38c each

Gent's 50c and 75c Silk Four-in-hand Ties to be closed out at

25c each

Gent's Half Hose

regular price 12tc for this sale 61-2c pair

N. B. FALCONER **Half Price Sale**

There are \$50,000 worth of goods that we have determined to close out and to make sure of doing so we will sell them at half price. All half price goods will be placed on the counters and tables.

This sale will commence Monday and will be for CASH ONLY.

15c

25c

33c

12½c

62½c

75c

62½c

Ladies' New Shirt Waists worth from \$1.25 to \$1.75 for this sale

50c each

Ladies' Wrappers

all colors; sizes 32 to 42; regular price \$1.50, for this sale

75c each

Ladies' White Lawn

Wrappers; regular price \$3.00 for this sale \$1.48 each

Ladies' fine full fashioned white gauze MERINO VESTS and PANTS

15 cents each

LADIES' REAL KID GLOVES

4-button lengths in dressed and sueds, all shades and sizes worth from \$1.00 to \$1.75, for this sale

48 cents pair

All our 25c paper novels including Coin's Financial School will be closed out at

5 cents each

The best yard wide Unbleached Muslin

5 cents a yard

A line of

DRESS TRIMMINGS

in black and colors; regular price 50c. for this sale

5 cents yard

100 TRIMMED HATS

worth from \$4.00 to \$5.00 for

\$1.00 each

\$1.50 SATIN PARASOLS for 75c

\$2.75 Genuine Marseilles Bed Spreads \$1.58

5c Japanese and Palm Fans at 2c each

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antique finish, for

Black Goods . .

50c all wool Black French

65c all wool Black Storm Serge for.....

25c Figured Nuns' Veiling

\$1.25 all wool Storm Serge,

\$1.50 Priestley's all wool

\$1.25 Priestley's all wool

\$2,25 Priestley's Silk Warp

\$2.50 Priestley's Surah Twill

52-in, for.....

Novelty Weaves for

Nun's Veiling for.....

\$3.00 Black Crepons for \$1.50

Melrose for \$1.12

for..... \$1.25

Serge for

20e Percaline Lining for	10c
20c Silesia, all colors, for	100
20e Imitation Hair Cloth for	10c
35c Satin Finish Waist Lining for	1710
30 Rustle Taffeta Skirt Lining, Moire	150

Silks

22¦0
500
50c
290
500
75 c
19c

COLORED Dress Goods

45c all wool French Challies

\$1.00 Novelty Dress Materials

65c all wool Storm Serge,

\$1.25 all wool Crepons for

\$1.00 all wool Cream Crepon

for......

58c all wool Cream Albatross

\$1.00 all wool Henriettas

50c all wool Novelty Mix-

for

tures for.....

\$15.00 Imported High Novelty Dress Patterns for \$7.50

(Navy Blues only) for.

FAST BLACK HOSE

Ladies' fine full fashioned

regular price 25c, for this sale

12 1-2 cents pair

LADIES' SILK GLOVES

all colors and sizes; worth from 75c to \$1.00 will be closed out at

19 cents pair

Close Woven Hammocks

69 cents each

All our

221c

50c

33c

621c

50c

29c

50c

25c

Pure Linen Duck

in checks and stripes; regular price 60c, now

25 cents yard

31-inch plain

CHINA DRAPERY SILK

regular price 50c, for this sale

25 cents yard

ODD SHADES

best goods made; regular price 65c, for this sale

32 cents

\$2.00 CORSETS for 98c

5000 yards Best Comfort Calico at 1c yard

25c and 35c Purses for 5c each

N. B. Falconer, 1505-7-9

PENITENTIARY MUDDLE GETTING WORSE

Governor Holcomb and Auditor Moore Agree that it Would He Unwise to Permit the Funds to Be Drawn Out at Present.

