Threat to Double Valuation of Merchandise in Omaha.

LANCASTER OFFICIAL'S IDEA OF VALUES

Adjutant General Culver Goes to Kenrney to See Camp is in Readiness for the National Guardsmen.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, July 81 .- (Special.) - This after noon during the hearing before the State Board of Equalization and Assessment on the complaint of under assessment of Douglas county merchandise, Judge Tibetts, representing the Lincoln merchants, offered to stop if County Assessor Reed would agree to a 25 per cent increase. He asserted that otherwise he would introduce evidence which would justify an increase of 50 per cent in the merchandise. Later John of the true value. E. Miller, president of the Lincoln Commer cial club, asserted that the increase would be 100 per cent. Reed did not accept the the small merchants who would be hurt. they will bring pressure to bear on the county board to that end."

desire to subpoena the Omaha merchants. The charge, to which it was admitted chants in some instances had formed the habit of making out statements of low value under the old city assessment sys-When the deputies came around they were importuned to keep the assessment down on account of the city tax, he said. "They got in the habit of returning it at a

Reed. "Did they learn it from the railways?"

queried the governor. Mr. Reed, under examination by Judge Tibbetts, stated that he had only in a few instances seen the invoices of merchants when making assessments. He said that they would often bring papers to him, but it was difficult to tell what was invoice and had not consulted the insurance policies and admitted that various data had been withheld. In several instances, he declared, he had sought the policies and had been unable to get them.

He was asked as to the amount of money listed by various firms, Judge Tibbetts declaring that the sum was entirely too small

merchandise values because he was busy with real estate. He denied also that there was any arrangement whereby the assesfors were to list such property at less than its actual value. He said that he had nothing to conceal.

County Assessor Miller of Lancaster county, who was first placed on the witness stand for the Lincoln merchants. stated that he had sought to get the true ralue in every instance, using invoices, insurance policies and other data as the basis for the assessment. He stated, however, that he had advised the complainant,

IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.

Women Obtain Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Help.

Bhe Has Guided Thousands to Health. How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Mrs. Fred Seydel.



It is a great satisfaction for a satisfaction woman to feel that she can write to another telling her the most private and confidential details about her illness, and know that her letter will be seen by a woman only, a woman full of sympathy for her sick sisters, and

above all, a woman who has more experience in treating female illa than any living person.

Over one hundred thousand cases of

female diseases come before Mrs. Pinkham every year, some personally, others by mail, and this has been going on for twenty years, day after day. Surely women are wise in seeking advice from a woman of such experience, especially when it is absolutely

Mrs. Pinkham never violates the confidence of women, and every testimonial letter published is done so with the written consent or request of the writer, in order that other sick women may be benefited as they have been. Mrs. Fred Sevdel, of 412 North 54th Screet, West Philadelphia, Ps., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkbam:-"Over a year ago I wrote you a letter asking advice, as I had female ills and could not carry a child to maturity. I received your ciril letter of instructions and followed your advice. I am not only a well woman in consequence, but have a beautiful baby girl. I wish every suffering woman in the land would write you for advice, as you have done so much for me."

Just as surely as Mrs. Seydel was sured, will Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure every woman suffering from any form of female ills.

No other medicine in all the world has such a record of cures of female troubles as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Therefore no pruder t woman will accept any substitute which a druggist may offer.

If you are sick, write Mrs. Pinkham,
Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and always helpful.



A BARREL

A natural lubricating oil, direct from the well. None betfor engines or Fifty gallon barrel

machinery of any body, will not gum. for \$1.50. Freight in Kansas not over 75 rents to any point. In Nebraska, Iowa or Missouri freight will make the oil cost

about 12 cents a gallon. You have been K. C. DAILEY & CO., Benedict, Kan.

