THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1885.

THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

The Wire Workers and What They Accompliahed Yesterday.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The Missouri Pacific and Burlington & Missouri Fight-City News and Notes.

(FROM THE BEE'S LINCOLN BUREAU.) Delegates to the republican convention

began to arrive in Lincoln yesterday morning, and on all trains coming in during the day delegates and interested parties alighted with small grip-sacks and very wise looking countenances. About noon the members of the convention commenced to feel of each other on matters which came up in the convention, and it soon became apparent that the principal candidates for the chairmanship of the state central committee were Gen. John M. Thayer, of Grand Island, and E. K. Valentine, of West Point. The latter is the candidate of the railroads and the Republican of Oniaha, and the Journal of this city, are doing all they can to put him in.

The sentiment among these men appears to be anything to beat Van Wyck, and a walk through the offices of the leading hotels was convincing that the senator would be made the issue of the convention. His name was on every one's lips, some speaking favorably and others consigning him to all places of a disagreeable kind they happened to think of. The Joarnal outfit here were unusually active in their work against VanWyck. Church Howe carried himself with his usual suavity of manner and cracked his ten-year-old jokes with the same old gad. The impression was given outearly in the day that Church was gosion was given ing to run the convention, and already had his slate made up. At 5 o'clock the railroad and anti-VanWyck members held a caucus at the Commercial hotel.

THE SESSION When the convention met at the opera house it was evident that the influence of the railroad corporations had been at work. During the afternoon its various delegates, who were interested only in getting spoils, visited the room of C. E. Commercial hotel. That Yost, at the gentleman had a secretary at work copy-ing the names of all who were favorable to himself for chairman of the central committee, and the result was that a number of drunken delegates prostituted themselves on promises made to them by Yost and his cohorts, and in the convention they followed the lead of the monopolists as it was pointed out to them.

Gen. John M. Thayer, of Hall county, was put in nomination for temporary chairman, and M. L. Haywood, of Ne-braska City, was called for by the ring. The vote stood 318 for Haywood, and 143 for Thaver.

There were several disputed delegations, but the monopoly delegates in each case were seated. The convention from the start was plainly anti-Van Wyek, and the gentlemanly representa-tive from the Second judicial district had is nose in every resolution which came before the convention. Church Howe and Laird controlled the committee on resolutions and the product of their brains

manner of the appraisement and the method of appraisement, etc. This is greatly to their credit, and yet it is their duty so to do. THAT WATER WORKS CITY FTEMS. The judicial convention of the Second district nominated Mitchell, which was

entirely sati-factory to the radroads. The number of delegates to the state convention was manually large and with the K, of P's presented an unusually bril

ed at the Tiftany building on O street yesterday. They were all fined by the olice indge

twenty-one complaints vesterday. These complaints take the place of indictments Now that the grant jury is dispensed with, and the attorneys here address with, hou Strode as "Old relict of Bourhoulsm. The district court has disposed of some civil cases since it twenty and Judge Pond has presided alone, Judge Mitchell not having put in an

appearance this term. One of the state officers who was in the Commercial hotel office last night (not observing his excellency, Governor Dawes, who was sitting in a corner) said that between the convention and Gov-ernor Dawes, the whole Mitchell family would get some political position. "Why," said he, "they nominated that feller Cornish for chairman of the judicial central committee and he is engaged to marry Mitchell's daughter. Now then," said he, "Dawsey ought to give him a job."

STATE ARRIVALS.

