TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

MAN CHASE AT MADISON

Young Fellow About Town Pursued by an Irate Husband.

MADISON, S. D.—This city was treated to a genuine sensation yesterday, when a large portion of the population turned out to witness the exciting spectacle of one of Madison's young men pursued through the main streets by an enraged husband armed with two revolvers.

The participants were D. F. Pond, a dealer in riding galleries, and Leslie Thompson, a young man about town. At 4 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Pond, so he says, reached his house, and it is asserted that very shortly afterwards Mr. Thompson left it through a window, while Mrs. Pond is said to have gone to the home of one of her neighbors.

Later in the morning Pond made his appearance on the streets, armed with a revolver and in pursuit of young Thompson, but after a chase covering several blocks, the youth succeeded in throwing his pursuer off the trail.

A few hours passed, but instead of cooling the anger of the indignant benedict, time only added fuel to his rage. When he next appeared on the public thoroughfare he had added a second gun to his equipment, and again was in full chase of Thompson. Thompson's second flight was witnessed by large and interested crowds. Their suspense, however, did not last long, for before Mr. Pond could unload either of his weapons, Thompson had a second time found cover.

Foiled again, the irate husband was compelled to give up the chase, and before hostilities could be reopened, Thompson had invoked the aid of the law. On a warrant sworn out by him, Pond was arrested and bound over.

The proprietor of the giddy merry-go-rounds, being thus restricted in his means of vengeance, also had recourse to the arm of the law and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Thompson. But when the officers made search for the young man, he was not to be found in the city limits.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Pensions granted:

Minnesota—Peter Busk, Cokato, $6; Orin Betts, Barry, $10; Patrick Lyons, Soldiers' Home, Minnehaha Park, $8; Charles Neihart, St. Paul, $8; Thomas C. Roberts, Lake City, $14.

Iowa—Leander S. Whitehorn, Waverly, $8; Peter McCormack, Des Moines, $6; William C. Coates, Redfield, $6; Martin Brown, Oskaloosa, $6; William Miner, Swan, $12; Wesley Mansfield, Centerville, $14; Alexander J. Trego, Soldiers' Home, Marshall, $8; William Stevens, Cambria, $10; Samuel B. Nixon, Soldiers' Home, Marshalltown, $12; Trumbull Granger, Hawarden, $8; Robey Bowen, New Hampton, $14; Samuel F. Dungan, East Des Moines, $17; Caleb Rollins, Peru, $8; Archibald Sears, Sumner, $30; Daniel Nancy, Council Bluffs, $30; Mary Miller, Bonaparte, $12; Miranda V. Perry, Sanborn, $8; Elsie M. Collins, Panama, $8; Rachel E. Trudea, Des Moines, $8.

Wisconsin—Daniel Oleary, Green Bay, $8; James Callahan, Cottage Grove, $17.

South Dakota—Knute O. Hammer, Wheeler, $6; minor of Peter O. Salleran, Canton, $14.

HELENA, MONT.

The supreme court was asked to-day to stay the operation of the injunction granted by the court restraining F. Augustus Heinze from operating the Minnie Healy mine in Butte, pending the appeal, until application can be made to the court for a rehearing. Heinze's attorney asked the court for the stay, filing the brief written application. He stated that if the court could not grant a rehearing he would like to present an application under consideration. Later in the day the court granted the stay until next Monday morning, at which time the court directed that counsel for Mr. Heinze file their application for a rehearing as well as the application for the modification of the injunction.

The body of W. C. Craft, wanted by the authorities for the murder of Walter McClure last month, was found in the northern part of Fergus county. He left a note, in which he confessed having killed McClure. He says he sought suicide because the crime haunted him to such an extent as to be unbearable.

WINDOM, MINN.

M. T. De Wolf, postmaster and former mayor, and Fred Carpenter were elected members of the board of education.—Several citizens have invested heavily in South Carolina pine lands, having purchased something like 16,000 acres about eighty miles north of Atlanta in the mountains of Carolina. They will establish sawmills and enter largely into the manufacture of lumber. Calhoun, a town named for the great South Carolina statesman, is near the land, which lies close to the Southern railroad.—Crop reports are excellent. More or less rye and barley are being cut.—Solomon Solomonson has sold half a section of his farm for $60 an acre. The land is fifteen miles from Windom.—The young son of A. F. Strunk is lying at the point of death from meningitis.

