## NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Wellman, scientific optician, 409 B'way. Take home a brick of Metzger's ice gream. Vanila, 25c; Neopolitan, 35c. New goods and outfits for pyrographic work at Alexander's Art Store, 333 B way. For sale, excellent building lot in Central sub., size 4x120. This is a bargain for some one, for cash sale or will sell on payment plan. Lot is located on Avenue B, within several blocks of good school. Call or address E. F. Watts, Bee office, Council Bluffs.

Mrs. H. M. Mendel of Neola, Ia., is the ruest of Mrs. J. B. Atkins. Mrs. H. C. Baker of Minneapolis is visit-ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Roper, J. H. Jordan of Stanberry, Mo., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Olson of

The ladies of Harmony chapter, O. E. S., ill give a "box social" tonight at the hall t Masonic temple.

Mrs. C. S. Willits left yesterday on a visit to relatives in Seattle, Wash., where she will pass the summer.

All the latest patterns to select from. Order your spring suit now: \$13.50 up. New York Tatioring Co., 337 Broadway.

yesterday.

he final report of Charles T. Officer administrator of the estate of his father, s Officer, deceased, was approved by Wheeler in district court yester-

tinued yesterday in Justice Bryant's court until Priday.

Bernard McGinty, a farmer of Harrison county, filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition in the United States court here yesterday. His liabilities amount to \$1,272 to the police station se terday. His Habilities and he has no assets.

and he has no assets.

W. G. Walters, who had both arms fractured in a runaway accident near Dow City, in which his mother was also injured, is slowly recovering, but it will be some time before he regains the use of either arm.

As soon as Superintendent Clifford and Diswathed in bandages as the result of the runaway accident in which he and other members of the sheriff's condemnation jury were injured, but was able to attend the meeting of the committee of the whole of the city council yesterday afternoon.

George Althoff, who filed an information against Lote Bobianz, bartender in the Pony Creek saloon, charging him with slashing him with a knife, withdrew the charge when the case was called in Justice Ferrier's court yesterday morning. Althoff paid the court costs and Boblens paid his own witnesses.

The smoker to have been given last

paid his own witnesses.

The smoker to have been given last Friday night by the Council Bluffs lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, and which was postponed on account of the storm, will be given tomorrow night, when Jacob Jaskalek, grand master workman of Nebraska, and Rev. Douglass of Missouri Valley will deliver addresses.

Per Valley will deliver addresses.

Rev. Father Smyth of St. Francis Cavier's church has gone to Colfax, la., Rev. Father Smyth of St. Francis Xavier's church has gone to Colfax, la. to recuperate his heaith, which was impaired by an attack of the grip. During June Father Smyth expects to go to the Atlantic coast to pass the summer and an assistant will be appointed to take charge of his parish during his absence. Charles Huber has selected William to the board. charge of his parish during his absence.

Charles Huber has selected William Brooks Reed as his member of the board to canvass the vote cast in the First ward in his contest against the election of Alderman Bell. Mr. Bell has not yet named his man. Mayor Morgan will be the third member of the board. Huber has retained Attorneys Wadsworth and Organ to look after his interests at the canvass. The vote will be canvassed tomorrow at the city hall.

In addition to the large bills of specialties to be heard at "The Oid Homestead" tonight, given under the auspices of the Eagles, will be one which will be appre-Eagles, will be one which will be appreciated by every music lover in Council Bluffs, as Mrs. Ida Wies-Seybert has consented to sing the aria "Omio Fernando," from La Favorita, by Donizette. Mrs. Wies-Seybert is among the best soloists that Iowa has produced, and her fame is not confined to her native state. Her soloitself would be well worth the price of a ticket to "The Old Homestead," but her number is only one of the good things that will be heard at the Dohany tonight. There will be a conglomeration of all that is good, and little that is bad. The specialties in themselves would make a vaude-ville manager happy, and in this play ville manager happy, and in this play Huse N. Morgan and the best company ever cast in Council Bluffs have ample opportunity for their talents. Don't fail to see ping pong brought up to date nor miss the monologues, because your friends will be in them.

