THE TRIFLER.

IN Council Bluffs a popular form of entertainment just now, so I learn from the Omaha Excelsior is an game of "I love my love." When the dance was over Cassidy then told Instead of one letter a To join hands together and sing this good old person's initials are given. Thus: "I love my love with a C. S. because he is Continually Sweet; I hate him because he Cannon Spell. I went with him to the California Society where he treated me to a Cream Shake and afterwards asked me to eat a

Cold Supper. I am told that he is a writer on Conservative Socialism and that he reads Cato's Soliloquies to form a Correct Style He bails from Columbia Street and his name is Charlie Simmons." Or, "I love my love with an S. E. H. (a young woman's initials) because she is So Exquisitely Handsome; I hate her- if possible—because she Sceks Empty Honors. I went with her to the South End Hospital where we listened to a lecture on Six Eyed Honey bees and saw a Sorry Englishman Hopping around on one foot. She is a Scientifically Elegant Housekeeper, is a lover of Sallus, Eschylus, Homer and other foreign writers, and would like to Spend Every Hour with their works. Her name is Sophie Ellen Hays she is a Superior Evening Hostess.

Omaha's latest fad is a fencing school. It is thought that it will be "taken up" by society, and before long the young people of the metropolis will be industriously assault ing each other with cames and umbrellas. The fencing costumes worn by the ladies are described as very coquettish,

"The Irish Jubilee" the latest popular song has made a big sensation in New York and the East. Following is the song in full: Oh, a short time ago, boys, an Irishman nam-

ed Doherty. Was elected to the senate by a very large majority He felt so clated that he went to Dennis Cas-

sidy, Who owned a bar-room of a very large ca-

pacity. He said to Cassidy, "Go over to the brewer, For a thousand kegs of lager beer and give it to the poor;

Then go over to the butcher hop and order

Send out invitations in twenty differe

And don't forget to tell them to bring their

own sandwiches. They've made me their Senator, and so, to

show my gratitude, They'll have the finest supper ever given in this latitude.

Tell them the music will be furnished by

G'Rafferty, Assisted on the bag-pipes by Felix McCaff-

put up the tin, And any one who doesn't come be sure and do

not let them in.

Cassidy at once sent out the invitations And every one that came was a credit to their

Some came on bicycles because they had no fare to pay, And those who didn't come at all made up

their minds to stay away. Two by three they marched in the dining ball, Young men and old men, and girls that were

not men at all. Blind men and deaf men, and men who had

their teeth in pawn; Single men and double men, and men who had their glasses on.

Before many minutes every chair was taken, Till the front rooms and mushrooms were packed to suffocation. When every one was seated they started to

lay out the feast, Cassidy said: "Rise up and give us each a cake of yeast!"

He then said as manager he would try and fill the chair. He then sat down as we looked at the bill of

There was pig's head and gold fish, mocking

birds and ostriches, Ice cream and cold cream, vaseline and sand

Blue fish, green fish, fish-hooks and patridges Fish-balls, snow-balls, cannon balls and cart-

ridges. Then we ate out meal till we could hardly stir about. Ketch-up and hurry up, sweet krout and sour

Dressed beef and naked beef, and beef with all its dresses on.

Soda erackers, fire-crackers, limberger c_eesc

with tresses on. Beefsteaks and mistakes were down on the full of fare.

Roastribs and spare-ribs, and ribs that w couldn't spare; Reindeer and snow deer, dear me! and ante-

And the women ate so much mushmelon the

men said they cant-clope; Red herrings, smoked herrings, herrings from

old Erin's Isle. Bologna and fruit cake and sausages a half a

There was hot corn and cold corn, corn salves

and honey comb, Reed birds, read books, sea-bass and sea feam,

Fried liver, baked liver and doctor's big liver pills,

And every one was wondering who was going to pay the bills.

For desert we had toothpicks, icepieks and skipping-rope.

And washed them all down with a big piece of shaving soap; We are everything that was down on the bill

Then looked on the back of it to see if any more was there.