HEARING LINCOLN PROTEST John E. Miller, to apply for a reduction when he saw that other firms were being lowered by the county board. Miller had \$247,000. The county assessor swore, however, that the reductions were made be cause of positive evidence showing that the assessments had been too high. He repeated the statement that Reed had told him that the big merchants at Omaha not be assessed too high, or they would have to move across the river. He said that the Douglas county assessor told him this year that he thought the assessment was about all some of the firms could

stand. What Tibbetts Wanted to Show. Tibbetts stated shortly before the close of the hearing this afternoon that he intended to call experts in the various lines who could testify as to the value of the various houses at Omaha. He had figures showing the stocks over \$10,000 in value. He called J. H. Harpham, a Lincoin harness jobber, who testified that Marks Bros. of Omaha, assessed at \$40,000, were only half high enough, and that J. H. Haney, assessed at \$30,000, was also only 50 per cent

Gage County Clerk Objects. County Clerk J. R. Plasters of Gage but when Governor Mickey asked posed to complain of the action of the him what the merchants would do if an in- State Board of Equalization in making a 10 of the situation. The house Mrs. Kemp crease of 25 per cent was made he indicated per cent increase in the average assessment tried to have the girl enter is a tough dive that he thought it was too high, because of of sewing machines in the country. They in this city. were assessed at an average of \$2 and the "It may burt the smaller fellows," said result of the increase will be to necessitate the governor, "but it will force them to see the addition of 20 cents to the assessed that the law is complied with next year and valuation of a machine worth \$10, and varying sums for machines worth other prices. This Plasters claims is a mistake Governor Mickey suggested that it would since assessing officials have never been rebe as well to have the evidence in the rec- quired to consider cents. He asserts that, ord and members of the board intimated a heretofore, it has been customary to place the assessments in round numbers for convenience in figuring. He does not contemthere was truth, was that the large mer- plate any appeal to the board. He expressed his anxiety to have the work of the state board completed so that the work of extending the assessments may be taken

take the matter under advisement. The chairman of the county board of Red Willow county was in the city today to pro smaller figure than the true value," said test against the increase on horses ordered by the board, making the average assess ment of equines about \$11. When he was shown the average of \$14 in the agricultural counties he withdrew his protest.

up in the counties. The board promised to

Appropriation May Not Lapse. Deputy Auditor Cook said today that he believed payments would be made on existing contracts from appropriations made what was not. He said that sometimes he by the legislature of 1963, even after August 31, when the appropriation would ordinarily lapse. He said that he believed it to b the intent of the law that such bona fide contracts are binding, notwithstanding the provision as to lapses.

Some of the state officers are talking of asking the secretary of the State Printing in many instances.

Assessors Cannot Agree.

In response to a question by Governor Mickey Reed denied that he had stated last year that he had been unable to get at the merchandise values because he was here.

HUMBOLDT—A large crowd gathered at the Methodist church Sunday morning to listen to a special program arranged by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society and rendered instead of the regular preaching service. Vocal and instrumental music, recitations and drills were followed by a short address by Mrs. Calvert. with the letting of contracts.

> Praise for Superintendent, The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings, which has returned from a trip of inspection to the Hastings aslyum, is manimous in its praise of Superintendent Kern who has charge of the institution with its 1,000 inmates. The members of the board say that it seems like a small city. New Corporations.

The Exchange bank of Wilcox has been ncorporated by C. W. Gishwiller, D. C. Shelter, L. H. Jordan, E. M. Crannell and A. L. Clarke. The authorized capital stock in \$10,000.

The Jones Farm company of Indianola with an authorized capital stock of \$60,000 fire. has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. The concren has power to operate farms in Nebraska and other states. Attorney General Norris Brown stated

today that it would be several days before he can render an opinion as to the validity of water works bonds issued under the existing statue. The question as to the validity of the act was raised by R. E. Moore, a Lincoln investor.

Preparing for Camp. Adjutant General Culver will establish brigade headquarters at Kearney, Thurslay or Friday, so as to have everything in readiness for the national guard encampnent, which is to begin next week. A detachment from the signal corps, acting as engineers, will lay out the camp. Arrangements have been made to sink fifteen driven wells to sheet water, in order to insure a pure water supply. The sand is counted on to act as a filter bed. Under the general direction of the medical corps the sanitation of the camp will be attended

to with the utmost care. Colonel C. J. Bills, the inspector general of the guard, will be placed under service orders. He will inspect the site of the camp before the troops are moved out, and during the progress of the encampment will inspect the camp twice daily, reporting derelictions from the rules to the comnanding officer of the regiment concerned. Arrangements have been made for the installation of a telephone system in the camp, connecting the various organizations. The brigade headquarters will be at a considerable distance from the regimental headquarters, since there is plenty of land

to permit of this arrangement. Must Have Twenty Days Notice. The bond clerk in the office of the auditor has found it necessary to return a considerable number of bonds to the school districts and other subdivisions issuing their because of the fact that the election was not held after the twenty days' notice required by the statute, as interpreted by Deputy Attorney General Thompson. According to that official, the twenty days must be computed without including that set apart for the election or that on which notice was given. This opinion is based on a decision rendered by the supreme court. It is stated that the bonds received indicate that much misapprehension exists as to the requirements of the statute. The department has not been advised whether any bonds will be invalidated on that ac-

