SOCIETY

Pleasures of the Week. The annual May party of the Elks given Friday night at the club rooms, proved to be one of the most pleasant social events of the season. The evening was cool for dancing, the mu- Auditorium on May 28, Governor Shalsic superb, the decorations attractive lenberger being the orator of the ocand the crowd a jolly one. Voget's casion. The alumni reception takes concert orchestra made the music and place the following evening at Mardemonstrated once more that it is no quardt hall, longer necessary to send away from home for superior orchestral service. Punch was served in the club rooms Punch was served in the dancing hall, and at midnight a luncheon was served in the club rooms below, a of them will be very busy. dozen pretty girls waiting on the tables. A number of out of town visitors were in attendance,

Mrs. Rudolph Wichert Thursday evening entertained a company of a lecturer on Education in the Philipyoung ladies, the party being complipine Islands" and "The Holy Land." she is to become a bride soon. Miss personal observation. Verges will be accompanied by her younger sister, Marie. Refreshments teacher in the Nebraska normal colwere served in three courses.

evening at the Rainbolt home, the oc- and will next year be at the head of easion of the party being both the the department of elocution. birth anniversary and the presence in Norfolk of G. Baldwin of Boston, a brother of Mrs. Mathewson.

every two weeks, was entertained last their work is exhibited. Saturday afternoon by Miss Leta Cara pretty feature of the party.

Trinity Social guild met Wednesday evening with Miss Edith Estabrook. Several piano solos, rendered by Otto Voget, were one of the pleasant features of the evening.

The T. B. T. were entertained Tues day afternoon by Mrs. F. Taylor at her home on South Second street. The afternoon was pleasantly spent.

An informal roller skating party attracted some twenty-five couples to the roller skating rink Thursday even- phrey blacksmith shop at Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol G. Mayer entertained the West Side Whist club Thursday evening.

A Ninety-third Birthday.

Mrs. Mary Kingsbury, who has the distinction of being the oldest person in this vicinity, and who is undoubtedly the oldest woman in Madison county, surrounded by friends and well wishers, on Sunday celebrated her ninety-third birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt. Many visitors were received by Mrs. Kingsbury during the day, while floral gifts were especially numerous.

Her mind clear and her intellect married May day. still sharp, Mrs. Kingsbury told her callers that she entered on her nine- Holt county and Miss Margaret B. have been there in the daytime." she ty-fourth year with as much courage Septar of O'Neill were married said. "I don't see what more she can and feeling as well as she ever did. Wednesday morning, taking their expect." Her friends naturally hope for the friends by surprise. privilege of many more birthday calls,

Mrs. Kingsbury was born in New York at a time when James Madison was still president of the United The News; A school meeting was know that we are called on to put our-States. Her home has been in Nor- held at Miller's opera house Monday folk for twenty-three years. Despite evening, May 3, for the election of a the fact that she might be called a building committee for the new school pioneer resident of Norfolk, Mrs. house. It resulted in the election of Kingsbury was a woman of seventy the following men: Messrs. Allen, years when she arrived here.

Personals.

Norfolk friends of Tom Brice will Norfolk friends of Tom Brice will to her home at St. Joe, Ida., Tuesday be glad to know that he is able to evening, where she will visit an inleave Excelsior Springs, Mo., and that his recovery is now almost complete from his long siege He has gone to

Mrs. J. M. O'Connell of Ponca and the Elks May party.

H. C. Matrau was in Omaha this the family can occupy the same. week attending the annual meeting Peter Greeley of Phoenix underwent and banquet of the Nebraska com- a surgical operation at the Park hotel and tassel about the handle. The pink mandery of the Loyal Legion, of which Monday afternoon. Mr. Greeley lost made Richard think of Miss Tiverton. he is an ex-commander.

Mrs. L. N. St. John, of Kearney, who was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Stadelman during the past week, returned home Saturday,

G. Baldwin of Boston spent Sunday visiting with his sister, Mrs. D. Math-

Internenial. folk, a pleasant evening resulting for funeral will be held Thursday. the young people in attendance. The shower took place at the home of the bride's father, Gilbert Anderson, on South First street. Light refreshments were served. After 10:30 the company adjourned to the hall for the dancing party. The cottage on South Fifth street, which the bride and bridegroom will occupy after the ceremony this month, has just been completed and is now being furnished.

