### TO SWELL CHAFFEE'S BOOM

Water Works Forces Become an Adjunct in the Mayoralty Race.

ROLL TEMPORARILY INCREASED

Many New Names Added and Much Activity Entered Upon Just Prior to the Holding of Republican Primary Elections.

Another waterspout is expected to engulf today's primaries. The force employed by the water works company in digging the ditches preparatory to the laying of the new mains has become identified. The local contingent has been expanded during the last few days until now it comprises a small army in itself. | theater to its capacity. If any went in fear It will be remembered that just previous to the last republican primaries over a week ago abroad of late concerning the popular playthe last republican primaries over a week ago
the same phenomenon of a sudden increase
in the number of water works employes was
observed. The men in the ditches on that
day were asked in what ward they voted and
they were given their time and supplied with
transportation to and from the polls for the transportation to and from the polls for the purpose of voting for the water works candidate for the nomination for clerk of the district court.

After the county primaries the force of employes was slightly reduced, to be again added to as the next primary approached. Day before yesterday there were about 300 covered to the audience one of the old-time men on the pay roll. Yesterday an additional fifty were put on, and how many new ones will be taken on today will probably depend upon the outlook for Chaffee, the candidate for mayor who is being favored by the water works. Streets everywhere are torn up and new ditches are opened before the old ones are of the play. closed. Dougles street between Sixteenth and Elghteenth was one of the points of attack yesterday, and during the afternoon twenty-six men were counted engaged in digging the trench for less than a half block. All of these men will, it is said, be voted today at least once. The success of the water works candidate in the county convention has emboldened the managers to repeat the tactics The opposing candidates, however, have caught the grounds for the employment of this political army and the challenges at the primaries promise to be legion. Indeed, it will not be surprising if arrests are made for violations of the primary election laws.

HAD ALL SORTS OF DISORDER Opposition in the Seventh to Chaffee's Delegates to Convention.

two rival sets of delegates wanting the support of the club at today's republican primaries. Several days ago the club selected Clarence L. Chaffeo to name the delegates from the Seventh ward. He chose C. F. Beindorf, J. W. Eiler, B. F. Thomas, John Stone, George Stryker, Louis Peterson, John Grant. H. H. Baldrige and Gorge Sabine. A. E. Baldwin met Mr. Chaffee some time and asked him the names he had selected. but as he was given but small audience by Mr. Chaffee, he immediately decided he would not play in Chaffee's back yard, and would none of his delegates. He then proceeded to get up a select list of his own choosing, placed it on file with the central committee, and sprung it at the club shortly after the season had opened. His surprise party evoked a storm of disapproval from the members of the club. John Steel secured floor above the tumult and moved that Chaffee's delegates be endorsed. The antion was lost in the din raised by the aution was lost in the din raised by the partly restored Charles Haller rose and sat upon Chaffee's delegates most emphatically. He said there was no reason why Mr. Chaffee should have the entire right to do all the selecting, and would like to have a finger in the pie himself. He moved that the names of Mr. Baldwin's delegates be fead and voted upon by the club. After some fead and voted upon by the club. After some fead and voted upon by the club. After some with a distant view of the snowy with a distant view of the snowy although one with a fair amount of cleverness, were re-demanded, and Mr. Hoyt, in response to a universal desire, made speeches by a little talk before the curtain, in which he disclaimed any intention to meddle with purely local politics, a declaration particularly opportune in the present piping times. The piece is exquisitely put on, the last thanks of the association are due the officials of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad for courtesies extended on that occasion. tium reigned supreme, Judge Eller sucmoved that Mr. Chaffee's selection of men be endorsed. He was seconded by Mr. Bald-ridge and by J. E. Powers. When the chairman's voice was at length heard he the question to vote by suggesting that the rival delegates and their followers take op-posite sides of the hall, and that the club would go with the majority. There was a wild scramble over chairs for a few minutes, and finally it was seen that Mr. Bald-win and his men were in the minority. Mr. Baidwin left, avowing that he would put up a large sized fight at the polls on the morrow, and with sundry head shakings the club

Scott and His Bills.

