be many of the most prominent republicans

The contest for the league presidency is

fornia, who will have a formidable

a son of Congressman Dingley of Maine.

will be taken to reorganize the old clubs

and organize new ones and by the time the

league organization will be prepared to as-

sist materially in the task of placing the

Representative of Splizer & Co. Pays

Over an Enruest for the Firm

to the City.

Yesterday W. A. Barnett, local repre-

question will hardly figure in the sale.

Demand for Building Permits.

s bean house for \$400, and a pavilion for

The Presbyterian hospital has been al-

church on North Nineteenth street.

to the health commissioner:

of the clothing.

located.

Mortality Statistics.

Births-Julius Koehler, 615 Pacific street

and street, boy: James Christianson, 3027

Deaths-Mrs. Emily Dillenbeck. Douglas

County hospital, pneumonia; Mrs. Mary L.

Jones, 3324 Martha street, pneumonia; P. J

Gebellin, Aetna house, three months old,

GEORGE REUM'S BODY FOUND

Missouri River Clears Up the Mystery

of a Butcher's Sudden Dis-

From facts learned since the body was

found it developed that Reum deliberately

committed suicide because he was unable

to secure a renewal of a lease on the

ground on which his butcher shop is

Several days before Reum disappeared he

would kill himself. Horace Itner, pro-

prietor of the brick making works at Pros-

pect Hill is the owner of the ground Reum

before he disappeared and refused his prof-

three crisp \$1,000 bills.

in the last two days.

hands.

General Gomes Lunes a Proclamation to the Cuban Army.

VIOLATORS TO BE SEVERELY PUNISHED

Informs the People of Cuba Officially here, has made a report to the British forof the Intervention of the United States in the Pending Struggle.

10, 1898, is designated as "Supplemente A"

through Las Villas, which will be which shall be published at the general bendquarters of the army and shall begin were so struct with this issue, on the 19th day of May, to be known as Las Villas. It will be cently a remarkable increase of shipment Az engineer be known as Las villes. It will be circulated under the direction and by the from the west, by way of San Francisco told The Bee that the introduction of elecauthority of the staff officers of the army and Puget Sound. and in it will be published all circulars.

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arders and official notes of the War department, as well as information which
partment, as well as information which Lies, the United States.

soldier and not an insurgent and will respect the rules of divilized warfare. I will order punished any chief officer or private who fails to respect the rights of our prisoners of war, and such prisoners China now ranks second in importance to into Omaha whose locomotives carry the countries and the constitutional army.

Our soldiers will conduct themselves in such a manner as to gain for themselves that the army may exhibit discipline. lantly been kept up for three years, with largely in bulk, in tank steamers. the idea of revenge. We are fighting for and I would call your attention to the fact that loss of blood has always been the price of liberty.

Notwithstanding we must ever remember had to contend against a most cruel enemy. se whom they are fighting are more honorable than themselves.

was the duty of all Spaniards to the the word is but crueity. Spanish soldiers have never been known to die for henor except when they were opposed as ten to one. The ties of honor has been to assassinatae defenseless women and children whose protectors are now fighting die for honor committing crimes against humanity and society, but now they will

die before American and Cuban arms. I take this opportunity to speak thus to people and our army that they may be encouraged and know that now we have noble allies, who will aid us in our fight for freedom, which has long been deserved and which we can now see will be a reality at no distant day. I shall also from time you in the same manner.

OTHER NATIONS ARE BIDDERS.

United States Not Alone in Desire fo

Cablegram.-Special Telegram.)-The Daily News' Berlin dispatch says according to advices from Copenhagen the United States have resumed confidential pourparle for the purchase from Denmark of the lesser Antilles, including the islands of St. Thomas. Santa Cruz and St. John. Owing to growing difficulties encountered by the United States in the war, that government would like to get possession of the excellent harbor of St. Thomas. No definite offer has been made to the Danish government, but party leaders in the Chamber are said to have been confidentially sounded as to their epinion about such a bargain. On the whole prospects are favorable. The opinion prevailing in Danish political circles is that Denmark could not sufficiently develop the islands either from an economical or political point of view and that their sale would greatly help their finances. The United States, however, could reckon with other bidders and the set price offered will

The Standard's Paris dispatch says that

have to be considerably raised.

