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# MANY CHANGES IN **NEW FOOTBALL** RULES

#### Made by a Special Committee Appointed Last Fall—What They Are.

The new football rules for 1906, edited by Walter Camp and published by Spalding are out.

The rules were revised by the following committee: Dr. H. L. Williams, Minnesota; L. M. Dennis, Cornell; W. T. Reid. Jr., Harvard; James A. Babbitt, Haverford; John C. Bell, Pennsylvania; Walter Camp, Yale: F. H. Curtis, Texas; Charles Daly, West Point; Paul J. Dashiell, Annapolis; J. B. Fine, Princeton; E. K. Hall, Dartmouth; J. T. Lees, Nebras-ka; C. W. Savage, Oberlin, and A. A. Stagg, Chicago.

The chief alterations in the rules for this season are as follows:

The officials of the game shall be a referee, two umpires and a linesman.
The two halves shall be thirty

The snapper-back must place the ball flat upon the ground, with its long axis at right angles to the line of scrimmage.

It has also been provided that a play-

er to be on line of scrimmage must have both hands or both feet up to or within one foot of this line. A player attempting to make a fair

catch must signify his intention by raising his hand clearly above his head while avancing toward the ball. Further addition has been made to

the rule regarding "down." That is, that the referee shall blow his whisle whenever any portion of the person of that runner with the ball, except his hands or feet, touches the ground while he is in the grasp of an opponent. The ball is also "down" when as specified in the rules, it goes across the goal line on a kick which has struck the ground in the field of play, except the kick-off, and also when it goes over in the same manner nfrom aforward pass.

Tripping and hurdling are forbid-

Regarding the taking out of time, it is provided that either captain may ask for time three times during the half without penalty.

Further provision is made against interference with the man snapping the ball back. The opponents must not interfere with the man snapping the ball back nor touch him not the ball until it is actually put in play. There must always be at least six men of the side in possession of the

ball the line of scrimmage. It is furthermore provided that there shall be no shifting of men to evade

this rule. Holding is forbidden.
One forward pass shall be allowed to each scrimmage, provided such pass be made by a player who was behind the line of scrimmage when the ball was put in play and provided the ball, after being passed forward does not touch the ground before being touched by a player of either side.

The necessary distance to be gained in three downs has been doubled; that is, the side in possession of the ball must gain ten yards in three downs instead of five, as formerly.

When the ball has been kicked by a

player other than the snapper-back, any player on the kicking side shall be onside as soon as the ball touches the The kicker in trying at goal by a

placekick from a touchdown may touch or adjust the ball in the hands of the holder so long as the ball does not touch the ground. A player on defense is forbidden

to strike in the face with the hell or the hand an opponent who is carrying the ball. Not only will the offending player be

disqualified, but also the loss by the offending team of half the distance to its own goal line. Tripping and tackling the runner

when clearly out of bounds, piling upon a player after the referee has declared the ball dead, hurdling and other acts of unnecessary roughness are punishable by a fifteen-yard loss. Tackling below the knee is punishable by a five-yard loss.

### FARM HELPERS STRIKE.

#### March Through the Country to Enforce Higher Wages. clated Press Cable to The Evening

Paris, Aug. 23 .- A "Jacquerie" in a mild form is in progress in La Brie, one of the richest agricultural regions of France. The farm laborers have struck work and are forming themselves into a union under the red flag. calling their fellows together by beat of drum. Their object is to demand

higher wages.

Bands of 200 or 300 strikers march through the country picking up recruits, either willing or unwilling, at every farm. These peasant battallions are headed either by the tri-color or the more sinister red flag of socialism, and cheered on their way by the music of drums, trumpets and accordions orts of gendarmes accompany the march, but no violence has occurred

to necessitate their presence. Although the laborers of La Brie are the best paid in France, the cost of living there is excessive. Consequently the heads of families are in constant distress, to relieve which they have determined to form unions. This movement has only been in existence about a month, but the employers in one district has recognized the union and granted a considerable rise in wages

After many scientific laboratory trials it has been proved that from the bulb of the coffee bean a good quality and large quantity of alcohol can be extracted. Heretofore the bulb has en useless.

