## FRIEND MEAKIN NOW IN NEW YORK

Gives Glowing Account of One of The Most Interesting Cities In the World.

#### MENTIONS SOME OF THE SIGHTS

Seen from a Yacht the City Presents a Most Striking Appearance-The Hall of Fame.

Special Correspondence. New York City, July 20,-I extend greetings to all my Utah friends. I left you lest in Cleveland; I am now in New York, where so much is to be heard and seen, that to describe Greater New York, comprising the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Bronx

New York is a world in itself, whose inhabitants consider it the center of Its most interesting feature lies not in the great size but rather in its wonderful enterprises, to describe which would need all the superlatives of our language, for in area it is the largest city in the world and in population next to the largest.

en! Richmond, would be no easy task;

for each borough is a city in itself as

next to the largest.

Its boroughs are joined together by
the greatest of suspension bridges and
traversed through their length and
breadth by the most complete and expensive street car systems, comprising cable and electric ears, subways and elevated. So in arriving at his destina-tion one can ride under the city, over the city and above the city, but he has to hustle to get a seat. Now to continue our superlatives, Broadway is the longest street in the world.

New York's parks are the largest and

costhest in the world; and its business districts contain the most gigantic of-fice buildings whose foundations are sunk desper toward the center of the earth and whose summits tower higher oward the heavens than those of any

other city.

The largest steamships harbor in New York. Here also are found the most luxarious and magnificent residential palaces, and the poorest and most pitiful hovels. One can say truly, that like the upper and lower crust of a pie the meat lies between. For in no place, that I have ever visited, is one so struck with the truth that America's hope for the future lies in her middle classes.

New York can hardly be called an American city in its strictest senseit is so cosmopolitan in its character.
It is roughly estimated that \$5 per cent
of the inhabitants are foreign. There heing 600,000 Hebrows, a greater Jewish population than that to be found in all of Palestine. There are more irish in New York than in Dublin; more Germans than in any German city ex-cepting Berlin; more Italians than in Florence and Rome combined. 'The Jews and the Irish are more patriotic toward their adopted country than are their brothers, who for the most part come to America to make their for-tunes, after which they expect to return to their pative land.

The entire population of New York according to the census of 1900, had reached 3,500,000.

NEW YORK FROM A YACHT. Possibly the best impression of New

York, as a whole, can be given by your taking an imaginary sail with me on the tourist's yacht, which makes an entire circle of Manhattan island. This island has 36 miles of water front We will start from West Twenty-sec-ond street pier. Salling through the North river past the piers of the big ocean liners with their background of sky scrapers, proceeding almost due Fouth, until we reach the Battery. Bat-

tery Park forms the extreme southern terminus of Manhattan Island, and fords an admirable view of New York The emigrants are landed at the Batthe emigrants are landed at the last-tery after they leave Ellis Island. On the right across the North river, stretches Jersey City; in the middle, about five miles away is to be seen the

beautiful wooded slope of Staten Isl-and. We have now reached the point where the North and East rivers join their currents. Sailing on we pass at Battery park a large circular building, now an Aquarium, which was formerly a fort built in defense of the city in 1812. In 1822 Congress ceded it to the city and it became a place of any several known as Castle Garden. amusement known as Castle Here in turn were entertained, Lafay-ette, on his return to America, Presidents Jackson, Tyler, and Van Buren, and the Prince of Wales, now King Edward. In 1835, S. F. B. Morse, inventor of

telegraph, publicly demonstrated practicability of controlling the current.

electric current.
In 1850 Jenny Lind, the Swedish Nightingale, made her American debut here, under the management of P. T. Barnum. She gave half of the profits of her first concert, \$12,500 to the charities of New York.

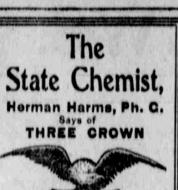
#### CASTLE GARDEN.

Five years later Castle Garden be-came an emigrant bureau. One can imagine the millions who poured in through her gates to America. In 1896 the building became an Aquarium. must continue on our journey. Near at hand on the left, is Governor's Isl-ano. It is now 6 a clock. We see the flash of the sun set gun from its fort, flash of the sun set gun from its fort, immediately following its coho is the lighting up of Liberty's torch. This majestic lady, Madame Liberty, is a very conspicuous object, one and a fourth mile from the Battery, on Bedloe's Island. She was presented to America by the French people as an expression of good will, her sculptor basefull was so tropressed with the Bartholdi was so impressed with the eagerness of the emigrants for a sight of land, as they crowded to the bow of an incoming ship, that he conceived this small island at the entrance of the harbor as the ideal spot to place the figure, even while his work was still figure, even while his work was still in embryo. So here the Goddess of Liberty stands at the threshold of the new world, with uplifted torch lighting the way to freedom and opportunity. The statue is admired for its perfect proportions which are colossal. The torch is 305 feet in air, the figure is 150 feet high, the uplifted arm is 42 feet. The model is supposed to have been the The model is supposed to have been the sculptor's mother and the statue is justly admired for the calm benevo-

justly admired for the caim benevolence of its countenance.

