NEWS OF INTEREST FROM IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs.
Wollman, scientific optician, 408 B'way.
Pasturage, Judson, 929 6th ave. Tel. 348. J. C. and W. Woodward, architects, room Leverett block, Council Bluffs, ia. Take home a brick of Metzger's ice cream. Vanila, 25c; Neopolitan, 25c. New goods and outfits for pyrographic work at Alexander's Are Store, 23 B way. For rent, one furnished room or two un-furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address M. Bee office.

Go to Morgan & Klein for uphoistering mattress making and feather renovating. 122 South Main street. 'Phone 548.

J. P. Stake of Des Moines is guest of his sister, Mrs. M. V. Beasore. The Lady Maccabees will meet Tuesday afternoon at the usual time and place. Fidelity council No. 15c, Royal Arcanum, will meet in regular session this evening. Mrs. Ernest E. Hart of Park avenue will entertain the Ladles' Musical club this afternoon,

Mr. and Mrs. Perry of Manning, Ia., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Millard of Glen avenue.

Miss Edith Shreves of Neola is guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Shreves, 1623 Avenue C. Miss Mary Bishop of Cozad, Neb., and Miss Allie Lane of Orleans, Neb., are visit-ing Council Bluffs friends.

Avery Jennings, son of Mayor Jennings, left last evening for lowa City, to resume his studies at the State university. A. A. Covait, cornetist of this city, has been selected to lead the band which will play this summer at Lake Manawa.

Mrs. Anna B. Hills and daughter, Mrs. Mary Bemis, are guests of Mrs. Hills' son, W. E. Lewis, and family of South Seventh

The county supervisors will meet in ad-journed session today. The principal busi-ness before it will be the bills for the care

of smallpox patients. The track team of the High school has closed a contract for the use of the Driving park for training purposes. The team will go into active training today. Mrs. H. B. Jones has gone to Wichita, Kan., where she will make her home. Mrs. Jones was one of the leading members of the Mozart Musical club of this city.

Now is the time to plant trees, fruits and flowering shrubs. Buy them at Menary's Crescent nurseries. Sales ground 619 East Broadway. Edwin J. Abbott, manager. The Loyal Neighbors of America are preparing to give an entertainment the evening of Tuesday, April 29, when the members will be assisted by "Ma Dusenberry and Her Glaris."

The Dodge Light Guards will hold an election this evening for a major in the Fifty-first regiment, lowa National Guard, to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Major Bennett.

Harry Van Brunt left last evening for Culver, Ind., to resume his studies at the Military academy, after spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van Brunt.

President Wells of the motor company is expected home from the east this week, when a meeting of the board of directors will be held to decide upon the opening of the resort of Lake Manawa and what improvements will be installed there this

Charles S. McDonald, son of Alderman W. C. McDonald, will engage in the real estate business in Butte, Neb., where he will enter the firm of Barclay & Jackson. Mr. Jackson is a son of former Governor Jackson of Iowa and collegemate of Mr. McDonald.

The directors of the Council Bluffs Rowing association will meet this evening, when the question of establishing a golf club as an auxiliary to the association will come up for final action. As the committee has been most successful in securing members, the golf club, it is said, is an assured fact. Mrs. Mary H. Calfee, mother of Rev. W. J. Calfee, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, is lying in a critical condition at the home of her son on Fletcher avenue. These members of the family are at her bedaide: Miss F. S. Calfee, missians a the bedaide: Miss F. S. Calfee, missians are the land of the family are at her bedaide: Miss F. S. Calfee, missians are the land of the family are at her bedaide: Miss F. S. Calfee, missians are the land of the family are at the land of the family are account. Blonary among the Indians at Hackberry, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Huss and children of Pierre, S. D.; Mrs. W. H. Wiswell of Gresham, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Test of York, Neb., and Mack Calfee of Mt. Ayr, Ia.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250. Two Old Settlers Die.

