## ZEWS' FINANCIAL LETTER]

Monetary Conditions in Wall Street Sized Up by a Prominent Financier.

PRICES SEEM LIKELY TO GO HIGHER

Chief Danger to Money Market is Possibility of Large Sums Being Locked Up in United States Treasury.

NEW YORK, April 15 .- (Special.) - Henry Clews, head of the banking house of Henry Clews & Co., writes:

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Prices have shown reactionary symptoms during the last week, owing more to a sensible disposition to take profits than to any pronounced change in the general situation. The approach of the Easter holidays somewhat tended to restrict transactions, especially on London account, where the possibility of unfavorable news from the Transvani during a four days suspension of business naturally checked speculative operations.

The condition of the stock market continues favorable, and it is noticeable that efforts for the rise are much more successful than those for the fall. At the moment the market is largely under the influence of professional manipulators, and the majority of these, it is plain, are on the bull side. The public has both bought and sold rather more freely than of late, and the readiness with which stocks offered are absorbed by strong buyers is evidence of healthy conditions. While there are elements in the situation that will bear watching, such as the presidential campaigs and the future of the money market. It would be foily to suppose that these factors will produce anything like the disturbances of four years ago. Conditions are in very striking contrast with 1896. Since then the country has been securely placed upon the gold standard; and as was said the other day at the Chamber of Commerce reception to the victorious leader of the sound money campaign. Mr. H. H. Hanna, no serious effort to debase the national currency will ever be made again. From a state of depression and fear the country has risen to one of prosperity and confidence; and however disturbing the election may be, it cannot have the disastrous effects of the first McKinley-Bryan campaign. Should these two gentlemen again be the champions for presidential honors, as seems probable, the contest can be regarded with comparative equanimity, because neither the vital issues nor the conditions of the coming campaign bear any resemblance to those of four years ago. Even the silvery tongue of Mr. Bryan cannot rev

and defeated in 1895.

Money Market a Factor.

The political campaign, however, is too distant to have any immediate effect on the securities market. A more important factor at this time is the money market. Home conditions are favorable to continued ease for some time to come. The April settlements are over and all reports indicate an abundance of loanable funds at the interior. The supply of currency is considerably larger than a year ago and is being steadily increased under the operations of the new currency law. The chief danger to the money market, and one that should not be overlooked, is the possibility of inconveniently large sums being locked up in the United States treasury through the operation of the internal revenue law imposed by the war with Spain. Secretary Gage has estimated a surplus of \$70,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 20, 1500, and \$82,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1500, and \$82,000,000 for the fiscal year ending light. It is needless to point out the injury not merely to, Wall street, but to what is vasily more important, the legitimate business interests of the country, if funds are allowed to congest in the treasury in this fashion. It might be possible for the secretary to deposit a large portion of these accumulations in the depository banks, but, considering the present state of the public prejudice, this method would doubtless expose the administration to the silly charge of favoritism to the banks and raise an issue that is best avoided. There is but one true course and that is for congress at this session to repeal the superfluous and most irritating features of the internal revenue law, so as to keep a closer balance between receipts and expenditures. A large surplus may be considered a sign of good management in private business, but in public business it is bad management and dangerous temptation to all sorts of extravagant and vicious legislation. Our congressmen should be obliged to reduce the revenue before the present seasion closes, otherwise they mu Money Market a Factor.

Condition of Railronds.

The course of the railroad share market amply confirms the advice given in these letters—that railroad shares should be preferred above the industrials. American railronds were never in such sound condition as today, sound both financially and physically. Nearly all have passed through the reorganization process; they are managed by professional railroad men, not stock speculators; they are honestly managed and running at the lowest cost per mile in their history, while many of the industrials are running at their largest ratio of expense. Again the railroads have many sources of income and their gains being less excessive than the industrials are less likely to suffer shrinkage when business quiets down. There is no gainsaying the statement that American railroad shares offer the safest and soundest investments Condition of Railroads. offer the safest and soundest investment

of any available. Some of the industrial shares are good of course, but they are closely held and are likely to show far more depreciation when the next down-ward movement comes than good railroad future of the market will probably The future of the market will probably be irregular, but prices seem more likely to go higher before they go lower. As we have said, conditions are favorable to activity and an advance. Money is easy; earnings are large and general trade satisfactory. Further, the market has had strong inside support and as long as this continues we are not likely to have any important recessions. Crop reports are generally satisfactory and the April government report indicates a winter wheat yield of 90,000,000 bushels more than last year. For the present we advise quick turns in the active stocks, selling on the sharp railles and buying on pronounced breaks.

#### OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS. Condition of Trade and Quotations on

Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS—Receipts, liberal; fresh stock, 10@

LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 81/2; roosters, according to age and size, 597c; ducks, 714c; geese, 75c; turkeys, Sc.
BUTTER-Common to fair, 12c; choice,
146:15c; separator, 22c; gathered creamery,
15c.

OYSTERS—Medium, per can, 18c; standard, per can, 22c; bulk standard, per gallon, \$1.25; extra selects, per can, 30c; extra selects, per gal., \$1.60@1.75; New York counts, per 100, \$1.25.

FISH—Herring, per lb., 5c; round perch, 5c; sun ferced ger land for the land selects. counts, per can, 37c; New York counts, per 100, \$1.25.

FISH—Herring, per lb., 5c; round perch, 5c; sun, 5c; cod, 6c; haddock, 6c; blue pike, c; scaled and dressed perch, 6c; ciscoes, 6c; medium dressed trout, 7½c; cropple, 7½c; pickerel, 7½c; finnan haddies, 7½c; white fish, 9c; yellow pike, dressed, 9c; small trout, dressed, 9c; red snapper, 9c; tmelts, 9c; smoked white fish, 9c.

PIGEONS—Live, per doz., \$1.

VEALS—Choice, 9gfloc.

HAY—Per carload lots: Upland, choice, 5c; reg straw, choice, \$5; recarked corn, per ton, \$14,50; corn and oats, chopped, per ton, \$13,50; han, per ton, \$13,50; shorts, per ton, \$13,50.

VEGETABLES. VEGETABLES.

ASPARAGUS—Per 1-3 bu. box, 54.

NEW TURNIPS—Per doz. bunches, 50c.

SPINACH—Per box, 51.

NEW BEETS—Per doz. bunches, 40450c.

LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 35440c;

fancy head lettuce, per bbl., 55

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 3045c.

SEED SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl., 62 25425c;

Kansas, eating, \$2.75.

POTATOES—Per bu., choice, 25430c.

CABLIFLOWER—California, per lb., 2½43c.

CAULIFLOWER—California, per crate, 52.75.

CELERY-Per doz., 25@30c; California,

per bunch, 75c.

TURNIPS—Rutabagas, per lb., 1½c.

TOMATOES — Florida, per six-basket crate, 4,50.

MUSHROOMS—Per lb. box, 56c.

RHUBARB—Per lb., 8@c.

ONIONS—Retail, yellow, \$1; red, \$1.20@1.25,

FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES—Texas, per 24-qt, case, \$5; Louisiana, per 24-qt, case, \$2,5002.75.

APPLES—Choice western shipping stock, \$4,50; New York stock, \$5; fancy, \$5,50.
GRAPES—Malaga, per bbl., \$1,0029.00, CRANBERRIES—Jerseys, per bbl., \$19,50; per crate, \$3,50.

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PINEAPPLES—Per doz., \$3.

ORANGES—California, fancy navels, per box, \$3.25@3.50; choice navels, \$3; Mediterranean Sweets, per box, \$2.50@2.75.

LEMONS—California, choice, per box, \$3; fancy, \$3.50; Messinas, choice, per box, \$3.50; fancy, \$4.50; large, \$2.75@3.00.

HIDES.

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to 12 lbs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs.,

MISCELLANEOUS. NUTS-Hickory, large, per bu., \$1.25; thellbarks, \$1.35. HONEY-Per 24-section case, \$3.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Saturday, CHICAGO, April 18.—Local sentiment and conditions governed the grain markets tolay, while provisions reflected the higher price of hogs. May wheat closed unchanged. May corn %64c up and May oats 146%c lower. Provisions closed from 20c improved in pork to 27% up in May

changed, May corn harves up and May outs single to more to 27% up in May lard.