Marc Landry, Lieutenant De Valsseau Loci in the Figure, assuming it to be true that Cerevera's squadron is blockaded in Santiago writes: "The sensational news of the day is the announcement, which seems well founded, that the American squadron received orders not to blockade the Spanish ships and more or less patiently await their ateaming out, but to force an entry and attack them at anchorage in Santiago bay, a repetition of the exploit successfully achieved by Dewey at Manila. A question which is important to ascertain is whether the narrow neck that gives access to the hay is adequately defended, if it be the case that torpedoes have been moored in the channel and shores and either side well supplied with batteries, the forcing of the passage would be a difficult operation, liable to give the American admiral some trouble. On the other hand the correspondent informs me that the sole tactics of Spain just now is to gain time and that it is for that reason Cervera locked himself up Santiago and can effectually preven entry of the American fleet by sinking in the pass the old cruiser Reina Mercedes. This will afford time for the reserve Spanish equadron to be got ready, and when the for action arrives, by blowing up the

RESPECT THE RULES OF WAR Reina Mercedes be could re-open the channel BY AN ELECTRIC HEADLIGHT

AMERICAN TRADE IN CHINA

Exceeds That of Any Other Country Except Great Britain and is Growing Rapidly.

WASHINGTON, May 16 .- Hugh O'Beirne

second secretary of the British embassy

eign office on the extent of the commerce between the United States and China. The report is opportune to the recent movements of European powers, particularly Great NEW YORK, May 26.-Tomas Estrada Britain, Germany and Russia, toward se-Palma has just received the first copy of curing territory and commercial advantages Las Villas, the war bulletin which is pub- in China. Mr. O'Beirne does not deal with lished by Gomez. It contains the official the political phases which have made the news of the army of liberation. Printed of Chinese question a foremost topic in Eurocourse in Spanish, it comprises three col- pean discussion, but his report tends to bring umns, on two sides of a sheet ten by four- out that the United States has such large teen inches. The paper has a greenish tirt commercial interests in China that it is and the type is set up and printed at Gen- no less interested than the European powers eral Gomer's headquarters under his direc- in the encroachments made upon China. The the killing of cattle on the track have been tion. The first number, under date of May report shows that the present volume of greatly reduced since the displacement of United States trade in China represents more the oil lamps by the electric lights, while and contains a half column account of the than one-seventh of the entire trade of the the possibility of a hend-end collision has battle of Manila, which conveyed for the empire. It is 50 per cent greater than the been reduced to a minimum. first time to the soldiers of the Cuban army trade of Germany with China and comes I, Meximo Gomez, commander-in-chief in the Cuban army, take this opportunity in the Cuban army, take this opportunity increase has been entirely on the side of the introduction of the electric brough Las Villas, which will be published at the p each week at the headquarters of the Chinese imports were decreasing. By far the headlight itself became visible the rearmy of liberation, to communicate with the most valuable branch of the trade is flected beams from the electric light could my command and those of my people. In that in cotton goods. Mr. O'Beirne showed be seen quite plainly in the say. By the view of the adoption of the constitution of the Republic of Cuba and the armed intervention of the United States nour behalf to aid us in obtaining independence, which to aid us in obtaining independence, which to aid us for which the recognized by all the world, I commission on the sale of a ticket being of the adoption of the constitution of the united States and Programming independence, which an effective fighting basis. After the importance of the Chinese market for the importance of the subcommittee on arrangements, an effective fighting basis. After the importance of the Chinese market for the importance of the committee on arrangements, an effective fighting basis. After the importance of the Chinese market for the i desire to make known that hereafter our our cotton cloths shipped abroad. He says from the electric headlight was seen in the desire to make anown that action as in-soldiers no longer shall be known as in-the Chinese, especially those of Manchuria, clouds. And when both trains were on a surgents, but soldiers of the regular army prefer the American drills and sheetings, as straight, level section of the track, one on of the republic. I hereby direct that there they are heavier. The breat bulk of these a sidetrack and the other train approach-

every reason to think that the effective open- bury. Asked why that was he said be used dur army and our people may desire to ing up of the interior provinces to foreign to be unable to see any cattle on the track, know concerning our progress, and our altrade will be followed by a great expansion and would run right through the stock; of the Chinese demand for foreign cotton, I take this occasion to remind each Cuban in which the American exporters will have in service that he now has a country recognized, for which he must fight with all honor and glory. He is now a Cuban most exclusively in cotton cloth, offer a practically unlimited market for cotton

