FROM A NEIGHBORING STATE

The New President of the State Agricultural College.

THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS

The Attorney General Decides that the New County Attorneys May Receive Pay-Lively Times in Congressional Politics.

Iowa News.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 16 .- [Special]-The board of trustees of the State Agricultural college, at Ames, have just finished their annual meeting, and the result seems very satisfactory to the people of the state. The president-elect has made a very favorable Impression, and will begin the work under most encouraging auspices. President Chamberlain, as he is to be called, is another "Ohio man," being at present secretary of the state board of agriculture of that state. He is a man of about 45 years of age, of genual manner, scholarly tastes and fine executive ability. He was warmly recommended for the place by ex-President R. B. Hayes, Senator John Sherman, Governor Foraker, President Scott, of the Ohio state university, and several other presidents of agricultural colleges and editors of agricultural journals. There were several Iowa gentleman mentioned prominently for the place, but the board thought the best interests of the state would be insured by going outside it in this instance. Like other state institutions the agricultural college has not been free from internal disquiet for many years. There have been factions among the faculty, and to some extent among the trustees and alumni.so it was thought best to take a man for president who was entirely outside any factional influence and who could come to the college untramelled, because unacquainted with any previous inharmony. This condition weighed largely in the selection of Mr. Chamberlain.

There is also another significant feature to this selection. It shows the purpose of the trustees to make the college more distinctively agricultural than heretofore it has been. It is stated on good authority that only about would be insured by going outside it in this

is stated on good authority that only about per cent of the students of the agricultural studies. The school has been run largely as a rival to the state university, and has taken young ladies and gentlemen of some of the best families of the state and given them a course of liberal study that had no more agriculture in it than there is in a theological college. So this magnificent property with college. So this magnificent property, with its college farm of 800 acres, its lifteen or twenty buildings, and its immense endowment has hardly fulfilled the expectations of the state when it was founded. It is proposed now to return to the original idea, and the choice of President Chamberlain means much in this President Chamberlain means much in this respect. While a gentleman of liberal cul-ture, he is especially identified with agricultural interests, and as a writer and speaker and champion of agricultural matters he ranks among the foremost in the west. The choice of the board is going to prove a popular choice throughout the state, if the expressions of opinion already heard are any indication.

Despite the long time that the legislature Despite the long time that the legislature took to transact a little business, the legislation shows traces of some inexcusable carelessness. Thus in the matter of providing for county attorneys to succeed district attorneys, in accordance with a constitutional amendment adopted last fall, the legislature passed a law providing that the county attorneys should begin work at a certain date after which there should be no district attorneys. It also repealed the old law which granted salaries to the district attorneys, and inadvertently left them about six months work to perform with no provision months work to perform with no provision for compensation. When the state's prose-cutors learned that fact a few days ago, there cutors learned that fact a few days ago, there was general consternation through their ranks. They were under bonds to perform their duties till the close of their terms of office. So they couldn't shirk, but they didn't relish the prospect of laboring for the state several months for nothing. The governor and the auditor both said that as the law stood they would receive no compensation for the work yet to be done, so in despair they appealed to the attorney general for an opinion. He is a very accommodating attorney general. No one ever appealed to him for comfort but he got it. He has furnished some opinions that have been the subject of some opinions that have been the subject of marvel, but they generally seem to satisfy the parties who apply for them. So in this case he decided that the state could not even by unintentional

omission legislate their salarles away from them, and, therefore, although no provision for their fees had been made, they should still receive them till their terms expired. Of course that is equity and common sense, but there be some that think it very poor law, under the circumstances. Some judges are avoiding complications by doing as Judge Stuttsman, of Burlington, has done—simply appoint the district attorney as public prosecutor for the time being, treating the office as if there was a vacancy and filling it by appointment. The congressional fires are beginning to

The congressional fires are beginning to burn in many parts of the state. In this, the Second district, there will probably be no opposition to the return of Major Conger, who has had but one term and filled it well. In the First district Ben Hall, democratic congressman, will probably be retired, though the district is very close. His competitor is liable to be John S. Woodson, the republican candidate two years ago, ex-Governor Gear, of Burlington, Judge Stuttsman, of the same place, or John N. Irwin, of Keokuk.

The Second district is hopelessly democratic, but there is a spirited fight going on there for the nomination. Congressman Jerry Murphy has had two terms and is quite unpopular. He will be retired, and the struggle for his place is between Judge Hayes—he of unprecedent notoriety—and Captain Merrell, the man who ought to have been nominated for governor by the democrats last year. By a singular coincidence both candidates live in Clinton, Juage Hayes refuses to stay on the district bench, and says he wants to go to congress. Captain Merrell declines any longer to be an unsuccessful candidate for state offices, and says he wants to go to congress. The fight promises to be very warm. Merrell was a says he wants to go to congress. The fight promises to be very warm. Merrell was a union soldier, is a clear, high-minded man and would be a credit to the democracy of that district if he should be sent to congress. But Hayes is the idol of the sporting men, and with a better organization will probably carry of the wize.