There was one man in the audience at Patterson hall last night that Judge Scott didn't want to see. The judge was billed to talk before the Swedish Republican club and about 100 people turned out to hear him. His speech was different from his usual titades that have disgusted audiences in every ward in the city. Instead of abusing other people he became beggar on his account and pleaded for votes. He told what a good man he was. He said he had lived for 62 years and had never done a dishonorable act. He traced his record for years, shrewdly depopulate the relate that wouldn't sound wall act. He traced his record for years, shrewdly dropping the pointe that wouldn't sound well, and told his auditnoe that if he were relected he would continue to make them a good, honest, upright, capable, merciful, just, square judge, just as he had in the past.

Then Scott put in a word for the rest of the dervish ticket. "No man," said he, "can point to any one of the candidates named by the republicane for judges of the district court and say that they are not clean men. court and say that they are not clean men Rosewater says I am not a clean man, but

"He did not lie; he told the truth," shouted Gustav Andreen, the well known safe manu-facturer, who had a seat in the rear of the

Then Scott's ire got possession of him attrely. He frothed at the mouth and deentirely. He frothed at the mouth and declared that he wanted the man kept still or depot, Fifteenth and Webster streets, or put out of the hall. Chairman Johnson THOMAS F. GODFREY. said he wanted no personalities, but Scott wouldn't have it that way. He was going to answer Mr. Andreen. He went on to say that he did not owe Mr. Andreen any bill for shutters or steps furnished for his building on Thirteenth street. He had paid the architect. the architect, and if Mr. Andreen had any steps or shutters on the building he could go and take them off. "He can sue me in a court of justice," shouted Scott, "and I'll waive the statute of limitations and the summers and all."

"A judgment against you isn't worth anything," retorted Mr. Andreen, who was getting about as warm as the ranting colonel.

Scott demanded that Andreen be kept will be would leave the hell. still or he would leave the hall. The chair man, the secretary, the sergeant-at-arms and others of the club sought to keep Mr. Andreen quiet, and he finally decided to allow the circus to go on. Scott kept up the racket by saying that he owed no man a cent that would not pay if it were a just bill. He is too much of a republican to pay an unjust bill, and was altogether too honest with himself to refuse to pay a just bill. He kept up his talk until the audience tired of it and most of the hearers and spectators left the room before his harangue was finally

Had a Late Session.

There were a number of speakers scheduled to address the Second Ward Republican club last night at Fifteenth and Williams streets, but they failed to show up. Some few of the faithful, however, remained about the meeting place until 9:30 o'clock, when several speakers from the First ward meeting ar-

rived with a coterie of followers. I. S. Gordon of the First ward was the first speaker, but after announcing that he was one of the swarm of candidates for public office he retired and Ed Cornish took his place. Cornish was followed by Ikey Hascall. Both speakers spent considerable time in aimlessly scoring everything by the straight republican ticket. Dr. Hanchett spoke in much the same line. After he had finished a humber of candidates for the council an-nounced themselves and the meeting ad-

White Objects to It. J. A. White states that his name was put on the petition list of delegates from the

Third Ward Colored Republicans. The Third Ward Colored Republican club met in secret session at 402 North Twelfth street last night. All of the plans issued by the leaders were proposed and accepted.

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#### AMUSEMENTS.

Charles H. Hoyt has a host of admirers in Omaha, as he has everywhere, from the eastern to the western ocean, from the lakes to the guif, wherever the mildly satirical brand of plays is known with which his name was out in force last night, filling Boyd's lest the rumors which have been spread Woman" a plane superior to that which he had ever occupied before; that the familiar axe and scene-painter's brush had given place in his hands to the rapier and the camel's-hair pencil, and that the well-loved methods of the author's earlier successes had been discarded entirely and forever. All these largers and slarges heaver were discarded

