MILITARY FOR THE MORMONS

Mysterious Army Officials and the Movement of Soldiery to Salt Lam

TWO CASES FOR THE CORONER

A German Frozen to Death-A Prisoner Dies in Jail-A Young Man's Passion-General Local News.

Departing Troops.

All day Saturday there was a heavy cloud of mystery hanging over the army headquarters. Everybody from Gen.
Howard down to the messengers and elevator boys wore a look of profound wisdom, as though they were in possession of a great secret. All of them, however, have been so close mouthed mony of Mr. John Smiley, he was a demented person wandering through the possession of a great secret. All of them, however, have been so close mouthed that it was only with the greatest difficulty that a reporter for the BEE learned that a great movement in department of the Platte military circles was being consummated, and discovered some few particulars of what that move-

ment was.
Late Friday night a messenger
might have been seen toring up the fall
toward Gen. Howard's house on North
Twenty-second street. He found that put to work. The entire force labored until a late hour and separated to meet again this morning. Some important papers were drawn up, consisting of orders for transportation, provisions, etc. Gen. Carlin was Saturday morning instructed to prepare at once to dispatch some troops from this point. He was instructed to get all four companies in readiness to leave the post at once, reserving only ten men to remain on guard. speedily made. Battery D, with their light eavalry cannon, were put into trim. They were taken down to the depot, held there for about half an hour when a special train on the Union Pacific pulled into the depot. The soldiers with all their accountrements were speedily placed on board and at about half past three o'clock the train pulled out for the west. This section is in command of Maj. Rawles and their destination is Fort Fred Steele. Gen. Carlin, under orders from Gen. Howard, who is in turn acting by instruction of Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Mack who is in turn acting by instruction of Gen. Schofield, holds the other companies at the post ready to leave on a mo-

ment's notice.
As already intimated, the entire trans-

Mormon disturbance which is imminent at that point. One army official, whose uame is withheld for prudential reasons, assured a BEE reporter that he had every eason to believe that this was the case Investigation in other quarters confirms his theory, and in all probability it is the

correct one.

"There has been a great deal of trouble brewing in Utah and particularly in Salt Lake," said a gentleman, who is well posted, "and the battery that was sent west to day is going direct to Fort Douglas in anticipation of a collis ion between Mormons and Gentiles. The arrest and conviction of many Mormon leaders for polygamy, and their incares ration in the penitentiary, have caused an intense, bitter and revengeful feeling among the Mormons, and their leaders have decided to retaliate in kind Some weeks ago they imported some notorious women from San Francisco and Denver. These women sent letters to many prominent gentlemen to visit them, and in quite a number of cases invitations were accepted. It was simply a trap to catch them. This became known when one of the deputy United States marshals was arrested on the charge of fornification with one of these imported women. The arrest was made under a city ordinance. The deputy marshal was taken from the custody of the city authorities by a writ of of habeas corpus by the United States authorities, who declared the city ordi nance invalid because it exceeded the authority granted by the legislature. The other night another deputy marshal, who resided in a very narrow street, was assaulted by what he claims were four Mormon assassins. In the melee he draw a revolver and shot one of them, inflicting a dangerous wound. The Mormon papers denounced the shooting as the act of an as sassin, and claimed that the deputy marshal had assaulted the four men whom he met. The papers called upon the Mor-mons for blood atonement. The excitement has increased from day to day, and threats are being made that the whole Gentile population will be cleaned out. The Mormon papers also announced that they had a list of the names of several hundred names of Gentiles who had been living improperly and that arrests would follow. The result was that a large num-ber of Gentiles left Salt Lake on short notice imagining that they were to be ar-The trouble in Salt Lake has arisen from these various causes."