IOWA FALLS, IOWA

The faculty for Ellsworth college for the year opening Sept. 1 has just been announced as follows: A. J. Vavana, B. C. (State university), president; M. E. Peck (Cornell collegt), sciences and languages; Caroline P. Ellsworth (Vassar), French and English; S. R. Fitz, B. S. (Iowa Agricultural college), chemistry and mathematics; Dr. M. W. Hill, physiology and hygiene; Bella M. Stout, arithmetic and typewriting; Margaret Miller (N. W. university), elocution and physical culture; Artemus E. Bullock (Oberlin conservatory), musical director; Caroline W. Smith (Art Institute, Chicago), drawing and painting; lecturers, Judge S. M. Weaver of the Iowa supreme court, M. W. Hill, M. D., and J. H. Carleton.

WATERVILLE, MINN.

Charles Snow of Webster City, Iowa, was sentenced to thirty days or $30 for seining for fish in Lake Dakotah. His brother, Frank Snow, made his escape. John Gannon, who was seen in company with them, was tried on the same charge, but the jury, after being out ten hours, failed to agree.—At the annual school meeting H. H. Stowe and David Conrell were re-elected as members of the board of education.—A force of men is at work under Contractor Rorick of Minneapolis putting in cement sidewalks.—L. T. Franklin has purchased the Foley property.—A government expert has been assigned to visit Seth H. Kenney's sugar and syrup factory during the season to learn Kenney's methods of manufacture.

WABASHA, MINN.

The summer school opened the second week with an enrollment of sixty-five. Professor J. Wogta of the Agricultural school is giving a course of instruction in the science of agriculture and practical methods for its introduction in the common schools. His course includes many practical experiments capable of being used in the rural schools. Superintendent Orville F. Bright of Cook county, Illinois, will lecture at the opera-house to-morrow evening. His topic will be "Rural School Sanitation," illustrated by stereopticon views.

KEOKUK, IOWA

The north-bound Twin City Express, on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, crowded with passengers, had a narrow escape from destruction near Alexandria last night. One mile from that place is a long trestle. The floods have greatly weakened the structure and when the Twin City Express passed over it last night it fell. The train had reached solid ground, however, and suffered no damage. All traffic is now blocked.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.

The Golden Stream Land company an organization composed entirely of local capitalists, was formed here to-day with $120,000. The officers are: Dr. D. F. Rae, president; James Elliott, vice president; Dr. L. C. Edison, secretary; Charles Root, treasurer; A. McLeod, manager. The company expects to deal in Canadian lands and has already purchased 23,000 acres in the vicinity of Winnipeg.

STILLWATER, MINN.

W. F. Bickel will not be compelled to stand trial for violating state game laws by having had deer in his possession after the season closed. Judge Williston of the district court sustained the demurrer to the indictment. The game law has been amended frequently and Judge Williston finds that the law does not make it unlawful to have the deer in one's possession, the word deer having been left out.

MITCHELL, S. D.

Omie Harris, 21 years old, fell from his bicycle last night and injured his head. He died in two hours from concussion of the brain.

WASHBURN, WIS.

Herbert Urquhart, aged 27 years, and single, was drowned while at work on a tug on the north shore of Lake Superior.

KIDNAPPING ATTEMPTED

Miss Pfeifer of Montgomery Carried Many Miles by Strangers.

MONTGOMERY, MINN.—When Miss Bertha Pfeifer, residing two miles southwest of Montgomery, was on her way yesterday to the teachers' training school, she was asked by a woman and a man to take a ride. Upon refusing, the woman got out of the buggy, grabbed Miss Pfeifer and, with the assistance of the man, dragged her into the buggy and drove south until 6 p. m.

Near Waterville, where they intended to feed their horses, Miss Pfeifer got out of the buggy and made a dash for the woods and escaped to a farmer's house about a mile away. He took her to Waterville.

The kidnappers told the girl they were going to take her to Council Bluffs and get a large sum of money for her ransom from her father, who is a well-to-do farmer. The man had a light mustache and both he and the woman were well dressed. They drove a covered buggy with the laprobe pulled up high.

Miss Pfeifer was given some kind of a drug, and she was unable to cry for help. Her father brought her home this morning. Her assailants have so far eluded all search.

NEW ROCKFORD, N. D.

New Rockford is enjoying one of the greatest building booms this summer ever known here. The improvements are all good, substantial ones, and would do credit to towns of several times the size. Among the new buildings are the following: J. M. Patch, brick block, with all modern appliances, $6,000; new store building of J. L. Kinnaird, $2,000; H. J. Mitchell, residence, $3,000; the Bucklin & Babcock two-story drug store building, $2,50; John Wenz, two-story shoe store, $1,200; R. R. Woodward, residence, $2,500; John Olson, residence, $1,800; A. C. Buck, residence, $5,000; George Brown, opera-house, $3,000; the new creamery building, with machinery, $2,000; B. C. Larkins, cottage on Stimson avenue east, $2,000; German Lutheran church, $2,000; addition to the Catholic church, $3,500; S. McDowell's cottage, $1,500; Silas Hylton's cottage, $1,500. The adjacent country is also on the boom as far as building is concerned. Many farmers are putting up new barns costing from $1,000 to $2,000 each.—Crops in this section are in excellent condition—the best in many years. The present warm weather is bringing late flax to the front. Showers in various portions of the county Sunday also helped the outlook.