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In the Third district Colonel Henderson, very popular and strong, will probably be returned. In the Fourth there will be some contest for the place, although Fuller, the incumbent, has had but one term. But he will probably be given another. In the Fifth, now represented by a democrat, Mr. Fredericks, of Marshalltown, the redistricting has made such changes that no democrat need apply. Two or three candidates are mentioned for the republican nomination, among them Senator Sutton and Judge Henderson, of Marshall, being prominent. In the Sixth, Weaver's district, he will probably run again, and the republihe will probably run again, and the republi-cans hope to beat him with some good man like Senator Hutchinson of Ottumwa. In the Eighth, Colonel Hepburn, who is making a national reputation, will undoubtedly be returned. In the Ninth, Major Lyman, of Council Bluffs, who has had but one term, will likely have another. In the Tenth there are several candidates, conspicuous among them being J. P. Doliver, of Fort Dodge, the brilliant young orator who made such a fine record in the presidential campaign of 1884, speaking through the east under the direction speaking through the east under the direction of the national republican committee. Major Holmes, of Boone, who is serving a second term, is also mentioned for a third. In the Eleventh there is much talk of renominating the incumpent, Congressman Struble, of Le Mars. This completes the list, but it is proper to add that the republicans expect to elect at least nine out of the eleven, and possibly ten. Now they have but seven,

Salvationists in Jail.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 14 .-- [Special Tele gram. |-The Salvation army at Marshalllown are conducting services at present be hind the bars of the jail, a number of the warriors being sent to prison last night for violation of the city ordinance. They were violation of the city ordinance. They were allowed permission to patrol the streets one night a week by giving notice to the police in advance to preserve order. Lately they have been violating the rule, parading every night. Last evening they were all marched to jail, and when arraigned this atternoon the mayor offered to let them off on condition that they would lead no more parades. They said they "would lead no more parades. They said they "would obey God and not man," whereupon Mayor Ames observed that they would also obey the laws, and so fined them 5th and costs each, in default of which they are all now languishing in jail.

A BIG UNIVERSITY, Some Interesting Facts Regarding the New Catholic Institution.

WASHINGTON, May 15.-The heartiness and enthusiasm with which the project of erecting in Washington a Roman Catholto university has been received by the Catholics in all sections of the country are sufficient evidence that it will become a solid and concrete fact before very long. Subscriptions still continue to pour in. Already the sum received is sufficient to warrant the commencement of a building. The main portion of the million dollars which to be collected for the costs and endowments of the university is in hand and more is still coming. The committee held a meeting last week in Baltimore and held a meeting last week in Baltimore and selected three of the plans for a building which have been sent in by some of the principal architects of the country. It is probable that the best features of all these three designs will be incorporated into one when the first design is made. The ground will not be broken till next spring but when operations are once commenced they will be pushed forward rapidly. The new institution is to be a university and not a college. It will be founded on a system similar to that in vogue at Oxford and Cambridge. It is not proposed to give a professimilar to that in vogue at Oxford and Cambridge. It is not proposed to give a professional education in the university, but the course will be so modelled that none but post graduates and those who have received their professional education will be eligible for admission. It will be a finishing course. In this way it will not interfere in any way with the existing colleges. At first instruction will be confined to three branches of learning—philosophy, theology and philology, and will afterwards include law and medicine.

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Dr. Chapell says that "one of the principal reasons that Washington was chosen as the site of the university was because students could here mix with the superior minds of this and other countries, and of many valuable scientific collections, libraries and courses of scientific lectures, etc., which are to be found here." The question of the internal management of the university was the subject of much discussion at the last meeting of the committee, some members favoring the election of a rector and others last meeting of the committee, some members favoring the election of a rector and others opposing it. It was finally decided to elect rectors, which was accordingly done. It is believed that Archbishop Spaulding, of Ill., was the man so honored. The management of the interior of the university will be intrusted to members of a religious society with whom arrangements are now being made.

FIGHTING GERONIMO.

The Indians Surprised and Stampeded, But Strike Back Wickedly.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16 .- A Tuscon special from Huachuca, says that Captain Hatfield with a troop of cavalry struck Geronimo a heavy blow yesterday morning ten miles southeast of Santa Cruz. But a few hours later he received a heavier blow in return. Friday afternoon, the hostiles, about seventy strong, struck Milespias ranch, rounding up thirty horses. Hatheld arrived half an hour later and followed the trail till dark. Yesterday morning he surprised and stampeded the hostiles, capturing their entire camp, outlitand horses. He then started for Santa Cruz. In passing through Box canyon, a galling fire was poured upon his little command. The men then dismounted and made a gallant fight for one hour, losing two killed and three wounded. Many Indians fell. The number is not known. Captain Hatfield reached Santa Cruz, where he will be joined by Licutenant Cook with the Dorsto troops.

Major Rinze, with a large Mexican force, reached Santa Cruz last night and joined in the pursuit this morning; Captain Lebo, Lleutenant Davis, with troops, Governor Torres, of Sonora, and Prefect Rivers, of the Magdelan district, are here in consultation.

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Governor Lorres just received a dispatch from the prefect of Guaymas stating that General Martinez routed the Yaques from their stronghold in Sierra Bacatche on the 13th, killing 100 and capturing 2.0. The Mexicans lost twenty killed and fifty wounded. Cajeme escaped, but is being pursued by troops on the land and by gunboats on the river. This virtually ends the Yaque war.

Incendiary Fire. PEORIA, May 16.-About 1 o'clock this morning the watchman of the Enterprise distillery, at Pekin, discovered the building to be on fire. The alarm was at once given ut before the firemen reached t but before the firemen reached the scene the building was wholly enveloped and the fire beyond control. The distillery, with all the machinery and contents, was entirely destroyed. The building contained 20,000 businels of gram and 50,000 gallons of alcohol. Four cars of corn on the track were also destroyed together with all the government books. The total value of property is estimated at \$200,000, on which was in surance of about \$65,000. The fire originated in the teach room and was undoubtedly the work about \$65,000. The fire originated in the leach room, and was undoubtedly the work of incendiary. The Enterprise distillery was owned by Speltzman & Doelmy, the firm was recently expelled from the whisky pool. The proprietors offer a reward of \$50,00 for the arrest and conviction of the person who fired the building. They also announce their determination to rebuild at once.