Yesterday there were no new local de

velopments in the matter. Up to a late hour none of the remaining troops at the

Gen. Howard, when questioned yesterday, remarked that the seal was still on his lips, and that he could say nothing at all on the subject of the movement of the

PERSONALS. Dr. Walter Rica, of the U. S. Army, spent Friday at Omaha, en route to Virhinia, his old home, on a two months' leave of absence. Dr. Reed was formerly stationed at Fort Omaha and is one of e most genial and popular surgeons in

Capt. Edwin M. Coates. Fourth infant-y, U. S. A., accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Coates, is in the city, stopping at the Millard. Capt. Coates is one of the oldest infantry officers in the army, and has served continuously on the frontier n Nebraska and Wyoming since 1867 In that year he marched from the terminus of the Chicago & Northwestern, 190 miles, into Omaha, and was stationed at various points along the line of the U. P. to guard the construction parties of that company. Since that date he has been engaged in every Indian outbreak on the frontier. The many friends of Capt. Coates in this city will rejoice to learn of his arrival here and that he purposes to remain here until Tuesday.

DEAD AND UNKNOWN.

An Unfortunate Man Who Proze to Death Last Night.

Saturday morning Coroner Drexel was summoned to a point near Croft's road house on Sherman avenue to hold an inquest on a man who had been found frozen to death. Arriving there he found that the unfortunate was lying under a small mud bank, about half a mile east of Croft's road house, frozen stiff and stark in death. He was a man dressed in a heavy jeans suit, and wearing a long, gravish black beard. He was probably about 40 years of age. An inquest was held at once, which, however, developed nothing as to the identity of the man.

JOHN T. CROFT, CHAS. J. MENTOR, ALEXANDER BLACK, PETER OTTO, THOMAS DUNAWAY, CHRIS A. WALKER,"

Twenty-second street. He found that worthy military dignitary at home. When the telegram was opened the expression on the latter's face was sone thing beautiful to behold. It was one of mingled astonishment and concern. Gen. Howard at once summoned his ambulance and drover hastily down to the Paxton hotel where he met Assistant Adjutant General Breck. The two were closeted together for some time. Soon they went down to the military headquarters. Clerks were summoned and put to work. The entire force labored until a late hour and separated to meet

troops from this point. He was instructed to get all four companies in readiness to leave the post at once, reserving only ten men to remain on guard at the barracks. All preparations were speedily made. Battery D, with their light-cavalry cannon, were put into trim. They were taken down to the depot, held

Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Mack was arrest d early in the afternoon by Officer Turnbull, and when he entered the cell seemed to be in good health. As As already intimated, the entire transaction was shrouded in mystery, so far as the cause for the movement of the troops is concerned. Gen. Howard and Gen. Breck, when questioned about the matter, said they could not divalge anything as yet. "Just wait a day or so," they chorused, "and we'll tell you all about it. At present our lips are sealed and we can tell you nothing."

"What can you say about the destination of the troops?" wasked of Gen. Howard.

"Was the last he was known to speak. He then stretched himself out on the cell bench and fell into a heavy slumber from which he never awoke. Jailor Sigwart, noticing that the man had not moved since he first saw him, entered the cell about 11 o'clock and discovered that Mack was dead. His body tion of the troops?" wasked of Gen. Howard.

"Nothing,"

"When do you expect them to return?"

"I can't tell you anything about that, either. You'll know about the whole thing in good time."

This was all that could be wrong from either Gen Howard or Gen. Breek. They drew the line strictly at the non committal point, and refused to step overit. The impression around army headquarters was that these troops are to be sent out to Salt Lake City to quell a serious Mormon disturbance which is imminent."

He funeral of Warren S. Yates, took place Saturday at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his parents, 1823 Capito avenue. A large number of friends took adieu of the deceased and then proceeded to Trinity Cathedral, half a block distant.

The remains were borne to the cathedral by the pall bearers, the procession being lead by Bishop Worthington. He was lollowed by Dean Millspaugh, both of whom were clad in ecclesiastical robes and read from their rituals. additional is known about him. He has received a number of letters during his stay postmarked St. Louis. shirt, collar and cuffs were marked with the name "C. Anderson." He is about 30 years old, with dark brown hair, a moustache and a goatee of three weeks' growth. It is said that he was addicted to the use of opium, which might have caused his death.

