

THE DENISON REVIEW

MARKETS

HOGS.....	6.50
CORN.....	65c
WHEAT.....	80c
OATS.....	42c
EGGS.....	12
BUTTER.....	19

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ACCEPT BRITISH TERMS

Basis of Peace Said to Have Been Agreed Upon.

DETAILS YET TO BE SETTLED.

London Paper Claims to Have Authority for Making the Announcement. Asserts British Ultimatum Was Delivered and Accepted.

London, April 18.—The Daily Mail claims to have authority to announce that the bases of peace have been practically agreed on at Pretoria, but says that some little time will elapse before the details of the plan can be perfected.

The paper adds that upon finding that the British government refused on Wednesday to modify its terms with regard to amnesty, banishment and a responsible government, the Boer delegates met again on Thursday. The British decision practically leaving them the alternative of accepting the British terms or breaking up the conference was then communicated to them and the delegates proved more reasonable. When Lord Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, promised the delegates one or two seats in the executive council, subject to the approval of the government and pending the restoration of a responsible government, they practically agreed to accept the British terms.

Some details, continues the Daily Mail, which are not likely to create difficulty, still remain to be settled. Lord Milner has summoned from Johannesburg an Australian expert, who is to assist in estimating the cost of rebuilding and restocking the Boer farms. The delegates, concludes the paper, have so far acted quite independently of their representatives in Holland.

Boer Leaders Disagree.

London, April 18.—Serious differences, it is said, have arisen between the Transvaal and Free State delegates who are discussing peace terms at Pretoria. General Botha and Acting President Schalkburger, it is reported, have given the Free State representatives until April 21 to come to a decision, threatening that thereafter the Transvaal delegation will continue the peace negotiations independently of the Free State delegates. It is further declared that Botha and Schalkburger had practically agreed upon terms for surrender prior to their visit to Klerksdorp, but that out of loyalty to their allies they insisted on a conference, though with slight hopes that their views should be shared by General Dewet and the other Free State leaders.

CONTROVERSY IS REOPENED.

Dispatches Referring to Defeat of British at Spionkop Published.

London, April 18.—All the official dispatches referring to the defeat sustained by the British troops under General Buller at Spionkop, Natal, Jan. 24, 1900, were made public yesterday. Those hitherto unpublished merely emphasize how hopelessly muddled were the preparations for that engagement, the controversy between General Buller and General Sir Charles Warren is proved to have been even more bitter than previously hinted at, while a new extract from one of Lord Roberts' dispatches brings additional evidence on General Buller. Lord Roberts declares that General Buller's endeavor to put the responsibility for the defeat on General Warren was not justifiable. Roberts holds that it was Buller's duty to intervene when he saw things were going wrong.

Crowder Ready to Report.

New Orleans, April 18.—Colonel Crowder, the United States army officer who has been investigating the matter of an alleged British army post at Chalmette, said his investigations were nearing a conclusion and it is believed that his report will be in Washington by the end of the week. A complete account of the loading of the transport Michigan was the feature of yesterday's evidence, along with a statement by General Pearson.

Bocas Del Toro in Danger.

Colon, Colombia, April 18.—Governor Salazar, who is still at Colon, considers the situation at Bocas del Toro to be serious. He is sending hence additional reinforcements and is doing his utmost to prevent the town from falling into the hands of the liberals.

Queen Wilhelmina Better.

Amsterdam, April 18.—The cause of Queen Wilhelmina's illness is premature childbirth. An official bulletin says her majesty passed a somewhat less tranquil night. The fever, however, has not increased and her condition is comparatively satisfactory.

Dock Strike at Copenhagen.

Copenhagen, April 18.—A strike of dock laborers here threatens to tie up the trade of this port. The United Steamship company's laborers all went out yesterday and the sailors have given notice of their intention of joining the striking laborers.

CRAWFORD COUNTY SUPERVISORS

In accordance with the adjournment of the Board of Supervisors of Crawford county, Iowa, met in Auditor's office Monday, April 7th, 1902.

Chas. Dugan presented himself before the Auditor and qualified according to law.

Members present: Schroeder, Molter, Rhodenbaugh, Flaherty, Dugan.

Called to order at 10 a. m. by H. C. Schroeder, chairman.

