C. Peters Buys Property for Alfalfa Stock Food Mill

CHICAGO FOR MACHINERY

nts Up Bond and Convinces City H Means Business in Erection of a Good

Plant.

Deeds for blocks 6 and 16, in the northern part of South Omaha, have been recorded by M. C. Peters, and an alfalfa stock food mill for South Omaha is assured. In discussing his project Mr. Peters said Architect Kimball is now engaged in drawing plans for the mills. Temporary buildings will be erected as a starter and the new mills are to be in operation by September 1.

"Do not think," said Mr. Peters, "that because we are putting up temporary buildings they will be of the tar-shanty of duty. kind. Nothing of the sort is intended. It will take us fully a year to complete the construction of our permanent buildings. South Omaha people must have a little patience in matters of this kind."

Mr. Peters said he had bought the machirery in the old Hammond plant. The boilers will be bought in Chicago and Mr. Peters left on Saturday morning for the Windy City to close contracts for the boil-Before going east Mr. Peters joined the South Omaha Commercial club. In presenting his application and membership fee to Secretary Cilver, Mr. Peters said be was here to stay and was ready at all times to do everything in his power to boost South Omaha.

In addition to joining the Commercial club Mr. Peters has carried out his contract with the city by furnishing a bond in the American Bonding company of Baltimore for \$2,500. This bond is given to support his agreement with the city to construct. equip and begin to operate a mill for the manufacture of food for stock within one

Plans are now being drawn for the Burlington tracks to run south on Twentyninth street from A to D streets and the expectation is that grading for these tracks will begin within a very short time.

Union . Workmen Meeting. A union meeting of lodges 66, 227 and 328, O. U. W., will be held at Workman temto Tuesday night of this week. Grand aster Workman O. J. Van Dyke will be weesent and has expressed a desire to meet as many members as possible at this meeting. Matters of importance will be discussed by the grand master and others. All members are urged to attend this meet-

Semi-Annual Water Bill. The Omaha Water company has filed its in service from December 21, 1904, to June 1906. This bill amounts to \$6,195. For 206 hydrants the city pays an annual rental remain a balance to be carried forward to the coming fiscal year which commences in August.

Dr. White Seriously III. Dr. W. S. White is seriously ill at his home in South Omaha. Some time ago Dr. White was taken ill, but was apparently better for a short time. He is so seriously ill now that Dr. Foote of Omaha and other physicians do not hold out any great hopes of his recovery. Malignant cancer is supposed to be the cause of Dr. Inquiry yesterday elicited the information that Dr. White was not as well as on Friday and he is now not able to take any nourishment to

Saturday the Board of Review sent no- nothing new that I can tell you," continued tices to the live stock dealers at the Ex- the mother. change to appear before the board on Tuesday to show why the assessment made little flower garden at her home, and with against them should not be increased. It tear-dimmed eyes and trembling voice, told appears that an attempt is to be made of the mother love that is nearly rending to assess the live stock exchange member- her heart in twain. ships. P. A. Barrett, special agent for the the most important cases will hardly be ng disposed of daily. The Board of Re- and we may be reunited again." must complete its labors by Saturday night of this week.

Teachers' Examination This Week dates for positions as teachers in th South Omaha public schools will be held three days this week at the high school building commencing Monday. The program follows:

Monday-Forenoon, Arithmetic and geogaphy; afternoon, grammar, penmans

Tuesday—Forenoon, physiology and theory and art; afternoon, English composition, orthography and drawing.

Wednesday—Forenoon, reading and history; afternoon, civil government and physical geography.

Examination hours will be 3 to 12 in the Examination hours will be 9 to 12 in the forencon, and 1 to 5 in the afternoon.

All applicants for certificates who have not had successful experience as teachers must have completed a high school course or its equivalent.

