Citizens Last Night.

HOW FUNDS WILL BE RAISED.

Appointment of a Committee of Fifteen to Solleit Subscriptions-Councilman Sander Reported Safe at Altoona.

Last Night's Meeting The public meeting held in Boyd's opera

house last night, called for the purpose of raising funds to send to Pittsburg for the relief of the Johnstown sufferers, was well attended, and those present evinced a deep interest and feeling in the matter.

On the suggestion of Mayor Broatch, Dr. Miller was chosen chairman, and he, with the mayor, Judge Savage and Major Clark-

the mayor, Judge Savage and Major Clarkson, occupied scats on the platform.

Dr. Miller, in taking the chair, spoke
about the generosity of Omaha's citizens,
and referred to the Chicago fire, when
Omaha sent more to the sufferers than the
entire state of Iowa. No disaster, he said,
according to reports in the London papers
and wired to this country, had ever occurred
to the English speaking race compared to
this one. No idea of the enormity of the
calamity could be gained. Coffins coundn't be calamity could be gained. Coffins couldn't be calamity could be gained. Collins couldn't be secured in sufficient number to bury the dead. If the people of Omaha did overything they could they were utterly powerless to alleviate the sufferings of those in the disaster.

Dr. Miller then asked for a general expression of oninion from any of the persons.

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Dr. Leisenring said that the Pennsylvania club had an informal meeting yesterday to provide aid for the sufferers, and had raised about \$300, their object being to raise \$500. He called for Mr. Bruner, the president of the association, to explain what had been ac-complished.

Mr. Bruner said they had a committee ap-pointed to solicit subscriptions from their fellow Pennsylvanians and the citizens of Omaha. They had succeed in raising the amount named, and hoped to secure the

Major Clarkson moved that the chair ap-point a committee of not less than fifteen for point a committee of not less than fitteen for the purpose of canvassing the city, two from each branch of business to be selected. The motion was carried, and later in the evening the chair nominated the following commit-

tee:
W. A. Paxton, Alfred Millard, Fred W. Gray, W. B. Goodall, M. B. Falconer, S. P. Morse, Major Wilcox, J. M. Loomis, Mr. Taylor, of Himebaugh & Taylor; Luther Drake, A. M. Kitchen, M. A. Upton, Dr. Ralph, Dr. Bailey, William Wallace, E. M. Bartlett, C. S. Montgomery, Major Clarkson, John J. Dickey, G. M. Hitcheock, J. Nichols and Frank B. Johnson.

The chairman then introduced Judge Savage, who made a touching appeal for aid, not

age, who made a touching appeal for aid, not so much an appeal as a review of what the citizens of Omaha had done for those who citizens of Oniaha had done for those who had previously suffered disaster. He had never seen the time in twenty years they hadn't responded with one hand, one voice and one purse to the call for aid. At the time of the Chicago fire, as well as during the pestilence in the south, this city responded with sympathy and money, and sent nurses to the south, one of whom gave up her life with those stricken with disease. Judge Savage gave a verbal picture of the scene of so much destruction and misery. He said it was impossible to conceive the horrors of the event. It was said that from 12,000 to 15,000 had perished, but he hoped that the reports were exaggerated. boped that the reports were exaggerated. But the more who had escaped from the calamity, the more there were in need of as-

Clement Chase suggested that the receipts of the dry goods stores, on Saturday, be given to the sufferers; or, if the proprietors objected to that, that their profits be do-

The suggestion went by default. Mayor Broatch read the following, which had just been received from the city council: Whereas, There exists considerable appro-hension as to the safety of the Hon. A. H. Sander, a member of this council, in con-

Whereas, Telegrams and inquiries from relatives and friends fail to secure satisfac

tory answers, therefore be it Resolved, That the major be, and is hereby requested to telegraph and communicate his official capacity to such points as may be most likely to secure reliable answers. [Since the above was put in type, The Bee has learned, through a telegram from a nephew of the missing gentleman, in Phila-delphia, that Councilman Sander is alive and well in Altoona, Pa. | Colonel Dickey, the manager of the Wost-

ern Union, said the wires of the company would be placed at the qisposal of the mayor for anything be desired to communicate to sufferers, or in reference to Councilman Major Clarkson was called on and made

some appropriate remarks on the subject.

Judge Wakeley's name was also men tioned, and that gentleman addressed the meeting humbly.
Dr. Miller asked Mayor Clarkson, who had

been through the Chicago fire, if cast-off clothing had been a source of relief to Chi-Cago.

The mayor replied that money was the bet-

the mayor replied that money was the better thing, because that could purchase what they needed.

Mayor Broatch said that a gentleman had collected \$165 for the sufferers, and suggested that a treasurer be appointed to forward subscriptions. On motion Alfred Millard was chosen

Mr. J. Nichols, a gentleman in the employ of one of the railways in Omaha, stated that he had collected \$150, which he would turn over to the treasurer, but he desired to keep the list, as he was still working

Mayor Broatch suggested that the pastors of the churches he required mayor Broatch suggested that the pastors of the churches be requested to donate the contributions of next Sunday to the fund.

