomas Ogden, Rawlins; C. F. Tracy, North Platte; J. W. receives a visit from the brother, who proves Baldridge, Kansas City; A. C. Thompson, to be a Corsican nobleman. The latter de-Twenty-fourth on the west. This is done for

proposes to his model and, when the count the owners of abutting property who will be General Protective Board, Brother- and all ends well. Mr. Huntington is a City Engineer Beal estimates that it will C. E. clever legitimate actor and depicts the char- take 125,000 cubic yards of dirt to fill the eral tiers of works are beginning to appear e. chairman, Ellis, Kan.; S. acter of the hero in a convincing manner. deep gullies between Twentieth and Twenty-Denahar, secretary, North Platte; Mr. Farren offers a bit of unrivalled char-S. acter of the hero in a convincing manner, deep gullies between Twentieth and Twenty- at the foot of the heights. The force fired M. acter work in that of the Corsican count. 12 cents a cubic yard the expense will form the right wing of the enemy's main Andrews, Denver; B. Harnish, Laramie; H. He not only looks the part but enacts it amount to \$15,000. This price is considered body, thrown forward for patrolling and M. Beulbey, Rawlins; T. Morgan, Evans- perfectly as well. His dialect is perfect pretty high, but it is thought by those inton; Henry Cox, Beatrice; U. G. Applegate, and his methods are those of a thorough art- terested that arrangements can be made bad water at Speytfontein threatens an Makepeace, has inaugurated a war on per-Cheyenne; David Cronin, Kansas City; ist whose performance is always finished whereby the work can be done for about 7 and praiseworthy. Miss Francis is a tall, cents a yard. There are quite a number of stately brunette, possessing all of the grace ungraded lots in the vicinity of the point and beauty necessary for the character of where the big fill is to be made, and hopes the countess. She is an actress of ability as are entertained that the owners of these will well and wears some stunning gowns and improve the opportunity of having the bluffs pretty jewelry. Leo Carle offers a decided taken away when they can get the work done novelty in what is termed a one-man com- for little or nothing. With short hauls and edy-drama, in which he personates a dozen 3 or 4 cents a yard for cutting down the The last day of the year 1900 is the end different characters. His changes are made bluffs, contractors can afford to make the big

It is understood that those interested will Jerome and Alexis present a contortion take this matter up with the owners of The twentieth century therefore will begin act in a most novel manner by appearing ungraded property in the vicinity of the fill as a frog and lizard. The stage is set to and secure decided propositions before sub-The Asiatics will begin it before the represent a swamp and the illusion is well mitting the question to contractors. With blegram-Special Telegram.)-Advices from ury for not being more choice of his lan-Europeans and the Europeans before the carried out. Merritt and Murdock offer a M street graded a direct line from the heart | Mafeking. December 10, by runner to Mo-Americans. Madrid will be in advance of specialty entitled "Luncheon at 2," in which of the city to the proposed Burlington depot chudi, December 4, say: Washington and Spain will enter the twen- the latter does some clever imitations, will be established. The opening of a thorwhile the latter makes a number of rapid oughfare to the railroad tracks is all that leave behind her! An era that opened with of different characters. Jack Norworth sings much desired depot. Some of the M street fairly quiet, which annoyed the Boers so novelty in a specialty entitled "Scenes in Wright Huntington and George Farren, be presented to the city council. The estabville engagement here. They have been enwill tend to greatly reduce the price of paying brick, and this fact has caused property owners on M street to seriously consider the lis Granger's place as leading man while grading problem. An estimated cost of \$15,-000 for the grading means a tax of \$2.60 per foot front, and this is considered excessive, especially in view of the fact that the paving This well-known Hoytean farce was the of the street is being considered as well as offering at Boyd's Sunday and pleased two the grading.

> Two Burgiaries Reported. Two early Sunday morning burglaries very low. The Boers' horses are reported in were reported at police headquarters. A poor condition.

funny comedy that was seen here a couple of seasons ago. There has been a number of changes in the cast since then, however, thief entered Otto Maurer's restaurant on but "Big Bill" Devere, as he is known, N street by climbing over the kitchen tranaround whom Mr. Hoyt wrote the play and som and then cutting a panel from the who created the leading role, is still with door which leads into the dining-room, the organization and of course the life of it. Special Watchman Mike Murphy was standing across the street when he saw the burglar sneaking along behind the bar and he at once started for the rear door of the restaurant. Before he had run the half block the thief became alarmed and escaped, taking nothing but a revolver. In his haste to depart a flat top felt hat was they give a fairly creditable performance. left and may prove a means of identifica-

The second burglary was committed at the Exchance. Entrance to the barroom At Plymouth Congregational church, Twentleth and Spencer streets, next Tuesday evening Rev. F. A. Hattch will deliver a lecture entitled. "Queer People." No admission fee will be charged.