STATE ARRIVALS. John Barsby, Fairmount, Neb., W. S. Prickett, Fairlield; L. Cox, Exeter; Au-gust Rogers, Exeter; Geo, W. E. Dorsey, Fremont, W. H. Dickeson, Wahoo; Chas. S. DeSoden, Omaha; L. H. Ryder, Green-wood; Wm. Fulton, Nebraska Uity; C. E. Vast, John H. Schlor, L. B. Wercht, H. Wood, Win, Fullon, Nebraska Olyte, R. Yost, John H. Sahler, L. R. Wright, H. G. Stripe, W. O. Andrews, H. S. Moody, Omaha; C. Thompson, Ashland; V. C. Shickley, Geneva; A. F. Coon, David City; G. F. Wyandt, Thos. A. Healey, C. K. Powell, Milford, Frank H. Wilson, Plattsmouth: J. G. Ross, David City; J. T. Clark, Omaha; L. K. Bell, Ashland George Davis, Madison; C. F. Pierce, Creighton; J. W. Smiley, G. Rinchart, Seward; W. J. Agneu, Hebart Brush, N. Sheffer, T. L. Howard, Ashland; H. Clark, Omaha; J. H. Esford, Seward: E. Doty, David City; F. A. Scoville, Val-paraiso; D. D. Davis, Ashland; D. Bosse-man, C. E. Adams, Superior; H. T. Hay-den, Nebraska City; Pat O. Hawes, Omaha; A. Yeazel, Hastings; J. E. Fishburn DeWitt; J. W. Van Duyne, Wilber; A. Dodson, Tobias; W. H. Stater, DeWitt; G. W. Holmes, C. C. Sullivan, J. E. Hill, Beatrice; P. G. Jenkinson, Omaha; J. H. Culver, Milford; J. H. Cameron, W. H. Christer, Millord, J. H. Chinerow, Herman, John T. Kuhn Omaha; Geo. W. Biston, Orleans; J. L. Miller, Red Cloud; A. C. Hosmer, Red Cloud; G. R. Chaun-cey, Red Cloud; E. S. McMaster, Pawnee; M. J. Hull, Edgar, D. W. Witer, Stratton; J. D. Will, Edgar, D. W. Witer, Stratton; J. D. Kilpatrick, Beatrice; S. H. Nichols, Ashland; Geo. W. Barnhart, Lodge Pole; J. E. Monerief, Columbus, John McBride J. E. Moneriel, Columbus John Mebride, O'Neil; D. Carpen, O'Neil; Henry Diers, Ulysses; Herman Diers, Ulysses; Henry Hornberger, Frank H. Wagner, Julius Meyer, H. T. Irvine, J. Ryan, E. Droste, A. Rohrs, sr. H. Robrs, jr., H. Burghorf, Wm. Karbach, D. Bolman, D. Prochaska, J. Irvine, F. Holman, J. Kaufman, D. J. Irvine, F. Holman, J. Kaufman, D. Thomas Bunnell, W. H. Rayner, Bouse. J. F. Withrow, Omaha.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria, What the City Officials and Councilmen Say About the Matter. -THE COMPANY'S EXPLANATION.

BILL

Postoffice Figures - The Mystery Solved-A Granger Blows Out the Gas-Railway Notes-General Local News.

The Water Works Bill.

The \$7,000 water works item which was vetoed in the appropriation ordinance by Mayor Boyd has created quite a sensation in municipal circles. A reporter for the BEE obtained a series of short interviews about the matter, yesterday, with those who were supposed to know something about the case. Mayor Boyd was first approached. He

said the bill for \$7,480.23 was an old one, and had been rejected by the council of last year. "The first time that I noticed the item," he said, "was when I was looking over the appropriation ordinance preparatory to signing it. I aske dMr. Long about it, and he said that he had never approved it, nor had he audited it.

Lealled upon City Attorney Connell to give me his written opinion about the bill, which he did. It was submitted last night, and you are doubtless familiar with all its points. Yes, I have a very strong idea how the bill was engineered through, but I don't care to express my

suspicions in point." City Engineer Rosewater, when asked about the subject, said: "This \$7,000 item was probably allowed to pass through unwittingly. It would be a very easy thing to do, on account of the lax way in which the finance committee make their reports. The custom is for the committee to note the action taken, on separate slips of papers, which were on separate subs of pupers, which were attached to the bill by pins. In this way any person can easily attach a bill to the 'approval paper,' without the conneil knowing anything about it.' Mr. Rose water said he had examined the original appropriation, and the \$7,000 item ap peared among the very first of the list. How it could have escaped attention was a mystery to him. "I examined the signatures of Councilmen Leeder, Good rich and Furay, and they were certainly

genuine," he said in conclusion. City Attorney Connell's expression threw no light upon the subject. Com eilman Leeder, when asked about the matter, said that he did not remember signing the report allowing the item. He had examined the bill of the water works committee when it was presented before, and it was his opinion at the time that the account ought not to be allowed. Councilman Goodrich, also a member of the tinance committee, declared that he did not know how the item slipped through. "I certainly did not append my signature to that report wittingly,

The position of the waterworks company on the matter is outlined in the following letter from Secretary Dumont:

Editor of the BEE : In your issue of yesterday extended mention is made of the allowance by the city council to this company of an amount due for expenditures made in changing our main pipes and hydrants in cases where the grades of streets or the curb line have tinue to express their satisfaction at the been changed. It also contained th opinion of the city attorney in regard to the legality of our claim. As the articles referred to are calculated to create the impression in the mind of the public that we have, through connivance with some public officer or officers, secured the alowance of this bill surreptitiously, and further that it is an unjust bil, we desire to say that we are wholly inorant of the manner in which it passed the city conneil, and supposed that the proceedings were regular until the auditor called our attention, when we called for a warrant, to the fact that the bill had not been audited by him, and thal there were no items on file in his office for a part of the bill. December 15 1884, we presented a bill for the amoun then due us, which was \$6,633.46. Thi bill was referred to the committee, and has never been reported back to the coun cil for action, consequently has not been acted upon and rejected, as stated in one of the morning papers. Last month we determined to send in a bill for the account, hoping that it would receive due attention, and believing that the original bill was on file, we commenced the same December 15, 1881; balance rendered, \$6,633.46, and then added the items of expenditures made in 1885, making a total of \$7,489.33 This was the bill that was passed upon and allowed by the council. When the auditor informed us that the original bill was not on file, we immediately made a duplicate and filed it with him. The amount is for actual expenditures made by us and the whole cost has been charg-ed to the city at just what it cost us in eash for labor and material, and we have carried the city up to the present time without charging any interest. Refer ring to the opinion of the city attorney we desire to say that we have the opinion of one of the leading attorneys of the west, one who stands at the head of the bar in this city, that the city is clearly li able for all damages sustained by us by reason of changes of grade and curb lines. It seems remarkable to us that the city attorney in the face of the fact that the liability of the city for damages caused by changing of grades, &c., to property holders is universally admitted. should express an opinion that the city is not liable to us where grades have been repeatedly changed as they have been for instance on Farnam street, in which case we have twice had to lower our main between Fifteenth and Twen tieth, and even take it entirely out be tween Twentieth and Twenty-Second streets, and relay it after the deep fill on that street had been made. Considerable of the bill is for changing hydrants, which was done by special direction of the city council on streets, where

taken by the city, at once, toward an ar-bitration, we shall bring suit. Our bill was properly reported by the committee whether intentionally or not.

and every councilman who voted for its allowance did his duty, and time will A Campaign Secret Given Away. Rochester Union: In the campaign of confirm this opinion either by decision of arbitration or of the courts. And when 1884 the two candidates for governor in a "pivotal" Western State arranged for a scries of discussions. Both men were popular, both of fine appearance and were so well matched in physical force he city attorney expressed his opinion that the city was not liable for \$1 of the bill, he certainly had not read ordinance 123 entitled, "An ordinance to authorize and as orators that the contest between and procure the construction and mainhem promised to be a magnificent one tanance of water works in the city of For several weeks the scales balanced Omaha," an extract from which reads as evenly. follows: "If the locality of hydrants shall be ordered thanged after they have But one day the brilliant Republican candidate came up ailing. He seemed overcome and spoke laboredly. The been set under the direction of the city council said change of location shall be next day he was even less effective. Later he was compelled to ask his opat the expense of the city.

CITY WATER WORKS CO. The Mystery Solved.

The public cannot fail to remember the the field altogether. Meantime the Democratic candidate circumstances of the Hagen mystery which have time and again been detailed stronger, cheerier, and more effective with each succeeding week. He was elected. One evening in December while in the papers of this state. How in March, 1884, James Hagen, a tailor of Lincoln, came to this city and suddenly disappeared-supposed to have been murdered or to have committed suicide. How a few months subsequently in June, 1884, the body of a floater was taken from the Missouri river at this point, and buried after a coroner's inquest in the potter's field, and how in January, 1885, the father-in-law of Hagen, Mr. John H. Morrison, of Lincoln, came to this city to investigate the circumstances of the death of the floater, and how he was battled in the attempt and was compelled to return to his home without the solution of the mystery. All this is doubtless still remembered and need not be repeated here. The whole question of the death of Hagen and his identity with the floater by use of the same means. has been involved in a mystery which until yesterday could not be cleared up.

There were three keys found on person of the floater taken from the Misouri river, which M. O. Maul, at that time coroner, has carefully preserved. few days ago he was requested by Mr Morrison to send them down to Line in order to ascertain whether one of them would fit a small boy's safe, the key to which Hagan was accustomed to carry in his pocket. Mr. Maul declined to send down the keys for fear that they might be altered or tampered with in some way, but Thursday he went down to the state apital in order to make a personal, test is to whether the key would really fit the safe. The safe is of rather peculiar pattern, as is also the key. Upon trying it on the safe it was found to fit perfectly. while the other keys were found PILES !! PILES !! FILES respond exactly to the locks for which t was supposed they were intended A sure cure for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Ulcerated Piles has been discovered by Dr. Williams, (an Indian remedy), called Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Olutioni, A single proven almost conclusively Thus it was that the floater was the dead body o lames Hagan who was either murdered or committed suicide

by has enred the worst chronic cases of 25 or 50 years standing. No one need suffer five minutes after applying this wonderful south-ing medicine. Lotions and instruments do more harm than good. Williams' Indian File Ontiment absorbs the fumors, allays the intense fielding furthermark at mind after the matter yesterday, said that he now had no doubt but that the mystery was solved, and that the of Hagen had been of Hagen had been found in the body of the floater taken from the Intense itching, (particularly at night after getting warm in bod), acts as a poultice, gives instant relief, and is prepared only for Piles. river. He says that Mr. Morrison does not care so much about the \$2,000 insuritching of private parts, and for nothin SKIN DISEASES CURED. unce on the dead map's life as he does to Dr. Frazier's Magie Oliminent cures as by magie, Plinples, Black Heads or Grubs, Blotches and Eruptions on the face, leaving clear up the mystery' of his son-in-law's disappearance. The deposition of Mr. Maul was taken in the office of Judge Mason, and will be used should the inthe skin clear and beautiful. Also curve lich, Sait Rheam, Sore Nipples, Sore Lips, and Old Obstinate Ulcers.