James B. Boren, a pioneer settler of Pottawattamie county, died Sunday morning at his home in Hazel Dell township. Ho was 85 years of age yesterday and death was due to the infirmities of old age. Deceased had been a resident of this county since 1847. His wife, two sons, J. A. Boren and C. H. Boren, both of Crescent, In., and two daughters, Mrs. Laura McMullen of Crescent and Mrs. Mella Ballard of Soldier, Idaho, survive him. The funeral will be at day afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the T. Officer. Latter Day Saints' church in Crescent, Rev. H. J. Chambers conducting the services.

ity due to old age. Deceased was born in came to this county, settling at Avoca. Mrs. Walter I. Smith on South Seventh where she lived for twenty years, and then street. removed to this city, where she had since resided. Three daughters, Mrs. Katherine Cline, Mrs. Lizzie Schoup, both of this city, on South Sixth street. and Mrs. Minnie O'Neil of Victor, Colo., and three sons, Christopher, Clarence and James McCauley, all residents of Omaha, survive her. The funeral will be Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Shipton of Third Xavier's church, and burial will be in St. Jeach cemetery.

William Cozad, aged 23 years, died Sunday afternoon at his home, 1325 Avenue D, from consumption, after an illness of one street. year. He is survived by his wife.

Chris Jacobson, aged 35, died yesterday at St. Bernard's hospital from tuberculosis. He was single and, as far as is known, had no immediate relatives in this country. The body was taken to Lunkley's undertaking rooms pending arrangements for the funeral.

Davis sells glass.

Final Effort for Monument Funds.

The two committees in charge of securing funds for the Colonel Kinsman monument will make a final canvas this week for subscriptions. Up to date less than half of the needed \$1,200 has been obtained. As the monument no time can be lost and the | conductor in the state grand council. committee will put in some active work this week. These comprise the committees. John Lindt, Judge Carson, Theodore Guitresenting Abe Lincoln post, Grand Army of Smith, Captain Seth Craig and Superintendent Clifford, the citizens' committee.

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son-Trouble Securing Judges.

The debate between the Council Bluffs and Sioux City High schools is set for Friday in Sloux City, but as yet no judges have been decided upon. Under the rules for the joint debate the judges were to be selected from within a radius of 100 miles of Sloux City, but they were not to be realdents of Council Bluffs or Sloux City. So far the schools have been unable to agree upon the judges and it is possible that the debate may be postponed, if not declared

LEWIS CUTLER **Funeral Director**

MORGAN GOES IN TONIGHT

Nothing Startling Expected at the Meeting of City Council.

Mayor Jennings read his farewell address to the old council, which convened for the last time to clean up its outstanding business, such as the allowing of payrolls for elected aldermen.

Following the usual custom the aldermen

thein annual reports. Auditor Evans is unable to have his ready, as the old counreports in time.

Litigation of the City.

who falled of re-election for a third term, been eminently successful in its lawsuits contain a resume of the litigation in which the city was involved during Mr. Wadsworth's four years of office.

The suit against the motor company, which has been pending since 1891, for refund of special taxes for paving and grading, was forced to trial by Mr. Wadsworth stitutions on Monday and send them to the on his assuming office and he succeeded in senate as quickly as possible and the sensecuring judgment in favor of the city for ate committe will take immediate action. \$7,000, which has since been paid by the as the committees have already agreed. motor company. The suit of the Rock The miscellaneous appropriations will then Island railroad against the city to close up be passed, the largest of which will be the South Seventh street, which had been decided adverse to the city in the district is likely to be about \$100,000. There will court, was taken to the supreme court and be no contingent appropriation to be paid a reversal secured by Mr. Wadsworth, out of the war claims refund. The state

thereby saving the street to the public. Of the forty-six cases against the city and there will be no arsenal. A small apduring Mr. Wadsworth's tenure of office propriation will be made for beginning the forty-one were won by the city and only five lost. In the several damage sults the rest of the items will be insignificant. amount claimed was \$27,500, while the amount recovered against the city only aggregated \$2,620. A number of damage suits are still pending.

