will include two compositions by American

omposers, Mrs. Ha-M. A. Beech and E. A.

JULY FOURTH TO BE A SCREAMER,

Manager Clarkson daying Pians for a

Great Celebration

MacDowell.

ress of the great west.

which will consist of 200 singers.

Exposition Notes.

umed and is making great headway.

Horticulture building is under way

lmost the entire day and evening.

ness yesterday and last night it was taken up and relaid. It was stated that the work

The Admissions bureau laid off forty ticket

be an abundance of standing room.

Work the Short Change Racket.

was the same bill and returned change

for \$10. He discovered later, however, that

one in his possession was only worth \$1

Harry Fielder was arrested on the descrip-

Delly Treasury Statement.

reserve, \$169,279.014.

at the same prices.

WASHINGTON, June 7 .- Today's state-

end of this week. .

more thorough job of it.

DOWN TOWN DAY WAS BUSY

Many Strangers on the Streets Coming and Going in All Directions.

THREE CONVENTIONS DRAW MANY HITHER

Delegates Burry Off to Their Halls, While Visitors Attend Base Ball Came or Go to the Exposition Grounds.

The second day of the second week of the exposition turned out to be a fine day, though for several hours it was an even break between the clouds and the sun. The latter finally secured the mastery, and after noon it was just as nice June weather as one would want to see. Notwithstanding the crowds brought into the city on the morning trains there was no great increase in the size of the street crowds. Most of the visitors went directly to the exposition grounds or else to their respective assembly places.

There were three conventions assembled in as many different halls yesterday, and tised for bids for the Highland school house. though none of them were as large as the This building is to be a four-room structure national convention of the preceding week, of selected stock brick and trimmed with all were well attended. The morning and stone. the afternoon trains brought in practically all of the delegates. The convention of master mechanics and superintendents of the the second floor. Each room will have seats Burlington system brought together three for fifty-four pupils. Rock face stone courses women in the country and the meeting to score of prominent men of that railway com- will run through the building and above pany. The Daughters of Jericho came in and below the windows. The main ennumerous bevies. The liquor dealers were trance is to be an arch, constructed of on hand early in the morning, and as they stone. It is estimated that the building walked about they saw signs of welcome will cost \$9,000. Bids for heating the Highover hundreds of salcons, on which were land and Lincoln schools have also been adpainted two firmly clasped hands, and the greetings of the local retail liquor men.

With three conventions in session and with the opportunity of spending such a delightful day at the exposition grounds the down town attractions did not play to very big congregations. The variety halls and gardens had light houses until after the shades of night were drawn, and even then In police court yesterday afternoon, but on they were not crowded. In the afternoon the account of the absence of witnesses was base ball game between Omaha and Colum- continued until June 16. Mr. Snell was able took out quite a number, the spectators being increased by the announcement by Tangeman is still protected by bandages. that it was "Ladies' day." The railroad When Snell told his story to Judge Baboffices noticed the beneficial influx, though cock a warrant was at once issued for Gus they did not sell nearly so many tickets as Tangeman, a brother of Herman, and he they would had it not been for the curbstone ticket scalpers. Of these several dozen ply Herman. Dr. White, who is treating Mr. their trade without a thought of paying the Snell, said last evening that it was doubtful municipal license, and manage to capture if Snell would ever be able to see out of the bulk of the business between local the injured eye again. points. The storekeepers down town report that the number of persons who call at the stores during the day has greatly increased, but add that purchasers have not increased to any appreciable extent.

Rev. Irving P. Johnson, Rev. C. C. Smith Get a map of Cuba and get the best and most complete. The Bee's combination map of Cuba, the West Indies and of the world. and Attorney W. C. Lambert. After a conference the Board of Education decided to With a Bee map couper, on page 2, 10 cents, at Bee office, Omaha, South Omaha or Council Bluffs. By mail, 14 cents. Address Cuban Map Department

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

The question of the city obtaining perma nent quarters for its offices and police court | thought by the police to be demented. In came up at the meeting of the council last night after the reading of a letter from city received the other day a letter from Judge John I. Redick, the owner of the building new occupied by the city. Judge prisoner, in which he asks Bell to look out Redick refuses to make the repairs re- for his son. The writer warns Bell about quested unless the city will enter into an other lease for either one or two years. The owner further asserts that the building is in a fairly good condition. This latter assertion the council denies and by resolution the and sent to an asylum. city attorney was instructed to look over the contract with a view to compelling the owners to make needed improvements and the building inspector was directed to examine the structure and make a report at

President Barrett, who occupied the chair in the absence of Mayor Ensor, favored the calling of a special election for the purpose of voting upon a bond proposition, the proceeds to be used in the erection of a city building. Mr. Barrett stated that in his opinion a special election for the purpose mentioned would not cost more than \$300. Wear suggested that as the lease on the present quarters expires on December 1 the committee on public buildings be directed to cast about for a new location. No action was taken on this suggestion, however, as the city attorney thought it best to wait until he had examined the law on the bond proposition.

