THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Assignment of Teachers For the Ensuing Year.

SCHOOLS OPEN NEXT THURSDAY.

A Resolution Advocating the Establishment of a Training Department to the High School-Other Business Transacted.

Assignment of Teachers. At the meeting of the board of education fast night all the members were present except Martin and Kelley.

Superintendent of Buildings Wooley submitted an itemized statement of the improvements contemplated at the Farnam street se lool at a cost of \$361.55. Referred to committee on buildings.

Charles P. Burkitt asked to be allowed to make a statement in regard to a report made to the board by the superintendent, as an act of justice in settling some ill-founded rumors as to his daughter's eligibility for school teacher. The superintendent considers that Miss Burkitt is not fully competent to fill the position, and refused to recom-

mend her, consequently she was not elected. The examining committee rendered report of the last examination, and also tendered their resignations. The report and resignations were accepted. There were about thirty certificates granted to teachers primary, grammer and High school The committee on heating and ventilation

were authorized to make some changes the heating apparatus of the Park school. The committee on teachers recommended that the following applicants be elected as teachers: Mary Hogan, Harriet Beadle, Cora Smith, Ada Tobitt, Anna B. Moore, E. P. McClintock. The report was adopted. The same committee also recommended the election of Miss Mattie L. Powell and Mrs.

Katie M. Kean to the positions of special teachers, and also recommended Miss Glad-stone for the position of principal of the Jackson school. Adopted. A number of small bills, amounting to

\$9,100, were reported by the committee on claims. The claim of the Nebraska Telephone company was referred back to the committee, and the balance of the report adopted. Saville offered a resolution to add to the high school course an additional depart

ment, to be called "Teachers' training de partment," which shall constitute a course equivalent to a year's course in a normal school. Referred to the High school commit The board then proceeded to the election of teachers, to be assigned as soon as needed with pay from date of assignment. The fol-

lowing were elected: Misses Hogan, Beadle, Moore, Stebbins, Smith and Tobitt. Several ineffectual attempts were made to elect another teacher for the high school. Mrs. Sudborough and Miss Ray were nominated, but six ballots failed to elect either. Mrs. Artie D. Webb and Miss Hulda D. Isaacson were elected assistant principals at the Lake and Long schools

The board adjourned until next Monday. The following assignments of teachers for the coming school year have been prepared by the committee on teachers and the superintend ent. The schools open Thursday morning, at which time the teachers will repar to the buildings here designated and learn from the principals their particular grades and classes. The superintendent will meet the principals for final instruction at his office Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. High school—Homer P. Lewis, principal;

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Ambler school-Jennie C. Salmon, princi Bancroft school-Emma R. Kice, principal; Kate A. Walcott, Hattie H. Hickey, Ella H. Davis, L. A. Cormsla, Alice H. Hodge,

ace H. Wilbur, principal: Mary E. Simonds, assistant principal: Nel lie Bennett, Hattie C Pratt, Mary I. Gillis, Belle Doyels, Hattie Duncan, Hattie E. Simonds, Lillie E. Wilbur, Mary A. Frazier. Castellar school-Mary B. Newton, princ Castellar school—Mary B. Newton, principal; Hortense Smith, assistant principal; Lucy J. Roys, Lizzie Banker, Margaret Gal-brath, Emma E. Derkes, Jennie Owens, Amelia S. Craston, Hannah Beedle, Jennie E. Rugh, Mary Johnson. Center school—Jennie Redfield, principal;

lda K. Wilson, assistant principal; Emma H. Becker, Minnie Weber, Minnie V. Moriarity Margaret Vincent, Myra LaRue. Central school-Franc M. Briggs, princi-pal; Mary D. Bailantyne, Lucretia M. Spencer, Alice L. Harper, Ida E. Mack, Clara Schleisinger. Central Park school—Effic Reed, princi-

pal; Martha Evans, Mary Mikan.
Davenport school—Jeannette McDonald.
Dodge school—Mary Fitch, principal; Hattie Ailen, May Edmonds, Priscilla A. Ward, Lilly Van Wagner, Rettie Read.

Dupout school—Mary Hay, principal; Dol-lie Church, Emma Newcomb, Blanche Van Kuran, Lottie Burch, Laura J. Bradford. Eckerman school—Agnes Hutchison.
Farnam school—Anna P. Truland, principal; Clara B. Mason, assistant principal;
Emma Wheatley, Lettin Gusanta, Marchael S. Mason, assistant principal; Emma Wheatley, Lottle Gassette, Kate L. Hudson, Ella M. B. White, Minnie R. Wil-son, Emma Watts, Nora O'Connor, Mattie Hussy, Florence Littlefield.
Forest school-Mary E. Kent, principal:

Cora B. Smith, Emma Stiles, Harriet Beedle. Fort Omaha school—Ida R. Notson.

Franklin school—Margaret J. Latey, principal; Emily Dorn, Carrie Kumpf, Carrie H. Johnston. Gibson school-Bertha M. Festaer, princi Hartman school-Ellen M. White, princ

pal; Emma Carney, assistant principal; Ada Armstrong, Margaret C. Scott, Helen I. Nor-ton, Ella Thorngate, Dora Lillie, Ida Dysart, Jennie Roberts, Annie Noon, Martha W. Christiancy, Jennie Boyd, Eolia Nichols. Hickory school—Fannie Navins, Laura C. Knapp, Kate J. Brown, Carrie M. Hicks. Iard school—Anna Foos, principal; Cobella Schaller, assistant principal; Sadie Runker, Zella Wilson, Minnie S. Dye, S. Amelia Shattuck, Fannie Fernald, Stella M. Champlin, Camilia Elliott, Lizzie R. Need-ham, Catherine Foos, Kate M. Miles, Cas-

sandra P. Schaller, Emma Rugh.

Jackson school-Addie Gladstone, prince Lake school—Emma Whitmore, principal; Artie D. Webb, assistant principal; Georgie Valentine, Elia Carlyle, Claribelle Schenck, Evangeline Sibley, Helen M. Nave, Etta Powers, Lizzie M. Elcock, Margaret Mc-Sanghin, Emily J. Robinson, Luzzie H. Wit-

Sanghin, Emily J. Robinson, Luzzie H. Witman, Neva Turner, Edith M. Goodspeed,
Jennie James, Lida Hanna.

Leavenworth school—Minnie J. Wood,
principal: Agnes McDonald, assistant principal: Mary R. Lucas, Ida Johnston, Flora
Leighton, Lucy E. Wood, Kate Hungerford,
Olive Hubbard, Margaret H. Read.

Long school—Helen Wyckoff, principal;
Hulda F. Issueson, assistant principal; Aloce

Long school—Heien Wyckoff, principal; Hulda F. Isaacson, assistant principal; Alice E. Hitt, Virginia Kennedy, Virginia R. Victor, Mary Brolliar, Hattie S. Eddy, Jennie L. Woodward, Jane Smith, Grace A. Macauley, Mary E. Jordan, Ada C. Jones, Phoebe D. Perkins, Elizabeth Atkinson, Barbara Hostetter, Clara F. Cooper.

Lathrop school—Nora H. Lemon, principal; Lillis Crummer, Jennie Phelps.

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Mason school—Jennie McKoon, principal;
Lily M. Bruner, assistant principal; Ida K.
Greenlee, Mary Alter, Jennie L. Marble,
Jennie Still, Edith Morton, Emma Godso,
Esther E. Heston, Florence Baker, Ausy
Hughes, Kate Powers, Anna A. Broadfield.
Omaha View school—Sarah E. Thompson,
principal; Matilda Evans, assistant principal; Evelyn Hobbs, Fanny Bladchard, Julia
E. Renvie, Nettie Rhett, Alice M. Avery,
Anna Pheniz.

Apna Phenix. Pacific school-Margaret McCarthy, prin-

Pacific school—Margaret McCarthy, principal; Mary B. Goodman, assistant principal; Clara E. Elder, Clara B. Duvali, M. Lizze Hewitt, Daisy Wood, Margaret Gose, Emma Lonengan, Ida M. Goodman, Stella Graves, Jessie Lazean, Mary Hogan.

Park school—Lillian A. Littlefield, principal; Emma D. Littlefield, assistant principal; M. Elizabeth Allen, Margaret O'Neili, Kate E. Crane, Lizzie C. Morrell, Dora Harney, Ida E. Alexander, Mary P. Crane, Julia Newcomb, Dora M. Coburn, Lydia McCool, Paul school—Carrie M. Hartley, principal; Ida M. French, Kate Hutmaker, Grace Lillie.

Pleasant school-Fannie Buttterfield, principal; Martha Paorott, Saratoga school—James Farris, principal; Mary Starr, Penelope Smith, Kate M.

Sherman School-Ada Tobitt. Vinton School-Lida Shallenberger, prin cipal; Nellie Ireland, Rose C. Fitch. . Walnut Hill School—Rene Hamilton, prin wante Hill School—Rene Hamiton, principal; Louise B. Mann, assistant principal; Jnlia A. Carter, Katherine Stillwell, Agnes M. Dawson, Jessie Scott, Ella Kingsbury, Nannie L. Lewis, Webster School—Sadie P. Pittman, prin-

cipal; Susie E. Eveleth, assistant principal; Mattie C. Ellis, Virginia H. Patterson, Mary B. Meyer, Margaret McAva, Clara E. Hut-maker, Alta Peacock, Emily Wood, Margaret Hogan, Mollie E. Brown. West Omaha School—Fannie B. Hurlbut,

principal; Nellie Root, Jessie McRoberts. West Side School-James Alvison, prin-Special Teachers-Music, Fanny Arnold, Lucia Rogers; drawing, Kate M. Ball.

TOMORROW'S PARADE.

Programme for One of the Big Events of Merchants' Week The parade will form on the streets named between 9 and 10 o'clock a, m., and will nove from the corner of Eleventh and Harney at 10 o'clock sharp. " PHIST DIVISION.

Form on Eleventh street south of Harney. Platoon of Police. The Marshal. Aides, Joseph Garneau, Jr., C. F. Weller, Robert Easson, J. E. Riley and C. E.

Burmeister.
The Omaha Guards' Band.
The Omaha Guards, Captain A. H. Scharff, commanding.

W. L. Eastman, murshal. The Traveling Fraternity of Omaha and the State. Band.

and City Council in

The Hon. Mayor

The Fire Department. SECOND DIVISION. Form on Tweifth street south of Harney. Dudley Smith, assistant marshall

Wholesale Grocery Trade. F. W. Meegan, assistant marshal. Merchandise Brokers. Arthur C. Smith, assistant marshal. Wholesale Dry Goods Trade. Wm. B. Hogan, assistant marshal. Wholesale Boots and Shoes, corge Mr. Darrow, Assistant Marshal, Wholesale Hats, Caps and Furniahings.

C. F. Weller, Assistant Murshal, Wholesale Drugs and Paints.

Daniel Farrell, Jr., Assistant Marshal.

Wholesale Syrups.

J. E. Baum, Assistant Marshal. Wholesale Hardware. L. J. Drake, Assistant Marshal.

Wholesale Ous. Aaron Chadwick, Assistant Marshal. Milis and Milling. THIRD DIVISION. Form on Thirteenth street, south of Harney
The Swedish Band.
J. R. Letimer, Assistant Marshal.

Railways and Railway Supplies. Henry Whiting and Martin Gunderson, As sistant Marshals. Manufactories. W. I. Kierstead, Assistant Marshal.

Band. R. J. Dinning, Assistant Marshal, Wholesale Confectionery, C. H. Mack, Assistant Marshal, Wholesale Cigars and Tobacco. Julius Meyer, Assistant Marshal. Jeweiry, J. Hurd Thompson, Assistant Marshal,

Rubber Goods. Harness and Saddlery. Wholesale Soap. Compressed Yeast. Form on Fourteenth street, south of Harney. The Union Pacific Band.

L. A. Garner, Assistant Marshal.
The Express Companies.
D. C. Dunbar and A. L. Halstead, Assistant Marshals.
The Press and Publishers.

J. S. Cameron, Assistant Marshal. Musical Instruments. Banu. J. W. Dunmire, Assistant Marshal. Games and Sporting Goods. George Turner, Assistant Marshal. Plumbers' Supplies and Plumbers.

Electric Appliances. S. W. Croy, Assistant Marshal. Agricultural Implements. PIPTH DIVISION.

Form on Fifteenth street, South of Harney.
Stock Yards Band.
H. Boyd, Assistant Marshal.
The Stock Yard and Packing Interests of South Omana. William R. Drummond Assistant Marshal. Carriages. Band.

G. Zimmerman, Assistant Marshal. Brewerers, Distillers and Bottlers. J. W. Walker and David Cole, Assistant Marshals. The Commission Trade.

William Segelke, Assistant Marshal. Soda and Mineral Water Manufacturers. J. E. Riley, Assistant Marshal. Contractors in Stone, Brick and Wood Builders.

H. Jewett, Assistant Marshal.
The Lumber Trade.
Jeff W. Bedford, Assistant Marshal.
The Coal Trade. SIXTH DIVISION. Form on Sixteenth Street, South of Harney.

Band. The Ancient Order of United Workmen. Band. Major Robert S. Wilcox, Ed Stricker, As-sistant Marshals.

The Retail Trade. Miscellaneous-Including Everything Not in Wholesale or Manufacturing Trade.

The route of parade will be from Eleventh and Harney, west on Harney to Sixteenth, to Farnam, to Tenth, to Douglas, to Fifteenth, to Webster, to Sixteenth, to Harney and dis-

The marshal will be at the corner of Thir-teenth and Harney at 9 o'clock, where all as-sistant marshals and aides will report to him as soon thereafter as possible.
T. S. CLARKSON,

DRUMMERS' DAY. Plenty of Instruction For the Boys

to Be Governed By.

All traveling men expecting to take part in

the parade on Drummers' day, are requested to meet at headquarters in the board of trade building, corner of Sixteenth and Farnam streets, Weanesday morning, September 4. at 8:30 sharp. All arrangements have been completed, the belts, badges and parasols are all here and will be distributed at the head quarters before forming in line for the parade. The complimentary tickets to the fair Wednesday afternoon and the excursion to South Omaha Thursday morning, will also be distributed at that time, and as there will be lots of work to do in a short time that

morning, we urge all to come early. Marshals Tom Harvey and August Meyer, with a delegation of twenty uniformed men, will meet the Beatrice boys, and Marshals C. W. Close and Jack Garrett, with another dele gation, will meet the Council Bluffs boys and escort them to headquarters. The building for headquarters at the fair ground is completed and a large supply of refreshments secured. The executive com-

mittee have attached to all the principal hotel registers a cordial invitation to all traveling men who may be in the city on that day, regardless of where they travel

that day, regardless of where they travel from, to join in the parade. And a grand, good time is assured to all who are on hand. Drummers' day, September 4.

It is requested by the committee that those who have ordered hats go to W. L. Parrotte & Co.'s, corner of Eleventh and Harney streets, for them. All the names are there and the hats waiting to be claimed.

W. S. Helphrey, the refreshment committee, will be around to-day with an extra big cart, gathering up such supplies in the refreshment and fruit line as have been donated by the merchants.

Heatrice will send a special train bearing eighty men and a brass band.

Council Bluffs has ordered uniforms for seventy five men. They come headed by their own band, and will be met at the bridge by the reception committee.

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A special train for all who hold tickets furnished them by the traveling men will be live in a house.

run by the Union Pacific to the South Omaha stock yards and packing houses Thursday morning. Any visiting merchant desirous of seeing these attractions can secure a ticket by making himself known to the committee at Board of Trade hall, Wednesday morning. The packing house people will serve a lunch to the excur-

The executive committee will hold a meet ing at the Richardson Drug company store at 10:50 this morning. The following letter will be of interest to all drummers:

OMAHA, Sept. 2.—C. O. Lobeck, president Traveling Men's association. Dear Sir: Will you please extend to the traveling men, who are making such a success of Mer-chants' week, a most cordial invitation on my behalf to visit the Lininger art collection, either as a body or individually. The gallery is open from S a. m. to S p. m. tach day, southwest corner Eighteenth and Davenbort street; entrance on Davenbort street. Yours very respectfully, . G. W. LININGER.

OFFICER NEWMAN FINED.

His Assault on Crowell Will Cost Him Fifteen Days' Pay. It was a court of inquiry that the fire and police commission held last night, with Offi-

cers Dubois, Newman and Walker doing the dance on the carpet. Dubois was charged by one C. J. Phillips with having on circus day overstepped his duty at the ticket wagon by taking him (Phillips) by the neck and breathing blasphemous imprecations in his ear. Dubois Shields, Savage and Sigwart denied the alle gation collectively and individually, while the defense not being present, had no oppor-tunity of saying anything, and in this condition the case went into executive session.

Walker was charged by a young man named Sheridan with having arrested him (Sheridan) on the charge of being a suspic-ious character when the officer knew better. The usual affirmations and denials took place, in which the police and citizens were equally divided with one exception, that being one Enter-mute, a green grocer on Grace and Saunders, who didn't like Sheridan anyway, and never

who didn't like Sheridan anyway, and never saw him do anything in the shape of manual labor. This matter was also referred to the dark lantern end of the meeting.

The case of Newman, who is charged with assaulting Attorney Crowell, next received attention. As in the first two cases, the officers stood by each other in the matter of testimony, and in that shape the case was taken in to the twilight session Jack Prince and E. S. Flagg wanted to transfer a Fort Omaha license to the Coli-

seum during and after the Exposition, but the commissioners shut off all chances for heavy receipts by laying the matter over fo seren days.
Officer McBride, who was charged with beating his way over the motor line contrary to the statutes, was sent back to duty for one week. In the meantime the conductor

who lost his situation will wonder if he will be needed at the next meeting, as no notice was given him Chief Galligan was granted eight days leave of absence to attend the meeting of fire chiefs at Kansas City next week. The com mission also decided to go a day or two them

selves. Officers Burke and D. Graves want to be appointed sergeants, and Officer. Foley wants to be a mounted policeman. Their appleca

Leave of absence was granted Officer King for lifteen days, while Frank Graves, of the fire department, was given a ten days' lay off. Sergeant Sigwart reported that S. S. Felker, a wholesale liquor dealer at 130 North Thirteenth street, was doing business without license, as were Joe Baum, at Eleventh and Pierce; A. Frick, 108 South Tenth, and G. Lawrence, on North Thir-teenth. The entire matter was referred. When open session was resumed it was an-nounced that Officer Newman had been fined fitteen days pay for conduct unoccoming an officer, while Officer Walker was mulcted ten days may for the same offense. .Office: Dubois was exonerated.

AMUSEMENTS.

Manager Sackett had a great time yester day and last night at the Eden Musee. It was his opening, and he entertained about 4,000 people. Since last season the place has been thoroughly renovated, somewhat remodeled, and made quite attractive. Among the new features is a stage and auditorium in curio ball, a new drop curtain, and regula opera chairs in the theater down stairs The wails everywhere are adorned with nice pictures, while in front has been erected gas jet sign that looms up immensely at night So far as talent goes, he begins his season very well. This week his attractions on the theatre stage are Lee, a very clever juggler; the Putnam twin s sters, song and dance artists; Morton, Reno and Mack, marvelous French clowns; the three Jones children, with Billy Hogan and Harry Eaton, minstrel stars. The programme is an interesting and entertaining one. On the top floor are Australian fire worker, Solomon and Whiting, musical mokes; Billy Bennett, banjo soloist, and Ollie Leonard, a serio comic vocalist, furnish the patrons good entertainment. The Muses starts out well and promises to have a fine

NEARLY DESTOYED BY FIRE Baker, Mont., Almost Totally Wiped

Out. GREAT FALLS, Mont., Sept. 2.-News has just been received here that Baker was almost totally destroyed by fire yester-The fire started in the Miners' house three doors below the Zeigler house and swept from there up the valley burning all the eastern portion of the camp. It is supposed that a man named Ellis, his wife and four children lost their lives. Three men are also missing. Baker is the business center of the entire market district and is about sixty-five miles southeast of Great

