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from a ten days visit other Missouri points.

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BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED ONLY AT FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAFES. I. ROSENFELD CO., Agis. OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT-Only half block from Broadway, apposite Nebraska telephone building. Heat and light fur-nished. Omaha Bee office, is Scott street. Mrs. Robert Mullis has resigned her position with the choir of All Saints' church, Omnaha, to take charge of the choir of the Second Presbyterian church of this city. Ratherine and Genevieve, the 10-year-old twin daughters of Andrew Sharky, 25 Tenth avenue, were reported to the Board of Health yesterday as being ill with diph-theria.

Sylvester Stucker, charged with raising a rough house at his home and breaking the furniture, was assessed \$15 and costs in police court. Isaac Hansen, living at 1971 East Pierce street, was fined \$5 and costs for a like offense.

Before getting your upholstering, mattress making, repairing and refinishing done, get the prices of the Morgan Upholstering Co., 331 Broadway, next to Alexander's art store. Tel. for quick orders. Bell, 333; Ind., 376 red.

ders. Bell, 330; Ind., 150 red.

Mrs. Donald Maorae, sr., D. Maorae, jr.,
V. L. Treynor, F. W. Dean and Mary
Tinley are home from Cedar Rapids, where
they attended the annual meeting of the
Iowa State Medical society.

The Woman's guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet Monday afternoon at
the residence or Mrs. George H. Richmend, 33 Lawton terrace. A large attendance is requested, as there is business
of importance to come before the meeting.

Mrs. Mary Wood, who is suing her husband, B. F. Wood, former member of the
police department, for divorce, was granted
an order yesterday by Judge Wheeler restraining her husband from amoying her
or interfering with her peaceable pessession
of their home.

Frank Sulentich, an Austrian laborer employed at the Union Pacific transfer, died yesterday morning at the Edmundson Memorial hospital, aged 29 years. The body was taken to Cutler's undertaking rooms, where it will be held until Sulentich's countrymen arrange for the funeral. At the meeting yesterday of the cred-tors of W. S. Hewetson, bankrupt, Robert itors of W. S. Hewetson, bankrupt, nosely, B. Waliace, who was acting as receiver, was appointed trustee. The stock of the Manager ators, consisting of art goods, liewetron store, consisting of art goods, wall paper, etc., will be sold in bulk at autoion at 10 o'clock next Saturday morn-

LIGHT LIVERY AND PHAETONS. WE HAVE GOOD RELIABLE AND GENTLE HORSES FOR PEOPLE WHO DESIRE TO TAKE A DRIVE INTO THE COUNTRY, AND FAST DRIVING HORSES, IF GOU DESIRE THEM. GRAND LIVERY, I. W. AND ELMER E. MINNICK, PROPRIETORS.

read, who has been kathering divorce sta-tistics from the records of the office of the clerk of the district court in this city for the last say weeks, has completed his work here and Munday will go to Avoca. The funeral of Misa Helen Augusta Wood, who died Friday from spinal meningitis, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 325 North Second street. It will be private, but Dr. O. O. Smith of the First Congregational church will conduct services at the cametery. Burial will be in Fairview cometery.

A party of officials from Nebraska City, it is announced, will visit Council Bluffs Tuesday to inspect the roads in and about this city which have recently been worked under the supervision of Colonel W F. Baker of the Board of County Supervisors. The party will include the mayor, city Mer, engineer and members of the Commercial slub of Nebraska City.

L. C. Hanlon, brought back from Waterloo, Ia., Friday night by Deputy Sheriff
Groneweg under an indictment charsing
him with cheating by false pretenses in
connection with the organization of the
Bagic Life insurance association in this
city, was arraigned in district court yesterday morning and pleaded not guilty. He
was released on bonds in the sum of \$500
furnished by Waterloo parties.

J. Burk, a stranger, died and waterloopen.

J. Burk, a stranger, died suddenly yesterday morning at Mercy hospital, where had been a charity patient for the last month, from a homerrhage. The man, who appeared to be of considerable redinement, applied for admission, giving is name as the learned from him. The body has been taken to Woodring's undertaking rooms and the police at Kansas City have been requested to look up the man's relatives, if he has any, in that city.