At the suggestion of Barrett the committee on fire and water was requested to look up a suitable location for a fire hall somewhere between Twentieth and Twentythird streets and Q and W streets. It is the intention, in case the condition of the funds will warrant it, to provide a fire company for Brown park.

Clingen brought up the matter of creating the office of plumbing inspector and the matter will be considered. Mort wanted the chief of police instructed to see that the ordinance relating to the hitching of horses on the streets was enforced. He stated that the number of runaways was daily increasing and that the police ought to take steps to enforce the law.

By resolution the city treasurer was in structed to cancel \$100 of the tax on lot Hawley Terrace, owned by Mrs. Thomas Hunt. This additional amount was as sessed in 1896 through error and has never

been corrected.

The committee directed to visit the of ficers of the Omaha Street Railway com pany in connection with better service on the Omaha and stub lines asked for further time and the request was granted.

An ordinance was read for the first time allowing the Union Pacific the right to las a sidetrack across Railroad avenue be tween K and L streets for the use of the South Omaha Fuel company. The ordinance providing for the grading of H street from Twentieth to Twenty-first streets was passed. A petition was presented by property owners asking that the alley between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets and I and J streets be graded and the street and alley committee will investigate.

W. G. Sloane sent in a communication re garding the damage to his property at the corner of Twenty-fifth and I streets by storm water being allowed to run onto his lot from the alley. He stated that he had called the attention of the street commissioner to the matter, but nothing had been done. He proposes to hold the city liable for any further damage.

At the suggestion of Chairman Bennett of the finance committee the following amounts were transferred from the special license fund: To the street repair fund, \$700; general fund, \$700; salary fund, \$600; police fund, \$800; fire fund, \$1,200; total,

Trainor brought up the matter of crosswalks by stating that property owners all the police subjected the woman to as brutal. The attorney had the woman's physician over the city had been taxed this year for sidewalks, many of which were useless because the city had not laid any crosswalks.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, nervous feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired aching feet. Try it today. Bold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address Alen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

He offered a resolution providing for the laying of sixty-five crosswalks in different WOMEN GET READY FOR A DAY parts of the city and the work was ordered

Salaries for May and quite a number of bills were ordered paid, Adjourned until next Tuesday evening

citizens was held at the office of Mayor

Asks Bids for a New School.

The following janitors will be retained:

Arrests Another Tangeman.

will be charged with the same offence as

Teachers Take Examinations.

About fifty applicants for positions in the

public schools took the examination at the

High school building. The examinations

will last three days and are in charge of

reduce the percentage required and until

further notice the average for first grade

certificates will have to be 85 per cent

second grade certificates 80 per cent in-

Believe Sutton is Insane.

watch from C. Russel at Cudahy's, is

support of this theory Sam Bell of this

J. M. Sutton, Shelby, Ia., the father of the

young Sutton's proclivity in picking up ar-

understood that young Sutton will be turned

over to the Shelby county, Iowa, officials

Magie City Gossip

Miss Lena Winship of Cheyenne, Wyo., is

C. P. Rodman of the Drovers' Journal force

Oscar Thurlow, Forty-third and C streets,

Shippers and exporters bought 445 cars of

ending a few days with his nephew, W. L.

R. H. Gemmill of eastern Iowa is visiting

is brother, J. D. Gemmill, Twenty-first and

Washington tent, No. 67, Knights of the

Mrs. Ida O. Putney of Frankfort, Mich., is

Dewey lodge No. 32. Independent Work-

mer of America, will hold an important meeting in Woodman hall this evening.

Street Commissioner Ross still has quite 2

While scuffling at the Kirby hotel Monday

force of men at work repairing the many

vashouts caused by the recent heavy rains.

night John Petersen, a teamster, was thrown in such a way as to break his left

Mayor Ensor has changed his plans and

on his property at Twenty-fourth and K

An entertainment for the benefit of the

Alfred Lizy, Twenty-fourth and B streets

died yesterday. Funeral services will be held at the family residence this forenoon, inter-ment at the Bohemian cemetery.