At the extreme left, across the East
river in Brooklyn, with its gignitic
warehouses, immense navy yard, and
many church steeples.

There is no place in the world where
one can behold such an ever changing
and diversified marine pigure. Yonder are anchored several warships:
here the smartly rigged yachts of the
Goulds, Vanderbilts and Morgans lie at,
rest waiting for their owners, whims,
to come aboard; there the heavy grotesque floats filled with laborers move
slowly by; here and there the noisy imtesque floats filled with laborers move slowly by: here and there the noisy im-portant little tug boats steam on their way; gliding in between the excursion boats, picnic barges and floating hos-pitals are seen at intervals, gay with solor, and bright with music, laughter



BAKING POWDER.

I have purchased in the open

market, a can of your "Three

Crown Baking Powder" and submitted same to a careful chem-

rical analysis.

Have found the powder to be a "PURE CREAM OF TARTAR BAKING POWDER," absolutely free from Alum, Lime, Ammonia, or other foreign admixtures.

All of the ingredients are of the purchase and in the light and light and in the light and ligh

purest quality obtainable and combined in proportions to make the powder of exceptional high "leavening" strength. Respectfully, HERMAN HARMS."

Your grocer seils "Three Grown." Hewlett Bros.' Co.

and song, just above the horizon comes a gigantic occon liner moving majestically toward Ellis Island. As we pass jinder that wonderful monument to mechanical skill, the Brooklyn bridge, we are leaving the most wonderful harbor the sun ever shone upon, Salling along the East river we see the opposing shores of Manhattan and Brooklyn biazoned with immense signs.

Brooklyn biazoned with immense signs advertising various industries, while dotted in between sre the large recreation piers for the children of the

In sharp contrast one sees the toiling

aborers on the shore, and the laughing, frolicking bathers in the water be-

low; their glistening white bodies out-lined against the gray rocks as they appear and disappear beneath the sur-

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Sailing on through the East river we

made without going through the dangerous waters of Hell Gate.

New York at this point presents the appearance of a dense sloping wood, dotted with magnificent structures of stone. The prost historic of these is the Jumel manison on Manhattan Island. It stands on the crest of Washington Heights, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. It was built to 1258 by Rodger.

espoused the English side and was com-pelled to flee to Great Britain. The property was confiscated, and was oc-cupied by Washington in 1776, during the retreat of the American's from

point on the mission which ended in his death. In 1790 George Washington, now the president, with his cabinet, was entertained here. In 1810 John Jacob Astor acquired the property and sold it to a wealthy Frenchman, Ste-

then Jumel. After her husband's leath, Madame Jumel in 1832 married

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At One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street is the famous High bridge, which carries across the Harlem, the original Croten aqueducts. There are two of these, the larger one reaches a depth of 350 feet, it goes under the Harlem 307 feet, through solid rock, under the bed of the river. It rives 460 feet in

367 feet, through solid rock, under the bed of the river. It rises 400 feet in a perpendicular shaft between High bridge and Washington bridge. It extends from Croton lake to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, a distance of 30 miles, and has a capacity of 290,000,000 gallons in 24 hours, and supplies Manhattan island with drinking water, it is the largest tunnel in the world; took five years to build, at a cost of \$20,000,000.

THE HALL OF FAME.

Over on the Brooklyn side at Univer-

With each name inscribed is a quota

tion from the speeches or writings of the individual. Among the names at

ON THE HUDSON.

of Fort George, the once famous mili-

York.

Hudson; to our east lies Jersey Heights and the Palisades with its Fort Lee and many other historical points. To our west lies Manhattan Island, fronted by the magnificent summer palaces of the rich with their adjacent parks and grounds. will mention some of the most in-

I will mention some of the most interesting of these:

First, the home of C. K. G. Billings the Chicago millionaire sometimes called "Coal Koke Billings." Then the former home of "Boss" Tweed, the first political boodler who was incarcerated for dishonesty in handling public funds. The closing years of his life were passed in a larger house than this on the Hudson, Sing Sing, where he occupied a small cell. Adjoining the politician's mansion stands the home of Aaron Burr, while further down lies the quaint old colonial residence formerly occupied Burr, while further down lies the quaint old colonial residence formerly occupied by Alexander Hamilton. Directly opposite from the Forty-second street ferry, on the Jersey coast is the spot where that memorable duel was fought between these two historic personages. Much has been said about the fame or imamy of Aaron Burr. A most interesting view of his life can be found in the novel entitled, "theh Blenner Hasset,"

tary stronghold, now a pleasure resort, similar to Coney Island. Fort Georgo lies at the extreme northern terminus of Manhattan and is mid-way between the upper eastern driveway of the island known as the Spoedway and Riverside drive on the Hudson. These two drive-ways make the entire circle of the upper half of Manhattan, forming one of the finest race courses in the world, shaded all along the river front by a beautiful park.