# **AVERAGE**

#### Percentages of Northern-Copper League Pitchers Made Public.

Brenna, the Winnipeg pitcher, led the twirlers of the league in the percentage of games won up to Aug. 5, according to the official averages as given out by Secretary Glass of the Northern and Copper Country league. Dunn, who was with Winnipeg for

just two weeks, had a higher percentage of victories than Brenna, but as he only pitched four games it is hard-ly fair to rank him above those who have been working regularly. Barry led the Houghton pitchers with twelve victories and six defeats, and Morrison led the Calumet twirlers with fourteen victories and nine defeats.

Krick has been the most successful of the Duluth twirlers, with eleven victories and eight defeats, although Hop-kins, who pitched just two games for Duluth, coming from the defunct Hancock team, had twelve victories and

The following table shows the number of victories and defeats, and the percentage of every regular pitcher in

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| Brenna 8  | 3                               | .727                                 |
| Bushelman 6   | 4                               | .600                                 |
| Fargo.  |                                 | 1000000                              |
| Fogarty 5   | 4                               | .555                                 |
| Hansen 5  | 19                              | .209                                 |
| McMillan1:  |                                 | .571                                 |
| Finnegan  | 10                              | .524                                 |
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| Beecher   | 6                               | .625                                 |
| Barry   | 3<br>6<br>6                     | .666                                 |
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| Calumet.  |                                 |                                      |
| Rogers 6  | 10                              | .375                                 |
| Morrison11  | 7                               | .611                                 |
| Foulkes14   | 9                               | .608                                 |
| Grimes  | 10                              | .543                                 |
| Lake Linden.  | -0                              | .010                                 |
| Schurch11   | 8                               | .578                                 |
| Newcomb 8   | 14                              | .36                                  |
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#### NORTHERN COPPER COUNTRY.

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|   | : Winnipeg48                            | 35    | .575 |         |
|   | : Duluth                                | 39    | .58  |         |
| • | : Lake Linden36                         | 48    | .42  |         |
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#### At Fargo. No game; wet grounds.

#### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. ······

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|   | : Minneapolis63 61                 | .508        |    |
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At Minneapolis-R. H. E. Minneapolis ......1 Indianapolis ......0 Batteries: Minneapolis, Cadwallader and Yeager; Indianapolis, Cromley and Holmes.

Milwaukee-Columbus game post-The game between Kansas City and Toledo was postponed owing to the delayed arrival of the Toledo team.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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| New York   |     |     | ٠ |   |   |    |   |    | .70  | 39    | .642 |
| Pittsburg  |     |     |   |   |   |    |   |    | .71  | 40    | .640 |
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| Boston     |     |     |   |   |   | ٠. |   |    | .39  | 75    | .342 |

Games Yesterday.

At Pittsburg— R. H. E.
Pittsburg ... 2 6 3
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At Chicago— R. H. E. Chicago 4 19 2
Philadelphia 3 7 2
Batteries: Chicago, Taylor and Kiling; Philadelphia, Sparks and Dooln.

At St. Louis— R. H. E. St. Louis 3 5 4
Boston 2 5 0
Batteries: St. Louis, Karger and Marshall; Boston, Young and Needham.

At Cincinnati— R. H. E. Cincinnati 4 6 0
Brooklyn 7 12 1
Batteries: Cincinnati, Hall, Weimer, Frazer and Schlei; Brooklyn, Scanlon and Bergen.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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| : | Cleveland  |      | .60  | -47  | .561 |
| : | New York   |      | .58  | 47   | .552 |
| : | St. Louis  |      | .56  | 52   | .519 |
| : | Detroit  |      | 54   | 56   | .491 |
| : | Washington   |      | 43   | 65   | .398 |
| : | Boston   | •    | 34   | 77   | .306 |
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Chicago 11 13 5
Batteries: New York, Griffith, Hogg
and McGuire; Chicago, Owen and
Towne.

