FATHER DOWLING EXPLAINS

Fresident of Creighten College Talks Chicago Meeting.

ATTACK UPON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

General Discussion of Catholic Educational Institutions is the Main Peature of the Session-High School is Proposed.

"There is an impression that the meeting of the presidents of the Catholic cololic educational institutions on a system similar to that of the public schools. Such an object was far from our intentions, as we believe that in many re-

terday afternoon. "The object of the meeting." Father Dowling continued, "is the same that is and Latin, while others are in favor of dropping Greek and permitting the candidate for admission to qualify in German or English. This question was taken up by and for a dozen years it has been dis-We took it up about three years tion, while it is still being discussed by the other colleges. A committee formulated a preliminary report at the last meetcountry and next year a positive rule may be adopted.

Catholic High Schools.

"One of our other important subjects was the establishment of Catholic high schools. At present there is nothing between the parochial primary school and leges have been forced to maintain a pre-paratory course, equivalent to the high \$125,000 in general indebtedness bonds most school, where pupils could be qualified to if not all of the outstanding district inenter the college proper. This has been considered a burden which the colleges should not bear and we are trying to devise rate of interest and the city saved from some plan whereby the expense may be borne by other institutions. In cities like credit of the city can be firmly established Omaha the parishes might combine to es- and a good premium will doubtless be paid tablish a Catholic high school, which for such an issue. could care for the pupils in an adequate manner. In some of the parishes in Chicago high schools are maintained now, but they are too expensive for any one parish is essential that the council get together in Omaha. The colleges need feeders, and and take steps to arrange for a new issue the Catholic high school can prepare pupils as soon as possible. for entrance into Catholic colleges far better than can the schools of the state. The convention had no power to establish such schools, so it recommended their establishment by the church. The power to

in the several states. In some states the purchase more ground will be discussed. legislatures have, in our opinion, entered The suggestion has been made that the a field which they should let alone. In New two lots on the north of the Hoctor site York it is now ordained that no person be bought by the board in order that there shall begin the study of law or medicine may be plenty of room for the proposed until they have completed a high school. High school. At the last meeting of the education and that no degrees shall be granted by colleges to persons who have not mastered certain branches of study. Illinois proposes to enact a law which will settled there will doubtless be a decision declare that degrees may not be granted by as to the date of commencement of the schools not endowed to the amount of at structure least \$100,000. This will injure some Catholic institutions, perhaps, for the reason that we do not require such a large en- their seats until the first meeting in May. downment to accomplish the result of a at which time the board will meet and similar non-Catholic school, because we organize. do not have to pay salaries to our in-

Assuming Too Much.

"The state is taking too much upon itself. The education of a child is a parental right and a parental duty. The state can encourage the parent in the exercise of the right or require it to perform the cation,' you may say, and we respond, Yes; every child has a right to an education and every Christian child has a right to a Christian education,' and a parent should not be forced to educate a child in something he doesn't want.

The convention at Chicago intended no

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the country, and none was made. We only MELLOWEST OF THE BUNCH attack upon the public school system discussed the subject incidentally, because we believe that we have a better system. We do not try to teach all things, but what we do teach, we believe, we teach better than is taught in any public school. The reports sent out by the press dis patches were neither accurate nor complete. The full report will be published in book form shortly and those interested in the subject can learn all that was done."

South Omaha News.

A meeting of the city council will be held tonight and it is possible that Mayor Kelly leges at Chicago last week was for the may name two members of the council to purpose of endeavoring to place the Cath- fill the existing vacancies. It was reported last week that the two appointees had been agreed upon and that there would be no trouble about confirmation. Rumor has it that N. B. Mead is slated for one spects we are shead of anything which that of the places and Ed Johnston for the other. system possesses," said Rev. M. P. Dowling, Members of the city government are S. J., president of Creighton college, yes- anxious to have the vacancies filled so that considerable business which has been hang-

ing fire may be disposed of. One of the matters of greatest importance calling together educators of all other is the taking care of the \$70,000 refunding schools and colleges in the country; the bond issue. This issue was authorized on same which brought into existence the Na- November 1 and has been hanging fire ever tional Educational association and similar since. The bonds when put up for bids societies. One of the principal things we were awarded to C. R. Hannan of Council discussed was a plan of securing a uniform Bluffs, who bid \$2,400 premium. At the standard for admission to the freshman time the bid was accepted by the council classes of the various colleges. At the a check for \$1,000 was put up by Hannan present time different standards are main-as a forfeit. Investigation shows that the tained. Some of the colleges require Greek check cannot be used by the city on account of the conditions written on the back. According to the agreement between the council and the purchaser the bonds some other modern language other than were purchased subject to the opinion of Mr. Hannan's attorneys. The attorneys the non-Catholic colleges many years ago have turned the issue down, and as these conditions were written on the back ago and expect to settle it to our satisfac- of the check, the city has no recourse. Histories of the issue have been sent by Mr. Hannan to two or three different firms of municipal bond attorneys and the reply has been invariably the same—that the issue ing and it will be submitted to a refer-endum vote of the Catholic colleges of the is not a good investment. The sewer bonds for districts 108, 109 and 110 are in the same boat.