J. A. Monroe, first assistant general

The Democratic Fight,

There was a perceptible chuckle gurghe answered the question of a BEE reporter yesterday, as to what he thought of

ting else.

ponent for a postponement of certain ap-

pointments which was granted. Before the campaign ended he had abandoned

continued his canvass, seeming to grow

Postoffice Payroll.

WESTERN NEWS. talents as an actor. He says that they have been playing to crowded house all through the west. Dakota.

The damages by prairie fires in McPhur-son county foot upwards of \$250,000. Bishop Marti, of the Catholie dioesse of

Dakota has chosen Yankton for a permanent residence. The corner stone of the new \$20,000 Pres church was laid at Pismarck Sun

day with appropriate ceremonies. A special election will be held at Flandrau on the 15th to decide upon the issuit \$10,000 bonds to build a new school hou-Sully county, nearly three years old, with a population of 3,300, has never had a break

zed saloon, a pauper nor a criminal Impris Rapid City ins offered \$75,000 for the ter-minus of the Eikhorn Valley road and ex-pects to get it. The town, and su rounding

untry are growing rapidly. George Stickney, ex-county treasurer of Union county, has settled his shortage by paying each to the amount of \$5,076.04 and ving notes amply secured for \$7,708.0

The county tax sale began at Fargo Mon-day morning. Such eagerness to lavest in the property was never before known. Par-lies with over \$2,000,000 of eastern capital to invest attended the sale invest attended the sale.

The Drake Polishing Works, of Sions entertaining several gentleman he said "I will tell you a campaign secret-which gave me the election. With the open-Tails, has just received an order from Tole do, lo., for a soldiers' mornment, fifty fect in height and to cost \$5,000. It will be made gave me the election. With the open-ing of the campaign I began caring for my liver. I knew that a disordered or out of the Sioux Falls jaspar granite.

torp d liver mean dullness and possible siekness. I took something every day, When the proposition of the Northwestert railroad was accepted the business men of Yankton subscribed \$10,000 for immediate use, pending the sale of bonds. The full When my opponent began failing I knew his trouble to be his liver, and felt like prescribing for him, but feared if I did amount of the subscription and \$101 more has been paid in.

so he might beat me! I grew stronger as the campaign progressed, often making Mrs. David Unrah, of Silver Lake, Turper county, met with a fearful accident the other day, by being to sed and afterwards gored by a vicious cow. One horn entered the abdo-men, tearing a frightful hole, and almost dis-managements. two speeches a day. Even my voice, to my surprise, did not fail me once. All because Warner's safe cure kept me in A 1 trim." Ex-Governor Jacobs, of Ken emboweling the woman. At last accounts she was still alive, but in a critical condition. tucky, also made a campaign tour under

precisely similar circumstances and says There was a lasooing contest at the Spear-fish fair. A steer was started on the dead run, and when some seventy yards away, Jesse Driscoll started for him, threw the he kept up under the exhausting strain desse Driscoll started for him, threw the noose over the steer's head and started in the opposite direction. When the rope tightened the steer upset, and Jesse spring from his horse and field him. Time, 41 seconds,

Wyoming.

Work on the new postoffice building in Laranile is at a standstill, owing to the scar-city of skilled workmen.

Wyoming polatoes are being shipped to Chicago in large quantities, where they are artistically tunneled and used for prohibition casks for the Iowa market.

A court of arbitration is endeavoring to settle the famous cattle suit of Rand, Stead-man & Briggs against E. H. Page & Co., in-yolving \$205,000. The range is located on the Sweetwater.

Ben Smith, of Laramie city, endeavored to discubowel his wife one night last week and would have accomplished the bloody deed had not the police disarmed the enfuriated husband. He was jugged for lunacy,

Laramic capitalists are determined to develop the coal mines in the neighborhood of the town, and supply the home market with cheap fuel. Specimens of the coal brought in and tested are said to equal the best coal mined by the Union Pacific.

The alleged galena lead which was recently discovered near Wilson's Mills at the head of Papoagie creek, has been proven to coulain neither silver nor lead. The same tests, how-over, show the presence in large quantities of cither tia or bismuth, and some claim both metals metals.