AMES, IOWA

The board of trustees of the Iowa state college was very liberal with the different departments in the way of increases in salaries, but the appropriations were cut down about $30,000. A resolution was passed determining who should have the privilege of rooming in the several college buildings. Since the burning of the north wing two years ago most of the students have roomed and boarded off the campus entirely, and last spring the dormitory system was officially abolished. In the light of the action taken by the trustees it will be an honor to have a room on the campus. During the absence of President Beardshear Professor Stanton will be the head of the institution. Recognizing the fact that the salaries of heads of departments were insufficient to hold men of their ability, many of them have received substantial raises and several new positions were created.

BROWNS VALLEY, MINN.

Mrs. Emma L. Robinson, wife of Rev. Mr. Robinson, for many years rector in charge of St. Mary's Episcopal missions among the Sisseton Indians, was buried from St. Mary's church to-day. Rev. Roderick J. Mooney, D. D., of Glenwood, Minn., officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Victor Renville, son of the late Gabriel Renville, chief of the Sisseton and Wahpeton Sioux Indians. A choir of twelve Indians sang the various parts of the service and the pall bearers were all full-blooded Indians. Mrs. Robinson was a woman of great power and influence among the Sioux and the funeral was attended by a large number of them.

FARIBAULT, MINN.

Harvest of spring grains has begun and the yield promises to be very heavy. In many places, especially east of the city, fields are so wet that it is impossible to get on them. Threshing of winter grains will begin this week.—Work on the Zumbrota branch of the Milwaukee has been delayed by rain. The grade is almost finished from the station to the point where it branches from the main line on the Leavy farm. The bridge crew will start work in a few days.—It is rumored there is to be a new book bindery started of H. Hallett on Third avenue S. of H. Hallett on Thira avenue S.

LAKE PRESTON, S. D.

While at work on the city well a man by name of Pedan was severely injured, perhaps beyond recovery. His clothing caught in a pinion on the main power shaft and every piece of clothing except his shoes and stockings was torn from his body. He was badly bruised and had three ribs broken, and it is feared he was injured internally. His home is at Ottumwa, Iowa.—The Lake Preston Building and Loan Association elected the following officers: L. J. Bates, president; O. H. Needham, vice president; H. A. Keith, secretary; P. J. Langlie, treasurer.

MENOMINEE, MICH.

A class of about forty-five candidates will be initiated into the local council of the Knights of Columbus to-morrow afternoon. Menominee will then have one of the strongest councils in the state. The candidates are from Iron Mountain, Escanaba, Florence, Marinette, Oconto and several other towns of Wisconsin and Michigan. The state organizer, ex-Senator George Monaghan of Detroit, will arrive in the city on a special car with about fifty or sixty knights and about fifteen ladies from Detroit, Bay City and Jackson.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Rev. R. H. McGinness, until recently pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Tama, Iowa, was arrested at Wakefield, Neb., yesterday on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He is alleged to have induced one of the leaders of the church to sign a note with him for $300, falsely representing ho had abundant collateral. Then, it is said, he left with a young married woman, Mrs. Edith Yakam.

LEAD, S. D.

The schoolhouse in Washington addition is to be moved from its present location by the Elkhorn Railroad company, in order to get it off the right-of-way. The building is to be moved in two parts, by being placed aboard flat cars, the distance being about a quarter of a mile and across a deep gulch. The company has agreed to have the building in its new location in time for the school year.

COMFREY, MINN.

At the annual school meeting officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Director, Henry Bradbury; clerk, Thomas Nelson; treasurer, John McPhee. It was decided to have nine months' school, to commence the first Monday in September.—Barley harvest is now in progress and the oat harvest will soon be on. Conditions are very favorable.

RAPID CITY, S. D.

The city council has been urged by citizens to construct a sewerage system. Several public meetings have been held and committees have canvassed the town, getting the sanction of a large majority of property holders. It is estimated that the system will cost $12,000. The council will undoubtedly grant the request.

BATHGATE, N. D.

Two new firms have started in business here this week. Messrs. Demarse & Ardis have purchased the furniture and hardware business of Perreault & Garripy and are opening a general merchandise store in the Anger building.

CUSTER, S. D.

The Odd Fellows have installed officers for the ensuing six months, as follows: A. D. Fisher, noble grand; L. S. Wells, vice grand; B. F. Towner, secretary, and Otto Munson, treasurer.

PIERRE, S. D.