AN INFATUATED YOUNG MAN. Parents Cause Their Son's Arrest to

Break a Mesalliance. Carl Wintersteen, a smiling faced young German, was brought into the police station yesterday afternoon by Officer Matza and locked up in a cell. The charge entered against the young man was that of being a "pimp," and Louis Heimrod was designated as the complainant. A few moments after his incarceration a cab drove hurriedly up to the door of the jall, and Lottie Combs, a notorious prostitute, alighted and in-quired for "her Carl." She was not allowed to enter the cell room, but conversed with the young man at long range. The mean things," eried the girl ex-

citedly, "they want to separate us, but they can't do it, can they, Carl."
"Vell, I should say not," replied the young man. We will stick together even if all the

Germans in Omaha are against us," called out Miss Lottie. "But never mind, we love each other, and they can't keep us separated. I'll leave you a dollar here, and you buy what you want. Yo wont go back on me, will you, dear "No, I'll stick py you," replied Carl,

emphatically.
"I'll come back and see you again," replied the girl, as she slowly left the

Inquiry revealed the fact that young Wintersteen lives at Beatrice, but on a former visit to Omaha became infatuated with Lottie and, it is said, married her. His parents are most respectable people, and when they became aware of their son's disgraceful alliance, endeavored to force him to sever his connection with the woman. This the young man refused to do. Carl came to Omaha again Saturday night and immediately went to the house where his enamorata is staying, where he was arrested yesterday. It is said that his parents, in order to force him to break with the girl, induced Mr. Heimrod to enter the complaint against him Carl says that they can prove nothing against him, and he proposes to live with Lottie at any cost.

Tenth Street Viaduct. EDITOR OF THE BEE:-The Tenth street property owners are compelled to reply to the articles in the city papers, by a denial of the representations they make; for that there is little of truth in the evidence they present. And it is so unlikely to be true, from the fact that no such suicidal notion, as the waiving of the damages to Tenth street property interests, could have, or has entered the minds of those parties claiming to be injured by the crection of this viaduct.

These are the facts: 1-No waiver of damages in this matter has ever been made, or promised to be made, up to this date by those Tenth street property owners, who have hereto-fore objected to the building of the Tenth street viaduet, but they are all firm in their refusal up to this date.

— The damages claimed will aggregate \$ 9.000, or nearly that sum.

of the building of the viaduet do not in-

elude any of the railway offici Es, or com-panies they represent, but are made up chiefly of those who are ill-informed on, and who have not thought sufficiently on this subject. Tenth street property own-

OMAHA, THE CENTER,

Eastern Roads Transferring Terminal Traffic to This City.

The railways are just completing a movement which will lend more to Omaha's commercial importance than any traffic step that has been taken within many months.

The Milwaukee is taking the initiative

to be followed by the other roads of the

Western Freight association to center in Omaha its western terminal business. An agreement has been reached with the Union Pacific whereby the services of that road's local agent will be divided among the railways now centering at the Council Bluffs transfer, Mr. J. M. Ousel, who is acting agent of the Union Pacific at the depot here, will upon the comple-tion of this arrangement, January 1st, become the joint agent for all the roads centering at this point. After that date the transfer busi-ness of the eastern roads will be done here and the transferred from Council Buffe to Omaha. It had been intended Binfis to Omaha. It had been intended to put this plan into effect December 1, to put this plan into effect December 1, but lack of facilities forced delay. The clerical force of the transfer will be brought from Conneil Bluffs to this side, and for that purpose the Union Pacific is now enlarging its freight offices at the

This new departure will be a great advantage to Omaha and will facilitate railway business. Whereas a shipment eastward had to be billed here to Council Bluffs and there rebilled to its destination, the work is to be done for once and all on this side. This will save much delay which the double clerical work entailed. The grand effect of it all is to make Omaha the virtual terminus of all the eastern lines ecotoring in Council Bluds, pending the time when the bridge shall be completed and the 'Gate City' becomes in fact the center of the great railroad systems which now are compelled to only touch its outskirts.

GONE TO MONTEREY. Last evening General Traffic Manager Kimball's private car was attached to the Union Pacific Denver train, bound for Butte City, Montana, and Monterey, Cal. Butte City, Montana, and Monterey, Cal. The occupants of the car were Mr. Kimball and family, General Freight Agent Shelby, General Passenger Agent Morse and General Ticket Agent Stebbins. The officials are bound for Monterey to attend the meeting of the transcontinental pool to be held there on the lith inst. En route they will stop at Butte City to adjust the didiculty that has arisen there among the mine mill, men, over the rate among the mine mill men over the rate charged on shipments of salt from Salt Lake to that place. The Burlington & Missouri and Missouri Pacific officials will leave for Monterey to-day.