Mr. Sackett, of Sackett & Wiggins, announced that the entire receipts of Thursday at the Eden Musee would be donated to the fund. Their musee in Minneapolis had done a similar thing in Minneapolis two years ago and realized \$4.001. heavyse the receipt who and realized \$4,000, because the people who attended gave from 10 cents to \$10 for admission. He believed that \$6,000 or \$8,000

might be taken in Thursday.

After 't was decided that the committee to solicit subscriptions meet at the chamber of erce this morning at 8 o'clock, the meet-

SORROWING HEARTS.

They Gleve Over the Loss of Kindred and Friends.

It is a matter of much surprise to learn of the numerous citizens of Omaha and surrounding country, considering the long distance that separates the two points, who are interested in the fate of friends and relatives in the Gesolated city of Johnstown, Pa. As a consequence, there are many aching hearts bore to-day, as there are elsewhere over the broad iand, because of that stupendous catastrophe. A call at the American, United States and Adams express company's offices developed the fact that nothing has been sent out as yet from this city to aid the suf-

There have been but comparatively few telegrams of inquiry sent out from this city at the Western Union office up to date, and fewer have been received from the afflicted

The fact that more telegrams have not been sent is owing to the fact that the anxious ones are promptly notified by the telegraph officials that it is next to an impossibility to get their messages through, as there is but one wire operating to Johnstown and it will not get one second's rest for days to come. The following placards are conspicuously displayed in the Western Union office:

NOTICE.

Business for the flooded district of Pennsylvania accepted subject to indefinite delay. 5 p. m.

Business to all eastern points will move

The following telegram was sent to the mayor of Johnstown by the Pennsylvania association, Monday night: Owana, Neb., June 3, 1889.—To the Mayor Johnstown: The Pennsylvania association

RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERERS.

of Nebraska express their beartfelt sympathy to the citizens of Johnstown. Can we be of any service to you; if so, command us.

Action Taken at the Meeting of T. A. Taylor, of the Union Pacific Railway, residing at Grand Island, is in the city.

Way, residing at Grand Island, is in the city. Way, residing at Grand Island, is in the city.

He anxiously awaits news from the ill-fated city, where he has relatives in the Morrills, Keatings, Drews and Kings.

E. J. Littlefield, of the Union Pacific city

ticket office, has received information of the tragic centh of Mrs. Elizabeth Burke and three little children, and Jesse Haverd, rela-

three little children, and Jesse Haverd, relatives of the family.

Miss Maud McCallister, who is employed at the milinery establishment of Greenman & Richardson, Fifteenth street, near Harney, and who resides at 335 North First street, Council Bluffs, received a telegram conveying the sad news of the death of her mother's parents, and some twenty other close family connections. The telegram was from Braddock, Pa., and Miss McCallister informed a Bee reporter that this dire informed a Bee reporter that this dire stroke has almost obliterated that branch of

Mr. Chaimer Lyon, of the Bluffs, is mourning the loss of a brother and other relatives.

Frank Allen, employed in Emmell's barber shop, corner of Fitteenth and Farman, is from Johnstown, where his parents and three brothers and three sisters resided. He

has received no tidings from home, and is fearful that the family is lost. Rev. Dr. H. W. Kuhns, who resides at the orner of Twenty-fifth and Franklin streets. has numerous connections, brothers and sis ers, and nephews and nieces of Mrs. Kuhn. n and about the destroyed city but lat day evening received a telegram from Paul Kuhns, at Gettysburg, that all were safe. These people are also relatives of Mr. W. F. Fats, with W. A. Wilson & Co., Harney street, and he considers the escape miracu-lous, as they all resided in the worst depopulated district, absolutely in the very path of the destroying torrent. The relatives here anxiously await further information, as they find it hard to believe that all of their num-erous relatiues could possibly have escaped. Edward Cheek, employed by the Union Pacific at Laramie, passed through Omaha enroute to the scene at the Johnstown horror. At this point he received a telegram announcing the safety of his parent's two sis-ters, but the loss of about \$55,000 in prop-

erty.

Engineer Stewart, of the Union Pacific, running out of Cheyenne, is in deeep distres. His wife and four children were drowned in the floods at Johnstown, Mr. Stewart was in Omaha Monday, and meeting Trainmaster Baxter, of the Union Pacific, remarked in a jovial way that his wife and four children were in the weighty of the scene of the horror and that vicinity of the scene of the horror and that he thought they might have received an impromptu bath, little thinking that they had met death already in the unchained waters. Thinking that Stewart could not be located Thinking that Stewart could not be located and knowing that he was in Omaha, a telegram had been forwarded to Traiumaster Baxter requesting him to see him and inform of the tragic death of his family. When Stewart accosted him in his usual genial manner, Baxter formd it next to an impossibility for him to break the sad news. Stewart gazed at him and asked him what was the matter. "I have had news for you was the matter. "I have bad news for you, Stewart," said Baxter, as he handed him the telegram which read as follows: "Wife and

telegram which read as follows: "Wife and four children of Engineer Stewart drowned. Stewart in Omaha. Inform him." The hand that had braved danger at the throttle shivered like a reed as the sad lines were perused. Hefore he had fairly concluded the reading his sun-brown cheeks become moistened with tears and the sturdy engineer sank helpless in a chair and went as a child. His helpless in a chair and wept as a child. His family had gone home to Johnstown on a visit about two weeks ago. Mr. Stewart, in a badly shattered condition of mind, left for Johnstown yesterday morning.