Withdraws His Horses.

LOUISVILLE, May 16 .- A sensation was caused here to-night by the announcement that J. B. Haggin, of California, has issued orders to withdraw his string of horses from the track here to take them to Latonia. No explanation was offered by him. Haggin has about twenty horses. Among them Ben All, winner of the Derby, who was to start in the Clark stake on Thursday. Many theories are advanced in regard to the mat-ter. Some say he was dissatisfied with the pool arrangements here, while others declare he is afraid to have Ben All meet Blue Wing again. Hargin's trainer says the removal is due to the fact that some of the two-year-old colts are sick and Hagrin wanted them colts are sick and Haggin wanted them moved to Latonia so that they could go into training as soon as they recovered. It is stated that the horses entered in the mer-chants' stake, Fleetwood handleap and turf stake may be shipped back to start in those events. The stable leaves to-morrow morn-

He Carried a Razor.

CHICAGO, May 16 .- James Jemison's head was almost entirely severed from his body to-night by one slash of a razor in the hands of Charles Jones. The two men, each colored barbers, were engaged in a saloon quarrel over their abilities as whitewashers. Jemi-son, who was much the larger, was severely cuffing Jones, when the latter suddenly whipped out a razor, and in an instant Jemison lay on the floor expiring, with his head connected to his shoulders only by the vertabrae. The murderer is under arrest.

A Barber's Cowardly Stab. CHICAGO, May 15.—The Journal's Lanark Ill.,) special says: Patrick Reddington. (Ill.,) special says: Patrick Reddington, city marshal of Shannon, was attacked by Charles Lashell, a barber, last night. The latter was armed with a razor and cut Reddington in the neck, the injured man dying from the wound almost instantly. Lashell was intoxicated and had twice been taken home by the marshal. It was while the marshal was in Lashell's house in response to a message from the latter's mother to effect his arrest the third time, that he made his cowardly and fatal attack. Lashell was arrested at midnight. at midnight.

A \$50,000 Fire. NEW ORLEANS, May 17 .- Purviss' sash toor and blind factory and lumber yard, German Protestant church, Michael Mc-Enery's and Dr. J. C. Beard' residences were destroyed by fire, and a number of other buildings were damaged to-night. Loss, \$70,000; insurance, \$50,000.

BOSTON, May 16 .- A table compiled from special dispatches to the Post from the managers of the leading clearing houses or the United States, shows gross bank exchanges for the week ending May 15 of \$794,712,372; increase 5.3 per cent.

Drowned While Bathing. DES MOINES, IOWA, May 16. - [Special Telegram, |—Charles Parker, aged 19, was drowned while bathing in the river this afternoon. The body has not been recovered.

A Great Chance.

I have five acres inside city limits, two blocks from street car line, beautiful lo-cation, will make 25 lots that will sell at once for \$600 each. If sold immediate-ly, \$7,500 cash will take it. This is just what I say, call and investigate. C. E. Marne.

TELEGRAPH NOTES.

Bartley Campbell, the famous playwright, has been adjudged insane by the New York supreme court and sent to an asylum. He is suffering from paresis.

The New York bank statement shows a re-serve increase of \$1,384,000. The banks now hold \$12,497,000 in excess of the legal require-

The bill granting the Kansas & Arkansas Valley railroad right of way through Indian territory passed the house.

In the trial of the boodle alderman, Jachne, in New York the motion of counsel to strike out the testimony of Inspector Byrne and Detective Cosgrove was denied by the court. The house passed a bill establishing a sub-

treasury in Louisville.

The Atlas Netional bank of Chleago has been authorized to begin business with a cap-ital of \$700,000.

For magnificent view, beautiful location, cheap lots and reasonable terms see Orchard Hill, the garden spot of Omaha. C. E. Mayne will take you out.

The Rifle Camp. General Manager Holdredge of the B & M. has, at the request of the army officials, put in a platform at the new rifle camp at Bellevue and arranged it so that eight trains will stop there each day, four going down and four returning. Nos. 7 and 9 will stop on the passenger's application to conductor, and Nos. 8 and 10, returning to Omaha, will stop on being flagged.

Captains Powell and Bubb, of the Fourth infantry, with their companies, will march to the rifle camp Monday and will put in ten day's practice. They will be followed by two others, so that the five companies will each have ten day's practice. It will be a matter of merit and rivalry to see which of the five companies will do the best work. The Fourth intantry has the best fighting record of any regiment in the service.

Ho! for Orchard Hill. One hundred new buildings to be erected there this summer. Call on C. E. Mayne, S. E. cor. 15th and Farnam, and get a fine lot at low price before it is too late.

The African M. E. church, at the corner of Webster and Eighteenth has been dvertised to be sold on May 25 to satisfy a claim of \$2,000 for which amount a judgment was rendered against the propcrty some time ago. The enterprising colored citizens, through whose efforts the church was organized and built, have been zealously working for some time past to meet this claim without having the property sold. Their efforts have been crowned with success and on Saturday the claim was paid in full. A praise service was held at the church last even-ing in celebration of the event.