We are now in the waters of the

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GRANT'S MONUMENT.

Just above Grant's tomb Hes the American league baseball grounds near which the great Columbia university rears her splendid domes against the sky. And now just beyond the uni-yersity we come to the ascent upon which rises the tomb of Gen. Grant. which rises the tomb of Gen, Grant. This imposing monument is constructed of white gravite, with white marble interior. Surely the great general whose wife lies beside him, has a most beautiful and peaceful resting place. His tomb stands upon a hill 130 feet above the river; through the openings of the great forest trees, is to be seen the broad expanse of the Hudson, dotted here and there with white winged sails. On the opposite shores through the purple haze, stretching away for miles, are the green slopes of the Palisades on the Jerssy coast. Above the portice on a panel of the tomb, where lies the man of war, are inscribed these words: nscribed these words;

"Let us have peace."

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In 1797 the site of Grant's tomb was the home of George Pollock, and was called Strawberry hill. Mr. Pollock failed and was forced to sell his property and he went to England, leaving behind, however, a tiny monument, marking the grave of his favorite child. This little tomb still stands, the inscription has been blurred by the passing of tion has been blurred by the passing of a hundred years, but we may read it still—"Erected to the memory of an amiable child—St. Clair Pollock, died 15th of July, 1797, in the fifth year of bis are."

Sailing on through the East river we pass under many bridges under construction out through the narrows to about east Forty-ninth street, here we first obtain a view of the famous Blackwell's Island. This place lies directly east of Manhattan Island, and extends as far as Eighty-fifth street. It can be reached from the mainland by a row-boat. The island is occupied by government buildings, and contains a reform school, a prison, an inebriates home, a hospital for consumptives and an insane asylum. "Man that is born of woman is of a w years and full of trouble."
"He cometh forth like a flower and cut down."
"He fleeth also like a shadow and mithueth not." nome, a hospital for consumptives and an insane asylum.

We have now entered the Harlein river, which is seven miles in length and separates Manhattan island from the mainland, it connects the East river and the Hudson river and Long Island sound. By cutting through a small canal at the north end of Manhattan an easy ship approach has been made without going through the dan-

Strange circumstances of chance and fate; that the magnificent tomb shrin-ing a nation's pride, and the humble stone marking the grave of "an ami-able child," should stand side by side, so suggestive of the sharp contrast everywhere to be found in daily life.

#### RIVERSIDE PARK.

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Riverside park, which extends for three nules from One Mundred and Tairtieth to Seventy-second street, is called the most magnificent residential avenue in the world. It would be beyond the power of pen to describe this park, for which nature has done so much and whose natural contours have been preserved, with many of the trees of "the forest primeval;" for it is a succession of picturesque views of natural beauty, broken by the magnificent residential avenue in the Auditorium annex with Passenger Traffic Manager Fee. About 3 a. m. he was awakened by a negro cutting the wire screen of the window adjacent to the fire escape. As he jumped from the bed the burglar entered the room and the fight commenced, Horsburgh pluckily grappied with the fellow after being struck on the nead and for fully 20 minutes the two men struggled around the room smashing the furniture and tearing down the draperies. Finally the negro street. It was built in 1258 by Rodger Morris, the husband of Mary Philipse, who refused the hand of George Washington. During the Revolution Morris espoused the English side and was compelled to flee to Great Britain. The property was confiscued and was connatural beauty, broken by the magnificent handiwork of man. At the end of the park, where stood the New York Orphan's asylum, now stands the most expensive and glittering private residence in America. It is owned by Chas. M. Schwab, who paid for the property \$\$50,000. His mansion was built at a cost of over \$2,000,000. Worthy of passing notice are the Soldiers' and Saliors' monument, to commemorate the citizens of New York who took part in the Civil war and is a sift of part in the Civil war, and is a gift of the city; also a statue of Washington, which is a gift of the school children of death, Madame Jumei in 1832 married the famous Aaron Burr. She soon secured a divorce, became a recluse and lived so for 30 years, dying in one of the rooms of the house in 1865. It was acquired by the city of New York in 1892, and is now a hall of relics. Among these are still preserved 13 ears of corn which Washington tied together, saying as he did so: "As the ears of corn would grow and multiply under cultivation so the thirteen colonies would

the city, Mid all the palaces of commercial Mid all the palaces of commercial kings, art, hierature, and the church, are represented by an overwhelming minerity, in the homes of Richard Mansfield, Julia Marlowe, James Gordon Bennett and Bishop Henry C, Potter, Below the residential portion lying along the Hudson, are the marts and professional sections. and ports which represent the busy bustling world of traffic, travel and trade, as one pier looks very much like another we will pass on in silence un-til we again reach Twenty-second

street.

