MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs.

Leffert's giasses fit, Stockert sells carpets. Duncan sells the best school shoes. Open Sunday, "Sucker's B'Way studio. Duncan does the best repairing 23 Main st Western Iowa college fall term now open.

Millinery display Saturday, Sept. 24, Mrs. School paints, brushes and paper. Alex-ander's, 333 B'way. nder's, 333 B'way.
Millinery Opening—Friday and Saturday, eptember 23 and 34, at Miss Sprink's.
Missouri oak dry cordwood \$6 per cord devered. Wm. Welch, 16 Main st. Tel. 128. Judge G. H. Scott is out of the city and in his absence Justice Ouren is presiding over police court.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to J. Jensen, aged 23, and J. P. Smith, aged 17, both of this city. The ladies of Broadway M. E. church will serve the lunches at noon today and saturday, at 13-45 Main st., at the head of

James Lidell, the young farmer arrested

James Lidell, the young farmer arrested on complaint of a young woman named Mary Gonden, secured his release from the county jail yesterday on a \$1,000 bond furnished by his uncle, Andrew Lidell.

Rev. Henry DeLong will open a new industrial school Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his mission, 510 Avenue F. The winter session of the industrial school at the mission, 589 East Broadway, will open Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Maggle Bethers, wife of N. P. Beihers, 502 South Twenty-fourth street, died yesterday, aged 49 years. Besides her husband she leaves four sons and two daughters. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held this

family residence.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held this evening at the following places; Mrs. Bessle Black, 114 South First street, Rev. James Sims, 312 Flatner street; LeLong mission, 390 Avenue F; Loyal Temperance Legion club rooms, Fifth avenue and Pearl street; Mrs. Charles Fitch, 128 South Seventh street; Mrs. Charles Fitch, 128 South South Eighth atreet, and Mrs. W. Dudley, corner Fifth avenue and Sixth street.

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J. E. Coffin, an engineer employed at the Bloomer fences factory, has asked the police to assist in locating his wife, who left her home las: Saturday, Coffin charges a party of itinerant horsetraders with being responsible for his wife's disappearance. While the husband charges the party with kidnaping his young wife, to whom he was only married about ten months ago in somerset, Ia., the police are inclined to the opinion that she went away of her own free will.

Fined for Opening Letter.

William Hunt, a farmer living in Montgomery county, allowed his curiosity to overcome his usual discretion and he opened a letter belonging to another person, with the result that the federal grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against him. The indictment charged him with opening the letter for the purpose of prying into the business secrets of another. It appears that some tire ago Mrs. Lillian A. Price, who was stopping at the Hunt home, adressed a letter to a clergyman at Nevinaville, Ia., in which she requested him to discontinue paying so many visits to her young widowed daughter, as it caused so much talk among the neighbors. Owing to imperfect address the letter was not delivered and was returned to the writer at the Hunt residence, situated on a rural free delivery. Hunt's curiosity prompted him to open the letter, and even go so far as to make a copy of it. The copy he showed to a number of persons, much to the mortification of the reverend gentleman, to whom it was addressed. Before Judge Smith McPherson yesterday Hunt admitted committing the offense and escaped with a fine of \$25 and costs. The grand jury ignored the charge against

Carl Augustus Breberg, the young farmer who was a few days ago bound over by sending an obscene letter through the mail. This completed the work of the grand jury and it adjourned yesterday afternoon. A jury was impanneled yesterday in the suit of Mrs. Jessie M. Moffett against the

Union Pacific, in which she sought to recover \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband, Charles E. Moffett, but after the evidence for the plaintiff was submitted her attorneys dismissed the suit without prejudice. This action was taken by the plaintiff to avoid the court sustaining a motion of the defense to take the case from the jury. Today Judge McPherson will hear the

matter of the involuntary bankruptcy of Henry Armstrong of Glidden. Indications or Baturday.

Girls Back in Creche.