Fred B. Parish, who was married in Mason City, Ia., last Saturday, to Miss Florence Williams, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Parish of Norfolk, and is well known in Norfolk despite the fact that he has spent the past few years in Omaha. Mr. Parish has a promising future before him, having already "made good" as a successful traveling man, despite the fact that he is young in the business.

Miss Gretchen Hulff, who was married on last Monday morning in Los Angeles, Cal., to Clarence E. Romer, an evil. The exhibits will show all a linotype operator of that city, was phases of municipal development in the first member of the graduating New York and other cities.

class of 1907 of the Norfolk high ********* school to wed. Miss Hulff went to Los Angeles with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H, Hulff, more than a year ********* ago. The wedding trip included a visit to the Catalina Islands.

Coming Events.

The high school commencement program will be given at the Norfolk

Wayne Normal Notes.

Faculty members have been en gaged for a number of commencement addresses. From now on some

Miss Pearl Elley of Madison, and Mrs. Mary Sweeney of Lindsay, have both been elected to positions in the Humphrey schools for next year, Professor Bright is in demand as

mentary to Miss Minnie Verges, who Mr. Bright is a very pleasing speaker leaves Monday for Germany, where and speaks on these subjects from Miss Margaret Carroll, formerly a

lege, will return from Chicago this fall, where she has been attending A dinner party was given Saturday the Columbia School of Expression,

A class of young women has en tered the manual training department. Some of them are quite dextrous with plane, saw and chisel, and really put The girls' sewing club, which meets some of the young men to shame when

Miss Blanche Eddenfield of Pierce, ter at a May party. A May pole was Horace Cox of Norfolk, Misses Bertha and Minna Lampert of Battle Creek Misses Kate and Mary Richardson of Battle Creek are among the new students to enroil this week for the remainder of the year.

> Business Changes in the Northwest. O. E. Garmong of Fairfax will start a harness store at Herrick.

R. W. Saley of Columbus has opened

piano store at Madison. Dr. G. D. Shipherd will start a mov ing picture show at Ainsworth, Will Wiley has bought the Hum

Ed Rowlett has opened a real es tate and insurance office in Madison. Joe Krebeck, of Chatsworth, Ia. has sold his pool hall in that place

and gone to live in Neligh. O. H. Maas and Fred Brechler of the milling firm of Maas & Brechler have traded the Creighton roller mills for the Jones ranch in Holt county, consisting of 1,200 acres seven mile west of Ewing.

Northwest Weddings.

Herman Schneider and Miss Julia Hamik were married at Stuart this

week. Harry E. Graham, a young Springview farmer, and Miss Adelia McCold, a Keya Paha county

Deputy Sheriff B. A. Harding of

Atkinson, Neb., May 7 .- Special to McNichols, Tuller and Roche.

Mrs. Thomas Walker will accompany her daughter, Mrs. Maude Merriman, definite time.

Miss Lydia Wearns of Phoenix is spending a week visiting at the home of Miss Isabelle Havens.

Mrs. J. W. Angell and children left her daughters. Miss Marion O'Connell for Wooster, O., this morning to spend of Osmond and Miss Edith O'Connell the summer with Mrs. Angell's parof Genoa, were in the city to attend ents. She will return early in the fall when it is expected that the Presbyterian manse will be completed and

a part of his leg in the civil war and all winter it has caused him considerable trouble. Dr. Douglas opened to her. the wound, scraped the bone and sewed it up again. His many friends will be pleased to hear that he is on

the road to recovery. Mrs. Milo Beebe died Tuesday afternoon at her home after a two weeks' illness. She leaves a husband and five small children to mourn her loss. A granite shower, given Thursday Although the deceased had been in evening complimentary to Miss Clara poor health for several years, yet her Anderson, who will be married this death was a surprise to all. She was month to Earl Perry, was followed by a social member of the Royal Neigha dance in Railroad hall in South Nor- bor lodge, having joined recently. The

CONGESTION IN U. S. CITYES. Exhibition to Help Solve Evil

Held In New York. American cities will be shown in the Twenty-second regiment armory in New York city from May 3 to 16, when the exhibition on city planning and municipal, art will be held. The exhibition is being held under the aus pices of the committee on congestion of population in New York and the Municipal Art society The purpose is to solve the problem of congestion and develop the growth of cities along hygienic, economic and aesthetic lines. A three days' conference, beginning with the opening of the exhibition. will be held to discuss conditions in the largest cities. Data will be gathered on which to formulate a definite

plan of improvement in the future.

