THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1887.

of 221. Five have died and twenty three have united elsewhere, leaving a present membership of 200. STARTING A CHURCH BOOM

A Strong Move Forward Made By the Second Congregationalists.

LAUER SPENT SUNDAY HOW

In the Field of Sports-Concerning the Cable-The Accidental Shooting-A Sunday Wedding-Other Local.

Prosperous Congregationalists. The St. Mary's avenue Congregational made a strong move church Saturday by the forward on purchase, as a site for their new tabernacle, 130 feet of frontage on St. Mary's avenue opposite their present building, with streets on either side, giving them two corners and a total street frontage of 349 feet, with room enough for the church and chapel, accommodations for the Sunday school and ultimately a manse. The purchase was made by Mr. W. J. Connell, as a member of the board of trustees, of Dr. J. C. Denise for \$13,000, and was adopted at a meeting of the church on Saturday evening.

Yesterday morning, at the church service, the matter was presented by the pastor, Rev. Willard Scott, who asked the audience to ratify the action of the church meeting and to raise at once, in pledges, the amount needed to pay for lot (\$13,000). The ratification was promptly made and over \$14,000 pledged in less than thirty mimutes, \$1,000 more than was called for. Conditional pledges of almost \$1,000 more are not included in this total. There were over one hundred pledges, of which the following

are the largest:	
W. J. Connell	1,200
J. T. Bell	1,200
Samuel Burns	1,100
F. W. Gray	1,050
C. E. Mayne	1,000
George W. Hall	700
R. E. Gaylord	600
Willard Scott	560
A. A. Egbert	505
A. S. Billings	500
C. R. Woolley	500
P. R. Belden	400
D. V. Sholes	350
W. J. Welshaus	300
J. S. Gibson	250
W. A. Higgins	250
T. W. Blackburn	250
W. N. McCandlish	225
J. Forsyth	200
L. M. Rheem	200
J. M. Richards	150
R. Purvis	150
H. M. Hurlbut	150
J. B. Hod :e	150
G. M. Nattinger	125
A. S. Stiger.	100
Mrs. L. P. Wilkins	100
Miss G. H. Wilbur	100
Graham Parks	100
J. J. Baulter	100
W. H. Russell	100
W. R. Jarvis	100
W. S. Wright	100
M. R. Risdon	100

It is the intention of the church to sell at an early day their present location and building, and to build them a handsome ready for the opening games in this city on April 9 and 10 with the Des Moines club, of the North-western league. The Des Moines club has been playing at New Orleans in very tabernacle on their new site to cost from \$10,000 to \$15,000, with a capacity of 800 sittings. Special voluntary pledges of considerable additional amounts have been made for this purpose and it is expected to turn the proceeds of the sale of their present property, valued at about \$11,000, to this. Attention in building will be directed especially to the interior, which will be made as perfect as possible. the Omahas. The home club will go to Des Moines on April 14 and 15 for two games, brobably playing at Audubon and Atlantic on the way. The regular season will open here April 26. Of late there has been a change of feeling in regard to the team selected by Stub Bandle to rep-resent Omaha in the Western league. In-quiry into the record of the players de-A fine organ will then be put in when this young church will be in a position peculiarly favorable for future growth and influence. It is not yet four years old as an organization, in which time it has added 228 members and now enrolls 900, including some well known in Omaha circles of influence. It has two chapels under its care in the city, and exerts a wide influence in the city, and ex-erts a wide influence in the state, its pastor being the president of the state Home Missionary society and a member of its board of directors. Its present board of trustees consists of W. J. Con-nell, Fred W. Gray and Dr. A. S. Bill-ings. Apropos their recent boom, to use a decidedly secular word, in this church a history of the denomination in Omaha may be of interest. may be of interest: may be of interest: Omaha was platted in 1854 and incor-porated in 1859. Its first sermon was preached in the summer of 1855 by Rev. Peter Cooper, a Methodist. Rev. Reuben Gaylord visited it early in the fall of the same year and removed with his family same year and removed with his family to it on Christmas day. The present First Congregational church was organized with nine members on May 4, 1850, being the first of any denomination in the city, and grew rapidly for a number of years, increasing its membership to fifty and nearly reaching self-support. The base-ment of its first church build-ing, on the northwest corner of Farnam and Sixteenth streets, was occupied for services on October occupied for services on October 26, 1856, and on August 9, 1857, the house was completed and dedicated at a cost of \$4,500. The panie of 1857 and the stagnation of succeeding years, scattered its strength so that it had fewer members in 1865 than when two years old. In 1870, Rev. Dr. Sherrill, the present pastor of the First Congregational church, dedicated the second house of worship re-cently vacated. In 1880 Dr. Sherrill becently vacated. In 1880 Dr. Sherrill be-gan to direct the attention toward the need of a Second Congregational church. The matter was agitated until a meeting was held at the residence of W. J. Con-nell on Aug. 15, 1881, at which the fol-lowing action was taken: Resolved, That it is the sense of this meet-ing that we organize a Second Congrega-tional Church society in the city of Omaha, to be known as the Second Congregational Church society of Omaha. A committee on location was appointed and the meeting was Tadjourned to