E. A. Warner of Eureka has been selected as secretary of the republican state central committee. Mr. Warner is private secretary to Governor Herreid.

DUBUQUE, IOWA

Because of an alleged quarrel with her lover, Miss Josephine Miller, aged 19 years, swallowed carbolic acid. It is thought she cannot live.

OTTUMWA, IOWA

Walter Anderson, charged with causing the death of a 12-year-old girl, has been arrested after a two years' hunt.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, WIS.

Anton Brueher fell down a stairway and probably received fatal injuries.

ROSE STILL IN IT

Wisconsin Democratic Convention in Milwaukee, Sept. 3.

WAUKESHA, WIS.—The democratic state central committee, in session here yesterday afternoon, decided to hold the state convention in Milwaukee Sept. 3. Madison was represented at the meeting by influential men, who urged the claims of that city with force enough to give the advocates of Milwaukee a severe fright, for the latter won only by a vote of 12 to 8.

This is a victory for Mayor Rose of Milwaukee, who is now considered to be in the race for the gubernatorial nomination. To have taken the convention to Madison would have been a hard blow to his chances, for the reason that his principal opposition in his own party is centered at the capital. Rose advocated Milwaukee and won.

Friends of ex-Governor Peck have hopes that the convention will put him in the field again, saying that he is undoubtedly the strongest man in the democratic party among the farmers.

William F. Vilas also has a following, chiefly among the silk-stocking element of the party that bolted the ticket in 1896, and from which but very little has been heard since that time. Intimate friends of Vilas said today that the ex-senator was evidently in training for something, and that they believed it was not the governorship, but the senatorship, in case the legislature should be controlled by the democrats.

JACKSON, MINN.

Some excitement prevails southwest of this town over a supposed case of suicide. William Eifling, a farmer, started for Martin Arndt's place with his rifle, to sit up with him and watch for thieves. As he did not return in the morning, Mrs. Eifling went over to Mr. Arndt's place and learned he had not been there. A search was made, which resulted in finding his dead body in a sitting position against a hay stack. He was holding the barrel of the rifle with his hands. One shoe and stocking were off and his big toe was on the trigger. There was a hole through his head. The coroner was called and pronounced it suicide, but on the 16th some writing with chalk was found on one of Mr. Arndt's buildings saying Eifling was not guilty of the stealing; that the writer did it, but he had nothing to do with the shooting. The sheriff went out after dark to watch the place and remained till about 4 o'clock in the morning without seeing any one. Early this morning one of Mr. Arndt's young girls brought in a copy of another message written on the north side of the wall after the sheriff left, as follows: "M. B. Dunn, you watched for me, but I watched for you, too. I could have blowed your head off instead of you blowing mine. You are not smart enough to catch me." The supposition in the neighborhood is that Mr. Eifling did not take his own life, but was murdered.

TORONTO, S. D.

The Farmers' State bank, of Toronto, has just incorporated with a capital of $25,000 and will begin business as soon as their new two-story building, to be built on the best corner lot in town, is completed. The incorporators are: A. J. Lockhart, O. D. Dokken, P. S. Johnson, L. C. Hoge and N. Ericson.—The Toronto Telephone company has received material and is now at work constructing the local telephone system.—Barley harvest is on in full blast and farmers report an elegant stand. All other grain is in good condition and a bumper crop is assured.—Bank Examiner Silsby was here last evening and found the State bank of Toronto in the best of condition. The bank will receive a permit in a few days to transact business in the name of the First National bank of Toronto.

WEST SUPERIOR, WIS.

A deed to Billings park was filed by the Billings estate to the city of West Superior for $100. It is one of the most beautiful parks in the since.—Mot Bramley, an employe of the shipyards company, committed suicide.—The East End is being visited by an epidemic of scarlet fever and almost every day new cases are being reported. There are fifteen children afflicted. The contagion got under way before the health department was notified. Strict quarantine is being kept.—The curling association, which has purchased the old fair building for a rink, is figuring on fitting up the building for summer as well as winter use. If a central location can be procured, it will be used for fair purposes and for political and social gatherings.

CANNON BALL, N. D.

Commencing with the new fiscal year, July 1, many rations of able-bodied Indians were cut off entirely. The effect of this order is that the old people get less than ever and the young live on the fat of the land. The old people will go hungry themselves sooner than see the younger folks want. According to Indian etiquette the old are of not much account, and the young people have no scruples in taking all they can get. The agent has compelled the Indians to take good care of their fields, and as a consequence the crop outlook on the reservation was never better.

DULUTH, MINN.