City is Getting Good.

that for the year ending April 1, 1902, the person or interest, but the majority of total number of arrests made were 1,302, as the measures are of very little importance against 1,403 for the previous twelve to the general public and there will be months. Of these 208 arrests were for state no harm done when the sifting committees offenses, in which seventy-one convictions, get to work and sweep them off the calwere obtained; sixty-seven were discharged. endar into the waste basket. The nationality of, the persons arrested The railroad bills are still attracting was as follows: Americans, 764; Africans, some attention. The bill to provide fur 43; Austrians, 2; Bohemians, 2; Canadians, assessing railroads on the stocks and bonds ; 84: Norwegians, 7: Russian, 3: Scandi- licity section was taken out and passed navian, 1; Scotch, 4; Swedes, 21; nationality by the house as a separate bill it was seen

Davis sells paint,

Among the Clubs.

Club work for the present season is rapidly drawing to a close and most of the clubs will hold but two or three meetings more before adjournment for the summer. The Oakland Avenue Reading club will meet Friday with Mrs. C. M. Harl. The Woman's club will meet Wednes-

The Current Events department of the Council Bluffs Woman's club will meet Mrs. Mary McCauley, aged 66 years, died Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sunday afternoon at the home of her J. H. Cleaver on First avenue. The Housedaughter, Mrs. Lizzie Schoup, 2409 Avenue hold Economic department will also meet A, the cause of death being general debil- Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Cleaver, "Nutrition in Its Relation to Domestic Sci-County Wicklow, Ireland, and emigrated to ence" will be the subject for discussion. Canada in 1847, where she was married to The physical culture class will meet James McCauley. With her husband she Wednesday afternoon at the residence of

> The Atlas club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Barstow The New Century club will meet Wednes-

day with Mrs. Stavely. The Athenian club will meet Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Francis street, when the general subject for discussion will be "The Consulate and Em-

pire," with Mrs. Shipton as leader. The Ideal club will meet Tuesday aftersoon at the home of Mrs. Metcalf on Bluff

Gravel roofing, A. H. Read, 541 Broadway.

Preparing to Receive Travelers. The Iowa grand council of the United Commercial Travelers will meet in Council Bluffs June 13 and 14 and the local council has commenced preparations to entertain it. There are over 1,000 members of the order in lowa and a large attendance is

J. B. Helwig of this city is grand counselor of the state grand council. The local council will be represented in the grand council by L. I. Edson, A. E. Bray, Clay B. Platner, Louis Zurmueblen, jr., and J. B. May 17 is the date fixed for the unveiling of Holwig. Mr. Bray holds the office of grand

While plans for the entertainment are yet in embryo it has been practically decided that a grand banquet and ball will be featar, William Moore and E. J. Abbott, rep- tures. On the afternoon of the second day it is expected the visiting members and Republic; Emmet Tinley, Spencer their wives will be the guests of the local council at Lake Manawa

ONAWA, Ia., April 7 .- (Special.) - The recorder of Monona county has filed his report for the quarter ending March 31, which showed that 2,070 instruments were recorded during the quarter, the fees amounting to \$1,480.85. Six hundred and fifty-nine of the instruments were deeds. This is the banner quarter for business in the history

At New Fork-Arrived: L'Aquitaine from farve; Mongolian for Glasgow. (Returned.) At Liverpool-Arrived: Nomadic from At Liverpool—Arrived: Nomadic from New York.
At Plymouth—Arrived: Moltke from New York for Cherbourg.
At Queenstown—Sailed: Saxonia from Liverpool for New York.
At Auckland, N. Z.—Sailed: Sonora from Sidney, N. S. W., for Pago Pago, Honolulu and San Francisco.
At Cape Spartel—Passed: Kaiserin Maria. Theresa, New York, for Naples and Gibralia.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, April 6.

Expectation that the Work Will Be Finished a general quarantine of the grounds, ef-During the Week.

APPROPRIATION BILLS NEARLY READY

Agreement Reached All Along the

SOME OFFICIAL REPORTS NOT READY

Some of Pending Litigation—

Closes Up a Successful

Term.

