The Plattsmouth Weekly Berald

CITY BRIEFS.

-Miss Mary Hawksworth is visiting at Ackron, Colo.

-The chimney sweep is around on his annual fall tour.

-R. B. Windham left for Des Moines yesterday morning.

-Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morris spent Sun-

day in Pacific Junction.

-Miss Mary Weekbach returned last week from her visit to Burlington.

-Miss Wiggenhom, of Ashland, is visiting the family of F. G. Frickic.

-Miss Hattie Latham returned last week from a two weeks visit at Central

-Miss Anna Russell spent Sunday and the fore part of the week visiting at

-Misses Nellie and Aggie Murphy, ot Omaha, are visiting their cousin, Miss Anna Murphy.

-Mrs. Oneal and Misses Birdie and Jessie Oneal returned last Thursday to their home in Iowa. -Dave Campbell has bought the Hall-

rook property on 5th street where he will soon take up his residence. -Miss Lizzie Mayne who has been visi-

ting Mrs. Fred Whitney returned to her home in Creston, Iowa, Tuesday. -- Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cody and daught-

er, who have been visiting relatives over the state returned to Plattsmouth Tucs--Miss Daisy Green, of Omaha, who

has been visiting with Mrs. Charles F. Whitney the past week, returned home Tuesday morning. -Mr. and Mrs. Johns, of the Platts-

mouth gas company left yesterday for a Missouri town where Mr. Johns is intending to erect a gas works. -The first meeling of the teachers

association of Cass Co., will be held at Louisyille, Sept. 3, a cordial invitation is extended to those interested in the work.

-B. Elson returned Sunday morning from his trip east, he reports having a nice time. He bought a very large stock of goods which will begin to arrive in a

morning came in in fine style, there being within about two miles of that place, emergency, and standing by the door of weeping water, fifteen cars. The principal part of the King was taken very sick and lay down train was made up of the annual Harvest in the road. Mr. McElwain being man who left his cell, and Mallick seeing Elmwood Home excursion from Indiana and Illi- unable to rouse the animal went for a

of Plattsmouth, but now living in Den- The doctor examined the horse and said ver, spent the first of the week visiting its death was caused by fever which had in the city. He was on his way to visit been coming on for several weeks and at Prince Edward's Island and will stop at Plattsmouth again on his return.

-Misses laced serge shoes 85 and foxed 50 cents only, at Merges.

-The premium lists are in the hands of the secretary, Harry C. Ritchie. Many of them have been mailed to citizens of Cass county, but, if any have been overlooked, they will be supplied by sending or calling on the secretary.

-Sealing Wax at Warrick's Drug d6t-w4t Store.

-The incoming "K. C." of Monday morning was delayed several minutes at Bellvue on account of the breaking of the air brake rod under the second coach. The rod broke on the run from Omaha to Bellve and was discovered and removed at the latter place.

-A large number of special premiums have been offered by our citizens for various things, for which, please see premium list, and let all our home talent come and compete, even to getting married and secure-Bock and Unruh's special.

-Liquid Blackboard Slating at Warrick's.

-The track at the fair grounds has been put in excellent shape and is as smooth as a floor; and is now open to all drivers of stock, bicycles and hose teams. The buildings are being removated and put in repair, and in ten days will be ready for the reception of stock etc.

-Wheeling Stogies 3 for 5 c. the best in the city at Warrick's, d6t-w4t

-The Plattsmouth street railway company are actively at work and have their grading about done to the fair grounds, and by this date are laying ties and iron. This will of a certainty be a great help, not only to our city, but to our coming fair. As our understanding is, it will be be complete in ample time for the latters

-The best Kalsomine at Warrick's, only 8c. a fb.

-Mr. G. H. Longenhagen brought to this office one day last week three apples, one a wine sap and two of the Ben Dayis varieties which were raised last year by Andrew B. Taylor of this county, these apples were as sound as when they were gathered last fall. Mr. Longenhagen also brought us three potatoes that he grew in a box without any dirt or moisture of any kind.