A party of C. & N. W. railway engineers A party of C. & N. W. milway engineers are reported in the vicinity of Searight's ranch on the North Platte, sixty miles west of Fort Petterman, from which point they had been out three weeks. From Searight's they will survey two lines, one crossing the North Platte and following up the Sweetwater by way of Independence Rock and Tom Sun's cattle ranch to a point where it can strike across the country to Lander. The other will cross the North Platte and follow up the stream, leaving it at the north of Poison Solder creek, and thence across to Lander. The distance from Searight's ranch is about the same by both routes, 140 miles. Both lines will tap the rich oil basins of Fremont coun-ty, but the latter will pass through their heart. Sold by druggists, or mailed on receipt of ⁵⁰ cents, Retailed by Kuhn & Co., and Schroeter & Becht. At wholesale by C. F. Goodman. Colorado. Greeley has contracted for an electric light plant. Two eattle thieves and one horsethief, were run in at Denver last week. The Trinidad oll well is down 150 feet, but no indications of the lubricant have yet been struck.

Advertising Cheats 11t

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"It has become so common to begin an article, in an elegant, interesting sivie, "Then run it into some advertisement, that we avoid all such. "And shuply call attention to the merita

of Hop Bitters in as plain, houest terms ns possible, "To induce people

"To give them one trial, which so proves their value that they will never use enything else."

"THE REMENT SO TAYOTABLY noticed in all the

Papers. Religious and secular, is "Raving a large sale, and is supplanting all other modernes. "There is no denying the vignoes of the Hop plant, and the propriotors of Hop Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability." "In comparing the work of the whose vignoes are so palpable to every one's observation."

Did She Die?

"Not "She lingered and suffered along, pin-ing away all the time for years."

The doctors doing her no good;" "And at last was cured by this Hop

Bitters the papers say sp much abdut." "Indeed! Indeed!" "How thankful we should be for that

medicine. A Daughter's Misery.

"Eleven years our daughter suffered on

 bed of misery.
"From a complication of kidney, liver, rheumatic trouble and nervous debility, "Under the care of the best physicians. "Who gave her disease various names,

"But no relief. "And now she is restored to us in good health by as simple a remedy as Hop "it-ters that we had shunned for years before

THE PARENTS. using it." Prosecute the Swindler!!!

If when you call for Hop littlers, see areen cluster of Hops on the white label the druggist cluster of Hops on the white inbot the drogrist hands out any other stuff called C. D. Varner's German Hop Bitters or with other "Hop" tame, refuse it me, show that druggist as you would a viper, and if he has taken your money for the stuff indict him for the transit and sue blue for the damages for the swindle and we will reward you liberally for the conviction.

DR. HAIR'S Asthma Cure.

This invaluable specific readily and perun-nently curves all kinds of Asiluma. The most obstituate and long standing cases yield prompt-it to its wonderful curies properties. It is known throughout the world for its unrivaled

J. L. CALDWELL, city of Lincoln, Neb., writes,

Jan. 25, 1884: Since using Dr. Hair's Asthina Cure, for more than one year, my wife has been entirely well, and not even a symptom of the scare has appeared. WILLIAM BENNETT, Richland, Iowa, writes,

WHALLAM BEANET, Remain, lowa, writes, Nov. 3d, 1889: I have been adhieted with Hay Fever and Asthma since 1859. I followed your directions and am happy to say that I never slopt botter in my life. I am glad that I am among the many who can speak so Invorably of

A valuable 64 page treatise containing similar proof from overy state in the U.S. Canada and Great Britain, will be mailed upon application. Any druggist not having it in stock will pro-



The Omaha postoffice has a large payroll of its own. Each month nearly \$9,000 is paid out to postal clerks making their headquarters here and the home office employes. The salaries of the lat-ter amount to about \$3,000 per month. Following is the report of the earriers work for the month of September:

Mr. Maul, in speaking to a reporter of

surance company care to contest the case further.

Railway Notes.

freight agent of the Union Pacific at Kansas City, is in the city.

The Union Pacific management conprogress of allairs at Rock Springs. The coal output from those mines is increasing with everyday, while during last week an average of no better than fortysix ear loads per day was maintained, sixty-four car loads were taken out yesterday, "The coal famine" is as yet T. W. Blackburn, of the Union Pacific general passenger department, went to Luncoln yesterday. General Superintendent Smith, of the Union Pacific, left on a trip over the road last night. The gold mines in the Pine valley Oregon) region, which attracted so much attention last spring, have for some time remained unheard of. It seems that gone the way of much Nebraska land and have fallen into the control of specilators. These men were among the first to enter the region, and bonding their claims without the stroke of a pick went forth to sell on the tide of the first excite ment. Legitimate prospecting is still in progress, but the development of the true wealth of the valley has been impeded and active measures have been suspended for the year.