Louis Beindorff, a clerk in the Union Beside, freecht department, is very strious

Pacific freight department, is very auxious concerning his mother, who left here last week, just in time to be caught in the ill-fated district, and may have been co one of the Pennsylvania trains which was wrecked.

the Pennsylvania trains which was wrecked. She was en route to Germany.

Mrs. John Porter, who lives on Lake street, come from Johnstown, where her parents and many relatives reside. Her father's name is Lingard. She has not been able to hear anything from her folks since the great disaster occurred and is fearful lest they are among the lost.

John Minnehau, the lawyer, received a

telegram yesterday that gave him pro-found relief. He had information some time ago that his sister, in New York, was coming west last week, and knew that she had purchased a ticket over the Pennsylvania concluded she must have fallen a victim in the disaster. But the telegram that came

said she had yet not started.

General Manager Sackett, of the Musee circuit, announces that he will give the proceeds of Thursday at the Dime Museum in this city to the sufferers fund, and of Sunday afternoon and evening performances in

The proceeds of the opening performance of "Said Pasha" opera company will be devoted to the relief of the sufferers of the Johnstown calamity. The company opens at the Boyd on Monday evening, June 10.

Omaha lodge of Elks came forward yesterday with a donation of \$100 to the Johnstown relief fund, and many of the individual members are making liberal contributions.

It is the fears of his friends that John H. Leavy, a gentleman who owns an immense amount of property in this city, is one of the victims of the great flood at Johnstown. It is known that he was there on a visit, and since the catastrophe occurred nothing has been heard from him. Yesterday several parties made up a purse and sent his brother on to ascertain whether the old gentleman was lost or is still alive.

DEAL IN HARD WARE.

But They are Neverthetess Considered Very Fine People. The fifth annual meeting of the Mississippi and M'ssouri hardware Dealers' association was called to order by William H. Hall. president, at the Millard hotel at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. President Hall spoke briefly upon the work to be done during the ession, and then called for the pleasure of

P. Townsend, the secretary, being absent, W. S. Wright was elected to serve in his

The morning was consumed in the discussion of the question of prices. J. G. Forsee, T. G. Walthers, A. J. Harwei and C. H. Carter were finally appointed a committee to fix a scale.

The following members of the association

The following members of the association are in attendance;
William H. Hill, president, of Kansas City;
W. S. Wright, secretary, Omaha; J. F. Wilhelm, treasurer, Omaha; E. F. Mulholland and J. F. Richards, Kansas City. J. G. Forsee and C. H. Schultz St. Joseph; T. G., Walthers, St. Paul, Minn.; J. W. Craucer, Leavenworth; J. B. Sillman and A. J. Harwin, Atchison; P. C. DeVol, W. S. Wright, J. F. Wilhelm, A. T. Rector, E. M. Andreesen, C. H. Carter, T. H. Taylor, W. N. Hulsingen and A. S. Carter, Omaha.

During the afternoon the gentlemen enjoyed a drive around the city, taking in all points of interest from north to south. At 4

points of interest from north to south. At 4 o'clock they were driven to the new Bes building, where, from the roof, they took

a bird's eye view of the city.

"Beautiful town and beautiful buildings," were the general remarks made.

"Ten years from now," said an Omaha gentleman, "Kapsas City will be as good a town as Omaha."

A gentleman from Kansas City objected, and after a little argument said: "Well, our cable cars don't go crawling along the streets like your's do,"

The gentlemen thought the new building one of the finest newspaper buildings in the country, and were open in their expressions about it. When returning to their coaches they were photographed by an enterprising photographer. Then they resumed their trip around the city.

The hardware jobbers of Omaha tendered

a banquet to the visitors at the Millard hotel ast night. It was an exclusive but pleasant affair. The menu cards were as unique and handsome as the menu itself was complete. There were no toasts at the banquet, but at its conclusion those present enjoyed them-selves socially for an hour or two before dis-

The tables were elaborately decorated under the direction of Mr. Plummer, the competent steward of the house, and the spread attracted the beholder at the moment it was viewed.