Toung People's society, "Little Faults that Spoil Our Lives," Miss Margaret Knowles, leader: 8 p. m., a special setmon for young women, theme, "A Young Woman's Obligations." In the morning Mr. Jo Barton will be learned from him. The body has been taken to Woodring's undertaking rooms and the police at Kansas City have been requested to look up the man's relatives, if he has any, in that city.

The graduating gift is treasured for years. The man, whose things which are worthy of treasuring from a firm whose extended in the morning Mr. Jo Barton will standing is your protection and whose extended in the morning Mr. Jo Barton will be learned from him. The body has been taken to Woodring's undertaking rooms failed by the man's relatives, if he has any, in that city.

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Let us assist you in making your selections of the man's relatives, if he has any, in that city.

The graduating gift is treasured for years. The man whose financial section of the woman's policy is a standing is your protection and whose extended in the standing is your protection and whose of the man's treative women, theme, "A Young Woman's Obligations of the man's your protection and whose financial tre

Gasoline and Off Stoves. Warranted, full cabinet, two brass burnour line before you buy. We will save you money. J. Zoller Mer. Co., 100-102-101-106 Broadway. 'Phone 320.

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Thousand for Y. M. C. A. declined to have his name made public, brought the Young Men's Christian association building fund yesterday over the \$10,-600 mark. While the committee needs \$10,-000 more, now that \$30,000 has been secured it will begin looking for a suitable site for the proposed building. The railroads will be appealed to and every effort made to secure the needed amount within a reason-

ably short time. The committee announced yesterday that ft would this week call in all of the smaller subscriptions. Persons so desiring can turn in their subscriptions at the Commercial National bank, and this will save the committee the trouble of calling for the money.

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## FIGHT CATALOGUE HOUSES

Lumber and Hardware Dealers Talk Means of Holding Their Treds

SESSION HELD B'HND CLOSED DOORS

Minnenpolis Man Advises Cutting of Prices as the Best Method of Holding the Trade for Local Dealers.

Between thirty and forty lumber dealets from the various towns within a radius seventy-five miles from Council Bluffs Bluffs, Ia. gathered yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Commercial club to discuss ways and means to meet the competition of the catalogue houses. The meeting was called by W. G. Hollis of Minneapolis, secretary of the Northwestern Lumbermen's assointion. Members of the local Retail Hardware Dealers' association were also present at the meeting.

The remedy suggested by Mr. Hollis to cut their prices when necessary to meet those of the catalogue houses and even to sell at actual cost in order to keep business at home. The catalogue houses, while not selling lumber in the rough, cut deeply into the trade of the lumber dealers by immense sales of ready put up sashes, doors and mill work of every description. Mr. Hollis took the position that the lumbermen and the hardware deniers should work together as against the catalogue houses. For instance, if a lumber dealer knew that a person building a house was about to obtain his hardware for it from a catalogue house, he should at once notify the hardware man so that the latter could get busy and try to forestall the order leaving the home market.

Mr. Hollis in his talk said the catalogue houses were making deep inroads into the retail business of the country lumber and hardware dealers. He cited the case of one of the large estalogue houses which and Terminal company, owns considerable

Mr. Hollis said that it was only in the last few years that the country retail merchants were beginning to realize the immense volume of business they were losing catalogue houses by the farmers. He said pled by the rallroad. that investigation showed that in two towns, which he named, the goods shipped with the Illinois Central railroad, Mr. By-

the retail merchants of those two places. The dealers from the small towns present means to meet this competition and that pay a reasonable price for it. them and go to the catalogue houses.

allowed to be present.

testing purposes. We guarantee his glasses to give you satisfaction. See him at once. No charge made for consultation. Leffert,