mills to New York, and then through the

will be treated with respect due to their that of cotton goods. Mr. O Beirne says electric headlights. The Missouri Pacific ranks and according to the rules of civilized the Russian oil is the only serious foreign has just ordered electric headlight equipthe Russian oil is the only serious foreign has just ordered electric headlight equipcompetitor with which the American product ments for all its locometives. One feature has to reckon. In 1896 China took 33,000 .. of the equipment on the Missouri Pacific 000 gallons of American oil, as against 28,- is to be the addition to the regular headthe respect of the brethren of the United 000 gallons of American oil, as against 28,- is to be the addition to the regular head-States, and for this reason it is my wish 000.000 of the Russian oil. The American light apparatus of small electric lights at kerosene is shipped in cans, almost whoily the sides and at accessible points about the wish to impress upon you that we will from New York and Philadelphia, by way engine, so that the engineer or fireman when not continue this war, which has so gai- of the Suez canal, while the Russian is sent called upon to oil or examine these parts of the Suez canal, while the Russian is sent called upon to oil or examine these parts

dependence and not revenge, value of our trade in wheat, flour, iron and steel and railroad materials. He says the Chinese show a full recognition of the superiority of the American flour over their | Hend of the Short Line Talks About Cuban own roughly cleaned product. He says the our dead martyrs to the cause of Cuban freedom and fight the good fight, and it increasing industrial activity of China, and will not be long before every Spanish the building of railroads, will secure to terday afternoon President Samuel Carr of soldier shall have left our soil. We have had to contend against a most cruel casely contracts for size rails, locomotives, etc. year of the oregon contracts for size rails, locomotives, etc. year of the oregon can be seen that the iron and steel industry and I believe our earnings will show up in methods of warfare have been most barbarous and every act of Spain has shown the
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CUTS OFF A THOROUGHFARE

Exposition Management and Citizens at War Over a Crossing of the Boulevard.

There is a warm fight in progress between the residents of the tract to the northwest of Kountze park and the exposition people. When the exposition officials were arranging for the use of the Twentieth street boule. vard to connect the North Tract with the the Dunish West Indies. 'and to connect the North Tract with the (Copyright, 1838, by Press Publishing Co.) main park, it is asserted by the residents LONDON, May 26 .- (New York World interested, promises were made that if consent was given to the closing of the boule ward, some sort of arrangement would be made for a passage way at the intersection of Manderson street. All winter the intersection has been kept open, and has been used. Wednesday night it was closed. As soon as it was known that the street had been cut off a delegation armed with axes broke down the fence. The exposition officials had the fence replaced. Again it was broken down and again replaced. The people who are concerned say it will be broken down as often as built until some arrangement is made to carry out the original agreement.

City authorities have asked that some plan be adopted to allow free passage across the boluevard on Manderson street. It is the way taken by many people to go to and from their work at East Omaha and the

CASE OF LIEUTENANT MAURER

Young Woman Who Chopped the \$2 will stand. Statue is Willing to See the Matter Through.

Lieutenant Dorothy Maurer, the Salvation Army officer who recently created a mild sensation by deforming a nude statue at the exposition grounds, will defend her actions next Thursday morning in police court. Her case was set for hearing yesterday, but the state was not ready to try the case

and a continuation was taken. Miss Maurer took exception to the charge placed against her of malicious mischief and made an effort to have it changed. She claims that her act was not prompted by maliciousness, but by a desire to remove from sight what she considered a menace

The lieutenant will not leave Omaha to hush the matter, although steps have been hush the matter, although steps have been work very rapid, on the little triangular taken to that end through Mayor Moores, park it is making just west of the south. She said emphatically that she would stay end of the Tenth street vinduct. here and see her case through, be the punishment what it may. communication with her superior, Mrs. Colonel Higgins, who has charge of the army in this section, and it is believed she is acting on the colonel's order in this regard. It is the belief of the city officials and exposition officials that the case against the

lieutenant will be allowed to drop.

Locomotive Engineers Can See Things a Much Longer Distance.

REDUCES THE DANGER OF A WRECK

Rays of the New Light Make a Record in the Sky Discernible for Miles

Under Ordinary Circumstances.

Electric headlights are gradually coming into general use among western railways. Wherever they have displaced the oil lamps that have so long served as locomotive headlights the engineers and their superiors have given most hearty commendation of the following morning. the new form of light. The danger of a wreck, accidents at highway crossings and

The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific is the cottons are shipped from the New England ing, the lights from the electric headlights were so strong that no engineer could miss p. m. for the return trip.