Minutes of Saturday, January 18th, were read and approved.

Also warrants issued by Auditor between sessions.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

J G Smith, committee work and mileage.....	\$ 9 50
M J Collins, salary for March, express, etc.....	143 30
A G Stueber, salary for March.....	50 00
D P O'Brien, salary for March.....	50 00
O W Wheeler, salary for March.....	50 00
W T Wright, M D, salary for March.....	33 33
C W VonCoellin, salary for March, postage, etc.....	106 05
Frank Paul, salary for March, etc.....	117 35
Theo Kahl, salary for March, etc.....	131 75
S V O'Hare, salary for March, costs in state cases, etc.....	73 80
Jas Sheridan, janitor work.....	20 00
Morris McHenry, work for county in March.....	45 00
W Purcell, cobs for jail.....	2 00
F Fitzpatrick, cobs for jail.....	2 50
A J Gary, wood for court house.....	4 37
Frank Day, shoveling snow, etc.....	3 35
J F Glenn, defending F A Smith by order of Court.....	10 00
R Shaw Van, defending A Lentz by order of Court.....	10 00
Robt Taylor, labor at court yard.....	7 50
Henry Crist, labor on road, Gigax district.....	27 00
Marion county, Iowa, to car fare and attendance of Albert Munson, a blind person.....	45 10
W W Rhodenbaugh, committee work and mileage.....	32 50
W W Rhodenbaugh, to labor on bridges, transportation of paupers, etc.....	17 32
W S McDonald, labor Rhodenbaugh district.....	8 00
A H Bowen, book cases for teachers' libraries.....	34 00
Aug Meyer, clerk Soldier township.....	6 00
Ch White, clerk Stockholm township.....	2 00
Henry Bell, boarding prisoners, salary, etc, for March.....	159 35
August Schurke, trustee Stockholm township.....	2 00
Jos Johnson, trustee Stockholm township.....	2 00
John Pitban, trustee Stockholm township.....	2 00
C M Dugan, trustee West Side township.....	4 00

Board adjourned at 12 noon, to meet at 1 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Board met at 1 p. m. and allowed claims as follows:

C B Molter, committee work and mileage.....	28 70
The Boys, merchandise for poor farm, etc.....	15 93
Johannes Pruss, labor Flaherty district.....	9 35
Green Bay Lumber Co, lumber Flaherty district.....	30 80
J W Rockwell, labor Flaherty district.....	7 75
Suhr and Son, lumber Molter district.....	146 77
Gem Lunch Room, meals for jurors.....	6 75
R Seelig, repairs on transit.....	2 42
Frank Paul, clerk, to costs in East-Abbott and Nixon insane cases.....	82 10
Dr R Fuester, to disinfecting, etc, in residence of D Welck and C Martens, Schleswig, Iowa.....	13 50
Dr E C Weir, to service rendered in small pox family of Wm Jenkins, claim \$103.50; payment recommended by the Board of Health of Milford township for the sum of.....	60 00

On motion resignation of Chas. Shives, Justice of Peace of Stockholm township, was accepted.

On motion official bond of O. W. Wheeler, deputy clerk, was approved.

Claim of Frank Fitzpatrick for \$2.00 for cleaning school house was rejected.

Ordered by the board that a refund of \$63.00 be made to the Milwaukee Land Co. of 1899-1900 on out lot 'C' in town of Charter Oak on account of erroneous assessment made by town assessor.

Ordered by the board that a remittance of \$7.35 be made to G. A. Smith on personal property of taxes of 1899 on account of erroneous assessment in city of Denison.

Ordered by the board that a refund of \$14.25 be made to Hans Matthesen of mulet tax on lot 20, block 10, in the town of Aspinwall on account of erroneous assessment.

COUNTY AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Of fees collected during January, February, March, 1902, as deeds, bonds and redemption fees, the sum of \$128, and deposited the same with the county treasurer as shown by the receipt attached.

M. J. COLLINS, Auditor.

On motion report was accepted.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT REPORT

Of fees collected during January, February, March, 1902, the sum of \$344.35, and deposited the same with

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ATTACKS THE HOUSE RULES

Cushman Declares Arbitrary Power is Vested in Speaker.

INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS MENACED.