It is understood to be the intention of the council to submit a bond proposition to the people. By voting general indebtedness bonds at a low rate of interest, say 4 per cent, the district bonds which bear 6 the college, and for that reason the colin interest made. If there was an issue of debtedness which has been declared void by the courts can be taken up at a low further litigation. Again, by doing this the

The semi-annual interest on the \$70,000 issue falls due on May 1 and there is no money on hand to meet the payments, so I

School Board Meets.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Education is to be held tonight. Reports from committees on the High school proposition will be made most likely and the do this rests in the bishops.

"We also discussed the educational laws question as to whether it is advisable to

> The newly elected members of the board Loechner, Kubat and Murphy, will not take

Planning for Re-Assessment.

An ordinance will be introduced into the council very shortly making a re-assessment of the special taxes for the pavement of Twenty-fourth street and also some other paving districts which have been declared illegal by the courts. The procedure will be the same as if the pavement was new Every child has a right to an edu- and after the ordinance has been published the council will sit as a board of equalization. Those who have paid all of the original tax will not be assessed again and those who have paid part will be assessed for the balance due. A full assessment will be made against the property which has not paid any portion of this tax. In this way it is expected that the city will recover quite a sum of money due and at the same time place itself in a good financial position. This re-assessment provision is one of the important features of the new

> Watching for Thieves. Detectives in the employ of the railroads are now watching the yards between here and Omaha day and night for the purpose of catching thieves who have been stealing brass fittings from cars. During the last month at least \$50 worth of brass fittings have been stolen from cars standing on the tracks between here and Sheely. These fittings have been sold to junk dealers for from 5 to 10 cents spiece. It is the intention of the detectives to prosecute every person caught stealing brass fittings from

> Magie City Gossip.
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> Druggists must take out liquor licenses this year. W. H. Cressey of the Joint Car Inspec-tion bureau is on the sick list. Chief of Police Mitchell is expected home from his southern trip today. A series of revival services commenced t the Methodist church yesterday.

> William Gilchrist of Toronto, Ont., has decided to make South Omaha his home. It is reported here that the southwestern cattle ranges are in fine condition now. Tax Commissioner Fitzgerald will assume the duties of his office today or tomorrow. Chief Etter of the fire department will be on duty again today after a few days illness.

> Liquor dealers will be urged by the city council to file their applications for permits at once. City Treasurer Koutsky is still after those who are behind in the payment of personal taxes.

The class for confirmation met at the Episcopal rectory at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for instruction.

Editor J. M. Tanner of the Tribune celebrated his fortieth birthday in an appropriate manner Saturday night. Services were held at St. Edward's mis-sion, Trenty-sixth and Adams streets, last evening by Rev. Irving P. Johnson.

The funeral of Mrs. Bentz. mother of Mrs. Frank Spear, was held at the First Methodist Episcopal church yesterday aft-"A Christian Conversation" was the topic of an interesting sermon delivered yesterday morning at St. Martin's Episcopai terday morning at St. Martin's Episcopai church by Rev. Irving Johnson. The vested choir repeated the Easter music. The annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian association will be held in the association parlors, 2418 N street, at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Secretary Wills of the Omaha association will address the meeting, and refreshments will be served.

The Most Stubborn Coughs. resulting from an attack of la grippe or Tar, which strengthens the lungs and makes from the balcony. The house was crowded Try & case of Schlits Beer, Tel. DIS. them sound. for both afternoon and night.

Thrilling Meledrama, "The Eleventh Hour," Evokes Shouts of Delight.

HERO DIGS OUT OF A DARK DUNGEON

Boy Who Turns the Mill Wheel Earns His Money - Hair-Lifting Scene in the Block

"The Eleventh Hour," probably the melowest of Lincoln J. Carter's melodramas, has come and gone. Sunday afternoon and evening the Boyd stage was illuminated by the flash of its blank cartridges and the glint of its tin daggers, but now this arsenal of properties is on its way to spread nervous prestration elsewhere and the theater supes are clensing the boards of red aniline blood and the atmosphere of calcium.