At Boston— At Boston— R. H. E. Boston 3 6 2 Detroit 2 8 4 Batteries: Boston, Young and Carrigan; Detroit, Donohue and Payne. At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Philadelphia 5 9 1 

# At Washington— R. H. E Washington 4 5 Cleveland 0 4 Batteries: Washington, Smith an Warner; Cleveland, Bernhard and Be

While we have not been delegated to

Coombs, Coakley and Schreick; St. Louis, Pelty and Spencer.

record the history of any of the prominent men of the state, we take it as our duty at this time to say a few words in brevier type, which has lately been paid for, about a man whose name is as well known in North Dakota as that of Royal Baking Powder, we refer to Senator LaMoure of Pembina. Shortly after he was born he was called Jud-son. His father called him Judson at six in the morning. One call was gen-erally sufficient, but if it was not, there were exercises in the bed room of which we will not speak further. He was called Jud for short. A good many N. D. people who were short have called him Jud, and if they deserved a lift they got it. When he was four teen years old he was trustee of a large red cow, walking delegate to the spring back of the house, chief adviser to the wood pile and managing editor of a large and growing potato patch. He attended to all these duties in a careful and painstaking manner and was always ready and willing to drop his hoe and join the neighborhor's boys at the swimming hole, where he washed himself carefully twice a day during the summer months, circus days and Sundays ommitted—weather permitting. Jud was president of the Hazel Nut Gatherers. He conducted the affairs of the office in a careful and conscientious manner and broke his leg twice by falling from the wood shed roof during an annual meeting. When a young man he accumulated considerable experience in the mercantile business by trading horses with a grocery man. After the chores were done he occasionally drove over the county seat and talked to the sheriff about his chances for re-election. The sheriff was re-elected. He came to Pembina on a steamboat, started a store and was elected mayor as soon as there was enough people to pre-side over. His store business prospered and the people came for miles around to trade with him, having heard that he bought butter and sold sugar on the same scales. After a hard day's work selling dry goods, boots, shoes, notions and other house-hold machinery he would often go down to the Red river and catch a mess of cat fish for a family who were out of meat and couldn't catch a fish if it was in a glass jar. When the railroad got in he introduced the agent to the school teacher and they were married during the summer vacation The station agent took him out riding on the hand car and in other ways showed that he appreciated his kindness. When the proper time came Mr. LaMoure was elected state senator from his district, people leaving their work, at regular intervals, going miles to vote for him. He made a good senator from the start and his experience in the senator business is extensive and broad enough to make a good showing in Washington, D. C. But he doesn't seem to hanker to move his stock out of the state—Walsh

#### NEARLY POISONED.

#### LaMoure Woman Substituted Carbolic Acid for Pepsin.

To the prompt and heroic treatment employed by her husband, Mrs. D. W. Lippincott probably owes her Troubled with dyspepsia, Mrs. Lippincott arose at a late hour Saturday night—or an early hour Sunday morning—for the purpose of taking a dose of pepsin, says the LaMoure Chronicle. Through a natural and almost unavoidable error, which need not plained in detail, she got hold of a pepsin bottle containing about a spoonful of carbolic acid. This she poured into a tablespoon and drank. Carbolic acid doesn't taste a bit like pepsin and Mrs. Lippincott at once knew what had happened. So did her hus band. "Billy" is just naturally built to cope with emergencies of this naure, and in less time than it takes to tell it he had given his wife a generous portion of whiskey, which was quickly followed with a dose of milk and lard. This offensive combination caused the patient to become very "seasick"—just what the doctor or-dered. Mrs. Lippincott is all right now, and "Billy" is thinking seriously of hanging up his shingle.

#### HORSES OVERCOME.

#### Hot Weather of This Week Caused Death of Many Animals.

A week of excessively warm weather has ripened all the grain and harvest work has been rushed. Around Shelodn and Owego almost all the wheat is in shock and only the oats left to cut, according to the Progress of that place which says: "At Anselm and Buttzville the grain will all be down early next week. John Banish started threshing barley on Wednesday with Jake Kaspari's Buffalo Pitts separator. There has been no rain or wind and the great heat has been the only hindrance. Several farmers have lost horses from this cause. Hugh Campbell and I. E. and A. M. Arntson each had a horse die on Wednesday and it is reported that several more belonging to farmers west of town died. The hot spell has broken the record of several years and the only really happy folks in sight are several colored gentlemen who recenty came in on tie passes. Robert Anderson is down from Alice this morning and reports that no less than ten horses dropped dead in his neighborhood on Wednesday."