For \$1,800 you can buy a lot on Georgia avenue between Leavenworth and Farnam, that will be worth nearly double that amount inside of a year. These are the cheapest residence lots in that neighbor-lood. Look into this and see for your-self,

C. E. MAYNE,
15th and Farnam.

Five Ahead and Won.

The shooting match between H. B Kennedy and Frank Parmelee, for \$50 a side, 50 birds, single risers, 18 yards, took place at Athletic Park Saturday Parmelee won by a score of 36 to 31. Against Kay's wager of \$50 that Kennedy would not hit 80 birds out of 100, Kennedy shot at but five, missing 3. It was therefore impossible for him to win, so he saved time and effort by not shooting his other 25 shots.

C. E. Mayne, 15th and Farnam, is offering better terms to parties looking for locations than any other real estate

The Coming Editorial Excursion. President Correll, of the Nebraska State Press association, was in the city on and admirers will be glad to know of her in June, 1882. The objects of the asso-Saturday and held a conference with presence in the city and will accord her eneral Passenger Agent Morse, of the Union Pacific, in regard to the proposed excursion of the editors the coming summer. The plans have not been fully arranged as yet, but it is proposed to make an excursion to Portland, Oregon, by rail, thence by steamer to San Francisco, re turning by the way of Ogden, Salt Lake and Denver.

Lots are selling rapidly in Mayne's add. at \$300 on easy terms.

No matter what kind of real estate you want call on C. E. Mayne, before buying, he has the largest list, the choicest prop erty, at the lowest prices and always gives easy terms.

Enjoining the Belt Line.

Susie A. Paddock has filed an application for an injunction with Clerk Ijams of the district court against the Omaha Belt railway, alleging irregularity on the part of the assessment committee in conemning the land for use of the railway. The property in question is on Sherman avenue, where the line crosses the thoroughfare. It is asked that the com pany be restrained from placing their rails on the ground.

Any lots you buy in Mayne's add. on the B. & M. track for \$300 will double in value in twelve months. \$250 per acre, one mile from new iron

works. See Solomon's advertisement.

Attaching the Nickel Plate. An attachment was issued from Justice Helsely's court Saturday against W. H. Harris, proprietor of the Nickel Plate circus, to satisfy a claim of \$17 in favor of Charles Bloom, a canvassman employed by the show. The attachme at was levied upon the company's trick horse, valued at \$2,500. It is understood that a number of other attachments are being sought for by employes.

Don't fail to see lots in Orchard hill before buying, they are decidedly the finest in the city. For sale only by C. E. Mayne, S. E. cor. 15th and Farnam.

Broke His Wrist.

Mr. J. W. Fox, of the livery firm of Atwood & Fox, had his wrist broken on Saturday evening while attempting to move the police patrol wagon into the washing stall in his stable. Dr. Grosswashing stall in his stable. Dr. Gross-man, who happened to be in the barn at the time, rendered the necessary surgical

Mayne's add, is located two miles from the postoffice in the southeast part of the city, on the B. & M. track. Call and look at these lots. C. E. MAYNE, 15th and Farnam.

Saturday Dysart extracted from under the arm young lady, Miss Nora lesident at 1118 Howard street, a large portion of a needle. The young lady was at a loss to account for the matter. It is probable that years ago the needle got into her system by some means or another, and has since been working its way through.

Let us show you Orenard Hill, Belvedere and Newport, whether you buy or not. The ride will do you good. C. E. Mayne, 15th and Farnam.

There is a growing dissatisfaction with the order of things which allows Tom Murray, year after year, to obstruct with impunity and a pile of rubbish one of the best streets in the city.

134x297 feet on South 13th street for \$2,000, on easy terms. Still another bar-gain. I have a number more. Call and ee me. C. E. Mayne, 15th and Farnam.

LOOKS LIKE A WALK AWAY.

The Union Pacifics Taken Into Camp By the Denvers.

MME MODJESKA AND MLLE RHEA

Was it Poison-Knights of the Grip-A Brilliant Reception-Two Bad Runaways-A Man Killed-Minor Mentions.

It Looks Like a Walkaway.

The game between the Union Pacifics and the Denver teams was a complete surprise to most of the 1,500 people present. Many had anticipated that "our boys," out of practice as they were, would be beaten, but no one had anticipated that the defeat would be as crushing as it proved to be. The game was lost to the home team in the second and third innings, and after that the Union Pacifies could scarcely hope to do anything but hold their opponents level.

The game was called at twenty minutes to 4 o'clock by Umpire Strock, with the Denvers at the bat. Anderson was put in to pitch for the Union Pacifics and proved a total failure. In the first inning the Denvers made but one run. The Union Pacifics, in their half, offset this by scoring two tallies. Then the visitors went to bat and the matinee commenced. They easily succeeded in menced. They easily succeeded in mastering Anderson's delivery and slugged the leather in all possible directions. The home team became demortalized and fielded miserably, and at the eud of the third inning the score stood 12 to 2 in favor of the Colorado men.

Pitcher Anderson, of the home club, smiled feebly as he left the box and walked in to the players' stand, after the gory three innings were ended. The crowd cheered vociferously for Salisbury to take his old position. That gentleman responded to the emergency, and the crowd shouted still more loudly as he took his position in the pitcher's box. He settled down to his old time work, and the result was that during the next six innings the Denvers only added two to their previously gained runs. The Union Pacific's by dint of strong playing managed to score three more tallies, and the game closed with the result, 14 to 5.