An engineer of the Rock Island recently Continuing, Mr. O'Beirne says: "There is his time between Council Bluffs and Pairtric headlights had had the effect of slowing now he could see the cattle, and would have to slow up until they got out of the way. On the other hand, the claim department says the electric light is a great saying, as the company does not have to pay for so many stock killed as formerly.

There will be soon two railroads running at night can do so readily merely by turn-Mr. O'Beirne also shows the increasing ing on an electric light.

PRESIDENT CARR ON THE OUTLOOK.

General Interests. appear to be in good condition financially, been very good. Then, too, the coal and ther mines along the line have given us a good amount of business."

"President Carr, is there any reason to believe that the recent election of three Union Pacific men to the directory of your line means that the Short Line will soon be taken back into the system?"

"I think there is no significance in that. Messrs, Pierce, Mink and Loeb succeeded men on our directory whom the Union Pacific did not know. The men who went out were representatives of the Drexel-Morgan nterests, and it was natural with the change interests following the reorganization of the Union Pacific that the Union Pacific should want to put its own men in to look after its own interests. The officers of the Union Pacific asked us if such a change would be agreeable, and when we assured them that it would the change was made Of course, one cannot say what may or may not be done regarding the future relations of the Union Pacific and the Short Line. It's possible that the Short Line may be taken into the Union Pacific system again. out I really do not know of anything that ndicates that such an event will occur any time soon.

"Omaha appears to be looking up, and I m glad to note the improvement about the ity during the last year. The exposition and general revival of business certainly have done a great deal for your city. I had ntended going out to see the exposition this afternoon, but on account of the rain have postponed the visit till Friday morning. My family and I shall leave here in the afternoon for Denver and Salt Lake City. We shall take a trip over the Short Line to Portland, and return east probably by the Canadian Pacific after a brief visit at Van-

Rates for Grand Army Encampment. CHICAGO, May 25.-The Western Passenger association today made final ar rangements for rates to the Cincinnati Grand Army of the Republic encampment. The lines agreed that in all territory where two or more roads compete for the business the rate should be fixed at single fare for the round trip. In non-competitive territory the original rate of a single fare plus

Railroad Notes and Personals. Traveling Passenger Agent Lincoln of the hicago Great Western was in the city yes-

terday. Superintendent Gibson of the Iowa dion of the Milwaukee spent resterday in Omaha.

Phil J. Rupp of Chicago, traveling pas senger agent for the Rock Island, and Miss Rupp, are in the city. J. A. Munroe, general freight traffic man-ager of the Union Pacific, arrived in Omaha

yesterday morning from the east. Superintendent C. C. Hughes and Assistant Freight Agent Merchant of the Eikhorn went west on that line yesterday.

Superintendent Rathburn of the Missouri Pacific was in Omaha yesterday and re-turned to Atchison yesterday evening. The Burlington is pushing the landscar

She has been in ing freight agent of the Union Pacific with superior, Mrs. Col. headquarters at Cleveland, O. Heretofore headquarters at Clevelahd, O. hieretofore he has been stationed at Manhattan, Kan.

At the meeting of the Western Passenger association in Chicago on Wednesday it was decided that each line desiring to take off the "plus I" from the round trip rate for the Grand Army encampment should give individual notice to the chairman. It was the office is decided upon.

not thought that the respection started in Grand Army rates, imagentated by the Chicago Grant Western, would extend to other meetings for which reduced rates have been

OMAHA, FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 27, 1898.

and Traveling Passenger Agent Adams of the Cotton Belt are in the city to supervise the work of opening their exhibit at the

James Lamb, formerly connected with the Union Pacific passenerr department, has been appointed clerk to T. W. Lee, who will act as joint agent for the Omaha terminal lines during the exposition.

The many friends of Douglas Welpton of this city regret to learn of the death of his mother at Red Oak, Ia. Mr. Welpton and Charles J. Lane went over to Red Oak on Thursday to be present at the funeral

The mayor and the city council of Kansas to the Burlington train, and reach here on James B. Ferguson, former agent of the Union Pacific at Beatrice, Neb., died in Chi-

the exposition will leave Perry at 5:30 a.m., make all local stops in Iowa and reach here at 10 a.m. It will leave here at 10 Winter of this city, president of the Ne-

thute, lost his footing and fell into the coal Before the coal could be shut off the eral scalp wounds and a badly bruised

The Crouch Construction company, Chigrading and tracklaying for the new Wyom- ling & Black Hills railroad from Belle Important Matters for Consideration. CASH BINDS THE BOND SALE

the present attractive agricultural condi-ions of the state. Two articles, "Fruit President Winter has called uildings printed.

road magnate will take a trip of inspection over the line from Salt Lake to Huntington. Ore., which was once a valuable part of the Union Pacific system and shows signs of again being included within the fold.