An estimate by Bond Clerk Lawrence indicates that the total registration of public bonds of all kinds has been more than \$1,000,000 since December I, 1904, as compared with \$1,122,774 for the entire biennium preceding. It is stated that the big increase is in the bonds of cities and

Merchandisc Equalization May Fail. Secretary of State Galusha, who has peen the leading spirit in the movement to equalize the assessment of merchandise throughout the counties, gave the idea a setback today with the announcement that because of lack of time it will be impossale to secure the mercantile ratings which were relied on as evidence. He indicated that there is little prospect on that account of any equalization on merchandise assessments, saying that it would not be good policy for the board to attempt the work without having some authentic data in its possession.

New Towns Springing Up. ASHLAND, Neb., July 31 .- (Special.)-With the rapid building all along the Great With the rapid building all along the Great
Northern right-of-way, activity in the two
newly projected towns between this point
and Fremont has begun. The sale of lots

Huron, part cloudy
Kansas City, clear
North Platte, cloud
Omahs, part cloud
Rapid City, cloudy
Rapid City, cloudy in Pleasant Valley, the station seven miles north of Ashiand, has begun and also in Salt Lake City, clear..... Estina, the station across the Platte from Fremont. A bank at the latter place, in which officers of the Commercial National

bank of Fremont are interested, is projected. A number of Fremont persons are also preparing to establish stores at Estina. \$30,000 cut from his original figures of Both towns are in a rich and thickly settled farm community.

Procuress Pails in Plan. FREMONT, Neb., July 31 -- (Special.)-According to the story told by Pearl Ulrich, a girl of 17, residing at Lead, S. D., an at tempt was made by a woman whom she knew as Mrs. Kemp to kidnap her and entice her into a house of Ill-fame in this city. The girl, who is good looking, but apparnot well versed in the ways of the world, says that she has been working in a hotel at Lead. She had only been there a few days when a woman calling herself Mrs. Kemp, a rather sharp, smooth, middleaged woman, came there and offered her much larger wages if she would come to Fremont and work for her in a hotel she claimed to be running here. On their arrival here Mrs. Kemp attempted to compel her to become an inmate of a house of illfame. She refused emphatically to accompany the woman, though promises, threats and every means outside of actual force Becoming alarmed the Kemp woman left for parts unknown, leaving the girl in a strange lodging house without friends and penniless. This morning she ounty, who was in the city today, was dis- told her story to Chief of Police Dougherty and he at once wired her relatives at Lead

> Farmer Commits Suicide. BEATRICE, Neb., July 31 .- (Special Telegram.)-Henry Pulvermaker, 46 years of age and unmarried, committed suicide at Pulvermaker was a giant in stature, being vicinity since 1883 and was in moderate cir-

> > News of Nebraska.

cumstances. No cause is assigned.

TECUMSEH—At a special election held in Vesta, this county, bonds have been car-ried to provide an addition to the present school building.

OSCEOLA-County Judge Ball Saturday vening, united in marriage Leonard Lin-oln of Clark county, Kansas, and Miss Edith Harvey of Ulysses, Butler county, TECUMSEH-The Modern Woodmen of

Cook, in this county, have decided to hold their annual picnic on Thursday, August 17. This picnic invariably attracts people This pichic invariably attracts people from all parts of the country.

TECUMSEH—Most of the corn in Johnson county is in tassel. It is of vigorous growth and looks fine. It seldom happens that big crops of both corn and small grains are realized the same year, but an exception is promised.

TECUMSEH-Dr. F. H. Redmond, formerly of this county, has been appointed ward physician over the incurables at the state hospital at Osawatamie, Kan. Dr. and Mrs. Redmond are now located at their new home. Mrs. Redmond will be remembered as Miss Vinnie Metcalf, a former teacher in the Tecumseh schools.

