

# PIERRE FOR THE CAPITAL!

## MERIT SHOULD WIN.

PIERRE claims your vote for the permanent capital upon nothing but merit.

PIERRE is the geographical center of the state and as it is now proven by the story of Huron's own supporters that the Indian reservation is capable of sustaining as large a population as the section this side of the river, it will soon be the center of population.

PIERRE, in less than five years time will be nearer the center of population than Huron is now.

PIERRE will be more accessible within five years time than Huron ever will be. Remember that the railroads Huron has on its map do not all run into that city.

PIERRE has not offered the Farmers' Alliance or any other organization a few acres of swamp lands near the city, as a bribe to the members of that organization, to vote for it for the capital.

Pierre wants the capital to aid in building up the Indian reservation, to get these land out of the way as competing products with the improved farm lands, upon the South Dakota real estate market.

Pierre, for the capital, means a vast army of consumers for the products of the farms of eastern South Dakota. Hence it means better prices for grain, vegetables and all the different products of the farm.

## FARMERS

Are you aware of the fact that hay is worth in the Black Hills \$22 per ton?

Are you aware of the fact that wheat is worth twice what you get for it here?

Are you aware of the fact the oats, corn, potatoes, etc., bring from two to four times as much in the Black Hills as they do in your home market today?

Are you aware of that fact that a railroad from Pierre to the Black Hills will put you in reasonable distance of that section?

Are you further aware of the fact that if you place the capital at Pierre and thus encourage traffic in that direction you hasten the day when that railroad will be built?

Are you aware of the fact that you have been mistaken in the idea that that railroad will be built just as quick without the capital at Pierre? If you are not, ask yourself the question, why is it not being built now?

## FARMERS

By all Odds Cast your vote for Pierre.

**RAILROAD TIME-TABLES**

Until further notice, trains on the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will arrive and depart at Canton station as follows:

GOING WEST.

No. 1, passenger Monday excepted, 11:00 A. M.  
No. 2, passenger, Sunday excepted, 11:30 A. M.  
No. 7, way freight, 12:30 P. M.

GOING EAST.

No. 2, passenger, Sunday excepted, 3:45 A. M.  
No. 4, passenger, Saturdays excepted, 4:45 P. M.  
No. 6, freight, 2:50 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

No. 1, passenger, 11:00 A. M.  
No. 5, accommodation, 11:30 A. M.  
No. 6, freight, 4:50 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

No. 4, passenger, 4:45 P. M.  
No. 6, freight, 6:25 A. M.

For tickets and rates to all parts of the United States and Canada, inquire at ticket office.  
W. V. HOWARD, Station Agent.

### THE NEWS AROUND HOME.

Remember the place, Deavenport's bargain store.  
B-4-you go home, call at Deavenport's bargain store.

Deavenport's bargain store, latest novelties, notions and toys.

Mrs. Anna M. Shaw lectures at the fair grounds this afternoon.

Deavenport's bargain store, stone, tin-ware, willow and household goods.

The Capital City Band, of Pierre will visit this city today and tomorrow, and will furnish the music at the fair grounds.

Deavenport's Bargain store has moved to its new quarters in the Taylor building and has now one of the finest store-rooms in the city.

A. G. Noid has made arrangements for a true reproduction of the famous French painting "Angelus," which he will exhibit in his new drug store on and after October first. The picture is a faithful representation of Jean Jacques, Millet's famous painting known as "L. Angelus," which was recently sold in Paris for \$110,000 and is now making a tour of the principal cities of America. From a description of the picture which Mr. Noid has purchased, we learn the accuracy of the reproduction is such the softness of the retreating landscape, the unstudied grace and silent prayerfulness of the peasant man and maid, who stand with bowed heads, while the vesper bells are ringing in a neighboring convent, are but little less impressive and touching, than the great original.

A report appeared in yesterday's News that I had boasted that I could throw any man in the Canton nine.

Now, what I wish to say is that the report is false in every particular.  
AUG. GANDRAU.