May wheat opened %4% depressed from Thursday at 60% to 60% and advanced to 60% at which price it closed, unchanged from Thursday. Instead of the stop-loss selling which many had looked for at this point commission houses were able to produce many buying orders which had been lying around for weeks. Under this stimulus and the strength of corn and provisions, together with a mild reiteration of the damage reports from France, the advance took pince without a material setback. Considering the closing of many markets and the curtaillment of news the session was fairly active. Monday's statistics are expected to be builtsh rather than bearish, but not strikingly so. The early loss was due principally to the fine weather. Primary receipts for two days were 770,000 bushels, against 205,000 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 700 cars for a like period, compared with 403 last week and 184 a year ago. Local receipts were 115 cars, 1 of contract grade. Atlantic port clearances for two days were equal in wheat and flour to 670,000 bushels.

The corn market opened easier. May 1,3% is lower at 35%,353% to 33% to 33% and 100 market and the shipping business was unimportant. A prominent speculator whose movements are closely watched and who was believed to have dumped out some long stuff, was on the floor and denied that he had been a seller. Instead he bought openly and with this complete were 75 cars.

There was not a soft spot in the provisions in consideration others on the floor of the 'change joined the tranks of the purchasers. May accordingly railled to 33% and all grace. Local receipts were 75 cars.

There was not a soft spot in the provisions market. Hogs were decidedly higher at the yards, forming the chief builtinfluence. There was, of course, profit-taking, but such sales were readly absorbed at nearly all times. The tuying of land was the feature. May pork ranged from \$112.00 to \$1.25 and closed strong. \$20.00 to \$1.25 and c

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Thur.
Wheat April May July Sept.	66721/4 675/401/2 681/4	6614 6774 6814	66 67% 68¼	6614 6612 6714 (2.74 6878 (2.12	6614 6614 6775 6876
April May July Sept.	381-0754 291-0754 401-461-5		38146254 39146554 4014	3814 3914 4014 4074/41	38% 90% 30% 90% 40%
May July Sept. Pork-	241/4 24 231/4	2414	24 2374 2334	24 24 2314	21¼ 66% 24¼ 23¼
May	12 90 12 9234	12 95 13 15	12 80 12 92%	12 87% 13 65	12 674 12 10
May July Sept. Ribs—	7 10 7 15 7 25	7 32½ 7 42½ 7 50	7 10 7 15 7 25	7 27% 7 35 7 45	7 00 7 071/ 7 171/
May July Sept.	7 2214 7 05 7 1214	7 25 7 25 7 221/2	7 10 7 05 7 121/2	7 2214 7 2214 7 20	7 00 7 00 7 00

FLOUR-Slow: winter patents, \$3.60%2,70; straights, \$2.55%3.40; clears, \$2.70%3.20; spring specials, \$3.90; patents, \$3.10%3.45; straights, \$2.60%2.00; bakers, \$2.00%2.46.
WHEAT-No. 3 spring, 64%64%c; No. 2

WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 642643c; No. 2 red, 6345c.
CORN—No. 2, 39c; No. 2 yellow, 394c.
OATS—No. 2, 2446254c; No. 2 white, 2862
SNige; No. 3 white, 2646274c.
RYE—No. 2, 56c.
BARLEY—No. 2, 44643c.
SEEDS—Flaxseed, No. 1 and northwest, \$1.73. Timothy seed, prime, \$2.40. Clover, contract grade, \$7.7568.00.
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$12.30 &12.55. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$7.1067.274. Short ribs sides (loose), \$7.1067.40. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.7566.874. Short clear sides (boxed), \$7.3067.40.
WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1.254.
SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$6.00; granulated, \$5.44.
Following are the receipts and shipments