It is now almost dark for the long beautiful twilight that heraids approaching evening in New York is giving way to dusk and lights are twinking like millions of scintillating stars from either shore, their long reflections grancing spirelike along the water, which is made active by myriad boats constantly passing and repassing, making in all a fairy-like scene that success ing in all a fairy-like scene that surely could not be surpassed even in Venice And now as the evening has come we will part and take up our journeys through interior New York in our next letter. With a good old-fashioned English "goodbye" and a German "auf-wiederschen"

JOHN P. MEAKIN.

#### CROPS DOING WELL.

Were Damaged by Winds but Rainfall Induced Growth.

Over on the Brooklyn side at University Heights we catch a glimpse of the Hall of Fame for great Americans. It is enclosed in the campus of the New York university, and was a gift to this institution by Miss Helen Gould. Its cost was \$250,000. This building is of granite, its walls contain 150 panels in which will be set bronze tablets for the names of 150 great Americans. The only persons eligible must be American born and must be deceased at least 10 years. Twenty-nine names were chosen in 1900, and 1902 there were 21 others; five will be added every five years until the 150 names are complete. With each name inscribed is a quota-The weekly crop bulletin, just issued, says that while continued high temperature prevailed, the weather was more unsettled than during the preceding week, and there was a decided increase in the cloudiness. Thunderstorms were of frequent occurrence, but the acthe individual. Among the names already chosen are: Statesmen and soldiers—Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, John Adams, Webster, Clay, Lincoln, Grant, Farragut and Robert E. Lee. Scientists—Audubon, Fulton, Morse, Whitney and Gray, Teachers and Preachers—Edwards, Mann, Channing and Beecher, Authors—Jyling, Hawthorne, Emerson and Longfellow, Philauthropists—Gibert S. Stewart, George Peabedy and Peter Cooper. companying precipitation was insufficient, except in some few localities in the southern portion of the section where the ample rainfall was of marked benefit to growing vegetation. High winds were frequent and caused some damage to wheat by lodging and to fruit by blowing from the trees.
Where sufficiently watered, crops made rapid growth and grain was ripening fast, with harvesting under rapid head-Philauthropists—Gilbert S. Stewart, George Peabody and Peter Cooper.
Singular enough, in view of the gift of the fair donor, her father, Jay Gould, was disapproved by the committee for enrollment; which is made up of 100 members comprising the most brilliant men of New York, their selection finally to be approved by the New York university senate. These places which I have described are well worth a visit, of from one to six hours each. way. Excepting in the southern coun-ties, where the presence of chinch bugs formed an unfavorable feature, the conditions surrounding the ripening grain were favorable, and good yields of irrigated crops were still being se-cured, but arid land grain continued light in quantity and rather poor in quality. The second crop of lucerne was being stacked in good condition. Passing around in a northwesterly direction into a small canal, a draw-bridge is opened and we sail into the majestic waters of the Hudson. At this point the evidences of civilization are hidden by the dense shrubbery. We see only the broad expanse of water, the closely wooded hill-sides, and the blue arch of the sky. We do not have to stretch the imagination much amidst all this silent breaty, to go back a few hundred years and in fancy sail, with Hendrick Hudson and his crew. But soon our reverie is broken by a view of Fort George, the once famous mili-Fair yields were mostly reported. Corr was making rapid growth and was taswas making rapid growth and was tasseling. Beets were generally in good condition where irrigated, though this state was reported as suffering in localities from the ravages of insects. The tomato crop will be light and in some districts will be an absolute failure due to the blight. Potatoes were being marketed with yields mostly up to the average. Gardens were generally doing well, though these suffered marked local damage also from the depredations of insects. The range was very dry, but notwithstanding this, stock continued in thriving condition. in thriving condition.

## LAS VEGAS DEEDS ARE TAKEN UP

O. Whittemore Reports Purchasers of Property Are There to Stay.

#### **WORK ON THE AUTOMOBILE ROAD**

Everybody Getting Ready for Big Rush Into Bullfrog District to The Fall.

C. O. Whittemore, who returned yesterday from Las Vegas and Los Angeles, where he has been for nearly three weeks delivering deeds on final payment on Las Vegas lots, reports the new rallroad town to be on a solld basis, and forging to the front in great shape.