James A. Sangston, southern passenger agent the great Illinois Central railroad, with headquarters in Memphis, Tenn., will remain in this city for a few days advertising his line to New Orleans and Florida.

WARREN S. YATES OBSEQUIES Saturday at Trinity Cathedral With Most Impressive Services.

The funeral of Warren S. Yates, took

robes and read from their rituals. The remains came next borne by Messrs Frank Millard, Frank Hamilton, Guy Doane, Harry Morford, Curtis Turner, Buda Beal, Lyle Dickey and Robt Patrick. The casket was a rich one covered with smilax and literally covered with immortelles and other funeral flowers wrought into chaste and emblematic designs. At the head rested a bank of immortelles with the initials of the deceased, "W. S.S." A kindly remembrance of the deceased was evidenced by a floral offering from his late classmates at Yale college. The remains were followde in procession by the immediate relatives and friends of the deceased in the following order: Mr. and Mrs Yates, parents of the deceased; Misses Florrie, Bessie, Jenie and Hally, sisters and brother of deceased; Mr. and Mrs. Chat Morgan; Mrs. Johns and Mrs. Lemons, Dr. and Mrs. Peabody, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Hayden, Stuart Hayden and mother Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Doane, Gen. Hawkins and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Poppleton, Mr. and Wife, Mr. and Mrs. Poppleton, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rustin, Gen, and Mrs. Dandy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garneau, Mr. and Mrs. L. Richardson, Claire Rustin, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Morse, Col. Lorin Miller and H. T. Clark. The usual episcopal burial service with choir was effectively carried out. The remains were interred in Prospect Hill cemetery.

The County Commissioners.

The board of county commissioners met on Saturday afternoon at the court house. The contract for inclosing cells in two wards of the poor house to be used for refractory inmates, was let to Banker & Co. Bids were also opened for fur-nishing flour for the poor house, but the contract was not awarded, being taken under advisement. Paolo Pavesich, a lecorator, from Denver, was present at the meeting to induce the commissioners to contract with him for frescoing the walls of the two court rooms. The mat ter was taken under advisement.

The following bills were allowed:

GENERAL FUND.		
William N. Whitney, shoes for poor		L.
farm		5
S. M. Gilbert, groceries for poor farm.		0
McCarthy, Donnelly & Co., coffins for		
poor farm	- 6	0
O'Donahoe & Sherfy, hose for poor		
farm	1	7
George E. Tunme, salary	105	
D. N. Miller, boarding prisoners	822	0
D. N. Miller, jail guard	90	
D. N. Miller, costs in State vs. Miller.		ā
Dr. R. S. Luke, medical services	20	
Emma Gordon, services as nurse		Ü
W. A. Rebert, medical services	65	ő
John Meyers, tales jurors	4	0
H. W. Gieselman, tales jurors		ũ
ROAD FUND.	- 2	-
W. S. Wright, grading	- 6	0
Dennis Longren, road appraiser		ñ
James Gumon, work on road	281	
Lawrence Weir, road work	50	
D. P. Redman, road supervisor	30	
A. P. Godson, grading		
A. I. thurson, grading	10	
Asmie Gehl, grading	10	M

The youthful debaters at Creighton college are fast improving. They meet every other Wednesday evening at 7:30, and their exercises show a readiness, feeling and flow of language that aston

Young Debaters.

ish occasional visitors. On December 2, the subject was: "Had the south any right to secode?" and both sides were warmed up in the discussion, and pounded out a volume of arguments with ready wit and retort. Messrs. Whalen | in which he says: "I see by your daily of and Town on the negative, were quick in refuting. They demolished the south-ern redoubts, one after another: and their

manfully held the post for the south.