"A Contented Woman" satirizes modern political methods, bestowing upon the question of woman suffrage the greater share of its attention. Like most of the abuses and follies which Mr. Hoyt attempts to laugh out of existence with the honest mirth excited by his plays, this one doubtless deserves the fate to which he would consign it. Women do not want to vote here in any alarming numbers, as witness certain recent school elections, where they might have done so and didn't. We hear of the antics of the strong-minded female elsewhere, but she and her cause do not form a live issue among us. Still, it is meet that she sould be ridiculed wherever she is found, for she is a pernicious growth. Mr. Hoyt, in directing toward her the polished shafts of his wit, has done the country a service, which, if it does not out-live in permanency the fame which he has There was a red hot fight on at the meet-ing of the Seventh Ward Republican club last night. It was caused by the presence of

"A Contented Woman" is said to have been written to suit the abilities of the beautiful wife of the author. Caroline Miskel Hoyt was enthusiastically received last night when she came through the parted draperies of the back and read her pretty line about the kindness of the people of "this town." It seems ungracious to speak in other than terms of praise of so lovely and radiant a being, but it is borne in upon one that her voice is not an agreeable one and that her acting leaves much to be desired. Her famous beauty of much to be desired. Her famous beauty of face and figure, however, seem to have been in no wise exaggerated by report and her costumes last night were of notable elegance. Frank Lane was warmly welcomed by his many friends in front, William H. Currie was liked as Benton Holme and George Ober added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening by his genuinely amusing work as the henpecked husband. Of the offerings of the ladies a clever if somewhat exaggerated piece of work was that of Mrs. Snyder as Aunt

does not remember to have seen the mour tains so very near to Denver as Mr Voegtlin has shown them.

"Human Hearts" at the Creighton, a play quite new to most of our theater goers, turned out an agreeable surprise. It is by no means the sensational melodrama that its somewhat lurid bill boards and the exciting nature of the plot as outlined would lead one to suppose, but a pure and sweet drama of human passions, which is presented by a company of competent players, most of whom are new to Omaha, but are none the less acceptable for that. "Human Hearts" is called in the bill "a tale of the Arkansas hills." The woes of Tom Logan, whose sterling character is powerfully portrayed by Mr. Hal Reid, the author of the play, are depicted in a manner not too melodramatic, but with many touches of genuine pathos, and he idville story is brought to a close in a manner which, if a trifle conventional, is eminently satisfactory to the human hearts which have followed its course with varied emotions. Bertha Belle Westbrook, who is Mrs. Reid in private life, shows herself an artist of excellent ability in the thankless role of Jeannette. William Robyns is clever as Jem Mason, William H. Smedley con-tributes an ingenious makeup and an amusng personality as Mose, and Walter G. Hor-on is sufficiently vallatious in a villain's part. The two Pearls, Effic and Mamie, do agreeable work in boy's attire. Mrs. Robyns brings tears to many eyes in her pathetic scene with the governor, and Mr. Armstrong s impressive as that tender hearted function-

"Human Hearts" is lavishly and appropriitely staged, and is altogether worth seeing.

Homeseckers' Excursions. Round trip tickets will be sold at very low rates by the Missouri Pacific railway on October 8 and 22 to points in Arkansas, Kansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana. For information, land pam-phlets, etc., call at company's offices, north-

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Assistant General Freight and Passenger

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Via the Wabash R. R. For the St. Louis fair and exposition the Wabash will sell at above rate October 5 to 12. On Tuesday evening, October 8, grand parade of the Veiled Prophet. For tickets and sleeping car accommodations call at Wasbash office, 1415 Farnam street, or at union depots, Omaha and Council Bluffs, or write

G. N. CLAYTON,
N. W. P. Agent,

Engineers Attention. There will be a regular meeting of division 88, B. of L. E., at the Royal Arcanum hall. between 13th and 14th on Douglas st., at 8 o'clock this p. m., to make arrangements for the funeral of our late brother. Thomas P. Armstrong. It is necessary that all brothers should attend

should attend. T. C. LIVINGSTON, C. E.

Welcome Ball. Welcome Ball.