LINCOLN, July 6 .- (Special.)-The Bill Dorgan penitentiary muddle still continues a muddle of the mudiest description. Today Abraham's farm in Douglas county. Frank M. Cook, cashier of the First National bank of this city, signed the supersedcas bond for \$7,500 for the Illinois national banks which are attempting to hold up Dorgan for money alleged to be owing by him to C. W. Mosher, and it was filed in the district court It was understood that the Farmers and Merchants National bank of Galva, Ill., one of the plaintiffs, put up the cash in the hands of officers of the First National of Lincoln before Cashier Cook would sign the bond. There has been strong presure brought to bear on State Auditor Eugene Moore to induce him to issue the warrant for \$33,408.90 to Dorgan. Attorney General Churchill, by his deputy, Williamson Summers, has advised be perfectly safe to turn over the warrant. On the contrary, a great many of the personal friends of the auditor, including at

him not to do so.

Today there was a meeting of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings in regard to the matter, at which Auditor Moore was present. Arguments were advanced to induce him to yield, but he remained firm. Subse-quently Auditor Moore had an interview with Governor Helcomb. at which Governor Holcomb, at which they both agreed that it would not be safe to give Dorgan the warrant. There is strong talk now of proving heavy damages to the state by the action of the Illinois banks and suing for a good round portion of the \$7,500 bond filed

Governor Holcomb has not yet replied to the letter from the Board of Public Lands and Buildings, in which it points out the clause in the bill to buy out Dorgan, making him the officer to eject Dorgan should such a step

LINCOLN PROPERTY VALUES. According to figures furnished by Deputy County Clerk Wells the real estate and per-sonal property in Lincoln has been increased, while that of Lancaster county has been de-creased about \$300,000. The following table arranged to show the valuations for 1894

| 2875 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 1895 | 620,933 2,964,729 1,274,606 \$19,372,784 \$10,401,859 IN DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Tibbetts of the district court has handed down a decision finding that President Perkins of the Burlington road is entitled to a half interest in the Hilldale property, now in the name of the estate of A. E. Touzalin. It was denied by the lat-ter's executors that he had any claim to it. The court finds from the evidence that he furnished half the money for the original purchase and is entitled to a decree of par-

This morning the district court granted William Barr a new trial of the Post case. Mrs. Post secured a \$3,000 verdict for dam-Mrs. Post secured a \$3,000 verdict for damages alleged to have been sustained by her in a fight with Barr over the possession of the key to the Barr block, of which she was the housekeeper and Barr the owner. Excessive damages are the grounds asked for a new trial, together with new testimony said to have been discovered.

Maud Shugart recently recovered \$4,000 damages against the Lincoln Street Railway company, incurred in a fail caused by her dress catching on a protruding bolt in the floor of one of that company's cars. The

State Treasurer Bartley has received a but fifteen is a more conservative estimate. check for \$21,000 for the State university from Washington, money appropriated under the enabling act. It was turned over to J. S. Dales of the university.

system of sewerage construction by that city, which, he claimed, ran into Rawhide creek and defiled it. Rawhide creek crosses pollution, he claims, makes it impossible for him to cut ice from the stream, and in other ways damages his farm. In the district court of the Sixth judicial district the city of Fremont defeated Abraham. He sued for a restraining order, compelling the city to divert its sewerage elsewhere.

OMAHA PEOPLE IN LINCOLN. At the Lindell: J. R. Hall, H. Rosenzweig. Lincoin: A. B. Schmidt, George H. Lyons, R. W. Breckinridge, C. A. Baldwin, Charles R. Clapp, John E. Hopkins.

COSTS OF THE BARRETT SCOTT CASE Efforts Being Made to Avoid Paying the Witness Fees.

BUTTE, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.) - District Moore that under the circumstances it would court adjourned Wednesday after having been in session for one month. Although Judge Kinkaid made every effort possible to clear up the civil docket a number of cases torneys in Lincoln and Omaha, have advised had to go over until the fall term for lack of time in which to try them.