Warrick's "America's finest 5c. Cigar." d6t-w4t

-Dr. Schildknecht returned yesterday from his eastern trip.

-The Weeping Water fair opened Tuesday. It was not a fair day.

-Miss May Russell left this morning for Weeping Water to attend the wedding of a friena.

-Plattsmouth is enjoying the benefits of the signal service. The flags are displayed from a pole over Merges' shoe

-Harry Williams, the boy who assaulted the fruit vender at the Sunday pienic, was fined \$5 and costs in Judge Russell's court, Tuesday.

- Warrick guarentees his Mixed Paint to do more work, look better and last longer than Lead and Oil, try it. d6t-w4t

-Coup's equescurriculum which exhibited at the opera house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening and Wednesday afternoon drew large and merited audiences. The entertainment consisted of many performances of little tricks by the horses which were very difficult and their obedience to commands would almost make one believe they were possessed of powers of reason and understanding. During the evening fine exhibition of bycic e riding, jugglery etc. were also given.

-Lead, Oil, Varnishes, Brushes &c. at Warrick's good goods and low prices.

det-wet -One of our enterprising young attorneys desiring to view the beautiful scenery of South Park, last Friday went to one of our livery stables to secure a horse. Having confidence in his ability as a horseman, he chose one of a forward nature, and mounting, rode gaily on his way. All went well till after the arrival at the park, but surely "pride goeth before a fali" for here, the steed becoming enthused with the fresh air, struck out over the hills on a gentle gallop, and exactly all that happened immediately af terward will probably never be known, but a little later the attorney could have been seen wending his way homeward on foot, leading the animal behind him.

-The finest line of Birthday cards at Warrick's Drug Store.

Will, Sampson's fine span of horses, King and Nig, last Tuesday to give them a little exercise. They having been at -Mr. McKinnon formerly a resident the horse was dead and Nig was sick. was brought on in fatal form by the morning drive, although it might have died, but not so soon, from the disease doing all he can to save the other horse, and vesterday it appeared all right. Will. Sampson feels quite down hearted at his loss for he prized the team very

> -Wall Paper-New stock just recived at Warrick's.

List of Letters

Remaining unclaimed, in the Postoffice at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Aug.31, 1887, for the week ending Aug. 20. Anderson, S. J. Cole, W. H. Cross, Miss May Cory, Mrs. H. W. Carry, Henry. Cole, Mrs. Liua. Dustin, Mrs. L. A. (2) Frauks, L H. Hickenau, Mrs. Ruthey, Grace, Miss Lizzie. Hooper, F. J. Long, Miss Ella.

Merryman, F. J. MD.(2) Muller, Mr.

Miller, Miss Hope. Meredith, J. B.

Nichols, Mrs. A. A. Poague, Miss Etta.

Pexton(or Sexton) Mrs. Lou. J. Rheinfrank, Geo
Spurgin, Miss Lizzie. Tanneoill, Wm.

Persons calling for any of the above etters will please say "advertised."

J. N. WISE, P. M.

The Sugar Feast. The first annual sugar feast of the

Nebraska sugar band will be held in Plattsmouth October 4, 5, and 6, 1887. The following will be the order of

general exercises one the respective days: Tuesday, Oct. 4,-Reception of visitors during the day, grand torchlight procession in the evening after which a banquet for the visiting sugarers will be given in Fitzgerald's Hall.

Wednesday, Oct. 5,-Forenoon rehersal, opera house 10 to 12 o'clock. Even-

ing, 8 p. m., concert at opera house. THURSDAY, Oct. 6,-Rehersal, opera house 10 to 12 a. m. Afternoon convention at Liederkranz Hall, for the election of officers and appointing place for the 2nd annual sugar feast. Evening concert at opera house-To conclude with grand ball at Fitzgerald's Hall.

and take part in all the exercises:

Lincoln..... Germania Maner choir, Grand Island Liederkranz. Columbus...... Maner choirLlederkranz together with the Plattsmouth Glee Club, who will sing at both concerts.

doubt, get up a sugar feast that will be take Simmons Liver Regulator, a medan honor and a credit to our city, and it icine that increases in popularity each is the duty of every citizen of Platts- year, and has become the most popular -Try "Plantation" Punch Cigars at | mouth to do all in their power to make | and best endorsed medicine in the marthe visitors feel that they have seen a live kat for the cure of liver or bowel disgrowing town.