Magie City Gossip. Storage and hauling. Brewer, Tel. No. 20, D. L. Holmes left yesterday for Niagara Palls, N. Y. Miss Cecil Lyon has gone to Illinois to

Miss Funnic Brown is visiting friends at Galaway, N. Y. The work of the street repair force last week cost the city \$192

W. B. Cheek and wife are spending a few days in Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCulloch announce he birth of a daughter. Mrs. L. F. Etter is reported to be quite sick with throat trouble. Mrs. Charles Burch has returned from an extended western trip.

Teachers examinations commence at the high school building on Monday. Mark Beetham has gone to Colorado attend the funeral of Al Pearson. A new crossing and a little grading is needed at Twenty-fifth and J streets.

Mrs. Peter Powers, Thirty-second and S streets, left yesterday for an eastern trip. George Karil left Friday night for Sar Francisco to look after some business mat S. C. Shrigley has bought the Heath barber shop at 410% North Twenty-fourth

and Mrs. Ed Burke went to Chi-Dr. and Mrs. VanSiyke have moved into their new home at Twenty-second and Charles Taylor and family have gone

where they expect to make Wheeler has gone to Chicago to the summer school of the Universty of Chicago.

tudying music. Rev. Andrew Renwick will preach morning and evening today at the United Prespyterian church. A half dozen prisoners are now engaged

n sweeping the pavement on some The Union Pacific has completed the lay-ag of the new city track. All the track eeds now is ballast.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Clark left Saturday or Montroal and Toronto, where they will oft for a few weeks. children's day will be observed at the unday school services at the United resbyterian church today.

Dana Morrill and Councilman Frank

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA Dyorak left Saturday for Blue Lake, Ia., to spend a few days fishing. to spend a few days fishing.

The young people of the Baptist church will serve ice cream at Highland park on Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. John Mcliroy and daughter, Ramona, have gone to Chicago to visit relatives for ten days or two weeks.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet with Mrs. E. D. Wiers, 1911 North Twenty-third street, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston, formerly of South Omaha, are conducting a summer resort at their home, "The Oaks," near Applegate, Cal.

W. J. Robinson, local agent of the Union Pacific, has returned from Minneapolis, where he attended a convention of rail-way station agents.

way station agents.

Al Pearson, formerly a brand inspector at the yards here, died Friday at Hastings. The remains will be forwarded to Littleton, Colo., for interment.

Rev. Mr. Wheeler states that a very interesting program is in preparation for the missionary meeting of the Presbyterian church to be held June 29.

The drill team of camp No. 1095, Modern Woodmen of America, left last night for Milwaukee to attend the annual competitive drill and convention.

Toesday evening the Fire and Police

Tuesday evening the Fire and Police commissioners will meet and hear the charges against Officer Ringer. This offi-ber is charged by Chief Briggs with negiect

of duty.

"Christ, the Spiritual Rock," is the sub-ject of Rev. G. W. Burch's sermon to the Christian church congregation this fore-noon. In the evening Children's day exer-cises will be held.

The Epworth league tendered a farewell reception to Dr. Eldon J. Smith at the First Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening. Dr. Smith leaves on Tuesday for Burwell, Neb. day for Burwell, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bergquist have gone
to Stockholm, Sweden, for a month's stay.

After leaving Sweden Mr. and Mrs. Bergquist will tour Norway and Germany, returning home some time in September.

#### GUY NESTEL GETS FIVE YEARS Last of Young Burglars Must Leave Devoted Wife for State

Penitentiary.

Guy Nestel, the last or one three young burglars and hold-up men who kept the police in hot water the latter part of the winter and who were finally rounded up in April, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by Judge Day.

for a lenient sentence. He said Nestel was raised respectably ir Omaha and for many years had maintained a good reputation. He had fallen into bad company and so found himself amenable to the law. Mr. Rush suggested that as the young man had turned state's evidence and has a wife who has stuck by him and intends to lead him to the right path again when he gets out, one year, the minimum penalty provided by law, would serve all the ends of justice. Judge Day said he had talked with Nestel's wife and with his former employers, and, while he would be lenient, he could not overlook the heniousness of entering dwelling houses in the night time to rob and perhaps kill, if caught. Weber had been given ten years and Hassman eight bills with the city clerk for fire hydrants for the same crimes, practically. He therefore thought a five-year sentence would not be too heavy in Nestel's case.