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10:30, vespers at 5 p. m., Sunday school at noon, midweek service Wednesday evening at & Morning subject, 'The Philosophy of era, gasoline stoves, 33. New Perfection Life;" special music morning and evening. a Gift;" vesper subject, "The Crawn of First Christian church, Rev. J. A. Mc-Kenzie, pastor; Bible school at 9:45 h. m., preaching at II a. m., theme, "Brotherly Lover" communion at noon. Endeavor at 7 p., m. preaching at 8 p. m., theme, "Why I Am a Christian Only;" music under di-

rection of the choir. Second Presbyterian church, Rev. Grant The donation of \$1,000 from a friend, who loss a. m. and s p. m. Sunday school will be at 12.66 p. m. and young people's meeting at 7 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold services in the auditorium of the public Spades and shovels from 60 cents to \$1.25. library building at II s. m., when the sublect of the lesson and sermon will be "Sout Broadway. 'Phone 250. and Body " Sunday school will be at 12:15 p. m. and the regular midweek testimony ecting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. This evening, at the Broadway Methodist antata, "The Daughter of Jelrus," by Bir John Stainer. The soloists will be Mrs. A. R. Heaps, soprano; Charles Tulleys, bortone; Joseph Gerke, tenor. Miss Batth, at the organ, will be assisted by Mrs. Thornton on the piano. This will be the last musical service by the choir for this senson, as Dr. Lewis will leave for Cheutaugua work in June. At the morning service Mrs. Kate Ogburn of China will speak. Class meeting will be at 10 a. m., Surday school at noor and Epworth league meeting at 7 p. m. Services in recognition of the work of the late Rev. T. F. Thickstun will be held at

addresses has been arranged: Address by moderator.
"The Memorial Raptist Church—Its Besishing and Organization," by Deacon Jocoph Robinson.
"Responsibilities," by Rev. F. A.

s o'clock this afternoon at the Memorial

Baptist church. In addition to special

nusical numbers the following program of

Casē. Case.

'Ur Opportunities," by Rev. W. J. Bell

'The Gutlook of the Bible School," by
Superintendent Charles Warner.
Short talks by friends of Rev. T. F.
Thickettin. marks by local pastors.

Rev. S. J. Carter will preach at 8 o'clock this evening at the Union Christian church Broadway and Thirty-fifth street. Owing to the absence of the paster, Rev. 3. W. Snyder, there was be no evening

service at St. John's English Lutheran will be furnished by the church choir. Th church today. At the preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Rev. E. C. Cook of Omaha will occupy the pulpit. The young people's n ceting will be at 7:18 p. m.

Wanted-Girls in candy factory. John council Bluffs, In.

This advertisement and name of paper will get you a life size portrait free, with a dozen cabinets, all this week at Williams' whidio:

See the Eclipse ball bearing, self-sharpening lawn mowers at Petersen & Schoening.

Second-hand organs, from \$10 up, at the Bouricius Piano House. All kinds of talking machines, flat and round record, 235 Broadway, where the organ stands upon the building.

Coat makers and pants makers wanted at E. S. Hicks', 13 Pearl street, Council

WILLING TO SETTLE FOR LAND Practically Concedes State's

Ownership to Cut-Off. Illinois Central raffroad has practically conceded that the state of Iowa has title to the land on the west side of the Missouri river, known as Cut-Off, which is involved in the litigation resulting from for the lumbermen and hardware dealers the attempt of Charles R. Hannan of this city to acquire ownership by purchase from the state under the law giving the right to the state to sell all abandoned river and lake beds. In January of this year Attorney General Byers intervened on behalf of the state in the several suits which had arises claiming that the title to the land in con-

troversy rested in the state of lown. While the suits are still pending in United States court and consequently Attorney General Byers' contention has not yet been ruled upon the Illinois Central railroad, at a conference yesterday between Mr. Byers and the attorneys for the railroad, practically conceded that the title to the land in controversy, at least so far as it was concerned, was in the state of Iowa. Judge W. C. Kenyon of Chicago, Hon. T. B. Healey of Fort Dodge and Charles M. Harl were the attorneys for the railroad present at yesterday's confer-

he said was credited with having done no land in Cut-Off on which its right-of-way less than \$56,000,000 worth of business duris located. An agreement was reached yesterday by which the railroad is willing to pay the state of lows \$5,000 for the land contained in its right-of-way. The agreement reached, however, was a tentative by reason of the patronage extended the sacertain the exact amount of land occuone, as a survey will have to be made to