Off for a Shoot.

The recollections of prairie chickens "on toast" and the news that they were "thick out west" got away with some of our best citizens yesterday, and, well supplied with amunition, guns and expectations they left yesterday morning for cares and kill all the chickens in the

The parties taking this delightful excursion were Billy Baker, Sam Chapman, F. G. Frickie, R. Livingston, U. V. Mathews, Gen. G. E. Smith of Omaha, John Vallery, Alf White and Frank E.

A PLUCKY JAILOR.

W. H. Mallick Risks His Life But Holds the Prisoners at Bay with | Weeping Water the Assistance of Sam Capen the Stove Creek Night-Watch.

Last Sunday night a desperate attempt was made by the prisoners in the county Greenwood jail to escape, and would have succeeded | Tipton but for the courage of jailor W. H. Mal-

As usual Mr. Mallick entered the corridor of the jail about ten o'clock to lock the prisoners in their cells. This he did, all appearing to be in their cells but Edward Knight, who is held for burglary in Weeping Water, and who remained out to sweep the corrider. Knight asked Mallick to open the door leading from the corridor that he might sweep the dirt out, and as soon as the door was open pointed a revolver at his head and commanded him to throw up his hands. But Mallick never flinched and an instant later the desperate man fired; the bullet passing close to Mallick's head. Knight's shot was followed immediately by one from the night watch, Sam Gapen. The bullet passed close to Knight,s head and he fell as though shot, but showed his thirst for blood by snapping his weapon several times directly at Mallick's head but the weapon failed to go off and ble office, 12 to 7 p. m. Mallick drew his shooter and fired at Knight but without effect. Had Knight's revolver not failed to go off Mallick would undoubtedly have been killed.

During the melee William L Foreman, -Deputy-Sheriff McElwain borrowed a young man confined for shooting a boss on the Mo. Pacific, jumped from his concealment under the wash stand and pulled the lever which opens the cell pasture all summer were quite frisky, doors, and called to the prisoners to Louisville, -No. 1 passenger train of yesterday He started for Weeping Water and when come out, but Gapen was equal to the Center, the corridor threatened to shoot the first | Stove Creek the new danger, hastened to close the doctor and help, but when they returned doors again, and Knight and Foreman Salt Creek. seeing the cause lost, attempted to escape but were cornered in the adjoining room by the alert watchman. Just then policeman, Fitzpatrick arrived at the scene, having heard the shooting and lent the influence of his words and revolver toward subduing Knight and Foreman, the had it been left alone. Mr. McElwain is latter having gained possession of the weapon. Mallick and Gapen finally got the revolvier and returning the men to their cells. The plot was well planned and the jailor and watchman deserve great credit for their courage and alert-

> How the prisoners got the weapon no one knows, but Mr. Golding identified it as one bought at his store during last week and from his description of the buyer Lee Osbourn was arrested but Mr. Golding failed to identify him and at his trial Tuesday he was discharged.

The prisoners had taken an iron rod from one of the cots to use as a weapon but the greeting Knight got caused the prisoners to remain quiet and the rod

Knight and Foreman were before Judge Mathews on charge of assault with intent to commit murder, Tuesday morning, and were bound over to await the convening of court. At the trial it also appeared that the prisoners drew cuts to see who should hold the revolver.

Plattsmouth Markets. FURNISHED BY W. H. NEWELL & CO.

Wednesday, August 17, 1887. Wheat No. 2, 45. n 3 40. " 2 26. Corn, " 2 17 and 18. Oats. .. 2 28.

Barley, " 2 40. . 3 30. Hogs, \$3.60.@3.75.

