

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM OMAHA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stocker sells carpets and rugs. Wolman, scientific optician, 409 B'way.

SOLDIER SEEKING A BRIDE

Fascinated by Her When He Passed Through Enroute to the Philippines.

DOES NOT EVEN KNOW THE WOMAN'S NAME

Takes a Position on the Motor Line in Hopes of Being Able to Locate Her and Press His Suit.

Four years ago Lieutenant Charles A. Barron, then a private in Battery O, Third Ohio artillery, passed through Council Bluffs on his way to the Philippines.

From a private in Battery O young Barron was soon promoted to corporal and later to sergeant in Battery H.

Gravel roofing, A. H. Read, 541 Broadway. Davis sells glass.

CAUSE OF DEATH UNCERTAIN

Inquest Throws No Light on Manner in Which J. B. Heft Was Killed.

The inquest over J. B. Heft, the veteran of the civil war found dead Monday morning at the foot of the Union Pacific grade near Thirty-sixth street, failed to throw any light on how he came to his death.

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 First street:

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Arrangements Are Completed for Contest Between Iowa and Wisconsin.

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Wolf Attacks a Farmer. MONTEZUMA, Ia., April 9.—(Special.)—A ferocious she-wolf sprang from a shock of fodder and made a savage attack upon Sherwood Hanson, a farmer living two miles west of Montezuma. Mr. Hanson, who was loading the fodder onto a wagon, defended himself with a pitchfork and kept the animal at bay until assistance came in the persons of some men in a neighboring field. In the bottom of the shock the men found nine cubs, which were brought to town and exchanged for the government bounty of \$15.

MORE LIVE STOCK FOR BRITISH. Three Transports Loading at New Orleans and Official Interference Is Not Expected.

NEW ORLEANS, April 9.—There are three British transports loading horses and mules at Chalmette and the only delay is due to a strike of ship loaders, who want \$4 a day instead of \$3. Army officers and secret service men are supposed to be making investigations for the government, but none has been seen. United States district Attorney Howe was at Chalmette today, but he says he was only showing some friends the city and has received no instructions from Washington.

INTEREST IN CONFERENCE. Large Attendance at Annual Meeting of Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints.

LAMONI, Ia., April 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Promptly at 2 p. m. the business of the conference was taken up. The large number of delegates present, as reported at the hour appointed, showing a keen interest in the business of the conference. President Smith called the assembly to order. Those not ex-officio members or delegates were instructed to take back seats to make room for those whose duty it is to transact the business of the conference.

RIOTS SUBSIDE AT MONTEGO. Disturbances Die Out There, but Trouble is Expected in Other Places.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, April 9.—The rioting which broke out at Montego bay, on the north coast of the island, last Saturday night, during which a number of policemen and rioters were wounded, has ceased and the place was quiet last night and today. The rioters are overpowered by the presence there of the cruiser Tribune and it is uncertain whether further demonstrations will occur. The acting governor of Jamaica and the other officials who went to Montego bay have returned here.

PROSPECTIVE BOER COLONY. Location in Colorado Tentatively Chosen for Homesteads of South African Emigrants.

DENVER, April 9.—A Boer colony may be established along the line of the proposed Denver, Salt Lake & Short Line. A committee of local Boer sympathizers called on the state land board today with a letter from Boer Consul General Pierce in New York, asking for information about state lands along the new route.

MANCHURIAN TREATY SIGNED. Chinese-Russian Convention Will Be Ratified Within Three Months.

PEKIN, April 9.—The Manchurian convention was signed today. The ratification will take place three months from date. The Russians will undertake to restore to the Chinese when the British relinquish control of the railway in Chi Li province. Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister here, is, however, negotiating to secure a large preponderance of British administrative control in the latter railway after it is handed over to the Chinese.

GROSVENOR IS RE-NOMINATED. ATRENS, O., April 9.—The republican congressional convention for the Eleventh district held here today re-nominated Congressman Charles H. Grosvenor by acclamation. General Grosvenor made an address, accepting the nomination.

AVOCA LEANS TOWARDS REPUBLICANS. AVOCA, Ia., April 9.—(Special.)—At the

Railroad Bill in the Senate. The Molsberry bill permitting Iowa railroad companies to increase their bonded indebtedness was brought up under special order in the senate in the afternoon, being a substitute for the bill vetoed. Senator Molsberry made a spirited address, in which he denounced those who had attempted to brand the bill as a "merger" bill, and said that the sole purpose of the bill was to permit railroad corporations to borrow money with which to equip their roads, make extensions, improvements and double tracks.

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COLLEGIANS READY TO DEBATE

Arrangements Are Completed for Contest Between Iowa and Wisconsin.

IOWA CITY, Ia., April 9.—(Special.)—The fourth annual debate between the University of Wisconsin and Iowa will take place Thursday evening at the opera house at Iowa City. The question for debate will be "Is it desirable to amend our National Banking Laws, so as to Permit National Banks to Establish Branches?" This will be affirmed by Iowa and denied by Wisconsin. The Iowa debaters are: C. T. Kemmerer of Eldredge, H. E. Spangler of Adair, and E. K. Brown of Solon. The Wisconsin debaters are: L. George Lehr, Henry Grass, and A. D. S. Gillett. The judges of the debate will be: ex-Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage of New York City, Judge J. C. Pollock of the supreme court of Kansas, Congressman McClary of Minnesota, and ex-Comptroller of the Currency E. S. Lacy, resident George E. McLean of the University of Iowa will preside at the debate. Each debater will have twenty minutes in which to present his case. H. E. Spangler of Iowa will close the debate with a five-minute rebuttal speech.

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