The Denvers played a strong, steady game, and their fielding was particularly fine. The home team, on the other hand, made some wrotched and inexcusable errors at critical moments, which circumstance, coupled with the poor pitching in first three innings, lost them the game. Strock, as usual, was highly satisfactory as umpire. The score

BY INNINGS

MODJESKA AND RHEA. The Two Great Actresses Take a Day of Rest in Omaha.

The city was honored yesterday by the

Rhea at her parlors last evening, madamoiselle was charming, in the west. On Thursday evening she pear at Boyd's in "An Unequal Match on Friday evening in "Frou Frou," Sa

"That is my favorite," said the mad-amoiselle at the mention of "Pygmalion and Galatea." "I love it." "It is one of your new plays, is it not?

"Yes, I first appeared as Galatea in Washington three months ago. I have never seen it played, and have consequently given my own conception to the "What is your idea of Galatea?"

sustain the part as a statue throughout the play, but if she is still a block of marble how can she love, and weep, and fear, and laugh? These different emotions show that she must have feeling. Her astonishment at every-thing she sees, and at every new word she hears shows that her mind is still in its infancy, but after my idea, the body must be animated and filled with life in order to be susceptible to the feelings and emotions which she must necessarily show.''
Mile Rhea spoke with special reference

tion to your reportoire is it not?" the reporter.

Mme. Modjeska is so happy in being here with her family. I would envy her were it not that I myself will soon enjoy the same pleasure.

"Then you intend returning France?" "I go to France in June. I will return in August for one year more in America. I regret that I will not come west again. I will appear in the east, in the south, and in Canada, presenting the best plays of my repertoire under the management of Mr. Morrisey, and will then leave America."

"You do not intend to give up the stages"

stage?"
"I will give up the stage altogether. I may play some in Paris after a year's rest, but I surely will not travel any more. When I hear of all of the accidents that occur each day on the railroads, and by flood and storm, I thank heaven that I have been so long spared these mishaps and have determined not to risk my precious neck in this manner any longer," and the talented Ruea smilingly bade the reporter good-night.

WAS IT POISON? Strange Sickness of a Union Pacific

Employe. A strange case of sickness, with suspicious circumstances surrounding the cause thereof, is reported from the Union Pacific railroad camp, about eight miles west of the city. An Englishman named Young has been employed for several weeks with a Union Pacific railroad force, who have been at work improving the roads and laying side tracks west of the city. He represented to some of his fellow workmen that he was possessed of a large sum of money which he had concealed in a safe place, and that he was only working at railroading to save expense while awaiting the arrival of a partner from the east, with whom he was to engage in business. Just after breakfast on Saturday morning Young was taken violently ill. A physician was summoned from Papillion and found the patient writhing in convulsions similar to that produced by poisoning, and in an unconscious condition. Emetics were administered without any apparent effect. All day on Saturday and yesterday Young remained in an unconscious condition, his eyes having a death-like gaze. Yesterday afternoon a member of the camp came to Omaha to see what arrangements could be made for getting

KNIGHTS OF THE GRIP.

Meeting of the Nebraska Division of

the Commercial Travelers'

Association.

A meeting of the Nebraska branch of

the Travelers' Protective association of

the United States was held at the

Millard hotel Saturday evening. The

meeting was held for the purpose of

nominating a president for the state asso-

ciation and to select delegates to the Na-

tional association. About thirty commer-

cial men were present at the session sepresenting the different lines of trade

conducted in Nebraska by "der most in-

nocend men on der road." The associa-

tion was organized in Cincinnati, Ohio,

ciation are to secure the repeal of all

laws and ordinances taxing commercial

men; to secure recognition from railway

companies in regard to the transportation

travelers and to secure hotel accommo-

dations commensurate with the prices

of the order also states that it shall be

one of the objects of the association to

elevate the social and moral character of

the commercial tourists. This article, be

it understood, applies to drummers outside of Nebraska. There is no room for

any more elevation, social, moral or

otherwise, of the average commercial road agent of Nebraska, as they are as

nearly perfect now as men ever get. There are over 11,000 members of the na-

tional association. The Nebraska divi

sion, which was organized January 16, 1886, already has a membership of 234

travelers. At the meeting on Sat-urday evening the following del-egates and alternates were chosen

to the national convention of com-

mercial

sociation.

mercial travelers, which will be held in Baltimore June 24, 25 and 26: Lawrence Keiksell of Lincoln, Harry

Lader and George E. Crosby of Omaha Alternates—W. H. Raynor and C. F. Mc

Lain of Omaha, and T. C. Hurst of Hast-

W. B. Larius, of Grand Island, was

nominated for president of the state as-

The president is to be confirmed by the

National association, and he will, in con-junction with a committee for the pur-

ter the transaction of routine business

the travelers made brief remarks and lis

tened to short speeches from G. P. Hubbard, of Michigan; and B. H. Hays, of

Kansas division. The two reviewd the progress of their respective associations

at large. After a vote of thanks to the proprietors of the hotel for the courtesy

n providing rooms the body adjourned

o meet on call of the president. It is the

ters in the city for a club room, and the

rooms will be elegantly fitted up. A clause in the constitution permits no

liquors or any gambling in these rooms. Membership in the Nebraska division is

PROTECTING SHIPPING.

Omaha Merchants and Jobbers Form

a Freight Bureau for M utual

Benefit.