### N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

Matters in District Court. The trial of the \$10,000 personal injury damage suit of Howard Ainsworth against

the motor company was begun Wednesday in the district court before Judge Wheeler. The injuries are alleged to have been received July 30, 1900. Ainsworth was standing on the steps of an open motor while crossing the bridge and was knocked from the car by being struck by a beam at a point opposite the tollhouse where the tracks run close to the bridge rail. Mrs. Maggie M. Peterson was granted a

divorce from William A. Peterson W. B. Reed was yesterday appointed temporary guardian for the property of F. H. Crocker upon the application of Lucia Mc-Clure, Crocker's daughter. In her petition filed yesterday morning Mrs. McClure asserts that her father has real estate and personal property amounting to \$4,500, but shat owing to his drinking habits he is unable to properly take care of it and is squandering it rapidly. She sets up further that her father received within twelve months \$6,500 from the estate of a relative and that he has already squandered the greater portion of it. She states further that her father was divorced from his wife twelve years ago and has six children living, four of whom reside in Council Biuffs. one in St. Louis and the other in British

SUITS CLEANED-

Dyed and pressed. Special attention given ladies' garments. Also chenille curtains neatly cleaned, dyed and pressed. Phone L-618, lowa Steam Dye Works, 304 Broadway.

LEWIS CUTLER -Funeral Directorto W. C. Estap) JUNIOR BANNER COMES DOWN

Danger of a Tragedy.

SENIORS TAKE TURN AT HIGH SCHOOL

Run Their Banners Up the Flag Staff, but Superintendent Clifford and Director Cooper Haul It Down at Once.

To prevent further attempts on the part of members of the senior and junior classes Charles Dickey of Valley, Neb., is guest to flaunt their colors from the flag pole on the top of the High school building the the top of the High school building the Board of Education Wednesday afternoon secured from Mayor Morgan the appointment of C. Tucker as special officer for thirty days. Tucker will be stationed at night at the High school to prevent the pupils from breaking into the building, as they did

Tuesday night. Mayor Morgan, who has been confined to his home for several days as the result been suspended Monday night from one of an accident, was able to be out yes-Broadway and Fourth streets, was taken Allen Sisk, whose home is in Hannibal.

Mo., was found to be suffering from small.

down about 1 o'clock yesterday morning by pox and was sent to the isolation hospital an employe of the electric light company. When the venturesome members of the A game of base ball yesterday afternoon between the Chet Dudley and Fred Hunt teams resulted in a victory for the Hunt line by a score of 14 to 13.

When the venturesome members of the junior class scaled the tower Monday night there was no current on, but Tuesday night it was, and the electric light company, fear-Dick Denny, who was night captain of police under Mayor Jennings administration for four years, has gone into the laloon business on Broadway.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's

The banner when taken down led to a 
Singlish Lutheran church will meet this 
fiternoon at the residence of Mrs. L. V. 
Villiams, Sis Commercial street. Henry Hoisfaster brought suit in the listrict court yesterday for the partition of the estate of his father, Bernard Holzaster, who died February 23 of this year.

The final reserve of the partition is the banner to the city jail, where it remains locked up to the city jail, where it class tried to gain possession of it by securing an order from Mayor Morgan about 2 o'clock yesterday morning, but the order The case against Mrs. Davidson, charged by her husband with maintaining unlawful informed the mayor of the true facts of the case.

The seniors shortly after midnight Tues-Major Mat E. Tinley, who recently gradu-ated from the Omaha Medical college, left last evening for New York to take a post-graduate course of four months at the post-Marcus Cook and Mrs. Emma Rodgers, both of Omsha, were married in this city yesterday afternoon in St. John's English Lutheran church, the pastor, Rev. G. W. Bnyder, officiating. and the scheme failed. The attempt to de-

After the juniors' flag had been carried to the police station several of the seniors repaired to the High school and broke into the building by forcing one of the windows. In order to gain access to the roof they broke a door off its hinges and flung it to the bottom of the stairway. They then Fred G. Wells, aged 51, died yesterday at St. Bernard's hospital from dropsy. He was a well known member of the sporting fraternity and is said to have belonged to a highly connected family in the east. It is said that Wells was not his right the bottom of the stairway. They then hoisted their banner to the top of the flag pole. In the meantime Superintendent Clifford, who lives opposite the school, had been awakened by the noise, as had School It is said that Wells was not his right Director Cooper. They both hastened to the ame.