THE ACQUITTED MAN. How Lauer Passed the Sabbath-His

Plans. John Lauer arose yesterday morning in the cell of the county jail, which he has occupied for fifteen months past. He had occupied it from choice and not from necessity, and in this point his rest had been obtained under circumstances different from those of any night since the period of his confinement commenced. He awoke after a sound sleep, feeling very much refreshed and looking a vastly different man from the John Lauer who had been escorted to the court house twenty-four hours previous. He bade Jailer Miller a cordial farewell thanking him for the kind treatment re ceived at his hands. It cannot be gainsaid that Lauer will be missed by the county jailer, whose record books he has kept in perfect style for the past year or more. He is a good penman and thorough accountant, and has made himlf very useful.

Lauer took dinner yesterday with his ster, Miss Minerva, at the residence of Richard Withnell, on Fifteenth street, He received during the day a number of telegrams from eastern friends and relaions congratulating him on the outcome of the second trial.

The acquitted man is a little doubtful about his plans for the future. He at first intended to close up his business affairs here and then leave for Cleveland, O., where his aged mother resides, and make his home there. Since his release, however, he has changed his mind, and now states that he will remain in Omaha, at least, until his financial and business affairs are satisfactorily adjusted. He says it will take him about two years to settle up his affairs, and he proposes to go to work here and remain until he can quit the town even, if he leaves it at all.

IN THE FIELD OF SPORT.

The Western League-Bicyle Notes Among the Pugilists.

easily reached by either the red or green

cars, an advantage that the patrons of

the game will doubtless greatly appreci-

ate. Manager Bandle expects part of

the players to report for duty this week,

among them Swift, Krehmeyer, Healey,

O'Leary, Bader, Genins, Messitt, and

probably Harter and Walsh. All of the

players will report here by the middle of next week and will be put into active

training at once, in order to have them

hard luck, losing three straight games with the Crescent City team. They have

gained in practice, however, and will be

President George Shields and Secre tary George Kay, of the Omaha ball club. attended the meeting of the schedule committee of the Western league held in Topeka yesterday. Manager Bandle had intended to attend the meeting, but decided to remain at home and give his personal supervision to the work of erecting a fence around the new ball grounds which will be commenced to-day. The fence will be air tight, ten feet high, with the smooth surface of the boards on the outside. The grounds will be located at the corner of Twenty-first and Miami streets, just one block north of the street car turntable on Lake street, and will be

filed their articles of association and stood ready to place and take the necessary amount of stock, organ ize their company and begin work without unne cessary de lay if the council and the voters of Omaha should say that they desired such a cable line constructed and operated in this

city. "Ofcourse," continued the judge, "if the council shall decide that they don't want us to come and construct and operate the road, that ends it; or if the council should submit the question to the voters and they should say no, that will end it. All now rests with the council and the electors of your city, to their decision we must bow whether for or against us." "What is there in the report that your

CONCERNING THE CABLE.

of the Kansas City Company.

