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The National Trading Co., has operated stores in Nebraska, Kansas amd Oklahoma. We were the lucky purchasers of one of these stores from their creditors at 25 cents on the Dollar This Stock consists of Men's, Boys' and Children's High Grade Clothing, Men's Furnishings and Shoes. In this stock you will find the best goods manufactured in America. This entire purchase, including our own stock, goes on sale Saturday Morning, March 19, at 8 o'clock, at such ridiculously low prices as have never been heard of before.

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Trading Co. sold at \$8, \$10 and \$12.50, on

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tional Trading Co.'s price \$7.50 to \$10, on sale at\$3.50 Men's 50c Coat Sweaters, on sale at.......25c
All our \$12.50 and \$15 Suits on sale at......\$9.95 \$20 and \$25 Suits on sale at.........\$14.95 Lot 9. 223 pair Men's Outing Pants, National Trading Co.'s price \$2 to \$3.50; on sale at....\$1.49 Lot, 10. 461 pair Men's Pants, National Trading Co. sold from \$2.50 to \$4; on sale at......\$1.98 Lot 11. 103 pair Boys' Long Pants, National Trading Co. sold from \$1 to \$1.50, on sale at...49c All 50c Men's Work Shirts from National Trading Co,'s stock on sale at......29c

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Men's Dress Shirts, Monarch and Navarre \$1.25 and \$1.50, on sale at......89c

All the \$1 Shirts from National Trading Co. stock on sale at.......49c All their 75c Shirts on sale at......39c Arrow brand Collars, all styles and sizes, during this sale, at.....9c Men's 25c Suspenders, 2 pair for......25c One lot Boys' Sweaters at, each......19c 360 Men's Odd Vests from National Trading Co,'s stock, their price from \$1 to \$2, on sale at, 50 Fancy Vests from National Trading Co. stock, their price \$1.50 to \$2, on sale at,

Boys' Shirts from National Trading Co. stock on sale at, each......25c Men's and Boys' Overalls from National Trading
Co stock on sale at......25c

Men's Black and Tan Hose, worth 10c, on sale

HATS

National Trading Co.'s \$3 Hats, in all styles, at\$1.98 \$2 Hats, all styles, at\$1.48

SHOES

Remember this Sale commences Saturday, March 19th and will positively close in Ten Days. You can't afford to miss this sale if you have to borrow the money. Think what it means when you can buy high grade merchandise at the time when you need them, at these prices. Mail Orders will receive prompt attention.

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CARPENTERS & JOINERS

In addition about twenty applications were acted upon. As a matter of fact and upon. As a matter of fact clark and open done. He has made no attempt to first had been done the applications for membership are coming in faster than they can be acted upon, and the applications committee is grinding 'em out faster than the local can properly obligate them. The membership is now past the 250 mark and still growing at a most grat-

Some weeks ago the local appointed a "hustling committee" to get new members. This committee has since grown until it practically takes in every member of the local, and some of the new recruits have developed into the best application getters.

"We've gained some mighty fine material during this campaign," remarked one of the old members the in the movement, and the way they are working to build up the local is gratifying; also a good example for some of the old members to follow."

The campaign for membership will another barrel." be continued until every possible member is secured. In fact, despite the remarkably good showing already the campaign is only fairly begun, The matter of a wage increase is receiving due attention, but when the demand for an increase is made it will be backed up by good and logical rea- demand for carpenters is booming.

"We've got all the argument on our side when it comes to a matter of wage increase," said one of the mathematically inclined carpenters last in a year, fifty-two of them being Sundays. Then there are six legal holidays, making fifty-eight days we lose. Fullerton Votes to Erect New High On top of that we lose an average of sixty days a year on account of weather conditions and other adverse conditions. That makes 138 days out of 365 that we lose, leaving us 227 working days. The average union wage today is thirty-five cents an hour, or \$2.80 a day. This means a total yearly income of about \$635 a year, or \$52 a month, or less than \$2 a day. Most five years, and to bear interest at the of us have families, the average being rate of 5 per cent, payable annually.