Hant appearance. Two men and two women were arrest-

District Attorney J. B. Strade filed

was, as stated, second-hand, from where the resolutions adopted by the convention generated-the Journal office. Cobb was nominated for judge of the supreme court. Leavitt Burnham and C. H. Gere were nominated for regents of the universily.

The greatest outrage of the evening was when Caspar E. Yost was nominated for chairman of the state central commit-tee. He attempted to make a speech, but the small amount of modesty he has came to his assistance and he broke down and quit talking. When a delegate asked him for whom he voted at the city election at Omaha in the last spring election, he was in a quandary how to an-swer, and he did it by sitting down and shutting his mouth. THE MISSOURI PACIFIC.

Considerable complaint is made over the action of the city council not granting a portion of Ninth street to the Missouri Pacific railroad. It seems that at the last meeting of the council certain friends of the Burlington road were present and opposed the donation to the Missouri Pacific and succeeded in postponing the vote on the ordinance one Many who are friendly to the week. new road and also feel a deep interest in the B. & M. think that the council should treat the new corporation with as much consideration as they have the old road. Others claim that the city fathers have no right to donate the streets for any purpose to any private corporation. However this may be one thing is certain, the railroads must of necessity have ground for their side tracks and depots, and in order to give them easy facilities and close communication to the business portion of the city some of the streets in the western part of the town. It is said that the Bur-lington road now has twenty-seven niles of yard in this city, and is often re-marked upon by the traveling public generally as the largest and finest yard between Chicago and Denver. It is re-ported that the M. P. road has material on the cars in this city ready to com-mence work on their yards as soon as the city right of way is settled. This material has been here in waiting some two or three weeks and the company are only too anxious to get to laying track at the earliest possible moment. If the \$50,000 in bonds voted them Saturday was the inducement that occasioned them coming into Lincoln, it is somewhat strange that they would ship building material into the city some two weeks prior to the bond election. This information cer-tainly sustains the position which the BEE has maintained, during the past three weeks. It has also been developed that Mr. J. R. Webster, who is a member of the city council, and who worked for the bonds, is regularly engaged as attor-ney for the Missouri Pacific, and his name appears on the condomnation no-tices which have been sent out to property owners.

THE K. OF P. MEETING.

The second and last day of the meeting of the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias was even more of a success than yesterday. A large number of visitors were here and the parade in the afternoon was # pleasant feature of the meetnoon was a pleasant feature of the meet-ing. There was only one entry for the prize drift, that being the Uniofrmed Rank Lolge from Omaha. This lodge was accompanied by the Musical Union band under the leadership of Harry Irvine, and it was a delightful treat to the citizens to hear it. The other bands acomitted themselves with credit.

acquitted themselves with credit. The action of the Lincoln lodge in refusing to enter competition with the Omalia lodge in the prize drill, was universally and favorably commented on by all members of the K. P. It evineed a fraternal feeling which is just what is desired to be cultivated among the lodges. The banquet last night was attended by over 300 kuights, and it was a grand sue-0.038;

THE BOARD OF FOUCATION. The board of educational lands and funds have approved the appraisements put upon the school lands in Keys Paha and Antelope counties, and they will shortly be put apon the market for sale. The board was exceedingly cautions in examining hate and inquiring about the

CAPTAIN FARNESWORTH. His Military Career-A Testimonial

of His Bravery. OMAHA, Oct. 14 .- [To the Editor.]-Yesterday's BEE contained a half column article devoted mainly to criticising the military career of Capt. H. J. Farnesworth, Eighth eavalry, recently promoted and appointed assistant inspector general, and charging him with cowardice at the battle of Rio Arenosa, Texas, November 6, 1874.

The article in question contains the customary number of misstatements and contortions of fact to fulfill the author's purpose.

As a matter of fact Farnesworth was not ordered to attack a particular camp, but was on a general scout, when he, with thirty men, attacked a camp of 100 Chevennes, and with this little band fought a greatly superior number from 1:30 p. m. until dark, when, several of his men being wounded and his ammunition nearly exhausted, he returned to his camp.

It is not customary to employ captured Indians as guides In this instance the guide was a Mexican. The saddest part of this engagement

is that Farnsworth lost two men killed, but not by reason of their being wounded and abandoned. On the contrary, one was shot through the heart wh the command was charging the Indians. The other strayed from the command in the darkness. All efforts to find him were unavailing. His body was found the following day near the scene of the light, whither he had strayed.

