## CALLING PEOPLE TO JESUS.

Dean Gardner Tells of a Successful Method of Doing It.

GREAT MISSION AT CRETE.

Resume of Interesting Church News Collected in the Various Flourishing Congregations \* of the City.

In every religious denomination the allimportant problem is, how to inspire new life and energy into the membership, and how to reach those who are without the pase of the church and interest them m spiritual things. As might be supposed, each denomination has its own peculiar methods of accomplishing this important work or attempting to accomplish it, at least. There was a time when some denominations did not believe in special efforts of this kind, but experience seems to have proven that the special seasons of worship and supplication are invariably attended by good results, providing those who profess to be Christians enter the work in the proper spirit.

Dean Gardner of the Episcopal church, and dean of the Trinity cathedral, has hadconsiderable

erable experience in special sessions on "missions" of religious work, and has met with marked success, both in New York state and in Nebraska.

The following outline and description of the method of conducting a "mission" will be interesting to every Christian worker. This is intended as an outline for a mission suitable for any country church, and shows that these special efforts may be conducted with as great a degree of success in the smaller parishes as in the large city churches. The parishes as in the large city churches. The following is the order of exercises adopted at the "mission" which Dean Gardner held week before last at Crete. Speaking of the ission the dean said: "The misosin in Crete was so remarkable

in many respects that it deserves special mention. First, the present rector is a man of very enthusiastic methods and earnest de votion. A year and a half of persistent of-fort had brought the parish in Crete, as one forthad brought the parish in Crete, as one of the wardens expressed it, 'out of the graves into new life and power.' Then a year ago Mr. Brady conducted an octave of preaching services on consecutive evenings, arousing and sustaining an almost intense religious fervor. Subsequently a very large class was presented for confirmation, and all lines of church work were occupied by bands of Christian workers. When, therefore, I was reminded of my promise, made long ago to conduct a mission at Crete, I first felt that a 'mission' was not needed. And certainly, for the purpose of merely arousing religious interest, it was not needed. But upon second thought, I determined to accept the opportunity and to hold the mission for the secondary but no less important purpose of ondary but no less important purpose of deepening the spiritual life.

deepening the spiritual life.
"The sermons, addresses and instructions." were planned with this object in view. The following scheme of services were carried out: Holy communion each morning at 7:45 o'clock; morning prayer at 10:00 o'clock, with an instruction on 'The Church of the Living God, its origin, structure, object and sims, its ministry, worship and sacramental teach-

ings.
"At 4:45 p. m. a brief service with an address, during the first half of the week, on dress, during the direct properties which fitted the Virgin Mary to be the mother of Christ. During the last days of the mission the subjects were domestic virtues, such as cheer-fulness, quietness and confidence, sincerity. At the evening services the subjects treated were: 'Jesus, the Author and Finisher of Our Faith;' 'Not Knowing the Things That Receiving with Meekness the Engrafted Word; 'Repentance;' 'The Crucifixion;' 'Hearing and Keeping the Word;' 'Decision;' 'Heaven the Heart's True Home at Last.'

"Sunday afternoon a meeting was held for men only when the heart's true."

men only, when the church was crowded. Ministers of all denominations were present. The address was on personal purity.

"Wednesday morning an address was made before the faculty and students of Doane "The attendance throughout the mission was excellent. At the night service the church

was always filled. One night all the standing reom was utilized, and another night a great many people could not find admission. A very pleasant and profitable feature of the mission was the answering of questions, which were asked through a question box at which were asked through a question box at the door. Among the questions asked were the following: 'Why we bow at the name of Jesus?' 'Why the clergy of the church wear a distinctive dress;' 'The real meaning of the word "hell" in the creed;' 'Why does the church fail to reach the masses?' 'Why is the Episcopal church so exclusive?' 'What posi-tion must a Christian take regarding amuse-ments!' etc.

"An after meeting was held each evening to which nearly the whole congregation remained. The subjects discussed were rever-ence, prayer, hely communion, definiteness proper use of the pastoral relation. A pe-culiar adjunct of this as of all missions which I have conducted is a resolve card, made out in duplicate form, half of which is kept by the individual and the other half given to the Suggestions are printed on the card and

blank places are left for special resolutions. "During the mission upwards of a hundred resolutions were thus made. I noticed fifteen resolutions on the part of young men and others to abstain entirely from intoxicating

drinks.
"Many resolved to establish family prayers. others to read the bible each day, others to receive, with due preparation, the boly com-munion at least once a month. Others to say grace before each meal and many to seek for instruction and holy baptism or confirmation A feature of the mission which was not de requests for prayer." But in view of what, under God's blessing, was accomplished the mission may be pronounced a great success.