There are ninety cities in the United

States where congestion is said to be

Miss Tiverton's Tea Basket.

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Miss Tiverton always poured ten at precisely 3 o'clock in the afternoon for a select circle of feminine friends. They drauk tea at that early hour

so that those who were married might get home in time to prepare 6 o'clock dinners for their husbands and that those who were single might be safely housed before the early darkness of the winter evenings.

Miss Tiverton sometimes wished that they might stay later, for it was always a long, lonely stretch between their going and bedtime.

her, and on those occasions Lavinia's brother Richard would call at 9. And these were the social oases in Miss Tiverton's desert of dreary evenings. She always made more tea for Richard and brought out her little sponge cakes. Richard liked the little cakes.

and he liked Miss Tiverton's dainty ways, her delicate pink and white prettiness and her pale rose colored house gowns. Lavinia thought Miss Tiverton very foolish to wear muslin all winter. "Think of the washing!" she said as she and Richard walked home one

evening. "And Letitia Tiverton is as poor as Job's turkey." "She surrounds herself," said Richard musingly, "with an atmosphere of

beauty." Lavinia suffed. She hated to have her brother say nice things about Letitia Tiverton. Lavinia had kept her brother's house for many years, and it | your tea basket?" had always been her great duty to nip sentimental affairs in the bud.

Therefore it was many weeks after that ominous remark of Richard's before she again spent an evening with Letitia. She took her work over in the mornings or went to the little tea drinkings, but she did not allow her brother to darken the doors of the little gray cottage.

One day Richard spoke of it mildly. 'We haven't been to Miss Tiverton's for a long time," he said-"not, 1 think, for four weeks tomorrow."

Lavinia gave him a sharp glance. 'How did you happen to remember the date?" she asked acidly.

Richard looked at her quizzically over his glasses. "I noted the date in my diary," he said. "I always write down the events of the day, Lavinia." He did not tell her that he had added after the formal statement, "Brought Lavinia home from Miss T.'s." the further comment, "Miss T. looked like a rose in her pink gown."

A week later he urged Lavinia to matter." he said.

Richard thought for a moment. "She

has told us that her evenings are lonely," he reminded his sister. "Humph!" said Lavinia. "I don't

selves out to go there these freezing

Richard returned to his book, but after a reasonably judicious interval he looked up to say, "I saw a very pretty tea basket in a shop this morning, Lavinia, padded inside to keep the

"Who wants a thing like that?" Lavinia questioned scornfully. "I always make coffee, Richard."

Richard said nothing more. He loved tea, but Lavinia preferred coffee, and there you were. Yet the next morning he sauntered to the flaming Japanese bazaar, where were displayed native wares to tempt the tourists who were making the old fashioned southern village a halfway stopping place on their way to the tropics.

The tea basket was a quaint affair of oriental weaving with a gay pink satin lining and a green and pink cord With a defiant look he went in and bought the basket and ordered it sent

His heart failed him, however, when the dark skinned salesman asked him for a card to put with the gift.

"Just send it without," he said hasti-Visions of Miss Lavinia's wrath should she know of his purchase came to him oppressively.

The mysterious basket was to little Letitia Tiverton a source of infinite delightful speculation. She displayed it to her afternoon circle, the rose colored lining, the pink cord and tassel, the fine basketry.

"And I can't imagine who sent me such a beautiful thing," she ended radiantly when all had seen it. At the first glance Lavinia Greer's

eyes had hardened. Of all those women she only suspected where that basket had come from. Richard had The congested conditions of large sent it. This looked seriously like the beginning of a romance that would be most inconvenient to Miss Lavinia. a plan. It was simple. At dinner she told Richard, "Letitia Tiverton was too silly about a basket that some one

sent to her." Richard started, and his face flushed. He realized that Lavinia had put two and two together and had guessed that of a closing window and then once it was he who had sent the tea basket to Miss Tiverton

"I wish you had seen her," Lavinia pursued. "I wish you had heard her giggle and boast that you sent it." Richard turned questioning eye upon her. "But she did not know that I had sent it," he said, "There was

no card. Lavinia." Lavinia went on hurriedly. "Well, then, she guessed, for she bragged of it, Richard-it-it-it was disgusting."

• AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA Miss Lavinia's face was a duil red She did not like what she was doing now that she was doing it. But she was desperate.

"I can't imagine"-Richard's tone was incisive-"I can't langine, Lavinia, a woman of Miss Tiverton's delicacy doing a thing like that."

Lavinia tossed her head. "You don't know much about women, Richard." she retorted.

Riebard walked abroad that night consumed by angry doubts. Surely Lavinia would not lie. Surely Miss Liverton would not brag. His gold headed cane tapped the pavement irresolutely. Then suddenly he strode down the street, irresolute no longer. Miss Letitia, alone and a little wist

ful in her small gray cottage, heard the tap of the cane as she had heard it every night when Richard went forth for his evening walk Behind her curtains she had watched him regularly and had admired the straightness of him, the briskness of his walk, the brown waves of hair

he wore so long that it almost touched Sometimes Lavinia Greer stayed with his cont collar. It had never dawned on Miss Tiver ton that such a great being as Lavi nia's brother could look upon her and find her lovely. In her humility she had not dreamed that the basket was

an offering from such a source.

which in defiance of modern fashion

She had thought the women of her circle might have clubbed together to bestow on her this gift of friendship, and her effusiveness at the afternoon gathering had been due to her gratitude. The tap of the gold headed cane sounded right in front of her gate. stopped and began again on the stone

walk that led to the front door. Then the bell rang. Miss Tiverton answered it. Richard stepped over her threshold-for the first time without his sister Lavinia.

"I came," he said when he was seated. "to ask a question, a delicate question, Miss Tiverton. Who sent you

Miss Letitia's clear eyes met his frankly. "Oh, did Lavinia tell you that one was sent me?" she asked. "It's such a beauty!" And she brought it to him, displaying the rose lining and the tassels.

Richard drew a long breath of relief. The doubts that Lavinia had planted fled. There was nothing of deceit in that childlike soul, in that flowerlike face.

"Miss Letitia," he said, with his hand on the basket, "haven't you guessed who sent 4t?" Her puzzled glance met his.

she murmured. "I-I sent it," he confessed, "because it reminded me of you-the rose color and the pink-like your pretty gown, your pretty self, a rose of a woman.'

Miss Letitia stood half poised for flight. "Oh!" she said breathlessly, is the best I can do. How can I go on and her eyes were like stars. "Oh, Mr. Greer!

happiness that could exceed that of winning you for my wife." It came upon little Letitia almost too suddenly, that vision of happiness, off the key, etc. Artists are generally and she swayed toward him, looking blamed for such shortcomings, apparjust then more like a lily than a rose,

and the tea basket dropped from her nerveless hand. Richard caught it deftly as he drew her to him. "You will pour tea for me. won't you," he demanded, trying to bring the color back to her cheeks, "for the rest of my days, Letitia? Lavinia gives me coffee-but, then, oh, hang Lavinia! Will you marry me.

sweetheart?" And Miss Letitia after a startled "Oh, Richard!" buried her face against his coat and said. "Yes."

Don't Be Cheap.

Do not hold yourself too cheap. you do not think well of yourself others are not likely to think much of you. You are usually taken at your own value. By this is not meant a foolish self conceit, but a proper self

Have a regard for the esteem of those whose opinion is worth having. No one can be admired by all. He who has no enemies may doubt whether he has real friends. Try to win the regard of the good and the wise. If the foolish take offense, pass it by.

Think too well of yourself to stoop to anything coarse, mean or untrue However humble your station in life may be, you may think yourself worthy only of that which is good and true. To be genuine puts you on a high level. Whatever your purse, you may be rich in character. Think yourself worthy of the best to which you can attain. Aim for the highest you see, and should you fall to reach it you will still be higher than if your aim had been low.-Milwaukee Jour-

Unfeeling.

A soft air shook the honeysuckle vine, and puffs of delicate perfume their performance. These little traits, floated gently to where erotic Bienkin- trivial perhaps in themselves, are of sop sat spooning with his girl. Not a vital importance in that they create a subjects. At the back on one side is leaf stirred. Only the stars and moon above and the green earth below. All around was the atmosphere of lee-ove His tone was reverend and husbed.