Ellen Hickman and Geneva Black, the two young girls who ran away from the Associated Charities' creene, were brought back yesterday afternoon, having been lo-Illinois Central railroad. They were placed back in the care of Mrs. Johnson, the matron of the creche, last evening. Rev. A. W. Laningham of Red Oak, agent of the Iowa Children's Home society of Des Moines, who is the girls' guardian, arrived in the city last evening for the purpose of taking the girls away with him, but Chief of Police Richmond, in view of certain statements made by the girls, refused to deliver them up to him and had an officer escort them to the creche. The girls, it is said, while wayward, are not morally bad and they ran away because Rev. Laningham had threatened to place them in the Girls' Industrial school at Mitcheliville. They were perfectly willing, they say, to stay at the creche until proper homes could be found for them. They made charges against Mr. Laningham which Chief Richmond stated would warrant an investiga-Mr. Laningham could not be seen last night, although it is known he had a lengthy conference with Major Richmond

Sixth Ward Republicans Organize. The republicans of the Sixth ward held an enthusiastic and largely attended meeting last evening at the county building on Twenty-fourth street and organized a club starts out with a membership of over forty and these officers; Captain, C. S. Hubbard; first lieutenant, E. G. Kimball; second lieutenant, H. L. Smith. The kind of uniform for the club will be decided upon at the next meeting. The meeting was presided over by J. N. Wolfe, with Israel Lovett as secretary. The following candidates on the republican county ticket were present and made short addresses: J. J. Hess, W. C. Cheyne, G. G. Baird and J. C.

For Rent. An excellent office location, fronting on Pearl street, only half a block from Broadway, with a nice large abow window which be used for display. Bee office, 10

Pearl street, Council Bluffs. Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son.

WESTERN IOWA

COLLEGE Fall Term now open. Students enrolling E. P. MILLER, Pres. manie Temple. 'Phone Bill.

LEWIS CUTLER MORTICIAN.

WILLIE BROCKER GOES FREE

County Attorney Decides Evidence Does the winter of 1902-3, when a number of Not Warrant Prosecution.

DISCREPANCIES IN MERRILL'S STATEMENT Metcalfe resort. Other arrests in connec

On the Other Hand Boys Tell Straightforward Story-Says lie Will Never Handle Another Gun in His Life.

Willie Brocker, the Omaha boy held for shooting Fred Merrill last Sunday, was discharged yesterday morning and permitted to return to his home across the river. When the case was called in the superior court, Assistant County Attorney Hess moved for a dismissal of the case without taking any further evidence beyond that which had been adduced at the coroner's

inquest. Since the inquest Assistant County Attorney Hess had made further investigation of the case with the result that he had been led to concur in the verdict of the coroner's jury, which was to the effect that the shooting which resulted in young Merrill's death was due to the accidental discharge of the rice carried by the hav Willie Brocker

Dr. M. C. Christensen, who was called to attend Fred Merrill at his home after the shooting, while he was not called to give any testimony, owing to the fact that his evidence could have been only hearsay, said yesterday morning that despite the fact that Merrill had stated that "the boy" had deliberately shot him, the statement should not be entirely depended upon because when Merrill was pressed for particulars he declined to say anything further or go into details.

The acquital of young Brocker meets with the approval of everyone who has along well together and after several fights given the unfortunate case any consideration and the consensus of opinion is that the death of Merrill was directly the cause of an accident. The story told by young Brocker and his companions, it is contended, was too straightforward to have been anything but the truth.

Brocker' youthful companions on the ilsastrous frog shooting expedition last Sunday and their relatives were present in court yesterday morning and a big sigh of relief went up from them when the youthful defendant was ordered released and formally acquitted of a charge which might have wrecked his entire life. When the two rifles which young Brocker and Jacobs were shooting with last Sunday were returned to them Brocker said: 'I am going to throw this gun into the I never want to touch another, much less own one. I have never stopped thinking of the dead man ever since I have been in iail and it is something that I will never forget as long as I live."

MUCH MYSTERY ABOUT ARREST Henry Bernstein of Omaha Charged

with Receiving Stelen Goods. Henry Bernstein, a pawnbroker doing business at 210 South Twelfth street, Omaha, was arrested yesterday morning and brought to Council Bluffs to answer to two indictments returned against him by the grand jury of Pottawattamie county. He was arraigned and track was built, and shod some race horses there. He also shod a horse for Amos Julius Katelman, a hay dealer of Council Heilman of Onawa. He knew all the de-

and concealing twenty revolvers of the average value of \$12 stolen from wholesale company of Omaha. The robbery was , with his story for some time. The mur committed December 31, 1902.

The indictments against Bernstein were returned on September 17, and steps were taken to secure requisition papers. Yesterday Sheriff Canning of Pottawattamie county and Deputy McCaffery went to Omaha and arrested Bernstein. He resisted, but was hurried away to Council are that court will adjourn this evening Bluffs, where, after being detained about half an hour in the sheriff's office, he succoeded in furnishing the required bail.