Mrs. Nestel, with a veil over her face, \$60 and for three intermediate hydrants sat by her young husband's side as he According to the last statement of faced the Judge. She was in tears after and were conducted through the mysteries the city clerk showing the condition of the the talking began, but kept her feelings of the order. Next meeting will be held funds on May 31 there remained a balance well under control. Nestel himself did not June 20, and every member is urged to in the water fund of \$8,362. When the give way except for a moment as the judge be in attendance. Under the good of the half year's rental is paid there will still alluded to his wife and her constant devo- order several of the visiting members who would be taken for anything but a freshments were served

#### MOTHER PRAYS AND WAITS Coulter, Deep Grieved, Thinks Her Daughter Will

"I have heard nothing from Dr. Coulter the order. Coulter at her home, 2813 North Twentieth derstood Mr. Coulter had taken the girls to Iowa, but he could not tell to what part of the state. Further than that there is

Mrs. Coulter was walking through her

"I cannot help but feel that the girls legal department of the city is serving will come back to me, and I am waiting the notices on the live stock dealers. Some and waiting, but it is so hard. I have complaints are being made daily to the asked God to give me strength to wait board, but these complaints are being filed until they return, and if I just do not for future reference and a decision in get sick I will be thankful. Something tells me that whatever is, is best, and given out until the nearing of the end that through the presence of my daughof the session. Minor complaints are be- ters the doctor's heart will be softened

There is a well defined feeling of sympathy in neighborhood for the mother in

#### Examinations for those who are candi- HARD FIGHT FOR POLLARD Senator Mockett Says First District Republican Majority Will Be Materially Cut.

"I think Pollard will be elected all right, but he is going to have a close run," asserted Senator Mockett, former speaker of the state house of representatives, who is up from Lincoln on private business. Mayor Brown of Lincoln, the democratic ominee, will make a good run, for the reason that, as has been reported, there is considerable disaffection in the republican ranks over the nomination of Pollard of Cass county, but even at that I do not see how Mr. Brown can be elected.

"It is this way: The railroads, to begin with, did not want Pollard nominated; he was nominated in spite of their influence The railroads therefore will not aid in his election. Lancaster county did not want him nominated, neither did the Reavis people, and, of course, the Neal people, who at one time had the nomination and lost it when Pollard triumphed, did not want him. I do not say what amount of disaffection there is left in these various elements, but it is natural to assume there

"The republican majority in the First district will be cut very materially."

### JUDGE EASTMAN BLAMELESS Charges of Misfeasance in Office Fall

Flat Before the County Board.

At its meeting Saturday morning the Beard of County Commissioners formally adopted a resolution rejecting the complaint of Charles Segi against Justice of the Peace Eastman Segi had asked that acts and for misfeasance in office.

After a hearing at which neither Segi or his attorney appeared it was made plain by Attorney Wells, for Judge Eastman, and County Attorney Slabaugh, as adviser of the board, that there was absolutely no ground for the charges made agninst Judge Eastman, regt had been bound over to keep the peace and had evidently attempted to get even with the justice by the charges sent to the board. Judge Eastman was unanimously acquitted

rejected by a like vote. Young Dennison Holds His Own. According to reports from the Wise femorial hospital, John Dennison, the 5-year-old boy who was run over motor Friday, is holding his own. Although his foot had to be amputated he is not

aware of the loss of the member.