Those who have the matter in charge state that seats will be reserved for women who wish to attend the pro-Boer meeting Monday evening at Osthoff's hail. Miss Mary Fairbrother, editor of the Woman's Weekly, is to be one of the speakers.

Charles Hatfield, a laborer residing at Twenty-fourth and Pierce streets, fell from a coal wagon in the alley between Thirteenth and Fourteenth and Dodge and Douglas streets. Sunday forenoon, and sustained a bad fracture of the left collarbone. He was remayed to the police station, where Dr. Raiph attended him and later he was taken to his home.

The fire department was called upon to do a liftle fire fighting about 10 o'clack Sundey morning at 113 South Eleventh street in the building occupied by W. L. Masterman & Co., dealers in tea and coffee. The flames originated from one of the ovens in the hassment and spread to the light above. The damage was alight to the building, the greatest loss being caused by smoke and water. was affected by breaking out the glass in a door and then throwing back the lock. A small quantity of liquor was taken, together with about \$5 in change out of the till, and the slot machine was broken open and \$15 in nickels secured. This is considered a daring piece of work as watchmen about the Exchange building are numerous and the night clerk of the hotel is seldom very far away. The thieves used up at least a box of matches while securing the plunder.

The Board of Education meets tonight. Special music for Christmas services is eing arranged by all the churches. Harry Hulsman has been held to the dis-rict court for assaulting George Miller. The Lotus club will give a dancing party t Masonic ball Tuesday evening. Decem-The mod was washed from a portion of Twenty-fourth street yesterday by the fire opal church at Twenty-fourth and J CURRENCY BILL THIS WEEK It is expected that a meeting of the li-grary directors will be held some day this week to elect officers.

While in the city a day or two ago W. E. A meeting of the board of trustees of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the pastor's study this evening Rev. Irving Johnson lectured at St. Mar-n's Episcopal church last evening on Constantinopie and the Rise of Heresies the Early Church." holding of an international live stock show at Chicago in December, 1900. Besides his connection with the Chicago Stock Yards Eastern bond buyers have paid the money for the recent issue of \$22,300 funding bonds Frank J. Moriarty, cashier of the Packers' National bank, negotiated the sale.

"This international show has been gotten up for the good of the live stock interests GREAT BOER VICTOR

(Continued from First Page.)

is that the enemy has blown up the high-More money in prizes is to be offered in the classes to be represented than at the World's way bridge. The Transvaal government has decided to consider Winston Churchill, who was cap-tured November 15 between Estcourt and "The Hereford, Shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus, Red Polled and Polled Durham associations as well as the Cotswold and Chieveley, a combatant officer and to retain Shropshire associations have set aside large him as a prisoner. Churchill has applied to premiums of individual classes. To these General Buller with a view of getting an will be added large premiums by the expo- exchange.

This has been a quiet day here. The health of the troops is excellent.

opment in the live stock industry. It is put SUFFERS TERRIFIC DEFEAT Gatacre's Repulse Considered the Worst Sustained by British

Since the War Began. LONDON, Dec. 11 .- 4:45 a. m.-It hardly too much to regard General Gatwill be greater in scope. A large repre-sentation from foreign lands is expected— serious defeat British arms have yet susin fact delegations have already been ap- tained in the whole campaign. Already the pointed to take the work in hand through official advices show that two men were the foreign legations. The South American killed, nine officers and seventeen men were republics are large and liberal buyers of wounded and nine officers and 596 men are pure bred stock in England at the present | missing. But it is evident that the worst is time. Only recently a pure bred bull was not yet known. The proportion of wounded parties, the price being \$13,000. It is in- the missing-who are undoubtedly prisontended, by the magnitude and magnificence ers in the hands of the Boers-that the sup-"This show will be worth seeing from a that there were serious losses of guns and standpoint of genuine beauty, as nothing equipment.