The Scott case was again resurrected during the closing hours of the term by a motion of County Attorney Wills, who sought, by means of the correction of a journal entry, to evade the payment by Boyd county of the per diem and mileage of about forty-five witnesses who were subpoensed on the part of the defense. Attorneys Harrington and Golden filed an affidavit at the commence-ment of the case asking for "compulsory process" for the defendants' witnesses, the order was issued by the court, but Mr. Wills set up in his motion that Mr. Harrington had not stated in his affidavit that the defendants were unable to pay the per diem and mileage of their witnesses and therefrom these costs, amounting to nearly \$1,000, should not be borne by Boyd county. The court stated that in the absence of Har rington and the witnesses it would be unfair to take up the matter at this time and continued the motion until the next term.

Owing to the fact that there was no money in the county treasury to pay the claims of was made whereby the county con fessed judgment to the amount of claims, some \$1,200 in all, and a special levy will be made to meet these judgments. costs in the Scott case have not yet b footed up, but will be about \$8,000.

Cut Teachers' Salaries. ORD, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.)-The Ord school district met Tuesday and organized

for the coming year with J. A. Patton president and M. Coombs secretary. The board made a small cut in the salaries of the entitled "The Chaperon" was A play entitled "The Chaperon" was given by the ladies of the Episcopal church

Wednesday evening in the opera hos a large audience. It was very we It was very well rendered and about \$30 was realized Valley county mortgage indebtedness for June is as follows: Number of farm mortgages filed, sixteen, \$10.418; released, seven \$2,780; city mortgages filed, four, \$1,215; re-leased, one, \$260; chattel mortgages filed, 116, \$19,725; released, twenty-four, \$5,447;

Corn Well Milwaneed.

FREMONT, July 6 .- (Special.) -- The hot weather and winds of the past few days to Denver firms, has been stopped by City have dried up the pastures and lawns quite many, incurred in a fall caused by her badly. Corn is reported as looking well, and also from shipping two carloads of mate-ma catching on a protroding bolt in the Barly corn is beginning to tassel out, while rial ready for shipment. The track is held or of one of that company's cars. The late corn is backward. There were showers by the city for delinquent taxes, amounting

NO WARRANT FOR DORGAN

district court tells her she must be satisfied with \$1,500, and if she will not accept it a new trial will be ordered.

Unlikely that the Money Will Be Turned Cver Scon.

Deputy Sheriff Rosenzweig of Douglas county secured a requisition from the governor's office today on the governor of Missouri for Michael M. Riley. Riley is under arrest in Missouri on a charge of adultery committed in Omaha.

PENITENTIARY MUDDLE GETTING WORSE

Wednesday afternoon and evening in the with \$1,500, and if she will not accept it a northern and western part of the county, and crops are looking better there than around Fremont. Oats will make a fair crop. Some fields will be harvested next week. The condition of the oat crop is much better in this county than across the river in Saunders county. Early beets are "laid away," the plants fully covering the collect taxes for eight years in advance. The matter will come up before the city council week. The condition of the oat crop is much better in this county than across the river in Saunders county. Early beets are "laid away," the plants fully covering the Elkhorn river this afternoon to construct the county of the county taxes for eight years in advance. The matter will come up before the city council week. The condition of the oat crop is much better in this county than across the river in Saunders county. Early beets are "laid away," the plants fully covering the county taxes for eight years in advance. The matter will come up before the city council week. The condition of the oat crop is much better in this county than across the river in Saunders county. Early beets are "laid away," the plants fully covering the county taxes for eight years in advance.

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Young Valley. A number of the county taxes for eight

Affairs at Schuyler. SCHUYLER, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.)-There was an unusually large crowd here the The case of John M. Abraham against the Fourth, but there was a lack of enthusiasm. City of Fremont et al., has reached the The day passed without accident or turmoil me court on appeal. Abraham sued the of any sort. The address of W. D. Oldham city of Fremont for damages arising from a of Kearney was well received. The afternoon races were a success. The ball game between the Schuyler and Hayden Bros. teams was almost wholly devoid of interest and full of poor playing; score, 16 to 9 in favor of Schuyler. The balloon ascensions did not materialize, three attempts to get the big bag to go up having failed, and the fireworks

vere a very ordinary lot.