Considerable secrecy is being maintained at the court house about the indictment of Bernstein, and the papers in the case are ex-presiding elder of the Atlantic district, being kept safely under lock and key in the safe in the office of F. L. Reed, clerk cated at Ascot, a small town on the of the district court. Absolutely no information as to the evidence before the grand jury is obtainable, although in other indictments by the same grand jury no objection has been raised to the testimony before that body being examined and made public

There is no doubt, however, but that the adictment of Bernstein is the result of an alleged confession made by George Burrier, a convict in the penitentiary at Fort Madison. Burrier was brought here from Fort Madison and was lodged in the county jail while in the city. The authorities make no denial of the fact that he was before the grand jury and that as soon as he told what he claimed to know, he was taken back to the penitentiary.

Regarding the indictment against Bernstein, in which he is charged with receiving the jewelry stolen from Mrs. Emma Metcalfe at her resort in the northwestern part of this city, in January, 1908, the testimony before the grand jury was to the effect that Bernstein came to this side of the river and bargained for its purchase. Mrs. Metcalfe placed a value of \$1,800 upon the jewelry, which consisted of a diamond brooch worth, according to her estimation \$500; a diamond pin, \$400; a diamond ring, Rooseveit-Pairbanks Marching club. The \$100; gold chain, \$100; watch, \$100, and a fur jacket, \$100. It is said that the parties who committed the theft disposed of the stolen property on this side of the river to Bernstein for \$285.

As to the charge against Bernstein of receiving and concealing twenty revolvers, valued at \$12 each, stolen from the whole sale house of Wright & Withelmy, Omaha, on December 31, 1902, it is said the thieves brought the booty to this side of the river and concealed it in a cache near the water works reservoir on Broadway, and that Bernstein bought and received the stolen goods here. While refusing to give any particulars, both County Attorney Killpack and Assistant County Attorney Hess stated that they had ample evidence to warrant the indictments.

Charles Stevenson, known locally as "Dutch" Stevenson was also placed under minded sister there is dead and that she arrest yesterday noon under an indictment returned by the grand jury last week. He fortune came wholly unexpected. Mrs s charged with being implicated in the Parker has resided near here for over burglary at the Evans Laundry building fifty years. on Pearl street on the night of October 1s. 1902, when the safe was blown open and a small sum of money secured. While it is understood that Stevenson did not enter gram.)-The second day of the Onawa carthe building, it is charged that he formed nival was a stemwinder and drew a large one of the gang and acted as watchman on the outside. It is stated that Burrier's town team defeated Onawa High school by confession brought about the indictment a score of 5 to 6. Tomorrow is expected to against Stevenson, whose bond was placed be a record-breaker in attendance. at \$1,000, and in default of which fie was committed to the county jail. Stevenson is If you have something to trade, advertise well known to the police. He is said to it in the "This for That" column of The have been a pal of Rogers, who was con- Bee Want Ad page.

Bert Formey and sentenced to twenty years | 10WA BUTTER WINS PRIZES in the penitentlary.

It is a well known fact that Burrier, who was sent up last summer from Clinton for a number of burgiaries committed in that town, in which Rogers was alleged to have been implicated; Rogers and another man, for whom the authorities are said to be still looking, were in Council Bluffs during burglaries were committed, among the number being the blowing of the safe at the Evans laundry and the robbery at the tion with these robberies are now looked

Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported September 22 to The Bee by the Title, Guaranty and Trust company of Council Bluffs: L. H. Robbins and wife to Emma F. Kinney, lots 7 and 8, block 3, John Johnson's add, w. d. 31,500 Mary G. Gleason to E. H. Lougee, lots 7 and 8, block 19, Williams' 1st add. And S. Block 19, Williams' 1st add., w. d.
Carrie M. Morse and husband to Albert Belville. lot 11, block 3, Flainview add., w. d.
H. L. Robertson and wife to John Flynn, lots 1, 2, 2, 4 and 5, block 2, Judson's 3d add., Neola, w. d.
Iowa Townsite Co. to Samuel Rihner, lots 4 and 5, block 3, Great Western add., Minden, w. d.
Treasurer to T. A. Wright, lot 1, block 37, Riddle's sub. t. d.
David D. Dykeman to Pauline Levinson, lots 7, 4, 15, 16, block 10; lots 18 and 20, block 3, Howard's add.; block 5, Bayliss' 3d add., w. d.