Attorney F. Power has been sued in Jus-ice White's court by William Cushing for

A set of harness was stolen from a camper

\$94. Cushing alleges that Power collected this amount for him but failed to settle.

near Krug's brewery Monday night. Yester

day Officer Deters found the barness in a

econd hand store and returned it to the

Magle City lodge, No. 80, Fraternal Union

f America, will give a free literary enter-nament at Workman hall on Saturday

wining. Ice cream and strawberries will be

William O'Neil, whose home is at Twenty-

ifth and P streets, was knocked down by a

train at Savage's crossing yesterday and quite badly it jured. He was taken to an

FEMALE THIEVES IN TROUBLE

Three Who Helped Rob McIlvaney of

Daliota City Still Held in

City Jail.

Ollie Sullivan and Theresa Lewis, two of

the colored quartette which relieved Leonard

McIlvaney of Dakota City of \$720 in a panel

house on Ninth street a week ago, were dis-

charged at their preliminary hearing yes-

terday. As the two were making their way

to the open air they were rearrested on

other charges inplicating them in the rob-

The Lewis woman almost fainted when

woman and really should be in the hospital."

her attorney said. He considered the usage

with him, who swore that she was in a bad

way and that her life would be endangered

by keeping her in confinement. She is al-

leged to be suffering from a malignant tu-

Belle Pillow, whom it is claimed actually

took McIlvaney's money, is in custody.

\$500 bill is on deposit to the credit of the

Pillow woman at the Nebraska National

bank, which the police assert is a part of

"She is a very sick

and wife, Twenty-second and H streets.

ball at Masonic hall this evening.

attle at this market during the month of

confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

Frank Anderson of Los Angeles Cal.

ticles which do not belong to him.

W. B. Brooks is on the sick list.

in the city visiting friends.

Holland.

streets.

streets.

last night.

Omaha hospital.

bery.

taken to the cell room.

Chlo Sutton, who is in jail for stealing a

stead of 85 per cent.

nstead of 90 per cent as formerly, and for

.The case against Herman Tangeman, ar-

Sherwood.

Will Call a Mass Meeting. A well attended meeting of representative

Ensor yesterday afternoon for the purpose of talking over the proposed packing house Omehn Will Entertain Many Distinjubilee. Those present were heartily in guished Delegates to the General favor of the scheme and it is thought that Federation, Besides Hundreds if the affair is properly advertised and the of Interesting Women. railroads will run excursions that from 25,000 to 30,000 people can be induced to come here. It was at first proposed to go June 18 is Woman's day at the exposition ahead and perfect an organization and ap-

and the women of Omaha are exerting thempoint committees, but after considering the selves to make the occasion one of the most matter it was decided to hold a mass meetattractive events in the history of the exing at the council chamber on Thursday A special railroad rate of one position: night of this week. Every business and fare for the round trip from all points within professional man in the city is urged to a radius of 150 miles of Omaha has been attend this meeting. While every one insecured and the women are working on terested in the affair admits that haste is several plans to induce the women in the necessary if the celebration is to be held territory to which this rate applies to come on June 28, yet it was thought that two to Omaha in large bodies on that day. The days delay will not make much difference. matter is largely in the hands of a special committee of the Woman's club and the Yesterday the Board of Education advercommittee has been untiring in its efforts to make the arrangements very complete. As a special attraction on this occasion the city enroute from the east to the bien-The plans, which have just been

Local Preparations for a Big Celebration

When the Clubs Meet.

PRELUDE TO THE BIENNIAL CONVENTION

completed by Architect Davis, show two nal meeting of the General Federation of Woman's clubs in Denver. Among these school rooms on the first floor and two on delegates will be some of the most noted | that day from the surrounding country. be held in the Auditorium the afternoon of June 18 will be addressed by a number of these women. The delegates from the east will arrive in has accepted the invitation. the city on the morning trains and the morning will be spent in visiting the ex-

position grounds and inspecting the exhibvertised for, steam or hot water to be used. its. The afternoon will be occupied by a program in the Auditorium in which a num-Weiker, Allen, Lund, Vansant, Wyman and ber of the women most prominent in the affairs of the woman's club movement will participate. It happens that June 18 is also Wisconsin rested for assaulting D. Snell, was called day and the Badger state building will be dedicated on that day. A large delegation will come to Omaha from Wisconsin, including the governor and numerous state to attend court although the eye injured officers, thirty women delegates to the Den-

> will take place in the morning and an entertaining program has been prepared for

> ver meeting and people from all sections of

the state. The dedication of the building

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including the High school, the admission being 15 cents. President Warner of the Missouri Pacific Railway company notified the exposition management that the subscription of the Missouri Pacific to the exposition was to be considered as a donation to the enterprise and not as a subscription to stock. Secretary Wakefield was ordered to have printed a special form of souvenir ticket for Nebraska day, June 14, with an admission coupon to be detached when the purchaser enters the ground, the ticket to be retained by the purchaser as a souvenir of the occasion.