Then the band played hornpipes, gas-pipes and Irish reels, And we danced to the music of "The Wind

That Shakes the Barley Fields;" Then the piper played old tunes and spittoon

That in came Mr. Champagne and handed him a glass of wine;

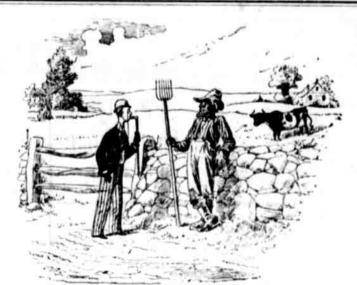
They welted the floor till they could be heard for miles around

COURIER has commenced Several strong For tetter, salt-rheum, scald-head, eezema holiday number last year elicited universal box.

When Gallagher was in the air his feet were commendation, I am sure it will be eclipsed the coming Christmas. It's no small job to issue a big extra edition such as we propose, There's an immense amount of work in it. It will be the most interesting thing in the way of holiday publications you have seen for many a day. I shall have something more land fling.
And Marphy took his knife out and tried to definite to say on this subject later on.

.. Many of you remember the Courier's handsome display of printing and fine sta-tionery at the state fair. Well, the COURIER has received a diploma for the first best exhibit in this line. Not bad considering the competition, eh?

"Young Jack," as he is called, is the only one of the Astor family who has shown any disposition to be foppish or frivolous and brisk. The sturdy old Dutch blood of the not infrequently receives a complimentary Astors is becoming more or less diluted by marriage with more volatile Americans, and



NO DANGER.

Young Skipjack. "Ah, I would like to cross that field; do you think-ah-that cow would hurt me?"

Farmer. "Did you ever hear of a cow hurtin' a calf?"

A finer lot of dancers you never set your eye

shose who couldn't dance at all dancing with their slippers on.

Should old acquaintance be forgot,

Wherever we may be, Think of the good old times we had

Yes, it is true that there is some advantage in being a newspaper man. For instance he

ticket to an entertainment, worth from 25

CHORUS-(After last verse).

At the Irish jubilee.

some danced jig steps, doorsteps and High-

cents to \$1,00, in return for which he is ex- this may result in producing an Astor in a pected to give from one to ten dollars worth generation or two who will forget the ironof advertising. But there are disadvantages, clad traditions of his family and make the too. People imagine that a newspaper man, like an umbrella mender, carries his shop around with him, and that even in the midst serious and intensely respectable family, and of pleasure he is on business bent. Hence their influence on New York society has althey are always fearing a pencil and note ways been beneficial. But at the best it can then go over to the butterer hop and order up a ton of meat,

Be sure to see the boys and girls have all they want to drink and eat;

Want to drink and eat;

The gover to the butterer hop and order to book assault. They forget that it is possible to be said that the Astors are gay. "Young Jack," who is about six feet high, and established the same time.

This distrust of the newspaper man is at times far from pleasing to the innocent object | that makes "Young Jack" feel like fighting of it. It isn't pleasant to approach a party occassionally, and encourages him to play of gentlemen listening and laughing heartily boyish pranks at Newport and Lenox. He at the story one of them is telling, and hear as will not have the impressive monetary reyou come up a remark like this: comes a newspaper man. Don't let him hear likely that he will have more than a beggarly that story or he will put it in the paper." It hundred million or so to struggle along with isn't pleasant to know that people regard you in life after the next shake up of the big as a detective constantly on duty, and to estate. know that wherever you are there is more or less restraint due to the general fear that you will immediately make public every thing you hear. I am not certain but the disad-

There are several wealthy men in Omaha who never permit young men working on a salary to furnish carriages for their daughters. I know of at least one who is very strict World's Fair" will close the season at St. in this regard. He wishes the young men who pay attention to his daughter, and there are lots of them, by the way, to understand that he prefers to send his own carriage when they take her to the theatre or a party, and ing burlesque manager in America—Bee. uniess the old gentleman is satisfied that the young man is particularly "well fixed" he insists on having his wishes respected. Once in a while a fellow who prides himself on his independence, objects to this arrangement, but the girl's father is generally able to convince him that with a half dozen idle horses in the stable it is folly for him to spend three or four dollars in biring a carriage from the livery. Whether this is exectly desirable under all circumstances is an open question; but it speaks volumes for the common sense of

vantages are greater than the advantages.