It was as if this slim and beautiful maiden were in his eyes a goddess. "Darling." he exclaimed, pausing in his ecstatic osculations, "each time I On the way home she thought over kiss you it makes a better man of me!"

They fell to again A voice from above broke barshly on the night: "What are you by now, then-saint

or archangel?" A burst of ribald laughter, the rattle more the holy calm of undisturbed night.-London Scraps.

Niobrara Residence Burns. Niobrara, Neb., May 7 .- Special to The News: The residence of S. Irwin has been destroyed by fire. The fire had gotten such a good start when the firemen arrived that they were unable to save any of the household

There was no insurance.

Talks on Singing

V.—Pet Superstitions of Great Singers By ENRICO CARUSO

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most intimately connected in the minds gence to succeed in opera, in spite of the other police summoned. of the majority of people with the opinions to the contrary expressed by singer's personality, and yet there are many Others, who have keen and many happenings, amusing or tragic, alert minds and voices of fine quality. from the artist's point of view, which, yet lack that certain esprit and broadthough often seen, are as often not ness of musical outlook required in a shops of the Baltimore & Ohio railrealized in their true significance by great artist. This lack is often so ap- road, numbering about 350, voted to the audience in front of the orchestra, parent in the person's manner or bear, strike and this action may lead to One might naturally think that a sing- ing that I am tempted to tell him it is the men in all the shops of the Baitier who has been appearing for years on the operatic stage in many lands would have overcome or outgrown that bane of all public performers, the chance of encountering the un- company, putting the erecting shops stage fright. Yet such is far from the case, for it seems as though the greater the artistic temperament the more truly the artist feels and the more of himself he puts into the music he sings the greater his nervousness beforehand. The latter is of course augmented if the performance is a first night and the opera has as yet been

untried before a larger public. This advance state of miserable physical tension is the portion of all great singers alike, though in somewhat varying degrees, and it is interesting to note the forms it assumes with different people. In many it is shown by excessive irritability and the disposal to pick quarrels with any one who comes in contact with them. This is an unhappy time for the luckless "dressers," wig man and stage hands or even fellow artists who encounter such singers before their first appearance in

all such. In other artists the state of mind is indicated by a stern set countenance and a ghastly pallor, while still others become slightly hysterical, laugh uproariously at nothing or burst into weeping. I have seen a big six foot bass singer, very popular at the opera two or three seasons ago, walking to and fro with the tears running down his cheeks for a long time before his entrance, and one of our greatest coloratura prima donnas has come to me before the opera, sung a quavering note in a voice full of emotion and said, with touching accents: "See; that

80?" I myself have been affected often by shows itself in one's performance in the guise of indifferent acting, singing ent in the early part of the production. when, as a matter of fact, they themselves are hardly conscious of them and overcome them in the course of the evening. Yet the public, even critics, usually forget this fact and condemn an entire performance for faults which are due at the beginning to

sheer nervousness. The oft uttered complaint that op eratic singers are the most difficult to get on with of any folk while justified perhaps can certainly be explained by

the foregoing observations. We of the opera are often inclined to be superstitious in a way that might annul matter of fact Americans. One woman, a distinguished and most intelligent artist, crosses herself repeatedly before taking her "cue." and a prima donna who is a favorite on two continents and who is always escorted to the theater by her mother invariably goes through the very solemn ceremony of kissing her mother goodby and receiving her blessing before going on to sing. The young woman

a note if the mother's eye were not on her every moment from the wings. Another famous singer wears a grown somewhat stout of late years, and the hoop of gold has been reenforced so often that there is hardly gift left. Still, she feels that it is a charm which has made her success. and whether she sings the part of a lowly peasant or of a princess the

bracelet is always visible. And these little customs are not consome little tradition to cheer them in mirror and toilet articles. On both Hughes of Colorado and McEnnry of sense of security in the soul of the artist, who goes on his way, if not rejoicing, at least convinced that the fates are not against him. One of the penalties paid by the sing-

ers who are much in the public eye is the constant demand made on them to listen to voices of vocal aspirants-not always very young ones, strange to say. It is sad to contemplate the number of people who think they can sing and are destined by talent and temperament for operatic careers who have been led by misguided or foolish friends and too often by overambitions and mercenary singing masters into spending time and money on their voices in the fond hope of some day astonishing the world. Alas, they do not realize that the great singers who are heard in the New York opera houses have been ploked from the world's supply after a process of most drastic selection and that it is only the most rarely exceptional voice and talent which after long years of study and preparation become worthy to join

I am asked to hear many who have don Fun.