For the twelve months ended March 31 the Union Pacific (1,822 miles, including Kansas & Denver Pacific railroad) earned gross \$16.-396,353, an increase of \$2,430,713 over the twelve months ended March 31, 1897. Net earnings were \$6,648.812, an increase of \$1,188,510. Yearly taxes at \$600,600 pracically offset "other income" estimated at the same amount, so that the net earnings are applicable to interest charges. Four per ent on \$90,000,000 new 4s call for \$3,600,000. a balance of \$2,048,822 remaining for the \$75,000,000 preferred stock. This is equivaent to 4 per cent, with a small surplus besides. Net earnings for the current fiscal ear are expected to show very large incharged to operating expenses heavy improvement and renewal expenditures.

Engineer James Tucker, who recently iled at his home in Chicago, has left behind him a most remarkable record, and one with which only a few can be compared. In 1852 he entered the service of the Rock Island at Peru, Ill., as wood passer, in which capacity he worked but a short time, when he was put on a yard engine as fireman, and on May 10, 1852, he was promoted to yard engineer.
From that time up to February, 1898, he ran a locomotive on the Rock Island road, his the Nebraska convention be held at Omaha mileage being approximated at about 2.000.

900 miles. During the forty-five years of active service as engineer has engine never met with an accident, and the only injuries sustained personally by himself were a probability the Nebraska committee will lobroken wrist and a few slight injuries, cate the convention in Omaha on the even-caused by losing his feeting and falling off ing of the same day. This arrangement will his engine into an ash pit. Barring this allow the Nebraska republicans to pay a boy; Carl E. Herring, 811 North Forty-secccident, during the entire forty-five years he never lost a day on account of sickness. With the exception of being suspended for five days in 1892 for violating the rules in courtesy in the evening. Then the repub-accepting release order from a train porter licans of both states will be on the ground Deaths Mrs. Smile Deaths. his record is a perfectly clear one.

TIES UP GERALDINE'S CASH The committee will also decide what part Karbach sr., 622 South Nineteenth street,

Creditor Gets a Garnishee Attachment on a \$100 Cash Bond Put Ly by Dion.

enstruction of exposition buildings, is again as prought into unenviable prominence by the national, state and congressional politics. garnishment of a \$100 cash bond he had deposited in police court for the release of Joseph Schwartz, who assaulted James be appointed at a public meeting of repub-

night. When the case against Schwartz was disposed of by Judge Gardon and the money was about to be paid ever to Geraldine, Attorney W. A. DeBord, asting for James H. Shunk of Chicago, served a notice of garishment on Police Clerk R. J. Clancy, issued by Justice Foster. Clancy will hold the money until the garnishment case is heard before Justice Foster, May 31.

This case is the sequel to the recent atcover a debt of \$166.61 afteged to be due him for merchandise furnished Geraldine in Chicugo a year or more ago. Shunk sued Geraldine in the Chicago courts and obtained judgment and the judgment was sent to Jus-

The location of the recruiting office for the United States regular army will be de-cided at the headquarters of the Depart-ment of the Missouri, U. S. A., on Friday moruing. Bids have been received by Cap-

General Passenger Agent R. W. La Baume Preparation for the Great National Meet at Omaha in July.

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS WELL ADVANCED

of the United States. Sub-Committee For the National Body Comes to Confer with the Nealready beginning to make itself prominent braska Representativesand at least two candidates have announced Work Under Way. themselves. One is Colonel Stone of Cali-

Preparation has actively begun for the re-ception and entertainment of the annual and the other is E. N. Dingley of Michigan, City will be present at the opening of the convention of the National League of Repub-exposition. They will leave there on the lican Clubs, which will meet in Omaha evening of May II in a private car attached July 13, It and 15. Owing to the attrac-it is not exposed that he would refuse the tion of the exposition and the extremely it is not expected that he would refuse the run a special train from Omaha to Lincoln after the evening exercises at the opening of the exposition. The train will leave here