 Oats, bu
 396,000
 439,00

 Rye, bu
 15,00
 15,00

 Barley, bu
 65,000
 52,00

 On the Produce exchange today the but

ter market was firm; creameries, 14@18c dairies, 13@16c. Cheese, firm at 12@13c Eggs, steady; fresh, 114c. St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS. April 14—WHEAT—Lower:
No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 71c; track, 73c;
April 71c; May, 70g704c; July, 67g674c;
No. 2 hard, 64g66c; receipts, 35.966 bushels.
CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 384c; track,
394c; April, 384c; May, 384g384c; July,
394c; OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 254c; track,
264c; April, 254c; May, 244c; July, 23426;
235c; No. 2 white, 28c.
RYE—Firm; 56c.
FLOUR—Pull, unchanged.
SEEDS—Timothy, firm; ordinary, \$2.006;
220; prime new to arrive, August, \$2.50.
Flax, steady, \$1.70.
CORNMEAL—Steady, \$2.0662.16.
BRAN—Quiet; sacked lots, east track, 71c.
HAY—Steady; timothy, \$10.50613.00;
prairie, \$7.5068.50.
WHISKY—Steady, \$1.2544.
IRON COTTONTIES—\$1.30.
BAGGING—674g75c.
HEMP TWINE—9c.
PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; jobbing, \$12.00, old; \$13.50, new, Lard, higher; prime steam, \$7.05; choice, \$7.10. Dry sait meats (boxed), higher; extra shorts, \$7.5; clear ribs, \$7.374; clear sides, \$7.50. Bacon (boxed), higher; extra shorts, \$7.50. Bacon (boxed), h

lear sides, 18. METALS—Lead, firm; \$4.55@4.5714. Spelter, irm; \$4.55.
POULTRY—Easy; chickens, 697½c; tur-teys, 7@16c; ducks, 8c; geese, 3@6c. EGGS—Lower; 9½c. BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 18@21c; lairy: 153/19c.
RECEIPTS—Flour, 15,000 bbls.; wheat, 25,300 bu.; corn. 272,000 bu.; cats. 64,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; wheat,
14,000 bu.; corn. 230,000 bu.; cats. 25,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—WHEAT—May,
62½c; July, 62½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 63c;
No. 3, 58½@61½c; No. 2 red, 69c; No. 3, 64@
68c. Receipts, 96 cars.

CORN—May, 36½c; July, 37½c; cash, No. 2
mixed, 36½@37c; No. 2 white, 37½@37½c;
No. 3, 37½@37½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 27½@28c.
RYE—No. 2 white, 27½@28c.
RYE—No. 2 55½c.
HAY—Choice timothy, \$10.00@10.50; choice
prairie, \$7.25@7.75.

BUTTER—Creamery, 17@19c; dairy, 17c.
EGGS—Market fairly satisfactory; fresh
Missouri and Kansas stock, 9½c doz., cases
returned; new white wood cases included,
954c.

RECEIPTS (two days)-Wheat, 57,600 bu.; orn, 74.100 bu.; oats, 34.000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 21,000 bu.; corn, 30,

500 bu.; oats, 5,000 bu. Easter and London Stocks. LONDON, April 15.—Owing to the Eastertide holidays business on the Stock exchange last week was very quiet. There
was little change in prices, which show a
distinct firmness and the markets seem in
a healthy condition.

Holders of Americans have been realizing to such an extent as at one time to

ing to such an extent as at one time to cause a reaction, but Americans closed better. Baltimore & Ohio ordinary rose of better. Baltimore & Ohfo ordinary rose on the week I point and Baltimore & Ohio preferred 3½ points. Norfolk & Western common rose 1½ and the preferred stock 1½. In most other cases the movement was downward, Pennsylvania and Union Pacific failing each 1½. Mines were sluggish throughout the week. Money was in moderate demand. Call money, 3 per cent; three months' bills, 4 to 4½ per cent.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, April 14.—WHEAT-Irregular; No. 1 northern, 674c; No. 2 northern, RYE-Higher; No. 1, 59c. BARLEY-Steady; No. 2, 44c; sample, 37@

Peoria Market. PEORIA, April 14-CORN-Quiet; No. 2, OATS-Quiet; No. 3 white, 26@264c. WHISKY-Firm, on the basis of \$1.264 for finished goods.