#### ECHOES OF THE ANTEROOM

Grand Army of the Republic. Grant post No. 110, Grand Army of the Republic, recently has adopted a feature and in respect to the dead comrade that of its deceased members. is destined to become very generally observed. It has hitherto been the practice of the post to send flowers to the house on the occasion of the death of a com-This custom, while a beautiful one, pathy the post desired to convey, and at the last meeting of the post it was decided, upon the motion and suggestion of provide a handsome silk flag to be placed upon the bier of the dead comrade and be buried with him, if the family so desired, or the fing could be kept by the family as a memento of the sad event if they so preferred. A number of flags have already been procured for this purpose. They are of silk, and 3x5 feet in size. There have been fifty-three deaths in Grant post since its organization in 1882. The first death occurred in 1888. The greatest mortality in the post in any one year was eight, in the year 1902. In 1904 there were but four deaths. However, the present year promises to surpass all previous years in its mortality record. Thus far during 1905, but five and onehalf months, there have been six deaths among the members of the post, out of a total membership of 116

Ladies of Maccabees, The lawn social to have been given by Gate City hive, No. 9, last week will be given Thursday evening, June 22, at the home of Mrs. Kunsman, 2107 Spencer street. A large attendance of members is

Daughters of Pocahontas. Minnehaha council No. 2 will give a card and dancing party at Myrtle hall Satur day evening. June 24. An interesting pro-Attorney S. R. Rush made a strong plea gram has been provided and a big at

tendance is looked for.

Ladies of the Grand Army. Garfield circle No. 11 held a largely at tended meeting Friday afternoon at Red Men's hall in Continental block. The Union Veterans' Union Division was holding its encampment earlier in the day, and the members of the union not already mem bers of the circle were admitted to membership, which very materially increases the roll of members of Garfield circle. The affairs of the circle are highly prosper ous and an increased interest is being taken in each meeting.

Tribe of Ben-Hur. Omaha court No. 110 held its regular neeting on last Tuesday evening with fully 200 attendance. The degree team from Capital City court of Lincoln was present and exemplified the ritualistic work. Thirty-six candidates were present tion. He is a bright-looking young fellow spoke. At the conclusion of the work re

> Boynton tent No. 1291 held its regular review on last Wednesday evening with a large number of sir knights present. Three applications were read and referred, and two balloted upon and the applicants elected to membership. Several members spoke on topics of interest under good of

street, Saturday morning. "The doctor's Friday evening. Business of importance. attorney, H. H. Baldrige, told me he unof a program of ice cream and cake

> Woman's Relief Corps Arrangements have been completed for an elaborate reception to be given in honor of Mrs. R. S. Wilcox, the new department president of the Woman's Relief corps. and to Mrs. Camilla Elliott, the newly elected department president of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will be held next Tuesday evening June

Order of United Workmen temple, corner of Fourteenth and Dodge streets. Judge Fawcett will deliver the address of welcome and remarks will follow by various members of the different organizations present. A cordial invitation is extended to all Grand Army posts of Omaha and South Omaha as well as all Woman's Relief corps' organizations and circles of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Re-

public to be present. Royal Achates. gram was heartily encored. After the

the evening. A large class of candidates will be initiated at the next regular meeting of the lodge, Tuesday evening, June 20 Bankers Union of the World.

Omaha lodge No. 1 held one of its most pleasant and successful sessions last Thursday evening in its hall, Harney and tendance. Dr. W. F. Hutchinson, supreme physician, obligated a large class of new members. The Bankers' goat was in good ondition and did his work admirably. A good class of applicants for membership was balloted upon. Refreshments were served, consisting of strawberries, ice cream and cake. Games and dancing were heartily entered into by the bankers and their friends, which continued to a late

Modern Woodmen of America. Most of the local Woodmen left for Milwaukee to attend the Head camp meeting Omaha Camp No. 130, Beach Camp No. 1454 and South Omaha Camp No. 1098. These the justice be impeached for oppressive drilled organizations in the order. No. 120 is already distinguished as being the champion drill team of the order, having won to Chicago. that distinction at the head camp held at Indianapolis three years ago.

The eighth annual encampment of the Nebraska Division of the Union Veterans' union was held at Red Men's hall, in the Continental block Friday afternoon, with some twenty-five or more delegates present. The report of the retiring officers of any wrong doing and the charges were showed that the affairs of the union are in excellent shape, and that the membership throughout the division is now about 500 and rapidly increasing. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the choice of Capt. J.

ommander and J, H. Berger as brigade Colonel Hopper will announce his divis ion staff during the coming week.