Given by Omaha lodge No. 5 in honor of delegates to the second annual national convention of the Switchmen's Union of North America, Creighton hall, corner of Fifteenth and Harney streets, Monday evening, October 14, 1895. Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies, 50 cents.

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Excursions to Atlanta Exposition. Dering, 248 South Clark st., Chicago, mows all about them. He will cheerfully furnish information gratis. He represents the Pennsylvania Short Lines. Two delly trains from Chicago with through connection via Cincipnati and Chattanougo.

Eighth ward to the democratic city convention without his knowledge or consent. He says he will not be a candidate at the primaries.

Fifth Annual Meeting of Manufacturers and Consumers Association.

**ENCOURAGING REPORT OF THE SECRETARY** 

What Has Been Accomplished in the Past Year-Vacancies in State Hourd of Directors Filled-The Yearly Banquet.

The fifth annual meeting of the Omaha members of the Manufacturers and Consumers association was held yesterday afterthe association rooms in Bee building. The usual home industry lunch was spread and the members soon seated around were the tables. The first few minutes were given up to a critical examination of Nebrazka food products, the thirty manufacturers seated around the board doing full justice to the spread. The passing of cigars was the signal for the comencement of business. In the absence of E. P. Davis, the chairman

of the executive committee, L. M. Rheem was called to the chair and announced the object of the meeting.

O. C. Holmes, secretary of the association being called upon said: At the organization of the Manufacturers and Consumers Associa tion of Nebraska, for the purpose of advancing the cause of home industry, in September, 1891, it was freely

predicted by many that it would be a short-lived craze at best, and before two years had rolled around would go the way of most organizations of business men. Four years of successful life, however, has proved not only the usefulness of the associa-ion, but shows that Nebraska manufacturers are wide awake and public spirited business men, ready and willing to work together for the common good and for the building up and development of the manufacturing industries

of the state.

Our membership being distributed among large number of cities and towns, has had the effect of establishing friendly relations among the members, and this feeling has among the members, and this feeling has extended, in a large measure to other business interests to the advantage of all. I think it can be truthfully said that no such harmonious gatherings of business men have ever been seen in any state as our Home Ininstry banquets, given in various citles of

In a letter received some time ago from a ormer officer of our association, now located n Iowa, he remarked that the manufacturers f that state did not stand together like those of Nebraska, each one seeming to work for himself, and against every one else. He also expressed the hope that our organization might be exended to that state, as he be-lived it would be to the advantage of both. The work of the association during the past year has been along the same general lines as have been pursued in former years. Your secretary has done considerable work among

the retail merchants and jobbers in the wa the retail merchants and jobbers in the way of pushing the sale of Nebraska made goods the has also, whenever possible, induced builders to use materials made at home. The meetings of the state board of purchase and supplies have been regularly attended, and through the friendly action of this board many thousand of dollars of state money which was formerly spent abroad for supplies, now goes to home institutions and helps to furnish employment to Nebraska people, the state securing goods equal if not superior in quality and price to those bought in other markets.

ENTERTAINMENT OF BUSINESS MEN. One of the most successful Home Industry banquets we have ever given was tendered last December to the business men and their wives of Norfolk and vicinity. Over 500 Nebraska people sat down to tables loaded with Nebraska made goods and listened to Nebraska made speeches by a number of Nebraska's most eloquent speakers. A pleasing feature of this entertainment was that a coach load of members of our association from Omaha. Lincoln

Another most notable gathering, held under the auspices of the Manufacturers and Con-sumers association, was that of about 300 traveling representatives of Nebraska houses, who met in a three days' convention in Omaha last February. The sessions were all well attended and great interest was taken in the subjects under discussion, which all tended in the direction of loyalty to home institutions. The convention closed with on of our Home Industry banquets, held in the Omaha Guards' armory, which was partaken of by 500 knights of the grip, jobbers and manufacturers.