It is said that 50 cents is now regarded as a big commission on the sale of a ticket between Omaha and Chicago, Omaha and St. Louis or Omaha and Intianapolis. A few tional executive committee some time ago, and with this in very time league, and with this in very lime to leave of this matter and preparations for an effective fighting basis. After the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, and the subcommittee on arrangements, will be thoroughly reorganized on the exposition authorities during the pendence of the subcommittee on arrangements, and the subcommittee of the subcommittee on arrangements, and the subcommittee on arran The Milwaukee has announced that its Crawford and Secretary Stein of Newport, The Milwanker and and the opening of Ky.; F. R. Connaway of Iowa, H. L. Remmei of Little Rock, Ark., and Charles E. laugh over the statement of a local paper braska State league. The out-of-town members will arrive in Omaha this campaign opens it is intended that the While Union Pacific locomotive No. 711, in charge of Engineer Fisher, was taking cost at Columbus on Wednesday evening Michael McLaughlin, foreman of the coal lev. E. Winter, Charles J. Greene, W. F. Gur-Michael McLaughlin, foreman of the coal lev. E. J. Cornish, James Walsh and John ley, E. J. Cornish, James Walsh and John L. Webster. The forenoon will be occupied infortunate man was covered over with by a trip over the exposition grounds and the afternoon that Secretary M. J. Dowling Wednesday night. All day Wednesday coal and when dug out by the other rail- at 2 o'clock they will be entertained at will be in Omaha today with the commit- the demand for the tickets was road many and to have bushined sev- lunch at the Omaha club. Following the tee, as his resignation, which was tendered heavy, there being a continuous lunch the business meeting will occur, on account of ill health, has not yet taken stream of people in the office of the President Crawford will come to Omaha effect. Mr. Stein will also be of the party. ago, has been awarded the contract for from Kansas, where he is attending the State league convention today.

ourche, S. D., to Barrett, Wyo., eighteen | Two of the most important matters that miles, and will begin work about June 1. are to be considered are the selection of the Subcontracts will be let at the Chicago office or at Belle Fourche. The road is to rangement of the program. The local comletted resdy for operation by Septem-The road was formerly known as mittee has retained an option on the the Wyoming & Dukota, and seven miles use of Boyd's theater for the three days, and it is expected that this will be used, except The fourth number of North Nebraska for the opening session, which will probably Resources has just been saued by the pas-senger department of the Bikhorn railroad. It is a very creditable paper and should do grounds. No intimation has been received some valuable advantage and should do ome valuable advertising for the northern from President Crawford in regard to the part of the state. Milton Doelittle, president of the Nebraska State Board of Agrigram, but it is the general understanding ulfure, contributes a well written article that one speaker from Nebruska and one

President Winter has called a meeting of Culture in Nebraska' sad 'The Sugar Beet' the executive committee of the Nebraska are reprinted from The Gmaha Bee. The State Leaving in Omaha on the evening of are reprinted from The Gmaha Bee. The State League in Omaha on the evening of caposition is advertised and two pictures of buildings printed.

May 31. This will permit the members of President Samuel Carr of the Oregon the committee to attend the opening of the Short line, accompanied by Mrs. Carr, arrived in Omaha at 8:50 this morning, and to carry out whatever measures may be despent the day here. He came in on the cided on relative to the National convention. spent the day here. He came in on the cided on relative to the National convention. Northwestern from Chicago, and proceeded One of the most important matters to be con-City. Arriving in Utah the young rail- of fictitious clubs can be effectually prevented. This has given more than a little trouble in the past and unless some more rigid system of enrollment is adopted it is likely to cause unlimited complications in the future.

The committee will also be asked to consider ways and means for raising the funds necessary to effectively carry on the work of the league. In previous years the National lengue has been accustomed to depend on the national committee for the funds necessary to defray its expenses, but it has now decided to become self-supporting. Consequently an assessment of \$2 will be made on each delegate to the national convention and as Nebraska is accredited with thirty-four delegates its share of the assessment will amount to \$68. There are \$600. number of additional items of prospective expense to be taken into consideration and a plan must be adopted by which from \$400 to \$500 can be raised each year.