HUMBOLDT-A large crowd gathered at TECUMSEH-Roadmaster S. B. Rice of

TECUMSEH—Roadmaster S. B. Rice of the Burlington, who was severely injured one day recently by his gasoline motor car flying the track with him, is recovering from the effects of his experience nicely. Mr. Rice suffered a severe scalp wound and two broken ribs. The company's physician was over from Wymore to see him yester-day. PLATTSMOUTH—An attempt was made last night by some unidentified party to burn the residence property occupied by the family of John Jenkins. When discov-ered the roof of the kitchen was after

ered the roof of the kitchen was afre-Wood shavings, saturated with kerosene, had been scattered over the roof. An empty oil can and some matches were also found near the scene of the fire. The family were asleep in the building, but fortunately the fire was discovered by neighbors in time to prevent serious damage. No clue has been found as to the party who started the

to the robbery of the clothing store of this city, was held by Justice Smith to answer in district court, his bond being placed at \$150. This amount the young man put up in cash and was allowed to depart. He is a cash and was allowed to depart. He is a brother to Charles Vanek, who is serving a forty-day sentence in the Pawnee county jail for larceny and will be rearrested as soon as the term expires to answer for a similar offense in this county. Recent developments would indicate that by the time the case is heard a systematic and thoroughly organized plan of robbery will be unearthed involving several more parties, some of good standing, in other sections where a fence has been maintained. County Attorney James is looking after the prosecution here.

WOOD RIVER—The twenty-first annual

cution here.

WOOD RIVER—The twenty-first annual convention of the Hall County Sunday School association convened in Wood River Saturday and Sunday, July 29 and 30. The meeting was a decided success and one of the best in the history of the association. Rev. Stidley and Miss Mamie Halnes, state workers for the Sunday school, were present during the convention and did much toward making it a success. Hon, J. R. Thompson of Grand Island delivered the convention address on Saturday evening, the afternoon being taken up with various papers, also an address by Dayton Ward president of the association. The principal address Sunday morning was given by Miss president of the association. The principa address Sunday morning was given by Miss Mamie Haines, in which she described her trip to the international Sunday school convention at Toronto, Canada. This address was very interesting. Sunday afternoon was taken up with a number of papers, one from Miss Josephine Brown of Grand Island being very interesting, also a talk by Dr. T. C. Clark of Grand Island.

Remedy for Diarrhoen-Never Known to Fail.

"I want to say a few words for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remfail to effect a cure in any instance. I feel Indians, contrary to law. that I can not say too much for the best remedy of the kind in the world."-8 JEMISON, Spring Grove, York county,

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Fair and Warmer in Nebraska and the Dakotas Today-Fair

Tomorrow.

For Nebraska and the Dakotas: Fair and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday fair. For Iowa: Fair Tuesday and Wednes For Colorado, Wyoming and Montana; Scattered showers Tuesday and Wednes-

Local Record.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Station and State of Weather. Sismarck, clear.... 7 p.m. Tem. fall. hicago, cloudy Davenport, part cloudy... Denver, part cloudy.... Havre, clear Helena, cloudy....

T indicates trace of precipitation, L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY

The Women's League of New Orleans is taking an active part in the effort to pre vent further spread of the dread yellow fever. The president of the league has is sued a circular to members urging them to o-operate with the Board of Health in observing every precaution advised. "Exterminate the Mosquito" is the watchword and in this task the women will put into practice the precautions and methods that have been a part of the instruction in the home and education department of the league Nor is this the first time that the women of New Orleans have had an active part in sanitary precautions for that city. To them belongs a large part of the credit for the abolishing of the old above ground and the laving of the present sewer system of New

It should be gratifying to the people of Nebraska that in the widespread comment that has grown out of Mrs. Sarah Platt-Decker's advocacy of a special home-making course for women in colleges before a recent session of the American Institute of Instruction at Portland, Me., the University of Nebraska to being held up as an institution which is already equipped in this re-

Miss Florence Kelly, secretary of the National Consumers' league, took advantage of her recent visit to Portland, Ore., where she was elected vice president of the American Woman Suffrage association, to estabhis home one and a half miles east of Odell lish a branch Consumers' league in that last evening by shooting himself through city. Miss Kelly and Miss Kate Gordon of the right temple. Coroner Walden was New Orleans were also delegates to the Nacalled, but decided not to hold an inquest. | tional Conference of Charities and Correct tion, which also met at Portland, and dur-6 feet 4 inches tall. He had lived in that ing her stay there availed herself of frequent opportunities to present the work of the league before a number of influential organizations of the city and state.