The most serious aspect of the affair ! ancient and proud lineage as will be dis- the effect it is likely to have on the Dutch | though there is a general disposition on the | the War department agreed to honor such a in Cape Colony, who have been wavering "In addition to the classes of beef-breed- as to whether to throw in their lot with the making until after the holidays. meat classes will be held. The benefits tion of General Gatacre with General of Nebraska and the encouragement thus their combined forces to relieve the pressure

be of inestimable value to all Nebraska The disclosure of such a strong force at breeders. At present there is a difference of Stormburg was quite unexpected. Doubtless about \$2 a hundred pounds between good General Gatacre was the victim of treacherous guides. But the result points also to This association is officered by men of na- the absence of proper cavalry scouting.

tional reputation, while the executive com- The British troops who recently occupied mittee is made up of leading men in every Arundel are advancing. They have had class of live stock in the country. The directory consists of the presidents of every live miles north of Arundel they found the Boers association, stock in a throng.

phacement for a forty-pounder. Lyddite shells appeared to do immense damage. The Boers retired, but the incident

der river. the temporary bridge there is enough rollserve Lord Methuen's purpose.

It is reported that the Boers are busy crew, the final disposition of vessels, etc. making intrenchments at Speytfontein. Sevon by the British naval gun is believed to scouting purposes. It is reported that the epidemic of typhoid.

Kimberley reports all quiet there up to Capetown to the Daily Mail, dated Thursday, December 7, says:

"News that Chiefs Phama, Linchwe, Bathoon and Secheli, with their people in Bechuanaland, have arisen to attack the Boers seriously complicates the situation. It is possible that the Basutos and other tribes will follow their example."

Advices from Mafeking. Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Dec. 10 .- (New York World Ca-

"Fire was much heavier today. Our advanced trench reached to within 1,400 yards erally, and women and children in particu- of organizing a state federation of women's appears to be delaying the erection of the of the big gun. Long range volleys kept it lar, to traverse the streets without having clubs. Owing to the fact that the clubs in property owners are quite enthusiastic over | much that heavy firing commenced all the project and will doubtless work hard to around and was kept up by fits and starts secure signatures to the petition. These in- all day. The new Krupp has arrived and terested parties assert that with the street the western front is much livelier today. open from Twenty-fourth street to the Several Kaffirs have been killed and tracks that is little doubt that a petition for wounded lately; also a few whites. All the the paying of the street with brick would garrison are well. The rains are commencing and the Boer commandants find it diflishment of a large brick manufactory here ficult to retain their men on account of crops and sowing."

> Advices from Ladysmith. Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co. LONDON. Dec. 10 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.) - Advices from Frere Camp, December 10, 4:25 p. m., Heliographing continues daily with вау: Ladysmith. A searchlight is also used for signaling nightly. A combined movement is therefore shortly expected. Tugela river is

Boers Attack Kimberly. CAPETOWN, Dec. 9 .- It is rumored here that the Boers attacked Kimberley at close quarters last night, but were repulsed with heavy loss.

Indications everywhere point to great prosperity for the coming year. This is an invariable sign of a healthy nature. The success of a country, as well as the success of an individual, depends upon health. There can be no health if the stomach is weak. If you have any stomach trouble try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which cures dyspepsia, indigestion and biliousness. It makes strong, vigorous men and women.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

E. F. Holmes of Fremont is in the city. H. B. Mills of Lincoln was in town over A. I. Wright of Tecumseh is in town on

Theodore C. Zahn of Lincoln spent Sunday in town.

Judge John E. Carland of Sioux Falls,
S. D. is at the Millard hotel.

Fred J. Byington, formerly a dispatcher on the Union Pacific at Evanston, Wyo., is visiting friends in the city. He is en route to the east.

Mrs. George A. Wall will leave Monday evening for Minneapolis with the remains of her husband, who committed suicide on Ninth street Friday night.

Jack Fennington, a newspaper man from in town

Jack Pennington, a newspaper man from Denver, was removed from the Merchants hotel to the Clarkson hospital Sunday night suffering from nervous prostration. He ar-rived in the city Saturday. A quantity of stonecutiers' tools was suffering from nervous pros stolen Saturday night from the new Epis- rived in the city Saturday.

Miss Hattie Ingersoll led the Enworth cague services last evening, the subject of the House to Last Until Friday of the Inn-Dwelling Presence. Afternoon.