HE most visible phase of the voices with promise of beauty, but The women followed him into a opera singer's life when he or who have obviously not the intellishe is in view of the public on gence necessary to take up a career, made, attacking him viciously. They the stage is naturally the one for it does require considerable intelli- had to be driven out with clubs by known genius, however rare a bird he at Mount Clare, on a piece work basis.

> And how often have the world's great voices been discovered by chance, but fortunately by some one empowered to bring out the latent gift!

One finds in America many beautiful voices, and when one thinks of the numerous singers successfully engaged in operatic carees both here and abroad it cannot with justice be said, as it used to be several years ago, that America does not produce opera singers. Naturally a majority of these to whom I give a hearing here in New York are Americans, and of these are a number of really remarkable voices and a fairly good conception of what is demanded of an opera singer.

Sometimes, however, it would be amusing if it were not tragic to see many shots being fired. Three of the how much off the track people are moonshiners were captured. The still who have been led to think they have was destroyed and a quantity of the evening. Trouble is the portion of futures. One young man who came whiskey confiscated. recently to sing for me carried a portentous roll of music and spoke in the deepest of bass voices. When asked what his main difficulty was he replied that he "didn't seem to be able a trip to the nor dern part of the state. to get on the key." And this was ap- where he sold lands in the counties of parent when he started in and wan- Miner, Jerauld, Aurora, Douglas, Mindered up and down the tonal till he nehaha, Charles, Mix and Gregory. managed to strike the tonic. Then he On the trip he sold 12,201 acres of asked me whether I would rather hear school lands, bringing to the perma-"Qui sdegno," from Mozart's "Magic nent school fund a total of \$524.068, Flute," or "Love Me and the World Is or an average of practically \$45 per Mine." Upon the latter being chosen acre. he asked the accompanist to transpose it, and upon this gentleman's suggesting a third lower he said, "No; put it down an octave." And that's where he sang it too. I gently but firmly ad- German-American state bank at vised the young man to seek other Harold, with a capital of \$5,000. In-Richard grew bolder. "I sent it be- such fright, though not always in paths than musical ones. However, corporators are S. Shrecher, Parkston;

cause I love you, Letitia. There is no the extreme degree above described. such extreme examples as that are happily rare. I would say to all young people who are ambitious to enter on a career of opera: Remember, it is a thoroughly bard worked profession, after all; that even with a voice of the requisite size and proper cultivation there is still a States, was began before a mag'srepertory of roles to acquire, long months and years of study for this and requiring a considerable feat of memory to retain them even after they are learned. Then there is the art of acting to be studied, which is, of course, an entire occupation in itself and decidedly necessary in opera, including fencing-how to fall properly, the various gaits and gestures wherewith to portray different emotions, etc. Then, as opera is sung nowadays, the knowledge of the diction of at least three here in connection with the strike of languages-French, German and Ital- brickmakers tied up all the large ian-if not essential, is at least most helpful.

ECCENTRIC CARUSO. The Great Tenor is a Very Supersti

tious Celebrity. manufacturers attempt next Monday There is a certain trait Caruso holds fast to always-his superstition. Mme. to carry out their plan to open the Calve was generally supposed to have yards with non-union men. appropriated the palm for occultism, feels that she could not possibly sing but ke long ago, even at his first advent in America, made her many small fetiches and beliefs appear but reports of lives being lost in prairie tawdry inventions. His is the real, fires in southern Saskatchewan are small bracelet that was given to her elaborated, genuine article of super- at hand. when an infant by Gounod. She has stition. If you should pass the first Forty miles north of Swift current, tenor's dressing room at the Metropoli- one child was burned to death and tan the morning of any day that he is four other members of the family dyto sing you would be aware of the fact ing. The fires were started by careany of the great composer's original that he was to sing even though you less new settlers. had not seen the cast list.