It is said that the women of Gallicia have united in a league for the purpose of bringing the barbarous custom of dueling into disrepute. The league has for some of its prime movers some of the most aristocratic women of the country and they propose to frown upon duelists just as they do upon other disreputable offenders.

The erection of women's clubhouses and women's buildings all over the country should afford fine opportunity to women architects, designers and furnishers in all the various branches. Surely a woman should know more of the necessities of a this theory at least that the women of Lynn, Mass., went, and a woman, Miss Josephine Wright, has designed their new clubhouse and will supervise its erection. It was Miss Wright who planned the Massachusetts building at the Pan-American exposition and also built Craigie hall at Cambridge.

A monument to Ann Story, a prominent ploneer woman of Vermont, has recently been unveiled by the Colonial Dames of that state. The monument stands about two miles from the village of Salisbury and it bears the following inscription: "On this good. spot stood the home of Ann Story. In grateful memory of her services in the struggle of the Green Mountain Boys for the independence of Vermont. Erected by the Vermont Society of Colonial Dames. May 30, 1905."

FATHER FINDS LITTLE BOYS Man from Oklahoma and Two Children Get Separated on Streets of Omaha.

A happy reunion of father and two small sons took place at the police station Monday morning.

Harry and Lonnie, 6 and 4 years of age, respectively, became separated at 502 South Thirteenth street about 5:30 Monday morn-Thirteenth street about \$130 Monday morning. Mr. Aden was on his way from Oklahoma to the north and remained at the above number Sunday night. He left his boys outside the hotel while he looked after some business matters. When he returned in about an hour the boys were gone. The matter was reported to the police and all the patrolmen immediately notified to be on the watch for the little fellows. First little Harry was located and sent to the station. He was the happiest boy in Omaha when he greeted his father. Some one gave him 5 cents and then he began to cheer up. Later Lonnie was picked up. Father and sons then propicked up. Father and sons then proceeded on their journey, clinging tightly to one another.

A rifle, entrusted to the boys by the

edy. I have used this preparation in my pying lands belonging to the government family for the past five years and have and occupied by members of the Iowa tribe nended it to a number of people in of Indians down in Richardson county, and York county and have never known it to endeavoring to lease lands held by the

67 76 other business that may properly come 75 before said convention C. H. Harbach will be the principal speaker.

Splendid Record. Dr. King's New Life Pills have made a splendid record by curing headache, bil-iousness, constipation, etc. 25c. Try. For sale by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. Board to Examine Teachers.

PIERRE, S. D., July 21.—(Special)—State Superintendent Nash has named the list of examiners who will pass on and mark the papers of the applicants for teacher's certificates at the August examinations. The board, which will meet on the 22rd of August, is: T. F. Graham, O. W. Coursey, Mitchell: Mrs. L. B. Sebree, Mrs. M. R. Carter, Mrs. Eva Lange, Miss Ida P. Hatch, Miss Myrtle, Hutchinson; W. P. Dunlevy, Pierre; F. C. Beers, Parkston; G. S. Ellingson, Canton; M. M. Guhin, Miss Elizabeth Ciary, Aberdeen; Miss Katharyn French, Miss Caroline Bartholomew, Elk Point; Miss Deasy Girton, Madison; Miss Margaret Duthie, Miller; Miss Emma Nelson, Onelda; O. E. Browne, Mount Vernon; G. A. Clark, Yankton; M. M. Ramer, Milbank, W. A. Thompson, Webster.

Small Supply and High Prices Prospect Just at Present.

FRUIT CROP WILL BE SHORT

APPLES MAKE LESS THAN HALF A CROP

Western Fruit Grower Gives Reports from All Over Country Showing Conditions at the End of July.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 31 .- The following a summary of the condition of the various fruit crops up to the time of going to press with the August number of the Western Fruit Grower. A letter just received from Mr. Westly Greene, secretary of the Iowa State Horticultural society, contains hese percentages on the various fruits: Apples, 44 per cent; pears, 27 per cent American plums, 51 per cent; domestic plums, 20 per cent; grapes, 74 per cent;

ries, 50 per cent; red raspberries, 77 per cent; black raspberries, \$1 per cent; straw erries, 85 per cent. Mr. L. A. Goodman, secretary of the Misouri society, in touching on the apple situation, says the prospect for a crop is as

dackberries, 79 per cent; fruits that have

een gathered or are being gathered: Cher-

In the Ozarks, 35 to 35 per cent; in central Missouri, 20 to 30 per cent; in north Missouri, 15 to 25 per cent.