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The cards were patterned after a nail seg, the second page containing under the head of "What the Poets Say of Us," references which may be applied to many of the articles which compose the stock of a hardware house. The menu was printed on rolls of blue sitk fastened to the third leaf of the pro-

OUT IN THE COLD. Where a Lincoln Man Claims to Have

Been Cast. A very interesting litigation was called or some disposition in the district court, and A. J. Hartwood, of Lincoln, was there to make appearance. In brief, the story is that, when Nebraska's capital city was in the exciting whirl of a real estate boom two years ago, Alexander S. Porter, a big Boston capitalist, got caught and was carried away by the excitement. It seems that he entered into an agreement with Benjamin Gibson, Joseph Beardsley and John Chase to purchase 160 acres of choice land adjointo purchase 160 acres of choice land adjoining Lincoln Heights, on which, after platting it into a town, they hoped to drive a large sale. The purchase was made, \$100,-000 being the price. Subsequently, as Porter alleges in his petition, the others froze him out. Believing this to be true he commenced suit for conspiracy and \$15,000 damages. From time to time the case has been continued until Porter the case has been continued, until Porter finally concluded recently that he would have it dismissed entirely as soon as defendants became aware of this they set about preparing a counter claim for \$50,000, which has just been filed, and another continuance taken to allow him the privilege of setting

up an answer.

An effort was made by A. R.
Sauer, through his attorney, to get an
order restraining Sheriff Coburn from selling under an execution, at public sale, three acres of river front iand adjoining the Union Pacific tracks on the bottoms, directly north of this city. Judge Groff refused the order, on the ground that the remedy asked for lies in another direction. The sale took place, as advertised, and Sauer will now bring suit to save it from being set aside. His desire in first preventing a sale was not realized on an allegation that Coburn's appraisement of the property, \$2,000, was entirely too low. He filed or effered to file an affidavit to the effect that it was worth \$40,000. Jeff Bed-

ford bid the property in.

Meyer Hellman and Martin Cahn, secured an order from Judge Groff yesterday restraining Edmund Peycke, Max Meyer and Sheriff Coburn, from selling at public sale to satisfy a \$750 mortgage the latter's property, described as lots one and two teen in Highland place something of a story case. The described as lots one and two in block four-teen in Highland place addition. Something of a story attaches to this case. The petition states that Peycke and Meyer first sold the two lots in controversy to Mrs. Babette Brown, and, for convenience in handling the same, the property was deeded to Martin Cahn, who signed notes and mortgages for the purchase money, \$6,000. Mrs. Brown paid \$2,000 cash. Cann, however, was never, he says, considered anything more than a nominal party. However, when, in 1887, he grew weary of carrying the property in his own name, he reconveyed it to Mrs. Brown. Subsequently she conveyed it to Meyer Hellman, who has ever since been the owner. man, who has ever since been the owner. Nevertheless, they brought suit against Cahn for \$750, still due on the property, secured a decree and an order of sale. The property would have been sold to-day had not the restraint been placed on Sheriff Coburn.

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The last act in settlement of a bad difficulty, which arose last fall through the New York Storage company's failure, has been performed by the dismissal of the case of Cunday vs Watson for want of prosecution. It will be remembered that during their quarrel E. C. Cunday brought suit against John S. Wilson, te gain possession of certain papers, which, it appears, were necessary for him in his business. After failure to make Wilson surrender, and fearing to have these papers used against him, Cunday quietly disappeared, and is now considered a fugitive

papers used against him, Cunday quietly disappeared, and is now considered a fugitive from justice.

John L. Miles and James Thompsons have commenced suit against T. W. Blackburn and William J. Wagoner, to recover on three promisory notes for \$50 each.

Alva B. Cook, the young man charged of embezzling \$1,378 from the Missouri Paculic railroad company, while in its employ as station agent here, is on trial before Judge Groff.

Geodrich Lodge Hall Association No. 144.

Judge Groff.

Goodrich Lodge Hall Association No. 144,
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, filed a
complaint in the district court yesterday
against Sanginn & Matteson, contractors and
builders. The association, some time ago,
contracted with the defendants for the
erection of a building, the cost of which was
to be \$18.774. Refere, the structure was to be \$18,774. Before the structure was completed the defendants quit work on ac-count of an extra claim that the association efused to allow, and the plaintiffs now ask refused to allow, and the plaintiffs now ask for \$2,100 on the alleged breach of contract. Judge Groff granted a temporary restrain-ing order yesterday against J. L. Hill, who claims to be the possessor of part of lot 5, block 8. Kountze & Routh's addition to Omaha, and proposes to make some improve-ments on the property. The petition states that the plaintiff alleges that the defendant claims a part of the property to which he han no right whatever. The case has been set

for hearing June 8. United States Court. Ben. O'Neil, John McAuliff, Joseph Mc Autiff, Florence McAuliff, William Gleason and William Brown, charged with conspir acy, as secretary and employes of the Harlem Cattle company, to defraud the government by changing brands on a lot of stock in the hands of

a receiver appointed by the United States district court, are being tried. E. D. Webster, the receiver, has been on the witness stand nearly all day.

