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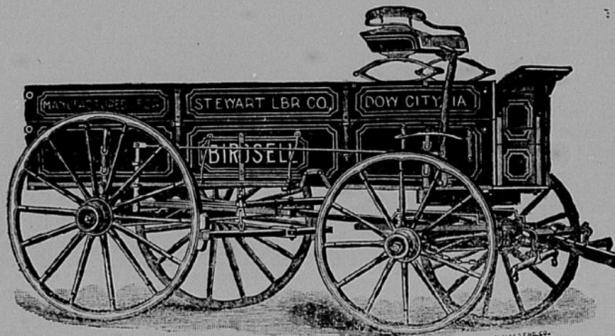
We will give special low prices for this one day. Sale opens at 8 o'clock in the morning and closes at 9 in the evening. Everybody invited to attend, whether you wish to buy or not.

Special Garments made to order in a short time.

THE BOYS.

The Birdsell Steel-Skein Wagon.

There are others, but not so good.



COSTS
A LITTLE
MORE.

WORTH
MUCH
MORE.

TWENTY-SEVEN SOLD LAST SEASON.

Ask **ANY ONE** of the purchasers what they think of them. We stand on their decision. It is the only strictly high-grade wagon sold in this territory. Sold only by

Stewart Lumber Co.,
DOW CITY IOWA.

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The Fine China at Chamberlin's, and his fine line of Rockford Watches? The prices are at the bottom, and always have and always will be.

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Horse-Shoeing a Specialty. **TOM BATEMAN.**

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Office Over McHenry's Bank

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Oct. 20.
FLOUR—Good demand and firm.
CORN—Higher. Cash, 32½¢; 32½¢; December, 32½¢; 32½¢; May, 31½¢; 32¢.
RICE—Firm; in good demand. No. 2 cash, 48½¢; No. 3, 48½¢; 48½¢; and No. 4, 48¢; October, 49½¢; 49½¢; and May, 48½¢.

BARLEY—In good request. Poor lots, 32¢; 32¢; feed by sample, 35¢; maiting, low grade to good, 32¢; 32¢; choice to fancy, 42¢; 42¢.
PORK, LARD AND RIBS—Active and higher. January pork at \$9.35, off to \$9.30, back to \$9.32½; January lard at \$5.12½, up to \$5.20, to \$5.17½; January ribs at \$4.85, off to \$4.80, back to \$4.82½; 4.85.

POTATOES—Firm and higher. Burbanks, 34¢; 35¢; Hebrons, 32¢; 34¢; Peerless, 31¢; 33¢; Rose, 29¢; 31¢.

EGGS—Firm. Fresh eggs, loss off, cases returned, were sold at 15¢; and recandled stock, new cases included, 15¢.

BUTTER—Firm. Extras, 21¢; dairies, 12¢; 19¢.

LIVE POULTRY—Generally steady. Turkeys, 70¢; Chickens, 42¢; Ducks, 62¢; 70¢ per pound; Geese, \$3.00; 6.50 per dozen.

New York, Oct. 20.
BUTTER—Steady. Western creamery, 16¢; 22¢; 24¢; factory, 11½¢; 14½¢.
CHEESE—Quiet. Large white, 8½¢; small white, 9¢; large colored, 8½¢; small colored, 9¢.

EGGS—Firm. State and Pennsylvania, 21¢; Western, 20¢.

Live Stock. Chicago, Oct. 20.
HOGS—Choice to fancy strong-weight shipping, \$3.22½; 3.27½; plain to choice heavy packing, \$3.05; 3.30; fair to choice heavy mixed, \$3.70; 3.50; assorted light, \$3.85; 3.97½; common to choice light mixed, \$3.65; 3.67½; fair to choice, \$3.40; 3.75.

CATTLE—Prime heaves, \$5.70; 5.90; choice to extra steers, \$5.35; 5.65; good medium shipping and export steers, \$4.85; 5.30; plain grades, \$4.40; 4.80; common and rough, \$3.90; 4.25; bulls, poor to extra, \$2.50; 4.25; fair to choice feeders, \$4.30; 4.70; plain stockers, \$3.30; 4.00; fed Texas steers, \$4.00; 4.80; fed westerns, \$4.05; 4.50.

DENISON MARKET SUMMARY.

Hogs..... 3 00/23.10
Wheat..... 48¢/49
Rye..... 35
Corn—70 lb..... 20
Oats..... 18
Hay—Prairie..... 4 00/5 00
Hay—Timothy..... 6 50
Potatoes..... 25
Butter..... 11
Eggs..... 10

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

AT CAMP MERRITT.