President W. L. Brown, of the American Steamship company, and General Manager Wallace are here in connection with the contracts for the building of three new steamers at an aggregate cost of $840,000. One order was from G. A. Tomlinson, of the Duluth Steamship company, and the other two from A. B. Wolvin, of the Provident Steamship company. All vessels will be constructed of steel. It is thought that two of the boats will be built in the West Superior yards.—Mrs. Frank Sullivan, wife of a prominent lawyer, died from a rupture of a blood vessel.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Winfield R. Gaylor, pastor of the Congregational church at New London, Wis., who has been making speeches in different parts of the state in the interest of the social democratic party, in company with Victor L. Berger, was in Milwaukee to-day. He has resigned his pastorate, and says he has been practically compelled to give up his pulpit on account of the opposition of certain wealthy men and politicians, who believe that his theories are not consistent with his work in the church. He says he will probably not seek a pulpit elsewhere.

DES MOINES, IOWA

Captain J. N. McClanahan, a prominent politician of Corydon and ex-grand master of the Masonic order of Iowa, lost his right hand from the effects of a handshake with a friend whom he had not met for years. The meeting took place several months ago, and the grip given by his friend was so hard that several of the small bones were broken and afterward caused a cancerous growth. He was in a Chicago hospital for several weeks, taking treatment, and was advised by the surgeons to have the member amputated. The operation took place to-day.

NEW RICHMOND, WIS.

Later reports confirm and add to the widespread disaster to crops in the wake of last night's hailstorm. Its path covered five miles and the hail extended over on area of three miles in width, running southeast from the northwest portion of St. Croix county; then in another strip two miles wide, where the damage was confined to wind and rain. Where the hail struck, the destruction of the crops is total. Everything was literally driven into the ground, nothing being left even for fodder.

CAMP DOUGLAS, WIS.

The encampment of the Wisconsin national guardsmen begins Aug. 2. The First regiment will remain one week, returning Aug. 9. The Second and Third follow in order, each spending a week at Camp Douglas. The camp will be named in honor of Sergeant Swanson, of Company L, Third Wisconsin volunteers, who was killed at Abonita Pass, Porto Rico.

FULDA, MINN.

The Fulda roller mill is spending $3,000 for additional machinery.—The First National bank is building a $16,000 brick block. It is 45 feet front and 110 feet deep, finished in St. Louis mottled brick.—The prospect for an abundant harvest is good.—The Farmers' Elevator company has put in a large new gas engine.

WINONA, MINN.

The worst storm of the season passed over about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. A fall of rain which was little less than a cloudburst was followed by hail. Windows were broken and crops pounded into the ground. A cloudburst is reported at Rushford and at Galesville, Wis., a heavy windstorm occurred.

MISSOULA, MONT.

Mrs. D. M. Durfee was shot and perhaps fatally wounded by an assailant. When within a block of her home she heard the report of a revolver and realized that she had been shot. She reached her home unaided, but fainted on the porch. The bullet entered the abdomen. It is thought she will die.

ANDERSON A CANDIDATE

Ex-Mayor of La Crosse Would Be Governor.

LA CROSSE, WIS.—Although several candidates have been mentioned in connection with the gubernatorial nomination in this state on the democratic ticket, the democrats of La Crosse county are bringing forward the name of ex-Mayor Wendel A. Anderson, formerly United States consul to Montreal. The La Crosse county delegation will go to the state convention solid for Anderson, and it is said that several other county delegations in this part of the state will support the La Crosse candidate.

The republicans in this city are still divided, notwithstanding the fact the convention fight is over. Although the delegation from this county was solid for the governor, the platform adopted by the convention has fanned the coals of dissatisfaction into a heated flame and now a bitter fight is being waged between the two factions. Many former La Follette men express themselves as being opposed to the platform and the action of the convention concerning Senator Spooner. La Crosse county, which has always given a republican majority, is likely to go democratic, inasmuch as many republicans say that the only way to defeat La Follette is by electing democrats to the legislature.

DUBUQUE, IOWA

With tears in his eyes and mourning visible in his dress, Jack Keefe, an ex-prize fighter, who formerly resided in Dubuque, but of late years has spent most of his time around Minneapolis and St. Paul, stepped up to a well dressed German at the Illinois Central station and asked him to cash a $20 check, so that he would be able to take the dead body of his brother home with him, which, he said, reposed in a casket standing on a truck nearby. The stranger sympathized with the mourning brother, as he supposed, and cashed the check. A few moments later the German learned it was bogus and the police were notified. Keefe disappeared and as yet has not been found.—Seven journeymen painters are looking for their employer, Charles Emerson. He disappeared Saturday night and with him took their salary for two weeks, amounting to something in the neighborhood of $200. Emerson can't be found but his wife says he is coming back.—Members of the Early Settlers' association have received a letter from Speaker Henderson, saying he will be home in time to deliver an address at their picnic. Senator Allison will also speak.—The Diamond Jo company will be defendant in a suit brought by Davenport attorneys representing the estate of Christopher Leonidas and son, Ellsworth, the cowboys who were killed two weeks ago on the deck of the steamer Dubuque by Mate Dan Breen.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D.