#### SHE QUITS DAVID BELASCO. Mrs. Leslie Carter Signs Contract With

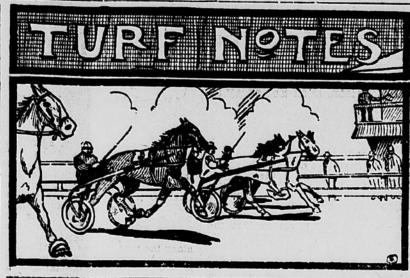
Charles B. Dillingham. New York, Aug. 23.-Mrs. Leslie Carter Payne yesterday signed a fiveyear contract to appear under the exclusive management of Charles B. Dillingham.

The agreement was entered into at the office of Edward Lauterbach, the actress' counsel.

This story is regarded as ending all business relations between the star and David Belasco, who had been her manager during her entire stage career. The actress is to appear in new plays altogether. The opening night will be Oct. 1.

Japan gets 188,000 recruits yearly for her regular army.

You like to find a bargain-and if you have one to offer you may be sure that the "want ad. readers" of The Times will soon seek you out.



One of the greatest turf "plungers' that ever "placed at odds" was the late "Pittsburg Phil," as he was called. The most enthusiastic even of Michael F. Dwyer's admirers will concede that as a plunging bettor, "Pittsburg Phil" -George F. Smith-took the palm, for he was worth more than \$3,000,000 when he died last year. He won by following a policy exactly the opposite to Dwyer's.

"Pittsburg Phil" was better known throughout the whole country, probably than Dwyer. The latter undoubtedly handled large sums than the former. In his whole racing career Dwyer never was a figure on the western tracks, but "Pittsburg Phil" spent eight years in the west before his eastern career of fifteen years began. The Dwyers were well to do when they started Rhadamanthus, and even when they made their first bets; "Pittsburg Phil" was cutting corks at a cent a cork when, at 16, he made his first bet and it was years after that before he owned his first race horse. The Dwyers began their racgoing for pleasure, only taking up racing as a business, no doubt, because there was more fun in it than there was in the butcher business. "Pittsburg Phil's" sole motive in going into racing, apparently, was the making of money He never seemed to take any pleasure in it and he never seemed to get away from it for a moment.

He never was ostentatious, but was as neat and careful in his dress as man well can be. He spent all his hours in the study of horses and horse racing, and though he often lost he never went broke. It was repeatedly said in his lifetime that he knew more about horses than any other living man, and he certainly had the best memory for "previous performances' that has ever been shown on the

American turf.

"Pittsburg Phil" never took "short odds," no matter how promising, his method being exactly the opposite of Dwyer's. Consequently in the long run his results were exactly the reverse of Dwyer's. When the latter won his winnings were much smaller than his risk ha dbeen; when he lost, his losings were much larger than the sums he stood to win; Smith's winnings were always much larger than his risks and his losses much smaller

than the sums he stood to win.

Dwyer had to win much oftener than he lost, or "go broke"; "Pitts-burg Phil" could lose several times to winning and still be ahead of the game. Dwyer took great pleasure in owning race horses; "Pittsburg Phil" declared that a man who proposed to make a fortune betting had no busi-

**EDMONTON TO BE THE** 

G.T.P. HEADQUARTERS

City to Give the Company a Cash Bonus of \$100,000 and Cer-

Division Point West of Winnipeg.

Special to The Evening Times.

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 23.—A special

meeting of the city council was called

last night to execute the agreement be-

tween the city of Edmonton and the

Grand Trunk Pacific railway com-

pany, providing for the entrance of

the company's line into the city. The

agreement has been made for some

time, but the council have been trying

to secure a right-of-way south of the

C. N. R. at a minimum cost for the lo-

city had from May until July 1 to

purchase the property and after that

the power to expropriate such parts

as the council deemed necessary for

the entrance of the railway. The may-

or stated last night that options had

been secured that will enable the city

to give the company a right-of-way.