Last evening at the meeting of the city council Dell G. Morgan became the chief executive of the municipality and Mayor Victor Jennings again became a private citien after serving as head of the city administration for two years. Before retiring Mayor Jennings read his farewell address to the old council, which conversed for the committees have now practically to the old council, which conversed for the committees have now practically year.

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Last Year.

R. G. Dun & Co. report commercial fall—uses for the first quarter this year, 3,418 in number and \$23,731,758 in amount of 4e-faulted liabilities compared with \$3,237 fail-ures for \$13,703,458 during the same three faulted liabilities against 10 last year, while liabilities against 10 last year, while liabilities against 10 last year, while liabilities against 10 last year, the faulted liabilities against 10 last year, while liabilities against 10 last year, 418,504,222 in 1901. There were 2,502 trading failures for \$1,502,506. Other commercial failures for the first quarter of \$1,403,503 and the first quarter for \$1,404,503 and the faulted lia tions committees have now practically are given selow: come to an agreement on every item. The bill for the institutions under the State Board of Control will call for about \$710,-March, and then made way for the newly 00, the chief reduction from the bill as originally introduced being in the lopping off of items for the purchase of land at the will be seated in alphabetical order from Soldiers Orphans' home at Davenport, leaving out an item for a deep well at the At this meeting the heads of the several Independence hospital and leaving off items city departments are expected to submit for gates and buildings at the Soldiers' home at Marshalltown. An item has just been added of \$15,000 for a new laundry cil did not complete its business until building at the Mount Pleasant hospital last evening. Treasurer True for the same to take the place of one burned a week ago reason may not have his ready, but all the today. Of the sum to be given the State other officials are expected to have their Board of Control only about \$485,000 will be made available the present bleunial period. The board will be left to make The report of City Solicitor Wadsworth, contracts and purchases running over into the next blennial period. With the passage is completed and it shows that the city has of the millage taxes the appropriations for the educational institutions will be reduring his tenure of office. The report will duced more than half. In this way the committees have reached the conclusion that they can get the appropriations down to a reasonable sum-say about \$1,800,000 a year, which will take only a 3 mill levy.

It is the plan of the house members to pass the appropriations bills for state inhistorical building will not be completed work of completing the state capital. The

Many Unimportant Matters. The calendars of the senate and house

contain about 100 bills each not yet acted on. It will be impossible to act on more than a third of them. A great many that The report of Chief of Police Albro shows have merit may wait without harm to any

Chinamen, 1; Danes, 13; English, 21; plan was completely discredited before anch, 1; German, 56; Hollanders, 3; Icish, got to a vote in the house. When the pubjail. The total amount of cash collected by the house, where it will be defeated in due the department from fines, forfeitures, etc., was \$3,245.20. mins in his inaugural, but it could not get through without many additions there-The two bills which have been denominated "merger" bills have not yet been disposed of, but an agreement has practically been reached which will end the disputes, and amended or substitute bills

will be passed. City Administration Change.

Tomorrow the new mayor of Des Molnes, James M. Brenton, will be installed in office and a new city council entirely republican will be in operation. During its history Des Moines, although always a republican city, has had about as many democratic mayors as republican. The retiring mayor has served but one term and has made a creditable record. Mayor Brenton contemplates making a clean sweep of the police force and many changes in the employes of the city. Trouble is likely to ensue over a member of the board of pub lic works. Mayor Hartenbower named a member last week, but Brenton will claim the right to name a member next week. A law suit is sure to follow if both try to hold the position.

Insurance Rates Go Up.

The local insurance agents have received surance rates on certain large classes of risks have been advanced 25 per cent. facturing stocks in the best business part of the city, and practically all in buildings that are not occupied in part as residences. way to escape the increased rates on inrevenue from their western business.