### MEETING FOR ORGANIZATION.

A meeting of business men was held in the court house last night for the purpose of forming an organization having for its aim the commercial welfare and progress of the city. Mayor Zeller acted as chairman and his business partner, Mr. Hueston acted as secretary. O. K. Brown, C. B. Kennedy, D. E. Garver, C. E. Judd, A. G. Steiner, O. A. Rudolph, Nels Jacobson and Thomas Thorson, spoke in favor of the idea of organizing an association of some kind by which the commercial interests of Canton could be promoted. The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to prepare a constitution and report at such a time as they might see fit to call a meeting for that purpose.

The question of sending an exhibit to the Sioux City corn palace was also favorably considered and a committee consisting of Messrs Thos. Thorson R. H. Hichborn, Hawn, H. C. Hichborn, and E. J. Kean, were appointed to push the undertaking. The committee on constitution, it is expected, will report the fore part of next week.

### DELAWARE DOINGS.

The lumber has arrived for the bridge across the raging Saddle creek near Jerry Fillions, when this is done it will be the sixth and last bridge to be built over that stream in the township. Thanks be to the taxpayers.

G. M. Burney will soon commence the building of a grainery 18x24, 10 feet high G. Gerber of Worthing furnishes the lumber.

Peter Dray is having a well drilled and at last accounts they were bumping away on the wall of China, but he is bound to have water if he has to go clear through.

William Huffsmith is thrashing again and is happy, judging from the sound of his wistle.

A. B. McFarland, when last heard from, was sick in bed but we hope he is better now. What was the matter Mc was it too much melon, or too much work or too much Gifford delegation, that, troubles you?

The rattle of the festive mower is almost a thing of the past and now tis the hum of the greedy thresher, and soon it will be the peculiar thump of the merry corn husks from out the leafy cornfields and then a few snow storms and a few days of rest and then, hurrah boys! and at it again. We are going to adopt Benjamin's plan of farming next year and get there sure, and then you will see a sign on every gate post which will read thusly: "Money to loan at reasonable rates of interest." But alas! there will be none to borrow. Oh Benjamin! where did you get on to this new way of farming? Did Nash tell you how, or did you stumble on to it while you were traveling over the country or writing up its wonderful prosperity. Now, are you really sure that it will work? For it is evident that you have never tried it and the proof of a puddin'

is in the eat'n you know. There I came very near getting poetical, but Mr. B got ahead of me; but no matter, every man can't be a poet, no more'n a sheep can be a goat.  
JOB GRANGER.

LET HIM SHOW HIS METAL.  
MAPLE GROVE, Sept. 9, 1890.

Mr. JOHN IMLEY, Beresford, S. D.

My Dear Sir:—Noticing your article in the Sioux Valley News of Sept. 9, 1890, in regard to the independents and the open and broad challenge the same contains, I would respectfully request your presence at the Lincoln Center school house, in Lincoln township, Lincoln county on the evening of Sept. 13, at eight o'clock at which time and place you will have ample opportunity to convince the people of this vicinity that they should cling to the old parties. Assuring you that every effort will be made to procure a large attendance and make it exceedingly interesting.

I am, respectfully yours,  
HENRY BRADSHAW,  
An Independent.

### HIGHLAND HIBBOGLYPHICS.

If reports are true, we have a newly married couple in our midst. Better step forward and explain, Billy.  
Mrs. J. C. Steensland and daughter Mina, returned the 4th inst. from a ten days visit with relations at LeRoy, Minn. Henry Orstad, our wide awake farmer and independent, took in the campaign rally at Beresford, Sept. 3, conducted by Messrs Loucks and Zipp. He reports a good attendance, fine music, excellent speeches and satisfactory results.

Some of the states have passed laws that hay shall not be baled before September, and with others the rule is generally observed. Formerly less care was taken, and the interiors of the bales were spoiled and the market injured. Country Gentleman says on the subject: The fitness of the hay for baling depends strictly on the degree of dryness rather than on the time. In hot and dry weather hay will dry more in a few days than in a much longer time when the weather is cool and damp. For baling, hay requires more thorough drying than when thrown loosely into the bay. When made solid by baling, the damp vapor cannot escape from the interior, and it is therefore necessary to give sufficient time for the dampness to pass off. This period would vary with seasons and with the ripeness of the crop, but as a general rule, to be observed in all seasons, five or six weeks are usually allowed.