Adjutant-General Byers Says They do not Ask to be Mustered Out.

ARE GAINING IN FLESH.

They are Provided with Plenty of Clothing and the Rations are First-Rate.

In an interview with a Des Moines Capital reporter, Gen. Byers, who has just returned from Camp Merritt says: "I arrived at San Francisco on the evening of September 30, and proceeded to Camp Merritt, Presidio, where I found the Fifty-first Iowa encamped on a beautiful hillside overlooking San Francisco Bay and the Golden Gate. I found Colonel Loper and his staff in the usual good health and cheerful and obedient to orders. My first question was, 'Are you ready to go to Manila?' Colonel Loper replied, 'I and the regiment are ready to go anywhere and at any time the government directs us. We are not asking to go anywhere or to be mustered out of the service, but we are here as soldiers of the United States, ready and willing to do our duty at any and all times.'

"As soon as my arrival was noised about the camp and while I was partaking of the hospitalities of the colonel's table, the Fifty-first Iowa band, which is noted for its efficiency among the San Francisco people and among the army people there, gathered on the outside and gave a serenade, unexpected to me. I found some kickers among the men, as the saying is in San Francisco, 'who had cold feet,' who desired to be mustered out and return home, but a great majority of the regiment are soldiers and are ready to do their duty and obey orders when issued.

"I visited each of the companies and I found them provided with excellent army rations; all that a soldier could ask, and in most instances it was cooked in excellent shape. I made inquiry of the different companies as to whether they were getting plenty to eat and in each company they said they were well provided with all they wanted and had provisions to sell. I ate with the men in each of the twelve companies of the Fifty-first, none of the companies knowing when I was going to eat with them. I ate the same rations as the men ate, and I will say that if I had had such rations and such food to eat during the civil war, I would have thought I was near the 'Golden Gate.'

"The men who are well have gained from five to twenty pounds since they arrived in San Francisco and are looking hearty and rugged. The regiment is now provided with all the clothing and equipment that it requires, and all that is asked for, so that there can be no complaint made as to clothing or equipment.

"Upon my arrival in San Francisco I visited the division hospital, where my son-in-law was sick. Major Matthews being the surgeon in charge, and I found it in most excellent condition and under the most stringent sanitary regulations. Major Matthews has proven himself to be a most excellent executive officer and I think it is the finest and best arranged hospital that I ever visited. When I arrived there were 336 sick in the hospital from all of the commands in the Presidio. I do not now recollect the exact number of the Fifty-first Iowa that was in the hospital, but when I left San Francisco the sick had fallen until there were only 216 in the division hospital.

"The health of the men of the different regiments has wonderfully improved since they moved from Camp Merritt. The Fifty-first Iowa has lost by death from all sources and from all causes since mustered into the United States service, twenty-three. The prevailing sickness in the Presidio is throat diseases and pneumonia. I consider the Fifty-first Iowa as a whole a very healthy regiment. There, of course, is sickness among the different companies, some companies more than others, from natural causes. Men expose themselves to the night air and, of course, will get sick the same as they would in this climate. If we camped the same number of men in Camp McKinley and kept them as long as they have been kept in San Francisco, the probabilities are that we would have as much sickness as there is at the present time in the Fifty-first Iowa.

"Any reports that may be sent from members of the different companies of the Fifty-first Iowa as to their want of clothing or want of rations are absolutely false. The men who write such things home do it for a purpose; they hope that their friends at home will make such a complaint and bring such a pressure upon the authorities as will eventually muster them out of the service, as has been done heretofore in other regiments. But I can see, from all the information that I could get, no good reason for mustering out the Fifty-first Iowa. They are in as good health and have all the necessities of army life that could possibly be furnished them. When they first arrived in San Francisco and when the recruits began to come into the regiment, it was very hard to get clothing for them. Requisitions were made on the 16th of June and were not filled until the latter part of July or the first of August, but that was no fault of the company or regimental commanders; but the cloth-

ing could not be obtained from the government as the government was short in clothing in the quartermaster's department. No blame can be laid to the company officers or to the colonel for neglect to furnish the men with proper uniforms and clothing. From my personal observation, I have obtained some facts and figures which I will within a day or two embody in a report to the government and which will be more complete than this interview."

REPUBLICAN SPEAKING.