War Claims Not Settled Yet. Members of the legislature are somewhat disappointed at the slowness of the law of the auditing department of the national treasury in reaching a conclusion as to the Iowa war claims. It was apnounced early in the week that the board PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS. would decide on the Iowa claims the last, week, but information has been received that some additional information is desired from the governor of lowa before the case is finally disposed of. It will take several days to secure this information, and it

not be known until after the legislature National Guard Election.

is therefore now certain that the amount

An election for major in the Fifty-first regiment will be held Monday night. The candidates are: Captain F. E. Wetherell Company F at Oskaloosa, and Captain D. W. Turner of Company K of Corning. Captain Guy E. Logan of Red Oak and Captain Harry B. Dull of Glenwood have both declined to run, though both were prominently mentioned sometime ago.

Smallpox at Soldiers' Home.

H. P. Moulton, a veteran of the Iowa Soldiers' Home, occupying quarters in the main building at Marshalltown, was taken ill with amallpox Saturday and removed to the city detention hospital. As this case the care (special accrued March 22), Hill City, 18.

Colorado: Original Widows. Etc.—Caroline Carter (special accrued March 22), Morrison, 35.

comes from the same ward in which Fred LAST WEEK OF LEGISLATURE sowin, a Spanish-American war veteran. occupied when he took ill with the disease ten days ago, Commandant Horton ordered fective Sunday morning.

FAILURES FOR THE QUARTER

Increase in Number and Amount of Liabilities Compared with

Last Year.

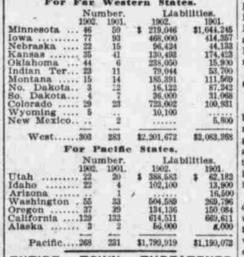
38,388,271 24,447,250 12,777,074 43,112,665 82,078,826 54,538,074 Failures by Sections.

Geographically considered, the record of insolvencies for the first quarter of 1992 makes a most erratic comparison with the previous year. In New England states there appears a decrease of sixty-nine fall-ures and nearly \$2,000,000 in amount of defaulted indebtedness. The change is practically confined to Massachusetts, and it is noticed that the decrease is not due to any exceptional loss last year, since Habilities were equally heavy in 1500. An increase of over \$1,000,000 in Habilities was reported for the three middle states, and Pennsylvania supplied practically all the difference, which was more than explained by two large suspensions, a rubber concern and a coal mine. Eliminating these two exceptional failures, which accounted for nearly \$2,000,000 indebtedness, the record for Pennsylvania would be unusually good.

Numerous Failures South.

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In the south and southwest there was a striking increase in number of defaults of small traders, whose business was badly demoralized by the unprofitable returns on farms and plantations. During most of the season cotton commanded a much lower quotation than in the previous year, yet it is gradually becoming apparent that there was no proportionate increase in quantity, while the expense of planting, picking and marketing was enhanced by the large demand for labor in newly discovered oil regions and other industrial undertakings. Drouth in the southwest caused a heavy reduction in the yield of corn and some other crops, and it followed inevitably that the small storekeepers found collections slow and in many cases impossible. Moreover, the preceding year of large profits for cotton had accelerated operations in many lines of trade, and the effect of a bad season was felt the more keenly. In the southern states the number of failures increased 143, or nearly twenty-four per cent, although liabilities decreased somewhat, owing to a few exceptionally heavy losses last year in Maryland. An increase of 126 in the three southwestern states is over 50 per cent, and the rise in liabilities is little short of \$1,000,000. Numerous Failures South. tates is over 50 per cent, and the rise in labilities is little short of \$1,000,000. All of the central states reported fewer failures than a year ago, but a large increase in liabilities occurred in Illinois, mainly of "other commercial" failures, including a number of large defaults in real estate and grain brokerage. Changes were