His man arrives early with all the paraphernalia that distinguishes Caruso from his kind. The big dressing table at one side of the place is cov- amendment fixing a rate of one and ered first with red and over that with one-half cents a pound on lead in fined to the women singers either, for white lace until it looks like an altar, lead ore. All the republicans voted the men are equally fond of observing In the center are a big silver framed for the provisions and Senators sides, quite covering the surface space, Louisiana stood with them. are little illuminated pictures of sacred a white doll dressed as Amneris and on the other a black one costumed as The News: The northern Nebraska Alda. On the wall above are hung boys carried off two-thirds of the more holy pictures and a mass of first prizes in the state declamatory horseshoes, some only fragments, each contest here last night. Dana Cole dependent from a gayly colored ribbon of Neligh and Ned Irvin of Madison and the whole swung so thickly togeth. each went home today with a first er that it is impossible to tell where medal.

pagan begins and Christian ends. This table, with every item of its decoration, accompanies Caruso, like first; Walter Rauert, Grand Island, the tails on the sheep of Little Bopeep, wherever he goes. Nor will he ever sing without it.

I wonder is it because men are such owards in heart that they admire bravery so much and place military valor so far beyond every other quality for reward and worship?-Thack-

No Such Good Luck. Nervous Old Lady (for the seventh time)-Oh, captain, is there any danger-shall I be drowned? Exasperated Skipper-I'm afraid not, ma'am.-Lon

Women Figure in Strike Riot. New York, May 8 .- Women figured conspicuously in street rioting incident to the makers' strike. Most of ...e trouble occurred on the upper east side. A woman customer leaving a bakery was attacked by women. A policeman who arrested one of her assailants was assailed by a shricking mob of women and men who threw pottles, bricks and clubs at him. This mob ran when he drew his revolver

and a reserve force arrived. Another policeman had a similar experience with a crowd of fifty women who had attacked and slightly injured the daughter of a bakery proprietor. outcher shop with a prisoner he had

Railroad Machinists Strike.

Baltimore, M. D., May 8 .- At a meeting the machinists of the Mount Clare no use before he utters a note. Yet more & Ohio system, numbering about it would not do to refuse a hearing to 1,000, being called out. The primary all these misfits, for there is always cause of action is a notice from the

King Visits Injured Aeronaut.

Rome, May 8.-King Victor Emmanuel visited Lieutenant Colderara of the navy, who was injured while giving a demonstration in a Wright aeroplane. The lieutenant reiterated his previous statement that the accident was due to a fainting spell and not to a breakage in the mechanism and pointed to the fact that the motor was still running when the aeroplane came to

Moonshiners Kill Marshal.

Hugo, Okla., May 8.-In a battle between a posse and a band of moon shiners near Turkey Creek, United States Deputy Marshal Lou Holden was killed. The band was routed.

Dakota Lands Brought \$45 Per. Pierre, S. D., May 8.-State Land Commissioner Dokken returned from

New Dakota Bank. Pierre, S. D., May 8.-Articles of incorporation have been filed for the Fred Winkler, F. A. Freitag, Harold;

F. A. Kuehn, Hague, N. D.

Testing Child Labor Law. Cincinnati, May 8.-The case of the state of Ohio against the Crane Paper Box company, which is expected to reach the supreme court of the United trate today. It is expected to decide the right of the state to pass and enforce child labor laws. The case is one of a hundred charging violation of the law which provides that no child shall work more than four hours in a day. The defense maintains that the law is unconstitutional and that it

conflicts with the right of contract.

Strike of Convict Laborers. Kingston, N. Y., May 8.-Rioting

The number of men out has reached nearly 600. Many of them are paroled prisoners from state penal institu-It is feared that the rioting may

reach serious proportions if these

yards in this section.

Die in Prairie Fires. Winnipeg, Man., May 8.-Further

Washington, May 8.-The senate, ty a vote of 73 to 19, adopted the

Northern Boys Win in Contest.

Alliance, Neb., May 5.- Special to

Following were the winners: Oratorical class: Ned Irvin, Madison, second. Dramatic: Agatha Gregg, Alliance, first; Marie Douglass, Plattsmouth, second. Humorous: Dana Cole, Neligh, first; Gertrude Stacy, Ord, second.

pleased over the success of these two boys. Dana Cole is the thirteen-yearold youth who made such a hit at the northern Nebraska contest here some weeks ago. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cole at Neligh. Ned Irvin made a strong impression here, also.

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