Seven transfers, total \$8,204 N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel, 290. Night, F867.

Robinson Draws One Year. Harry Robinson, indicted for numerous nefts of clothing and other personal effects of guests at the Neumayer hotel entered a plea of guilty in the district court yesterday. Judge Macy sentenced him to one year in the penitentiary at Fort Madison. Robinson asked that he be taken to the penitentiary at once, as he did not wish to be taken there at the same time as Egbert and Murphy and Wilson, who were sentenced Wednesday. Since his confirement in the county tall Robinson and the three other prisoners did not get they had to be placed in separate compartments. Egbert, Murphy and Wilson will be taken to Fort Madison today by Sheriff Canning. Robinson was taken there last night by Deputy Sheriff Groneweg.

School paints and paper. Alexander's. NOT MAN WHO KILLED SHERIFF

in Anamosa Prison Not One

Wanted for Murdering Strain. ON..WA, Ia., Sept. 22.-(Special.)-Another Corns sensation has been exploded Sheriff Ed Rawlings of Onawa, who took two prisoners to Anamosa, returned today, fully satisfied that William Rogers, who was sent up from Delaware county for three years for shooting a man who was trying to cut him with a knife, is not the W. E. Strain in Monona county. The warden gave Sheriff Rawlings an interview with Rogers, and they talked for nore than half an hour. Rogers does not resemble Corns in any manner except that he is nearly the same size. Unlike the real Corns, he is very talkative and anxious to do all the talking he can. Corns rarely said a word he could avoid and the two men are as unlike in looks, manner and speech as possible. Rogers said that he had been in Monona county and was at Whiting about the time the race tails of the Corns affair, but evidently had The first indictment charges Bernstein with obtained his information from the newspaderer of Sheriff W. E. Strain is still a arge and Corns seems to have disappeared rom the face of the earth.

MINISTER IS DECLARED INSANE Termination of Long Controversy

Among Methodists. ATLANTIC, Ia., Sept. 22.-(Special Tele gram.)-The annual session of the Des Moines conference of the Methodist Episcopal church had a great sensation this afternoon. Rev. W. Q. Allen of Des Moines. was adjudged insane and was committed by the insane commissioners to the care of his wife. At the annual conference a year ago at Indianola, Ia., there were complaints against Rev. Allen. There wer charges that he had taken undue liberties with women in his district. He refuted the charges in the conference and he was returned to the district. He, however, resigned last February and has since been

lving in Des Moines with his family. When the conference opened here yesterday morning his wife appeared and asked that he be reinstated, at the same time declaring that he is insane. Rev Allen himself arrived in the city from Des Moines this afternoon and was promptly taken before the insane commissioners of Cass county, A large number of witnesses were called, high officials in the church were called and experts on insanity were there. After hearing all of the evidence, which was sensational in the extreme, the commission decided that he of his wife.

CHANGES IN THE WESTERN UNION Sioux City Men Boosted All Along the Line.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 22.-(Special Telegram.)-Joseph P. O'Donnell, chief operator for the Western Union Telegraph company here, tomorrow succeeds F. A. Mohr as manager of the Sloux City office. Mr. Mohr is promoted to the managership of the office in Milwaukee, succeeding F V. Moffitt, formerly manager in Sloux City, who becomes manager of the Chicago office, the second largest in the United States. Mr. Moffitt succeeds J. C. Smith, The new manager of the Sloux City office has been with the company ever since he was old enough to carry messages in Mc Gregor, Ia. Mr. Mohr has held positions with the company in Jacksonville, Iil.;

Carroll, Ill., and Davenport, Ia. Fortune for Iowa Woman. NEVADA, Ia., Sept. 22.-(Special.)-Mrs. Ella Parker was notified Wednesday by attorneys from New York that her feeble is helress to over \$1,000,000. This good

Onawa Carnival Draws Well. ONAWA, Ia., Sept. 22.-(Special Telecrowd. In the foot ball game the Whiting

First and Second Prises Awarded it at St. Louis Exposition.