Arrangements have been made by the republican county committee for republican speaking during the next week as follows:

Milford Center School House—Tuesday, Oct. 25th—John MacLennan and Cyrus Beard.

East Boyer township—Heiden school house—Oct. 26—John MacLennan and C. F. Kuehne.

Dow City—Oct. 27—John MacLennan and P. E. C. Lally.

Jackson township—Oct. 29—Center school house—John MacLennan and P. E. C. Lally.

Union township—Howorth school house—Friday evening, Oct. 28—John MacLennan and H. A. Cook.

Paradise township—Carey school house—Saturday evening, Oct. 29—H. A. Cook and Sears McHenry.

Soldier township—Center School House—Monday evening, Oct. 31—H. A. Cook and John MacLennan.

Washington township—Otto Hink school house, Wednesday evening, Oct. 26—McHenry and Woodruff.

Nishnabotny township—Rockley Barber school—Thursday evening, Oct. 25—McHenry and Woodruff.

Washington township—Peterson school house, section 30—Oct. 27—McHenry and Woodruff.

Boyer township—O'Banion school house—Friday evening, Oct. 28—McHenry and Woodruff.

Union township—Pett school house—Saturday evening, Oct. 29—McHenry and Woodruff.

Kiron—Saturday evening, Oct. 29—Conner and Beard.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

Following is a copy of a circular letter sent to teachers in the Denison Dist. All teachers are welcome. School patrons of Denison are also invited to come and take part in the discussions.

The Denison Dist. Teachers' Meeting will occur at the High School building at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, Saturday, Oct. 29th, 1898. You are cordially invited to be present.

These meetings are always a source of inspiration and instruction, and no progressive teacher can well afford to neglect them. Come prepared to take part in discussions. The following program has been prepared:

Paper—"The Needs of the Country School." Robt. Bowman; Music—Selected Miss Gillmor's Pupils; Paper—"The Kindergarten in Relation to the Grades." Miss Bond; Paper—"Drawing in the Schools." Supt. Schaefer. Discussed by Mrs. Ainsworth. Music—By Mrs. Ainsworth and Miss Leptiens' pupils; Paper—"What is the Practical Benefit of Child Study by the Teachers in the Public Schools." Prof. Holmes. Discussed by Supt. Herson, Manila.

If time allows there will be a general discussion of the topics, "Tabacco and the Schools," led by H. V. Falloer.

Sincerely,
H. V. FAILOR.

The Davenport Democrat speaks in high praise of Gov. Shaw's speech which he delivered at that place recently. It says that—"He made a plain, simple, direct talk, that even the children in the audience could not fail to understand, and still it was deep enough for any student of finance to get fresh ideas from it. He brought out his points with a lucidity, a positively glistening finish of plain hard sense, that made them fairly luminous. He used object lessons, drew parallels, made comparisons, and gave illustrations, whenever a point needed elucidation, and he did it in a way so cheerful, so full of good will toward his opponents, so true to the facts in the case, and so plain to the understanding that the people sat fairly rapt, forgetful that they wanted to applaud him. But the cheer that greeted him when he entered and rounded out his closing period dispelled any doubt that he was welcome and that his talk had been appreciated and enjoyed."

W. B. Parkin, the Northwestern conductor who made such an excellent run for railroad commissioner, will make a few speeches in the present campaign. We happen to know that the opposition offered him \$100 a week and expenses if he would take the stump for the democratic candidate for commissioner. But Mr. Parkin is an honest, sincere man and is not for sale. He is a good speaker and will do the ticket much good.—Carroll Herald.

"A story is going the rounds to the effect that a watch swallowed by a young heifer years ago was kept wound up by the process of respiration, and lost only four minutes in seven years." The cow was a failure as a milk producer and it is now stated that the hands of the watch had milked her. LATER: The animal died from being effected with ticks.

An admiral's full dress outfit including hat, is worth \$765.00. The epaulettes alone are worth \$165.00. In the engagement at Manila Commodore Dewey wore a service coat made of dark blue serge well shaped to the figure, with a slit on each hip extending on the right side as high as his sword belt. His trousers had a gold lace strip about an inch wide down the outer seam.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

District Court is Still in Session—Much Work is Being Done.

RULE WINS HIS CASE.

Court Will Continue Next Week When It is Expected the Docket Will Be Cleared.

The district court is still in session and busily engaged in the trial of jury cases.

The case of J. M. Glynn vs V. C. Peckenpaugh which was referred to in the last issue of this paper was disposed of by the court directing a verdict of the jury to be returned for the defendant, thus throwing all the costs in the case upon the plaintiff.

