

**557. MARSHALLTOWN AND
LINN TOWNSHIP.**

GRUMME, FRED, firm of Grumme Bros., dealers in leather and saddlery hardware ; born in Germany Oct. 19, 1839 ; came to America in 1855 ; came to Galena, Ill., and learned his business of his brother there ; after living in Kansas and Nebraska, came to Marshalltown in 1860 ; worked for E. A. Collins here ; then engaged in business, firm of Murphy & Grumme ; afterward, Willard & Grumme ; in 1869, he and his brother William engaged in the business together. He married Mary Lindstrum, from Sweden, in 1866.