Last May, at the request of the domestic

economy department of the Women's club of Omaha, we gave the members of the club a practical demonstration of the excellence our food products, in the shape of a home industry lunch. Over 400 of the leading women of the city were present and voted unanimously to patronize home industry in

Last year, after the state fair, a slight misunderstanding occurred between the board of managers of the fair association and our directors, but I am glad to be able to report that all differences between the two associa-tions were afterwards settled to the entire satisfaction of both parties, and we were satisfaction of both parties, and we were given almost the entire space in manufacturers' hall at the state fair in Omaha for an exposition of Nebraska manufactured goods. The exhibits this year were better in many respects than any we have heretofore given, the only troubis being that the building was inadequate to the demands made upon it by exhibitors, nearly all being compelled to get along with about half the floor space they needed. Should we take part in the next fair a larger building will

part in the next fair a larger building will be almost an absolute necessity. My report shows that we have lost some members during the past year. A few who ought to have remained with us have withdrawn. Five have burned out. Three have gone out of business, and one has removed from the state. The largest number, however, are those who, from insufficient capital or other causes, have falled in business or have been unable to keep up their dues. When we consider the general business de-pression, from which all lines of business have suffered in the past three years, it is cause for congratulation that we have not

lost more, and that Nebraska manufacturers have weathered the storm as well as they have. As an association our income is still suffi-As an association our income is still sufficient to pay our expenses and to keep up the work without abatement, and with better-times money can be laid by for special work. The results of our work, I am sure, have been good. The banquets, the exposition and the constant agitation of the home industry idea have had their effect, and home made goods were never so popular as now.

It is well for us to remember, however, that no manufacturer can afford to make

that no manufacturer can afford to make poor goods and expect people to buy them out of pure patriotism. Our products should be kept up to the highest standard of excellence, and our prices as low as goods of the the same quality can be bought for elsewhere. Our motto is, "Price and quality being equal, give preference to Nebraska made goods." On this platform we can win and on no other do we deserve to succeed. In closing I wish, on behalf of the Manu-facturers and Consumers Association of Ne-braska to again acknowledge our obligations braska, to again acknowledge our obligations to the press of the state for the royal sup-port it has so generously accorded us. It has given us hundreds of columns of valuable space and has made possible whatever measure of success we have attained. FINANCIAL AND OTHER STATISTICS.

The financial report was as follows: Resources: Furniture and fixtures, \$340.59; labels, \$38; First National bank deposit, \$408.30; cash, 32.67; bills receivable, \$1,026.25; total, \$1.852.81.
Liabilities: Dues paid in advance, \$8 due salaries, \$95.05; profit and loss \$1,749.81 total, \$1.852.81.

During the past year twenty-four members of the association falled or went out of business and nineteen withdrew. The new members secured during the year have partly made up for the resignations, so that the net loss of the year amounts to only thirty. The present membership of the association is 135.

Wil.Kins—Charles, aged 72 years, 1 month, 9 days, October 10, 1895, father of Charles F, and Waiter B, Wilkins. Funeral Friday afterboba, October 11, 1895, at 2 o'clock, from H K, Burket's, 1818 Chloago street, to Forest Lawn cemetery.

KUEHN—Elsie, aged 9 months. Funeral from residence of parents, W. C. and Mary Kuehn, 88 South Twenty-third street, this afterboar at 2 o'clock. Funeral private.

entitled to six additional names on the state board of directors.

The following were then elected to fill the Other Roads Can't Figure Why the

vacancies: Mr. Huggins and Charles Black, one year; Gaylord Watson, R. F. Hodgin, Samuel Rees and Mr. Katz, three years. During the week the manufacturers of the state have been holding meetings. Lincoln reported the following as elected members of the board of directors: Leo H. Clark, Aaron Buckstaff, J. C. Harpham, W. J. Robinson and Mr. Becker. Nebraska City elected John W. Steinhart and Beatrice C. B. Dempster. Fremont will hold a meeting the last of the

This completes the state board of directors. The president of the association, J. C. Harpham of Lincoln, will probably call a meeting of the board of directors about Tuesday of next week, at which time the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. W. A. Page, ex-president of the association,

was present as the guest of the association. Messre. Rees, Hodgin and Holmes were appointed a committee to prepare resolution on the death of C. C. White of Crete.