in to customers by the catalogue houses ers stated yesterday afternoon that the state of Iowa would receive between \$300,-000 and \$360,000 for the land now in conwere asked by Mr. Hollis to keep track as slightest doubt but the courts would finally far as possible of the business given to the catalogue houses by the farmers of their respective communities and if they did so, they would soon realise that there any hardship on persons occupying the loss Broadway. was need for them to devise ways and land there, but would only ask that they

the best way to do so would be to cut their. The Omaha Land company, which claimed curtains. D. W. Keller, 103 South Main St. prices down to cost, if necessary, rather about 500 acres in the disputed territory. than allow the business to get away from will be the hardest hit, if Mr. Byers suc ceeds in having the title decreed to be in The meeting was held behind closed doors the state of Iowa, and persons holding and no one except those interested was property under deed from it will discover they have no title at all.

Mr. Byers contends that Hannan now has Will relieve that terrible headache. It is application to purchase was made under the caused by eye strain. Give the eye a little law which was later repealed, and he has and you will stop the pain. Our optician han, on the other hand, contends that in te both practical and experienced. He has repealing the law the state could not abthe most scientific instruments for eye rogate or annul the rights he had under the former law.

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Marriage Licenses. Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Name and Residence Jesse L. Quackenbush, Omaha Jessie B. Lane, Omaha Peter H. Jorgensen, Council Bluffs. Annie M. Miller, Council Bluffs.... Emil Shoberg, Omaha Freda Peterson, Omaha Ed Hamilton, Wymore, Neb. Rose Robbins, Nebraska City, A. H. Weir, Nebruska City, Neb.... Margaret Thompson, Nebraska City.

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> Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee May 18 by the Pottawattamie County Abstruct company of Council Bluffs;

Anna F. Kay and husband to H. G. McGee, lots 1 and 2, block 18, Wright's add, to Council Bluffs, w. d. Mary Letz to Ailt Kotter, lot & block 4, Burns' add., w. d...... Two transfers, total......

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luncan Shoe Co., 23 S. Main St. Lace curtains, Stockert Carpet Co.

Memorial Day Program. Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran's Letion thas completed arrangements for its bservance of Memorial day. Memorial rvices for the encampment will be held unday evening. May E, at Broadway

remainder of the exercises will be ritual

On Memorial day the members of the encampment will assemble at 9 o'clock at their hall and proceed to Walnut Hill and St. Joseph's cemeteries to decorate the G. Woodward & Co., the Candy Men, graves of their dead. In the afternoon the noampment will participate in the exerises of Abe Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic, at Fairmount park.

Lawn Mower Specials. Good 14-inch high wheel mower, \$2.75; others at \$3.35, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.00. \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00 and up to \$12.50, Grass outchers, & cents, etc., etc. J. Zoller Mer. Co., 100-162-104-106 Broadway, 'Phone 320.

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Special bargain in an upright plane at Bouricius' Piano House, used 16 months. at \$190.00, was \$275.00, as good as new. 335 Broadway, where the organ stands upon the building.

Matters in District Court In the district court yesterday the jury

in the personal injury damage suit of Niels Hansen against the Union Transfer company, after one hour's deliberation, brought in a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$3,150. Hansen sued for \$30,000 for injuries received last September by falling down an elevator shaft in the company's warehouse. The defense offered no testimony, but in the arguments before the jury the trustee for the creditors of the bankrupt company was represented by Hansen's judgment will become a claim like those of the other creditors against the company and he will be paid in the same proportion that the other claims will be paid, which probably will not exceed 30 per cent of the total.

On account of the special assignment of the personal injury suit of Millie Kosky against the Nebraska Telephone company for Monday, it now looks as if the trial of Pat Crowe will not be begun before Tuesday.

Mary A. Benedict began suit for divorce from Ralph Benedict, to whom she was married in this city in 1901. She charges her husband with deserting her five years

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Mauthe. Petersen & Schoening sell matting.

PAST WEEK IN BLUERS SOCIETY Comings and Goings of People in the Social World.