MINISTERS FAVOR CHANGE IN CHURCH LAW

Wealthy Farmer Appeals from Verdiet Declaring Him Guilty of Stealing the Cattle of His Neighbor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Sept. 22 - (Special.) - State Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright today received information from his assistant, P H. Keiffer, in charge of the work of having Iowa represented at the St. Louis exposition, to the effect that at the third scoring of butter at the exposition lows won first honors. Two Iowa exhibitors had butter which was scored higher than any other at the dairy competition. These were W. B. Johnson of Arlington and S. W. Laird of Walker, both of whom secured scores of 98%. Iowa had about fifty samples of butter at the competition. Minnesota has been in the lead in previous scorings, and Minnesota had nearly twice as many entries, and there were entries from Nebraska, Illinois and a dozen other states. The rivalry between Iowa and Minnesota has been strong and the lows dairymen were urged, especially the past month, to Oskar and Frank R. Shattuck, a lawyer of do their best on the exhibition butter. Minnesota claims that the Iowa butter was received too late, but it is known that it was shipped on time from Waterloo, while Mr. Shattuck, the bullet taking effect in in fact at the first competition the Minnesota butter was shipped too late.

The state dairy department is at work prosecuting all cases in the state where formaldehyde or other adulterants are used in milk as a preservative. Six milk dealers at Ottumwa have just paid fines for this and the department has cases pending in Sloux City and Council Bluffs.

Ministers Favor Cigars. At the Methodist Episcopal conference for the Des Moines district in session at Atlantic a group of the members are planning to urge the passage of a resolution favoring more leniency in applying the rules of the church as to the use of tobacco in its various forms. It is found that a good many ministers and prominent members use cigars and the sentiment is strong in favor of striking out all rules opposing

Sudden Death of Engineer. Robert Barrett of Sloux City, constructing engineer for the state penitentiary at Anamosa, died suddenly last night of neuralgia of the heart. The State Board of Control was informed of the fact this morning and that he will be buried in Sloux City. He had been engineer there about four years, in charge of the extensive work for the state, and was regarded Corns wanted for the murder of ex-Sheriff as a competent man. He died within fifteen minutes after first making known his

> In the supreme court today a motion for rehearing was argued in the case of the State against F. A. Greeland of Decatur county, convicted and sentenced to three years for larceny of cattle. He is a very wealthy farmer living near Grand River, and when his employes drove a herd of cattle to market they drove along several

Rich Farmer's Appeal.

animals belonging to a neighbor, and these were afterwards recovered in Indiana, having been sold on the Chicago market. The supreme court has once decided the sentence was just. Attorney General Will Defend. President Funk and Mr. Shoentgen of the receiving and concealing jewelry to the pers. The fancied resemblance to Corns Capitol commission today engaged Attorney

amount of about \$2,000 stolen from the res- was made by Ben Lukeheart, who used to General Mulian to defend the commission idence of Mrs. Emma Metcalfe January 19, live near Castana and who was sent up and the state in the matter of the attempt 1903. The second accuses him of receiving for horse stealing from Woodbury county on the part of a local decorator to prevent some time ago. Just what his object was the state from having the capitol decorno one seems to know, but he managed ated by the artist to whom the contract hardware store of the Wright-Wilhelmy to impress Sheriffs Jackson and Rawlings was awarded. They are threatened with suit, though the contract has been let and a memorandum of the same has been signed. It is believed the effort will be easily defeated. The artist has already commenced work preparing the plans for the decoration.

Democratic Paper Stops. The publication of the Iowa State Demo crat, a weekly newspaper started last year to be an organ of democracy, has suspended. It was edited by H. M. Rebok, for erly Indian agent under Cleveland at the Tama reservation, and an experienced newspaper man, and was a creditable paper, but could not gain sufficient support to live.

Shaw Speaks in lows. Secretary Shaw held an informal reception for five minutes on the platform at the Rock Island depot as he was passing through the city and scores of his nds crowded around him. He went on to West Liberty, where he opened the republican campaign in the Second district, speaking again at Muscatine in the even-

Educator Makes Change. Mrs. Mabel Claire Williams, the only woman to whom the State university ever granted the degree of doctor of philosophy, will leave the institution and has accepted a position to teach in Coe college at Cedar Rapids, succeeding Prof. George Cutier Tucker, who has gone to Columbia uniersity at New York.

lowa Millers to Meet. The Iowa millers will make an attempt at forming a new states association, and was insane and committed him to the care to do this they will meet in Omaha October They have generally accepted invitations to go to Omaha and be guests of the grain men and Commercial club at that time, and the association will be formed then. A state association was in existence for a number of years, but has never been of large membership nor very active, as it was connected in a way with the mutual insurance business the millers maintain.