Date for State League Meeting. The time and place of the state league convention for 1898 will also selected at this meeting. The national executive committee has recommended that the Iowa state convention be held at Council Bluffs on either friendly visit to the Iowa convention in the afternoon and the Iowans can return the South Boulevard, girl; Sherman H. Cole, ready for the national convention, which meets the next morning.

will be taken by the state league in the 59 years of age, pulmonary abscess; Arto entertainment of the national convention and incidentally it will consider the important | congestion of the brain. question of platforms. It will outline the declaration on which the league will fight Dion Geraldine, late superintendent of mind local conditions, as Well the general situation

Weiss of 1408 Williams street Wednesday lican clubs, which will be called at an early date. It is conceded that Omaha has done magnificently so far and there is no intention to leave anything undone to make the visit of the national organization a memorable occasion. When the local committee went to Detroit to secure the convention it promised the delegates three things. These were that they would give them satisfactory facilities for holding the convention, the best entertainment that they had ever enjoyed and the lowest railroad rates that had ever been provided for a convention of the league. These promises have all been kept. The exposition will constitute the principal means of entertainment, as it is well understood that the delegates will be better pleased to spend their spare time in seeing the exposition than in other forms of entertainment with which they have become familiar.

Convention Will Be Big.

President Winter has received a large number of letters from prominent lengue embers representing nearly every part of the country from New York to San Fran-

adds the statement that New York will send INDIAN CONGRESS AFFAIRS nia also writes that his state will send a full delegation, and similar assurances have been received from a number of other states.

Exposition Officials Going Ahead with Theis The total representation in the convention Arrangements. is 1,900 delegates and President Winter expects that fully 1,500 of these will be in at-

tendance. Besides the delegates there will MATTER ACCEPTED AS AN ASSURED FACT be at least 1,000 visitors, among whom will

> Washington Authorities Feel Certain of the Appropriation and Exposition Will Advance the Money Needed for the Start.

The improvement in the conditions surrounding the Indian congress appropriation shown by the reports from Washington, was welcome news to the exposition officials. Considerable doubt has enveloped this favorable railroad rates that have been secured it is expected that the convention will regret has been expressed on account of the latest reports indicate that the passage of cago on Tuesday afternoon. He had been exceed in size and interest any of its predection of the superiorition is again assured. It is resignation of Secretary Dowling, whose the appropriation is again assured. It is resignation of Secretary Dowling, whose the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation will be not likely that the appropriation will be not likely that the appropriation will be not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation will be not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again assured. It is not likely that the appropriation is again. working hard to make the event one that who has been designated to temporarily fill for assembling the Indians at Omaha for death.

The Burlington has announced that it will have an important bearing on the furnity as a special train from Omaha to Lincoln ture of the league. This is especially true Arrangements have been made by which the During the six weeks preceding the con- necessary money will be advanced by the make all the local stope.

Of the national organization will operate to vention the state league officials will make exposition management, to be repaid by the W. H. O'Connell, a brakeman on a Union enthuse and mobilize the league clubs of an energetic canvass for the purpose of getvention the state league officials will make exposition management, to be repaid by the with great force, but had no hones broken.

One of his hips was badly injured.

It is said that 56 cents is now regarded as to every republican club in the state for assured. A number of indians from the the purpose of enrolling their entire membership. The returns will serve as a basis Omaha, probably in time for the ope of representation by which fictitious clubs and the other details of the congress will be will be excluded. Immediately after steps carried out as soon as may be.

SALE OF COMMUTATION TICKETS.

Many People Take Advantage of the Low Bate of Admission. In accordance with the announcement government of Nebraska in republican made from time to time during the last week, the sale of commutation tickets to the President Winter received word during expessition was discontinued at 6 o'clock secretary. When the sale closed 700 tickets had been disposed of, the greater part of his number being books of fifty coupons.

Each purchaser of a book received a card to the official photographer to make a photograph of the purchaser. The photographs will be taken without delay, each subject being designated by a number corresponding to the number on the card. This number in displayed on a card, which is sussentative of Spitzer & Co., who bought in pended on the breast of the purchaser at the time the photograph is taken, the number \$3,000 refunding bonds recently. deposited the \$3.000 bonus in cush forming a part of the picture. The picture with City Trensurer Edwards to bind the is pasted on the coupon book, and the seal transaction. The money was paid in in of the Bureau of Admissions impressed on the lower portion of the picture, including There is but one question that is shadow- the number. This method makes the changing the legality of the bonds, and that is ing of the photograph practically impossible apparently not considered very serious, judgone but the purchaser. These tickets are ing from Agent Barnett's action. This arises mailed to the purchaser as soon as prefrom the fight over the mayoralty, now gopared. ing on in the supreme court. Inasmuch as