"We have the deeds pretty well cleaned up, and the situation is very encouraging," he asserted. "The people apparently are there to stay and building is going up on every side. Operations are in full swing on the 96 lots that were sold under contract to begin work within 60 days. In all there are six brick stores and 3 two-story buildings either finished or going up.

"The freight depot is now under cover, and the passenger depot is going up. Both structures will be good ones,

and a credit to any town.

"The automobile road to Builfrog is about half completed, and despite the very hot weather, is teams and 20 men were at work on it when I left, It is the intention to have the road finished and ready by September 1, when the fall and winter rush will be

Reports from Bullfrog are that the district is getting better all the time, all of which makes Las Vegas people joyful.

Business continues to keep up despite the hot weather, and work is progressing on the Tonopah & Tidewa-ter road. While the thermometer has ter road. While the thermometer has been registering around 115 in the shade at Las Vegas there is practically no sickness and no ill effect of the heat. The nights are delightfully cool. "Two miles of streets have already been graded and the entire seven miles will be curbed, guttered and oiled, and the water system completed by Oct. 1."

J. MORSBURGH'S PERIL.

Passenger Man of Southern Pacific Had Desperate Fight With Burglar.

James Horsburgh, Jr., of San Francisco, assistant general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, has left the hospital in Chicago following his desperate battle with a negro burglar who used the but of a revolver and a knife upon him. Mr. Horsburgh during the first week of this month was sharing a suite in the Auditorium annex with Passenger Traffic Manager Fee. About 3 a. m. he was awakened by a negro cutting the wire screen of the window adjacent to the fire escape. As he jumped from the bed the burglar entered the room and the fight commenced. Horsburgh pluckily grappied down the draperies. Finally the negro drew a knife, cut himself away from the railroad man and boiled down the fire escape. Horsburg lay for som time bleeding badly before he coulsummon help. The terrible battle be-tween Horsburgh and the burglar left the room in which it occurred in such a condition that entire refurnishing a condition that e was made necessary.

#### IT IS TO LAUGH. Unfortunate Incident in the Career of J.

E. Oglesby.

J. E. Oglesby, commercial agent for the Rock Island, this morning told the following story on himself in the presence of a reporter, accordingly he pays the penalty:

"I must tell this one, it is too good

pays the penalty:

"I must tell this one, it is too good to keep. When all you boys were out the other day a young lady came into the office on passenger business. I looked around for Drake, Bible or Bob, but they were all out, so I put on my best smile and advanced to the front. Just when I got down to the railing I was seized with an uncontrollable desire to sneeze. There was nothing to do but to turn my head and sneeze. I had kept it in so long that when I did eventually sneeze awhy went my store teeth sliding across the floor. It was an awful situation. I dropped my handkerchief on my teeth, picked them up, dusted them off and popped them into my mouth and turned round wearing my most fascinating smile. My, but I was hot. There stood the young lady grasping the railing firmly with both hands and going purple in the face in her effort not to laugh. There was but one thing to do and I did it. "Madame," I said, 'please sit down and laugh and then let us talk business. She tried hard to control herself, but eventually we both had our laugh out."

## FIRST CONSIGNMENT.

Moapa Sends Molons and Vegetables by The Car Load. The Salt Lake Route this morning de

livered in Salt Lake the first carload of melons and vegetables that has been hauled into this city from Nevada. The consignment consisted of 700 water melons, 50 crates of canteloupes and tomatoes and onions. The shipment was consigned to a local produce com-pany by the Moapa Improvement company and Messrs. Syphens and Whit-ney who combined to make up the carload from Moapa. SPIKER SPIKED.

# agent of San Pedre at Las Vegas in the

M. B. Spiker, freight agent at Las Vegas on the Salt Lake Route, has been held by Judge Ralph of Nevada to answar to the charge of robbing the freight house at Vegas of wines, liquors and cigars. It is alleged that he and two other men in the saloon business stole consignments and shipped them into the Bullfrog district for sale.

And New York.

PASSENGER WAR. Lively Cutting in Rate Between Chicago New York, July 25.—Railread officials here express considerable concern over the passenger rate war which is now in progress between Chicago and New York lines. Several of the roads al-ready have put into effect a rate of \$16 ready have put into effect a rate of \$16 first class from Chicago to New York. One of the longer routes is charging only \$14, and further reductions are threatened. The trouble originated in demands made by the Michigan Central for a differential. This demand was considered by three arbitration commissioners a short time ago and was allowed with certain limitations. The Erie and the Grand Trunk however, declined to accept the arbitration as declined to accept the arbitration as

# final. These two roads insisted that the Michigan Central had no right to claim a differential rate on through business in which the New York Central shared. The Erie Interests declare that they would not object to allowing a differential to the Michigan Central on its own lines, but beyond that point they will concede nothing. As a result of the decision of the arbitrators, the Michigan Central put in a differential rate of \$18\$ first class passenger fare from Chicago to New York. This reduction was promptly met by

This reduction was promptly met by three other lines and it is intimated that a flat rate of \$10 may soon be given.