Mrs. D. J. Whittaker is visiting her mother at Emerson, Ia. Mrs. David Stubbs has gone to Chicago on a short visit with friends. P. J. Montgomery and wife are home their trip to Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Henry James left yesterday for a two months' visit in San Francisco.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harl returned Wednesday evening from their trip to Texas. Texas.

Miss Clara G. Brown of First avenue has gone to Kansas City for a short visit with friends. women's prize.

The Economical Card club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Georga Harris, 713 West Broadway. The afternoon was spent at cards, Mrs. Taylor being awarded the first prize and Mrs. Gilbert the second prize. After the game dainty refreshments were served. The club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. B. Hahn, 315 East Washington avenue. Mrs. J. Humble of Colorado Springs is he guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Prouty of Jarner township.

Mrs. Frank F. True entertained at lunch-tion Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. H. S. Jones. Miss Gail Hotchkinson of Denver, Colo., Was the guest last week of Miss Birdle Oliver, 48 South First breet.

Mr. R. D. Whitehead and Dr. Connel of Milwaukee are the guests of Mr. J. B. Bieknap, 30 Morningside avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Coker returned home Wadnes. club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the bome of Mrs. F. B. Hahn, 315 East Washington avenue.

The Baraca class of the First Baptist church, which is the men's class in the Sunday school, numbering about thirty-five, entertained the Philomatheans and the Junior Philomatheans Thursday evening at the home of Rev. F. A. Cass, thore being about seventy-five guests present. The evening was spent at music, games and a general social time. Deinty refreshments were served during the evening.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss May Mayne, formerly of this city, now a resident of Dayton, O., to Mr. Clars S. Thompson of Los Angeles, Cal., the marriage to take place early in August. It has been some time since Miss Mayne has made her home in Council Bluffs, but she has been a frequent visitor to this city and has a host of friends who will be interested to hear of her approaching marriage. Mrs. C. W. Coker returned home Wednes-day evening from a visit with relatives at Neosho Falls and Burlington, Kan.

Mrs. E. E. Hart entertained informally Friday evening at her home in honor of Mrs. Wilson of Lake Geneva. Wis. Mrs. Everett Starr of Portland, Ore. formerly Miss Marian Crane of this city a the guest of Miss Florence Denny. Miss Stella Gilbert is expected home this morning from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Baker at Helena, Mont. Mrs. James O'May left Thursday after-noon for Oakland, Ia., where she will be the guest of her parents for ten days. Mrs. Jay Glen and son, George Gordon, of Grand Junction, Colo., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Glen, 380 Benton

Miss Mary Hansen and Miss Carrie Larson left Tuesday for Copenhagen, Denmark where they will spend the summer with Charles O. Fitch entertained formally Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Wilson of Lake Geneva at her home, 701

Mr. W. C. McClenahan, who has been visiting for a short time with his family on Fourth street, returned to St. Louis on Fourth street, returned to St. Louis Wednesday night. Mrs. S. F. Henry, 808 Sixth avenue, en-tertained informally Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Jones, who

D. W. Bushnell and E. H. Merriam.

Bixty employes of Petersen & Schoening tendered a farewell reception and tuncheon to Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Petersen Wednesday evening at the store, prior to their departure for Europe. Miss R. Hutton was toastmaster and responses were made by Mr. George Sherer, Mr. G. W. Skinner, Mr. Fred Empkie, Dr. R. J. Hart, Mr. T. N. Petersen and Mr. Thomas Kendall The function was served at one long table, the room being prettily decorated with cut flowers and palms.

The Klatter Kiub was entertained Satur-Are guests in this city.

Miss Louise Brown was the guest last week of her mother, Mrs. Cora G. Brown, 1724 First avenue, en route from Kansas City to St. Paul, Minn. The Klatter Klub was entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Perry Badollett, 182 Glen avenue. The afternoon was spent at cards. Miss Georgia Mitchell being awarded the prize for the highest acore. Miss Helen Bixby the "twenty prize, and Miss Ella Albright the guest prize. Mrs. Everett Starr, formerly Miss Marian Crane of Portland. Mrs. William Gilbert of Sioux City, who has been visiting with friends and relatives in this city for the last week, foturned to her home Friday evening.