Woodmen Circle. Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, suprems guardian of the Woodmen circle, just returned from Memphis, Tenn., where she regarding the observance of the post attended an unveiling of a monument erect-toward the families of deceased members ed by the order to the memory of twelve

Knights of Pythins. Triune lodge, No. 56, will give its annual basket pienic at Briggs station, three miles west of Florence, on July 4. Three seemed to lack the full expression of sym- carryals will be on hand to transport the brethren to the beautiful grounds from the end of the street car lines at Florence The committee in charge has arranged for Dr. R. M. Stone, historian of the post, to much fun, and a general good time is promised for all who will be enabled to at-

> Court of Honor. Loyal District Court of Honor, No. 1018, gave a most enjoyable high five party and social on their last meeting night. Mrs. Chatfield won the lady's first prize, and C. C. Lartz, the gentleman's, Mrs. M. J. Ireland second, and John Pluhatchett sec-

> Elk District Court of Honor held an enjoyable session at its meeting. Much ousiness was transacted and several new applications were received. After the business was concluded a social hour was spent.

Omaha tent. No. 75, is on a boom. Ow ing to pressing business Commander Hartry sent in his resignation. D. A. Fitch was elected to fill his place for the balance of the term. L. B. Stiles of Hooper was present and made a talk for the good of

the order. The picnic committee reported that the picnic to be held at Courtland Beach, July desired, as a very enjoyable evening is 15, would be a huge success. A large numher of tickets are being disposed of The pavilion at the beach has been secured for those who wish to dance and music will be furnished.

### MORTON IS IN CONFERENCE Attorney General Moody Says He Will

Make Statement of Case Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, June 17 .- A long conference was held at the White House today, the president, Secretary Morton and Attorney General Moody being the participants. The conference related to the Santa Fe railroad rebate case, which has been pending before the Department of Justice for several months. Secretary Morton is brought into the case by his admission on the witness stand that when he was a vice president of the Santa Fe road rebates were granted by that system to the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

After the conference today Mr. Moody said that a full statement of the case will be issued by him next Tuesday. At the same time President Roosevelt will make a statement of the position of the admin-

While neither Secretary Morton nor Atorney General Moody would discuss the matter at this time, it can be said that the former has courted the fullest inquiry into his railroad transactions.

#### LUTHERANS BUSY DANISH National Body Decides on State Or ganizations and Calls Professor of Theology.

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., June 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Danish convention discussed the manner of carrying on mis sions in the United States and resolved quested to be present at the meeting next that cach mission carry its own mission work and that the church be divided into There shall be an annual conference within districts to elect officers and to transact

business. The Young People's meeting last evening was addressed by Rev. N. L. Nielsen on 'Work Among Cherokee Indians," and an address by Rev. H. P. Nyrup on "Man's Relation to Christ." An Indian girl. Florence Payne, educated at the Blair school, was appointed assistant to Miss Christlansen, missionary among Indians, Rev. T. Cornellus Erickson of Copen-

20, at the third floor hall in the Ancient hagen, Denmark, was called as theological professor for Trinity seminary, Blair. It was decided that theological students are

#### STRANGE IDEA OF SUPPORT Man Pays Rent and Gives Wife One Dollar and Fifty Cents

n Week.

When C. H. Hoffman, 1819 North Seven Omaha lodge No. 1 entertained some 300 teenth street, explained that he meant by members and friends at Royal Achates supporting his wife that he paid the rent hall last Tuesday evening. After dancing, and left "\$1.50 in the house every Saturduring the early part of the evening, the day," Police Judge Berka smiled and said. company was entertained by the follow- "Eight days." Hoffman had been arrested, ing program: Piano solo, Miss Antoinette charged with abusing his wife, who ap-Parkinson; song, Miss Pansy Higgins; peared in court with a damaged eye. He is firmation has been received here of the after a banquet and dance last night. Of-song, Mr. Louis Yost; duct, the Misses an old soldier and his wife is correspond-report that insurgent natives recently cap-ficers were elected as follows: President, Van Cura; a musical comedy, Mr. and ingly aged. Hoffman had a story about tured Warmbad. German Southwest Africa, C. A. Stephens, Cedar Rapids; first vice Mrs. Jackman. Each number of the pro- how Mrs. Hoffman belabored him with a club because he insisted upon helping a program dancing was resumed and card woman next door "pack up," but a woman games played by those who wished, friend of the wife told the court that the June 2 and evacuated it almost immediately ton; fourth vice president, J. Schmoll, Fort Dainty refreshments were served during women of the Grand Army of the Republic afterward, taking away all the ammenition | Dodge; fifth wice president, William Muelthe support of Mrs. Hoffman; further, that the husband was addicted to drinking. It was the amount that Hoffman comexpenses of the domicile that caused a de- sions. cision against him.