### O. J. SMITH DEAD.

One of First Members of O. R. C. Passes Away in Evanston.

(Special to the "News.") Evanston, Wyo., July 25.—O. J. Smith, a pioneer of this section, and for many years a conductor on the Union Pacific railway, is dead at his home here. Deceased was one of the first members of the Order of Railway Conductors in the United States. He was past 75 years of age.

#### Burlington Extension.

Special Correspondence

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Guernsey, Wyo., July 23.—Yesterday afternoon, after only four days' work, the crew of Burlington track layers, caught up with the graders on the branch line now building from Guernsey to the Chicago fron mine, nine miles from this place. The graders are now constructing short pieces of grade to connect up, he completed portions, and the entire grade will be ready for the track layers in a few days. The rails will be laid inside of two weeks and the branch placed in operation. With the completion of this line the Chicago mine will begin making regular shipmine will begin making regular ship-nents of ore to the Pueblo smelters. Three and four trainleads of iron ore now go to the Pueblo smelters daily from the iron mines here, and the Chi-cugo mine will add another trainlead daily.

#### Inspecting the Route.

Special Correspondence. Bastin, Wyo., July 22.—A number of prominent officials of the Burlington were met at Frannie today by a party of ranchmen with covered wagons. The officials will make a tour of inspection in wagons over the route of the proposed extension, Frannie to Thermopoils. After this inspection is made the question of building the road will be decided at once.

#### SPIKE AND RAIL

General, Supt. Lewis of the Oregon Short Line dining car service is in the city today.

General Agent Kenworthy of the Rio Grande is due to return from Denver

tomorrow morning. F. T. Brown, local treasurer of the Union Pacific at Omaha, is numbered among the visiting railroad men.

F. S. Mink, formerly roadmaster of the Sanpete Valley road and the giant physically of southern Utah, left on Sunday for Lima, Peru, where he goes as roadmaster of the Cerro de Pasco line in which A. W. McCune of this city is heavily interested.

#### PATENTS FOR WESTERNERS.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., July 25 .- Patents issued: Utah-Wilhelm G. Danielsen, Logan, disk plow: Alfred T. Hestmark, Ogden, bookbinding. Wyoming-Charles M. Husst, Raw-lins, switch and signal trip.

#### THE MINIDOKA PROJECT.

Contract for Construction of 34 Miles Of Branch Canals Let.

(Special to the "News." Washington, D. C., July 25.—The secretary of the interior has executed a contract with Hubbard and Carison, Boise, Ida., for the construction of 84 miles of branch canals of the Minidoka project, Ida.

## BRAKEMAN KILLED.

Fell Between Two Cars and Was Run Over and Crushed to Death.

A San Pedro brakeman named C. M. Miller fell between the cars of his train yesterday afternoon, near Black Rock, near Milford, and was instantly killed. His remains were picked up and near Milford, and was linked up and His remains were picked up and brought to Black Rock, where he lived, The deceased came from Parsons, Kan., at the time of the opening of the road, and had been with it ever since.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:
Barometer reading at 6 a. m., 25.64 inches. Temperature at 6 a. m., 77 de-

grees; maximum, 96; minimum, mean, 82, which is 6 above normal. FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. WEDNES-DAY,

Partly cloudy tonight and Wednes-day with local thundershowers; cooler Wednesday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Precipitation occurred over portions of the middle and northern plateau regions, Rocky Mountain slope, Missouri valley, Gulf and Atlantic states, Tennessee, lower lake region, and Alberta. Thunderstorms were quite numerous It was raining this morning at Atlanta, Ga. R. J. HYATT. Local Forecaster.

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#### REPUDIATES STOCK.

Silver Shield Company Refuses to Rec ognize Certain Certificates.

H. S. Joseph, manager of the Silver Shield Mining company, in a signed statement to the Salt Lake Stock & Mining exchange, today gave notice that the certificates of stock issued on account of the recent delinquent stock sale will not be recognized. "None of the certificates." Mr. Joseph

"None of the certificates." Mr. Joseph seys, "have the signature of the pres-ident of the Silver Shield Mining & Milling company, and said company re-pudiates said certificates and each and every one of the same and will not rec-ognize or honor any of said certificates if presented."

If presented."

It is the claim of the Silver Shield Mining & Milling company, that "each and every one of said certificates are without force or effect, and that the attempted assessment sale of the stock that resulted in the attemped issue of said certificates was illegal and the proceedings held thereat of no force or effect."