The members of the Queen Eather's guild have insued invitations for a musicale to be given Thursday evening at the home of Miss Helen Wailace. 37 Bluff street. Miss Della May Byers left last evening for Harlan, Is., where she will be the guest for a week of her uncle and aunt, Attorney General and Mrs H. W. Byers. Mrs. John Fixsel of Sioux City, who has been in the city for some time, the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. G. Biair, 1520 South Sixth street, left Tuesday evening for her home.

home.
Dr. H. D. Kelly of Waterloo, Neb., who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kelly of Perin avenue, has departed for a tour of the west, extending to the coast.

Mrs. W. N. Clifford, 36 Fifth avenue, entertained at a dinner party Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Wilson of Lake Geneva, Mrs. H. S. Jones of Kansus City and Mrs. Moon of lowa City.

Miss Buth Wicham has issued invitations.

seated at four tables, cards being enjoyed after the luncheon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. A. Francis, who received the first prize, and Mrs. Painter Knox the second prize. Mrs. J. H. Mayne was awarded the guests' prize. Mrs. George E. Williamson will entertain the club Saturday afternoon at her home, 515 Oakland avenue. The Tuesday History club was enter-tained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. K. Cooper, 386 Lincoln avenue, Mrs. W. C. Joseph gave an interesting sketch of Victor Emmanuel the Second. Mrs. B. Bayder gave an account of Hum-bert the First, followed by an interesting account of St. Peter's at the Vatican, given Miss Ruth Wickham has issued invitations for a "strolling" party Thursday evening at her home, sis South Seventh street. Thirty flyttations have been issued. A three course languous will be served. Mrs. Frank T. True entertained at a theater party Saturday afternoon at the Boyd theater in Omaha, in honor of Mrs. Wilson of Lake Geneva, Mrs. H. S. Jones of Kansas City and Mrs. Moon of Iowa City. account of St. Peter's at the Vatican, given by Mrs. Akers, who but recently returned from Europe. Mrs. Stavely gave an ac-count of Victor Emmanuel the Third. Mrs. C. G. Saunders and Mrs. W. I. Smith, who were to have charge of the current events, were absent, on account of being out of the city.

inday evening. May E. at Broadway City.

In the deliver the principal oration and Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone W. F. Baker will deliver the address of a prettily appointed four-course dinner party Colone Were absent, on account of being out of the city.

The women of St. John's English Luth-seventh street, in honor of Mrs. Wilson of afternoon by Mrs. G. N. Hoag at her home, it is such as the city.

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Kitchen. price \$3.95.
Kitchen Safes,
worth \$8.00, our
price \$4.50.
Couches, worth
\$10.00, our price
\$4.75.
Kitchen Chair,
worth 75c, our
price 45c.
Sanitary Couches

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Mrs. M. F. Rohrer entertained informally Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Moon of lowa City and a number of their old schoolmates. Mrs. Rohrer was assisted in the dining room by Miss Georgia Mitchell and Mrs. Robert Theinhardt.

ing marriage.

Mr. E. E. Hart entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of General Dodge. Covers were laid for nineteen. The guests were: General Dodge, N. P. Dodge, N. P. Dodge, N. P. Dodge, Jr. Mr. Scott of Omaha, Major Richmond, H. H. Van Brunt, Emmst Tinley, Walter I. Smith, John Mehlhon, Jr. H. A. Quinh, August Beresheim, Victor E. Bender, H. W. Binder, E. W. Hart, F. R. Davis, C. W. McDonald, Ernest E. Hart, D. W. Bushnell and E. H. Merriam.

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land, Ore., was also a guest of the After the game dainty refreshments served. The club will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. W. S. Ri 503 Glen avenue.

Mrs. W. S. Rigdon, assisted by Miss And

Valker, entertained the members of the afternoon '500' club at a 1 o'clock lunch-on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. tigdon, 30 Glen avenue. The guests were ested at four tables, cards being enjoyed floor the broad transfer the cards being enjoyed.

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There were eighteen guests present, the afternoon being spent in social conversation and a general good time, the occasion being the wedding anniversary of Mrs. Hoag. The women of the church presented the hostess with two beautiful hand painted chins plates and she was the recipient of numerous other handsome presents from friends. A dainty luncheon was served at 5 o'clock and at a late hour the guests departed, wishing the hostess many returns of that happy occasion.