William Barry, the ranche foreman, who perjured himself in swearing falsely to removing brands and hoof marks, from the Harlam compan's cattle, was convicted, and sent to jail to await sentence

County Court. Judge Shields called the docket for June and entered judgments in the following

Joseph Barber vs M. S. Lindsay, \$303.25 for plaintiff. W. J. Edwards vs C. U. Jansen, \$624.70 for C. J. Anderson et al vs Ben Wood et al,

\$481.70 for plaintiff.
D. M. Osburn & Co. vs John Mekulski, \$244.40 for plaintiff. John Chole vs Frank Lisey is the title of a suit that occupied Judge Shield's attention yesterday afternoon. The plaintiff asis for \$1,000 for being struck over the head, as he alleges, with a beer glass. The case will be concluded to-day.

Living on the Reputation of Others. "Take everything that I have but my good name; leave me that and I am content." said the philosopher. So say all manufacturers of genuine articles to that horde of mitators which thrives upon the reputation of others. The good name of ALLCOCK's Porous Plasters has induced many adventurers to put in the market imitations that are not only lacking in the best elements of the genuine article, but are often harmful in their effect.

The public should be on their guard against these frauds, and, when an external remedy is needed, be sure to insist upon having ALL-COCK'S POROUS PLASTER.

HUMANE SOCIETY.

President Chase Wants an Active Agent Appointed. Owing to the meeting at the opera house ast night, the Humane society failed to obtain a quorum at its regular monthly meeting. President Champion S. Chase stated that among the matters that would have

peen considered was the passing of a series of resolutions in memory of the late Mrs. O. F. Davis, who was for some time an active nember of the society. "The manner of exterminating dogs," said Mr. Chase, "I think, would also have been

talked over, although the police have been very fair in their work in this direction. We would have also taken up the matter of the appointment of a special officer. We have no special officer at present, and have not had one for a considerable length of time. A man in that position requires good judgment, moral sensibility and must be active and attentive to business. While the violations of our humane laws are comparatively few, compared to other cities of similar size, there is a broad field for labor as yet, and we intend to avoid abuses of the dumb animal as far as possible."

Beecham's Pills act like magic on a weak

The Senator Discharged. Senator Morgan, the well known and popular English bicycle champion, was tried yesterday afternoon before Justice Wade, on . Ask your druggist.

a peace warrant sworn out by Sam Goodman, of New York, the trainer of Lottle Stanley. The evidence once in, the Senator was promptly discharged.

THE CITY COUNCIL

It Will Submit a Proposition to Vote Market House Bonds. The council considered a large number of mportant matters at the meeting last night The contract for the grading of Tenth street north of Mason was suspended for thirty days, to give the B. & M. and Union Pacific railways time to submit a proposition relative to the erection of a union depot, which they promise to do in a few days. The ordinance removing the license on pool and billiard

removing the license on pool and billiard tables was vetoed.

The city physician's report on the city's ice supply was received. Bids were received for lighting the city. The killing of tagless dogs was ordered stopped for the present. The council decided to submit a proposition to yote bonds for the purchase of the exposition building for a market house. The chief of building for a market house. The chief of police's claim for detective expenses was stricken from the appropriation ordinance.

That hacking coug hean be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by Goodman Drug Co.

AMUSEMENTS.

Last night, one of the most remarkable concerts ever given in this city, took place in the Grand opera house. It was the first of a series of two entertainment to be given by the William Ludwig Irish Concert com-pany. The company is composed of artists. They sing the ballads and national airs of They sing the ballads and national airs of Ireland as they have never been sung in this section of the country before. Their work is a revelation. It not only illustrates the wealth of the music of Ireland, but at the same time emphasizes the fact that Irish singers may be found to sustain it. Mr. Ludwig is known to our people as the remarkable basso and successful histrion of the National Opens accuracy. the National Opera company. He sings with the tenderness of a child and the marwith the tenderness of a child and the mar-tial air of a veteran of the wars. In either he is well nigh incomparable. The other members of the company, Miss Adelaide Mullen, Mr. Henry Beaumont, Miss Annie Layton and Mr. Irwin, aided Mr. Ludwig in a most satisfactory manner. The repertoire of Irish airs of this company is well nigh in-erhaustible.

During the epidemic of choleric dysentery in Presque Isle county, Mich. ast summer there were as many as nine deaths in one day, but not a single death occurred in cases where Chamberlains Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy was used. In several in-stances one small bottle of that remedy cured as many as three cases.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

Proceedings of the City Council. Mayor Sloane and Councilmen Rafferty McMillan, Burke, Johnston, O'Rourke and Lowe were present when the council convened Monday evening.

Councilman Fenno was fined \$5 for being absent.

Time was granted on issuing a certificate of the election to the Omaha Railway company. The unfavorable report on petition of Frank Pitoeka for a liquor license was adopted.

The finance committee reported favorably on the following bills: Street department, \$145.25: Millspaugh & Pearsons, \$5; Thomas Geary, \$25; Eli H. Doud, \$41.67; W. G. loane, \$41.67; police department, \$695; department, \$185; council, Z. P. Hedges, \$25; P. Row-ley, \$76; engineer's department, \$147; city clerk's department, \$91.67; Thomas Hoctor, \$1.50; J. R. Kelly, \$3; Sage Bros., \$13.90; G. W. Peck, \$16.80. Estimate for the L street viaduct, \$12,132.49, and Q street viaduct estimate, \$4,160.48.