It was decided that the Mines building shall be closed at 6:30 p. m. each day, except on special days and on occasions when the Bureau of Entertainment holds functions in its parlors in the gallery of this building.

SPLENDID DISPLAY OF PLATINUM. Mineral Exhibit Added to by a Valuable and Interesting Collection.

A large and varied exhibit of platinum has been received at the Mines building, and this, with a silver exhibit that is fully assured, will round out the most complete and interesting display of the precious metals of the west that has ever been brought together. A liberal exhibit of turquoises and dred seats will be provided and there will opals is already on the grounds and a consignment of diamonds from Wisconsin and California will arrive in a day or two.

The exhibit of platinum comes from an eastern refining house, and was only secured after a good deal of difficulty by Commissioner Day. It covers the entire field represented by this metal, and includes many things that will be new even to mineralogists. It includes a full showing of platinum sand and nuggets, among the nugget being the largest ever discovered outside of Russia. These come from South Maccabees, will give an entertainment and America, but even the importer does not know a more definite source. These partic-Bennett ular nuggets are not included in the first consignment, as they are scheduled for exhibition in New York until July 1, when they will be sent on and remain at Omaha

until the exposition closes, The manufactured platinum in the form of dishes and other conveniences will also be shown, as well as the various chemical compositions that are found in the sand, and which have been separated by the refining process. These include a variety of extremely rare metals, which not one person will erect four store rooms instead of three in 100,000 has ever seen, and some of them are very valuable. In fact, the platinum itself ranks next to gold in point of value. owing to its general use in electric light-Sunday school was given by the Presbyterian King's Daughters at the Maxwell mission ing and other purposes. The two small wires which enter the bulb of an incandescent light are composed of this metal, and as it has been found impossible to discover a satisfactory substitute for this purpose ment of the condition of the treasury shows: the price of the metal has been greatly en- Available cash balance, \$192,513,190; gold hanced. It is now about three-quarters as valuable as gold.

> Wilson H. Fairbanks, chairman of the senate committee on appropriations of the Massachusetts legislature, writes to the Department of Publicity and Promotion that the resolution appropriating \$6,000 for the expenses of a commission to represent the these many days with the big values he state at the Transmississippi Exposition had been signed and that the commission would him-The value shown in our misses' start for Omaha about June 15. The commission provided for by the resolution making the appropriation comprises the governor or lieutenant governor,, all of the state officers and a delegation from each house of the legislature. According to Senafor Fairbanks, the party will remain in

Omaha four or five days, and preparations

are being made by the exposition manage-

ment to entertain the distinguished guests

in the manner befitting their positions and

the significance of their visit to the exposi-

tion as the representatives of the Old Bay

Massachusetts Official Party.

state: School Children and Exposition. According to the action taken by the Board of Education, school children of the public schools will have an opportunity of seeing the exposition on next Monday and Wednesday. On the first date the scholars of the Sixth and all lower grades will have their turn, and on the other the pupils of the Seventh, Eighth and High school grades will be in attendance. In order to accommodate the children school will be closed

at 11 o'clock on those days. The children will be given the advantage of special rates. Superintendent Pearse has devised a scheme to give each child a slip of paper identifying it as a member of the public schools, and upon the presentation of this slip at the ticket offices the children will may be fixed.

Complimentary Recital. A complimentary recital for the members of the Bureau of Entertainment and a few the stolen money. The money in part con-sisted of a \$500 bill. McIlvaney will be noon between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock noon between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock given the opportunity of identifying it to- by Mrs. Hadden-Alexander, the pianist whose playing in concert at the Auditorium

Monday night quickly won for her a place in the hearts of the people of Omaha. The recital will take pisce in the handsomely lecorated parlors in the gallery of the Mines

building, which have been fitted up as the Operating Managers of the Great System headquarters of the bureau. The recital will Gather in Council. be followed by a greeption. Owing to the

which will be presented by Mrs. Alexander DISCUSS RAILROAD WILL PROBLEMS

> Master Mechanics and Superintendents Come Together to Consider the Matters that Affect Their Important Departments.