Mr. Tangney dealt with facts, but, unhappy in their selections, they were mostly cast back to explode at home. But Mr. Malone upheld his dag with volleys of real eloquence. But sides advanced strong arguments, that in the heat of the debate were not met and refuted. It was just in these that the controversy rested. So, time being called, they refired for the just in these that the controversy rested. So, time being called, they retired for the night, after engaging to tight it out another night. Neither side claimed the victory, though both sides were confident of gaining it. When the meeting adjourned the members and visitors left satisfied that they had spent a pleasant and instructive hour at the Daniel Webster Debating hall of Greighton college. The next subject is expected to bring out a lively discussion from some of the olda lively discussion from some of the oldest and strongest debaters.

CAP. DONOHUE'S LUCK.

The Death of an Uncle Makes Him

a Probable Millionaire. "It is better to be born lucky than rich," is an old saving, but it is hard to convince mankind in general that this is a fact. There is, however, one man in Omaha who is firm in his belief that the old saying is all right, and that man is John Donohue, better known as Captain Donohue, ex-captain of the police force of this city.

About forty years ago Peter Donahue, uncle to Capt. Donohue left his home in the Emerald isle and came to America to make his fortune. When the gold fever broke out in 1848 he joined the throng, hurrying on to California. The last his relatives heard of him he was making money very rapidly in the mines. For many years past his relatives have heard nothing of him and it was generally supposed that he was dead. A few days agonatics was given through the newspapers notice was given through the newspapers that Peter Donohue and died in San Francisco leaving an estate of \$12,000, 000 to be divided among his surviving relatives. Upon reading an account of the death

the captain set to work to ascertain whether or no the recently deceased Peter Donohue was his long lost uncle. Circumstances led him to believe that such was the case, and developments in the case put so favorable a light upon the matter, that the captain is now confimatter, that the captain is now conti-dent that he will come in for a good share of the large fortune left by the de-ceased. As near as the captain can fig-ure the time, there are but eight living heirs, including hims-If. As the property will probably be divided equally between the heirs, the captain's share will be over one million dollars.

The captain left Saturday for New York, from where he will sail sail for Old Ireland to secure proofs which will speedily enable him to come into possession of his share of the mammoth forume. He has employed able counsel

fortune. He has employed able counsel in this city to look after the matter and is very confident that all will turn out well. During his term as captain of police and also as a private citizen Mr. Donohue has won the respect and esteem of all with whom he has come in contact and those who have been fortunate enough to become intimately acquainted with him have always found him to be true blue in every respect and one to whom a friend can tie. His hosts of friends in this city wish him a pleasant voyage across the briny deep and a safe return to the land

of his adoption.

Maj. W. A. Jones, U. S. A., and family are visiting friends at 2118 Chicago street. Dr. H. L. Ramacciotti has been ap-pointed inspecting stock surgeon of the Union Pacine railroad.

The members of "A Prisoner for Life" company left last evening for Des Moines, their next stand.

An employe of the planing mill had his upper lip cut off by a flying board Saturday. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Hertzmann. Westbrook and Hacker, the trick bieyelists arrived in the city yesterday,

and will fill a six nights' engagement at the rink this week. Mr. Sam Sincere is no more in my employ, and has no authority to collect for me. Fred. S. Hadra, manager of the Franz Falk Brewing Company's Omaha

Bottling Works. The explosion of a lamp in a house on Tenth street, between Jackson and Jones, called out the fire department about 12:30 this morning. The flames

were quickly extinguished without much damage. The storm of Friday wrought sad havoc with the telephone, telegraph, electric light and district telegraph wires

throughout the city. Saturday linemen were busy in all directions repairing the damage. The last arrest yesterday morning was made about 5 o'clock, and the victim, a small feline, was conveyed to police

quarters in an officer's pocket. Later in the day the prisoner was decorated with a collar and sentenced to the city jail for thirty days for stealing chickens John Nelson, an intoxicated young man, was rescued from death at the

Tenth street crossing yesterday after-noon by Officer Rowles, and taken to police headquarters, where he was locked up to sufficiently sober up to take care of himself. He narrowly escaped being run over by the cars.

Greenleaf Walmach, a cashboy in S. P. Morse's store, was arrested Saturday for stealing \$38 from his employer. He ex-plained that he stole the money for his brother, who wished to buy a pony of a man named Kennedy. Kennedy was found, returned the cash and took back the pony. The boy was released.