The special committee's report on the Albright run nuisance was read and adopted. Ordinance No. 104, authorizing fire hydrants. No. 141. requiring a sidewalk on the west side of Twenty-sixth street between N and Q streets; No. 142. relating to nuisances in cemeteries, and No. 143, fixing the grade on R street, between Twenty-seventh and and Thirty-second streets. John R. Evers asked and was granted leave to be heard on the gas charter ordinance. The gas ordinance asked and was granted time. The

pctition to grade Twenty-second street be-tween G and H streets was referred. A remonstrance against granting a heense for the Germania ball, was referred to the license committee. The peti-tion to establish the grade on Missouri avenue from Twentieth to Thirteenth streets and north on Thirteenth street to the north ern line of the city, was referred to the com-mittee on streets and alleys.

The petition to change the grade on Twen-

ty-fourth street from N to H street was re Kate Lombrinck's protest against changing the grade of Twenty-fourth street, warread and referred. The petition for a grade

on Twenty-third street between O and P The protest against granting a license to the proprietors of the beer garden on Mis-souri avenue and Twentieth street was re-

forred.

John McCune's was read and referred. Charles Splitt's petition for a dumping ground was referred. Charles Reichenburg's offer to feed prisoners in the city jail at 15 cents a meal, was read and referred. August Glichrist's notice of injury received by falling over the bank into O street, and suit for \$10,000 damages, was read and referred to the street. ages, was read and referred to the street and aliey committee with the city attorney. Stock Inspector Clark Howard's May report was read: Cattle condemned, 46; with lum aw, 1; killed, 26; shipped by Gus Rag to Weston and Valparaiso, 6; shipped east, 1; to the Union Rendering company, 14 in the yards. Stock Inspector Howard's and Gar-bage Master Splitt's bonds were approved. Also Contractors Patrick Egan & Co.'s bond was approved. The petition to have the sa-loons closed on Sunday was read and referred loons closed on Sunday was read and referred back to the mayor. "The mayor will act on it you bet." said Mayor Sloane. One councilman stated that all the petitioners did not pay any taxes and that in the cellars of the preachers signing these petitions that liquor could be found and that they use it on Sunday too.

The committee's report in favor of compelling the contractor to complete the storm.

pelling the contractor to complete the storm-water sower, was adopted. Ordinances No. 104 and No. 142 were passed finally. The communication of Mr. Millan in regard to peddling was referred to the license commit-tee. The plat of the first addition of Missouri avenue park, was referred to the city engineer. Councilman Rafferty inquired engineer. Councilman Rafferty inquired about two piles in the L street viaduct being two feet too short. The engineer stated that the pile Griver had driven them to far and he had reported the same to Mr. Campbell and the driver was now doing better. Mr. Johnston asked, during an animated discussion covering the present and former engineers department, what was the question, and when Mr. O'Rourke was called to order replied to Mr. Johnston that he was getting too nice of late. On motion, the petition to have the saloons closed on Sunday was referred back to the petitioners. Adjourned, to meet Monday evening, June 17. evening, June 17.

Notes About the City. John Yates, foreman of the oil department of the George H. Hammond packing houses, who has been at Brock with his wife visiting Mrs. Yates' currents, drove his grey horse, Richard, in the 22 miles in a dozen hours, and now Richard is laid up for repairs.

The ladies of the Presoyterian congrega-tion will give a social and lunch in the church Thursday evening. The commission firm of Hill & Smiley has been dissolved. J. B. Smiley & Co., con-H. T. Adams found a \$600 graft lost by B. F. Warner of Paw Paw.

Engineer Alfred E. Colliers of the Union Stock Yards railway on Monday removed to Omaha and has taken a house on South Phirteenth street. The superintendent, teachers and pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday school will meet at the church Wednesday evening to re-arrange the schools.

A bible reading by the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and will be conducted by Mrs. A. H. Millspaugh. Ladies never have any dyspepsia after a wine glass of Angostura Bitters, the genuine of Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

THE MAGNITUDE

Of our late purchases has somewhat startled our competitors and they are wondering what we are going to do with the goods. The fact is, this backward season is having a depressing effect on the woolen and clothing market. Manufacturers find themselves overstocked and demoralized, and accept almost any offers that are made to clear out their seasonable stocks. We can NOW buy goods from the best houses in the country AT PRICES MUCH LOWER THAN WE COULD MANUFACTURE THEM OURSELVES. Our buyer is always on hand. When a manufacturer or wholesaler needs money, he comes to us. We set the price on his goods, and the manufacturer's loss is our customers' gain. Hence it is that we can sell Suits now for \$15.00 for which other houses charge \$25.00.

The goods we received last week have compelled us to make a big cut on the prices of suits left from the early purchase, so as to be uniform with the low prices of the new goods.