The certificates are numbered 1,563 to 1,571, inclusive, aggregating 3,806 shares,

#### AFTERNOON ON EXCHANGE.

This afternoon's sales on the Min-Ajax, 400 at 16.

Carisa, 200 at 20.

Lower Mammoth, 300 at 65; 100 at 64½; 200 at 63½; 100 at 62½; 100 at 61; 200 at 61½; 400 at 58; 1,000 at 59; 200 at 57½; 200 at 59½.

#### LATE LOCALS.

John T. Nichols of Uintah county is guest at the Wilson.

The Twin Falls people are making great preparations for the celebration of their first anniversary on August ?

Gen. Seev. Cox of the Y. M. C. A. has returned from a Portland trip, leaving Mrs. Cox to visit longer on the Pacific coast.

Local business houses, as for instance

the Z.C. M. I., report business condi-tions very satisfactory, particularly for this time of year. Miss Elie Peters of Beloit, Fis., is visiting in this city, with her sister, Miss Gertrude Peters, at the residence

of F. L. Gardner. Today's local bank clearings amount-ed to \$876,112.99. One year ago this day, was a public holiday, so there were no transactions in the Sait Lake clearing

Down at the park yesterday, Deputy Sheriff Buil found a pair of gold-rimmed spectacles, evidently the property of an aged lady. The loser may have them by applying at Mr. Buil's residence, 237 N. First West street,

Utah lodge No. 1, L. O. O. F., will relebrate its fortieth anniversary next Saturday evening, with a musical and literary program, in the building of the order, on Market street. All Odd Fellows are invited to be present.

Local dealers in electrical supplies report as very busy season in new buildings and rewiring old build-ings, and installing quite a wide assortment of lamps, candelabra, brackets, and lighting equipment of various kinds.

Mme. Brodbeck and pupils will give Mms. Brodbeck and publis will give a musical recital next Saturday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Hartley on Logan avenue. The Misses Brodbeck, Miss Florence Oliver, Miss Mamie Brown, Miss Ada Hartley, and Mms. Brodbeck will appear upon the programe

Gien Miller writes to a Salt Lake friend from "Telldenkmal in Altdorf" —wherever that may be—that he is having a glorious time, doing Europe 200 miles a day in a fine automobile. He says, "We are now going around Lake Lubern; tomorrow, to Interlaken and the Yunkfrau, then to Geneva and Paris."

It will be pleasing news to the many friends of Dr. and Mrs. James E. Tal-mage, to learn that their son Sterling. who was seriously ill in San Francisco with pneumonia, is now on the high road to recovery. The word came in a letter to Dr. C. F. Wilcox this morn-

Local druggists are getting ready for the entertainment in this city, of the State Pharmaceutical association, which will held its annual convention here Aug. 22 and 23. Papers will be read by noted pharmacists on topics of pub-lic interest, and the Salt Lake druggists will give their brethren from out in the state a trip to Saltair and a ban-quet at the Commercial club.

The entire front of the Elks building on State street has been deborately decorated with white and purple muslin in a wide variety of designs appropriate and attractive. Other buildings about the city are being handsomely decorated noticeably the Walker bank, and by tomorrow afternoon, the hue of the town will be decidedly Elk. J. C. Leary is "head over ears" in busi-ness sending out invitations, and pur-ple and white badges are being dis-

#### tributed widely. HEROISM RECOGNIZED.

Kaiser Sends Watch to Negro Who Saved a Statue.

Washington, July 25 .- Baron Bussche, the charge of the German ambassy, has delivered to the state department a silver watch and chain with the request that they be handed to Geo. C. Ellis, a negro laborer at the Washington bar-racks, as a recognition by the German emperor of the action of Ellis in sav-ing the statue of Frederick the Great from damage by the explosion of a package of dynamite placed on the fence surrounding it by a man named Rosseau, with the idea of destroying it. On the back of the watch appears the imperial monogram. The watch and chain are enclosed in a handsome leathimperial monogram. The watch and chain are enclosed in a handsome leath-

#### POLICYHOLDERS' CONVENTION One May be Called to Consider Safe Insurance.

Chicago, July 25 .- The Inter-Ocean today says:

A big convention of policyholders for the purpose of demanding an investigation of the affairs of every life insurance company in the country is the aim of the Iroquois club of Chicago, which has taken the initial step toward starting a national movement.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the club, held yesterday, a resolution was adopted empowering the organization to appoint a committee of five members to invite delegates from other clubs to meet and consider the today says:

#### other clubs to meet and consider the feasibility of the plan. Will Stop Pool Selling.

St. Louis, July 25.-A police force of Namee was assembled at the world's fair substation in the vicinity of Delmar track shortly after 1 o'clock today to move the track for the purpose of carrying out Gov. Folk's instructions to see that no violation of the anti-pool selling law took place.