Richard Burns, a farmer of Silver Creek building, but the boys made their escape ownship. Pottawattamie county, filed a without being identified. The banner of the building, but the boys made their escape township, Pottawattamie county, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His liabilities aggregate \$1,016, consisting chiefly of promissory notes. He has assets valued at \$335, but claims them all

payments, homes in all parts of the city, Same to S. M. Hildebrand, lot 6, Auditor's subdiv., sels, nwis, 12-75-40, and those of moderate size. Also dwell- A. to see us at the abstract office of J W Squire.

COUNCIL BUSY ON TELEPHONES

One Ordinance for Submission to Values of the City is De-

Giving as its reason that the company is not yet organized and that it has no guaranty that it ever will be, the committee of the whole of the council refused Wednesday afternoon to consider the ordinance for a telephone franchise submitted on behalf of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Telephone and Telegraph company by Charles Webster of Minneapolis.

The committee took up and discussed section by section the ordinance submitted on behalf of the Interstate Telephone company by Vic Stevens, president of the Dubuque Telephone company. A number of changes were decided upon and the ordinance was turned over to City Solicitor Snyder to redraft and report back to the committee at a meeting to be held Monday afternoon

May 12. The original ordinance provided that the company should complete and have its plant in operation within two years from the date of the passage of the measure. At the suggestion of Attorney Wadsworth, who appeared for the company, this was changed to one year from the passage of the ordinance Another change provides Juliet Hansen, Council Bluffs... that the \$1,500 be deposited by the company to defray the expenses of the special election shall be deposited within ten days after the passage of the resolution by the council recommending the submission of the granting of the franchise to the voters of the city and before the mayor shall order such an election, instead of within thirty days after the acceptance of the ordinance as provided in the original meas

The ordinance was further amended by the insertion of a clause requiring the company to lower or raise its conduits at its own expense as might be required in the event of the city laying sewers. This provision is in the other ordinances submitted. department. Alderman Lougee raised the question whether the company could not, under the ordinance as introduced, string its wires appearance and he asked him for reference putting them in underground condults on Namara gave the name of C. G. Montrose the streets in the prescribed district. In at Sloan, In., and this gave the clue to his order to prevent this the ordinance will be amended so as to prohibit the atringing of everhead wires in the alleys adjacent to of his father for fear he would run away.

dutts. Alderman McDonald attempted to reduce the life of the charter from twenty-five to twenty years, but no change was made in

Considerable discussion was had over the question whether the city council had the right to pass an ordinance of this character before it had been submitted to the vote of the people, and City Sollcitor Sayder gave it as his opinion that it had not. is to pass a resolution, after deciding upon of 2 to 1 here tonight in a joint debate. the character of the ordinance, recommending its submission to the voters for their Duties in American Cities Should be Vested the ordinance receiving a majority of the not Require Confirmation.

tion had been "shot full of holes" by the CONVENTION TIME IS NEAR panies, intended to make a number of changes in its ordinance and practically

submit an entire new one. A communication was read from John H. Kuhns of Omaha, in which he stated that he intended to submit an ordinance for a telephone franchise at the meeting of the KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY MEET Electric Light Employe Lowers It to Avoid city council next Monday night and he hoped that it would receive due considera-

> The ordinance of the local independent company was not taken up, as the discussion of that of the Interstate company's occupied the entire afternoon.

Davis sells glass.