. Yes, there are things galore to be thankfu

the old man,

On Thanksgiving day this year. The tiresome campaign bore at last is no

Election's no longer here. The Journal after this fall, the News and Call

Will give politics a rest A most delightful change to their reades all To whom the subject's a pest.

No longer will there be any need to read A number of times each day What Jones and Bushnell and Hyde each in

On the tariff has to say.

Accounts of fights, murders, shows, fires, rain and snows, Once more we perhaps can find Instead of the tariffs on clothes, wire and

Of campaign speeches, the duty on peaches We have surely had our fill

There are now no screeches for him who

About the McKinley bill And we are thankful

The gentlemen who have interested themsigularly fortunate in securing the patronage and shapes are shown and suggested. Give of so many influential ladies. The list of them a call. patronesses is published in another column Under such auspices the complete success of the ball is assured.

Aiready the preparation for the Christmas

line of succession. The sons of William Waldorf Astor will inherit the bulk of the great estate. Perhaps it is the realization of this "Hist, here sponsibility of his cousin, as it is not at all

> W. R. Goodall has gone to St. Louis to make arrangements for the production of his ed a distinct hit in the third act. The singing signed a five years' contract with E. E. good and the fair sized audience was fully as come. Rice. The play will probably be produced in the next five or six week's under Mr. Rice's direction, John W. Norton, the veteran St. Louis manager, becoming the financial back er of the enterprise. It is thought "The Louis to give way to Mr. Goodall's play which Mr. Rice considers a winner. The friends of Mr. Goodall will be glad to learn of his good fortune in becoming a-sociated with the lead-

Mr. Goodall has for some time past been the staff artist of the World-Herald. He achieved some notoriety last spring as the financial backer of Judge Cooley's hilarious presentation of "Hamlet" at Loyd's opera ouse, Omaha.

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MUSIC AND THE DRAMA. marked successes of the season. It is by the authors of "The Wife," "Lord Chumley," etc., Messis. David Belasco and Henry C. De Special COURIER Correspondence. Mille, and is one of the cleverest of their compositions. The play will be produced NEW YORK, Nov. 5 -The novelties of the veck are "Reckless Temple," at the Standard, with scenery and accessories made from the original models and with rare perfection of

"The Plunger" at the Peoples, and "The Last Word," at Daly's. "Reckless Temple" is the work of Augustus Thomas, the author of "Editha's Burglar," and is written around detail. Following are the principal mem-bers of the cast; Messrs Boyd Putnam, Hen-ry Herman, Thos. H. Simms, Harry J. Mor-gan, John S. Hall, Walter Thomas, A. W. Maurice Barrymore, who appears as Edgar Temple, nicknamed Reckless. The pivot around which the play circles is Reckless' taking upon himself the odium of a crime of Gregory; Misses Ruth Carpenter, Frances Gannet, Bessie Syree, Ethel Greybrooke, Eliza Logan, Master Vaughn, etc. "The Charity Ball" will be one of the artistic treats the brother of the woman he loves, but the hero is not put into situations that would of the season. suit Mr, Barrymore best. The idea of the RUSSELL'S COMEDIANS AND PAY TEMPLETONplay is unreasonable, and Temple, instead of being a reckless Bohemian, with pleaty of mental as well as physical manliness, whines An event of more than ordinary interest and cries about the stage in a very un-Barrymore-like fashion. He has, however, the face