Marshal Cummings appears to be so anxious to get the vagrants out of town that he is willing to pay for their passage out of town from his own pocket. Satorday one of the numerous suspicious characters arraigned in police court pleaded that he had not the wherewithal to leave the city. The necessary quarter to take him over the river was promptly produced by the marshal and the tramp was instructed to skeedaddle for our sister city across the river.

Treasurer Whitmore, of the opera house, received Saturday aletter from De-troit which conveyed to him information of the death of Frank Stark, who died in that city on Thanksgiving day of con-sumption. He was in Omaha a few weeks since as manager of the Patti Ro-sa troupe. Mr. Stark was a pleasant, genial young man, and had many friends throughout the country, who will regret to hear of his death. He was of a well known and respected damily of Cincin-nati, in which city he was buried.

There was a meeting of the directors of the Mexican Central yesterday, says the Boston Advertiser, and they ap-pointed Mr. George F. Mayer, who is chief clerk of the auditor's department of the Union Pacific road at Omaha, as auditor of the road in Mexico, to succeed Mr. Foster Nichols, resigned. Mr. Mayer will have his headquarters at the City of Mexico, and will assume the duties of his new position next week. Auditor Goodspeed, who has been filling the office temporarily, will return to Boston immediately.

A Denial.

We have received from George E Banks, of Culbertson, Nebraska, a letter the 3d inst., a special from Culbertson stating that I had been notified by the vigilance committee to quit the town. good humored thrusts won deserved applause. Messrs, Malone and Tangney still here and is tend to stay.



THE TRIBUTES OF THE WORLD OF TRADE

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FROM ITALIAN CLOTHS 7 hese Suits, Overcoats and Pantaloons are trimmed, making them equal to any and surpassed by none. Im-

agine these rarieties to be see at the Only * isfit Clothing Parlors, 1119 Farnam street. ALSO FROM AMERICAN CLOTH

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THE ONLY MISFIT

CLOTHING PARLORS

1119 FARNAM ST.,

A Pugnacious Prisoner. "There isn't a man on the police force can stand up in front of me," yelled an inebriated prisoner at the city jail last evening, as he rapidly stripped himself of his garments and displayed his shape incased in only nature's garb "Let somebody come on," he shouted, bran-dishing his fists in front of his bony

breast. In a minute the pugnacious prisoner attracted the attention of all his companions, and Marshal Cummings, Tom Pierronet and two or three policemen crowded around the cell door.

"I'll accommodate you," remarked fellow unfortunate, and in a second both men were hammering away at each other with might and main.
"Time!" called the marshal, as the two

two retired to their corners, Tom Pierronet, who acted as referee, decided the fight a draw, and ordered the men to de-

'Le'shake hans and quit," said the aggressor, and the two men advanced, grasped digits and then collapsed.

Won the Third "Horse."

"Three sixes to beat," murmured a blonde young man, as he shoved a dice box al a ; the bar in Utof's saloon yesterday evening. His companion grasped the lox, but with vigorous shak ing failed to reach three sixes. "A horse for me," said the first man, and the other quietly nodded his head. The first young man again shook the ivories and a "full' resulted. The second man grasped the box with a ferocious, determined air, but despite his best of orts he failed to down

his opponent. "If I can't win a horse on dice, I can beat you another way," yelled the now infuriated loser, and suiting the action to the word he struck his companion a heavy blow in the face, knocking him to the ground. There was considerable excitement for a minute, and the assailant managed to escape, leaving his victim with a bad cut under his eye, the result of brass knuckles. The injured man's name is Nelson, a driver for Benzon, the ice man, but his assailant's name is unknown. Nelson's injuries are not serious. No arrests.

More Land Swindlers.

Deputy United States Marshal Cantrill again arrived in Omaha Saturday with two more of the Denver men indicted for committing land frauds in this state. The prisoners were Frank B. Swindler, of the firm of Swindler & Wells, and Sylvester Yundt, a cowboy. Swindler, upon arrival at Omaha, immediately furnish d bonds and was released. He is at the Paxton, and intends to return to Denver this morning. William J. Wilson, who was also in

dicted by the grand jury for the same of-fense, learned of the fact before Mr. Cantrill arrived in Denver and started for this city of his own accord and fur-nished bonds. Wilson is one of the largest cattle men in Colorado, and is familiarly known as Billy Wilson.