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son-

Several Small Burglaries. Three small burglaries, supposed to have

police yesterday morning. Peterson's repair shop on West Broad-

\$2.25 in cash stolen. Entrance was ob- his nomination. The Third district conventained by forcing the back door. Nelson's blacksmith shop adjoining was also broken into by forcing a rear window. Here the thief or thieves secured a box

of cigars. The store of the Waterloo creamery on Broadway, between Seventh and Eighth held in Des Moines. streets, was entered and \$2.05 taken from the cash drawer. In the tank containing the milk cans the six razors stolen from Peterson's shop were found. It is thought to take a drink from one of the milk cans. As the place was tightly closed when Proprietor Corlies opened up yesterday morning it is thought the thief obtained admit-

Davis sells paint

Laundry Women Get a Scare.

The young women employed at the Eagle from the building shortly after assembling for the day's work, without waiting to gather up their cloaks or hats. This hasty exit was made at the suggestion of the engineer, who feared the boiler would exa ninety-pound pressure an explosion seemed almost unavoidable, but the engithus averted the danger of the building beit is thought will be by today.

Complaint on Ventilation.

A meeting of the Board of Education was held yesterday afternoon to take action concerning the ventilating of the High school building. Complaint has been made aches caused by the fan system of ventilation, which requires the windows kept of the fan system until the very hot weather

Real Estate Transfers.

Squire, 101 Pearl street:

H. D. Chilson and wife to J. E. Bender, part n\( \) n\( \) 1.854 and west 20 feet s\( \) 1.854 ne\( \) 36-76-40, q. c. d. 1.954

J. E. Bender, commissioner, to H. D. Chilson, n\( \) n\( \) n\( \) 1.854 and west 20 feet s\( \) 1.854 ne\( \) 36-76-40, q. d. C. d.

A. E. Jacobsen and wife to same, lot 1. Auditor's subdiv., ne% sw½ 12-75-40, w. d.

Jacob S. Ronk to Francis M. Ronk, undiv. ½ s½ ne½ 25-75-39, q. c. d.

F. F. Durbin et al., to L. D. Woodmansee, one acre in sw¼ nw¼ 27-74-39, w. d. Luia E. Doty and husband to Fred Davis, lot 1, block 19, Ferry add. w. d. Elizabeth Still and husband to Ed-ward Doolittle, east 10 feet lot 14 ward Doolittle, east 10 feet lot 14 and ail lot 15, block 16, Carson, w. d. L. C. Bonham and wife to Edith Bonham Mable, lot 9, and north 5 feet lot 10, Evans' subdiv., part block 16, Mill add., q. c. d. Ellen Ivers and husband to same, lot 9 and north 5 feet lot 10, Evans' subdiv., part block 16, Mill add., q. c. d.

Judson and wife to N. W. L. P. Judson and wife to N. W. Wells. trustee, set new and set set 14:74-44. d. C. d. William Plumer and wife to same, why swin 24-74-44. q. c. d. Day & Hess to same, lots 1, 2 and 3. Regatta Place, w. d. L. P. Judson and wife to same, new set 14-74-44, and lot 13, block 1, Regatta Place s. w. d. William Phillips and wife to Joshua Carille, south 12 acres why swin 19-76-41, q. c. d. John A. Bates and wife to Elizabeth Gehrmann, north 2 rods sig set 16:75-40, s. w. d.

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following: Name and Residence, Lou Rapp, Council Bluffs Kittle Martin, Council Bluffs S. E. Pallitt, Council Bluffs ... Elveretta Wiles, Council Bluffs

Marriage Licenses.

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

M'NAMARA WILL NOT RETURN Missing Iowa Student Discovered in Indianapolis Railroad Shops

by Father.

ONAWA, Ia., May 1 .- (Special Telegram.)-Roy McNamara, the missing Grinnell student, has been located in the Big Four railroad shops in Indianapolis, Ind., where he has been working for several

weeks as a laborer in the car repairing Master Mechanic Lawler's attention was attracted to the young man by his good on poles placed in the alleys instead of so he could promote him. Young Mcfather at Onawa.

He was kept in ignorance of the coming the district defined for underground con- He refused to return to Onawa and will not talk about his troubles.