Our stock of Men's and Boy's Clothing is now much larger than at the beginning of the season. Come and see and judge. Suits are things you must look at to judge of their value. It is easy enough to describe them, but description doesn't show them. Our new suits are a sight to see, and a few minutes inspection will show you THE GREAT ADVANTAGE OF BUYING NOW. It is not a saving of one or two dollars that we are speaking about this time. IT IS A SAVING OF TEN DOLLARS OR MORE ON A STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS SUIT, and if this saving is any object to you, you will buy NOW. We are showing this week a line of sack suits in Worsteds, Corkscrews and Cheviots marked \$14.75, and Cutaway suits marked \$15.00. These suits are positively as good as you can get in any store in Omaha for \$25.00.

In the furnishing Department we have opened today several new cases of Underwear at prices about 25 per cent less than the same goods could be bought for a few weeks ago. Lisle Ribbed Shirts and Drawers at 45c, worth 75c. Fancy Bal briggan Shirts and Drawers at 55c; these are indeed surprising value. Nothing less than \$2.00 per suit would buy such goods at any other place.

IMPORTANT.

We have just closed a deal on a manufacturer's entire stock of Summer Clothing. The price at which we bought these goods will enable us to offer thin Coats and Vests at about 50c on the dollar. We expect to paralyze the clothing trade. The goods will be open Monday or Tuesday.

Nebraska Clothing Company

Corner Douglas and Fourteenth Streets, Omaha.

Witnesses in the Lincoln Boodle

CAPT. BILLINGSLY'S \$50 FEE.

Case Refuse to Testify.

He Denies That it Had Any Influence With Him as a Councilman - News and

Notes.

LINCOLN BUREAU OF THE OMAGA BES, 1029 P STREET, LINCOLN, June 4. The investigation by the city council was resumed this morning by calling J. R. Clark to the stand in relation to the city bond ques tion. Mr. Clark was asked to whom the bonds were sold, and what he received for them, to which he replied:

"I will not answer the question," Attorney Courtney appealed to the chair and asked that he be compelled to answer. The appeal was taken under advisement. Mr. Clark informed the committee that he considered it private business and would not reveal transactions with private individuals. Mr. C. R. Lewis was then called to the stand and asked much the same questions propounded to Mr. Clark. Mr. Lewis informed the committee that he would not reveal to whom the bonds were sold and the price paid for them, and that he regarded it as a piece of impertinence to ask questions relating to private business. Attorney Court-ney again appealed to Chairman Hamilton to compel answers to the above questions, which was again taken under advisement until the

afternoon aession. J. J. Imhoff was the then sworn and asked who drew up the contracts with the city for lighting the streets with electric lights. Imhoff replied that Billingsly was employed for that purpose by the company and was paid a fee of \$50 for his services. Mr. Imhoff was asked if in part consideration for such fee Billingsly was to use his services as councilman to secure the acceptance of the contract. Imhoff said such was not the un-

derstanding.

At the afternoon session Captain L. W.
Billingsly appeared before the committee
and explained that he received such fee as
an attorney for examining the contract, and
that he was not to use his influence as councilman as part consideration of said fee. Captain Billingsly also informed the comnittee that a number of coyotes and busy bodies were endeavoring to mar his charac-ter, but he was ready at any time to appear before the committee and defy all charges brought against him. Hendson In.hoff was sworn and questioned

in relation to sidewalk contracts. L. Lyman, the city water commissioner, was called to the stand and questioned in reference to water supplies.

At this hour certain persons who have been subpoenaed to appear before the committee have not put in an appearance, and from the facts gathered, it seems, have combined to completely ignore the summons. The committee failing to secure witnesses, adjourned until Friday morning, when the

State Institution News.

Dr. Knapp, superintendent of the hospital for the insane, Lincoln, reports as follows for the month of May: Number in the hos pital at the beginning of the month-first ward, males 54, females 48; second ward, males 51, females 47; third ward, males 50 females 46; fourth ward, males 53, females 34; total, 382. Number admitted during the month—males 9, females 10; total 19, making a grand total of 391. a grand total of 391.

Apropos to this it is stated that subjects for the hospital for the incurable insane, at Hastings, will be admitted on a certificate of the superintendent of the asylums of the state that the patients are incurable, and

state that the patients are incarable, and they will be removed as soon as the new institution is fitted and furnished.

The recommendation of Warden Hopkins of "good time" for convicts William Anderton, George W. Pickard, O. Niemeysr, John J. Kelly, Josiah Brooks and William Doherty has been O. K.'d by the board of public lands and buildings to the governor, and they will become free men once more at different dates during the month.

Indorsed By the State Board. Judge O. P. Mason was honored, to-day by the indorsement of the state board of transportation for the vacancy in the inter state commission. The indersement was sent to President Harrison as soon as it had been signed and, emanating from the source

"AIN'T GOT NOTHIN' TO SAY." | it does, it must prove a source of gratification to the judge whether it does any good or not. It is learned that every member of the board and the board of secretaries

The Bank Examiners.