Supporters of Cuban Reciprocity Measure Will Press for a Vote Today—Democrats Take a Stand on the Pending Bill.

Washington, April 18.—General debate on the Cuban reciprocity bill closes today at 3 o'clock and it is the intention of the house leaders, if possible, to force a final vote on the passage of the bill before adjournment tonight. The Democrats are badly split on the bill. The opponents of the bill occupied most of the time of the debate yesterday, the feature being a vigorous speech by Cushman (Rep., Wash.) against the measure. Cushman arraigned the committee on rules and the house leaders in a breezy and at times a sensational fashion. A portion of his criticism was in a semi-humorous vein, but some of it was decidedly caustic.

"I make the statement on this floor now," said Mr. Cushman, "that no member who introduces a bill not a private bill can get it considered unless it suits the speaker, and if any one wants to deny that, I am in a personal position and in a clearly happy frame of mind right now to give a little valuable testimony on that point. Who is the speaker of this house that sets up his immaculate judgment to judge on every bill that is introduced? When a member introduces a public bill in this house it is referred to a committee, who pass judgment on it, recommend it for passage, and then it goes on the calendar. It ought to be called a cemetery, for therein lie the whitening bones of legislative hopes. When the bill is reported, what does the member who introduced it and who is charged by his constituency to secure its passage do? He either consents that the bill may die on the calendar, or he puts his manhood and his individuality in his pocket and goes trotting down that little pathway that leads to the speaker's room. All the glory that clustered around the holy of holies in King Solomon's temple looked like thirty cents (prolonged laughter and applause), yes, looked like twenty-nine cents, compared with that jobbing department of this government. I make no onslaught on the individual. I have a high regard for the speaker of this house personally, but the fact is that we have adopted a set of rules in this body that are an absolute disgrace to the legislative body. We need to restore this house to the great patriotic plane on which the fathers of the republic placed it, where every individual on this floor stands on an equal plane with every other. We operate here under a set of rules confessedly designed to belittle the hopes and dwarf the ambitions of the individual members of this body, and at the same time to vest more power in the hands of one or two men than was ever enjoyed by oriental despot. The system is rotten at both ends. It is rotten at one end because it robs the individual members in this house of the power that the constitution of the United States and his credentials as a member on this floor entitle him to; it is rotten at the other end because it vests power in men that have no right to it, and ofttime places on them duties that they have no capacity to fulfill."

DeArmond, one of the leading Democrats of the house, delivered a forcible speech in favor of tariff reduction on trust articles.

The other speakers were Pierce (Tenn.), Douglass (N. Y.) and Lacey (Ia.) for the bill, and Jenkins (Wis.), Gaines (W. Va.), Warner (Ills.), Gardner (Mich.), Jones (Wash.) and Lound (Cal.) against it. Lound declared that directly and indirectly Cuba already had cost the United States \$100,000,000.

Death of Dettlef Meeves.

Mr. Dettlef Meeves, an old and respected citizen of Denison died at his home Thursday, April 17. The cause of his death was old age and heart trouble. Mr. Meeves was born in Germany in November 1815 and was 86 years 5 months and 8 days old at his death. In the year 1843 he was married and came to America in 1853. For many years he has been a resident of Crawford Co. He was the father of six children three sons and three daughters. The sons are John, Peter and Henry and the daughters Mrs. John Seemann and two others. Besides these children he leaves a loving wife, a sister, 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Mr. Meeves was a very pleasing old gentleman of kind disposition and a true lover of his home; he was quite a musician and he delighted in his old age to pick up the violin and play some old familiar piece played so often in days gone by. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at one o'clock at the house, two o'clock at the German Lutheran church and at four o'clock at the cemetery, Rev. F. Lothringer officiating.

\$17.00 \$17.00 \$17.00

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Phonographs! Phonographs!

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THERE IS A TIME TO PAINT

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THERE IS A PLACE TO BUY PAINT

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Very Low Rates to Los Angeles, Cal. and Return. Via the North-Western Line. Tickets will be sold April 20 to 27, inclusive, limited to return until June 25, inclusive, on account of Convention of Federation of Women's Clubs, Through Drawing Room and Tourist Sleeping Cars daily. Personally conducted twice a week. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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