SOME SCHOOL BOARD GOSSIP

Talk of Impending Changes in the Present Membership.

PRISIDENT BURGESS UP FOR SECRETARY

Minority Sees in it the Disintegration the Combination Now in Control of School Affairs.

Gossip in school board circles is proeeding on the line of the impending rerganization of the board and the filling of rospective vacancies.

he present board in the selection of Member Levy to take the place of Mr. Irey, to the point of yielding to the pressure for his resignation and that his place will further steps will be taken in prosecuting him for the alleged deals exposed by the school board detectives.

The substitution of a new member for Mr. Cowie, according to current stories, is congregated to give their relations a royal preliminary to other changes in the percompete for the place now occupied by Secretary Gillan, which is a salaried position of considerable responsibility.

It is also possible that Mr. Thomas, who sign in the course of a few months. When Mr. Thomas was candidate for police judge he made public announcement that he did not believe in holding two positions at retire from the school board. He will probably retain his membership, however, until officers in order to look after the interests would expire at the end of the year in any event, so that a resignation in July would cut it short only a few months. Differences of Opinion.

among the members of the school board in and out of the controlling combination. Said one of the members of the dominant ma-

"I am not at liberty to say much about the impending changes, but this much I can say-that if any vacancy occurs we will try to fill it with some substantial taxpaying citizen who will contribute to the elevation of the standard of the school board. We had this in view when we elected Mr Levy, one of the prominent business men of the city, and I have not heard a single complaint. We have the opportunity of naming men for vacancies who will secure a renomination next fall if our choice is wise and in that way we will build up a school board which will be a credit to the city." On the other hand, a member of the mi nority expresses himself in a somewhat different manner: "All these changes," said he, "are simply a part of the scheme of the combine in control of the board for the purpose of furthering the interests of either its own members or favorites. The compurpose of protecting Architect Latenser and you may be sure will put no one on the the board. It started in with nine or ten Have you a bottle of it in your home? members at the beginning of the year, but falling to pieces it finds it necessary to capture Mr. Cowle's vote. After the fight t has made upon him it would not do to take him into the combination, so they will try to have him give way to somebody who would be a more acceptable associate."

After Lagrippe-What? Usually a racking cough and a general eeling of weakness. Foley's Honey and Tar s guaranteed to cure the "grippe cough" and make you strong and well. For sale by Myers-Dillon Drug Co., Omaha; Dillon's Drug Store, South Omaha.

NEW MISSION FOR ALUMNI Graduates of the High School Desire to Enter a Larger Field of

Usefulness. Considerable interest has been aroused among the alumni of the Omaha High school by talk of a reorganization of the Alumni association. It has been felt for a long time that this institution has not been as strong a factor as it should be in caring for the interests not only of its members, but of the school on the hill as well. No blame attaches to anyone in particular, but there has been a gradual decline of interest among the older alumni and the present officers feel that it would be well if some scheme might be devised whereby a stronger

and closer union might be formed. Some ideas on the subject have already been broached, among others an association meeting monthly and having some program, social or otherwise. It has been suggested that the meetings be held at the city hall and possibly this could be done. An alumni day at the High school, when the graduates could feel that they were guests of the school and as visitors renew old associations could be devised. A live interest in the school and its affairs might be a potent factor in holding a new association together. Those High school teachers who are alumni are talking of a meeting to discuss this project. It were not a bad plan if the other members of the teaching force who are alumni should also meet for this purpose. To push this plan much energy is needed, but it is felt that the energy is present, though in a somewhat latent form. Some have suggested an annual banquet as befitting the dignity and scope of the

The graduating class is taking an inter est in this matter and may prove a potent factor in furthering the affair. A strong and united effort on the part of the alumni may prove of lasting benefit not only to the High school, but to other interests of

the city of Omaha as well. W. W. Mayhew, Merton, Wls., says: "I consider One Minute Cough Cure a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe." It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, whooping cough, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases. Its early use prevents consumption. Children always like it and mothers endorse it.