Cattle, \$3.00@3,75 CHICAGO MARKETS. Cattle-Receipts, 10,000; weaker; common, 20c lower; shipping steers, \$3.25@ 5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@3.20; cows, bulls and mixed. \$1.50@3.00;

\$2.60@3.50. Hogs-Receipts, 13,000; opened strong and closed lower; rough, \$4.80@5.10; The following societies will be present packing and shipping, \$5.05@5,45; light \$4.85@5.30; skips, \$3.00@4.70.

Texas cattle, \$1.70@3.25; western cattle

Doctors' Bills.

Nearly all diseases originate from inaction of the liver, and this especially Tiptoa the case with chills and fever, intermittent fevers, and malarial diseases. To Our German fellow citizens will, no save doctors' bills and ward off disease eases. - Telegraph Dubuque, Iowa.

Republican Central Committee Meeting.

Held at Weeping Water, Aug. 27, 1887. Meeting called to order by M. M. Butler, This never fails. Warranted by, F. G. chairman-at 1:30 P. M.

On roll call the following members | Nebraska. were found present, either in person or northern Nebraska to shoot away their by proxy,—being the full committee. Plattsmouth 1st Ward, M. D. Polk, proxy for L. C. Stiles.

Plattsmouth 2nd Ward, L. E. Skinner, H. C. Ritchie,

A. B. Todd, prexy for

Plattsmouth Precinct, F. B. Shopp. Rock Bluffs " A. J. Graves, proxy S. L. Furlong. Liberty Precinct, G. N. LaRue. J. L. Hutchins. Avoca

L. A. Dorrington.

Mt. Pleasant " Samuel Rector, proxy H. G. Hawley. Eight Mile Grove Prec't, John Adams. Louisville Geo. W. Mayfield, J. N. Woodford. Center P. S. Barnes. Wm. Dallas, J. L. Barton. W. H. Smith. Salt Creek Geo. L. Findley. J. C. Stevenson.

A. S. Cooley. On motion of M. D. Polk, it was decided to hold the county republican convention on Saturday, Oct. 1st, 1887, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various county offices, and electing fifteen delegates to the state convention, to be held Oct. 5th, 1887.

On motion, the representation from the different precincts was based on the vote for Gov. John M. Thayer in the election of 1886-being one vote at large for each precinct, one vote for ever fifteen votes east for Gov. Thayer and one vote for every major fraction in excess.

It was then carried by motion that the primaries be held for the selection of delegates to the county convention, Saturday Oct. 24th, 1887, at the following named places:

Plattsmouth 1st Ward, County Judge's office 12 to 7 p. m. Foundry, 12 to 7 p. m. 2nd

3rd " Richey's Lumber office, 12 to 7 p. m. Shannon's Livery sta-Palttsmouth Prec't Taylor school house

Rock Bluffs, B rger school house 3 p. m. Foldens " Liberty 3 p. m. Hutchins " Avoca. 2 p. m. Mt. Fleasant. Gilmores "

Right Mile Grove, Hiles " " Fitzgerald's Hall Manley 3 p. m. School house 2 p. m

G. A. R. hall 7:30 p. m. Elmwood Cen. 7p. m South Bend school house 2 p. m. Gregnwood 2 p. m. Greenwood Cornish school house

Eagle 5 p. m. On motion committee proceeded to ballot for place of holding convention, and on the fourth ballot, it was decided by a vote of ten to nine in fayor of Platts-

then offered and adopted: 1. Resolved that the republican primary elections in the city of Plattsmouth, called for Sept. 24, 1887, be conducted under the provisions of chapter 29 of the session laws of Nebras

mouth. The following resolutions was

9. Resolved that no person who voted against a majority of the nominees on the republican state ticket in 1886 or who is a member of any other than the republican party is entitled to vote at said election. The said primary elections to be conducted by a presiding

officer and two inspectors. 3. It is hereby ordered that the primary for the First ward be held in the old county judges office, A. Salisbury to act as presiding officer and M. McElwain, and L. C. Stiles inspectors. 4. The primary for the second ward is to be held at the foundry, J. W. Johnson is to act as presiding officer, L. E. Skinner and W. H. Shafer as inspectors. The primary for the third ward is to be held in Richey's lumber office with W. H. Newell as presiding officer and A. B. Todd and Frank Carruth as inspectors. The primary for the fourth ward is to be held in