So far from Capt. Farnsworth's conduct on this occasion being severely crit-icised, and talk of his being court-mar-tialed, his fight is the only thing that reflects honor on the campaign of Gen. Nelson A Miles against the Cheyennes and Comanches in 1874, notwithstanding the fact that Miles did all in his power to embarrass the usefulness of the cavalry battalion, sent nearly a thousand miles to co-operate with him against these Indians.

The campaign as a whole was a failure, the Indians returning to their reservation as soon as winter weather set in. I make this statement in simple justice to a brave and honorable officer who in the laudable ambition of a soldier's life seeks and secures a promotion that excites the envy of no braver, but less for-tunate individuals. curb

JUSTICE.

On a wager of \$5 at Scotland, a team of polices weighing a triffe over 700 pounds each, drew a load of 4,000 pounds up a steep hill. The wagon weighed 800 pounds, making a total of 4,800 pounds.



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line was changed from sixteen to twenty feet from the property line. In these cases the hydrauts would remained in the sidewalk and have. would have been a constant source of danger to pedestrians if not re-moved. As far as this bill will bring a wedge to allow of the entry of other claims by other companies is concerned we don't see that that has any earing on the justice of our claim and look upon the city attorney's opinion in that respect as unimportant. We desire to say, however, that we know of no other claims which will be presented and will state that the suggestion of the city attorney is the first intimation that we have ever had that such claims were possible. The city council knew that this work was being done and much of it was

specially ordered by them, but never in timated that it desired the work done under inspection. We would have had no objection, in fact would have pre-ferred to have the city represented while the work was going on and an account kept by them if they had so desired. In conclusion we desire to say that we are consident that the city is liable, and that we can collect the bill in the courts with interest and cost. But we desired a timated that it desired the work done

are contident that the city is liable, and that we can collect the bill in the courts with interest and costs. But we desired a settlement without suit, teeling that it was to our interest, as well as the city's, to avoid litigation. We are willing to arbitrate the matter if the city so desires —but unless the bill is either paid or steps

A New Bank.

It has just been announced that there s to be a new bank in this city. The institution will be called the "Bank of Omaha," and will be located in the Giacomini building on the corner of Thirteenth and Jackson streets. The enterprise is instituted by Mr. A. Henry, of Columbus, Neb., and Mr. Thomas McCague, now of the Commercial National bank. Mr. Henry is a wealthy lumberman who has been in business in the state for seventeen years and has met with a fair measure of success. He is at present a heavy stock-holder in the Commercial National bank of this city. Mr. Tho McCague has lived in Omaha - Thomas nineteen years, and needs no introduc-tion. He has been engaged in the bank ing business for the past five years and in the United States treasury as a teller under Hon. A. U. Wyman, when that gentleman was treasurer of the nation, and acquitted himsalf with great credit. The building which the bank will occupy will be thoroughly overhauled and a new vault will be started the coming week. An elegant new safe has been or-dered. The building has been leased for five years, with the privilege of five years longer. Mr. Henry will be president, and Mr. McCague cashier of the institu-tion. It is expected that the house will begin business on November 1st.

NOTICE TO THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC-Jordan House, Grand Island, Nob., Cap-tain C. B. Jordan, proprietor. First-class in every respect. Good sample rooms.

A Theatrical Man Talks.

Fred McCloy, the well known manager of the "In His Power" company which appears here to night, arrived in the city yesterday and was busy shaking hands with his friends in Omaha, of whom he has many.

Mr. McCloy, it may be remembered, was attacked sayagely some weeks ago by the Denver News, which paper was waging a bitter fight upon the opera house. He has instituted a \$20,000 libel suit against that journal and has engaged the very best legal talent to represent him. "I am pretty confident." he said to a scribe yesterday, "that I will be award-ed at least \$10,000 damages-of course I

political outlook in the state very well satisfied," he said, "if the rest are. I think I shall be supported in the state convention. The fact of the mat-ter is that the Boyd-Miller faction, as you call it, have not been making war upon the opposing crowd; they on the contra ry have been making war upon us So far as the ousting of Heimrod and O'Connor from the state committee is con corned, I can say that I do not think will be done by the Douglas county dele gates to the convention. Of course if the delegates from the other counties size to take any such action, the Douglas

county delegation will not oppose.

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world. They combine elegant finish durability and convenience with economy of fuel in spite of all competition hold their station far in advance of all We take pleasure in calling the others. attention of our readers to their merits

A Costly Ride. Timothy Driscoll, a mud-bespattered.

sorry looking young man was tried m court yesterday on a charge of having damaged the horse and buggy of Reed Kirkendal & Co. It seems that yesterday Timothy, who is the hostler working for the firm, took it into his head to go on a grand burrah, and accordingly he started off with the horse and buggy aforesaid. In a very short time he was intoxicated, and then the fun began He drove the horse madly all day long, and wound up by smashing the buggy. The borse, too, was nearly ruined.