A telegram was received yesterday from Mr. F. W. Morse, the general

manager of the G. T. P., that as soon as

the agreement was executed the com-

pany would commence at once to lay

the track and carry out the provisions

of the agreement, by which the city gives the company a bonus of \$100,-

000 in cash or debentures and certain

exemption from taxation in consider-

ation of which the company is to

establish and maintain Edmonton as

its chief divisional point on the main

line between Winnipeg and the coast.

All the property of the company with-

in the city shall be exempt for five

years dating from January 1, 1905, and

for a period of 20 years succeeding,

the assessed value of the company's

property shall not exceed its present

struct the main line through the city

either north or south of Rat creek, but

not more than three miles north or west of the present post-office and

north of the Sasgatchewan river. They

agree to construct and permanently

maintain shops, terminals, station and freight sheds. If at a future time the

company find it necessary to move

their shops and buildings on account

of the expansion of the city, they shall

not go more than three miles beyond the present limits of the city. After

the \$100,000 is paid should the com-

pany default, they are bound to repay

The city agrees to arrange with the C. N. R. to obtain exclusive running

rights over the south 33 feet of the C. N. railway's right-of-way from the

east side of river lot 14 to First street

and the H. B. reserve. The city agrees to use its influence in establishing

a union station. If no such agreement is effected by January, 1907, the com-

pany shall before July 31, 1907, pro-

the same sum without interest.

value.

The company agree to con-

cation of the company's tracks.

tain Exemption From Taxation in Return for Which the

Railway Will Establish and Maintain There Its Principal

mission.

ness owning horses. He owned small string of racers for some years, nevertheless, but it was his undoing, for his horses were ruled off the track two or three years before his death, and he was requested to be careful about his bets. There was reversal of the ruling against him, but it came too late, and he never re-established himself as a race horse owner.

There is no doubt that "Pittsburg Phil" had foxy ways of his own. Soon after his first appearance in the east the bookmakers at Mommouth Park N. J., then in its early decadence, became so suspicious of his bets, which he almost always won, that he had to send twenty husky farmers, who look-ed as if they had never seen a racetrack before, into the betting ring. They put down the money in \$20 bets. It was a 40-to-1 shot he had hired the farmers to play, and each bet ment \$800, so that the day was one of great profit tor Smith. He managed this scheme with such unusual cleverness that nobody on the track suspected its nature while it was being worked, and no one would have learned about it had not Smith himself told it years afterward in a burst of unusual con-

Once at Sheepshead Bay he handed \$500 to a well-known bookmaker to bet on a five-to-one shot. As the bookie took the money and called out \$2,500 to \$500" Smith took off his hat and mopped his brow with his hand-kerchief. It was learned afterward that this was the signal for a young army of "commissioners" to bet all over the ring. The horse won, and Smith raked in a big pot of money, though nobody ever knew how muc In their palmy days "Pittsburg Phil" backed the Dwyers' horses, but later that wasn't profitable and he changed his course. He bought King Cadmus and backed him persistently, losing so steadily that the public thought the horse was a "counterfeit."

Then came a day that old time bookmakers refer to with a sigh. They laid 20 to 1 against King Cadmus, and King Cadmus won. So did Smith, to the tune of \$100,000. On August 8, 1903, he won \$50,000 on the winner of the Saratoga Special and \$20,000 on other races—\$70,000 all told. On that day and on the days of King Cadmus's big winnings—the latter once won \$50,000 for him at Morris Park—when asked about his big hauls Smith merely answered:

Well, I had a bet down and I won," only that and nothing more. The margin by which King Cadmus won his race was very close, being only "by a nose" on the day he earned his

cure a sight within the limits of Kinis-

tino avenue and Sixth street and erect a station. The city grants the right to

the company to lay trackes on the south 40 feet of Mackenzie avenue as it

exists or may be extended westerly to a distance of 1200 feet and to operate

from such tracks switches and sidings

upon alleys and lances running north

and south for the purpose of serving

warehouses adjacent thereto. This ap-

plies to an acre from Government

avenue on the east to Sixteenth street

on the west. This is arranged subject

to the approval of the railway com-

Besides, the city grants the com-

pany the exclusive right to lay the said switches and sidings, but the company

must operate them for any other rail-

way company with terminals in this

freight cars within this area at rates

not greater than the minimum rates

The company agrees that upon the acquisition of the city of the 33 foot

right-of-way south of the C. N. R. to

proceed at once to construct the track

therein and upon the south 40 feet of

Mackenzie avenue and such switches

and sidings as are necessary on lanes

running north and south for the accommodation of warehouses.