The Carpenters and Joiners, Local | about five mouths to feed for every will surely take up the odd \$81, leaving us \$300 for everything else, including food. That means just \$25 a we do not take any papers or magazines, do not go to any shows, do not indulge in any amusements that cost money, give nothing to charity or buy an increase of about 40 cents a day or \$90 a year? Why don't the men who build houses own some of the houses they build? Why? Well, the only answer I can suggest is that they find it more profitable to invest their surother day. "They are heart and soul plus in oil wells and farm lands or As for me, I'm putting my surplus and when it is full of money I'll get

The carpenters of Omaha, who are receiving now from 5 to 15 cents more per hour than the Lincoln carmade some of the members delare that penters, are demanding a further increase of 5 cents an hour, making the minimum 50 cents an hour.

The building season has seemingly opened in earnest, and as a result the

Goes to Europe for Horses.

Albion,-Max Wolf, who last year imported a number of draft horses from Europe, left this week for France to purchase another shipment which Monday night. "There are 365 days he will bring to Albion. These horses Mr. Wolf expects to dispose of mainly

School Building. Fullerton.-When the voters of the school bond election were canvassed it was found that the proposition to issue the bonds of the district for the sum of \$33,000 to be expended for the erection of a new high school building give a synopsis of Mr. Tyrrell's adhad carried by a vote of 306 for the bonds to 42 against them. These bonds will be issued in \$1,000 denominations, due and payable twenty years from submitted by the speaker in newspa-their date, with an option to pay after per shape. They will be worth the

TALKS AT THE TEMPLE

No. 1055, had another big night last carpenter working, including the car- Attorney Frank M. Tyrrell were the way situation in Lincoln from the cal workers in the employ of the Lin- erease was made. Manager Adams of Monday night. Sixteen new members penter himself. Rents average 20 per speakers at the Labor Temple last time of the birth of the old Traction Monday night. Sixteen new members cent of our income, as it does that of were obligated and sixteen waiting apthe was equal to that of all previous meetings before the state railway commissions are company down to the present proceed walked out, the new wage scale have that the men should have struck on the average wage earner. That leaves plicants required to wait until next us \$508. Fuel and Clothing will, you ings put together, Hall No. 1 being sion, and showed clearly the "high the company ready higher than the Traction com-Monday night before being admitted. admit, take another 20 per cent, leav- crowded. And those who were there financing" that had been done. He has made no attempt to fill the places pany's and all the men union, and

> briefly outlined the situation in Phila- it is paying only 6 per cent on prefer delphia. He said it had been brought red stock and 5 per cent on its bonds. month to furnish three meals a day to about through the workings of the A few of the figures, stated in round five people, fifteen meals a day or most corrupt political machine in numbers, are given in a leading edi-450 meals a month. That is a frac. America acting in conjunction with torial on page 4. Further figures will tion over 5 cents a meal-Providing crooked business interests. The plan be given next week. followed in bringing about a consolidation of the street railways and pumping them full of water was outlined, and the story of the Folk-Emery franfurniture. Are we justified in asking chise law told in strong words. By means of this infamous franchise law franchises were given for nothing that John Wanamaker offered \$3,000,000 cash for. The men who got the franchises sold them to the Union Traction Co., and took their pay in money and watered stocks, and the people got automobiles, or something like that, nothing, not even extensions or better service. Rev. Mr. Batten's talk was wages in a barrel down in the cellar, a fitting prelude to the talk of Mr. Tyrrell, who devoted his entire time to the local traction situation, and he certainly handled it without gloves.

Mr. Tyrrell began his remarks by congratulating the unionists of Lincoln on their enterprise and good sense in founding a *Labor Temple. 'I am not a workingman in the sense that I am eligible to membership in a trades union," said Mr. Tyrrell, "but attorney." if I were I certainly would be a member of the union of my craft. But we lawyers have got you union men skinned a mile on organization. We've got our union rules on the statute books of the state, and a man simply can not work at our profession unless he

belongs to our organization." This little sally brought out a round of laughter and applause, after which the speaker took off his coat, figuratively speaking, and went after the Traction Co in a way that made attempt will be made at this time to dress, but next week The Wageworker hopes to have all the facts and figures per shape. They will be worth the price of admission.