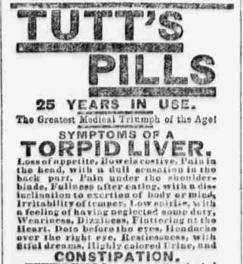
After a lengthy trial, Judge Stenberg sentenced Driscoll to pay a tine of \$10 and costs (double the amount of the damage) besides sentencing him to a term imprisonment in the county jail for 25 days.

Gun Club Shoot.

The semi-annual hunt of the Omaha

Gun club occurs October 27, with sides as follows: Capt. G. T. Mills' side—F. S. Parmalee, Ed Leeder, C. B. Lane, Geo. E. Kay, Geo. S. Smith, C.E. Strassburger P. S. Eustis, J. W. Holmes, Robert Pat-, rick and H. S. Rollins, Capt. W. H. S. Hughes' side—G. W. Petty, J. J. Hardin, H. H. Warley, G. F. Bunker, T. H. Cot-ter, H. B. Kennedy, Eugene Finger, Sam C. Nash, A. L. Patrick, W. Bedford, J. T. Evans, Fred Nye is an old man, and his game will be divided between both sides. Gun club occurs October 27, with sides as

At the regular semi-monthly shoot yesterday afternoon, Lane was the successful contestant, and won the club medal



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The value of Colorado's cattle and horses is over \$50,000,000, \$30,000,000 of this being in horned cattle.

Twenty-two new doctors have been given permits to practice upon the suffering public by the state board of medical examiners. The entire tracet of land in northern Col-orado, owned by the Union Pacing, about 90,000 acres, has been sold to a syndicate of enttle nuen.

The Leadville Herald says that the mortality records of the town for 1885 will show more people have been shot to death than talked to death.

It is reported that Colorow choked a little boy on a recent trip to Glenwood Springs. It is said that he rode up to a ranch, ordered the boy to cook him something to eat, and on the boy's refusal choked him.

The editor of the Gothic Silver Record, an-nounces the third anniversary of his paper's existence as follows: "We claim no special credit," he says, "for keeping the Record alive for three years. We have lived on wind pudding, Copper creek soup, Gothie scenery and the promise of burnner subscribers for the past three years, and we have no idea of being starved out for next century."

A mountain port sings: "This is the sea-son at Salida when the spent day kisses night, and with one parting glow of passion, dies in gold and red; the clonds, sunflushed, cling 'round the day's decline; shadows creep; gold turns to grav; a sharp dividing line parts carth and heaven; adown the western height the cdm, cold dark kisses the day to sleep and the wistful eye looks out across the night."

Montana.

The Northern Pacific still has 37,000,000 acres of land to sell.

Competent judges estimate the value of Montana beef, mutton and wool for 1885 at

\$5,000,000, The value of the mining and stock products of Montana will amount this year to about

\$25,000,000, Miles City has four artesian wells, the last of which struck water on the 1st inst., and a uffh is spouting at Fort Keogh, but two miles

Last week seventeen Crow Indians having about eighty horses, supposed to have been stolen, in their possession, were captured by troops near Junction, below Billings.

The output for the Drum Lummon mine

for the month of September reached the band-some sum of \$100,000, and it is estimated that the output for the year 1885 will run over a million of dollars. Viscount Stephen de Rouse was recently ordained a deacon by Bishop Brondell at the Helena cathedral. The is a descendant of ex-president McMabon of France. He has been

a missionary among Montana Indians for three years past.

Consters.

The new water works at San Diego will cost \$800,000, Francis Nichols, aged 81 years, committed

sublide in California host week. Los Angeles hotels are discharging their Chinese help and substituting white persons. The banks report the receipt in Salt Lake Chy, for the week eming October 7th. Inclu-sive, of \$87,819.37 in bullion, and \$17,925 in ore; a total of \$105,744.37.

Washoe gravity, Novada, has a carlosity in the person of Pairiok Reating, who appeared bridge the buard of equalization and asked to have the valuation of his property raised from \$375 to \$750.

The thirty-third artesian well has just been based at isan daciato. San Diego county, and it is a gasher. "Phough only 247 feet deep it flows one hundred miner's inches of water, and will irrigate 1,000 acres.

Mrs. George Hadley, aged 67, was acci-dentially killed near Orden hist week. She was on a wagon, intending foreime to bown, in company with her zon, Walter Hadley, and his wife, who was holding a recompanies balacon her arms when the animals took fright and receivery, reching into a hold with an imgovernable impetus. Mrs. Holley, being easily occurs, owing to her alteneed age was thrown out of fire vehicle to the nd one of the wheels running over her head and mashing it in a most tearful ner, so as to produce the instattaneous denta of the venerable victim. The other occu-pants of the vehicle miractionally escaped.



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