WASHBURN WINS JOINT DEBATE Secures Verdict of Two of the Judges

While One of Them

Dissents. GRINNELL, Ia., May 1 .- (Special Telegram.)-Washburn college of Topeka. In his opinion all the city council could do Kan., defeated Grinnell college by a rating The question was, "Resolved, Executive

approval or disapproval, and in the event of in the Mayor and that Appointments Should votes then pass it in the ordinary manner. Grinnell upheld the affirmative. The de-In referring the ordinance for redrafting baters were: Grinnell, Ed F. Denison, by the city solicitor Alderman Lougee suggested that there was no need to hurry the Washburn, R. C. Dougherty, H. G. Titt, F. matter, as he had been advised that the M. Ler h. The judges were: Judge I. G. Council Bluffs Independent Tolephone com- Kinne, Des Moines; Judge H. E. Deemer. 26 PEARL STREET. 'Phone 97. pany, realizing that its original proposi- Red Oak; Judge T. L. Norval, Lincoln.

Speaker Henderson and Representative Cousins to Be Renominated Today.

Police Admit They Are Making No Progress in Solving the Mystery of the Murder of Peterson Children.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 1.-(Special.)-The which was engaged on work at a bridge republican district convention for the Fifth just west of Cromwell. district is to be held today at Cedar Rapids and Hon. Robert G. Cousins of Tip- and was pulled from the train and mangled been committed by the same person or per- ton will undoubtedly be renominated for by being thrown under the wheels. He is sons, Tuesday night were reported to the another term in congress without opposi- a man of family and makes his home in this tion. The convention will have about 200 city. The remains were brought home this delegates. There has not been a whisper way, just west of the Ogden house, was of opposition to Cousins. He will be presbroken into and a revolver, six razors and ent at the convention and address it after tion meets today also and it will renomi-

nate Speaker Henderson. The republican state committee will meee here a week from tomorrow and determine on the place and date for the republican Cedar Rapids at once. The intention ap- the barn, where they were stored. state convention. The convention will be pears to be to leave this city in the morn

Knights and Ladies of Security.

The blennial convention of the Knights MAKE POLICEMEN MARK TIME and Ladies of Security, a fraternal society, commenced in Des Moines today, nearly Plain Clothes Men Shoot to Stop a the thief dropped them while stooping over every city and considerable town in the state being represented. A. S. Wasson of Sloux City was elected president. Ar address of welcome was delivered by C. E. Bonner of this city. Miss Mary E. Ellis tance by unlocking the front door with a of Winterset was elected secretary. Reports show that the society is growing and prosperous. Among the candidates for the streets at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and position of delegates to the national convention of the society in St. Louis are: W. C. Hayward, Perry; J. F. Lewis, Missouri laundry on Broadway made a hasty exit Byrkit, Des Moines, and Dr. Wasson, Sloux Valley; F. L. Hayes, Council Bluffs; C. E.

Slow Work on Murder Case.

Peter Peterson, the father of the two children murdered early this month in Highplode. By some means the blowoff valve land Park, called at police headquarters had become loosened during the night and today to inquire if the detectives have any the water had nearly all escaped. With further information, and was informed that the city authorities are completely in the dark as to the murderer. Nothing has neer managed to cool off the boiler and been accomplished that gives hope of capturing the criminal. The detectives say talk things over, but Maryott felt hurried they have turned up some new clues, but and not properly dressed for meeting suspended until the repairs are made, which do not divulge the same. The case is still strangers. When he increased his speed a great mystery to the public, for not a they increased theirs, and finally one of drop of blood has been found anywhere, or the weapons with which the murder was

Looks Like Evasion of Law.

The secretary of state has received the articles of incorporation of the Bankers that some of the pupils suffered from headbut has as yet refused to file the articles game bird to the fryingpan and sallied closed. It was decided to give the plan of evidences that the company thus sought to and issue a charter. There are internal ventilating the building by means of open be organized is to do a business like that windows a trial and suspend the operation which is aimed at by a bill passed by the legislature to require the entire tontine business to come under the building and loan laws of the state. The attorney general is of the opinion that the company should These transfers were filed yesterday in be required to make a more specific statethe abstract, title and loan office of J. W. ment of its plan of business before being chartered.