Shaunon's livery office, with Ed. Greusel presiding officer and D. B. Smith and W. S. Purdy It shall be the duty of the inepectors hereinbefore mentioned to keep a list of the persons voting at the primaries whichFlists, together with a certificate signed by the presiding officer and one or both inspectors, seiting forth the number of votes received by each person voted for as delegate to said primary shall be forwarded to the chairman of the republican

county central committee. In the absence of any of the persons hereinbefore designated to conduct said prima y electio: s at the opening of the polls the republicansipresent shall select a person or persons to fill the vacancies.

The second clause in the above resolution applies to the entire county, The representation of the various precincts in the county convention will be

as follows.

Plattsmouth 1st Ward, 2nd " 044 3rd · 4th Precinct Rock Bluffs Liberty Mt. Pleasant Eight Mile Grove Louisville Weeping Water Stove Creek Elmwood South Bend Greenwood

Committee then adjourned. M. M. BUTLER, Н. С. Вичении, Chairman.

-Plattmouth Circulating Library at Warrick's Drug Store \$1 per year, 25¢ d & w 6t. the day.

Itch, Prairie Mange, and Scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes, by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. Fricke & Co., druggists, Plattsmouth,

Public Sale.

Rock Bluffs precinct, 9 miles south of Plattsmouth, Monday, Sept. 5th, 1887. 1 span geldings, 1 span mares, 1 span 2year-old filleys, 1 yearling filley, 1 suckling colt, 26 milch cows, 4 three-yearold and I two-year old heifers, 3 twoyear-old steers, 9 yearling heifers, 20 spring calves, 1 Durham bull, 63 hogs, 1 Deering binder, 2 tongueless cultivators, I harrow, I Stiring plow, 2 farm prehistoric dwellings of Switzerland and wagons, 1 spring wagon, 1 hay rack, 2 sets heavy harness, 1 set light harness a greater luxury than the apple. The abundand other articles, with a 50 acre corn ance and variety of names testify to the very

Terms:—Over \$10, one year, approved security and 10 per cent. interest. W. D. Jones, Austioneer, James M. Cole.

School Books and School Supplies at Warrick's and save money.

For Sale-A farm on Weeping Water bottom, S. W. + of the S. W. 1. Sec. 28 Tp. 10, Range 14. Enquire of James Walston of Rock Blufis for farther par-Sept. I-6mo.

School Books.

school Books and School Supplies at Warrick's Drug Store.

Wanted.

A good girl in small family. Must be good cook. Best of wages paid. Address this office.

For Sale.

At a bargasn-A Circulating Library of over 300 vol. Address this office. d&w4t

Tomatoes, Tomatoes! Wanted at Frank Carruth & Co. can-

ning factory on Main street. Farmers having a few extra bushels will get the afford the least shade of anything he can highest market price.

-Warrick's is the place to buy School Books and School supplies. Largest stock and lowest prices. 23-6t

-We have a large quantity of brick for sale, quality guaranteed. Give us a call. 22-tf Kurtz & Weckbach.

-Mrs Randolph, the famous fortune teller, has just arrived here. She tells around the hips. The reason why athletes do the present, past and future. Her charge are low, being only from twenty-five up to fifty cents. Residence on Elm street between Tenth and Eleventh. No fortunes told Sundays.

Low Prices.

Warrick sells Glauber Salts at 3c a 4b. Warrick sells Epsom Salts at 10c a lb. Warrick sells Warner's Safe Cure at

Warrick sells Hood's Sarsaparilla at 75c a bottle. Warrick sells King's New Discovery at

75c a bottle. Warrick sells Liver Pills (all kinds) at 20c a box. Warrick sells all Patent Medicines 10

to 20 per cent, below marked prices. Warrick sells the best Kalsomine at 8c Warrick sells Black Lubricating Oil at

Warrick sells Mixed Paint, Lead, Oil Varnish &c. as cheap as the cheapest. You are always sure of getting the very lowest prices and the best qualities by trading with Warrick.



Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an Execution issued by W. C. Showalier, Clerk of the District court within and for Cass County, Nebrasia, and to me di-rected, I will on the 1st day of October A. D. 1887, at 11 o'clock a. m., of said day at the south door of the Court House in said County, Sell at Public Anction, the following Real Estate: The East ha f (E14) of the Northeast que ter N. E. 114 sec low eleven (1111) rownship ten 10) lange eleven (11) bast of tale 6 P. M. in Cast

County, Nebrass a, with the provileges and apperentances thereunto belonging.

The same being levied upon and taken as the property of John M. Correr, defendant; to saltisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Charles Hennings' Admistrator of the estate of Mary Spheres deceased plaintiff, against said defendant. Piatesmouth, Neb., Aug. 30, A. D. 185., J. C. E EES BARY, 24-5t Suevist Case County, Neb.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

In the Master of the Last | IN COUNTY Will and Testament of COURT, UASS CO., John McCarroll Deceased, NEBRASKA. Notice is nevely given that on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1897, at the County Judge's Office) Platismouth, Cass County, Newrasia, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following natter will be heard and considered ; The application of John E. McCarroll to admit to propose the last win and testament of John McCarroll late of Liberty, in said County, deceased, and for letters restamentary to John E. McCarroll and Jane McCarroll,

Bated August 24, 1837.

By order of the Court,

C, Russeate,

County J

Lincoln as a Dry Goods Clerk. When Abraham Lincoln was a clerk in a dry goods store he sold a woman a little bill of goods, amounting in value by the reckoning to \$2.06%. He received the money and the woman went away. On adding the items of the bill again to make himself sure of correctness, he found that he had taken 61/ cents too much. It was night, but closing and locking the store, he started out on foot, a distance of two or three miles, for the house of his defrauded customer, and, delivering over to her the sum whose possession had so much troubled him, went home satisfied. This is a very humble incident, but it illustrates the man's perfect conscientiousness, his sensitive honesty, better perhaps than if it

had been of greater moment.—Toledo Biade. It has lately been discovered than an Italian nobleman, who frequented the most exclusive London society and clubs at night, sells tinware from a handcart in the suburbs during friend, Victoria." It was addressed to Sir the day.

AROUT PREHISTORIC FRUIT.

The Lake Dwellers Made Great Use of Apples-Pears, Grapes, Walnuts. The prehistoric area of the apple was chiefly in the region lying between Trebizond and

Thilan. The lake dwellers of Lombardy, Savoy and Switzerland made great use of apples. "They always cut them lengthways and preserved them dried as a provision for the winter," writes Decandolle, in his interesting work on the "Origin of Cultivated Plants." Two varieties of applesseem to have been known to the lake dwellers before they possessed metals. Whether they ever solved the problem that hopelessly puzzled George III and got them into a dumpling, archusdogy does not as yet inform us.

The abundance of the fruit found in prehistoric stores would seem to indicate some kind of cultivation. The pear is of less frequent occurrence, although it is found in the Italy, usually in a dried state and out lengthways. Then, as now, therefore, the pear was meient existence of the latter from the Casofan sen to the Atlantic. Philology comes argely to our aid in this Interesting study. The more ancient and widely spread a plant, the more numerous its names But prehistoric diners out possessed one of

the best of all fruits—the grape. Seeds of the grape have been discovered in the lake dwellings near Parma, dating from the age of bronze; also in the prohistoric settlements of Lake Varese and of Switzerland. M. Decandolle, moreover, informs us that vine leaves have been found in the tufa near Montpelier, where they were probably deposited before the historical epoch, also in the same formation in Provence. Whether they combined the two we know not, but it is quite probable that wine and walnuts delectated the palates of primitive feesters. The walnut is of great antiquity. Walnut leaves have been found in the quaternary tuta of Provence, and a species of walnut in some of the Nwiss lake dwellings. The species possess a Sanskrit name, a fact testifying to its early cultivation in India. The tree was introduced into China about 140 B. C. Only one therry stone has been as yet found in any prehistoric settlement of Italy or Switzerand, nor is the antiquity of the strutum quite sertain.-Chambers' Journal.