> Relief Corps Holds Convention. MISSOURI VALLEY, Is., Sept. 22.-(Spe cial.)-Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the annual convention of the Ninth District Woman's Relief corps opens. A large attendance is expected. The program, which will be rendered in three sections, will be as follows: Address of welcome, Mrs. Amelia Ritchison; recitation, Mrs. Ora N. Smith; solb, Dessie Gaver; address, O. L. French; recitation, Edna Fountain; solo, Emma Green; recitation, Mrs. Doille Burgess; recitation, Harriet Ritchison; address, A. H. Sniff; solo, John O'Connor; address, Mrs. Frederica Philphot; recitation, W. O. Newton; address, Rev. J. MacAllister.

Indian Fire Dance at Fair. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 22.—One of the attractions at the territorial fair to be held here October 10 to 15 will be the Navajo sacred fire dance. It will occupy the stage twelve nights, the climax being reached on the last night in a shower of flaming brands handled and tossed among the participants, whose bodies are made safe from burning by the use of a peculiar unguents. The dance will be led by Chief Bear Face, and 100 Navajo Indians will be in attendance. The dance has never been given before outside the reservation.

Dr Lorimer's Body Arrives. NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The body of Rev. Dr. George C. Lorimer, who died at Aixies-Baines, France, two weeks ago, was brought here today on the White Star line steamer Teutonic. Funeral services will be held here this afternoon.

AMERICAN SHOOTS PASSENGER | city A fall of 15 degrees carried the

New York Man, Temporarily Insane, ship.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.-A private cablegram received today from Genoa Italy, says Frank R. Shattuck, a prominent Philadelphia lawyer and clubman, was shot on board the steamship Prinz Oskar, outward bound from New York. Mr. Shattuck was shot while at dinner by W. M. Alcivar, a passenger who sailed from New York on the ship and who is believed to have suddenly become insane, Captain Dugge of the Prinz Oskar was also a vic tim of the would-be assassin's builet. The ship's physician treated the two men until their arrival at Naples, where they

were taken to a hospital. NEW YORK, Sept. 22 .- At the offices o the Hamburg-American line it was state1 that they had been notified of the shooting The cablegram received by the company said that both men were out of danger. Later in the day the Hamburg-Ameri can line received another cablegram, saying the injuries to both men were very slight; that Mr. Shattuck was very little inconvenienced, and that Captain Dugge had resumed his regular duties.

The passenger list of the Prince Oskar on the trip just ended contained the name of Romulo M. Alcivar, but the steamship officials were unable to give any information concerning him.

GENOA, Sept. 22.-Romulo M. Alcivar, Mexican passenger on board the Hamburg-American line steamer Pring Oskar, which sailed from New York September 6, became suddenly insane upon the arrival of the steamer here today and made an attempt to kill Captain Dugge of the Prinz Philadelphia. Alcivar first fired a revolved at Captain Dugge, whom he shot in the mouth, and then discharged the weapon at his left shoulder. Alcivar was overpowered and taken to an insane asylum.

WEATHER MEN AT BANQUET Addresses Are Made by Prominen

Members of Service at Peoria.

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 22.-The announcement was made at the weather convention of the appointment of James H. Spencer, in charge of the United States weather exhibit at St. Louis and late of the Lincoln, Neb. office, to take charge of the station now building in this city. The annual banquet was held at the National hotel last night. Addresses were made by Congressman Joseph V. Graff, Prof. F. R. Stupart, head of the weather bureau of Canada; Captain George P. Blow, representing the United States navy; Prof. Cleveland Abbe of Washington, Dr. Fasig of Baltimore, Prof. A. G. McAdle of San Francisco, Mr Curley of Chicago, representing a department of marine insurance, and others. A telegram of congratulation was re ceived from Secretary Wilson.

The forenoon was given up to an address and the ensuing discussion on the topic, Instructions and Research by Weather Bureau Officials," by Prof. Abbe of Wash-

CONDITION OF IRON TRADE Iron Trade Review Says Rendjustment of Prices is Now Com-

plete.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 22.-The Iron Trade Review this week says that the reductions by the billet and bar pools on Monday complete the readjustment of the steel market commenced early this month, when reductions were made by the beam and plate pools.