A by- law was passed through all its

stages empowering the mayor and

secretary of the city of Edmonton to

Henry Fraser has disposed of 114

acres adjoining the Norwood sub-

division and extending north from

Rat Creek to the city limits to Messrs.

McDougall, Second and York, for \$85,-

in value is in a large measure due to

the fact that the Grand Trunk Pacific

has completed arrangements for plac-

ing their terminal yards just north of

sign and execute the agreement.

charged on the branch lines.

The company is bound to handle

## Departs. 8:15 p.m.—For kane, Seattle and Portland. 12:40 p.m.—For Hillsboro, Farge, Fergus Falls, St. Cloud. 8:25 a.m.—For all points West Larimore to Williston. 8:25 p.m.—For Fisher, Crookston, Ada. Barnesville, Fargus Falls, St. Cloud. Minneapolis, St. Paul. Bemidji, Cass Lake, Superior and Duluth. —From St. Paul, Minneapolis, Sloux City, Wilmar, Breckenridge, Fargo and Hillsboro. 7:45 a.m St. Paul, Minneapolis, Sioux City, Wilmar, Breckenridge, Fargo and Hillsboro. 7:86 p.m.—For Hillsboro, Fargo, Breckenridge, Willmar, Sioux City, Minneapolis and St. Paul. —From Sioux City, Minneapolis and St. Paul. Bull, Superior, Cass Lake, Crookston. St. Vincent, Greenbush and Fisher. S:10 a.m.—For Fisher, Crookston, Mentor, Greenbush, Bemidji, Cass Lake, Superior and Duluth. S:20 a.m.—For Minto, Grafton, Neche and Winnipeg. —From Winnipeg, Neche, Grafton and Minot. S:00 p.m.—For Minto, Grafton, Cavalier and Walhalls. —From Walhalls, Cavalier, Grafton and Minot. S:00 p.m.—For Emerado, Arvilla, Larimore, Northwood, Mayville, Casselton and Breckenridge. —From Breckenridge, Casselton, Mayville, Northwood, Larimore, Arvilla and Emerado. S:45 a.m.—For Emerado, Arvilla, Larimore, Park River, Larimore, annah, Langdon, Park River, Larimore, annah, Langd 11 8:06 p.m 7:45 p.m. 11:00 a.m. \*202 \*205 .206 7:20 p.m 8:00 a.m

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# **ASSESSED VALUATIONS AS** LEFT BY STATE EQUALIZERS

Bismarck Tribune: Some of the newspapers in the state, disposed to be unfriendly to the administration and seeking every possible opportunity to circulate false and misleading reports with respect to the official acts of the members of the administration, have commented upon the work of the state board of equalization with the evident intention of deceiving the people of the state as to the extent and amount of the increase in the farming lands of the state. Some papers have generally described the action of the board as "raising the farm lands from 5 to 200 per cent" the impression being conveyed that values were doubled in many cases. Inasmuch as the facts with reference to this matter are easily obtainable from the official figures, it is difficult to discover why a news-paper should make use of such cheap and gauzy misrepresentation to base

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an attack upon the administration. The records of the board show that there was only one increase of 200 per cent in the assessed valuation of farming land. This was in Hettinger county, where lands were returned at 50 cents an acre. Hettinger county has been the scene of remarkable activity in lands the past year. Much of the land is in the hands of large companies owning large tracts and mak-\$12 and \$15 per acre, possibly more at the latter figure than the former. Fortunes have been made off these lands in the past few years and yet they are returned for assessment at 50 cents an acre. The board raised them to \$1.50 per acre, putting them nearly on a par with lands in Logan, Kidder, Emmons and other like counties. There is hardly any particular

of Bowman, Dunn anl Williams. These lands were returned at 50 cents an acre. The board raised them to \$1—putting them a little more than lands poses. No especial injustice in that

ng sales at prices ranging from \$8 to injustice in that.