"The Eleventh Hour" is a good name, but "The 11:59 P. M." would be more exact, as in each one of its five acts a calamity is averted by the arrival of the hero in the nick of time. It is a matter of seconds, not hours. Each one of the male players is knocked on the head at least once during the course of the play. One of the women is choked by the villian and dragged off the stage by her hair. The sheriff is rendered hors de combat by means of drugged whisky. An attempt to wreck a rain is frustrated and the hero-in-chief is kidnaped and imprisoned in a dungeon under the Chicago river.

When the Trouble Starts.

These are a few of the situations in the play, the principal scene of which is laid n DeKalb county, Illinois. Old Samuel Hackett, who has just inherited \$1,000,000 is a miller and lives by the mill, though what stream there is in DeKalb county to turn his wheel does not appear on the map. It is true there is Kishwaukee creek, but it isn't moist enough to dampen a sponge. Still, these are triffing matters, which in no way embarrass the melodramatist or the play actors who intrepret him, especially when a boy can be hired at 15 cents a night to turn the wheel.

An especially thrilling scene that causes one to wonder who has been careless enough to leave a window open was pulled off in the interior of the block tower. A block tower is a kind of a look-out station beside a railroad switch and is equipped with levers, the manipulation of which opens and closes the switches and discloses the white and red lights. In the third act Fritz Peltz and Kittle Manley, his flancee, drop in to pay their respects to Mike O'Brien, the watchman. Fritz has overheard a plot between the villians to wreck the Northwestern train, on which rides the hero with \$150,000 in crisp new bills, so he plans to thwart them. While they are waiting for the villians to arrive O'Brien explains the mechanism of the levers.

Villians Do Their Work. Finally the heads of the villians appear stealthily above the hatch. For a moment t looks as if O'Brien is going to preside at a pink tea in the block tower, and then the villians draw their billies and make a mess of it all by knocking O'Brien and Peltz on the head. For several seconds the rumble of the approaching train has been heard. Every instant it draws closer. Somebody back in the flies blows on a syren whistle and clangs a dinner bell. It is clear to all that the train is a few seconds late, for the villians have already thrown the lever so as to switch the train onto the side track, where it will bump into a line of box cars, and now they have nothing to do. There would have been an awkward pause if the watchman and Peltz hadn't come to life opportunely and given again. Then there is a rush of wheels, a

backs while Miss Manley steps up and throws the switch back in place. Goes to a Beer Garden. After this act the audience is transported from DeKalb county to Chicago, the county seat of Cook county, and is treated to a realistic beer-drinking scene in a suburban garden. The hero digs his way out of the lungeon and appears just in time to thwart marriage between the hero and the villian-in-chief, and finally the curtain goes lown on a grand furnitur -- a nashing, freefor-all fight. It was in the play to smash the chandeller among other things, but as

sparks and the villians politely turn their

the box receipts weren't very large, this was spared to do service another time. The week's vaudeville program given its initial presentation Sunday afternoon comes well up to the standard of excellence set by the management of this theater earlier in the season. It can hardly be called the best one of the year, but for the provocation of mirth it will rank alongside of any, with possibly one exception, furnished during the season. It was witnessed by the usual large afternoon and evening audiences. Stuart Robson, the well known comedian, who passed Sunday in Omaha, together with his manager and other members of his company, occupied a box at the evening performance, and no one in the audience

laughed more heartily or seemed more amused than Mr. Robson. McIntyre and Heath, blackface entertainers, whose famous old Georgia minstrels be remembered by veteran theater-goers, justly occupy the headline position on the bill. They offer a new act, "The Man from Montana," which is an absurdity brimming over with humorous dialogue, made additionally laughable by the personality of

these two comedians. Adgie, lion tamer, offers an act decidedly the most dangerous upon the program. She puts two full grown lionesses and one monster lion through a drill that so tries the temper of the feroclous beasts that the woman is kept constantly on the alert to avoid the clumsy paws that are thrust at

her frequently. Miss St. George is a vocal artist of uncommon ability as well as a splendid harpist. The Rosinos offer an acrobatic turn that is clever. Maude McIntyre is a fair dialect singer and monologue artist. Harris and Walters kept the audience in an uproas for half an hour with their comedy, "A Dark-Eyed Widow." The kinodrome, as usual, shows a number of new motion pictures, among which are several of the inauguration of President McKinley in Washington this spring. The president is of tures, which are remarkably clear and good.