### Snow in an Ice House.

Last winter an experiment was made in South Jersey of filling ice houses with snow in the place of ice. A correspondent of Rural New Yorker promised to watch the operation and report results. "The experimenter," he writes, "is a bottler of mineral waters. I went to inquire about the matter, and the owner informed me that the snow had kept in perfect condition, and that the supply was good for July. He tells me that the snow has answered his purpose as well as ice could have done, and he has used nothing else for cooling his mineral waters."

### Agricultural Notes.

Grapevines planted in the chicken runs and trained to the fence afford shade to poultry; and also fruit to the farmer in autumn. The vines should be trained high up.—American Agriculturist.

In an account of the live stock interests of California, Mr. Bancroft places the number of sheep in the state last year at 4,000,000, three-fourths of them high grade merinos. The average price of wool for a dozen years has exceeded nineteen cents a pound.

After long years of experiment The Rural New Yorker continues to advise the planting of "three eyes with all the flesh on each piece of potato possible" for big potato yields.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that the School Board of District No. 8, will sell at public sale, at the school house in said district, on the 20th day of Sept. 1890, at one o'clock, P. M., the old school house. Terms given at the sale. Dated this 8th day of Sept. 1890.

### DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of Lincoln county South Dakota, will meet in delegate convention at the court house in Canton South Dakota on Saturday, Sept. 30th 1890, at three o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for county officers.

### AUGUSTANA COLLEGE.

COLLEGIATE and NORMAL COURSE. Fall term opens September, 23 and continues for thirteen weeks. In the Normal department, special attention will be given to the training of teachers for our common schools. For particulars address the president. A. G. TUVE.

### G. C. Bray,

—Proprietor of—  
**THE GATE CITY LIVERY.**

Keeps a first class outfit of livery rigs of every description. One of the best equipped barns in this state. Sale and boarding department in connection.  
E. END 5th St., CANTON, S. D.

### J. W. HEWITT,

Manufacturer of and dealer in  
**Harness, Saddles, Collars, Brides, Whips, Combs, Brushes.**  
Repairing done neatly.  
All work warranted.  
Uncle Sam's Harness Oil always on hand.  
E. FIFTH ST. CANTON, S. D.

## HELMEY & KELMAN,

—HAVE JUST—

Opened and are putting in place a new, fresh and complete stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, Druggist's Sundaries, Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Books, Stationery, School Supplies, Paints, Oils, Glass, and other lines to numerous to mention. We have also secured the agency for the Celebrated Masury's Liquid Colors, the best in the world.

Special attention given to our prescription department by competent registered pharmacist.s

Main St., - - - Canton, S. D.

—Just Arrived from the East—

## CHAS. CHRISTOPHER

Is Home From Chicago,

And has opened the largest stock of Goods ever brought to Canton. Have marked everything down to rock bottom figures. Call in and see the

New Goods! New Styles! New Prices!

Also new kinds of goods in every department.

## JUST ARRIVED

From the East.

## N. NOBLE,

—DEALER IN—

## LUMBER & COAL

We carry a complete stock of all kinds of Lumber, which we purchase in the best market. We are prepared at all times to furnish as good grades for as little money as any other dealers. Our stock of coal is also complete and prices as low as they can be made. We also carry Cord Wood, Stove Wood, Posts Lime, Cement, etc.

Office and yard east of the city scales.

## O. T. HELGERSON,

Owns this space- He handles a large variety of farm machinery, mowers, reapers, binders, Aultum & Taylor thresher, shullers and engines, corn plows, stirring plows, and all kinds of binding twine, oils and repairs. If you call on him for what you want in the machinery line he will treat you well and supply your wants according to hoyle.

## O. T. HELGERSON.

## STRAW BROTHERS & CO.

Have some special bargain's in boys, youth's and men's clothing to offer this week.

Mens all wool suits from 35 to 42 size, from \$6.00 to \$8.00. Boys suits 5 to 13 years for \$1.00.

We will sell anything in our line of business for 20 per cent less than anyone else can. Call an see for yourselves.

Straw Bros. & Co.