A number of the representative mer-

chants and jobbers of Omaha met at the

board of trade rooms on Saturday even-

ing for the purpose of organizing an

Omaha freight bureau. There were pres-

ent Messrs. Oberfelder, Chapman, Wei-

shans, Mark, Vinyard, Broatch, Men-

delssohn, Goodman, Himebaugh, Her,

Brady, Fried, Bishop, Easson, Peycke,

Mr. H. T. Clarke presided at the meet-

ing, with Mr. W. A. Gibson as secre-

The object of the meeting was stated by Mr. Robert Easson to be the establish-

ing of a freight bureau to guard and pro-tect Omaha's shipping interests. Omaha

merchants need some representatives to

confer with railroad officials. He then read the constitution of the Chicago

freight bureau. He stated that through the efforts of that organization there had

was necessary to hire a competent com missioner who would attempt to accom

Raapke, Clark and Meyer.

increasing rapidly.

intention of the travelers to secure quar

oose, appoint the remaining officers

The preamble to the constitution

commercial

baggage of

Young into the hospital. The suspicious circumstance arises in the fact that two fellow employes, with whom Young had been upon terms of intimacy and talked freely concerning his secreted wealth, disappeared from the camp on Saturday morning as soon as Young was taken ill and have not since been seen. The theory has gained belief that the two laborers learned the whereabouts of Young's alleged wealth and administered poison to him in his breakfast coffee. At

ast reports Young was slightly improved tho still unconscious, with a chance of his recovery. His medical attendant is convinced that it was a case of poisoning.

presence of two of the greatest living actresses, Mme. Modjeska and Mlle. Rhea, who are to be the guests of honor at the most brilliant social event of the year, the Elk reception on Thursday evening. Mme. Modjeska, Count Bozenta, her husband, and suite arrived last evening and were taken at once to their parlors at the Millard. The party had come direct from New York without a rest and Mme. Modjeska retired immediately after her arrival. The madame is so well known to the people of Omaha in an artistic sense that an introduction is entirely unnecessary. Her hosts of friends a most hearty reception. She is enroute from New York, where she has just closed a most successful engagement, to San Francisco and will remain in Omaha several days taking a needed rest and

visiting with her son, Ralph Modjeska, who is a resident of Omaha. At the Millard also was M'lle Rhea who spent Sunday in the city and will leave this morning for St. Joseph, returning to this city to open an engage ment Thursday night. A BEE reporter was accorded an interview with M'lle of spirits, and chatted without restraint in response to the queries of the scribe The present is Rhea's fifth season in America and her third tour through the urday matinee in "Pygmalion and Gala-tea," and in "A Country Girl" on Satur-

"That when she comes to life she should have all of the suppleness of a living woman. They tell me that others

to her support in Pygmalion and Galatea. Mr. Boyd Putnam a young actor of great promise, appears as Pygmalion, Miss promise, appears as Pygmalion, Miss Fitz-Allen who in the opinion of all critics is the best Cynisca on the stage and Mr. Robert Wilson, the irresponsible com-edian in Chrysos. The music has been especially prepared for the play and the stage settings are magnificent.

A Country Girl' is also a new addi-

"It is new with me, but it is one of the oldest comedies extant. It was written 209 years ago by Wycherley, arranged by David Garrick, and rearranged for the modern stage by Augustin Daly. It is a thorough English comedy and I enjoy it. It is a sple ...id icomedy with a good moral."

moral."
"Frou, Frou," continued Mile. Rhea, in response to an inquir's, "is a thoroughly French play, and I don't like it so well. It is a picture of Parisian life so French in every detail that the American people do not appreciate it as they should. Another reason I do not like it so well is that it contains a guarrel scene in which that it contains a quarrel scene in which I have to speak very rapidly and my articulation is not so distinct in impassioned passages. My English is better in my newer plays."

"You have met M'me Modjeska, of

"Oh yes. 1 had the pleasure of hear-ing her several times in London before I came to America."

'How do you like her methods of acting?''
Very much indeed. She reminds me of the greatest French actress I have ever seen, Aimee Deschlee, who was my ideal and who died ten years ago, just at the zenith of her glory. She was the original Frou Frou Like her, M'me Modjeska has that dreamy look that is so interesting, and the same impassioned manner of acting.

be borne by the different branches of business, the grocery, drug and hard-ware houses perhaps bearing the heaviest share. He then read a letter from C. M. Wicker, of the Chicago to

Wicker, of the Chicago freight bureau, which stated at length the benefits which had accrued from their association Mr. Clarke stated that for the last year Omaha had been having trouble with railroads in regard to freight rates and he thought the matter should be

Max Meyer moved, in order to bring the matter before the house, that it was the sense of the merchants and jobbers that such an organization should be

effected Mr. Easson stated that the objects of the association would not be to interfere with private interests, but simply to see that the open rates did not discriminate against Omaha. The commissioner would have to be a practical railroad man who would be able to find the rates existing between different towns of Nebraska, and see that if Omaha was being discriminated against. He thought the action of the merchants in refusing to ship goods over the Northwestern while the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley discriminated against Omaha did a great deal of good, as the Omaha freight was too great a factor to be ignored by any

Mr. John Brady said that he understood the sole object of the bureau was to see that the tariff between Chicago and points west of Omaha did not exceed the sum of the two rates from Chicago to Omaha and from Omaha west.

The chair then put the question apor Meyer's motion which was carried without a dissenting vote.