J. S. Dingman, formerly night operator at the Union Pacific depot here, now of Fre-mont, is spending a short vacation with friends in Schuyler. Frank Naidel will conduct a Bohemian chool here during the summer. Walter Bradford, who has been west for some months bridge building on an Oregon line, is at home for a few days before he will take up work of repairing for the B.

Instead of M. T. Grassman succeeding Mr. Folda in the management of the Schuyler base ball team, the honor was conferred upon The school board for this year has or-ganized. J. W. Stewart was continued in

the presidency. C. W. Hrubesky was elected secretary, vice J. E. Arnold. Hrubesky is the only new member of the board, succeeding Wright. Immediately upon organization balloting for superintendent was begun, four-teen ballots being taken without avail. S. W. Miller received three, J. S. Van Eaton two, and at times there were one or more votes for Burkett of Seward and McVey of Central City. At a later meeting of the board Mr. Burkett was elected principal. The fol-lowing members of the corps of fourteen teachers have been elected: Evelyn Washteachers have been elected: Evelyn Wash-burn, Judah Howard, Claire Cook, Marian Vest, Minerva Spurgeon, Emma Zerzan and Carrie Brigham.

P. M. Longwith was buried Thursday morning at 9. He leaves a wife and five children. Ashland Brevities.

ASHLAND, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.)-Numbers of people come from Lincoln to fish here and have good luck, as they go away with large strings. This is said to be the best fishing grounds in the state. If seining could be stopped by the state au-thorities many more would be left. An indication of the large crop of small grain almost ready for harvest is the number of binders and reapers sold. No less than fifty have been sold here. The crop will be very large. As Ashland is a dry town, no liquor being

by a license saloon, a "social club" been running for several weeks, and another will be opened soon.

The man supposed to be a detective trying to catch men seining in Salt creek was hit on the leg with a rock by some unknown party. He was sent to his home in Lincoln. Howard County's Magnificent Crops.

ST. PAUL, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.)-Next week harvest will be commenced in earnest in Howard county. Wheat and rve are somewhat thin on the ground, but well filled will not be much below average. Oats have a fine stand in most places and promise a full average yield. A few places have been slightly damaged by . Corn has made good progress during last week of warm weather, but many fields are very weedy and backward. A good rain within the coming week would be bene-ficial for corn and grass.

HASTINGS, July 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Citizens' Street Rallway company which recently sold its tracks and material Attorney Bower from taking up the track

and women were bathing in the river. Miss into deep water was drowned before any of the bathers could reach her. The body not yet been recovered.

She was in bathing in company with Miss Anna Agee of this place and Miss Mattle Schaffer of Schuyler. A searching party of nearly 100 went out and recovered the body

at 10:15. Horrible Death of a Boy. YORK, Neb., July 6,-(Special Telegram.) Frank A. Smith, a young son of James H Smith, who resides about nine miles south of this city, was killed yesterday. Young Smith had been plowing and unhitched his team at neon. It is supposed that he had attempted to ride a horse and was thrown. In falling Smith was thrown over a barb wire fence an his foot became entangled in the harness. He about the body by the wire. He lived about

two hours. Demise of Charles W. Bray. SYRACUSE, Neb., July 6 .- (Special Telegram)-Charles W. Bray died at his residence here at 10 o'clock this morning of tuberculosis. He was born in Ontario county, New York, 1832, and came here in He acquired quite an estate, among which are several well improved farms. He was a member of the Church of Latter Day Saints. He leaves a wife and three grand-The funeral takes place Monday

at 3 o'clock. Dodge County News. FREMONT, July 6.—(Special.)—Judges Marshall and Sullivan of the district court have appointed Dr. N. H. Brown and J. E. Frick of this city commissioners of insantly

The coroner held an inquest last evening on the body of Mrs. Basler, who was run over by the train at Hooper. After hearing the testimony the coroner's jury brought in a verdict exonerating all employes of the railroad company from blame.

David City Criminals Sentenced, DAVID CITY, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.) Judge Wheeler held a session of the district court this morning and sentenced James Morris and Frank Watson, charged with burglary, to one year each in the penitentiary. Charles Elston, charged with adultery, was given six months in jail, and Mrs. Hattie Sewell, his partner in crime. received a sentence of five days in jail. All parties pleaded guifty.