An lows Man's Specialty. Thomas Nelson Downs, an Iowa man more famous in Europe than at home, is visiting an officer." his aged mother at Montour. He has been 4,542 touring Europe for three years as a specialist in sleight of hand tricks and has 250 made a great success at it. A few years ago he was a telegraph operator in Marshalltown 125 and made a study of the tricks of specialists engaged in amusing the public and 2,400 became convinced he could do them as well like that." as anybody. He went to New York and engaged in variety hall work awhile, then made a short tour of this country in connection with Sam Siegel, violinist; later went to Europe, where for three years he has been engaged in the leading cities. He now has engagements ahead for at least two story. But he didn't propose to take years, but returned home for a brief stay with his mother and his son,

Artillery from the Philippines. The Iowa State museum has just been enriched by the addition of a number of interesting specimens of Filipino weapons captured by American soldiers in the Phil- it was a good proposition to accept under ippines during the war. They were sent the circumstances. So they walked. here by favor of Congressman Hull. Two bamboo cannon are crude and ugly. They are about five feet long. One apparently has a metal core made especially for it, around which are bamboo pieces bound with heavy wire. The other appears to have a piece of gas pipe for the barrel and the bamboo covering is merely held fast by iron bands. Neither piece has ever been of opinion when I got back there with a mounted. A small mounted brass cannon gun of my own. I don't know yet who is about three feet long and has a bore of about two inches. It is a pretty weapon, but the large truck is of crude wooden construction and cumbersome. A brass salut-WOOD IS SAID TO BE ALIVE ing mortar stands on end about eighteen inches high and was fired only for making Colorado Millionnire Given Up for a noise. A rifle is made out of a piece of gas pipe about five feet long, set in a crude wooden stock and bound with iron bands. It is so heavy one man could not hold it up and so crude that it would appear to be more dangerous to fire than as a the county court today announced that he weapon. The State museum now has will officially investigate a rumor that Wileighteen pieces of artillery, including sevliam Wood, supposed to have died a year erai Chinese guns and mortars and a fine

collection of old guns of various sorts. Red Cross Reorganized.

Delegates from six states met at Cedar Rapids today and reorganized the Red Cross association, a fraternal beneficiary organization.

Upon application of the People's Savings bank, C. W. Rogg and the Des Moines Photo company, Judge Smith McPherson this afternoon appointed E. D. Samson trustee of the Warfield-Chase company, which filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy Saturday. His bond was fixed at

Struck by a Car.

A man named Martin was run down by an Ingersoil avenue car this morning, his sanity. He died here more than a year ago skull fractured and other injuries susand the state is now trying to recover tained that may result in death. He was \$4,000 from his estate for his board during taken to the Methodist hospital, where he his confinement here. This is figured on is unconscious, and his first name and adthe basis of \$3 a week." dress cannot be learned. According to the motorman's story, the man was walking SHIPPING COMBINE IN HOUSE by the side of the track between Thirtyfourth and Thirty-fifth streets. The car Liberal Members Will Bring the Mat slowed down as it approached him as a matter of precaution. The motorman states that when it was within a few feet of Martin he suddenly stepped on the track and was knocked down. In district court today William Smith was

acquitted of murdering Charles Johnson. Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-The At-The tragedy occurred in a saloon, but all lantic shipping combine will be discussed who were accused have now been cleared. in the House of Commons tomorrow, it being

New Corporations.

The Railroad Bridge and Terminal company of Sloux City became incorporated to- British shipping and the laxity of the govday, with \$150,000 capital, John C. Coombs, D. L. Palmer and others incorporating. The lowa Telephone company gave notice of a change in the form of stock vir- to compel a statement of the policy of the tually making a class of preferred stock. government toward trusts and concerning The Farmers' Incorporated Co-operative its encroachments. The public slarm here company of Ruthven has been incorporated is acute.

by Alexander Ruthven and others; capi- LIPTON SAYS TRUST FORMING all in Sully county. The balance

The Avoca Hotel company has been in-

orporated by Herman Seiffert and others;

The Wayland Telephone company has

Under Train by Pile Driver and

departed by being struck by a piledriver

He was evidently on the side of the carr

New Train Out of Iowa Falls.