> REPUBLICANS ARE SOLIDLY FOR IT In the Senate Mason is to Open the

Week with His Boer Resolution-A General Fore-

enst.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 .- The house will devote the week entirely to the financial debate of the currency bill. Under the terms of the special order adopted on Friday the general debate will open tomorrow imnediately after the reading of the Journal and continued daily from noon until 5 o'clock Friday. On Saturday the bill will be read paragraph by paragraph for amendment under the five-minute rule. The vote will not be taken until the following Monday.

The debate will probably cover a wide range, including a general rethreshing of the campaign issues of 1898, and there may be some stormy incidents. The republicans are arrayed solidly for the bill, but many of them who have never before advocated the gold standard doubtless will have to take the floor to explain their change of position. On the democratic side some of the members are reported as favoring the bill, but there has been no canvass made as yet and t remains to be seen how many of them will oin the republicans upon this measure. Representative Overstreet of Indiana, who will have charge of the bill on the floor, will make the opening argument in its support comorrow.

Senate Forceast.

The week does not promise to be a busy one in the senate, the indications being for purchased in England by South American and killed is so small, when compared with routine business and short sessions inside the chamber, with much preparation for future work in the committee rooms. Senator of this show, to divert that trade to this plementary list of casualties is anticipated Mason will open the week with a speech on with serious misgivings. It is also feared his resolution declaring the sympathy of this Great Britain. There may be other brief speeches upon this and other questions, part of the senators to postpone speech-

The republican senators generally feel that the most important work for the present is to secure the reorganization of the committees, especially the finance committee, as preliminary to other werk. Another effort will be made to complete the reorgani

zation during the present week. The finance committee may meet on Tues day for preliminary consideration of the finance bill, but this is not yet decided upon The expectation now is that this bill will not be taken up in the senate until after the Christmas holidays. The committee on foreign relations will take up the reciprocity treaties on Wednesday. The committee on privileges and elections will consider the contests over senatorial seats in a desultory way, but the real work on these will not begin until Saturday, when opposing council will be heard in the Quay case,

HE WOULD KEEP OUT THE PLAGUE.

Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital Service Issues Orders. WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 .- Surgeon General Wood of the marine hospital service, in view of the officially reported prevalence of is interesting as showing that the Boers the plague in Santos, Brazil, and Oporto, Portugal, and the local conditions at those ports has issued regulations to prevent its two months to rebuild the iron bridge. Lord regulations are to remain in force until Nels Peterson, Ole Pearson and L. Berking on horseback. Should the rains destroy cities. The regulations prescribe in detail ing stock on the north side of the river to ports, methods of disinfection of ships, cargo, personal effects of passengers and

SOUTH DAKOTA NEWS.

To Bar Bad Language. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) the significant and appropriate name of sone who have been accustomed to use profane language on the streets regardless of December 7 and that the pressure of the whether or not women or children were investment is diminished. A dispatch from within hearing. As an example and as a within hearing. As an example and as a gentle hint to more prominent men who so far forget themselves as to offend in this Jack" for using foul and obscene language on a business street. "Happy Jack," who poses as a "strong man" and has been giv- the southern portion of the Black Hills and before a police justice, who compelled him to contribute the sum of \$6 to the city treasguage in public. It is proposed to similarly punish other offenders of this character and

> their care poliuted by foul language. Affairs Reported from Aberdeen. ABERDEEN, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) The city schools at Ipswich have been closed on account of the prevalence of diphtheria. Several deaths have occurred. The disease started among some Russian families. The general store of M. Stocking of Claremont was robbed Wednesday night and a large quantity of merchandise stolen. The sheriff has offered a reward for the cap-

> ture of the thieves. Mrs. Kyle, wife of the senator, and daughter Ethelyn will start for Washington.

D. C., in a few days, where they will spend Mrs. J. R. Stowell has been appointed a member of the staff of the national president of the Woman's Relief corps.

The D. O. K. K. has elected these offivizier, George Bolles; grand emir, E. W. Taylor; mahedi, R. P. Fargo; secretary, W. O. Jones; treasurer, John Wade; menial, Dr. P. M. Walker; sahib, A. W. Tossum.

Want the Soldiers to Vote. HOT SPRINGS, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) -The agitation over the attempt to stop the old soldiers of the home from voting seems to increase as the matter is discussed. Dr. A. S. Stewart, who was one of the committee of the Grand Army of the Republic post of this city that recently passed resolutions censuring the management and the Soldiers' Home board for their action in trying to prevent the soldiers from voting has a lengthy article in a local paper defending the action of the post and insisting that the veterans should not be disfranchised.