### ARMY OF BOYS LAYS SIEGE Staff of Messenger Company Stands in the Rain Thirty-Six Hours at Boyd's Opera House.

Fifty messenger boys standing drearily in the rain laid siege at Boyd's opera house during the day Sunday and all of last night in order to secure the first choice of seats for the Irving-Terry engagement. The first instalment went on duty Saturday trouble and have derived great benefit from afternoon and, working in shifts, put in its use." It digests what you eat and canthirty-six hours to gain the coveted prece. But fail to cure. dence at the ticket window. The theater management barred the besieging party out of the lobby and there was no shelter from the intermittent rain. At 7 o'clock this To Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo,

in line and at 9 o tock the ticket window opened. Each holder of a card went the limit and purchasence in tickets. The manager of the American District Telegraph laye emphasis on the fact that the company is not engaged in any speculaemployed by the company's patrons to render

tive scheme. He says the boys are simply the service in return-for 75 cents on each ticket. Six tickets, therefore, bring a bonus of \$4.50, the amount being considered an adequate return for the thirty-six-hour

GO TO JOIN "BUFFALO BILL" Sioux Warriors Journey Through Nebraska from Their Native Heath

Enroute to New York. "Bill' McCune, aide to Colonel William I Cody, accompanied by fifty redskins of the One vacancy has already been filled by great Sioux tribe, furnished the curious minded people who invariably hover about a railroad station at "train time" on Sunday whose seat was declared vacant because of at the smaller towns, a unique exhibition absence from successive meetings. It is now on Sunday. In two special cars Mr. McCune was carrying his Sloux warriors to New York, where they will begin rehearsal for publican city administration and that be the annual season of "Buffalo Bill's Wild be made vacant by its acceptance at an West" show. Their route lay through the early meeting. The influence brought to northern part of Nebraska, along the Elksecure Mr. Cowie's retirement from the horn railroad, and at each town the Indians board is said to be an assurance that no regaled the depot loungers and passengers with their warwhoops and cries.

send-off. The tracks were lived as far as sonnel of the board the lat of July, when the eye could see with tepecs, in front of President Burgess is expected to resign to which bright fires were burning, and when the train arrived shortly after midnight to escort the Indians to the east a great conhas been appointed city prosecutor, will re- Indians indulged in. Passengers in the sleeper who had retired were startled and some believed that the train was being likely be made. The alleys are fifthy and raided. Finally the Indians were safely the sanitary committee of the city now dethe same time and that if elected he would farewell lamentations of those left behind A sanitary inspector will soon be appointed, after the annual election of teachers and the scenes of the parting. Whenever a stop was made the warriors took a flendish deof some of his particular friends. His term light in a seeming endeavor to raise the roof of their car with their vocal demonstrations. "I consider that I have the best crowd

of Indians that ever joined Colonel Cody's of money to be turned over by Mr. Broad-This gossip is naturally causing some talk 'Wild West' aggregation," said Mr. McCune. "There is no disputing the fact that they are representatives of the big, brawny type, the office and funds will be made on Tuescharacteristic of the Sioux tribe. In the ounch I have five squaws and a papoose or two. More than half of this number have been with our show before, and for this reason I am getting into our training grounds rather later than the other attracions. The Indians, however, will not need

a great deal of rehearsal. "After a couple of weeks' rehearsal in Brooklyn we will open our season at Madison Square garden in New York. We will apear at Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia and then go on the road until we open at the Panthat we are to go to Paris for the exposition is unfounded." Mr. McCune was accompanied from Rushville to New York by his wife. They ex-

pect to return to I Omaha for their usual winter's vacation in November It is not so much what the newspapers say, as what neighbor says to neighbor, or bination seems to have been put up for the friend to friend, that has brought Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Dirrahoea Remedy into such general use. It is as natural for

board who is not a Latenser man. Another people to express their gratitude after using thing they are after, of course, is to gratify this remedy as it is for water to flow down Precident Burgess' ambition to occupy the hill. It is the one remedy that can always position of paid secretary. I do not believe be depended upon, whether a baby is sick the combination will last very long, no mat- with cholera infantum or a man with cholera ter how many new men are injected into morbus. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

#### Schmiddlapel Ably Defends Himself Against an Attack from a British Bully.

From a Nebraska veldt Johann Schmiddianel trekked to Omaha, arriving Saturday night. He disposed of a number of products of his farm, put up at a hotel and on Easter Sunday took a stroll along by Missouri He might have just stepped out of spruit. South African laager, as far as appearances went. His hirsute auxiliaries were as wild and untamed as any that ever crossed the Vaal.