Night Operator, Who Comes

Back with a Gun.

working day begins at dark and ends at

2:30 a. m., which accounts for his going

home at about the hour when porch-

climbers are in full bloom and the re-

frigerator thief is busiest. At Eighteenth

and Chicago streets he was hailed by

three men, whom he didn't know and didn't

them shot twice. The pursued key-tapper

reaching his home at 1914 Webster street.

touched the ground just three times in

But when he was indoors he didn't pray

nor try to tell his wife that he had been

down the shotgun that has sent may a

forth again with both barrels loaded and

his pockets bulging with extra shells full

of goose shot. He sighted the tall man

of the bunch at the corner below the

house and drew a bead on him. The min-

ion of the law demanded to know what in

hades was going on, and Mr. Marvott vol-

unteered to send him down where he could

"Why did you shoot at me?" asked the

"I wanted you to stop so I could see

who you were," answered the other man,

shifting uneasily from foot to foot. "I'm

"Back up! You're no officer. You're

hobo. You must think my birthday's to-

morrow, when you try that old one on

"That don't look good to me, either.

I've got a tomato can made out of stuff

Just then the other officer sauntered

"Come over here with your pal." com-

manded Captain Maryott. The man looked

once at the gun and came. He, too, had

a star and Maryott began to believe their

chances, so he made them a proposition.

It was that they walk east as far as they

could go, and right away, with the under-

standing that if they turned around or

hesitated he was to have the rare privilege

of a pot shot. The men at the muzzle end

of the gun thought it over and concluded

Maryott watched them fade in the dis-

"What happened," asked Mrs. Maryott in

"Because," answered her doughty hus-

band, "there wasn't any serious difference

the gentlemen were, but they were very

accommodating and seemed to fall right

Dead is Subject of Strange

Rumor.

DENVER, May 1.-Judge Lindsey of

ago in a Topeka (Kan.) insane asylum, is

alive and recovering his sanity through ex-

pert treatment in Europe. Wood was one

of the heirs of a large estate, which in-

cluded the famous Emma mine at Aspen,

Colo., once valued at \$10,000,000. His es-

tate at present is valued at about \$1,000,-

000. His heirship was established after

many years of litigation, which reached the

supreme court of the United States. In

the meantime he had been prenounced

helplessly insane and later was reported to

TOPEKA, May 1 .- Dr. T. C. Biddle, su-

perintendent of the Kansas Insane asylum,

said tonight: "There is not a particle of

truth in the statement that William Wood

is in Europe undergoing treatment for in-

ter to the Attention of

Parliament.

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the intention of the liberals to move an

adjournment of the house to call attention

to its injurious tendencies in respect to

ernment in not taking precautions against

the transfer of subsidized cruisers to the

American flag. An attempt will be made

LONDON, May 1,-(New York World

in with everything I suggested.'

tance and then went back to the house.

see for himself.

"Here's my star."

around the corner.

a whisper.

have died

"Nothing."

"Well, why not?"

telegrapher.

me."

running for exercise. Instead, he hauled

care to. They wanted him to stop and

Ground to Pieces.

capital, \$12,000.

evening.

them to.

turn in the evening.

others; capital, \$3,000.

Combination of Packing interests.

been incorporated by G. H. Heibel and Copyright, 1902, by Press Publishing Co.) The Smith Produce company of Redfield LONDON, May 1 .- (New York World has been incorporated, with \$25,000 cap-Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-With reference to the statement that the Chicago packers intend forming a big trust in which MEETS DEATH UNDER WHEELS Sir Thomas Lipton, among others, is interested, Mr. Lipton's private secretary said Brakeman of Creston, Iowa, Thrown today:

"Negotiations are not yet completed. No authoritative statement can be made until further news is received from America. We are not so much interested in beef and CRESTON, Ia., May 1 .- (Special Telepork packing, the distribution of which prodgram.)-Brakeman Cole Schweers, who left uct forms a very large portion of our busithis city on his regular run this afternoon, ness." was killed a short time after the train

BIG BLAZE IN SHENANDOAH

Flames Consume Two Residences and Large Barn, Entailing Ten Thousand Dollar Loss.