Judge H. C. McDougal of Kansas City

vas seen at the Paxton yesterday by a

reporter of the BEE, and in the course of a

conversation relating to the granting of

a franchise to himselt and other Kansas

City capitalists for the Omaha cable rail-

way, said that he and his associates had

"What is there in the report that your company want the iranchise merely for speculation?" "Nothing, absolutely nothing. We looked over the field, believed it would be a good investment and asked the franchise in good faith and are satisfied that we will have no trouble in placing all the stock necessary for constructing the line as fast as required by the ordi-nance now before the council. There are two other reasons: First, if the franchise were a good thing for others to buy on speculation, then it would be a good thing for us to hold; if others could afford to buy we could afford to hold. The second reason is that the mere franchise will not be worth one dol lar to us, or to any one else, and if we desired to sell, it would not bring fifteen cents in any market in the world; but it can be made available and valuable in one way and in one way only, and that is by subscribing stock in good faith, and constructing and operating the road in good faith. When that is done the fran-chise will be available and the more miles constructed and operated, the more val uable will the franchise become. We un derstand this and have from the begin ning and are willing to assume the res-ponsibility of the enterprise, and make it success, if the council and people give

us a chance to go ahead with the work." "It is understood that the question will come up in the council on Tuesday night, do you intend to remain and meet the council?" "No. Governor Crittenden and I were

before the council on last night; had a frank, free and pleasant talk with them; they understand the simple, plain, bus iness proposition we submit and can adopt or reject as to them may seem best. There is no sort of necessity for us to remain and we shall return home to night.

A SUNDAY WEDDING. The Nuptials of Miss Horwich and Dr.

Dymenberg. The marriage of Miss Ray Horwich and Dr. Dymenberg, of St. Paul, Minn., occurred last evening at Germania hall, in presence of several hundred guests, including friends and relatives. The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock by Rabbis Benson and Bramson. The happy couple were then made the recipients of hearty congratulations from hosts of friends.

Following thereafter came a banquet and ball, which furnished pleasure which lasted far into the evening. The inspiration was furnished by the Musical in good trim when they appear against the Omahas. The home club will go to

his home in Omaha.

125,000.

nion orchestra. Many valuable presents were received by the bride and groom. Nearly thirty telegrams were read from distant friends expressing their regret at being unable tend the ceremony

For Sale.

Building Permits.

What Does It Mean.

Personal Paragraphs. Colonel William Cody, ("Buffalo Bill") Judge McDougal Explains the Plan has gone east.

General and Mrs. Cowin went to Chicago Saturday night. Sherm. Thurston left Omaha Saturday night for an eastern trip. City Clerk Southard is gradually re-covering from his attack of pneumonia. John Withnell and daughter have reurned from their visit in Los Angeles,

done all they could do in the matter until Judge Wakely has gone to Chicago on on a business trtp. He will return on Wednesday or Thursday. the franchise was granted; that they had

H. S. Smith, advertising manager of the BEE, left yesterday for New York, Boston and other eastern points for a three weeks business trip. Mr. Smith goes by way of St. Louis, where he will spend a day or two.

Bear in Mind

That there are lots in South Omaha, pur-chased, within three years, for less than five hundred, that are now worth over ten thousand dollars. There will be more packing houses, factories and rail-roads there before 1888. These mean increased population, and increase of population means increase of value to rea estate. There are plenty of good lots still left in the original plat of South Omaha. Why go out into additions a mile away from the center when you can still buy in the old plat at reasonable prices? Do not forget that we control all sales for the Omaha Land Co. The C. E. Mayne Real Estate & Trust Co., N. W. Cor. 15th and Harney.

Bernard Doran's Death.