of a Greek god and the figure of an athlete, which with excellent support and magnificent stage settings may give the play a run. "The Plunger" is one of David K. Higgins' weird plays, and probably the most unworce, melodrama placed upon a city stage this year, and yet it achieved a howling success in the Bowry. "The Last Word," an adaptation of Mr. Augustin Daly, from the German of Mr. Augustin Daly, from the German of ians ever gathered together. Besides the dashing Fay Templeton, there are, Miss Jennie Satterlee, Josie Sadler, Fannie Johnstone, Nina Haywood, Marion Grioux, Lillian Rivers, Fred Lenox, Charles V. Seamen, William Franz von Schoutau, was produced on Tues-day. Mr. Daly's new play is almost an emo-Carroll, T. J. Herndon, Edwin Goodwin (Nat's brother) and a magnificent male quar-tette. The play is thoroughly original in conception, novel in construction, rapid and tional drama, with a strong plot of love and Nihilism and human interest. Probably such a plot in a theatre devoted almost entirely to light comedy would not have succeeded in the hands of the majority of Mr. Daly's players, But the really phenomenal acting of Miss Re-han in the character of a Russian baroness unique in action, in its entirety constituting a continuous fusilade of brilliant fun, catchy melodies and new and novel features, show-ing each one of the talented artists in a character especially adapted to his or her best abilities: Miss Templeton in the title role porchanged what promised to be disaster into a most bridiant triumph. In this latest production Ada Rehan rose to a height of dramatic power that she has never before displayed. The play opened with a ball-room trays the "Star of the Comedie Francaise" and in the part is given more opportunity to display her versatile accomplishments, dash and chic which are so well known throughout scene, which was the most perfect representation of such an event that has been seen in New York. The persons on the stage were dressed and looked like ladies and gentlemen; the entire country that commendation is unnecessary. Among the many new specialties introduced by the fascinating Fay will be the celebrated Spanish dance which created a veritable sensation lately in New York. they all talked at once in that hysterically mirthful tone, which obtains between this and the next waltz, and so natural was the

SHADOWS FROM THE POOTLIGHTS. Last week in Portland, Oregon, Miss Clara Morris played to \$10,000.

obliviousness to the audience that one felt as if he stymbled into a private house without The one-thousandth representation of "The an invitation. "The Last Word" is sure of a Old Homestead" will soon be celebrated at very long run. At Dunlevy's Park, Anna the Academy New York.

It is announced that Messrs. Grawford & Reynolds will take possession of Boyd's opera house, Omaha (not the new Boyd as reported Nero" has had a wonderful success at Niblo's last week) next July.

Garden, and so has Charles Frohman's stock company in "Men and Women." A number of strong attractions are booked for the Eden Musee for next week, notably "U and I," presented at the Funke Thurs-day evening by Gus Williams and John T, one of those rollicking farces of which we see Prof. Munsulla, the high rope walker. Novel- why it prospers so," Robert Mantell's recent engagement in St. played in that city. The theatre was crowded can be called a plot, the play being connightly and the receipts were very large. Mr. structed solely on the purpose of introduc-Mantell comes to New York after the holiing the two clever comedians, in their well days, when he will probably be seen as Hamknown specialties. Other members of the let and Othello for the first time by metro- little darlings at the Bazar. company contribute the usual features of the

politan theatre goers. "The Pearl of Pekin," under the management of Mr. Edward A. Stevens, is having but while they were as mirth-provoking as prosperous year west, where its popular ity seems greater than ever. This company usual, it does seem that they might secure something better fitted to the display of their is completely organized and in excellent peculiar gifus than "U and L." "The Irish working order. It includes several popular Jubilee," reprinted in another column, provartists and the performance given by them is first class in every particular. "The Pearl" new comedy, "An Absent-Minded Man," hav- ing as a whole, however, was not particularly is certainly good for four or five seasons to

nearly all of last year, and was one of the against Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago, but always in good taste. A telegram received in New York says: "Is Marriage a Failure" is one of the funniest of American comedies and a distinct hit. Mr. Robson made a very great success as Horace Kent the young hus The business of the numerous Cleveland