While this is true we have special locations where the crop will be 50 to 60 per cent, and even the small average that the state makes means, because of the large number of orchards, a good many barrels of marketable apples for sale at picking

The prospect, so far as heard from, shows less than half a crop in New York, a little nore than half a crop in Michigan, but a still larger percentage in the new western and Pacific states. This, says Mr. Goodman, justifies us in saying that the prices will be fairly good and that it will pay to take care of all our apples. Grapes will be an abundant crop.

Peaches, of course, are a failure. Pears a very light crop. Plums a very good crop.

Detailed Report from Country, Below we quote from special reports just eceived by the Fruit Grower from almost every section of the United States. These reports are strictly reliable in every respect and a perusal of them will place our readwoman's building than a man. It was upon ers in touch with conditions throughout the country.

Huntington, Ark.-Peach crop good. Plums full crop.—8, B.
Mena, Ark.—Plums, 75 per cent crop.
Peaches and plums rotting on trees.—W. Bentonville, Ark.—Apples, one-fourth crop and poor quality. Trees in good shape.—L. B. L.

Springfield, Ark.—Apple crop about 75 per cent. Fruit affected with scab and bitter rot; no worms. Summer apples have been selling 75 cents to \$1.50 per bushel. General wet weather caused more scab than usual and hindered cultivation. Think, however, quality will be good.—R. I. J. Fruita, Colo.—Apple crop 40 to 50 per cent, and hindered cultivation. Think, however, quality will be good.—R. I. J.

Fruita, Colo.—Apple crop 40 to 50 per cent, quality of fruit fair and condition of trees good. Codling moth bad.—W. E. R.

Rocky Ford. Colo.—Apple crop 50 per cent and quality of fruit good.—J. H. C.

Canon City. Colo.—Apple crop from 300 to 350 cars winter apples. Last year 300 cars. Quality good and but few wormy apples on orchards thoroughly sprayed with arsenate of lead. No sales winter apples, summer apples 60 to 50 cents per bushel. Grapes one-fourth crop. No peaches and late cherries selling at \$1.40 to \$1.50 crate.—I. W. W.

Rome, Ga.—Very few commercial apple orchards and crop not over 20 per cent and quality of fruit medium. Some large orchards of early apples have been planted recently.—G. H. M. & S.

Clayton, Ill.—Size of apple crop about one-quarter, but quality of fruit No. 1. Troubled with codling moth.—M. L. A. Co.

Blue Lake, Idaho—Apple crop 100 per cent and quality of fruit good. Summer apples selling at \$1.25 per box. Good crop all over the state.—I. B. P.

Hamilton, Ill.—Apple crop almost a total fallure, and very poor quality of fruit.—F. D. B.

Quincy, Ill.—Apple crop about 40 per cent.

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an apple crop and quality of fruit fair. Summer and fall sorts show up better than winter sorts.—H. W. S. & S. Villisca, Ia.—Apple crop about 20 per cent. Fruit medium.—H. S. A. Topeka, Kan.—Size of apple crop, east

Villisca, Ia.—Apple crop about 20 per cent. Fruit medium—H. S. A. Topeka. Kan.—Size of apple crop, east to per cent, south and central 50 per cent. Topeka. Kan.—Size of apple crop, east to per cent, south and central 50 per cent. Topeka. Kan.—Size of apple crop, east to per cent, south and central 50 per cent. Topeka. Kan.—Apple crop and excellent in south central. Some big crops in Reno and Sedgwick counties.—W. H. B. Edwardsville. Kan.—Apple crop is very poor, have about one bushel on eighty acros Quality is poor. Wheat, corn and potates of the federal court Monday afternoon against John H. Lynds, William Grimes and James Van Low, whom United States District Attorney Baxter alleges are illegally occupying lands belonging to the government and occupied by members of the lowa tribe of Indians down in Richardson county, and endeavoring to lease lands held by the lindians, contrary to law.