ENTIRE TOWN Chesterton, Indiana, Sends for Help to Suppress Raging

Flames. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 7 .- A telephone message to the Sentinel at 1:30 this notice from the western insurance com- (Monday) morning, from Laporte, says the pact that beginning March 17, last, in- fire at Chesterton is under control. No esti- retreat. The Guards had had a very hard mate on the loss can be given at this hour. CINCINNATI, April 7 .- The Commercial The increase is on mercantile and manu- Tribune's special from Laporte, Ind., says: Chesterton has just made an appeal to this city for help and a special train carrying a part of the fire department is now on It had been supposed that the western in- its way to the stricken town. Chesterton surance compact had gone out of business, is twenty-two miles west of this city on but this would indicate the contrary, and the line of Lake Shore railroad. It has a the local agents declare that there is no population of about 1,300. Eight business houses are in fiames and the high wind is surance in this city. Quite a number of carrying the fire to all sections of the companies have gone out of business in town. The place has no system of waterlows in the last few months and this makes | works, but a steamer has been sent to the getting insurance a difficult matter: The town from Michigan City and water is being increase is said to have been declared on pumped from Coffee creek. Late advices similar business in nearly every city in here confirm the report that there is but Iowa and it is because the insurance com- little hope for the town and the residence panies declare they must secure a larger portion is also bound to be doomed. Every man, woman and child in the town is engaged in fighting the conflagration.

The origin of the fire is not known here and no estimate of the loss can be made at this hour. The fire is plainly visible in this city, huge sheets of flames shooting athwart the sky.

War Survivors Remembered by the General Government.

WASHINGTON, April 7 .- (Special.)-The following western pensions have been granted Iowa will get from the United States will

granted:
Issue of March 26:
Nebraska: Original—David S. Couchman,
Lyons, M. Increase, Restoration Reissue,
Etc.—George Rudisil, Fairmont, 119: James
McCormack, South Omaha, 12: William
Childress, Orleans, M. Original Widows,
Etc.—Rose Gilbert, Nemaha, 12:
Iowa: Original—Aaron H. Bater, Mt.
Pleasant, M. Michael tilttins, Davenport,
E. Hugh N. Horn, Hillsboro, 110: Increase,
Restoration, Reissue, Etc.—William G.
Eaton, Cedar Falls, 12: George Bradfield,
Fairfield, 117: John T. Pope, New Market,
E. John Fair, Maxwell, 119: Henry Healer,
Muscatine, M.; Miles O. Stanwood, Muscatine, 18: James F. Smith, Harlan, 110: Original Widows, Etc.—Hannah B. Camerer,
Sallx, M. Mary G. Turvey (special accrued
March 21). Hayes, 18: Amelia Y. Bedell,
Marshle Rock, M.
South Dakota: Increase, Restoration,

CASUALTIES AT DORNBAALT

Both Boers and British Lose Heavily in Dead and Wounded in the Fight.

CANADIANS SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES

One Party of Dominion Troops Fight Under Pierce Attacks of Boers Until All Are Killed.

KLERKSDORP. April 7 .- Reports of the battle at Dornbaalt Farm, March 31, in which the British had three officers and twenty men killed and sixteen officers and 131 men wounded, while the Boers had 137 men killed or wounded, show that quite 2,000 Boers opened a strong attack from different points with three guns and a

This attack was made at a moment when the British had left their luggage in a laager, in charge of the Canadian contingent, and were galloping across the open plain with the intention of capturing a Boer convoy which had been discovered five miles ahead. The British retired steadily and having dismounted, opened a return fusil-ade on the Boers. While the luggage in charge of the Canadians was sent for the British formed a camp and started digging trenches. The shelling of the Boers stampeded the mules and caused confusion, but otherwise it was not very effective, as many

shells failed to explode. Canadians' Front Attacked. The Canadian's front was attacked in strong numbers, but they gallantly repelled every attempt made by the Boers to break through. One party of the Canadians fought until they were all killed, and the last man of this party, although mortally wounded, emptied two bandoliers of cart-

The fighting was severe and general for fully three bours, but after the British had entrenched and the guns got into action the forces repelled numerous and determined attacks made under the personal exhortations of the Boer leaders. Towards night the fire gradually ceased and the

ridges at the Boers and then broke his

Boers retired. The British then telegraphed for aid and further entrenched their camp for the night to await the arrival of General Kitchener, but the Boers made no attempt to renew

the attack. Careful computation gives the total strength of the scattered Boer commandoes at between 8,000 and 9,000 men.