The success of the home industry move-ment is very well illustrated by the fact that the Nebraska manufacturers' label is being copied by manufacturers in other states. The manufacturers of flour sacks in St. Louis and in some eastern cities print the label of the Nebraska manufacturers' association on their sacks for the use of flouring mills. A. Hospe suggested that some scheme should be adopted to protect the label, and he was requested to formulate a plan for presentation the state board.

Mr. Hene, the cigar manufacturer, who re-cently located in Omaha, was introduced to the members and made a few remarks.

Mr. Rheem was in favor of pushing the work of the association harder than ever.

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"The prosperity of the state is largely dependent upon the efforts of the manufacturers," said the speaker, "and we must not fail to do our duty."

W. A. Page was called upon and replied that he had nothing to say more than to urge upon all manufacturers to keep up the standard of their goods.

M. C. Peters said that there was nothing like advertising the home patronage idea and M. C. Peters said that there was nothing like advertising the home patronage idea and making it popular. It had been suggested to him that if the governor of the state and the unyors of the different cities would issue proclamations asking the people to encourage home industries it would call attentions to the subject to encot for the subject in course for the subject in course for the subject in the subject

tion to the subject in a most forcible manner.

Mrs. Ish and Her Cell. It is the intention of Jailer Miller to transfor Mrs. Ish from the cell which she is now occupying in the main portion of the county jail to the women's quarters as soon as they are finished. At present, while Mrs. Ish does not mingle with the male prizoners, she cannot be separated from them only by the bars. In the women's quarters, however, she will be separated entirely from them, as the cells are in the southeastern

part of the building.

Jailer Miller may find some trouble in store for him before he effects the transfer. Mrs. Ish has a decided objection to going into the women's quarters, and says that Judge Scott and the county commissioners said that she would not have to go there. Consequently it may be necessary to obtain an order of the court before the transfer is

She Wanted to Stay There. Detectives last night took a young woman who is wanted by her parents from a hou of ill fame at 114 South Ninth street. He of ill fame at 114 South Ninth street. Her father wrote to the police department from Kansas City this week, saying that he heard the girl was leading a life of shame in this city and asking that she be reclaimed. The girl, who is only 16 years old, was in no penitent mood last night. On the contrary, she was defiant, charged her parents with driving her from home, and made serious charges against her mother and a prominent Omaha business man.

For Peeping Over the Eence. Every time there has been a sporting event at the Charles Street Blcycle park event at the Charles Street Bleycle park during the past year a crowd of boys and young men have caused trouble by climbing into the vacant houses in the vicinity in order to see the events without paying the regular admission fee. Last night Officer Barnes captured John Kemp, Edward Lind-lay, Charles Hoffman, Joseph Hart, Edward Ruth, Maurica Greenburg and Robert Daly. They were arrested on the charge of disor-derly conduct.

Charles Wilkins died yesterday at his resi-lence, 2505 North Seventeenth avenue. Mr. Wilkins came to Omaha in 1866, and for many years was an active business man. He leaves a family consisting of a wife and six sons, Charles F. and Walter B. of this city, Alfred of Tabor, Ia., and Edward and Arthur of Denver.

Columbia Metal Polish. Cross Gun Co. Dr. Bailey, dentist, Paxton block. Hayden Bros' add is on page 2. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

S. W. Eccles, a Salt Lake attorney, is a the Millard. George Chapman of Rockford, Ill., is

Barker guest H. G. Weare, cattle shipper, Sioux City, is at the Paxton. Robert S. Oberfelder, clothler, Sidney, is a Millard guest,

H. H. Robinson, stock shipper, Kimball, is at the Payton. J. H. Warren and wife of Chicago are stopping at the Barker.

A. J. Nowlan, a St. Louis knight of the grip, is at the Barker. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Beebe of Wisner are guests at the Merchants. Mrs. J. Williams is spending a few weeks with friends in Chicago.