The increase of 100 per cent in lands were made in the unorganized counties

per cent; one was increased 25 per

in Billings county, where there is a large area of land that is purely grazing land and unfit for agricultural pur-Of the unorganized counties in the state, seven were increased 5 per cent over the values returned; eight were increased 10 per cent; one was increased 15 per cent; two were increased 20

CHECKS DO NOT GO. Continental Hotelkeepers Prefer the Gold of the Americans.

Associated Press Cable to The Evening Times. Paris, Aug. 23.—The American's check is no longer regarded on the continent and here in Paris as the equivalent of gold. The natives prefer the gold.

Time was when the American traveler who was supposed to be worth \$1,000,000 at the very lowest rating had no difficulty in paying his ac-counts at the various hotels, or even the large shops, with checks on differ-ent banks. All is altered now. The experience of hotelkeepers recently has not been such as to encourage

In years gone by hotel proprietors that the checks of traveling Americans were always honored, and consequently rarely refused them. Since this has become known foreign swindlers have appeared on the scene and used the reputations of Americans for their own ends. Well dressed men of various nationalities have paid their bills by checks, which were subsequently discovered to be valueless. Sometimes, indeed, substantial change was given. Only last year one par-

cent; one 27 per cent; one 30 per cent; one 70 per cent and one 85 per cent. Stark county was increased 85 per cent, but with that its average assessed valuation is only \$1.87 an acre; Mc-Henry was increased 70 per cent, but its assessed valuation as equalized is only \$3.57 an acre, and Bottineau was returned by assessors and the county board at a figure somewhat higher than that. It would certainly have been the extreme of unfairness to have permitted McHenry county to remain far lower than its neighbor counties, when the land is of about th same value. It is the business of the state board, not to fix values of land, but to equalize them as between counties, and it is has endeavored to do so as the following table, giving the figures of valuation per acre as finally equalized by the board will show:

Emmons
Foster 5
Grand Forks Griggs 5
Kidder LaMoure 10 LaMoure
Logan
McHenry
McIntosh
McKenzie
McLean
Mercer
Morton
Nelson
Oliver
Pembina
Pierce 

study of every citizen of the state who desires to compare values and do jus-tice to the members of the board of equalization.

ticular gang of sharpers gathered a

The result is that in many hotels

one now sees the notice so common

in America: "No checks received or cashed." Of course letters of credit

#### or circular notes from Londan banks or tourist agencies are not called into question.

harvest from fraudulent checks.

DOG COMMITS SUICIDE. Climbs on a Gas Range and Turns on the Gas.

Associated Press to The Evening Times. Chicago, Aug. 23.-A fox terrier known in the vicinity of the Melrose flats, on Melrose street, as "Bill Jolly," was found dead Sunday, and the chil-dren within a radius of half, a dozen squares, who were very fond of the dog, believe that he committed suicide. Early in the morning the dog was found dead on top of a gas range, with the gas turned on. Some time ago Bill was run down by a trolley car and one of his legs badly injured. Before the injury to his leg the dog was the most active and and mischievous in the neighborhood, but recently, the children say, he has appeared de-spondent, and many of them express the opinion that he deliberately climbed on the gas range, turned the valve with his paw and inhaled the gas.

#### 000. About a year ago the property was offered to the present purchasers for \$35,000. This remarkable increase

FIVE BANDS. For the Richland County Fair at Wallpeton, September 25, 26, 27 and 28.

There will be music galore at the Richland County Fair at Wahpeton, September 25, 26, 27 and 28. Contracts have already been entered into with the Arion Band of Christine, the Wyndmere Band, the Abercombie Juvenile Band and the Wahpeton Band and at least one more band will be procured. There will be something doing all the time on the fair grounds and these five bands will keep things lively.