Casualties Among Canadians. OTTAWA, Ont., April 7 .- A cablegram from Bock Neck, South Africa, to Lord Minto, gives the following list of casualties among the Canadian troops in the engagement at Hart River.

Killed: SERGEANT JOHN CAMPBELL BERRY, PRIVATE W. T. PETERS, Cranbrook,

CORPORAL SEERRITT, Guelph. PRIVATE W. VOLLWORTH, Bevelstok,

PRIVATE M. G. HUSTON, London. PRIVATE G. N. EVANS, London. PRIVATE W. P. K. MILLKEN, Peter-

PRIVATE A. WEST, Montreal, PRIVATE D. H. CAMPBELL, Brandon,

Dangerously wounded: Corporal F. S. McL. Howard, Montreal; Private S. M. Lipzont, Cranbrook, B. C.; Private J. C. Graffins, Cranbrook, B. C. Severely wounded: Sergeant A. Milne, Calgary, N. W. T.; Shoeing Smith, W. H. Hunter, Winnipeg. Man.; Private J. C. Fisher, Vancouver, Private L. Shelton, Mooseomin, N. W. T.; Private F. B. Hodges, Verdin, Man.; Pri-

vate F. W. Denny, Calgary. Slightly wounded: Sergeant C. R. Othen, Brandon, Man.; Sergeant Thomas Western, Portage, La Prairie, Man.; Private A. Fortey, Winnipeg; Private J. Simms, Nelson, B. C.; Private P. Hendy, Rossland, B. C.; Private Alexander McDonald, Fort Steele, B. C.; Private

Harris, Halifax, N. S.: Private G. N. Bossmanger, Halifax, N. S. Field hospital, severely wounded: J. G. Gunn, London.

The list is not complete PRETORIA, April 7 .- Details received here of the rear guard action during the night of March 31 between the Second Dragoon Guards of Colonel Lawley's column and the Boers, near Boschmanskop, show that a force of 200 British, while endeavoring to surprise a Boer laager, rode straight into a force of 400 Boers.

The night was dark. The Boers were hidden in a drift and opened fire almost from under the legs of the British horses. A fierce hand-to-hand struggle ensued in \$1,190,073 which both sides freely used the butt-ends of their rifles. The British regained the THREATENED ridge they had just left and began a rearguard action.

In the meantime a strong force of Boers had barred the road back to the British camp. The coming of daylight enabled Colonel Lawley to see the Guards were hard pressed and he dispatched reinforcements with two guns to their assistance. The reinforcements soon compelled the Boers to fight and were ordered to retire by squad-

Boers Press Guards.

The Boers disputed every inch of the road and continually attempted to rush the Guards, shouting "Hands up!" At each successive position taken up the British appeared in diminished numbers, for as it grew lighter the aim of the Boers improved proportionately. The following incident of the fighting is

reported: Commandant Pretorius, who was captured the previous day in a Cape cart, was in charge of some Natal scouts. The scouts rode into a party of Boers dressed in khaki, supposing them to be British troops. The Boers opened fire and Pretorius cecaped in the confusion. One report says he was shot as he fled.

Commandant Prinzioo is also reported to have been killed in the fighting, as well as other Boer officers. The British wounded who fell into Boer hands were well treated

SUSPECTED OF TRAIN ROBBERY Stranger Arrested on Suspicion

Being in the Burlington Holdup Gang. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 7 .- George Carson, a well dressed stranger, was arrested

at Union Star, Mo., Sunday and is held on the supposition that he is a member of the gang that held up the northbound Burlington train near this city Thursday last. The Burlington engineer and firemen believe Carson is one of the robbers. He declines to give an account of himself or his movements.

Funeral of Commander Schuetz.

WASHINGTON, April 7.-Funeral services over the body of the late Lieutenant Commander H. Schuetz, U. S. N., were held at St. John's church Sunday afternoon. They were conducted by Rev. E. Slater Dunlap, assistant rector. The Marine band and four companies of marines from the barracks under the command of Major Thomas Wood, formed the military escort to the Baltimore & Ohio station, whence the son

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