SHENANDOAH, Ia., May 1.-(Special at 6 o'clock this morning. Two residences possession. Caliahan says the cabin be-IOWA FALLS, Ia., May 1 .- (Special.)close by were also burned. Total loss is longed to him. It was stated here last evening on good \$10,000, with insurance of \$3,500. Brady authority that a new passenger train would & Catral of Nebraska City had a car of be put on by the Burlington, Cedar Rapids fruit jars and the First National bank of & Northern road between this city and this place had its new front burned in

ing, make the run to Cedar Rapids, and re-Judge Carland Deals Out Sentences. CAROS.

Frank Four Horns, an Indian, changed his plea of not guilty of the charge of larceny to guilty and Judge Carland sentenced him A determined appearing young man with a steady eye and a loaded shotgun stood at the corner of Nineteenth and Webster pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to sixty command will be sent here. marked time for two special officers in citizens' clothes, who were marching down days' imprisonment with an aggregate fine the street ahead of him because he wanted of imprisonment be changed from the Brute county jail to the Sloux Falls penitentiary. Frank Maryott, a telegrapher on The Bee, was the man behind the gun and there was an interesting preliminary to the scene he was enacting. Mr. Maryott's

> Patents for Thousands of Acres. PIERRE, S. D., May 1 .- (Special.)-The state land department has received from the general government patents for 21,552 acres of land in Sully and Hand counties. Of this of land in Sully and Hand counties, of this 17,736 acres are school indemnity land, and comprise the Fort Sully reservation, Dame, 2.

3,816 scree is Agricultural college land, Negotiations Not Yet Complete for the and is situated in Hand county. The state land department today issued seventy-four patents to purchasers of state lands who have made final payment on the same. Yankton county secured the largest number of these for any one county.

Delegates Instructed for Kittredge, PIERRE, S. D., May 1 .- (Special.)-Every county which has so far held a convention for the purpose of selecting delegates to the republican state convention has endorsed or instructed delegates to voice the sentiment of the people in the convention for the selection of Senator Kittredge to succeed himself for that position and indications point to an unanimous action. Up to the present 279 delegates

have been instructed for him. Walks Miles and is Bested. LARAMIE, Wyo., May 1 .- (Special.) --After walking 100 miles from the northern part of Albany county to prosecute John Callahan for the alleged theft of bousehold goods, tools and mining machinery, John Lapway saw Callahan discharged yesterday and himself threatened with having Telegram.)-Fire consumed the large hay to pay the costs of the suit. He says Calbarn and contents of McMahill & Marsh lahan turned him out of his cabin and took

Jeannette Gets Fifteen Months.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 1 .- (Special.) -in the state circuit court McCoy Jeannette, the boy desperado who was recently recaptured after making his escape from the county jail in this city, was arraigned SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 1 .- (Special.) before Judge Jones and pleaded guilty to The United States grand jury, after being the charge of stealing a horse at the time in session a week, made its final report and he made his escape from jail. Judge Jones was discharged. During its deliberations sentenced the prisoner to a term of one year the jury investigated a total of thirty-three and three months in the Sloux Falls penttentiary.

Cavalry Will Go to Philippines.

LANDER, Wyo., May 1 .- (Special.)to six months' imprisonment. Henry Min- The troop of cavalry at Fort Washakle is nich withdrew his plea of not guilty to the making preparations to go to the Philipcharge of selling liquor to an Indian and pines about May 10. It is not known what

of \$200. Minnich requested that the term lown-South Dakota League Opening. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 1.-The county jail to the Sloux Falls penitentiary.

Judge Carland granted the request and changed the sentence to imprisonment for one year in the penitentiary at hard labor.

Patents for Thousands of Acres.

Sloux Falls team of the Iowa-South Dakota Base Ball league will play its first game on the grounds in this city tomorrow. The opponents of the league players will be the team from the Sloux Falls High school.

On the College Diamond.

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AMES, Ia., May 1.—Iowa State college,



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