will be made a big day at the The convention of master mechanics and exposition and the arrangements now in superintendents of all, the lines of the Burcourse of preparation for the event indi- lington system assembled in the rooms of cate that nothing is to be left undone to the Omaha Commercial club yesterday mornmake the celebration of the nation's birth- | ing at 19 o'clock. Somewhat over fifty promiday in occasion which will go down in the nent railroad men connected with the deannals of history as an epoch in the prog- partment of motive power and machinery and with the operating department of the The arrangement of the details is in the Burlington lines convened at the appointed hands of Major Clarkson, general manager time and at once settled down to the disof the exposition, and conferences are being cussion of such technical matters as are held between the major and Mayor Moores most closely related to their lines of for the purpose of deciding upon certain work. features which will occur in connection with. The visiting railroad men arrived in

the celebration. Major Clarkson says he Omaha on Burlington trains from Chicago. has not yet perfected the arrangements suf- St. Louis, Lincoln and other points in Illithere will be large numbers of delegates in ficiently to make any detailed announce- nois, Missouri and Nebraska. They have ment, but he says the affair will be on a come prepared to enjoy the exposition as grand scale and large crowds of people well as to study those subjects that pertain will be in attendance at the exposition on to their railroad duties. The master me-Hon. James M. Beck of Philadelphia, a in joint session for about a day and a half. man of high standing and of splendid repu- Then each branch will adjourn to its own tation as a public speaker, has been invited meetings. George W. Rhodes, superintendto deliver the oration on that occasion and ent of motive power of the Burlington sys-Apollo Club Arranges for the Trip. CHICAGO, June 7.-At a meeting of the M. will preside over the sessions of the directors of the Apollo Music club today ar- superintendents. The meetings will be held rangements were made for a trip to the at the Commercial club for the next two treasurer were read and referred to the com-Transmississippi Exposition at Omaha. W. days, the morning meetings opening at 10 mittee on grand officers. Communications L. Tomlins will lead the club in rendering a. m., and the afternoon sessions at "Elijah" on the afternoon of June 21, Illi- 2 p. m. The evening will be devoted to the nois day. A repetition will be given June enjoyment of the attractions at the exposi-23. The management of the exposition will tion, and after the adjournment of the afterplace a train at the service of the club, noon meetings the railroaders will go di-Work on the German village has been re-The Kansas horticultural display has ar-ived and the work of installing it in the

Chairman Rhodes called the morning's dress on the work of the convention. In each of the subjects will be given twentythree minutes. This program will occupy separate meeting of the master mechanics them all in one day.

Some Who Will Attend.

All the big electrical machinery that is to be installed in the Machinery building is here yet, the remaining members of the connow on the floor and workmen are rapidly setting it up. It is expected that the elecvention being expected later. The following trical features will be fully installed by the is a list of those already here:

From the Chicago, Burlington & Quine railroad: G. W. Rhodes, superintendent motive power; W. Forsyth, mechanical en-gineer; G. W. Ross, superintendent special freight car service; F. H. Clark, chief The connection with the water main on Twenty-fourth street showed signs of weakfreight car service; F. H. Clark, chis draughtsman; E. W. Yates, chief clerk; C. 1 had been done too burriedly in the first place and in order to avoid any possibility of future trouble it was decided to make a Sturgis, general auditor; J. D. Besler, general superintendent; F. C. Rice, superintendent Illinois lines; C. M. Levey, superin tendent Iowa lines; F. A. Delano, superin sellers and gatekeepers this morning. All of the men on the gates were put on part tendent terminals, Chicago; H. D. Judson superintendent Chicago division; W. B. Throop, superintendent Galesburg division; time the latter part of dast week, but it was decided to reduce the force for the present W. G. Besler, superintendent St. Louis di-vision; O. E. Stewart, superintendent east rather than to keep a large number on duty but a little while each day, with a corre-sponding decrease in their pay. Iowa division: J. H. Duggan superintenden west Iowa division; J. H. McPartlind, as-sistant superintendent cast Iowa division; The "Nebraska Day" exercises will take A. Forsyth, division master mechanic, Au-rora, Ill.; R. W. Colville, division master place in the state building, which is ca-pable of accommodating as many people as usually remain during the entire time of similar exercises. The platform on the mechanic, Galesburg, III.; J. F. Deems, di usually remain services. The platform on the north part of the lower floor will be used by the speakers and singers. Several hunders are speakers and singers.