The reduction on billets is \$3.50 a ton and on steel bars \$1 a ton. On sheet and tin bars the reduction is only \$2.50. The spread between billets and bars has been increased from \$1 to \$2. Pittsburg reports a better demand for pig iron, two sales aggregating 10 000 tons for delivery the last quarter having been made. In other cities the demand for northern iron has increased. Southern iron is weaker, sales having been reported as low as \$9.

COLD WEATHER IN THE EAST Philadelphia and New York Both Report Temperatures Much Lower Than Average.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.-This was the will find nothing equal for milk produccoldest September day on record in Phila- ing qualities. delphia; according to the weather bureau officials. At 6 a. m. the official thermome

ter registered 40 degrees above zero. NEW YORK, Sept. 22.-Unusually cold weather for the season has been recorded during the last twenty-four hours in this



New Designs

are added each year to the fine stock of table glassware, fashioned, cut and engraved by the cunning glasscraftsmen at work in the shopr of the Dorflingers. Surely no such beautiful tableware ismade anywhere in the world as that which dealers are proud to show with the above trademark label on each piece. DORFLINGER

temperature down to 42 at midnight, and fi continued to fall slowly, The average temperature was 5 degrees lower than it was last year on the same day and 10 degrees lower than the average temperature

for the last twenty-five years. Dispatches from different points in New York and Pennsylvania report heavy frost and it is feared that much damage was done to crops and fruit.

BOSTON, Sept. 22 .- A chilling northwest wind today sent the mercury down to 35, the lowest point recorded in September since the weather bureau was opened here in 1871, with one exception. At Northfield, Vt., the mercury dropped

26, the lowest official temperature eached fh New England, Frost fell all over Connecticut except on the sound shore last night, doing damage to crops to a noticeable extent.

NITRIC ACID FUMES FATAL Denver Fireman is Dead and Others Are in Critical Con-

dition

DENVER, Sept. 22.-One fireman is dead. four being kept alive only by administration of oxygen and thirteen others are critically ill from the effects of nitric acid fumes which they enhaled at a small fire. Lieutenant Charles W. Dolloff died yesterday afternoon. John McGlade, laddernan, was erroneously reported to have died last night, but he was still alive this morning. Very little hope is left for the recovery of John Dulmage, acting chief; Charles Eymann, captain; S. B. Wilcox, truckman, and John McGlade, ladderman.

Find Dynamite on Residence. Find Dynamite on Residence.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 22—A neighbor passing the residence of J. C. Maben, president of the Sloss-Sheffield Steel and iron company, today, found on the front steps a pickle bottle with a burning fuse a stached. The fire was extinguished and an examination of the bottle showed that it contained enough dynamite to wreck the building. A strike of union miners is on at the mines of the Sloss-Sheffield company and President Maben has been very active in his efforts to break it.

BOILS AND

Have been suffering from Impure Blood for many years, having Boils and other Eruptions. Having heard of S. S. S. I de-cided to try it, and am glad to say that it has done me a great deal of good. I intend to continue to use it, as I believe it to be the best Blood Medicine upon the market. Cleveland, Tenn. W. K. DETERS.

For over fifteen years I have suffered more or less from Impure Blood. About a year ago I had a boil appear on my leg below the knee, which was followed by three more on my neck. I saw S. S. S. advertised and decided to try it. After taking three bottles all Boils disappeared, and I have not been troubled any since. GRO. G. FERTIG. 114 W. Jefferson St., Louisville, Ky.

Newark, Ohio, May 23, 1903. From childhood I had been bothered with bad blood, skin eruptions and boils. I had boils ranging from five to twenty in number each season. The burning accompanying the eruption was terrible. S. S. S. seemed to be just the medicine needed in my case. It drove out all impu-rities and bad blood, giving me perma-nent relief from the skin eruption and boils. This has been ten years ago, and I have never had a return of the disease.

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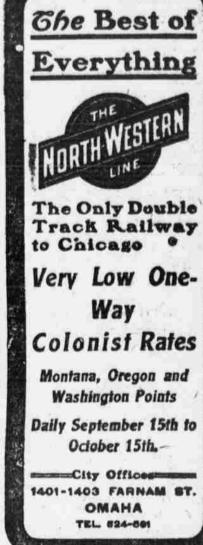


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