Bernard Doran died at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday from the effects of the accident by which he was so badly crushed in Oberfelder & Co.'s elevator last week. The remains were removed to the residence of the deceased on Eigheenth street, where the funeral will held to-morrow under the auspices of the A. O. H. The deceased leaves a wife and two children.

Gale and Albert Harris, two young lads aged eight and ten years, are in the city looking for their father, Joe Harris, who is supposed to be in Omana. The boys came here from Des Moines expecting to meet their father, who has been in Omaha for several weeks. The children are at the rooms of the Women's Christian association.

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and the meeting was adjourned to August 21, when a board of trustees was elected, consisting of Messrs, Connell, Gibson and Hoagland. On September 31, Br. Sherritl having returned from his va-cation, a ratification meeting was held, at which \$1,100 were pledged, (soon in-creased to \$2,000), and the following res-

olution was adopted: "Resolved, That this meeting endorse and approve the action in the manner of organi-zation already had and that immediate steps be taken to put the proposed church society into active operation."

into active operation." Committees were also appointed on subscriptions and on building. In Octo-ber the plans furnished by Mr. Large were accepted. On February 18 the present location was purchased. In-corporation was had on March 1, and on April 9 the contract for the build-on April 9 the contract for the buildcorporation was had on March 1, and on April 9 the contract for the build-ing was let to Mr. S. J. Colins, of Rock Island, Ill., for \$3,175, exclusive of lighting and furnishing. On September 30 the architect announced its comple-tion and it was dedicated on October 29, 1882, the general association of Nebraska being in attendance. The cost of the location (\$1,200.) and building, as existing before the church parlors and other improve ments were made, was \$5,947.70. The Sunday school was organized with sixty-one members on November 5 and on the 12th regular morning services were one members on November 5 and on the 12th regular morning services were begun. The present pastor, Rev. Willard Scott, an able theologian and a success-ful worker, to whose efforts much of the success of the church is due, was heard on December 10, was called on the 18th and entered upon his duties on February 18 following. Preparations for organiz-ation were gradually matured until May 8, 1883, when the church was formally and entered upon his duties on February 18 following. Preparations for organiz-ation were gradually matured until May 8, 1883, when the church was formally constituted and recognized by council, the pastor being installed. It began with sixty-five members, of whom thirty were a colony from the first church. To these 163 have been added to date, a total

record of the players d velops the fact that Bandle has secured strong nine, especially strong as regards their batting and base-running capabilities. This tack has changed the minds of some of the base ball prophets and Omaha is now conceded a respectable place in the league. Secretary Murphy, of the Western league, predicts that Omaha will fly the pennant at the close of the season, and the Denvers concede the season for the Omaha tame. the same thing for the Omaha team. The Topeka club claim the first place in the list, but grant that Omaha will be sec-ond Of course Hastings and Lincoln still have Omaha at the foot of the list, but prejudiced predictions don't go.

The 'Cycling Champions.

and 15th 66 feet on Howard between 15th The match between Builock and Ashand 16th. 22 feet on Cuming between 17th and 18th. 75 feet on 16th street near Nichinger for a fifty mile race at the exposition building next Saturday night is the one exciting topic of conversation among the patrons of bicycling. The race will be for \$50 and the undisputed title to the championship of Nebraska. Both men claim this honor and are not at all bashful about expressing their opinion in the matter. Bullock says he can beat Ash-inger for fifty miles and the Cojorado champion is equally confident of victory. The race will start promptly at 8 o'clock and will be followed by other features that will make an interesting programme. Several soldiers from Fort Omaha are taking bicycle lessons from John S. Prince and will purchase wheels.

ing permits Saturday, as fo lows: Efforts are being made to secure a full attendance of the Omaha wheel club at the meet of the L. A. W. at St. Louis in

May. Charles Moth, the wrestler, is riding a bicycle daily and is getting in great shape for his wrestling match with Colonel McLaughlin, of Minneapolis, which will take place at the exposition annex on Monday evening, March 28,

Among the Pugilists.