The Gay Masqueraders opened the week at Miaco's Trocadero with a sprightly program, full of ginger and laughs. Snap Shot," a lively skit in which the full force of the company is employed, introduced the bill, followed by various specialties, all good, and several of them considerably above the average. Kessner and Reid appeared in a potpourri of songs and acrobatic dances. The versatile artists, Swift and Huber, did a clever turn, as did the comic musical entertainers, Sullivan and Pasqueling, and John R. and Lillian Hoover. Charles and Minnie Savan and Harry Smirl, acrobatic dancers and tumblers, did something entirely unique in their line and elicited a continuous torren: of applause. The burlesque was well up to the standard maintained by the house the handsome chorus girls comprising it heavy cold, must yield to the wonderful showing to the best advantage in the colhealing properties of Foley's Honey and ored calcium lights projected upon them



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Deputy Sheriff Williams Kills Jack Pewell. Would-Be Assassin.

SEQUEL TO ABOLITION OF MARTIAL LAW

Idaho Desperadoes After Revenge on Officers Who Served While It Was in Force in Shoshone County.

WALLACE, Idaho, April 14.-Jack Powell was shot and killed at Mullen last night by Deputy Sheriff Williams. Three men fired from ambush at Deputy Sheriffs James Rose and Williams about midnight, wounding Rose twice in the right arm and once in the right thigh. Deputy Williams fired six or seven shots in the direc-Jack Powell. Powell was seen running away after the shooting and his body was not found until this morning.

Martial law, which has been in force in Shoshone county since the Bunker Hill and Sullivan concentrator was blown up on April 29, 1899, was abolished last Thursday by Governor Hunt. Threats had been made that with the abolition of martial law ail who served as officers under it would be "done up." and it is said these officers never went out alone after dark.

PYTHIANS HEAR A SERMON Special Services for the Knights at the Church of St. Philip

the Deacon. The annual sermon before the colored Knights of Pythias was preached yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. A. Williams at the church of St. Philip the Deacon, the knights attending the vesper service in a body. The Easter music was repeated in connection with the presentation of the full choral song. In his sermon Rev. Williams spoke of the duties of the true knight and his characteristic fidelity and self-sacrifice.

In giving the definition of a knight, he said he is one who serves. "True service calls for self-sacrifice. All such societies as the Knights of Pythias are founded on altruistic principles; those laid down by Christ. The measure of true service is exemplified by Christ and if the order would be true to the intention of its founders it should stand for those principles and should be composed of true knights.

"When knighthood was in flower it gave

itself to the protection of the weak; to the guardianchip of womanhood; to the maintainance of manly honor and to the defense of religion. A knight in those days of old was a synonym of honor, honesty and sobriety; knighthood was a synonym of manly purity, virile strength and courage, stern aceticism, self-mastery and strict

temperance."

He then asked the members of the Pythian order before him if their lodge stood for such principles. He urged them to undergo a self-examination. He urged that they should not be satisfied with playing as knights, with gay trappings and a name, but that they should strive to stand for all that is meant by that name.

LIQUOR FOR RED MEN Agent Mathewson Says Whisky Selling on Reservation is Giving

Officers Some Trouble. Charles P. Mathewson, Indian agent at the Omaha and Winnebago reservation, was in the city Sunday. Mr. Mathewson says that the smallpox has been eradicated from the reservations with the exception of one or two isolated cases, which are very mild. The greatest trouble at the agency is now caused by the "bootleggers" who are selling liquor in greater quantities than usual. They were not prosecuted at the last term in the federal court because the judge would not permit the necessary witnesses to leave the reservation on account of smallpox. The "bootleggers" took this to mean that the government would be lenient with the violators of the law, and now the government has to be doubly rigorous to inspire the lawbreakers with wholesome fear which will restrain the

flow of liquor. Could Fill the Paper with Them. This paper might be filled with items like the following, and every one be the absolute truth: "I had rheumatism for years and tried almost everything, but got no permanent relief until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm, three bottles of which have It is the best medicine I ever used."-Philip E. Rhoads, Pennville, Mo. Pain Balm is for sale by all druggists.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The annual guild meeting of the church of St. Philip the Deacon will be in the Guild hall on North Twenty-first street Thursday evening.

The commissary department of the United States army this morning advertises for fresh beef for all of the posts in the Department of the Missouri for the six months ending December 31, 1901. The amount required will approximate 509,000 pounds.



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