The book lovers were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. E. P. Johnson, 28 Bluff street. The afternoon was spent with Alfred Tennyson. Mrs. Parmelee gave an account of Tennyson and Browning contrasted; Mrs. Officer. "In Memoriam;" Mrs. Everett, "His Early Life and Poetry;" Mrs. Dean. "Tennyson as Laureate: "Mrs. Hill. "The Princess;" Mrs. Reed, "Latter Life Selections from Poems." The current events were led by Mrs. Walters. The next meeting, which will be a social session, will be held at the home of Mrs. Jacob Sims, the afternoon to be spent in a game of authors. The committee for the entertainment will be Mrs. Tilton Mrs. Mrs. W. A. Mauer, 831 Second avenue, entertained the Euchre club Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent at euchre, Mrs. Bradley being awarded the prize for the highest score. After the game dainty refreshments were served. Mr. Louis Grell arrived here Sunday from Germany, where he has been for the last seven years studying painting. He made a very enviable record at the school at Munich, being first in a class of fourteen for two years. After a visit with his father here this summer he will return to Munich to complete his studies in the fail. Munich to complete his studies in the fall.

Mrs. T. G. Turner, 309 South Eighth street, entertained at a seven course dinner Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for sixteen guests. The table was decorated with green and pink shaded candelbras, pink roses and maidenhair ferns. After dinner, the guests participated in a game of high five, Mr. Black being awarded the first men's prize and Mrs. J. A. Gorham the women's prize.

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T. N. Petersen, who, with Mrs. Petersen and two of their children, left for Berlin and other European points Thursday evening, was the guest of honor Tuesday evening at a farewell dinner given by the Hardware Mon's cish of Council Bluffs at the Grand hotel. The evenit was one of the most successful functions of this nature given in the city this season. P. C. De Vol. who is the president of the Iowa Retail Hardware Dealers' association, acted as toastmaster. The first toast of the evening was that of Mr. Petersen, the guest of honor. His topic was "My Proposed Trip to Berlin." which was responded to by Charles Swaine. "Relations of the Council Bluffs Johber to Our Retail Hardware Dealers," by E. L. Empkie, was responded to by George Handshy. "What I Think of the Council Bluffs Retail Hardware Dealers," by W. D. Eck, was responded to by J. S. Bogue. A story was given by E. L. Duquette. Henry D. Peterson's topic was "Invoicing a Tin Shop;" W. R. De Vol's, "Window Display," which was responded to by Clerence Zoiler. "The View of the Situation by Our Bouth Omaha Brothers," by J. Michaelson, was responded to by Clerence Empkie. "Relations of the Public Schools to the Hardware Trade," by Prof. Robert Swaine, brought the program of toasts to a close.

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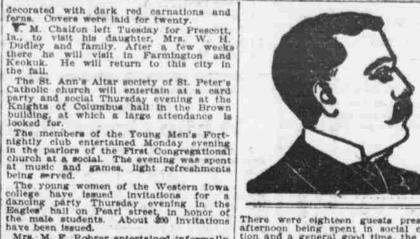
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Oskaloosa Meetings End with Four-Course Breakfast and Reception. OSKALOOSA, In., May 18.—(Special Telegram.)-The final function of the Iowa Federation of Woman's clubs was a reception tendered by the outgoing board of officers to the incoming. A four-course breakfast was served by the women's guild of St. James' Episcopal church at the residence of Mrs. Warren Kalbach. Mrs. J. J. Seerley of Burlington presided. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the boards held a joint meeting at the Hotel Lacey. The visitors all left tonight, talking of the art of home making and feeling inspired to more arduous work in club progress. They go to their homes to follow civic improvem in dandellon crusades and burdock brigades

Iowa Land Owner Decides to Run His ONAWA, Ia., May 18 .- (Special.)-G. A Smith, a large land owner in Monona and Woodbury counties, has notified all tenants that after this year no lands will be leased, but will be furmed under his direction. He is one of the largest taxpayers

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