Richard K. Fox has lent his influence to the making of a match between John P. Clow and Jack Dempsey. The last number of the New York Police Gazette contains a challenge from Clow to Dempsey to fight to a finish for \$1,000 to \$2,500 a side, and the following comment on the

same There is now every indication of an im-portant prize right being arranged for \$5,000 and the Police Gazette diamond belt between Jack Dempsey the middle-weight champion, and John P. Clow, or Omaha. After Clow's challenge was received at the Police Gazette office, Jack Dempsey was notified, also Gus Tuthill, his backer, and a reply from the great puglist will no doubt be an acceptance it Clow agrees to fight at weight.

Clow has been hammering at Dempsey for a fight for a long while, but without success. Dempsey is a good deal of a talker himself and from his home in New York can exchange defis with Clow with-out any danger of either of them being hurt. A match between Clow and Kil-rain is also talked of.

The South Omaha Land company have appointed C. E. Mayne sole agent for the sale of their lots. He will show the prop-erty and furnish all desired information upon application. [Signed] W. A. PAXTON, President.

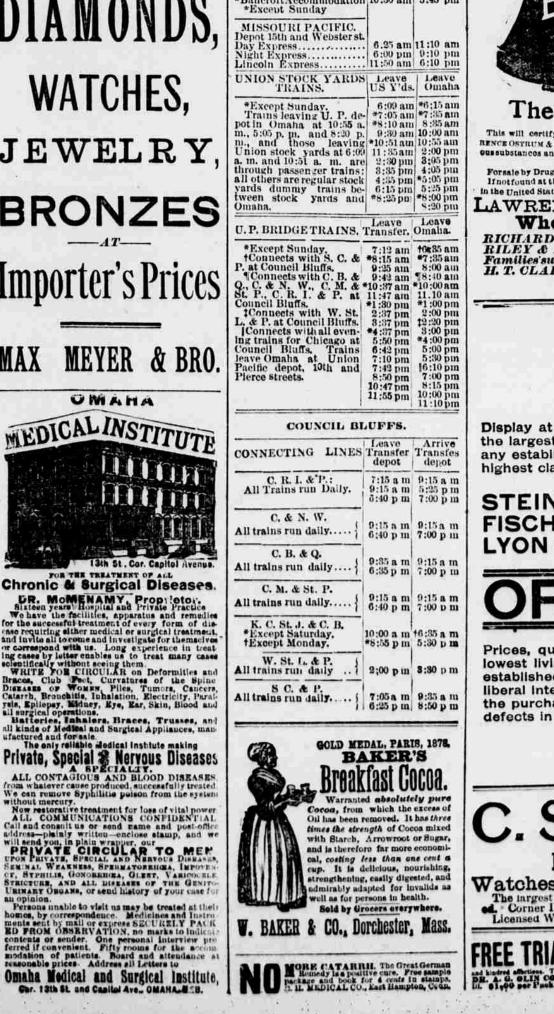
Increasing Business.

"The county clerk's office is as good an index of Omaha's growth as the clearing house reports," said Deputy County Clerk Auch-Moedy to a BEE reporter on Saturday. "There were 185 instruments

5th and Harney. The Shooting Was Accidental. Coroner Drexel yesterday held an inquest of the remains of Charles Hurst, he young lad who was killed while out hunting with Louis Couten, a playmate, on Friday. The deceased's anti-mortem statement, taken by Dr. Cornish that he believed the shooting was accidental, and the statement of the Couten boy, that his gun was discuarged by his falling though a culvert, was the only evidence presented. The jury found a verdict of accidental death. The funeral of the deceased will take place from the residence on Ohio

street this afternoon. Next Tuesday Germans all over the world will celebrate the ninetieth birth-day of "Kaiser" Wilhelm, the emperor of the fatheriand. The local German element does not propose to be remiss in this regard. Prof. Steinhauser will give a grand concert and ball at Germania hall in honor of the anniversary. He is making every effort to make the affair a success, and such it is bound to be.





THE RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

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