Requisition for Ordnance Stores. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 10.-(Special.)-Governor Lee has made a requisition on William Tyson of Calloway is in the the government for ordnance and ordnance stores to replace those which were turned

> The Kind You Have Always Bough CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought Hears the CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the



Men who are always in a hurry, and most men are, want a soap for the toilet that will lather quickly and freely in hot or cold water. Other soaps than Ivory may have this quality, but will likely contain alkali, which is injurious to the skin. Ivory Soap is made of pure vegetable oils, no alkali, produces a white, foamy lather, that cleanses thoroughly and rinses easily and quickly. Money cannot buy a better soap for the toilet.

IT FLOATS.

country with the Boers in their war with | in to the government by the state militia at | on the Niobrara river near Valentine. He the time of muster in of the militia as can give a horse-power of 10,000 for ten volunteers from this state. Some time ago hours a day. He is a banker of Valentine. Howard to Have a New Bank requisition and the arms when received will be stored in the state arsenal and held HOWARD, S. D., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—T. until organizations of new militia companies H. Radeliff, C. J. Farmer and H. M. Hanson

are completed. Adjutant General Humphrey has secured opies of all the muster-out rolls of the 1. First South Dakota volunteers and is hav- will be cashier. ing them transcribed into a permanent record book, where they can easily be examined at any time without rolling and unrolling the original rolls.

Huron Happenings. HURON, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) -- Huron lodge No. 26, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, has elected these officers for the ensuing year: George T. Grove, W. M.; Oscar Ricker, S. W.; Dave W. Smith, J. W.

The Great Northern railway has made a and did not know of the death of his uncle reduction of about 10 per cent in local until he rode up to the house where the freight rates on this division of its system. | funeral was in progress. Another prisoner was brought here by Deputy United States Marshal Collins and put in jail yesterday charged with violating the government liquor law

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.)-Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church The engineers' report that it would take introduction into the United States, which of Hart, Roberts county. The trustees are strom.

The Hennepin County Savings bank of Minneapolis has filed a copy of its articles with the secretary of state and has appointed Guy H. Wood of Milbank resident agent for this state.

Invests School Fund. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 10.-(Special.)-Since November 1 the State Land depart ment has succeeded in placing about \$30,000 of the permanent school fund, which was -The city marshal of Watertown, who bears piling up through the summer months. The amount on hand yet is over \$100,000, but it is being called out at present more rapidly than it is coming in. Applications were re ceived today for \$770 from Hanson county and \$500 from Meade county.

Sheepmen Will Organize. HOT SPRINGS, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) .- The meeting of the sheepmen at Edgeparticular, Marshal Makepeace has arrested mont on December 16 for the purpose of an irresponsible character known as "Happy forming an association promises to be very largely attended. It is estimated that 180,-000 sheep will be represented there, covering ing exhibitions of his alleged feats of the southwestern part of Wyoming. In the strength in Watertown salcons, was taken evening the sheepmen will be given a grand banquet.

Women's Clubs to Combine. DEADWOOD, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.)-A number of delegates were here from the Women's clubs of the Black Hills towns thereby make it possible for citizens gen- attending a meeting to consider the question the eastern part of the state had not been notified in time for delegates to attend nothing definite was done.

> To Utilize Water Power. DEADWOOD, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) C. H. Cornell of Valentine, Neb., is in this city with a plan to organize a company to utilize a water right that he has control of

will open a new banking house under the name of the People's bank about January The capital will be \$10,000. Hanson

Ample Fire Protection. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) -Hetland now has ample fire protection, a new pump house having been completed and an engine installed therein. A jail has also just been completed at the same place.

Long Journey on Horseback. HUMBOLDT, Neb., Dec. 10 .- (Special.) --Earl Byers of Bird City, Kan., a former res-Ed J. Miller, treasurer; Bruce M. Rowley, ident of this city, arrived here yesterday, secretary; Asher F. Pay, trustee for three having ridden horseback all the way. He came to visit his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Campbell,

Auburn Students Visit Humboldt. HUMBOLDT Neb. Dec. 10.-(Special.)-Members of the senior class from the Auburn high schools visited the Humboldt schools Friday and were later entertained at the home of Prof. C. S. Jones, superintendent of the schools. In the evening a banquet was given at the residence of J. C. Segrist.

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