Minstrel companies is limited only by the ca-pacity of the theatres in which they appear, and it is a cold day when the receipts of the three shows combined do not exceed \$3,000. With one show in California, another in the South, and still another in New England, there is a string of Cleveland's Minstrel printing that extends from ocean to ocean. One day last week the Cleveland Minstrels were beavily billed in one hundred and fifty-six of the principal cities, extending as far west as will occur at Funke's opera house Friday and San Francisco and as far east as Boston. Saturday evenings next, the occasion being The total cost for lithographic printing on the appearance of Fay Templeton as the bill boards at one time for dates to be played bright particular star of "Russell's Com-d-bright particular star of "Russell's Com-d-by the different companies, aggregated over ians" in the presentation of the latest farcical furor entitled "Miss McGinty, the Star of the Comedie Francaise." This organization is four or five agents with each company are all one of the strongest collections of commeditoring, and bot the regular billing, as thoroughly equipped with different styles of printing. Between now and the dates they appear in the different places, Mr. Cleveland goes over the entire route. The largest num-ber of people who have paid to see Cleveland's three minstrel companies in one day (six performances) was 19,462.

Concerning the modern tendency toward light comedy, Frank Daniels, writing to the Kansas City Times says: "The truth of the matter is we have not enough leisure class people in this country to support the Shakespearean or the legitimate drama. This culture leisure element may come in time, and we may have an established theatre devoted to the careful and elaborate production of the plays of the great poets and dramatists, but just at the present moment the people who patronize our theatres are engaged very actively in money making. I say 'people," for the women are entering all branches of business life now as well as the men. A man or a woman who has been busy "hustling" all day in an office, a store or a work room, has no inclination when evening comes to a six act tragedy or a five act emotional drama. They have been engaged in plays serious enough for them during the day, and perhaps some of them have had a little one act tragedy in which they have played a conspicuous role. When evening comes they want relaxation, a change of scene—in tact, they want to laugh, and to laugh at something that carries them far away from the serious scenes they have witnessed during the day, for there is not much fun or jollity in money getting. This in my opinion is why farce and comedy has taken such a footbold in our theatres and

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SHE SCORED.

"I don't like that hat you're wearing, Lydia."

"Why nor? Charlie sent it to me this afternoon." "I know. He sent it to me this morning, and I returned it to him at once."

appreciative as the programme merited. Miss The Kendals are among us again. They their parts with considerable ability.

AT THE FUNKE TONIGHT.

movement on the stage and the apparent

Boyd appeared on Monday in Fay Temple ton's part in "Hendrik Hudson." "Claudin

modern musical farce-comedy, Williams

and Kelly are so well known to all play goers

that comment on their work is unneces

"The Midnight Bell," Hoyt's latest success, will be presented at Funke's opera house tonight by the original New York company. As before stated this new comedy is a distinct departure for the popular play-wright. in any thing he has yet attempted, and the result is a conspictious success, evidencing the versatility of the author. The cast is exceptionally strong, and a very satisfactory performance may be expected.

"THE CHARITY BALL."

Flossie West and Miss Josephine Zella, as have brought with them their sweet domest-Babette and M'lle Vermicella sustained is virtues, their touching affection for their offspring and their positively Elysian marital happiness, together with their other theatrical effects. In these days of degeneracy and divorces, it is delightful indeed to see such a rampant exhibition of goodness as this worthy couple offer nightly to crowded audiences and at other times to inquisitive reporters In "The Midnight Bell," Hoyt has put less of and an admiring society. Oh, yes, virtue farce-comedy and more of pure comedy than pays, if properly advertised. What an encouraging reflection

Last Saturday night at the Grand opera house in Cincinnati, Mr. Stuart Robson produced a new comedy by A. D. Gordon, called 'Is Marriage a Failure." The story of the play tells of the miseries of a young married At Funke's opera house next Wednesday couple, introducing the much ridiculed mothevening, November 12, will be presented "The er-in-law and a funny and fussy father-in-Charity Ball" under the management of Dan- law. All of the characters with the excepfeatures have been secured, and although the and chronic sore eyes. Price 25 cents per jel Frohman. This charming play held the tion of that taken by Mr. Robson are resis boards at the Lyceum theatre, New York, dents of Chicago. Telling satire is directed Hose 25 cents, J. H. Mauritius & Co.