Robbed a Saloon Keeper. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 6 .- (Specia).) During a fight which occurred in George Ganz's saloon Thursday some one stepped behind the bar and took a box containing about

\$75 and escaped. Miss Happy Van Wyck last evening entertained a large party of Nebraska City young people at the elegant, home of her parents. The evening passed in dancing and other musementa. Farmer Tired of Life. HASTINGS, July 6,-(Special Telegram.)-

him to attempt to take his life. BEATRICE, July 6 .- (Special.)-C. W Clements, Hving near Ellis, in this county.

Frank Johnson, a farmer living near Hansen,

attempted to commit suicide yesterday by

married.

The new board then elected officers for next year as follows: Conductor, Rev. Willard Scott; president, C. C. White, vice president, M. S. Welch; secretary, George Baldwin; treasurer, John T. Tidball. Prof. Graham Taylor's second lecture on

ing, "Awake Saturnia," by Handel, "Calm as the Night," by Bohm, and a group of four short selections by Schumann were favorite numbers with the audience. Ton-Year-Old Boy Uses a Knife. FAIRMONT, Neb., July 6 .- (Special.)-Yesterday afternoon Warren Derrance and

rance with a knife in the thigh. The boy is laid up this morning unable to walk. The boys are about 10 years old. Fine Prospects for Cora-RED CLOUD, Neb., July 6,-(Special.)-Four and eighteen-hundredths inches of rain fell here last night. Corn is in the very best

Ward Prescott got into a quarrel over some

green apples. The Prescott boy struck Der-

REMARKABLE SURGERY.

Huge Sliver Removed from the Skull of an Oh'o Man. Among the celebrated cases in surgical annals that of Louis G. Smith of Harrison, O., will certainly take a prominent place. No man ever survived such a peculiar injury as befell Smith, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, and the medical men interested in the case can ascribe his escape from death only to a

freak of fate or to a cause beyond human On May 9 last Smith, who is a wagon maker, and has his shop on the old General John McMakin farm, about two miles east of Harrison, was engaged in cutting an oak log, using a circular saw, propelled by a small steam engine. The log was water-soaked in parts, and the work of cutting it proved very difficult. When the saw had plowed through about one quarter of its length, Smith stooped over in his effort to

It was then that an ominous swish of the

push the log harder against it.

saw was heard—a crack—and the next instant Smith fell to the ground with blood spurting from his nose. Fortunately he did not lose consciousness, and his cries for help soon brought his family to his assistance. He was picked up, carried into his dwelling, which adjoins the shop, and a physician speedily summoned. The medical gentleman who responded to the call found by his superficial examination that a large piece of wood had probably struck Smith on the nose, lacerating it out of all semblance to that organ. The bridge was broken, and particles of bone protruded, but the injury did not seem irreparable to the physician. After the particles of broken bone had been removed the wound was dressed, and in a few days stitched up. The wound gave every indication of healing entirely. indication of healing entirely. Days and weeks passed, however, and from slight pains, gradually increasing, Smith began to suffer agony beyond the power of opiates to temporize. Then the most dreadful of all symptoms, namely, lock-jaw, set in, and be-

fore nightfall became a verity. The jaw became fixed and rigid, and death in its most awful form stared the patient in the face. For four long days Smith fought the grim battle, and at last came out of it victorious, but almost a shadow of his former self. At this functure Dr. O. W. Grubbs of Har-rison was called into the case. His diagnosis was that some foreign body had found lodgment in the wound, and was proving the dis-turbing element. Acting upon this theory he reopened the wound itself. After the incision was made the probe was introduced cutting himself from ear to ear. He was and upon being withdrawn showed particles given proper care in good time and will surof wood adhering. Upon this hint the doctor vive. He has had a great deal of sickness cut deeper, and soon struck upon a firm and trouble lately, and on July 4 lost a valua-ble horse, which is thought to have caused serted a pair of pinchers, and grasping the object firmly, began to pull it out. It proved to be an oak splinter, which after being measured proved to be three and

and one-eighth of an inch thick.