#### Sixteenth streets. There was a large at- BIG - CHECK BELIES STORY Suspicious Character Cannot Convince Police He Hails from Quiet Little Holdrege,

Officer Lahey and Depot Policeman rected to report to General Boyalubow, are being argued by Attorney P. A. Saw-Chamberlain ploked up two men at the chief of the commissariat department here, yer of Sloux City for the defense, who Union station Saturday morning who are where they will go in the event of "the presents a demurrer. Smith's bid for the believed by the police to be expert confidence artists and exploiters of the green ruralite. One of them, who gave the name with them and what railroad they propose accepted and a few days ago he secured a of Charles Farnsworth, is said to have a to travel on. There is much speculation temporary injunction against the boards long prison record and is known by the as to what significance is attachable to restraining them from drawing and signing sobriquet of "Guerilla." He said he was the word "siege" and everyone is at a the contracts for the work. Injunction from Holdrege, Neb., but when a check for loss to know the reasons actuating the cir- proceedings will either be made permanent Saturday night. Among the organizations \$1,400 was found in his pockets the offigoing in a body are the Forester teams of cers at the police station knew Holdrege was too small to produce a creation like Farnsworth. His companion gave the Forester or degree teams are going to name of Harry Williams and registered Milwaukee with the intention of capturing from Hannibal, Mo. Two other suspicious one or more of the prizes for the best characters were picked up because they appeared too much interested in the crowds taking advantage of the low rates

> Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses have been Issued:
> Name and Residence.
> Arthur E. Miller, South Omaha...
> Mary E. Rawley, South Omaha...

Thomas S. Jones, South Omaha Lissie M. Redfearn, South Oma Walter E. Bryan, Lafayette, Ind. Mary R. Doherty, Omaha..... Walter T. Snearley, Omaha Fannie P. Coggin, Omaha... Lawrence B. Whitmarsh, Omaha. Eleanore B. King, Omaha.... Calin A. McKenzie, Omaha...... Lina May Youngs, Portland, Ore, John J. Kiepura, Sloux City, Ia..... Genevieve Tylee, South Omaha..... Francis Hopper as division commandes, and S. F. Moore as brigade commander, Mark C. Case, Omaha... Lucy E. Carlin, Omaha who succeed D. M. Haverly as division



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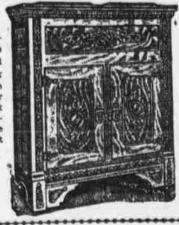
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LAST DAY OF THE WAR GAME Admiral Dickins has Good Weather

to Make Attack on Fort Monroe.

day of the war game opened with an attack on Fort Monroe at dawn by the destrovers and the gunboats of Admiral Dickins' fleet. Just between dark and daylight there is a brief period when conditions are most favorable for offensive naval operations, it being too light for the mearchlights to be effectively operated and too dark to see without them These conditions were taken advantage

of by Admiral Dickins this morning and three of the destroyers and two gunboats crept close to the walls of the fort before they were discovered. An facoming steamship also gave protection to the mosquito flotilla, which banked itself in the lee of the big ship and floated close in before being seen. The fusilade was brief but lively, and at

its conclusion the offending craft departed toward the capes. The squadron is visible in the distance and the officers of artillery expect the game to end in a fusilade at noon.