A case of more than ordinary importance tried during the term was that of Wm. H. Rule vs John McGregor. This was an action brought by Mr. Rule against McGregor to recover damages for malicious prosecution. It seems that some time during the month of June last, McGregor caused Mr. Rule to be arrested before C. R. Carpenter, a justice of the peace in and for Washington township, on the charge of embezzlement. On the hearing before the justice Mr. Rule was discharged. McGregor then came to Denison and arrested Mr. Rule again on the same charge before Justice R. B. Montgomery and on a trial being had Mr. Rule was again discharged. After this Mr. Rule commenced his action in the district court against McGregor claiming damages for malicious prosecution and after a closely contested trial a verdict was returned by the jury in Mr. Rule's favor for \$1500 damages. Mr. Rule's friends are congratulating him on his recovering and complete vindication. Judge Conner, his attorney, is highly pleased at the result of the case.

At this time the case of Harthun vs Mahler is on trial before a jury. This is an action brought by Mr. Harthun to recover \$80 which he claims as commission for selling Mr. Mahler's farm. The trial has not concluded, the result will be reported in our next issue.

Court will continue in session until next week.

MUSTER OUT OF FIFTY-SECOND.

It Will Very Likely be Completed About October 30.

The muster out pay rolls of the Fifty-second regiment will be completed by Wednesday night and will be forwarded to Paymaster Monaghan Thursday. He will require but ten days to check over the accounts. The men will be paid October 29, and from present indications will be mustered out the day following. The regular order of business is being continued at the camp. A large number of men are being examined daily, and the officers in charge anticipate their work will be completed by the date set for the mustering. The men have not enjoyed their quarters during the late cold spell, and have spent most of the time in the city. Nothing has been heard from the war department regarding the proposed change in the date of mustering out the Fiftieth regiment, in order to let its members return home to vote. Col. Lambert in speaking of the matter stated he did not believe there would be any change. The furlough of the Fiftieth expires on Thursday, and if orders are not issued extending the furlough within the next two days it will be too late to reach the different companies. In case the furlough is not extended the Fiftieth will be mustered in the sheds to the south of the present quarters of the Fifty-second.—Des Moines Leader.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Oct. 15
Elizabeth and T. C. McCarthy to John D. Sievers a 150 ft of lot 3 in block 34 Denison, \$3,000.
Arthur D. Sievers and wife to Charles Smith, all north of river, w½ ne se ne¼ acre, all north and west of river of w½ sw se ne¼ 2½ acres, ne nw se ne¼ acres se nw se ne¼ 2½ acres, se se ne 2½ acres on ne¼, section 20, Denison, \$150.
A. Currier to Mary C. Currier, ne ne¼ and ne nw ¼ section 31, Milford, \$1.
Conrad Schwab, widower, to Peter and Caspar Schwab, w½ nw¼ and nw sw¼ section 19, and sw¼ and s½ nw¼ and 46 rods wide off sw ne¼, section 18, Boyer, \$7,000.
Oct. 17
Edward Hanne and wife to O. A. Olson, west 112 ft of lot 2 block 11, Astor, \$20.
Martin Neal and wife to John Maurer, lot 22, block 9, Butler's Addition, Arion, \$300.
Frederick Namitz and wife to Adolph Meyer, s½ sw¼ section 35, Soldier, \$200.
Providence Western Land Company to N. Nilsson lots 1 2 3 4 5 6 block 145 Denison, \$260.
Providence Western Land Co to N. Nilsson, lot 7, block 114, Denison, \$80.
Charles Gossweiler and wife to W. L. Paup, e¼ ne¼ section 19, Nishnabotny, \$250.
W. L. Paup and wife to Charles Gossweiler, se¼ section 39, Denison, \$540.
Charles I. Jones and wife to Carl Gronau, sw ne¼ and se nw¼ and ne sw¼ and ne ne¼ section 27, Goodrich, \$4,800.
Hans O. Jensen to Christina Jensen w½ sw¼ section 27, Nishnabotny, \$100.
Oct. 19
George Bell and wife to Town of Arion, a road way across the e½ nw¼ section 3, Union—\$55.00.

W. T. Stiles will give a lecture at Germania Hall on the subject—"Teachings of the Bible" Friday evening, Oct. 28. Mr. Stiles is well posted in bible study and will give an instructive talk.

For Rent.

Pleasant rooms in a good location. Suitable for a small family. Inquire at this office.