The problem which next pre-The problem which next presented itself was how the man escaped death from the was adjudged insane today and will be sent penetration of such a sized splinter through a region strewn with vital points. The only to the State hospital as soon as room can be rational explanation that can be offered is rational explanation that can be offered in that the wood had been driven in at such an angle as to miraculously avoid these dangerous Points and lodge in the cavity lying met this afternoon and elected F. I. Foss and had simply penetrated the soft palate.

Brad D. Slaughter, to William C. Gamble of Hard. A very charming program was enacted The ceremony was performed by Rev. William B. Slaughter of Chicago, at ments. the residence of the bride's parents. The rooms were handsomely decorated for the secasion with smilax, sweet peas and carnations. In the alcove of the drawing room was a floral altar. The bridal procession was headed by Miss Toote Kent, bearing the ring on a satin cushion, attended by Master Denton Slaughter. Misses Alice Slaughter and bers. The next house of representatives at Nettie Gamble preceded the bride. His best Washington, exclusive of territorial deleman, Mr. Will McCune of Omaha, accom- gates, will consist of 356 members. The panied Mr. Gamble. The bride wore a English Parliament consists of 680 memautiful crepe gown, and was escorted to the altar by her father. The Methodist marriage ervice was used, and the Mendelssohn wed ding march was rendered by Miss Parker and Web Wheeler. A reception followed the ceremony, at which were present, among Welsh. others: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Slaughter of Los Angeles, Cal.; Hon, George D. Meiklejohn and Mr. Frank M. Penny of Fullerton; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Weller and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Baker, Mr and Mrs. Dave Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. J.

W. McCune and daughter, Mesars. Will McCune, Samuel Gamble, T. W. Robinson, Miss Nellie Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Kent and daughter of Omaha, Miss Nellie Post of Columbus, Mayor Graham and Mrs. Gosper, Messrs. and Mesdames C. H. Gere, Dent G. Dorsey, A. M. Davis, J. E. Hill, John M. Burks, J. J. Imhoff, W. H. Clarke, J. R. Friedenberg, H. C. Hartley, W. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Ruth Lumry, Mrs. Sewell and daughter, Misses Grace and Bertie Burke Cora Outcalt, Brugson, Nella Cochran, Messra. G. M. Lambertson, C. M. Parker and daughter, Mrs. Weaver and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Gamble left for Chicago, where

take the steamer for Duluth and go to Buffalo by way of the lakes. They will be at home in Omaha after September 1. At Meadow Brook farm, south of the city Mattson Baldwin entertained a company friends on the afternoon and evening of the Fourth. On this festive occasion the heautiful farm was doubly attractive. Mr. Buldwin is erecting a club house, not yet completed, but it was utilized by the guests. There were hammocks, a grateful shade and merry com pany. A Lountiful supper was ser ed in the fireworks. There were present: Maisrs and Mesdames S. E. Moore, N. O. Brock, F. W. Baldwie, Gorge J. Woods, W. D. Robinson, Mrs. Et'a Brock, W. F. Meyer, Ray Chap-man, James and Erpest Smyrer, C. P. A. Clough, Stephen Brock, Miss Florence Rinchart of Latsyette, Olive Latta, Marie Mar shall, Mame Carson, Helen Hoover, Henrietta Hawley and Mrs. Griffith.

Thomas Darnell and family are attending the Crete Chautauqua assembly.
On Wednesday Prof. H. B. Ward of the State university left for the interior of iowa, where he joins Mrs. Ward, going from thence On Thursday Miss L. B. Loomis left for

Colorado. At Colorad. Springs she will spend the summer in attendance upon the noted summer school of that place. R. J. Greene and L. W. Billingsley are in Miss Marie Hoover is visiting in St. Paul.