Rev. Samuel Z. Batten and County | Mr. Tyrrell reviewed the street rail-Rev. Mr. Batten spoke first and on \$2,000,000 of watered stocks, while

> "I am going to syphon the water out of that stock," said Mr. Tyrrell. "If I can not do it by the present proceedings before the state railway commission, there is yet another way to go about it known as one warrante and that will be resorted to. That watered stock represents nothing, yet they want to pay an 8 per cent dividend on it, and at the expense of the general public, and the expense of every employe of the company. I say it is wrong, and I'li not rest until I prevent it. I am not a candidate for any office, and do not expect to be. I have no favors to ask. If charged with piling up expenses for the taxpayers to pay, I answer that if I succeed we'll make the Traction company pay enough more in tales they rightfully owe to more than pay all the expenses of the suit, including my own salary, and that additional revenue will go on long after I have ceased to be county

In clear and convincing manner Mr. Tyrrell demonstrated that the Traction company is seeking to make its employes pay the dividends on the water injected into the company. "And it is your duty as union men to held ties Endorsement Society. As a reyour brothers rid themselves of this sult Delegates Coffey and Kelsey were injustice," said he.

Rev. Mr. Zenor presided over the meeting and introduced the speakers in fitting words. After the meeting also be represented on the endorseadjourned the speakers were sur rounded and congratulated as well as his hearers sit up and take notice. No heartily thanked for what they had

Des Moines Gets the Meet. St. Joseph.—The date for the spring

meet of the Missouri valley interscholastic athletic association meet has

ELECTRICAL WORKERS

Last Monday morning nine electri- at the time the demand for an incoln Gas & Electric Light company the Gas company expresses surprise

The Bell and Automatic telephone companies have acceded to the new ter company agreed to give a definite answer Tuesday evening, but Thurs understanding. The matter to still the Gas company were members of the ture union, but a large proportion of the Traction company were not members acting with the local committee.

Gas company. The union committee asserts that Manager Adams declined scale, and negotiations are pending to treat with either a committee of with the Traction company. The lat- the union or a committee from his own employes. Interested parties have attempted to bring about a settlement day morning dawned without a definite of the strike, and while nothing definite has been accomplished as yet, under process of negotiation. All the there is a good prospect of a satisfacelectrical workers in the employ of tory settlement in the very near fu-

R. E. Perrin, district organizer of electrical workers employed by the the Electrical Workers is in Lincoln

CENTRAL LABOR UNION

bor Union meeting last week was consumed in "chewing the rag" over the revenue section of the new constitu- car men in Philadelphia \$5 if it was tion. The present section is not satis- asked for. factory to the smaller unions, and it seems difficult to remedy the seeming defect-almost as hard as it is for some delegates to really understand what the section really means. Delegate Walker of the Lathers served notice that he would offer an amendment at the next meeting.

Rev. A. L. Weatherly of the Charity Organization Society, addressed the meeting and explained in detail the work of that society and of the Chariappointed as representatives of the central body on the charity organization committee. The central body will ment committee.

The produce dealers had a resolution in endorsing the market house proposition. While the central body showed every disposition to support the market house proposition when the proper time comes; it was deemed best to let the organization committee confer with the produce men with About thirty cities will be represented a view to having them organize and

Most of the time of the Central La- affiliate with the Central Labor Union The secretary and treasurer were instructed to send the striking street

> None of the standing or special committees made reports of interest. The labor chautauqua committee hopes to have a report ready for the next meeting, and thus start somthing tangible along that line. The movement will have the backing of a lot of mighty good people.

A warrant for the printing of cards announcing the Temple Talks was ordered drawn.

Rev. Mr. Batten responded briefly when called upon and gave the delegates some good things to think about.

The matter of securing a bond for the fiscal officer of the body was given into the hands of the executive committee with instructions to act imme-

Several new delegates were obligated, and for the first time in a long while the Lathers were represented by a full delegation.

One thousand of the women of Kearney have issued an address and petition to the voters of Kearney to continue the no-saloon policy