The action of the state supreme court in granting Frederick Page, an inmate of the penitentiary, a new trial, will be of interest to the people of Kingsbury county, where Page was convicted. He is serving a term for being a member of the now celebrated Kingsbury county whitecapping party, which in the summer of 1900 went to the home of Nels Sands, an undesirable neighbor, and used him very roughly in an attempt to drive him from the country. Page, it is believed, is almost certain to be acquitted as a result of his new trial, as Sands, the complaining witness, moved to a point in North Dakota some little time ago, and reports are to the effect that he has since moved from that point to a place unknown. This will meet the approval of the people of Kingsbury county, where the almost general sentiment prevails that Page has been punished sufficiently.—Sheriff Courtney of Stanley county, has delivered to Warden Swenson of the penitentiary, Albert Anderson, who was convicted a few days ago in Stanley county of grand larceny and sentenced to a term of one year. He broke into a Fort Pierre saloon and stole several bottles of liquor, a bunch of keys and a small sum of money.

LA CROSSE, WIS.

The mysterious disappearance of William Gautsch, a prominent farmer, has aroused suspicion of foul play. A few days ago he started for this city with a load of garden produce and since then nothing has been heard of him.—Miss Carrie Morris is suffering from an eruption of the face, as a result of a scratch of a baby. Several days ago she was asleep with a small child belonging to her sister. The child was suffering with a skin disease and while Miss Morris was asleep scratched her in the face. A few days later her face began to swell and blood poison is feared.—While attempting to rescue a horse from drowning, Carl Severin almost lost his life in the La Crosse river. He went down and had it not been for several men working nearby he would have drowned.—Because her husband would not give her a watch that he had found, Mrs. John Shimshak attacked him, and as a result he is now serving a three months' sentence in the county jail. In the fight Shimshak struck his wife with a hammer.—The S. Y. Hyde Elevator company is constructing five large elevators between Mankato and Farmington, Minn. They will each have a capacity of 20,000 bushels.

MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

A quartet of negroes from Missouri got into serious trouble in this city, and as a consequence are languishing in jail. The quartet consisted of two women and two men. The women got into a fight at a lunch counter and attacked each other with table forks. They were separated and later the men took up the quarrel. They drew knives and were slashing at each other vigorously when the police appeared and the men made their escape. Some hours afterward, one of the men, whose name was Burton, and his wife, held up and robbed a white man on Second avenue. Burton and his wife were caught in a saloon, but the man who was robbed had disappeared, so the guilty couple were sent up for fifteen days for intoxication.—The matter of a viaduct over the Iowa Central, Great Western and North-Western tracks, on Center street, has again been taken up by the city council. Councilman Webster has been appointed a committee of one to confer with the railway commissioners.

WINONA, MINN.

The interest in the summer school is well sustained and the students are doing excellent work. O. T. Bright addressed the school this afternoon and will speak again this evening. Professor J. S. Gaylord of the Winona normal school will speak on Saturday.—The annual retreat of the Catholic priests of the Winona diocese will be held in this city, opening on Monday, Aug. 18, and closing the following Friday. It is expected that all the priests of the diocese will attend. The retreat will be in charge of Father Elliott of New York city, a Paulist father.—There are signs that the government is planning shortly to commence work on river improvement, very little having been done for over a year. The government quarries at La Mollie are being put in shape for an early opening and government barges are being moved to places where they will be required when work begins. The government snag boat McKenzie passed down the river on Tuesday afternoon after having spent a week on the waters north.

IOWA CITY, IOWA

The board of regents of the State university of Iowa to-day awarded the contract for two new college of medicine buildings to James Rowson & Son of Iowa City. The structures will cost $128,880, thus divided: Laboratory building, $84,630; anatomy building, $44,250. The buildings will be of stone and will be in harmony with the new college of liberal arts. The board elected Dr. James R. Guthrie of Dubuque dean of the college of medicine, to succeed Dr. W. D. Middleton of Davenport, deceased. Dr. Guthrie is now professor of obstetrics and gyneology. The chair of surgery will be filled later by the medical committee.

KASOTA, MINN.

Cammel Miles, an old resident of Kasota, died at the St. Peter hospital, where he has been a patient two years, and was buried from his brother's home here yesterday.—Grading on the new Milwaukee line is about completed and in a short time the rails will be laid and traffic begun.—The Hubbard Milling company of Mankato has just completed a large grain cleaning house here at a cost of $50,000. It will have a capacity of forty cars a day. The Peavey Elevator company of Minneapolis will also erect one the same size. These houses will be a great addition to Kasota, as they are permanent and will employ about sixty men.