Dan Clark, stock shipper, Fort Worth, Tex. is registered at the Paxton Mrs. Haley, wife of Ora Haley, a Wyoming stock raiser, is a guest at the Millard. L. Winternitz, general superintendent of the Riverside Yeast company, is at the Del-

Anton Mazzonovich and Frank Baldwin o the "Contented Woman" company are at the Barker.

Eleven members of the "Humans Hearts" company are making the Barker their headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wells of Oakland and Mrs. F. E. Wells of San Francisco are together at the Millard. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell of Des Moines are at the Dellone. Mr. Mitchell is special

agent for the Hanover Fire Insurance com W. H. Bancroft, division superintendent of the Union Pacific at Salt Lake, and his sec-retary, Walter Anderson, are guests at the Millard. They are accompanied by M. J.

Millard. They are accompanied by M. J. Gray of Idaho. Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan and party passes through the city yesterday in a New York Central private car. The party came from St. Paul over the Northwestern and left for Denver over the Rock Island. Mrs. Morgan and friends are on a pleasure trip.

Nebraskans at the Hotels. At the Murray-M. H. Ferguson, Hastings, At the Millard-C. H. Edee, Pawnee City. At the Delione-John H. Price, Nebraska

At the Arcade-A/M. Robbins, Ord; T. C. Hurst, Hastings; H. J. Vandervers, Fremont At the Merchants—C. E. Stine, Superior B. Beede, James Blair, Niobrara; G. A. Smith, Bellevue; Charles A. Pierce, E. G. Johnson, Fremont; J. J. Keeler, Centra

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Agents for competing lines fail to understand why the Northwestern should have all the business in the coal line when other roads are quoting a lower rate. They cannot bring themselves to believe that the road is so popular with shippers that it would get the

so popular with shippers that it would get the business regardless of rates. This would be nice for the company of course, but people generally would be slow to swallow the state-ment that such was the fact. Whatever the causes and reason the fact remains that the Northwestern has had a practical monopoly on the coal business from Chicago to Omaha. The official figures of the shipments for the The official figures of the shipments for the months of August and September of hard coal from Chicago to Omaha are as follows: Chicago & Northwestern, 35,623; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 2,110; Chicago, Bur-lington & Quincy, 1,964; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, 1,016 tons.

WABASH FOLLOWS THE SANTA FE. One More Road Slashes the Rates on West Bound Freight.

Chicago rallroad officials were considerably worked up Wednesday over the report that the Union Pacific had cut the rates between Missouri river points and Denver to half the reduced tariff made by the Santa Fe. Union Pacific officials deny that any such cut has been made. They assert that the Union Pacific is not in the rate cutting business. They say that they have been compelled to meet the rates put into effect by the Santa Fe and

Yesterday reports came that the Wa-bash had broken into the fight by announce ing a cut to 33 cents on fifth class and let-ters A, B, C, D and E from St. Louis to Colorado common points. The Missouri Pacific and other competing lines at once met the cut and the Union Pacific will probably be forced into line

Railway Links and Couplings, \* George A. McNutt, traveling passenger agent of the Katy, is in the city. The Elkhorn has decided to erect a handsome passenger and freight depot at Dead-

J. Harry West of the Penneylvania railroad is in the city and will remain a short It is announced that the B. & M. will build a spur from Spearfish to the Crow Peak

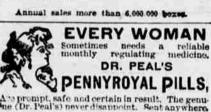
mines, a distance of twelve miles,

ditor, with headquarters at Edgemont, The Burlington has been compelled to again take st ps to project the east end of the bridge at Plattsmouth from the encroachments of the

R. S. Haynes of the auditor's office of the

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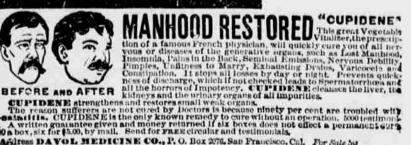
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