to the Transmississippi Exposition an inter-esting exhibit for the Press building. It is tendent; H. C. Nutt, superintendent; A. B. esting exhibit for the Press building. It is tendent; H. C. Nutt, superintendent; a matrix of the front page of the Eagle of Price, master mechanic; F. A. Chase, May 25, 1898, and contains in boldface type eral master mechanic, St. Joseph; A. T these words across the columns: "Brooklyn kins, superintendent terminals, St. Louis, H. Daily Eagle Sends Greeting to the Trans-S. Storrs, assistant superintendent West lowa mississippi and International Exposition, division; W. P. Durkee, assistant auditor; Omaha, Nebraska." It is expected that mat-J. R. Phelan, superintendent; A. F. High-land, superintendent; J. P. Reardon, master ices will be sent from all the leading papers of the country, and when received will be grouped to form a dado around the main change of the Press building on the exposition change, Hannibal; C. E. Lamb, master mechanic, Hannibal; C. E. Lamb, Master me tendent, Hannibal; G. M. Hohl, superintend ent telegraph, St. Joseph; G. B. Dunbar, as Two men worked a successful short change ame upon the bartender of the Tunnell sasistant auditor, St. Joseph; D. Cunningham superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.; N. Frey loon, Fifteenth and Harney streets, last night whereby they profited about \$9. They master mechanic, La Crosse, Wis.; W. Wickhorst, engineer tests; R. D. Smith, master mechanic; J. R. Deering, chief clerk ordered two glasses of beer and one ten-dered in payment a \$10 bill. After it had econd vice president; W. S. Cozad, secretary second vice president; P. H. F superintendent, Brookfield, Mo.; been placed in the register the second man said he had the change and the bill was English, superintendent; A. Campbell, super-intendent; M. A. Baker, superintendent telerestored to its former owner. The second man then discovered that he only had 5 cents and the bill was once more extended graph, Hannibal, Mo.: C. H. Sampson, as in payment. The bartender supposed that hanic; R. T. Smith, master mechanic; R B. Archibald, master mechanic; R. W. Kim train master, Galesburg division; T. E. bills had been switched and that the

Calvert, general superintendent. The afternoon session of the visiting rep resentatives of the Burlington system was author of army stories, passed tion given and is thought to be one of the! another joint meeting of the master mechanics and the superintendents. It was better attended than the morning meeting several delegates having come in on the afternoon trains. The afternoon was given up to the discussion of mechanical matters, twenty-three minutes being given to each

When Captain Oviedo saw the big guns of our navy at close range he was paralyzing the shoe dealers of Omaha paralyzin gthe shoe dealers of Ounha insists on giving for every dollar paid \$1.50 and \$1.25 shoes is something wonderful-and such a complete line-of all kinds-We have them in the light kid uppers-patent leather or kid top-a dressy or street shoe-also the heavy dongola kid for school wear-the heavy extension sole-either button or lace-all

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> The Aloe & Penfold Co Leading Scientific Opticians. Opposite l'axton Hotel. OMAHA

BURLINGTON FAMILY PARTY topic. An adjournment was made at 5 HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

brief time intervening before the event the invitations will be verbal. The program

chanics and the superintendents will meet tem, presides over the joint meetings and over the sessions of the master mechanics. General Superintendent Calvert of the B. & of the subordinate courts have been visited rectly to the exposition grounds and take dinner there. After the conclusion of the meetings it is probable that most of the visitors will remain here for two or three days to study the exposition by daylight.

meeting together and delivered a brief ad-Owing to the presence of the chorus it the joint meetings of the master mechanics has been decided to charge an admission fee and the superintendents there are thirtythree technical subjects to be considered, and The debris is being removed from the Wisconsin building and the painters and decorators have taken possession for the purpose of beautifying the building in readiness for the forma' dedication June 18. The paid admissions to the exposition on there are ten subjects assigned, and the tune 6 were 1,679. The sharp decline in the master mechanics expect to get through with number of admissions is easily accounted for by the rainy weather which prevailed during

Not all of those who will be present are

From the B The Brooklyn Daily Eagle has forwarded Missouri: D. Hawksworth, superintendent

to the exposition grounds. There they took dinner together, enjoyed the concert by the United States Marine band and then took a short dash on the Midway.

HEROINES OF JERICHO MEET.