The Dress of the Athlete.

It is paradoxical, but true, that athletes do of get the most enjoyment out of outdoor port. They can thank themselves for it, too. They don't know how to dress for it. Alhough knowing he is to be out in the blistering sun, the average athlete will get the enallest tight fitting cap he can, which will wenr. Then, if he wenr knickerbockers, he will have tight elastics compressing the veins other above or below the knee, and having n injurious effect upon the circulation of the blood, the improvement of which is the very end and aim of exercise. Lawn tennis players and bicyclists suffer most from the

It could be easily avoided and the blood given the most unrestricted flow by the use of a little common sense and the hose supporter worn by the other sex, which supports the long stockings by means of a band passing that the band compresses the abdomen. This I does not do. There is a little depression in the hip bones into which the band falls, and from which it will not slip. The inhabitants of Bolgium utilize this provision of nature by suspending all their clothing for the lower limbs from the hips, leaving their shoulders free. Certainly if heavy clothes can be advantageously suspended from the hips a pair of hose can. It would ment that the athletes should try to derive the most benefit possible from the open nic, and not studiosensly makes every condition or does tell against securing such a result. - Athlete in Globe Democrat.

His Last Resort.

"I am poor," he said to a Chicago girl, and you are rich; but true love levels such listinctions, and

She interrupted him with one of the most positive negatives, if such an expression can be allowed, ever uttered in the windy city. "This, then, is my last resort." be said dosperately, and he displayed a silver mounted

"You ought to get five or six dollars on it," replied the girl encouragingly.-Puck.

Ingersoll's Blank Verse. The last two-thirds of Robert Ingersell's tribute to the memory of Beacher is a fine specimen of blank verse, as the reader will readily discover by the simple process of scanning it. It is, moreover, a contribution to our literature which, if properly classified, will do much to raise the average of American poetry. Mr. Ingersoll, consciously or unconsciously, has fallen into this trick of metrical expression in the form of prose a

Cause of Untrained Servants.

number of times before.

Omaha Bride-Dear mel you don't seem to have the first idea about cooking. New Girl-You see, ma'am, I haven't any

one to show me. "Why I don't know anything about it. You ought to know; you said you had had ten years' experience "Yes, ma'nm, but I've affers lived with

young murried leddies like you, an' every one ov 'em was as big a dunce as you are about things,"-Omaha World, Jay Gonld's Blg Car.

Mr. Jay Gould's new private railway car is the largest ever made by the Pullman company, seventy feet in length. It is particularly strong and steady, and very richly furnished, but without "glare and glitter." The finish is in satiawood, and the uphoistery in blue plush. There are an observation room, bedrooms, toilet rooms, dining rooms, kitchen, and berths for porter and cook .- Harper's

No Stoves in English Cars.

You will never find a stove in an English railway carriage. Their idea is that it is quite sufficient to keep the feet warm and not to exhaust the lungs or stopefy the brain. All passengers are, therefore, provided with cylinders of hot water, renewed as occasion requires, on which to place their feet; they are, therefore, safe from stove accidents -Boston Budget.

That Bad Umpire.

Omaha Man-You fellows have lost another game, I see, Omaha Baseballist-Yes, but it was all on account of unfavorable decisions by the um-

"Well, that's not so discouraging. What "Seventeen to nothing."-Omaha World.

Victoria's Earliest Letter.

Ledy Seton has and takes great pride in showing to all her visitors at Durham bouse probably the earliest autograph letter of Queen Victoria in existence. It is in childish print characters and runs thus: "How do you do, my dear Sir Henry? Your little