Being in a mood in keeping with the day he sought information of a denizen of the troubles, but as he appeared so much better kraal as to the whereabouts of a house of lately it was hoped that he would survive worship. The inquiry, it happened, was the summer. The deceased was 41 years of addressed to one of Anglo-Saxon lineage. "Your'e a bloomin' nice one to be hask-

in' a ploice to whorship, hain't you?" sneered the one accosted. "You better go back to Hafrica and join the savages again. You're no good bin a civilized country." Although the speaker may not have been representative one of his race, his words aroused the blood of the descendant of a follower of William the Silent. His reoinder was so tinged with Dutch hauteur order him to move on.

"You own the street, hey?" asked the farmer. "Mosey on now, Oom Paul," said other, making a threatening move.

But Schmiddlapel was angered now. stopped and faced the Briton, as immovable as was Cronje for ten days at Paardeburg. \$10,000. His racial enemy, in whose eyes was the leer of intoxication, advanced toward him. "Don't you try on making me go," he said.

The Britisher had picked up a stone. He hurled it with better aim than distinguished his countrymen along the Tugela, for it struck the burgher on the chin. What struck the Englishman the next instant he would not swear to. He was assisted to a standing position by Police Officer McCarty. Schmiddiapel was standing quietly by.

The circumstances were related at the police station. The Briton said he did not want to prosecute-candidly confessed that his assailant was better versed in strategy than he and that he had been squarely defeated.

"Me prosecute?" said Schmiddlapel. "No. I want to go back to my farm early to-morrow," and Chief Donahue, being consulted by the sergeaut in charge, admonished them both and told them to go.

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Were Driving Too Fast.

Patrolman Wooldridge stood at Eleventh and Farnam streets last night at 9 o'clock when three colored people drove rapidly toward the corner. The horse's gait was faster than the city law allows and the officer called to the driver to stop. The latter audibly guessed that the remarks were not intended for him. Wooldridge made a flying leap just as the rig was passing him and caught the bridle. The buggy's occupants, a young man and two women, were taken to the station, where they gave the name of Smith and spent the night in jail.

J. I. Carson, Prothonotary, Washington, Pa., says: "I have found Kodol Dyspepsia Cure an excellent remedy in case of stomach

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morning numbered cards were distributed only \$19.00 for the round trip. Call at Rock among the watchers entitling them to places Island office, 1323 Farnam street,

Tonight the new city council will hold its second session and It is expected that quite a bit of business will be transacted. There is a rumor that Johnston will father an ordinance which will startle some persons, but what the nature of this ordinance is

has not been made public. Johnston was named by Mayor Kelly as one of the members of the finance committee, but he stated in open session that he would not serve. Mayor Kelly asked him to give his reasons, but this Johnston refused to do, and the mayor propeses to hold Johnston to his appointment. In case Mr. Johnston refuses to serve on

the finance committee or on any other committees to which he had been appointed it is likely that stops will be taken to remove him from office. In speaking of Johnston's attitude a former democratic city official said that Johnston was doing all he could to throw discredit upon the present reshould be called down "good and hard." As for his refusing to serve on the finance committee this democrat said that in his opinion in case of persistent refusal Johnston should be disciplined by the council. In plain terms, he should be impeached and removed from office. Other democrats talk The Indians boarded the train at Rushin the same way, which goes to show that ville. That town was aswarm with Indians from the Pine Ridge reservation, who had the better element of democracy does not believe in the moves Johnston is making. It is presumed that tonight another efforwill be made to secure the confirmation of a councilman to take the vacant seat of Kelly Just what Mayor Kelly's plans are no one seems to know, but it is possible he will clave was held. The stillness was pene- again submit the name of C. C. Clifton. If trated by the weird, hideous cries which the Mr. Clifton is not confirmed this time it is likely that other names will be presented. Some changes in the departments will aboard the train and as it started away the mands the attention of the chiof executive. made a vivid impression upon the minds as well as a garbage master, and then the of those who heard the cries and witnessed work of cleaning the city will be commenced in carnest.