Grand Court of the Order Comes Together for Its Annual Session. The Grand Court of the Heroines of Jericho for the jurisdiction of Missouri opened its twenty-fourth session in Central hall yesterday morning with a large attendance and under most favorable circumstances. The meeting was called to order by Matron Mrs. L. A. Delany of St. Louis, who extended a hearty greeting to the women who represented more than fifty chapters of the of the class of 1898, Omaha High school, has Heroines. Worthy Grand Joshua Rev. G. W. Guy of Topeka, Kan., was introduced conducted devotional exercises, after pearance upon the program was competitive which the following standing committee was and the presence of each name shows espeappointed

Credentials-Josic E. Williams, Maggie lamations were decided by a contest taken Douglass, Laura Mitchell, Addie Triggers, Accounts—Fannie Rutherford, Mrs. V. E. class, and other numbers were selected be-

Dispensations and Warrants-Mrs. L. A. Sallie Blowitt, Mattie Gordon, Annie said to be an unusually promising one, and Ward, S. Terrell. Jurisprudence-Rev. G. W. Guy, M. Bur- youd any that has previously been gradu-

ton, Mary Lily, Katle Smiley, Iune Aores, ated. The program for commencement even-Grand Officers' Reports—A. Bell, Pearl ing is as follows: Roundtree, C. Robinson, Francis Boxley. Returns-Z. R. Page, M. B. Smith, Eliza

Reid, E. Brown, M. E. Ridgeway. Appeals and Grievances-R. Butler Celia Brewer, J. C. C. Owens, A. Taylor, J. Fos-

The grand matron delivered her annual address and report and had many encouraging things to say about the progress of the order. Within the last year four new courts have been organized and a majority and found in a flourishing condition. The reports of the grand secretary and grand in the form of telegrams and letters were read from the grand court of Iowa and from Past Grand Matrons Malinda Thomas, M. L. Harrison and Cornelia Russell.

Prof. A. B. Moore of Columbia, Mo., was introduced to the order and delivered an eloquent address upon the advantages offered by the Masonic bodies and their auxiliaries.

On behalf of Pritchard court No. 3 Fidelity court No. 48 and Star of the West court No. 77 of Kansas City, Mrs. Laura Mitchell presented Grand Matron Delany with a handsome jeweled crown of the Heroines of Jericho. Mrs. V. E. Guy responded for the grand matron in a few well chosen After deciding that the business meetings

of the order should be held from 9 till 12 a. m. and from 1 till 4 p. m. today and tomorrow, and that Friday should be given to a visit to the exposition, the meeting adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning. A reception to the grand court officers will be held in Central hall tonight and the public installation of officers will be held in Central hall tomorrow night.

Past Grand Joshua Rev. J. C. C. Owens and Past Grand Matrons Mrs. V. E. Guy, Topeka, Mrs. Sallie Dupee, Jefferson City. and Mrs. Josie E. Williams of Booneville, are among the prominent workers of the order who are in attendance.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

C. M. Wendone, St. Louis, is at the Mil-Miss Minnie Chapman and mother have gone east.

G. W. Skinner from St. Louis is a guest at the Millard. Ralph T. Olcott, from Rochester, N. Y. is at the Millard.

R. C. Berckman of Augusta, Ga., is stopping at the Millard. T. B. Hicks, a well known cattle man of

William Jackson, St. Louis, is in the city stopping at the Millard. George R. Moore of Oxford Junction, In. is a guest at the Barker

Pa., is stopping at the Barker, Miss Helen Peck came in from Calhoun J. C. Schreve Wrecks a Chinese Launyesterday to attend the Young-Bowen nup-

A. C. Keever and wife and Mrs. G. Beach of Knox City, Mo., are stopping at the Barker.

at the Barker. Superintendent Malloy of the Union Pacific at Cheyenne, Wyo., is in the city, ac-

companied by his family. Ex-Governor James W. Dawes, who was ner of Lee, came in for a similar dose, recently appointed to the position of pay-master in the army, is in the city.

the nurserymen's convention now in session just the same as the others. in the city Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rankin of Shenan-Ia., are in the city, the guests Councilman and Mrs. Karr. While here they

are visiting the exposition. Edward McCray, formerly a resident Omaha, is visiting friends in this city. He is now claim agent of the Missouri Pacific

railroad at Kansas City, Mo. Brigadier General Charles King, formerly ptain Charles King, who is known as a Omaha yesterday on his way to the Phil-

Mrs. George C. Towle and Miss Bessie Williamstown, Mass., to attend the com-mencement exercises at Williams college. Ross Towle is a member of the graduating and sister next week.

PART I

Program for the Graduating Exercises to Be

Held Saturday Evening.

Names of Those Who Constitute the

Banner Class in Point of Scholar-

ship in the History of

the School.

The program for the graduation exercises

been announced and will be held on the

night of June 11 at Boyd's opera house. Ap-

cial excellence in a certain line. The dec-

cause of superiority in scholarship and com-

petitive essays. The class as a whole to

in point of scholarship has an average be-

OF THE LARGE MEMBERSHIP

Essay—Mrs. Socrates. Miss Grace Figure Medley—Selection F. Beyer Orchestra. PART II.