POLLOCK, S. D.

The town of Pollock, which is the terminus of the Soo's extension into South Dakota, is experiencing a business boom this year which has not been surpassed in this country since the palmy days of Eureka. The town is but 9 months old, but is already the largest Missouri river town between Bismarck and Pierre. It is the shipping point for large supplies to the Indians and is in the midst of a fertile agricultural country, where stock raising is made a prominent feature.—The barley harvest is completed. This is a new crop for this country, but the yield is very large.

TARIFF MODIFICATION

How It Is Again an Issue Between Cummins and Hull.

DES MOINES, IOWA.—Trouble preliminary to the turmoil that is threatened at the republican state convention July 30, has begun to brew in the seventh district. Ex-Senator W. H. Berry of Warren county is announced as a candidate for member of the committee on resolutions from this district. Lafayette Young is seeking to get the support of the Polk county delegation for this honor, and by corraling the vote of Polk and Madison counties hopes to secure a place on the committee. Mr. Young represents the Hull forces and stands for a modification of the platform adopted at Cedar Rapids last year, which demands a change of tariff schedules whenever they become a shelter for monopoly. According to the views of Hull and the congressional delegation, there should be nothing in the platform that suggests the tariff and the trusts are in any way related, and they are squarely opposed to any revision of the tariff. Mr. Berry, on the other hand, believes the platform of last year should be reaffirmed or a stronger one adopted. He represents the feeling of the Cummins element of the party, as opposed to the old machine forces and the congressional delegation. In a quiet way efforts are being made by both factions in this district to control the selection of a member of the resolutions committee. A similar struggle is going on beneath the surface in other parts of the state.

Mr. Young is urging as a reason why he ought to be given the position on the resolutions committee that he is looking forward to an appointment at the hands of President Roosevelt. The president will be here on his western tour. Mr. Young wants a strong indorsement of the president for re-election in 1904 and desires to point this indorsement out to the president as his own handiwork. If Mr. Young and the Hull men can at the same time tear down the Cedar Rapids platform and take an indirect slap at Governor Cummins, they reason it will be all the better. Mr. Young has not disclosed what appointment he seeks. It may be the postmastership here, though generally considered to be something preferable thereto.

The struggle to give a black eye to the Cedar Rapids platform may or may not come to the surface in the state convention. Should such a test come, the Cummins men are confident they can win.

CEDAR FALLS, IOWA

Camp Rudisill of the Forty-ninth has been turned into a cow pasture again. All the companies departed for their homes yesterday. The work of pulling stakes began early in the morning and at 4.54 in the afternoon the last company was on board the train.—The summer school at the state normal came to a close to-day and the examinations for state certificates were commenced. For this there were ninety applicants. On Thursday the regular exercises of the graduating class of the summer section will be held, when fifty will be granted diplomas. The address will be delivered by President Seerley. The class day exercises will consist of a play entitled "The Register."

LEWIS, IOWA

The barking of a dog wakened James Aston, proprietor of the Saratoga restaurant. He was angry and shouted to the dog to keep still. But the dog persisted and the man could not sleep. Going out to throw a club at the dog, he found the Meredith building, next his own, on fire. He called help and the fire was extinguished. Had not the dog persisted the entire business section would probably have burned, as there is practically no fire protection.

GLENWOOD, WIS.

D. H. Syme of the Buena Vista stock farm has his new barn enclosed. The size is 36x148, and when completed it will be one of the best in northern Wisconsin.—F. P. Ainsworth, proprietor of the First Bank of Glenwood, is erecting a solid brick bank building 26x50, with burglar and fireproof vault.—The rye and barley harvest has begun and the yield will be the best in several years.

GENEVA, IOWA

A fall festival or field day is to be a unique affair here on Aug. 14. The business men are at the head of the enterprise, and it will be called "Bean Dinner day." Committees have been appointed, and arrangements are making for a splendid program of all kinds of sports. The great feature is to be a grand free dinner, the piece de resistance of which is to be baked beans—Geneva baked beans, more famous than Boston's. The dinner will be served in a huge tent, and after it there will be several short speeches by the best talent in the county. It is planned to have all of Franklin county attend. Music will be provided by several bands and a vocal quartet.