Expert Accountant Beck worked all day yesterday on the city treasurer's books and promised that the balance sheet would be eady tonight. His report, however, will be delayed for a day or two, but the amount well will be reported to the council tonight. It is expected that the transfer of

Street Car Improvement. Members of the South Omaha Commercial dub are greatly pleased with the result of the interview with President Frank Murphy of the Omaha Street Railway company. According to agreement, President Murphy and General Manager Smith will visit South Omaha today to investigate the demands for better service and an extension of the present system. There is an active demand for an extension of the Q street line and America exposition at Buffalo. The report also for a cross-town line. The people in the east portion of the city demand the extension of the Thirteenth street line, and a request for a better grade of rolling stock has also been made. Under the direction of President Flynn and Secretary Watking, the round will be thoroughly looked over by Messrs. Murphy and Smith, and it is hoped that improvements will soon follow the

Bulla Slated for President. If there is anything in street reports, harnony is an absent factor among the demoerats on the Board of Education just now. On May 7 the board will meet to reorganize and the three recently elected republican numbers will take their seats. The board will then consist of eix democrats and three republicans. As there is a lack of harmony among the democratic members it is retwo or three have already been alienated and because the combination sees itself republican members. Just how successful they will be remains to be seen. Jim Bulla is being pushed for president of the board and he appears to have a good chance of winning, as it will be impossible this year to elect a republican precident. It is expected that there will be some lively times when the board reorganizes,

Death of George Schmidt. George Schmidt, one of the best known Germans in the city, died at his home, Twenty-fourth and L streets, yesterday The announcement came as a shock to hi many friends. For some months the deceased had been suffering from pulmonary age and was a member of the Omaha Veteran Fire Department association. For the last few years Mr. Schmidt was manager of the South Omaha pop works at Twenty fourth and L streets. Arrangements for the funeral will be completed today.

Extensive improvements will be made a the South Omaha brewery this spring. A contract has been let for the moving of President Jetter's residence to a point a that the son of Britain was constrained to block north of the brewery and on the ground vacated a building will be erected to be used as bottling works. Plans have been drawn for this building and a considerable portion of the machinery to be used has been ordered. The structure will be of brick and modern in every respect, It is estimated the improvement will cost

An Annoying Practice.

The attention of the municipal authoriies is to be called to the practice of boys umping on and off moving motor trains. Accidents of a serious nature are frequently barely averted and the conductors have a hard time of it. The suggestion has been made that Mayor Kelly instruct the policemen on Twenty-fourth street to arrest all boys caught jumping on and off moving cars. It is believed that if an example is made the practice can be broken up.

Enster Services. The rain yesterday detracted somewhat from the Easter services. There was, how-

ever, a good attendance at all of the houses of worship and the music was one of the Mrs. J. Hudelson is reported quite sick. For the best results advertise in Th

The assessors with their work. assessors are getting along nicely Ted Perrine has returned from a trip to Hot Springs, S. D. Harry Ellis lost a pocketbook at the Exchange building Saturday.

The Lotus club will give a dancing party at Masonic hall Tuesday night. Residents appear to be anxious for the appointment of a chief of police.

Yesterday's rain assisted the street de-partment in cleaning the paved streets. George Parks is here from Kansas City. He says that the Cudahy buildings there are about completed. It is understood that the Bohemian lodges intend planting a number of trees abo J. M. Gillan of Omaha spoke at the Young Men's Christian association men's meeting yesterday afternoon.

Letter carriers in the residence portion of the city will commence delivering and receipting for registered letters today.

Mrs. Kent White and Miss Baller of Denver will hold revival services at Twenty-fourth and L streets every evening this week. George Chace, feedmaster at the stock yards, has returned from Houston, Tex., where he was called by the serious ill-ness of a relative:

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