Oration—The American Spirit of Fair Play Mr. Charles Everts Essay—The Heroine of the Novel Essay—The Heroine of the Novel Piano solo—Ye Boston Tea Party Pryor Mr. Fraderic Cuscaden. Essay—Matthew Arnold. Miss Louise McNafr Oration—A Defense of the Classics. Mr. John Swenson Geier

Waltz Geler
March-America Forever Geler
March-Incomplete Green
Orchestra.
Presentation of Diplomas and Address
to Graduates
R. C. Jordan, Pres. Board of Education.

The following is a list of the graduates: Anthon E. Anderson, James Anderson, Willard Chambers, Arthur J. Chisam, Louis Samuel Clarke, Thomas J. H. Coffman Spencer V. Cortelyou, Frederic A. Cuscation Charles P. Everts, William B. Fonda, Milton H. Glann, Abe R. Groh, N. O. A. Hel-quest, Wylie Johnston, J. Cook Johnson, Max Koetter, Frank Paul Manchester, Elfred P. Mathews, Joseph Nesladek, Aubrey Potter, Robert Linnaeus Robison, J. Victor Romigh, Elmer S. Rood, John G. Rossicky, Joseph S. Schwartzlander, Edward Soderholm, John S. Swenson, Gerald Ainslie Wharton, Irene Mae Allen, Marjorie P. Anderson, Ada Aust. Mary N. Austin, Iona Barnhart, Bessie M. Barratt, Prudence L. Barratt, Lucy H. Bechel, Bertha Berka, Annette Blake. Adelaide Blakestee. Brandels, Edith I. Burgess, Aurora C. Burgstrom, Bertha Case, Bessie M. Chambers, Anna Covell, Nellie Craig, Iona I. Daniel, Louella Daniel, Martha De Bolt, Nancy Lux Dorsey, Elizabeth S. Drage, Georgia Effett, Mary E. Ellsworth, Asues W. Emerson Winifred L. Evering.am, Jessie Goetz Mary Vivian Griffith, Camilla L. Gsantner Henrietta Gunther, Georgia Belle Haislip, Hallie M. Hardin, Julia M. Howmayr, Martha M. Homelius, Nellie M. Horn, Laura Cordelia Hunter, Agnes Edna Irey, Ittner, Edith Jackson, Herberta E. Jaynes, Rhena Jensen, Mary Wood Johnson, Lissia L. Kerr, Celia Rose Kessler, Victoria Killian Barbara Lieber, Lucy M. Mack, Elinore Mac-Millau, Hannah Louise McNair, Gertrude Elizabeth Macomber, Maude Clarissa Ma-comber, Edith Mathis, Elizabeth Meredith Maxwell, Clara Blanche Murphy, Mary L. Nelson, Emma Wheeler Parker, Oma B. Patterson, Grace Abbott Porter, Faith Potter, Florence Randall, May Elizabeth Rasmussen, Marion Isabel Reed, Dora C. Roys, Edith Lorna Sandberg, Mildred E. Smith, Lillian Edna Snell, Edith D. Spencer, Aggie Tompsett, Claudia With Imina Urlau, Mamie B. Vodicka, Winifred Wilhelmy, Dorothy Amy Young.

Miss Norma D. Crawford of Minnsville, STRANGER WHO IS A FIGHTER dry and Knocks Out Two Po-

J. C. Schreve, a stranger in Omaha accompanied by a woman, went into a laundiy Lyman James and daughter of Des Moines at 626 South Sixteenth street and demanded Ia., are visiting the exposition and stopping their laundry. Jim Lee, the proprietor. handed out the bundle and a bill for \$4. Schreve took the laundry and hit the Chinaman a blow in the face. Sing Ling, the part-

lice Officers.

Help came in the person of Officer Carty, but he looked like a Chinaman to Schreve C. M. Stark and W. P. Stark, prominent and the officer was floored. Officer Vanous nurserymen of Louisiana, Mo., are attending started in to help and he was treated

Finally a sufficient force to overpower Schreve was gathered and he was landed in jail. The officers and Chinese were very much used up by the pugilistic gentleman.

STINE OPENS HEADQUARTERS

Secretary of the National League of Re_ublican Clubs Takes Up an Omaha Office.

D. H. Stine of Louisville, Ky., secretary of the National League of Republican Clubs, arrived in the city yesterday morning to Towle will leave Omaha on Wednesday for make arrangements for the annual convention, which will be held here, opening July 16. He has established headquarters at class and will return here with his mother the Millard hotel and will be here until after the adjournment of the convention.

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