Mr. Meyers then moved that the Chistitution of the Omaha bureau. Mr. Easson read the Chicago constitution, which was adopted with a few slight modifications. It was decided that the rate of expense to be borne by the several branches of business should be determined upon the executive committee. The most essential part of the constitution, as adopted, was as follows:

The object of the bureau shall be to give

the railroad and transportation companies such information regarding the various lines of goods it represents as shall insure them proper classification; to secure freight rates to all shipping points that shall in no case discriminate against Omaha; to assist in adjusting claims for losses, damages, or overcharges, and to render its se vices to members, individually and collectively, in all matters per-taining to the transportation of merchandise and the extension of the trade of Omaha. At the election, which was subsequent-

At the election, which officers were ly held, the following officers were elected: President, John Brady; vice-elected: President, secretary, W. president, W. J. Broatch; secretary, W. A. L. Gibbon; treasurer, Peter Her; excentive board, Ernest Peycke, C. A. Fried, W. V. Morse, C. F. Goodman, J. G. Chapman, Euclid Martin, J. Oberfelder, P. E. Her, Robert Easson, W. J. Welshans, Max Meyer and Mr. Vinyard. The meeting adjourned to meet pursuant to call.

RARE AND RADIANT MAIDENS With Ceremony, Last Night, Made Angels for Evermore.

A reception of members by the St. Philomena's society of the Blessed Virgin, took place last night at the cathedral on Ninth street.

The sodalists met at the school and in procession walked to the church. They were all ladies ranging from misses in their teens to those already advanced to womanhood. Those under 16 years of age, formed one sodality, while the ladies above that age, constituted the other. Each body was headed by a blue silk banner beautifully embroise. derered. The sodalists were attired in white dresses and wore wreaths upon their heads, from which white lace veils enveloping the person, fell in graceful

Within the church the ladies, eighty in number, occupied the first ten pews, and in the brilliant illumination of the auditorium presented a most attractive ap-

pearance. The exercises commenced with the "Litany of the Blessed This was followed by the hymn, "As the Dewey Shades of Even," sung by the chorus. Then followed the invocation. "Come Holy Ghost." The reception followed. It consisted in the reading of the act of consecration by two of the young ladies and its repitition by the other members. In behalf of the innior sodality the act was read by Rose Brady and the senior by Miss Lizzie Dwyer. Rev. S. Carroll, the director of the so-

dalities, then delivered a very practical and entertaining sermon, addressed the young ladies, commending them in their choice, outlining their duties as sodalists and encouraging them to continue in the path of piety and virtue upon which they had entered.

Evening song followed. This pre-ceded benediction, during which the choir rendered "Adoro to Devote," "Regina Coli," "Tantum Ergo" and 'Laudate Dominum.' The audience was then dismissed. The officers of the senior sodality are Perfect, Miss Egan; secretary, Miss Eva Connor; treasurer, Miss Lizzie Dwyer.

of the junior are: Perfect, Miss

Nellie Thompson; secretary, Rose Brady. The membership of the former consists of thirty-four and the latter forty-nine ladies. The cathedral was filled with devout people, who gazed with unwonted interest upon the spectacle, and entered with deep devotion into the exercises of the evening, the most edifying that has been seen in that church for many years.
Among those present were Father Me

Cariby, the pastor of the cathedral, and Fathers Kelley and McDonaid. The choir, under the direction of Miss Fannie Arnold, who presided at the organ, consisted of Rose Brady, Alice and Katie Croft, and Rose Ford, and sang a number of selections admirably.

Two Serious Runaways. On Saturday evening while Mrs. Paul Platz and children were enjoying a ride on South Thirteenth street their team took alarm at a passing train and ran away, overturning the carriage. Mrs. Platz was severely bruised and hurt, and

sustained a severe sprain of one arm. The children escaped unhurt.

Yesterday afternoon John Bichel, residing in block 20, West Omaha, took his wife and two children out to ride. The horse was young and timid, and when near the corner of Sixteenth and California streets shied, overturned the buggy threw its occupants upon the street and started on a run at a rapid pace. Mr Bichel was raised up unconscious, while his children and wife were without a scratch. He was carried to Whitehouse drug store where his wounds, which were only scalp and surface ones, were treated by Dr. Crowell. The horse not been running long when the b went to pieces, and he, becoming de-tached, galloped madly away. The buggy was brought to a livery stable on Sixteenth street, neae Cass, by Officer Bloom, while the horse was caught about an hour later on Farnam street. The outfit belonged to Mr. Bichel. The latter is an employe in the store of Welty &

Cut to Pieces.

been many changes in the classification and rates between Chicago and the Mis-souri river points. Omaha had received no benefits of that kind and he thought it The incoming Union Pacific overland passenger yesterday morning ran over a man who was walking on the track, cut-ting his body literally to pices. The replish such results in a business like mau-ner. Mr. Kimball had been consulted and approved of the project. Even Fre-mont and Lincoln received fayors which Omaha could not obtain. The only exmains were removed to Eikhorn, where they were left to await identification. The man was about thirty years of age. Omaha could not obtain. The only ex-pense would be for the first year, the sal-ary of one man. This would of course Nothing was found on the man's person by which his identity could be ascer-

TWO BALLET GIRLS Whose Story in German Evokes Both

Laughter and Tears.