The application for an injunction cites the law enacted by congress, which permits the Indians to occupy the lands in controversy, but which land is still owned by the government. The petition sets out that the defendants have notoriously tried to get the Indians to lease these lands and in several instances had succeeded in getting possession; that they have paid little or nothing to the Indians for Indians for the Indians for Indians for

to get the Indians to lease these lands and in several instances had succeeded in getting possession; that they have paid little or nothing to the Indians for the land; that this practice had resulted in retarding progress by the Indians, made them dissatisfied with the Indian commissioners and demoralized them generally.

CONVENTION OF SOCIALISTS

Meeting to Nominate County Ticket

Will Be Held at Local

Headquarters.

The convention of the socialist party of Douglas county will meet at 166 South
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J. E. M.

Richards, Mo.—Apples 10 per cent of full crop, but 30 to 40 per cent better than last year. Jonathans fair and other varieties poor. Ben Davis somewhat winter killed, but generally fine—W. H. B.

Springfield, Mo.—Apple crop, 30 per cent. Ingrams by far the best, Fruit is wormy.—K. A. A.

Farmington, Mo.—Apple crop one-third of last year. But few commercial orchards in bearing in southwest Missouri, Quality fair. Some good Grimes Golden, Jonathan and Ben Davis, About one-fourth crop of peaches.—M. B.

Crete, Neb.—Twenty per cent of an apple crop. Quality fair to good. Seiling at

op Quality fair to good. Selling at per barrel -E. F. S. Tecumsch, Neb.—Apple crop not over 10 to 15 per cent. Quality fair. Apples are fallit g. Plenty of rain and cereal crops abundant.—W. G. S.
Fayette, N. Y.—Fifty per cent of an apple crop. Quality of fruit as good as usual. The June drop very heavy in Baldwins and Greenings.—F. E. D.
Adams Basin, N. Y.—Apple crop smallest in nine years. About 20 per cent. Fruit where well sprayed is good. A great deal of rain and fruit has dropped badly.—C.
Jay N. Y.—Not as large.

O.B.
Jay, N. Y.—Not as large a yield of apples as last year. A little early to determine. Quality good at present. Early frosts injured biossoms on apple, pear and cherry trees.—H. T. S.
Rockwood, O.—Apple crop 15 to 20 per

cent. Less than last year. Fruit scabby, SUNSTROKE AND HOT WEATHER FATALITIES

cent. Less than last year. Fruit scabby, except where sprayed four or five times. Apples sold at \$2.55.-U. T. C. Guthrie, Okl.—Blackberries and all berries finest in quality and quantity ever known here. Practically no peaches. Grapes very fine, but spotting badly. Niagara worse than others. Apple crop about half. Black Twigs falling badly. Pear crop will be best ever raised here, especially Kleffer.—J. C. J. Yukon, Okl.—Apple crop one-third. Quality fair to good Summer apples marketed foc to \$1 per bushel.—A. S. P.

Portland, Ore.—Apple crop 50 per cent (about \$60 cars). Quality first-class.—G. H. I. stomach and drinking ice water. A leading physician of New York says: "If everyone who drinks ice water in warm weather

Porest Grove, Ore.—Apple crop 75 per cent.
Prices good. Pears and grapes will be full
rops.—W. R. H.
Northeast, Pa.—Apple crop 15 per cent.—

A. I. L.
Harrisburg, Pa.—Apple crop: Baldwins,
Ed per cent: Spy, S per cent; King, 75 per
cent; Smokehouse, full. Quality fair on
sprayed trees. Applea for home trade selling at \$1 per bushel. Neglected orchards
show no fruit.—C. H.
Chattanooga, Tenn.—No commercial apple
orchards. Small orchards complete failure.

Vancouver, Wash.—Apple crop about one third. Damaged badly by codling moth Quality of fruit below the average.—F. S. F.

O'BRIEN WANTS MORE TIME

Chairman of Lighting Committee

Asks Delay but Others Insist

on the Report.

Brien of the lighting committee more

me to report on the street gas lighting

bids, at the general committee of council

Monday afternoon. The chairman explained

that he had been away in the east on'a va-

cation for four weeks and was not in a

osition to make an intelligent report. The

the papers Tuesday night. City Attorney

Breen told them they could accomplish this

only by majority vote in open meeting

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and Evans dared him to do this or anything

matter out tonight.

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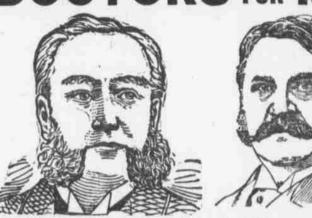
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