"It remains for us to refer to the most re-

markable service of all the series, viz., the closing of the holy communion early Monday morning. The church on this particular morning was not sufficiently warm, so the people assembled in the rectory of the church. They filled the parlor, library and study. The rector stated that 95 per cent of all the available communicants of the parish were present. All this in a parish where they bad never had an early celebration before this mission. To have a correspondingly large attendance at holy communion in Omaba we should need to fill a building twice the size of the cathedral full of people. May God's blessing rest upon priest and people in the pleasant little parish of Crete!"

New Universalist Church.

Another very commendable undertaki ng i church building is the handsome new edifice being erected by the Universalist denomina-tion at the corner of Twenty-first and Bristol streets, in Kountze Place. The main audito-rium occupies an area about 48x60 feet and the lecture room and parlors adjoining at the back of the auditorium cover about 40x36 feet. The entrance is on the north and is surmounted by a handsome square tower. From he vestry a few steps ascend to the floor f the main auditorium and lecture com, and the same number descend into a spacious room which will eventually be used for concerts, sociables and Sunday school purposes. The basement will be supplied with a well furnished kitchen and toilet rooms. Connected with the concert room is a smaller room with a floor considerably above the floor of the latter which can be used as a stage or platform for the concert

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These apartments will be ready for occupancy at the close of this week and the congregation will probably hold its first service there next Sunday.

The upper part of the building will not be completed until spring, but the work will be completed as rapidly as the weather will permit. In the main auditorium the floor inclines toward the pulpit, which will be in the east end of the church. The edifice is exceptionally well-lighted and will present a very handsome interior when completed. By the mere push-Inguised and will present a very handsome in-terior when completed. By the mere push-ing aside of sliding doors the lecture room and the main auditorium may be thrown into one large apartment, with a scating capacity of fully 700 people.

The church is handsomely and substanti-ally built. The material is of the best brick and stone and the style is plain and simple.

CHURCH NOTES.

Dr. Thain of the Plymouth Congregational Ourch is delivering at various points

throughout the state a jecture which is pro-nounced by those who have heard it a very able and entertaining effort. The title is:

trustees know where they can lay their hands on \$5,000 of this amount if the balance can be

produced. The Congregational churches of Omaha will undertake to raise ₹5,900, and it was decided to raise it in five installments of

81,000 each. The committee, which consists of Dr. Duryea, Dr. Thrain, Rev. Willard Scott, Mr. R. E. Gaylord and R. P. Tukey, will have the work in hand in the near

Rev. Charles W. Savidge and the officers of the Newman Methodist church are just

low making an effort to remove the debt

to be an excellent vocalist and a very effectve worker, Rev. Mr. Atkisson of the Southwest Pres-

byterian church is in the midst of a very suc-cessful series of special meetings. There have been a number of accessions to the

church and the spiritual tone of the organiza-tion is being wonderfully revived.

The Young People's Society Christian Endeavor of the Second Presbytem church has unertaken to pay the way of a young man who is preparing for the ministry at Bellevue college.

This is the thirtieth anniversary of the establishment of the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Mr. Harsha will preach a

establishment of the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Mr. Harsha will preach a

historical sermon at the morning service and at 2 p. m. there will be a union service at which the pastors of the various Presbyterian

churches of the city will take part.
Thirty years ago today Rev. Bergen preached the first sermon to a Presbyterian

audience in Omaha. The church has encountered many a storm and has fought its way through many obstacles. It is looked upon as the mother church of all the other Presbyterian congregations

in the city. This will be a family reunion today when all the children will be gathered

home for a short time. There will be no vening service at this church.
The congregations at the Castellar street

Presbyterian church are rapidly growing since the new church has been finished, so that the people can hold church services

The Knox Presbyterian church has made arrangements for a course of lectures which promise to be very interesting.

RELIGIOUS.

The Catholic magistrates of Ghent, Bel-

gium, have recognized the Salvation Army as a sect, and have fined a number of persons who were brought before them charged with

having created a disturbance at meetings held by the army.

Miss Inez Coulter, an anti-Mormon mission-ary, is preaching against the sect in their own

stronghold and causing so much agitation that she is obliged to go armed, lest the saints and

elders arise in their wrath and destroy the enemy that thus condemns them.

Miss Ray Frank is one of the first Jewese

to preach in the synagogue in modern times. The prejudice against women preachers is greater among the Jews than in any other congregation. Even female choristers are not allowed in the orthodox synagogue.

The Rev. J. N. Lenker, of Leadville, Col. has gathered the statistics of all branches of the Lutheran church throughout the world. He finds in Europe a total of 22,980 ministers, 29,644 churches and 43,133,096 baptized members; he finds in North America, 4,710 minister 7,994 churches and 6 Mil bardized members.

ister, 7,964 churches, and 6,511 baptized mem

bers. Including the statistics of Oceanica, South America, Africa and Asia, with those

already given he makes the grand total in the world of 28,406 ministers, 38,381 churches, and 50,061,280 baptized members.

The number of titles of distinct religious

The Thumb bible, known in trade as the

"Marvelous Finger New Testament," is said to have been designed by the wife of the senior publisher in the firm of Thomas Nelson &

Sens. This wonderful specimen of printing exhibits the properties of the famous Oxford India paper and weighs in limp binding three-

quarters of an ounce. It is three and one-half inches long, one unch wide and one-third

of an inch thick, and contains 552 pages, the

whole of the new testament, in a type which is clear and perfectly legible though minute.

Everybody has heard of Bishop Walker's church on wheels, built by the Pullman's, in which he lives and in which he preaches as he goes about among the railroad towns of Dakota, and also the Baptist church on wheels. The Rev. M. A. Shepard, Free Baptist minister of Lebanon, III., has built a

loating church which has been in use son

floating church which this been in use some time, a substantial flat boat two stories high, the lower floor used for religious meetings and the upper floor for himself and family. He is now going down the Mississippi preach-ing to the boatmen, and in the spring he will have the boat towed to the upper Mississippi and go down again.

Weather Probabilities.

For December-Indications point to

cold, frosty weather. That, however, will make no difference to those who

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last few years, as the numerous luxuries

which have been introduced in transcen-

tinental travel. Instead of harrowing

recollections the tourist now has left to

him when his journey is completed, a charming memory of perfect train ser-vice and palace dining cars. The ar-rangements this winter for dining cars

on the Union and Southern Pacific roads

is something far in advance of anything

in that hitherto attempted.

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For further information

and go down again.

Will the Yankee Vanish !!! Last Tuesday evening, there was an im portant financial meeting at the Congrega-tional church. The business discussed was the raising of funds for Doane college. An effort is being made to clear the ladies hall building of debt. It is a handsome structure and is encumbered by a debt of \$14,00. The Judge Wakely Holds a Man May Belong to Two Unions.

YOUNG BUT PROSPEROUS ORGANIZATION.

History of the Rise and Progress of the Teamster' Union and What it Hopes to Accomplish for Its Members.

The decision handed down by Judge Wakeley a few days ago in the case of Andrew that has been menacing the progress of that church for the past year. The effort is meet-ing with success and the indications are that Dow, Hugh Stockman, Thomas Ryan and other members of the International Brotherhood of Machinery Molders of North Amern a few weeks the amount needed will be ica against James R. Young, president; It is understood that several very tempting offers have been recently extended to Rev. E. S. Ralston of Lincoln, Rev. John Askin of Kearney and Rev. Willard Scott of Omaha, all of the Congregational Thomas Bolan, secretary, and the other members of Iron Molders' union No. 190 of Omaha is of more than usual interest not only to the labor organizations of this city, but of the country at large.

Scott of Omaha, all of the Congregational church, to accept pulpits in states cast of Nebraska, but the offers have been declined.

As Christmas approaches the preparations for a grand jubilee for the little ones in all the churches of the city begin to assume definite shape. This will be a great season among the happy children in Omaha.

A Chautauqua circle has been organized by the people of the St. Mary's avenue Congregational church.

Rev. S. M. Ware of the Second Presbyterian church has made arrangements to con-On June 7, 1883, a convention of iron molders was called to meet at Detroit, Mich., for the purpose of organizing a society to bring together the iron molders of the United States. After being in session several days the body adopted a constitution and by-laws. This was the parent association, and as soon as the members returned to their homes they terian church has made arrangements to conduct a series of revival meetings beginning on January 4. He will have the assistance of Rev. Charles Birret of St. Louis, who sis known as the singing revivalist. He is said commenced the work of organizing branches n their respective towns. In a few months the International brotherhood boasted of several thousand members, scattered about the country, all working for one object-the ex-

country, all working for one object—the extension of the union.

Out of this society grew union No. 190 of Omaha, of which James R. Young was elected president and Thomas Bolan secretary. This union, like most of the others, grew rapidly and soon had a membership of 100 men who were employed in the Union Pacific shops and the private foundries. A few months after this union got in working order a number of its members joined the National Brotherhood of Machine Molders of North America, an order formed for the purpose of maintaining a fair scale of wages and felevating iron molders in the social and felevating iron molders in the social scale of life. From the start this organization was antagonized by the remaining mem-bers of union 190 and other local unions. Notwithstanding this opposition all of the unions grew and to the public there was no sign of disruption until November 18, when a number of the memoers of the international brotherhood joined in a petition asking Judge Wakeley to restrain local union 190 from expelling them from its order. This brought out the fact that almost from the inception of the unions there had been a bitter fight, all brought about on account of the members of 190 having joined the national brotherhood. Charges of partiality were made and it was claimed that on November 9 union 190 held a meeting at which the follow-

ing resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That all members of this union
who have had cards in the brotherhood have until the sext meeting to withdraw.

There were any number of members hold-lng cards, and taking this for a motive of expulsion they called a meeting and decided to apply for a restraining order to prevent action which would be taken on November 29. Or November 18 the order was granted and the case set for hearing November 22. At that time representatives from both unions ap peared before Judge Wakeley, who after its tening to the testimony ordered the injunc-tion made permanent. This placed the mem-bers in the same relative standing as before the trouble occurred. The members who were to have been expelled state that they have violated none of the provisions of either charters and were in perfect harmony, though they do claim that the old and exclusive members of 190, who are known as "Red Card" men, refused to work with them in many in-stances, and upon one occasion a foreman told them they must quit work or leave the brotherhood. The point that has been set-tled by the injunction is whether or not a member of one union can become a member of another, when the objects of the latter are not antagonistic to those of the former. Re-

garding the by-laws of the two factions, the important sections are the same, and are as follows, with the exception of the names of the associations: Section 1. Any molder having served a reg ular apprenticeship of four years, and competent to command a general average of wages, may be admitted to membership in this union by paying an initiation fee of \$3, and subscribing to the obligations required by the Iron Molders' Union of North America. The number of titles of distinct religious bodies in the United States, nearly all of which should be classed as Protestant, is 131. Fourteen of the leading Protestant groups were divided as follows: Adventist has 119,-212 members: Baptists, 3,973,589; Congregationalists, 475,608; Episcopalians, 459,642; Lutherans, 1,056,000; Methodists, 4,747,130; Mennonites, 106,000; Moravians, 11,219; Presbyterians, 1,259,234; Quakers (Friends), 83,930; Reformed, 277,732; Unionistic, 270,000; Universalists, 38,780.

Sec. 2. Candidates for membership shall be proposed by a member of this union in good standing and such proposition shall be re-ferred to an investigating committee of three, who shall report at the next regular meeting whether the candidate is a suitable person to

become a member. Sec. 3. All candidates for membership shall be balloted for with ball ballots, and if five or more black balls appear against him he shall be declared rejected.

Sec. 4. The initiation fee shall in all cases accompany the applications, if the candidate is rejected the fee shall be returned to him. 5. No molder shall be eligible for men pership who has worked under the jurisdie tion of any other union (unless their consent is gained) or who has not worked at molding

Sec. 6. All persons elected members of thi sec. 6. All persons elected members of this such a shall be initiated within two regular meeting nights after their election.

Sec. 7. If any molder shall tender his money for initiation and leave the city before being initiated his money shall be returned to

Sec. 8. The corresponding secretary sec. 8. The corresponding secretary shall carry on all necessary correspondence and answer all communications addressed to the union requiring an answer, and shall read for the union at each stated meeting all correspondence relative to union affairs; he shall be allowed the average day's wages while attending the conventions of the Iron Molders Union of North America.

Sec. 9. Expenses incurred by any officer of this union in the execution of his duty shall be paid on presentation of his bill at a stated meeting.
Sec. 10. All officers and committees when legally called upon, shall deliver up all books, papers, moneys, etc., belonging to this union, to their successors in office or to any person

or persons this union may designate. Sec. 11. It shall be the duty of the trustees to exercise a general supervision over the property of the union; they shall invest all money that the union may order, in a safe and profitable manner, and deposit their vouchers with the treasurer; they shall call in all interest and all moneys accruing thereform into the union whenever reconsidered from into the union whenever requested so to do by the union; they shall make a semi-annual report in the months of June and December of each year; also examine the books of the recording secretary, financial secre-tary and treasurer, and perform such other duties as the union may require of them.

Article 8 provides as follows:

Section 1. No member of the union shall

work for a less price than shall be determined by the union; should any member go to work for a less price than that agreed upon by this union, it shall be the duty of each and every member of this union to refuse to go to work in the shop while such journeyman is em-ployed at a reduced price, provided such action is sanctioned by the International Moulders' Union of North America. Sec. 2. No member or members shall strike

upon or vacate their jobs in consequence of wages, or questions involving the rules of the union, or any other grievance without first laying the grievance before the union, who shall investigate the same at its first meeting, when a two-thirds vote shall decide what action members will be sustained in meeting, when a two-thirds vote shall decide what action members will be sustained in taking as a remedy. Should there be any other course pursued, it will be at their own peril, and shall be of no binding effect upon this union or its members. Jobs so vacated shall be open to any member who shall obtain the terms required after investigation. Sec. 3. Should a member of any committee be discharged for performing his duty as committeeman it shall be the duty of each and every member of this union to refuse to work in such foundry until such member be reinstated, or acknowledged, or satisfaction rendered; provided, such action is sanctioned by the Iron Moulders Union of North America.

Sec. 4. Should any member or members of Sec. 4. Should any member or members of this union be called upon to quit work in vindication of their rights, as prescribed in the constitution of the Iron Moulders Union of North America, and by-laws of this union, the president shall appoint a committee of not less than three, to be styled a committee of relief, to whom all members on strike may apply for assistance. It shall be the duty of said committee to grant or withhold benefits

at their discretion, but no member shall re-ceive more than 85 per week from the funds of this union, provided such strike is recog-nized by the Iron Moulders Union of North THEY CANNOT BE EXPELLED,

America.

The members who were to have been ex-

pelled claim that they violated none of the above provisions and that the act was in-spired by jealousy. The Teamsters' Union.

Although organized less than six months ago, the Teamsters' assembly, No. 2236, is one of the strongest in the city, and now boasts of a membership of nearly two hundred owners of teams.

Last spring, a few owners met in a little room at South Sixteenth and Vinton streets to discuss the advisability of organizing an union. Some of those present favored the union. Some of those present favored the
plan, while others opposed it, arguing that
teamsters would not stand by one another
and thus nothing would be accomplished.
The leaders, W. J. Smith, A. Miller, H. C.
Clark and A. B. Hammond were not discouraged, but called another meeting at which
time the organization was completed and
chartered as a Knights of Labor assembly.
As soon as this was accomplished, the gen-

As soon as this was accomplished, the gen-As soon as this was accomplished, the gentlemen who were instrumental in organizing the assembly commenced to canvass for members and in a few weeks the list was swelled to two hundred. Prior to this time, the meetings had been held in dray offices, baras and sheds, but with the magnificent membership, it was decided to secure better quarters and Pythian hall at Fourteenth and Douglas was regred where the measurements. Douglas was rented, where the meetings are now held each Saturday night.

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Many have supposed that the object of this association was to enforce patrons into paying exhorbitant prices for carting goods and merchandise from one part of the city to another, but this was a great mistake. Prior to this season, the city has been infested with hundreds of railroaders and other graders, who, after finishing the season's came to Omaha and going into the outskirts of the city pitched their tents and then went upon the streets to compete with the resident team-owners in the draving business. dent team-owners in the draying business.

The owners of teams in the city realized that this was taking the bread from the mouths of their families and banded together for protection. So well have they accomplished their purpose that, while as many as usual of these migratory teamsters are in the city, not one of them dares to ap-pear upon the streets to ask for patrenage, owing to an ordinance that the assembly has succeeded in working through the council.

Since accomplishing what they undertook, these hard-working teamsters of Omaha have turned their attention to other matters. They have gathered together a library of nearly two hundred carefully selected volumes, and each Saturday night, after transacting the

### THE CHRISTMAS SILENCE.

spent in reading and discussing points of gen-

Margaret Deland in Ladies' Home Journal. Inshed are the pigeons cooing low, On dusty rafters of the loft; And mild-eyed oxen, breathing soft, Sleep on the fragrant hay below.

Dim shadows in the corners hide; The glimmering lantern's rays are shed, Where one young lame just lifts its head, Then huddles against his mother's side.

Strange silence tingles in the air; Through the half-open door a bar Of light from one low hanging star Touches a baby's radiant hair—

No sound-the mother kneeling, lays Her cheek against the little face. O human love! O heavenly grace!

Ages of silence end tonight: Then to the long expectant earth Glad angels come to greet his birth

n burst of music, love and light.

Winter Excursions South. The Wabash has placed on sale roundtrip tickets, with choice of routes, to all the winter resorts of the south. Parties desiring to go direct to Sutherland, Omaha's famous winter resort, where you have boating, fishing and bathing in midwinter, should take the Wabash, in connection with the new fast train on the L. & N., with through sleeping cars to Tampa, Fla., via Jacksonville and Lachoochee. Only 52 hours to Jacksonville, 63 to Tampa and 70 to Sutherland. 12 hours in advance of all other routes. Reclining chair and Pullman buffet sleeping cars on all trains. Baggage checked from hotels and private resi-dences to destination. For tickets, leeping car accommodations and full information in regard to routes east or south call at the Wabash office, 1502

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The Shining Lights

Of the old world, soldiers, statesmen and men of letters, all write in the most ex-travagant praise of our facilities for travel in America. And we are entitled to the praise. On every English line there is the same old dusty lunch counter, known by all tourists for these many years. Not even a drink of water, nor a crust of bread to be had on the train. No wonder our trans-Atlantic friends express amazement when they sit down to a hotel dinner on one of the palace dining cars on the Union and Southern Pacific railways-an arrangement which is the

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ADDITIONAL SOCIETY.

A Delightful Card Party. In honor of a quartette of very pretty and

charming young women, Miss House, Miss Lillian House, Miss Hibbard and Miss Knight, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dickey gave a very pleasant card party Wednesday evening at their home, Twenty-fifth and Dodge streets. The house, which is quite large and roomy, was none too large for the number of guests presents, who filled eighteen tables interspersed throughout the drawing room, the

library and dining room.

High-five was the game, quite a number of games being played before the final bell announced that playing should cease, which was followed by thoroughly delicious refreshments.

freshments.

There being so many people present, eight prizes were given, four to the leading ladies and four to the highest gentlemen. The ladies who were so fortunate as to win the prizes were Miss Johnson, Miss Oliver of Council Binffs, The first lady received a pretty after-dinner gold-lined coffee spoon, the second a bonbon plate, the third the same, the fourth a handkerchief. The prizes for the gentlemen were a book a scarf pin paper weight and a were a book, a scarf pin, paper weight and a handkerchief.

handkerchief.

The following were the guests psesent:
Mr. and Mrs. Georre Gould, Mr. and Mrs. S.
G. V. Griswold, Misses Curtis, Touzalin,
Martman, Mamie Moore, Dwight of Peoria,
Margaret Moore, Gleason, Oliver, Mamie
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Mr. and Mrs. Francis Entertain. In honor of Mrs. O. W. Ruggies of Chiago, wife of the general passenger agent of he Michigan Central railway, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis gave a delightful high five party last Saturday evening. Mrs. Ruggles is a strikingly handsome woman. Tall, well proportioned, with beautiful black eyes and hair that has been silvered prematurely, a representative of an old Kentucky family; she would command attestion anywhere for her grace of manners and her brilliancy Ten games were played after which refresh routine lodge business, several hours are ments were served and then the prizes dis-tributed, which were exceedingly handsome. Mrs. C. N. Dietz won the first prize for the ladies, a dainty royal Worcester gaidiniere; the consolation prize, a mandelin with a cute thermometer set in the neck of the instrument and suspended by a blue ribbon upon which was lettered, "Learn to play on this," was won by Mrs. D. H. Goodrich. Mr. E. C. Snyder took the first prize for the gentle-men, a plate, cup and saucer of some pretty foreign ware; Mr. Thomas Swobe, the consolution prize, a silver soup dish with the date of the party engrazed upon the lid. Mr. Francis has a very pretty home on Georgia avenue just saited for the giving of such entertainments as the one of Saturday

> A Fire Captain's Anniversary. Captain Horace Clement of engine house No. 5 had almost forgotten that Tuesday was the fortieth anniversary of his pirthday and also the twelfth anniversary of his marriage. But the fact was very distinctly and pleasantly brought to his mind about 7 o'clock last night when a score of his friends called at his home at 2707 Leavenworth street to assist in celebrating the event. The surprise had been carefully planned by Mrs. Clement and some friends of the family and Mr. Clement soon recovered himself sufficiently to assist in making the evening exceptionally pleasant

for the party.

Delicious refreshments were served and the Seventh ward band discoursed several very entertaining selections during the even-

Mr. Clement has been a member of the fire department for almost five years and has many friends among the firemen and others with whom he has become acquainted. Mr. and Mrs. Clement were the recipients of a large number of very handsome presents during the evening.

They Played Cards. An exceedingly pleasant little card party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Potter Monday evening at their residence on Thirtieth street. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barkalow, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wakeley, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Vaill, Miss Ethel Davenport, Mr. Sheeban. Prizes were won by Mrs. Vaill and Mr. Barkalow, the consolation prizes being taken by Miss Davenport and Mr. Sheehan.

Holiday Excursions.

On December 24, 25 and 31, 1890, and January 1, 1891, the Union Pacific will sell tickets to all points in Kansas and Nebraska at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good returning until January 5, 1891. Remember the dates.

Don't pass this BY for it means you.

We have taken our entire stock of

# Winter Overcoats,

and put them on separate tables, making FOUR [4] LOTS:

PRICES, \$8, \$12, \$15, \$25,

former prices from \$12 to is40. If there is any virtue

GOOD GOODS

---AND---

LOW PRICES

We shall clean out the lines in a few days. Every one knows the quality of our goods, and when we name the above prices it means you will get better values than you can find elsewhere.



# Don't Forget

# SHOWWINDOW!

THE SUCCESSFUL CONTESTANT

for our \$20 Suit Prize was Mr. Joseph Getner, 1306 North 18th street, this city. We promised the public

ANOTHERSURPRISE,

and here it is.

Wednesday, Dec. 17,

We will place Something in Our

Show Window But we won't tell you about

it here, because we want

SEE IT IN OUR SHOWWINDOW

We will cheerfully answer all letters of inquiry from out of the city.

AND NOT HERE.

The \$50 Overcoats For \$10

Which at present are all the go [in the newspapers and in your mind] we never had, but we have biggest trade we ever had in our 36 years' business experience in

We own our goods as low as any honest merchant in the world, and we are closing themoutata very small profit, to make room for one of the finest Spring stocks ever shown in Omaha.

DON'T FORGET THE SHOW WINDOW.

Call on us before you buy Clothing or Furnishing Goods!!!

It will pay you!!!

By the way, we just got in an immense line of Holiday Neckwear, one in a box, if you want them for a present [and no fancy price on them].

The choice of our stock is going fast. Come soon.

Cor. 13th and Farnam.

The Oldest House in the State.

DON'T FORGET THE SHOW WINDOW.

## RAILWAY TIME CARD

Leaves CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & Q. Omaha. Depot 19th and Mason streets.	Arrives Omaha.
9.10 p m	8.00 A DO
6.500 m lowa Local	10.03 a m 12.00 m
Chaha. Depot 10th and Mason streets.	Arrives Omaha.
10.25 a m Denver Day Express 10.25 a m Denver Express 6.40 p m Denver Night Express	6.15 p m 9.35 a m
Leaves K. C., SP. J. & C. B.	Arrises
Omaha. Deput 10th and Mason streets.	Omaha.
9.65 p m K. C. Night Kip. via U. P. Trans.	Arrives
Omaha. Depot lith and Marcy streets.  2.0 p m	Omaha.
7.80 p m Pacific Express	3.55 p m
Leaves CHICAGO, R. LA PACIFIC.	Arrivos
6.10 p m	10.00 a m
4.30 p m Vestibule Limited	0.30 p ma 10.45 n ma
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Leaves F., E. & MO. VALLEY. Omaha. Depot 15th and Webster Sts.	Arrivat Omaha.
9.00 a m Black Hills Express 9.00 a m Hastings Exp. (Ex. Sunday) 5.10 p m Wahoo Aldneoin Pas (Ex. Sunday)	5.20 p m
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6.00 p m Night Express 9.30 a m Atlantia Express 6.00 p m Vestibule Limited	E. E.E. sec. size
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Leaves Chicago, Mil. & St. Path. Transfer Union Depot, Council Bluffs.	Transfer
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CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE.—
Comaha, Neb., December 18, 1898.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., 23d instant, when they will be opened, for, furnishing in this city, or other points specified by bidders, eighteen (18) cavalry horses, more or less. The horses must be sound, free from vicious habits, gentle under the saddle, with free action at the walk, trotand gallop; and must conform as nearly as possible to the following doscription: A gelding, of uniform and hardy color; in good condition; from fifteen to sixteen hands high; weight not less than 900 nor more than 1,200 pounds; from four to eight yearsold. Bidders should state in their bid where they process to make delivery and the price at that point. Delivery will be required to commence at once and be completed by December 31, 1898. U. S. reserves right to reject the whole or any part of any bid received, and to consider bids for a less number of horses than number advertised for. Preference will be given to domestle horses, conditions of price and quality being equal. Bids will be received by telegraph. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for cavairy horses," and addressed to the undersigned, WM, B. HUGHES, Lieutenant Colonel and Deputy Quartermaster. General, U. S. A., Chief Quartermaster.

Certificate of Publication.

OFFICE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS,
STATE OF NEBRASKA.
LINCOLN Doc., 13, 1890.
It is hereby certified that the Manchester
Fire Assurance Co., of Manchester, England, has complied with the insurance law of
this state, and is authorized to transact the
busine s of fire insurance in this state for the
current year. current year.
Witness my hand and the seal of the auditor of public accounts the day and year above

T. H. BENTON, Auditor, P. A. CHAS, B. ALLAN, Deputy, H. E. Palmer & Son, Agents, Omuha, Neb. Stockholders' Meeting.

Stockholders' Meeting.

OMANA, Neb., Dec. 6, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha & Elkhorn Valley rallway company for the purpose of electing seven directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of John M. Thurston Union Facific building, Omaha, Neb., upon Wednesday, the 7th day of January, 1891, at 10 o'clock n.m.

W. J. Carrioll, Assistant Secretary, Dec. 1962.

Stockholders' Meeting. Stockholders' Meeting.
OMARA, Neb., Dec. 9, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that the unual meeting of the stockholders of ithe Union clevator company for the purpose of electing soven directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be held at the office of John M. Thurston, Union Pacific building, Omaba, Neb., upon Menday, the 5th day of January, 1891, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m.

W. J. Cahroll, Assistant Secretary, Decied23tM

Notice to Stockholders. Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Hee Building Company will be held at the office of The Oraha Bee. Hee Building, Omaha Neb., at 4 o'clock p. m., Thesday, January 20, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of the president.

\*\*Held St.\*\* Secretary\*\*.

Annual Meeting. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Stock Yard Bank, of South Omaha, Neb., for the election of directors and the transaction of such business as may properly arise, will be held at the First National Bank, of Omaha, Neb., on Wednesday, January 7, 1891, at 4 p. m. E. B. BRANCH, Cashier. South Omaha. Neb., Dec. 6, 1890. decedia

Excavation Bids Wanted. Sealed proposals will be received by the Sealed proposals will be received by the December, for excavating the northwest corner of Sixteenth and Douglas streets.

For information apply to John Jatensen, architect, room 625, Merchants Nat'l bank building.

TAKEN-UP by the undersigned about Oct-25, 1807 one red steer, about 15 months old, with white spot in face. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. Mrs. Sidney Dillon. 5 miles west of irvington. N3047-14-21-28

Taken UP-cow with gray and yellow