The Viaduct Question. The committee appointed at the last

meeting of the city council to "enter into a contract with the Union Pacific railway for the best interests of the city, called upon General Manager Callaway Saturday in reference to the construction of viaduets. The committee consists of Councilmen Goodman, Schroeder, Thrane, Furay, Ford and Bechel. No delinite conclusion was reached at the confer ence, one of the causes of the failure to agree being the question of opening Fourteenth street. Mr. Callaway would not, under any circumstances, agree to | cess.

open that street under the tracks to a greater width than thirty feet, and regretted that he had even agreed to do committee accomplished nothing new by the conference with Mr. Cullaway.

South Omaha Fire Brigade.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 4 .- At the fourth regular meeting of the South Omaha fire brigade held in the Wilcox school house on the above date, several names were added to the roll. The constitution and by-laws were read and adopted by sec-

tions. A vote of censure was passed on the county commissioners for inattention to the wants of the Douglas precinct.

Resolved, That we, the tax-payers, will not pay any more road tax for the Doug-las precinct to the county, but expend said tax in our own neighborhood. The following permanent officers were then elected: President, Daniel O'Keeffe; secretary, Mr. Arion; treasurer, Al Swigard; foremen, H. F. Jasper; first as-

sistant, Fred Pontag, second assistant, D. Connell, jr.
Meeting ordered 200 copies of constitution and by-laws printed by Mr. Arion, the secretary. Meeting adjourned to meet on Wed-

nesday, December 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the same room:

New Deputies. The friends of Mr. Silas S. Auch Moedy will be glad to learn that he has been appointed deputy county clerk by Charles Needham, who assumes the duties of county clerk on January 1st. Mr. Auch Moedy is a prominent G. A. R. man, and was held for thirteen months in Libby, Belle Isle and Andersonville. He was formerly cashier in the establishment of the H. T. Clark company, Mr. Auch Moedy is a competent man, and will doubtless fill the position with all credit to himself.

Mr. J. S. Phillips, ex-U, S. deputy collector of customs, has been appointed deputy by Sheriff-Elect Coburn, and Jailor Joe Mitter will retain his present

Mr. Henry Bolln, the new county treas-urer, has selected Mr. John Groves as his deputy.

Free Dispensary.

The following is the report of the work done at the City Union Free Dispensary on Tenth street, for the month of November. There were sixty patients treated. Of these forty were females, twenty were males, twenty children; twenty married, and forty unmarried. There were several surgical cases, besides diseases of the joints, skin, eyes, throat, lungs and

bowels. The dispensary is filling a long-felt want, and the number or patients treated shows there is a large class of people in thiseity whose physical suffering is not reached by any present sanitary arrangement.

Personal Paragraphs. J. Moran, of Olax, Neb., a well known

merchant, was in the city on Saturday. Ex-Senator J. B. Chaifee, of Colorado, arrived in Omaha yesterday afternoon and is stopping at the Paxton.

W. H. H. Dunn, Dunn, Neb.; Geo. Godfrey, Fremont; Warren Gibson, Laramie Edward Rucker, St. Louis, are at the Mrs Samuel L. Savidge of Mt. Vernon, a., spent the Sabbath in the city.

the was the guest of her brother, Rev. C. W. Savidge. In 1883 an American farm was testablished in Corea, whereon nothing was to be gown but American vegetables. A tree it post

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Amusements.

peared at the opera house Saturday night to a fair auidence. The play, which is one of sustained in terest, abounds in many thrilling situations. It was well prethrilling situations. It was well pre-sented, each member of the company acguitting himself and herself with credit. The same show will be at the opera house

to-night. The next theatrical attraction to appear at Boyd's opera house will be Alice Harrison, in "Hot Water," a satirical comedy on the style of "A Rag Baby" and other funny plays. The dates are Friday and Saturday, December 11 and 12.

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