Last night witnessed, for the first time, the appearance of two German dramatic companies in this city. One of these played at Boyd's opera house, the other at the Stadt theatre. Both appeared in the same play, "Die Beiden Ballet Machen," oder "Ihre Familie." Rendered into English this would be, "The Two Ballet Girls," or "Her Home." The piece forms the basis, in fact is the whole fabric and more, of one of the most popfabric and more, of one of the most popular of Robertson's monosyllabic plays, "Caste." In adapting his play to English actors, rather than English auditors, Robertson deprived it of the melodramic features which so increase the effect of the original. The piece abounds in lyric gems, attuned to aics appropriated from operatic treasures. While Robinson's idea in this exclusion is entirely consequent with this exclusion is entirely consonant with that which he had in mind, of a quiet, home-like comedy, it nevertheless deprives his play of features which genererally delight an audience. The fidelity with which the author in question has appreciated the incidents of the piece, and, indeed, also followed the lines, argue at once the ability of the German and the good taste of English. German and the good taste of English

dramatist. The play was excellently adopted to bring to the surface the excellence and the defects of the two companies. In each there were many good qualities and some poor ones. On the whole, however, it may well be doubted it any city, twice the size of Omaha, could produce a single company superior to both of those

in question.

At the Stadt the old time favorites, Mr. and Mrs. Puls, Mr. and Mrs. Baureis, were received with the warmest evidences of appreciation. In return, they did some very artistic work. Mrs. did some very artistic work. Mrs. Puls was made a most dashing "Lilly" the counterpart of Robertson's "Polly." Mrs. Baureis' "Clara" was a pleasant realization of a very beautiful character. Mr. Baureis provoked much merriment by his Garman representation of Roberts. by his German reproduction of Robertson's Sam'l Gerridge, and Otto Puls made many friends as "Alexander von Feldern." In Mr. Horsky, the leading man, the company is very fortunate. He is young, handsome, ambitious and capa-ble. He displayed less familiarity with the piece than did the other principals, and the fact of a first appearance con-duced to a nervousness which, of course, will easily pass away.

The other members of the company

The other members of the company rendered excellent support.

The company at the opera house with five such principals as Miss Hofstetter, Mr. Varlena, Mr. Harzhein and Mr. Molchin and Mr. Selig, could not do otherwise than render an excellent performance. Their work was evenly balanced and at frequent intervals evoked evidences of appreciation in both evidences of appreciation in both laughter and applause. They were admirably sustained by the orchestra when it was required, the music of which alone was worthy of note.

There are two more nights remaining of the engagement of Miss Hofsetter Mr. Varlena, each of whom is an artist, the former being one of the best sou-brettes of the German stage. The andiences at both places were large and intelligent.

A Real Bargain.

326 feet on Farnam street for \$60 per front foot. Will be paved this season and street cars pass it. This is a bargain. C. E. MAYNE. Mayne's add, is the place to buy if you want cheap lots on satisfactory terms.

Brevities. District court convenes this morning. About 300 excursionists took in the picnic at South Omaha yesterday afternoon. About seventy-five Bluffites came over yesterday to witness the ball game be-iween the Union Pacifics and the Den-

The Barbour dramatic company will open a week's engagement at the Peo-ple's theatre this evening, presenting 'Legal Document."

O. G. Daniels was arrested by Depot Policeman Green at the Union Pacific depot yesterday morning for obstructing the sidewalk. He gave bonds for his appearance this morning. Captain F. S. Capron, traveling passenger agent of the Grand Trunk, was in the

city yesterday making arrangements for excursion rates to the Supreme Lodge of the World K. of P., which meets in To-ronto on July 13. Peter Goes has decided to add another story to his new hotel on Fifteenth and Jackson streets. This will make the building four stories and a basement high, 132x78. The stables will be 66x60, two stories high.

two stories high. The Grants, who were robbed of their money while seeing the elephant in Omaha on Thursday night, returned from Stella yesterday, having replenished their financial stock, and left last evening for Montana. They stayed close together while in the city yesterday, with their hands constantly on their pocket-

And now come the bricklayers with a team for base ball honors. They have been organized under the management of Mr. George Cridger with the follow-ing players: Charles McGrady, J. H. ing players: Charles McGrady, J. H. Whitehall, Thomas Curry, Charles Willis, Charles Stevenson, Al Looker, H. Gal-vin, J. Trovel, B. Rickets; reserves, Tom Lee, Harve Riley, William Cecil, John Holmes.

Get wet, - rheumatism in limbs, - crutches. St. Jacobs Oil absolutely cures rheumatism.

C. E. Mayne always has bargains, he has men hunting for them all the time. Go to him if you want to invest your money.

Personal Paragraphs. J. H. Schultze of St. Paul is in the city. O. J. Collman of DeWitt, Neb., is in the city.

Mr. J. S. Wolfe of Ottumwa, Iowa, is in the city. Licutenant James Goodin, U. S. A., of Washkesha, W. T., is at the Paxton. Mr. Theodore E. Quinby of the Detroit Free Press, accompanied by his wife, is

at the Paxton. General Agent S. S. Stevens of the Rock Island left with his family on Saturday evening for a month's sojourn in California

Lieutenant Styer, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Steele, is in the city visiting his old time friend W. C. Beer of the Omaha National bank.

Halford Sauce. The most delicious relish.

The Activity of Error.

Bishop Worthington delivered a special sermon yesterday morning upon the "Activity of Error and its Application to the Socialistic Movement." He argued at length upon man's responsibility for his deeds and his thoughts. Man is so constituted that he knows the difference between right and wrong Reject this make man excusable for his misdoods, and you reject the Bible and the entire Christian religion. The socialists have denied their belief in God. They are having a great following, and their strength should be a warning to Christians to take up arms against the spirit of unbelief and its unboly alliances. The triumph of Fruth will settle all wars between labor and capital. The bishop uttered a strong plea for the proper observance of the Sabbath, which he considered necessary to the preservation and promotion of Christian civilization.