Suicide to Escape Deportation.

New York, July 25.—A desire to escape deportation lead to a tragic suicide today on board the steamer Grosser Kurfurst, bound for Bremen. While

the steamer was passing through the narrows, one of a group of immigrants declared unfit to enter the United States intentionally leaped overboard. The lineer was stopped and for nearly 15 minutes a life-boat rowed back and forth over the eddy-marked path where the suicide went down, but without success. The steamer continued on her voyage.

#### LAST WARRIOR DEAD.

Charles Shedarshirt. Participant In Massacres, Passes Away.

Tacoma, July 25.-Charten Shedarshirt, the last of the Iidian warriors who took part in the early matsacres, is dead at his home near Clam Cove on Vashon island, aged 90 years. He was Known as Snot Mouth Charley from having received a bullet wound in a battle with troops under Gen. Kautz near Auburn in 1854. The bullet entered one cheek and came out the other.

#### Wants an Accounting.

Chicago, July 25.—Declaring that thousands of dollars' worth of certificates of stock in an lowa bank and of certificates of stock in an lowa bank and of certificates of deposit for \$24,000 is being fraudulently withheld from him. C. Wolff, cashier and manager of the principal owner of the State Exchange bank of Parkersburg, Ia., filed a bill today in the United States circuit court here, asking for an accounting and for the return of his property. The charges are made against the American Trust & Savings Bank and E. H. Prince, former board of trade operator, who is now involved in bankruptcy proceedings. Wolff declares that he became a customer of Prince in various stock and grain transactions, and deposited certificates with the defendant to cover margins in various conant to cover margins in various con-templated deals. According to the bill Wolff has since been unable to recover his property or secure an accounting.

#### Wife Murderer Hanged.

Towards, Pa., July 25.—Bigier Johnson was hanged today.

The crime for which Johnson was hanged was the murder of his wife, Margaret Johnson, from whom he had separated, and her niece, Annie Benja-

NEW YORK CLOSING STOCKS Tuesday, July 25, 1908. Atchison
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Northern Securities
Pacific Mail
People's Gas
Pressed Steel Car
Pullman Palace Car
Standard Oil Standard On Stages 13
Tennessee Coal & Iron 5
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#### IN THE SOUP.

An American lady went into a French hairdresser's establishment in Berlin to get a shampoo. The proprietor was a tall, thin, man, with all the grace and a tall, thin, man, with all the grace and snavity of a dancing-master. He came forward in haste as the door opened.

"Ah, Madame weeshes a treatment for ze scalp. Out yes," said he, bowling low with a mode sweep of the hand, "Yes, and I have my own notions about how it should be done," replied the lady, glancing doubtfully about the room, as if she felt she was putting herself into the hands of tresponsible strangers. "Where do you keep your preparations, sir?

"Ah, ze ingredients—they are here, Madame," said the artist, leading the way to a marble slab affixed to the wall at the back of the room, upon which there stood a long line of bottles and jars.

jars.

The lady recognized many of the preparations and thus regained much of her assurance.
"Is madame ready?" asked the proprietor.
"No, wait if you please. First, I want some of that," she said, pointing to a

bottle,

The hairdresser nodded. "It ees my pleasure, Madame."

"And then you may rub in some of that. She pointed to a jar of a familiar

"Oul, gat will be excellent, Madame."
"Then a good rubbing with that,"
she went on, indicating an open bowl
which contained a thin brown liquid.
"Mais, non!" cried the other. "Madame does not weesh it!"
"Yes, I do!" replied the lady sharply.

But, Madame-"

"But, Madame—"
"Do as I say, if you please," she interrupted in a vexed tone.

The proprietor shrugged his shoulders, but did as he was bid. Everything went well except that the brown liquid did not smell just as she had expected, and produced a curious sensation of warmin as it was applied.

"Wasn't that brown liquid a shampeo mixture?" she asked with a growing doubt as he finished.

"Non, Madame," he replied politely:
"I put it on because Madame inseests. But you seel was eating my—what you call it?—lunch when Madame came. Zis bowl contained my soup, Madame!"

bowl contained my soup, Madame! Lippincott's,

WILLIAMS.—In this city, July 22, as a result of sunstroke, Thomas Williams, a veteran of the Crimean war, and exgardener on the Temple block, aged 30 years.

Funeral will be held from the Ninth ward assembly rooms Wednesday at p. m. Friends are invited. The remains may be viewed at the late residence, 30 cast Fourth South street, from 11 a. m. to 3 b. m. on that day.

Millennial Star, and Stockport, Eng., News, please copy.

#### TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

MALE HELP WANTED. PRESS FEEDER WANTED, APPLY Job Dept., Descrit News.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

A GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL