THE

Delivered by carrier to any part of the city H. W. TILTON, - MANAGER

AINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co. Coat Miltonberger is the hatter, 502 Broadway.

The city jail was empty yesterday all day for the first time in several months. Belle Kieff was granted a divorce in dis-trict court yester: lay from W. J. Kieff. Personal If Mr. G. H. Gifford, who is

temporarily stopping in Council Bluffs, will call at Tue Bee office today he will learn call at The Bee office today he will learn something of importance to himself. Captain A. Overton has obtained permission to hold religious services in The Omaha, a saloon at the corner of Broadand Ninth street, this afternoon at 4

The concluding entertainment of the Broadway Methodist church lecture course will be given next Friday evening in the will be given next Friday evening in the shape of an organ concert by Frank Taft, the noted organist, assisted by Miss Lena Sims. soprana, and Mr. L. B. Copeland, baritone. The Catholic fair will be continued on Monday night, when the cane denated by Mr. Charles Nicholson will be voted to the most popular butcher. The candidates are Mr. Metzer, George H. Meschendorf, F. Scanlan, Mr. Huber, Mr. Bodatz and M.

The terrible dust of the past few days has caused the apitation of the streets weeper idea to come to the surface. This has been talked of every spring for a good many years, but nothing has ever come of it. It is urged that if the city owned a sweeper the streets could be kent in such a condition that the dust of the past few days would be a thing unknown.

Judge Decmer decided the case of the Penn Mutani lusurance company against Kimball & Champ yesterday, in which Architect Hyde of Dubuque intervened with a petition for a mechanic's lien on the propa petition for a incentile is lice on the property in question for \$1.200 for his services in superintending the erection. He foreclosed the mortgage of the Pean Mutual company as against Hyde and gave a magnetic against Kimbali & Champ in favor of Hyde. but refused to give the latter a ilen, holding that a part of the claim, which Hyde had against the firm were for things which would not legally give him a mechanic's

Talk about "backbones of steel" and "grit of emery," and you talk about the promoters of the Council Bluffs Insurance company. The bread that they cast upon the waters in faith and hope that it would return is heaving into

something New. Men's heavy kid shoes, soft as a glove.

at Evans' new store, 28 Main and 27 Pearl streets.

\$60 pays round trip and all expense for 10 days at World's fair. C. F. Mont-gomery 217 4th st.

Finest Aristo cabinet photos, \$2 per dozen. Asbton's studio, 18 North Main. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. E. E. Aylesworth is visiting friends Mrs. Ed E. Wright will leave the first of

next month for Ohio, where she will visit relatives. J. W. Helwig and Bennett Windsor will manage the Young Men's Christian associa tion during the absence of Secretary J. C.

John P. Weaver received a telegram yesteriay announcing the death of his father at Gettysburg, Pa. He left for that place last evening. Dick and Eleanor Stewart are at home

from the east, where they have been attend-ing school, and will visit a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hendricks, I year and a half old, is very ill with membraneous croup at the family residence,

corner of Ninth street and Third avenu Last evening it was feared that he would not last through the night. The Young Men's Institute will give a

concert and specialty performance and dance Wednesday evening, April 12, at their hall on Main street.

The Grand Hotel, Council Bluffs. Most elegant hotel in

Iowa. Dining room on seventh floor. Rates, \$3 to \$5 per day. E. F. Clark.

Any Kind You Want. Fine shoes or cheap shoes, but all good shoes. Get them of Evans. Next door

Do you smoke? Have you tried T. D. King & Co.'s Partagas? It's a charmer. Just light one.

Death of Miss Weirich. Miss Anna Weirich, who has been ill for the past two months, died Friday night about midnight. She was taken very ill a couple of months ago, when her life was despaired of. She partially recovered from this attack, but was ordered by her physician to lay down the work to which she had devoted herself with so much energy during her whole life. She could not do this, how-ever, and her disregard of her physician's warning cost her her life. She was 56 years of age. She had been a resident of Council Bluffs for many years, and the esteem in which she was held by all who knew her will manifest itself in widespread serrow at her death. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at the residence on Fourth street. Rev. Dr. Phelps of the First Presbyterian church, to which the decease be-

longed, will officiate. 40 Dauntless Bicycles.

Just received by express. You should place your order at once and get in line 'Dauntless" bicycles are the stuff. Don't fail to see the best machine built before you buy. Union Transfer Co., 1304-6-8-10 Main street, Council Bluffs.

For warming guest cnambers, bath rooms, etc., our gas heaters are just what you want. Look at them. Clean, convenient, cheap. C. B. Gas and Electrie Light Co.

Williamson & Co., 106 Main street, largest and best bicycle stock in city.

Epworth League Reception Thursday evening Rev. H. P. Dudley and wife entertained the members of the Epworth league of Broadway church and their friends at the parsonage on Flotcher avenue. The spacious rooms were threnged until a late hour with a merry crowd of young people. Refreshments were served by the young ladies of the league. The members of the league made an active canvass for new members, a large number giving their names and enlisting in the league work. The Broadway chapter will at once begin an active can paign along all lines of work, especially that of looking after the strangers in the city, making them feel that they are among friends though in a strange city.

Evans Bas Them.

New styles in Oxfords for ladies. All kinds and all prices. 28 Main and 27 Pearl streets.

Free treatments daily from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Council Bluffs Medical and Surgical institute, 26th and Broadway.

The Millers, decorative artists, wall paper, paper hanging, plain and ornamental painting, signs. No. 15 Pearl St.

Coal and wood; best and cheapest Missouri hard wood in the city; prompt delivery. H. A. Cox, No. 4 Main.

Stop at the Ogden, Council Bluffs, the

best \$2.00 house in Iowa.

Citizens Working to Secure a Reduction of Bridge Fare.

REPORTS OF VARIOUS COMMITTEES

History of the Early Regulations of the Company-Indications that the Object of the Mass Meeting May Yet Be Attained.

The meeting of the citizens last evening at the court house to consult and hear reports with reference to the 5-cent fare on the motor line was attended by a large number, and the greatest interest was taken in the proceedings. J. N. Casady presided, and Frank Trimble officiated as secretary. Among the reports of committees. the first was that of the judiciary. It was

read by L. W. Ross. According to the investigations of this committee the charter of 1868, under which the motor company claims to be operating. gives no right to lay or operate a double track and it is a matter of considerable doubt whether it gives a right to use elec-tricity as a motive power. The clause in the charter of 1886 fixing the rate of transportation does not fix 10 cents as the amount portation does not his in cents as the absolute to be charged, but is merely a covenant on the part of the company that it will not charge more than that sum. According to law, if the company assigned its franchise to the Nebraska corporation, and has never used the charter, the charter is subject to forfeiture. If the company has falled to live for feiture. If the company has failed to live up to its agreements, and is thus guilty of misuser of its charter, it is also subject to forfeiture. Many legal precedents were cited to show that the motor company had placed itself in this position. The report was a long and exhaustive legal opinion. At the conclusion of the reading it was adopted.

As to Taxa: 100. The following report of the committee on taxation was read, showing the exact finan-cial condition of the relation between the

city and the motor company. Upon a careful examination of the tax records, judgmort docket and court calendar, we heg to submit the following report as a result of our investigation.

Value of paving assessed to private parties and taken by the Motor company, when rendway was constructed.

City's chains for paving on intersect.

lity's claim for paving on intersec-

tions, repairs to streets torn up by Motor company, etc.

Of this amount the city has brought suit for amount of its claim for intersection, etc.

Three suits have been brought by private purties on which judg-ment has been rendered, aggre-\$10,585,98 gating \$ 6,291,02 Five suits pending, amounting to 6,667.90

Total amount in suit and judgment \$23,494.85
Balance for which no claim has yet
been made against the motor company, and which will be a loss to
the clivers if not paid by the motor company. \$6,700.54

Making a total amount of \$30,201.39 or which the motor company owes the city and citizens for paving, which has been assessed to private parties or paid by the city, to find the motor company as-

We find the motor company as-sessed with paying and grading as follows: Assessments now due and unpaid... \$12,269.71 Payments not yet due for which the city will be liable it the motor company wins the suits now pend-ine... \$ 3,670.79

Total amount assessed against the motor company for grading, paving, etc., of Making a total Making a total of

Your committee finds the cost of the Bouglas Street bridge to be. The thread of the channel of the Mis-souri river at the bridge is 110 feet east of the Nebraska shore pier and 400,000

east of the Nebraska shore pier and the cost of that portion of the bridge west of the city limits is... Subject to taxation by the city of Council Bluffs on bridge. Railway chetr cal equipments, road-bed, poles, wire cars, motors, en-gines, boilers, dynamos and other located and movable machinery cost.
The buildings and foundations on lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 12, Bryant & Clark's addition added to the assessed value of the lots, should in-

Evans' second bridge addition, nine in number, assessed at \$3,245, should be increased in tax valua-

And the ratio of taxable valuation, viz., 33% per cent of actual value, the assess-ments to compare with other cirizons on an equal-

etc. In Council Bluffs noldings of shares of capital stock An increase on buildings on lots in Bryant & Clark's ad-dition.....

dition An increase on buildings on lots in Evans' second bridge Last year'sassessment..... An increase of \$187,600 An increase of \$\ \text{\$187,600}\$ We also find that the paving on Upper Broadway, north of First street, and the paving on Broadway, between Twelfth and Sixteenth streets, was done at the instance of the Union Pacific Railway company while owners of the old horse car line, and a stipulation was entered in o be ween said company and the present notor company that the latter should assume and pay said paving as charged, and the first payment was paid by the present motor company, but it has failed to fulfill its promise with regard to the subsequent payments.

ent payments. We have already paid \$54,000 as a bonus to

We have already paid \$54,000 as a bonus to aid in the construction of the motor company's bridge, and should the city not succeed in compelling the company to pay its special taxes, we shall have had the privilege of paying more than \$100,000 in cash, in addition to the valuable franchise we have given them, to induce a few millionaires to build a bridge and motor line at a profit to themselves of nearly \$1,000,000. Respectfully submitted,

H. C. McGre, Chairman,
L. A. CASPER,
F. C. LOUGEE.

F. C. LOUGEE, H. N. GRAVES, E. H. SHEAPE, J. H. CLEAVER, W. A. WOOD, F. W. SPETMAN. Differ: nce of Opinion.

At this point Assessor W. D. Hardin created a stir by stating that the regave the amount of taxation incorrectly 4. McGee, who had read the report, said he

treasurer. "Ill give \$25 to the Home of the Friendless if you bring the books up here and show those figures," said Hardin. He thereupon went to his office and brought his books in, when it was found that the committee had

simply been reckoning on personal property. The entire assessment of the property of the company was \$103,245, while that of the personal property was \$90,000, as given in the committee's report, so that both Harlin and the committee were partially right. Hardin then stated that the motor com-

oany was paying more than one-sixth of the entire personal property tax of the whole city; more than twenty-four of the leading wholesale houses and all the brick yards combined, and only \$40 less than all the

Attorney W. S. Shoemaker of Omaha made an address, in which he advocated the idea of appointing a committee to confer with the directors of the motor company S. P. Vanatta, attorney, 5 Everett blk. with the object of securing a commutation rate of five cents. The matter was finally

BEE NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS left in the hards of the committee of 100, and a meeting is to be called by the chairman when the report is ready.

SPECIAL AT THE BOSTON STORE.

Conneil Bluffs, In.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT. Our line of ladies' capes and jackets this spring beats all our previous efforts in this department. Every one predicts that capes are going to be the popular spring garment this season, and we have them in all styles, and at our usual low prices. At \$2,39 we show a nice navy blue butterfly cape, tinsel trimmed, well worth \$3,50.

Our next price, \$3.44, we show in both navy and tan, and will gladly compare it with any \$5.00 cape in the market. At \$5.00 our assortment is still greater, and as this is the popular price for a

spring garment, we claim to have the best \$5.00 cape in the market. At \$6.50, \$7.50, \$9.50, \$13.00 and \$15.00 we show an elegant line of plain and novelts capes in tans, browns, blues greens, reds and blacks.

Our assortment of jackets is just as complete as our capes. Ask to see our \$1.98 bazer jackets, omes in tans and grays, At \$3.50 we show a 30-inch reefer made

from an all-wool foule cloth in tan and navy. At \$5.00 we show four different materials and styles in tans, blues and

blacks. At \$7.50 we show a line of reefers with derby or easeade capes in tans, greens, blues and blacks. At \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 we show

some exclusive styles and some very nobby garments. Call and see us before buying anything in this line. DRESS GOODS. Our dress goods department is now fully stocked with the largest and most complete line of staple and fancy dress goods ever shown in Council Bluffs.

Below we quote a few of our most popu-At 25c a full and complete assortment English cashmeres. English serges, icridescent twills and changeable jac-

At 50c all the latest and most desivashades in henriettas, serges and Scoten suitings in light mixtures. At 50c we show the biggest drive of the season: 18 of the latest shades in a 38-inch India twill-would be cheap at

quards.

At 75c, \$1,00, \$1,25 and \$1,50 we have a full assortment of the following new weaves, epingline, whipeords, ottomans, phosphorus beiges and serges

LADIES WAISTS. Our line of waists this season eclipses anything that has ever been shown in Council Bluffs. The most popular styles this season are going to be Empire. Cascade fronts and French yokes, of which we show a full line. At 25c we show a full line of light

printed waists; worth 33e. At 75c our assortment Is most complete in satteen lawns and percales in whites, blacks and colors. At \$1.00 we show the best black satteen waist in the market.

BOSTON STORE. Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Co., Council Bluffs, Ia., and Rockford, Ill.

COUNCIL BLUFFS SOCIETY.

Two Afternoons of Music to Charm the Ladies-Other Social Notes. The social record of Easter week was marked by two afternoons devoted to the choicest of music and most thoroughly en-

jeyed by the lady friends of Mrs. H. W. Tilton and Mrs. Dr. A. P. Hanchett, at the home of the latter, No. 120 Fourth street, Wednesday and Thursday. The two entertainments were identical even in the details, and about 100 ladies were present on each afternoon. The house was made very attractive and by opening together the parlors, library and dining room a most com-modious concert room was provided, which was combined with all the charms of home adornment and floral decoration. In the reception hall hidden beneath a mound of palms was a small orchestrion, the low music of which served as a pleasing welcome to the guests as they entered. The floral decorations were not so profuse as to give the pariors a hot house effect, but they were very graceful, consisting mainly of paims and ferns, with roses for fragrance and color, and smilax for the festooning of mirrors and mantels. The musical program was the mantels. The musical program was the real entertainment, not only by virtue of the nigh character of the selections rendered, but by reasons of the artistic skill of those who presented it. Mrs. J. G. Wadsworth, who is known to be one of the finest sopranos in the west, rendered some of her charming solos, which were very enthus astically received. The richness and certainty of her tones make her songs ever enjoyable, and her selections for this program were peculiarly happy. Hans Albert, whose wonderful touch is gaining for him a national reputation as a violinist, gave several solos, sustaining fully the ist, gave several solos, sustaining fully the favoritism which greets his every appearance before music-loving hearers. Herr Gahm, who as a plauist takes rank as a real artist, added to the riceness of the treat, both in solo and in accompaniments. A choicer musical combination can hardly be imagined, and the guests evidenced their hearty appreciation by due enthusiasm. The following was the program, which was daintily printed, with covers bearing the suggestive engraving of a violin lying upon

(b) Novellette, (0p. 21.) Xaver Scharwenka.

Mr. Joseph Galin.

Hungarian abs. with variations..... Ernst
Mr. Hans Albert. Dorls. Mrs. J. G. Wadsworth, Violin Obligato, Mr. Albert. Nevin (a) Nocturne. Che (b) Hungarian Dance Bra Mr. Hans Albert. Piano, Piano, Canto Pio (Der Freischuetz). W

Mrs. J. G. Wadsworth.

(a) Nocturne (Op. 17).

(b) Concert Etude
Mr. Joseph Gahm.
La Muette de Portici (Fantaisie).
Mr. Hans Albert.

Sieep, Little Baby of Mine.

Mrs. J. G. Wadsworth. Weber Following the program refreshments were served, the menu being simple but elegant.

consisting chiefly of cakes, creams and

Last evening the Grand hotel was the scene of a brilliant affair. The Council Bluffs council, Commercial Pilgrims of America, gave its second anniversary reception and bail. Fully 150 traveling men from Council Bluffs as well as towns in Nebraska and Iowa were present, with their ladies, and a delightful time was had, as is usually the case when a company of traveling men get together. The dining room of the great otel was filled with the merry crowd of the bear up to the hour dancers clear up to the hour when the twelve chimes told that it was Sunday morning, and the beautifur costumes, pretty faces and delicate floral decorations made a vision of beauty that will not be soon forgotten. Punch was served in the league room, and speeches were made during the evening by E. H. Haworth, Rev. T. J. Mackay of Omaha, J.

. Butler of Lincoln and J. J. Stork of Coun-J. P. Christensen was made the victim of a complete surprise Friday evening at the home of R. T. McIntyre on South Sixth street, by twenty of his friends, who came in to spend the evening and remind him that it was his biethday. The evening was spent in high five and dancing, and refreshments

ere served at 11 o'clock. Tuesday evening the conductors gave their annual bail at the Grand hotel. A large number of the members of the brotherhood were there, all dressed in the full regulation uniform of blue coats and brass buttons. The list of the guests included a number of gentlemen who are well up in railroad cir-cles, together with their wives. After spending an hour in the parlors of the hotel they went to the sixth floor and the dancing commenced. The floor had been canvassed

for the occasion, the chandeliers and window sills were handsamely decorated with flowers and full-house plants, and the orchestra, stationed in one corner of the room, played music that kept the feet moving from 8 o'clock on until after midnight, when the last atrains of the room, stationers, some was a stationer to be a stationer to be a stationer to be a stationer. of the last waits died away. Supper was served in the lading ordinary, while on the third floor, in the League club rooms, were stationed the punch bowl and a number of tables for those who preferred cards to descine

dancing.

Miss Ellen Aylesworth entertained about twenty-five of her young friends very pleasantly yesterday afternoon at her home on Fifth avenue in henor of Miss Helen Burnham of Omaha, who is visiting her.

COMMISSIONERS SUSTAINED. Two Important Railroad Suits Settled by

Judge Deemer. trict court in cases in which the power of the railway commissioners to enforce their orders to the railway companies was in dispute. The first, and probably the more important of the two, so far as the citizens of Council Bluffs are concerned, was that in the case of the state against the Chicago, Milwaukee & Pacific, an action brought to compel the company to build a depot at Boughton. An open platform was the only thing in the way of an accommodation to the public at that place, and the shippers and travelers who were interested brought the matter before the commissioners to compel the erection of a depot. The desired order was issued, but the company refused to obey it. Attorney General Stone then brought suit in the district court to enforce the order of the commissioners. The case was tried last August and has been under advisement ever since. The shippers called the attention of the court to the start that Boughton had a large tributary. tore: that twenty carloads of stone left the station during the year 1801, when the suit was commenced, and that from two to ten passengers left the station daily. Goods that came in were unloaded on the open platform at all times of the night, and when so unloaded the company claimed no further responsibility. People who wished to travel had to board the train at the flag station and buy their tickets at the next regular station, Claims of the Railroad.

The railway company fought the suit. aiming that the commission had no power into cases where complaints were made and report on them; that the commission had not specified the size of the depot to be creeted; that the court had no jurisdiction to enforce the orders; that the order was unreasonable, and that the state was not the

roper party to enforce the order. In making his decision Judge Deemer held that that commission was given power by the Twentieth general assembly to enforce its orders. "An older from the commission," he said, "is an order, and not merely an in-formation to the public. As to the objection that the state is not the proper party to bring the suit, the supreme court has de-cided that it is. I do not consider it necessary for the commissioners to furnish the companies with plans and specifications for the new depots they may order put up, so that the objection that they did not specify the size of the depot is not well taken. The company knows how large a depot will be necessary to accommodate the public. Neither is it necessary for the commission to specify what kind of material shall be used in the construction." He accordingly decided the case in favor of the commissioners and made an order allowing the plaintiff an attorney fee of \$200.

Importance of the Ruling.

The importance of this ruling is not due to the amount involved, for Boughton is merely a way station. Its importance lies in the fact that the court has fixed for the first time the extent to which the commissioners may make and enforce orders with reference to local depots. It has especial interest to the people of Council Blufs from the fact that the railway commissioners some time ago ordered the Rock Island and Mil waukee roads to make some much needed improvements and enlargements in their local depots here, but so far they have both refused to take the necessary steps. In all probability it will be necessary for the attorney general to commence suits against these two companies in the very near future to compel them to obey the orders of the commissioners, and in that event the present ruling of Judge Deemer will be of considera-

ble value in giving a precedent. The second decision was with reference to the demand made for a siding at Showman. Nearly the same questions were involved in this suit as in the preceding, but in addition it had been demonstrated that the switch and siding, which had been put in originally for the purpose of carrying ties and other building material, were so situated as to be very dangerous. There is no town there, but only a farming settlement, the people living in the vicinity being engaged in farming, cutting stone and the like. Between the towns of Hedrick and Showman, three miles apart, there is heavy down grade and an abrupt curve, which renders it impossi-ble for heavy freight trains to stop should it be necessary. On the south of Showman there is a deep cut which makes it impossible to see the switch from trains coming from that direction until it is close at hand

Commissioner Dev's Opinion. "Commissioner Dey," said the court, "is of the opinion that stations should not be nearer together than seven miles. The people of Showman claim that on account of the hilly condition of the land they cannot haul to that, it must be understood that when a man goes to a place of that kind he must take his chances on getting the kind of ac-commodations he needs. In view of the danger which the switch would cause, I

must dismiss the suit. Next Monday morning at 9 o'clock Judge Deemer will render another important decision, that in the "joint rate cases," which has been pending for the last three years, and which has already been written up in the newspapers at considerable length. The railway companies fought the law by which they are compelled to charge only 80 per cent of the ordinary freight rates when goods are carried over two or more roads within the state. The decision will be ooked for with a great deal of interest by the people all over the state.

C. O. D. Brown's Great Seven-Day House Cleaning Sale.

The greatest cut ever made on wooden and willow ware. Sale commencing Monday, April 10, Wash tubs 45c, 50c, 60c.; willow ciothes baskets 55c, 65c, 75c.

2-hoop wooden pails 11e; 3-hoop wooden pails the. Paper pails 19c; wash boards 11c, 16c,

Serub brushes 5c, 7c, 10c, 12c. Mop sticks Se; clothes pins 6 dozen for Clothes lines 5e each.

Large bottle bluing for 5c. Bulk starch, 4c pound; 1 pkg.starch 6c. 6 lbs. box starch 29c. 6 bars Kirk's White Russian soap for

6 bars Fairbank's Santa Claus soap 7 bars Domestic soap for 25c. 8 bars Ladies' Friend soap for 25c. 8 bars Towns' Delight soap for 25c.

8 bars West India Olive soap for 25c

4 cans Eagle lye for 25c. 6 cans Star lye for 25c. BROWN'S C. O. D. Council Bluffs, Ia.

Washing powder, 2 pkgs. for 5c.

Would Like to Meet a Committee. The board of directors of the motor company held a meeting on Friday. It was hoped that something would be done at this meeting with reference to the much-talked-of 5-cent fare, but whoever had such a hope was destined to be disappointed. "There was no one there to bring the matter before us," said George F. Wright, in speaking of the matter. "We didn't know what was wanted, although, of course, we know that they've said us a few times. Still, we hadn't any official notice that anything was wanted. Remarks were made, however by Mr. Millard and Mr. Barton to the effect that they would be willing to meet a com-mittee of citizens properly appointed at any time that may be chosen by the committee. It seems to me that if I wanted anything out

of anybody I'd go and tell him so and not go abe at whining." The only thing that was done, according

to Mr. Wright, of any public Isoportance was the consideration of the proposition made by Colonel F. C. Reed with reference to the Manawa motor line. He wants to turn his steam line into an electric motor line and wants the motor company to furnish the power. The matter was referred to the company's electrician with instructions to ascertain what will be necessary in the way of enlargements of the plant in case Colone Reed's proposition is accepted.

PICTURE WAS ACCEPTED. Mrs. J. A. Gorham of this City Succeeded

Where Other Iowa Artists Failed. The magnificent oil painting upon which Mrs. J. A. Gorham has been at work for the past nine months will occupy a piace in the national gallery of the Woman's building at the World's fair. So much was decided yes-terday by the president of the inspecting committee, who came out for the sole ose of inspecting the picture, ave been in the hands committee two months ago, along with the other works of art which were candidates for honors, but it was not completed until within the last few days. That fact made it necessary for the president of the committee to make a special trip here. The painting is 6.5x3.5 feet in dimensions and is probably the most highly artistic effort she has ever made. It is a distinction to be proud of that this is the only painting which has been accepted from an lowa artist for the national gallery. There were forty four paintings before the judges for their an-proval, but none of them were lucky enough be awarded a place in the national ex-

Look at Them. Men's Russian calf shoes at Evans', 28 Main and 27 Pearl streets.

At the World's fair will be a 7 1-3 octave organ in piano case. See duplicate at Bourielus Music House.

Where to Worship

First Presbyterian-Preaching by the paster, Rev. Stephen Phelps. Trinity Methodist-Rev. H. H. Barton, pastor. Class meeting, 9:30; preaching, 10:30 and 7:45; Sunday school, 12; junior league, 4: Enworth league, 7: monthly lice ary and social entertainment, Monday even-St. John's English Lutheran-Preaching

in the Merriam block at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Snyder. Sunday school, 9:45. Second Presbyterian Preaching by Rev. S. Alexander at 10:30 and by Rev. L.S. Balley, D.D., of Cedar Rapids at 7:30. Sun-day school, 12: Christian Enfleavor, 6:30. Young Men's Christian Association—Boys meeting at 3, addressed by H. Luring, Men's meeting at 4, led by Rev. J. H. Davis. Bereau Baptist-Preaching morning and evening by Rev. W. C. Shepard, the evangel-

ist of Clearfield, Ia., who will also hold meetings throughout the week. Evangelical Mission—Rev. J. Fisk will breach at the mission on Avenue E near Eighth street at II a. m. First Baptist -Preaching by Rev. J. H. Davis. Evangelistic service at 8 p. m. Sun-day school at 12. Young people's meeting

Congregational-Rev. John Askin, pastor.

Morning subject, "Man's Relation to the World," Evening, "Pharisees and Pub At the Fifth avenue Methodist church this morning there will be preaching by Rev. F. Tonge of Omaha. In the evening the railway men, for whom the services of the en-

a most enthusiastic time, and Council Bluffs came in for a generous share of the bouors of the occasion. I. M. Treynor was re elected to the post of grand regent, G. H. Jackson was elected grand guard, F. B. Warner is chairman of the grand trustees and J. H. Arthur is a member of the com mittee on laws. The next meeting of the grand council be held at Ottumwa.

Another improvement to the popular Schubert piano. Swanson Music Co

Geo. S. Davis, prescription druggist. Marriage License. The following marriage license was issued vesterday: Name and AdGress.) Ross E. Runyan, Council Bluffs) Etta J. Dolson, Council Bluffs...

Wood of all kinds, coos and coal. L.

G. Knotts & Co , 700 Broadway. Will Collect the Money. TAHLEQUAR, I. T., April 8.—The bill has passed the Cherokee senate and house designating the chief and treasurer and ten other delegates to go to Washington and collect the money, \$8,300,000, due on the sale

WEATHER FORECASTS.

It Will Be Fair and Slightly Warmer in Nebraska Today. Washington, D. C., April 8.—Forecasts for Sunday: For Nebraska and Iowa-Fair; winds shifting to south; slightly warmer. For South Dakota—Fair; south to west

winds; warmer except in the west. Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA April 8.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall, compared with corresponding day of

past four years: perature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1893: Normal temperature
Deficiency for the day
Excess since March 1
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PROPOSALS FOR FIELD SEEDS. U.S. INdian Service—Pine Ridge Agency, S. D., March 30, 1893. Sealed proposals, endorsed, Proposals for Field Seeds, and addressed to the undersigned at Pine Ridge Agency, Shannon county, S. D., will be received at this agency until 1 acheek p. m. of April 20, 1893, for furnishing and delivering at this agency until 1 acheek p. m. of April 20, 1893, for furnishing and delivering at this agency about 25,360 lbs. seed corn, 57,600 lbs. seed potatoos, 1,200 lbs. seed corn, 57,600 lbs. seed potatoos, 1,200 lbs. seed wheat, 730 lbs. alfalfa, 3,000 lbs. German millet, 730 lbs. thnothy, 737 lbs. blue grass, 500 lbs. sugar bust and 500 lbs. sugar cane seed. Sald seed to be grown in the section of country contiguous to the place of delivery. Bidders will be required to state specifically in their hids the proposed, price of each article offered for delivery under a contract. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or any part of any bid, if deemed for the best interest of the service. CERTIFIED CHECKS. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or draft upon some United States depository or solvent national bank in the vicinity of the residence of the bidder, made apayable to the order of the commissioner of Indian affairs, for at least 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal, which check or draft will be forfeited to the United States in case any bidder or bidders receiving an award shall fall to promptly execute a contract with good and sufficient sureties, otherwise to be remed to the bidder. Bids accompanied by cash in lieu of a certified check will not be considered. For any further information apply to CAPT. GEO. LEROY BROWA, U.S. A., Acting DROPOSALS FOR FIELD SEEDS. U. S. IN-Tar soap 3e cake: toilet soap 2e cake. sidered. For any further information apply to CAPT, GEO, LEROY BROWN, U.S.A., Acting United States Indian agent. Mald21t

Bids for Excavation.

Owana, Neb., April 8, 1893. Scaled proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon Wednesday, April 12, at the office of the Interstate Hoter contains, room 227. Omahn National Bank building, for the removal of dirt from site of hotel, southwest corner 15th and Harney streets. Full information can be had at the office of Fisher and Lawrie, architects. The right is reserved to reject any or all bilds.

Secy. Interstate Hotel Co.

SELF-SUPPORTING. | Singing Evangelist McClusky.

Though not Meant for a Money-Making Institution.

Plan of the Copeland and Shepard Work-Its Friends, Its Enemies, Its Critics and Its Success.

It is necessary to let in the light occasion-ally. The light is healthy. It is the purpose of this article to let lin a little light regarding thep an of the Copeland and shepard prac-

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The first and most important point that needs light is referred to in this statement:

The Copeland and Shepard ward re is not a money-maxing p actice.

Drs. Copeland and Shepard saw, years ago, no reason for the exorbitant fees usually charged by specialists. The and again it had been brought to their attention that the great mass of the people were decrived of the skill and experience of gennine specialists on account of the high fees which they charged. Their experience had demonstrated to them that the best services, the best medicines and the most careful care and attention could be given at low and uniform fees. The present insitution, which bears their name and which is under their personal supervision and control is merely the successful carrying out of that plan.

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should be-an institution which gives to each
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drugs and the best acquity at a total expense
which is absolutely less than the cost of the
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himself in the usual way.

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clearly apprehend its purpose and method.

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is opening the eyes of the people and of the pro-f s on as well.

They founded the'r institution and carried on their work in the face of the most voices criticism from doctors who advertised and from accitors who did not advertise. Doctors who advertised arged that they were calling into prices and were robining the advertising business. Doctors who did not advertises harded all sorts of criticisms and reflections upon them and their associates, because they saw that the Copeland and Shepard practice was gathering to itself an ever-acrossin; shire of the medical work of the city. These criticisms in the end only helped the work and determined Drs. Copeland and Shepard to con-tinue it until there was not a shadow of doubt left in the mind of any one regarding the mer-its and practicability of their plan and the benefits that the public might derive from its accomplishment.

GATARRH AND LA GRIPPE.

Nothing so surely invites La Grippe as the Catarrhal condition, and there is no more potent safeguard against this dangerons Influenza than proper and radical treatment of the Catarrhal condition that invites it. It is noticed every day by Drs. Copeland and Shepard that during the prevalence of La Grippe hardly one of their patients has been subject to it.

morning there will be preaching by Rev. F. Tonge of Omaha. In the evening the railway men, for whom the services of the entire day are especially arranged; will have a service opening with an organ voluntary by Miss Pike of Omaha. A song service will be led by the V. P. quartette. Railroad men, motormen and firemen especially invited.

Broadway Methodist Episcopal H. P. Dudicy, pastor. Subject of morning sermon, "The Good Samaritan." Evening. Temptation." Class meeting, 10. Sunday school, 12. Junior league, 4 p. m. Epworth league, 6:30 p. m.

No time for a millinery opening at Louis': but oh, such beautiful goods. 25 Main street.

Dr. A. J. Cook, Grand hotel annex. Special attention to diseases of rectum.

Delegates Returned.

The regular meeting of Fidelity council, Royal Arcanum, was held Friday evening. The delegates who attended the state convention at Clinton were present, and gave a report of the doings there. They reported a most enthusiastic time, and Coancil Bluffs came in for a generous share of the honors.

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LOW RATES.

CATARRH AND ALL CURABLE DISEAS-ES TREATED AT LOW AND UNIFORM RATES-MEDICINES FREE, PATIENTS AT A DISTANCE SUCCESSFULLY TREATED BY MAIL SEND FOR SYMPTOM BLANK

Last September Evangelists Boyer and Mo-chinacy conducted revival meetings it the First Christian church in this city.

The ability and fame of these gifted men at-tracted throngs of people to their meetings, and those who heard the rich vales of Evan-gelist McCinsky in the melody of sacred song will road with interest the subjoined brief but



"It began taking treatment of Drs Copleiand and Shep rd, a short time ago, for catarrhal sore throat, and not with standing the fact that I sang every day and evening during the time, they have entirely releved the soreness, and also strengthened my vocal powers. I commend the treatment for the rement I have obtained. I have found it most beneficial. It has made my singing caser and left me much better afterward. I do not inestate to recommend the treatment as "eling helpful to mose, throat and chest."

A FRIEND TOLD HER.

"I went to the Cope and Medical Lestitute there to the poseciase a friend who had been cured there to do not be seen to see The speaker was Miss Time Leutzinger, 344 Bro.dway. On not Rhaffs, In. Her father, Jacob Leutzinger is the well known and popular baker, who for 25 years has fed the hunery with the choice products of his oven and has as large an acquaintance as any man in Comeil Bluffs. "When I began treatment," combined Miss Time, "I was wrethed indeed. My headache was frightful—paining me all the time, I

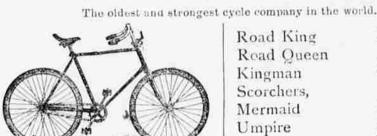


could scarcely sleep at all. My stomach was seek and I d d not know what an appetite was. seek and I did not know what in appetite was. It awking and spitting to keep may throat clear was constant. I had to do it to keep from strangling. I was along in every way and feld that my whole system needed a thorough overhauding. When Ir. Shepara began his local and general treatment I got relief. I tell you it was a great event in my life when that terrible neuragia left my head and I began to call and enjoy health life other people. gan to eat and enjoy beatth like other people. Every sign of extarrh is general in fact Lam all right in every way, and eannot say enough for the treatment that made me sc."



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House and lot for sale. No. 1813 Fifth a venue linguise of J. P. Christian, C & R. L. freight house. A CHANCE for right man to collect, solicit, and deliver goods. Wages \$12 a week, and profits divided every 9d days, in stock company. Must buy is shares stock. Address J. W. Morse, Room 5, Everett block, Council Biuffs.

COUNCIL BLUFFS. FOR RENT-The Mergen hotel at 1017 south Mala

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A har RACTS and loans. Farm and city property bought and sold. Pussy & Thomas, Council Buffs. FOR SALE—Two mice cottage houses on Avenue Go, near 79th street; six rooms, buy window, closets and pantry; large lot water in yard. Will take a small payment down and balance in installments. Louges & lowie, 255 Pearl street, Council Bluds.

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