Mrs. L. A. Sherman and daughter are visiting in Denver. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris and children ar rusticating in Minnesota. Miss Rowena Higginson of Omaha is the guest of Miss Jennie Lansing, Miss Henrietta Hollowbush is entertaining Miss Grace Castle of Jacksonville, Ill

Mrs. R. W. Johnson and children are visit

Harry Hermance is in Pittsfield, Mass.

ing friends in Syracuse Mrs. A. C. Cline of Toledo is visiting her three-fourths inches in length, an inch wide sister, Mrs. A. A. Talbot. Miss Alice Bossleman of Chicago is visiting Miss Julia Doweese. T. F. A. Williams teft Monday for a two weeks' visit in Shelby, Iz.

Miss Ada Gregg of Kanzas City, formerly of Lincoln, is visiting Miss Helen Welch. There was a large crowd in attendance last evening at the reception given by the ladies of Farragut Relief corpa No. 10 to the department officers of the Woman's Relief take place here July 10.

LINCOLN, July 6.—(Special.)—The event of the week was the marriage of Miss Bertha Grace Slaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Brad D. Slaughter to William C. Gamble of Standard D. Slaughter to William C. Gamble of Mrs.

LAW MAKING BODIES.

Basis of Representation in the Logislatures of the World.

The recently elected Itelian Chamber of Deputies consists of 534 members. The present German Reichstag consists of 393 members, including those elected in Ireland and Scotland, as well as those elected in England. Of these members 465 are chosen English constituencies, 103 from constituencies, seventy-two from Scotch and thirty Welsh. The French Chamber of Deputies consists of 622 members.

It appears from these figures, says the New York Sun, that although popular control over the choice of representatives is most general in the United States, the lower house of congress is a smaller body than the popu-lar branch of the legislature of Great Britain, Germany, France or Italy. The Bel-gian Parliament, prior to the extension of universal suffrage and the adoption of the multiple system of voting, consisted of 124 members, the number varying according to the number of qualified electors in each dis-trict. The Hungarian House of Magnates consists of 735 members, and the Hungarian House of Representatives of 445. The Dutch Parliament is constructed on the basis of one deputy for every 45,000 of population. The representation of all the Swiss cantons in

the national council is 135.

In the choice of representatives few European governments conform with the American plan of selecting representatives on the basis of voters only. In England, for in-stance, where the right of suffrage has been extended to the point of being almost uniextended to the point of being almost universal, or manhood suffrage, as it is called in the United States, nine university districts continue to have representation as such, and the divisional lines of parliamentary districts are such that the representation is unequal, being largest proportion-ately in the country and smallest in the pany. A bountiful supper was set "4" in the urban districts. The basis of representation evening, iolicided by a brilliant display of in the United States has varied from time fireworks. There were present: Malers and to time. The ratio of representation per Mesdames S. E. Moore, N. O. Brock, F. W. population was 30,000 under the first apportionment. It rose gradually under successive apportionments until 1843, when it was put at 70,000. In 1853 it jumped to 92,000, and in 1863 to 127,000. From that figure it grew gradually until 1883, when it was 151,000. The present basis of representation is materially higher—173,901. Congress fixes the number of members which each state shall have, but the subsequent subdivision, based on the preceding national census, is made by the state legislature. The rule of equality of division is not very well preserved, though an effort to follow it is shown generally. The First congressional district of Texas has a population of 120,000; the Second congressional district of Texas has a population of 210,000. That is a flagrant and exceptional inequality. Nevada has a representative in congress for 45,000 inhabitants. In New York state the district having the largest population is the Fourteenth, now repre-sented by Congressman Quigg. The Fourth district of Pennsylvania, one of the strongest republican districts of the country, had by the last census a population of 209,000. Ohio had only one district with more than 200,000 luhubitants. Twelve of the thirteen districts of Massachusetts have 170,000 population or

a fraction more.

His Injuries Were Patal. BEATRICE, July 6 .- (Special Telegram.) --Phillip Gascoign, who was injured by a bull vesterday, diel from the effects at 11 o'clock this morning. The deceased was 77 years old. The funeral will occur at the late resitwo miles southeast of the city, at 3

Omaha Man to He Wed at Milwankee, MILWAUKEE, July 6 .- (Special Telegram.) -The marriage of William Brennan of South Omaha and Alice Dernin of this city will