SIOUX CITY, IOWA

"I'll get 'em. Just lemme get out and I'll slit their throats and suck their blood. Peach on me, will they? I'll kill the informers as sure as I live." These were the words of 17-year-old William Jordan, handcuffed and clogging leg irons, going back on the Milwaukee railroad to the South Dakota reformatory at Plankinton, whence he escaped June 18. He had been caught working at the Illinois Central coal chutes here. Ray Bell, also 17, escaped with him, and was found with a crushed head near Meckling, along the Milwaukee. He was expected to die, but disappointed the doctors. The doctors believe Jordan, who has a bad record, deliberately shoved his companion from a moving train. Bell cannot talk as yet.—Attorney R. H. Munger, former police judge, left yesterday on a trip around the world. He will be absent about seven months, during which he will travel 50,000 miles and visit all the principal countries.—Fred Bemis, aged 40, engaged in unloading telephone poles from a moving train, staked his life upon his ability to dislodge a pole before its forward end should run into the ground. He was a second too late and the pole, one end ramming into the earth, with the other crushed his head between it and the back end of the flat car. He was instantly killed. Henry Faulkner was thrown high in the air and was saved from certain death only by the quickness of Foreman Dave Long, who caught the unconscious man as he was about to fall under the wheels.

FARGO, N. D.

Lumber dealers in North Dakota report the biggest business ever known. The increased sales are not confined to the newer sections, but right in the valley there is a big business. This is partly due to the fact that some of the big farms have been cut up and several farmers now reside on different quarters. Another reason is that many farmers who have gotten along with cheap homes are now building better ones, and are also adding to farm buildings for the storage of grain, machinery and the care of stock.—The funeral of John McAuliffe, who was killed in the recent Utah mine disaster, was held here under military auspices. McAuliffe was reared in Fargo and was a member of the North Dakota regiment in the Philippines.—Some months ago Cora Oman, the widow of an old veteran, was arrested on the charge of selling whisky. She gave bail but ran away and the bail was forfeited. She has returned to Fargo and surrendered herself to the authorities. The forfeited bail will be returned to her bondsmen.—Local switchmen have organized and joined the Switchmen's Union of America. It is expected all the switchmen in Fargo and Moorhead will join the organization.

PINE ISLAND, MINN.

John Thomas, over 90 years of age, attempted to commit suicide here to-day by drowning. He cast himself into the mill dam and but for the presence of two or three persons who were viewing the damage done by the recent high water, would have succeeded in his attempt. After regaining consciousness he said he was ill and expressed sorrow he had not been permitted to accomplish his purpose. His aged wife passed away recently and since that time he has continually longed for death.

BESSEMER, MICH.

Reports have it that the postoffice is to be removed to the Ramquist building as a concession to the Young supporters here. The postmaster himself stands neutral and seems willing to let the warring interests of "uptown" and "downtown" fight it out among themselves.—Solomon Saxe's new block, costing over $10,000, is ready for occupancy. This is the greatest improvement in the building line Bessemer has seen in twelve years.

In a Permanent Location.

The city ticket office of the Omaha road located temporarily at 322 Nicollet avenue will occupy their new quarters in Pillsbury building, Nicollet avenue and Sixth street, commencing Wednesday, July 23.

Sun Bonnet Baby

Fans free for the ladies at new office of Omaha Road, Pillsbury Building, Nicollet Ave and 6th St. Office opens today.

To Clean Silver Without Work

Use Silver Salt. You'll be delighted. No rubbing—no polishing. Makes water do it all. At grocers and druggists.

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NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

PELICAN RAPIDS, MINN.—One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place on the evening of the 21st at the residence of the bride's father, O. A. Burdick, when Miss Mildred Eunice Burdick of this place and Henry G. Vick of Bathgate, N. D., were united. Rev. Clair Ames of the Methodist Episcopal church officiated. Numerous guests were in attendance from far and near and many presents were received. The bridal party left Tuesday morning for a wedding journey through the west.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—Miss Ada Bray, who removed with her parents to Tacoma this spring, was married July 11 to Herbert H. Parker, an employe of the St. Paul Lumber company of that city. Congratulations and good wishes will be extended by numerous friends here.

FULDA, MINN.—Charles J. Peterson and Miss Martha Palen were married July 21 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Palen, at Fulda. Mr. Peterson is the station agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at Mason City, Iowa. Miss Palen has been a teacher in the schools at Hartley, Iowa, for several years.

GIFFORD, IOWA

The commissioners of insanity have had a very peculiar case to deal with. Harry Fowler, who is a telegraph operator for the Iowa Central, became imbued with the idea that an enemy was after him with the intention of taking his life. Every traveling man or other stranger whom Fowler saw he imagined was his enemy in disguise seeking his life. His mania grew so strong that it was thought best to restrain him.

ESCANABA, MICH.

Rev. J. Spencer Jewell of Gladstone was granted a divorce from his wife without alimony. The case had many sensational features. Mrs. Jewell had been wedded three times before. She had been divorced from the first two men, and the third, a German count, died. The suit was started by her, but was reversed by the court.

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Begins tomorrow and will run daily.

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Ladies' plain lisle, lace lisle and fancy lisle Hose, never sold for less than 50