ALEMAN OF DISACTED IN TRUE The squadron is visible in the distance

### NEWS OF DISASTER IS TRUE Confirmation in Received of Report of Loss of German African

Stronghold, had found it necessary to contribute to and stores, but releasing their prisoners. The German officers escaped.

placently announced he gave toward the taking away all horses, cattle and provi- save Dierks and L. C. Stevens of Sioux

TALKING OF A SIEGE AT WARSAW Government Officials Receive Confi-

dential Document. WARSAW, June 17 .- A mysterious confidential document received by all the Injunction proceedings begun by W. A. higher Russian officials of Warsaw has Smith & Co. against the boards of supercaused a sensation. The officials are di- visors of Motiona and Harrison counties siege of Warsaw" and also how many construction of the Monona-Harrison ditch members of their families they will take was more than \$25,000 less than the bid have been organizing with the view of pillaging the homes of rich citizens, and the police warned the Russian officials to send their families away as a measure of safety. Numbers of people are depositing elected the following officers: their valuables in the banks and are issuing passports in readiness to leave at short notice.

New Scandinavian Diplomat Comes. STOCKHOLM. Sweden, June 17 .- Gustavus Strahle of the Foreign office starts this evening for Washington as the Swedish-Norwegian charge d'affaires, the legations abroad continuing to represent both countries, as Sweden does not recognize the dissolution of the union. Mr. Strahle says he will be glad to renew his acquaintance with the people at Washington, as he has pleasant recollections of his secretaryship there.

Jacob Vallery Dead.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., June 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Jacob Vallery, jr., died at his hopes for recovery.

E. W. Nash continues to improve gradually. The patient's family and friends feel more encouraged as the days go by. ALBIA, Ia., June 17.—Don and Leigh Hollingsworth, aged 10 and 15 years, the sons of Superintendent Hollingsworth of with his patient.

eral manager for the Burlington at Denver, and George F. Vallery, general manager of the Colorado Midland ratiroad.

#### COTTON TRADE IS IMPROVED while trying to save the younger. FORT MONROE, Va., June 17.-The last British Spinners Find Themselves Making Up for Profits Lost

LIVERPOOL, June 17 .- (Special Cablegram to The Bee.)-The committee of the people. The total number of excursionists hers in its quarterly report says, among

other things: During the past three months the cotton industry has continued in a state of prosperity, which is unprecedented during the last twenty years. From the begining of January to the end of April the margin between the price of middling American cottween the price of middling American cotton and 32s twist yarn shows an average of \$5 47d per pound, which is more than \$4d\$ per pound higher than the average for the corresponding period last year. Under these favorable circumstances handsome profits are now being realized by American spinners and the accumulated adverse balances of the recent bad seasons are being rapidly swept away. Our members have been fully employed during the whole of the year and are gradually recovering from the effects

Liquor Dealers Come to Bluffs. DUBUQUE, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.)-Council Bluffs will get the next convention of the Iowa Liquor Dealers' association. This was unanimously agreed upon by the convention at its closing meeting CAPETOWN, Cape Colony, June 17 .- Con- at Dubuque. The convention adjourned near the border of Cape Colony. The at- president, Fred Dierks, Burlington; second tacking force of Hottentots was led by vice president, N. C. Barnes, Ida Grove; Abraham Morris They captured the place third vice president, P. M. Ingwerson, Clinhaupt, Mai own; sixth vice president L. C. Stepl. Sloux City; secretary, J. J. The same force of natives also captured Klein, Council Bluffs; treasurer, L. A. Kalkfonte on June 2, looting the place and Rhomberg, Dubuque. All are holdovers

District Court at Logan. LOGAN, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.)-The April term of the district court reconvened this morning with Judge O. D. Wheeler of Council Bluffs on the bench.