that body declared, however, that the acts Want the Parade on Sherman Avenue. of Mayor Moores have all been legal, the There was a meeting of north side citi-One-half of the bonds are to be delivered for the purpose of taking steps to secure the and the money paid for them on June 10. selection of Sherman avenue as the route pressed that the exposition managers made Building permits galore are being issued a mistake in selecting Nineteenth street for these days by the force in the office of Inthe parade and that the route should be spector of Buildings Butler. Most of these changed to Sherman avenue. A committee are for structures to be erected on the exconsisting of Mesers, Redman, Henshaw and position grounds, particularly the Midway. Lobeck was appointed to present resolutions Over two dozen permits have been issued and petitions to the Transmississippi Ex-

The most important of the permits allows A special decorating committee consisting the erection of the Minnesota state building, of five members was elected, consisting of which is to be of the value of \$10,000. Messrs. McKenna, Hazard, Lucas, Houska Hagenback Show company will put up a and Lindley to see that Sherman avenue be structure valued at \$2,500. Tom Hoctor has decorated in a handsome manner.

secured a permit to erect a building for a It was informally understood that every dog show at a cost of \$750. Other permits one should do all that could possibly be have been issued for a camera obscura show done to make Sherman avenue especially atfor \$200, a glass blowers' building for \$400, tractive.

Date for Nebraska Day.

June 14 has been selected as Nebraska day lowed to erect a two-story hotel building to at the exposition and elaborate preparations cost \$4,000 in Kountze place. As a result are being made for the observance of the ocof the exposition N. M. Husted will put up casion on a scale commensurate with the importance of the occasion to the people of two cottages of the value of \$900 each, one this state. Commissioner Boydston of the at 2855 Dodge street and another at 2217 Poppleton avenue. In addition to those Nebrusku commission has the matter in there have been a dozen permits issued for hand and several conferences have been held improvements ranging in value from \$50 to with President Wattles and General Manager Clarkson with a view of deciding upon The Knox Presbyterian church has been certain of the details. It is the intention of allowed to erect a \$1,000 addition to its all concerned to make this occasion a big affair and arrangements are being made with that end in view. Well known public men will make addresses, the Nebraska building The following births and deaths were re- will be formally dedicated, there will be a ported during the last twenty-four hours special display of fireworks and an elaborate program of entertainment will be provided.

Wisconsin Wants Two Days.

The Wisconsin Exposition comm notified President Wattles that it had been decided to celebrate two days during June as "Wisconsin days," the 17th and 18th being the days selected for that purpose by the commission. The president notified the commission that the days selected would be reserved for Wisconsin.

A committee has been appointed by the commission to prepare a program and make all necessary arrangements for the occasion. Some of the members of the Wisconsin commission will be present at the opening of the exposition next Wednesday and the Wisconsin building will be formally opened on that day.

A number of editors of newspapers along The body of George Reum, a butcher who the lines of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapodisappeared from his home, 2520 North lis & Omaha road will arrive in the city to-Twentieth street, May 15, was found in the morrow morning as the guests of the rail-Missouri river yesterday near Child's way company. The party will be taken in point, Bellevue. The body was identified charge by General Manager Clarkson and esby letters and papers found in the pockets corted to the exposition grounds, after which function will be served at the Dellone hotel. It was removed to the morgue of Coroner The editors will leave the city on the regular Hamilton of Springfield, Neb., but will be trains, leaving at 5:55 p. m. tomorrow or at brought to Gove's morgue, South Omaha. 5:40 a. m. the following day.

May Be Settled Out of Court.

The injunction suit in which the Streets of Cairo people are the plaintiffs and the Streets of All Nations is the defendant was called in Judge Scott's court and by consent was passed until next Saturday morning. It made the threat to his daughter, Mrs. M. R. is understood that a settlement of the mat-Huntington, wife of the proprietor of the ters in controversy is in sight. Both parties Omaha Bedding company, at 1113 Harney claim the exclusive right to parade camels street that if he was not successful that he and donkeys.

> Obio Troops Going West. A special train of Ohio soldiers enroute to San Francisco will pass through Omaha on Friday morning. Telegraphic advices re-

wished to lease. Itner saw Reum two days Priday morning. Telegraphic advices re-before he disappeared and refused his profcisco and these indicate that the convention will be one of the largest in the history of the league. Major Totten, vice president of the New York State league, writes to make a number of inquiries with regard to matters connected with the convention and he was 50 years old.

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