The future bank examiners, J. O. Mc-Naughton of Hastings, T. E. Sanders of Beaver Crossing and Representative A. P. Brink of Cedar Rapids, will meet this week and prepare necessary blanks, under the new banking law, and the same will be sent to all banks in time for them to comply with the law, which takes effect July 1. White McNaughton, Sanders and Brink have not been agreed upon by the board, and they will be commissioned July 1.

Benton on That Texas Trip. The trip which the governor, treasurer and myself took was one of the pleasantest of my life. We arrived at Fort Worth on the morning of the 29th and were met by the leading citizens of that city and escorted to the notel for breakfast. A large number of the citizens called to pay their respects to Governor Thayer, who is esteemed very highly by the citizens of that state. About 10 a. m. our party was escorted to the club house, where Governor Ross, of Texas, and Governor Thayer reviewed one of the finest parades it has been my pleasure to witness Immediately after the parade, our party was escorted to the Spring Palace, where Governor Ross made the opening address, and was responded to by Governor Thayer. Both speakers were frequently interrupted by applianse, and the sentiments expressed by both would lead one to believe that there never was "no north or no south." The Spring Palace is on the same plan as the Sioux City Palace is on the same plan as the Sioux City Corn Palace, only much larger. The exhibits were fine and bespeak enterprise and prosperity for the Lone Star state. From Fort Worth our party went to San Antonio, accompanied by Governor Ross and a delegation of prominent citizens of Fort Worth. At that place our reception was all that one could ask, and after viewing the Alamo Mission building and the military post we returned to Austin, where we were the guests of Governor Ross at the mansion, where we were royally entertained. We left Governor Thayer at that place, and he

will accompany Governor Ross to Galveston, Houston, and other points of interest in the Texas is a surprise to a northerner. The country through which we passed was well settled and well cultivated. The crops are nuch further advanced than in this most of the small grain being harvested. The people seem prosperous, and for hospitality they cannot be excelled. The esteem in which Governor Thayer is neld in Texas is a comstate was honored through him.

THOMAS BENTON. New State Enterprises. The State Bank of Crawford and the Hastings Park company filed articles of incorporation to-day. Dawes and Adams counties respectively, therefore, have new enterprises of local importance. The banking company organizes with a capital stock of \$50,000 and the park company with \$25,000. Business commencement with both of the companies dates from June 1. The former, however, continues under the articles but twenty-five years, while the latter continues fifty. Incorporators of the former: John R. Clarke, Francis C. Grable and Charles A. Hanna; of the latter: R. S. Berlin, F. P. Olmstead, H. W. Snyder, O. H. Gordon and

Those Railroad Complaints. The Bays case against the Union Pacific railroad company, set for trial to-day before the state board of transportation, was continued to June 21. Reason: Mutual consent of parties. Further reason! The parties to ot parties. Further reason: The parties to the case are trying to settle. It will be re-membered that Bays kicked on switching charges on several car loads of live stock, marketed at the stock yards, West Lincoln. He alleges that \$5 per car for switching was extortionate, unreasonable and unjust. He also alleged that there was discrimination in favor of Chrones as between Lincoln and the also alleged that there was discrimination in favor of Omaha as between Lincoln and the metropolis. What will come of the present dilly, dallying is of course unknown. Lan-caster county vs the Burlington was also continued until the 13th by stipulation. Scott & Murphy, the Utica complainants, against the Burlington are no longer heart—sore and weary. The gentlemen bought out an eleva-tor at Utica and dismissed their cause. Thus the wounds are healing one by one.

Otty News and Notes. Lieutenant-Governor Meikelichn is acting governor this week. He came in last night n compliance with a telegram request from Governor Thayer, received Saturday, from Fort Worth, Tex., where the governor was at that time.

Saloonists of Lincoln, in general,

bent on beating the Sunday law, notwith-standing the late solid orders of Mayor Graham, and it is possible that fun, ex-pensive too, brews. Some of the boys "close up" as per instructions, and it is given out that the others must do the same or the rea-son why will be called for.

Hon. James Whitehead, of Custer county, one of the most able representatives of the Twenty-first of the Nebraska legislature, is in the city to attend the mass convention of prohibition workers, to-morrow. In a con-

prohibition workers, to-morrow. In a conversation with The Bre representative he expressed the opinion that the discussion of politics will be carefully avoided and will not be allowed to enter as a factor to mar the proceedings of the convention. The services of Hon. Richard Trevelick, of Ann Arbor, Mich., have been secured as orator of the day for Lincoln's mammoth Fourth of July celebration.

The Bethany Heights Street railroad company filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk, yesterday. The capital stock is \$35,000, with 10 per cent paid up, balance subject to the directors' call. The incorporators are J. Z. Briscoe, Charles Cam-mond, H. C. Eddy, W. W. Holmes, C. O. Munson, John Ames, Thomas H. Hyde, A. R. Raymond, C. R. VanDuyn, W. S. Mills, and Porter Hedge.

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