Sunday School Association OTTUMWA, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.)-The Iowa Sabbath School association today President-A. F. N. Hambleton of Oska-

loosa.
Vice Presidents—J. A. Lapham of Osage and N. G. Munn of Chariton.
Recording Scoretary—W. B. Clemmer of Council Bluffs.
General Secretary—B. F. Mitchell of Des Statistical Secretary-Mrs. B. F. Mitchell of Des Moines. Treasurer—J. F. Hardin of Eldora. Field Secretary — Prof. Elias Handy of Mount Pleasant

IOWA CITY, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.) Jacob Dersee of Sloux City, the winner of the Rhodes scholarship, was taken suddenly sick with appendicitis vesterday. He was operated on in the college hospital and has slight hopes for recovery.

Holder of Scholarship III.

was the father of John F. Vallery, gen- this city, were drowned at Ottumwa. Their mother was killed in a runaway last Thanksgiving day. Their father was for fourteen years superintendent of the Albia city school. The older boy was drowned

Sloux City Also Sends a Crowd SIOUX CITY, Ia., June 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-The biggest excursion ever run out of Sioux City went out today over the Illinois Central road, carrying 1,600 people for Chicago. From Sioux Falls went 1,200 Amalgamated Association of Cotton Spin- from the Sloux Falls, Onawa and Sloux City branches was 5,500.

Women to Maintain Park. COLFAX, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.)-The Women's club of Colfax has undertaken to lease and maintain a park in this city. They have rented the Martin Luther lots on First street, which they will fit up for park purposes. A drinking fountain will be put in and other improvements made

Fatal Runaway at Dubuque. DUBUQUE, Ia., June 17 .- William Clark, ged 83, a pioneer resident, was thrown from a carriage in a runaway today and instantly killed.

### HYMENEAL.

Curtis-Brown A marriage at an unusual hour was solemnized Friday night by Rev. Charles W. Savidge, when he united Mr. Judah H. Cur. tis and Miss Ella L. Brown, the daughter of Stephen Brown, in the holy bonds. The ceremony was performed very close to midnight, the reason being that the minister was attending the High school commencement exercises at the Orpheum theater and his services could not be obtained earlier

in the evening. Dunn-Donner. NORFOLK, Neb., June 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-Miss Clara Donner and C. L. Dunn of Omaha were married here today.

Program for Examinations Superintendent of Instruction Davidson has announced the following program of examinations for teachers' certificates to be held at the high school June 19, 30 and Monday, June 19, 1905—Grammar and composition, 9 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.; mathe-matics, 10:30 a. m. to 12 m.; history and civics, 1:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.; American lit-

civics, 1:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.; American literature, 3 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Tuesday, June 20, 1905—Geography, 9 a. m. to 19:30 a. m.; seience, 19:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.; theory and practice, 1:30 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.; spelling, 2:30 p. m. to 3 p. m.; music, 3 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.; drawing, 3:30 p. m. to 4 p. m.; penmanship, 4 p. m. to 4:15 p. m.

Kindergarten examinations Monday, June 19, 1905, 9 a. m.

High school examinations Wednesday, June 21, 1905, 9 a. m. Summer School Program summer school for the coaching of pub-school pupils who have failed of promoic school pupils who have falled of promo-tion or who have lost pace with their class owing to sickness and absences will be opened Monday by Miss E. Virginia Ken-nedy and Miss Eva L. Hamilton in St. John's Guild hall at Twenty-sixth and Franklin streets. All grades above the third will be taught.

Rifle Team Sails. NEW YORK, June 17.—The rifle team from the Seventh regiment, National Guard, New York, which will meet a team representing the Queen's Westminster volunteers in a competitive match at Bisley, England, on July 6 and 7, sailed on the steamer St. Louis today.

Night Watchman is Murdered. ELMIRA, N. Y. June 17.—Elmer Fenner, a night watchman at Troy, Pa., a village near here, was murdered early today. The deed is attributed to robbers, one of whose companions had been arrested by Fenner last night. The murderers released their comrade with Fenner's keys.

Tears Shed in Vain. The tears that Albert Krantz, an extremely nervous and poorly dressed man of middle age, shed in police court did not ward off a sentence of twenty-five days in jail. He was charged with being drunk and abusing his family, and has offended in the same way before.

Dr. Patrick Comes Again.