The Illinois Strike Settled. JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 2 .- The conference to day of the coal miners and operators resulted in the settlement of the wage troubles throughout the northern Illinois coal fields, and an early resumption of work, except in the mines of W. L. Scott, will probably occur. The operators were all represented except Scott and gave their ultimatem, the terms being a reduction of 7% cents a ton, no discount on company store orders, a reduction of 50 per cent on tool sharpening except at Streator, and the sale of coal to the miners at cost, putting it on the cars The miners, after a long consideration, de cided to accept this proposition. The work men desired rent free during the strike and no victimizing on going to work. The operators declined to put these points in the agreement, but stated privately to the miners that the result would be as desired.

A New Dakota Road. St. PAUL, Sept 2 .- A special from Sioux Falls, S. D., says: It developed this evening that a railroad to be called the Sioux Falls & Denver is to be built from here, the work being contracted to begin as soon as the right of way is secured. The line will take in Parker, where it will fork, one line running to Wheeler, one to the Missouri river in Charles Mix county and another going down the Jim river valley to Abeerdeen, thence to some point in Campbell county, near the northern line of South Dakota.

Will Aid the Assignees. Boston, Sept. 2.-The Journal will announce to-morrow morning that Gideou P. Brown, of the bankrupt wool firm of Brown, Steese & Clark, is in Boston and will do what he can to aid the assignees in straightening out the affairs of the firm.

A Girl Tramp. A girl tramp, wearing male attire, was arrested in Cincunati one day this week on suspicion of being a crook At the station house she told this story of her life: "I came here from Indianapolis on a freight train; rode all the way on the bumpers. I've been a tramp for two years, working when I had to and begging when it was possible. never had a home and never lived in house. My father was a horse trader and peddler, and traveled all over the country in a r con with my mother and myself. I suppose I was born in a wagon, as I never knew what it was to

THE NEWS ABOUT THE BLUFFS

Alderman Lacy's Views on the City Halb Question.

A SUCCESSFUL DRESS PARADE.

Another Discharge of an Empty Gun -Pottawattanile at the Blue Grass Palace-Council Proceedings.

The New City Hall.

"Of course we are going to have a new city hall," said Alderman P. Lacy, president of-the council, yesterday, "and it seems as if the public generally ought to know it by this time. The site will be decided upon and purchased before the last of December, and work on the new building will be commenced next year. No, it will not require any vote of the people to settle the matter, for the council has full authority to act as they see fit, still it is very probable that the que tion will be submitted at the fall election, in order to see how the citizens feel about it and what amount they are in favor of appropriating for the erection of a new hali, as council would not wish to do anything con trary to the general wish of the tax payers There is not the slightest doubt but that the city generally is in favor of a new building the only question being the cost. As far as am concerned. I should say that not less than \$100,000 should be expended on a city hall, as, for that sum, a building could be erected that would accommodate the city for years, while if it was less than that, it would not be so very long until there would be a demand for something better, and we ought to build now for the future."

"How much would it be possible for the

city to appropriate for this purpose, without exceeding the limit allowed by law for a city's indebtedness!"

"Well, you can easily figure it. Our present indebtedness is about \$147,000, as the courts hold that paving, grading, sewerage and other special assessment bonds that are paid by owners of property abutting on the streets where the work is done are not properly a part of the city's indebtedness, and cannot be included in the amount limited by law. Now, then, the assessed valuation of the city is \$6,128,448, and the law says that city's indebtedness cannot exceed 5 per cent of the assessed valuation. This would allow the city, under the present valuation, to have an indebtedness of over \$300,000, or over \$150,000 more than at present. You see, that is about the amount for which the city could be bonded for a new city hall, under the present valuation, but you must understand that the present valua-tion is not what it should be. Last year our assessed valuation was about

\$4,700,000. This year it was raised nearly \$1,500,000, and still it is far too low. It should be about \$8,000,000 if it was properly assessed, which would allow us an indebted ness of \$4 0,000, but of course that does no cut any figure with the amount for the pres ent time except to show that if the full amount was reached now, we would still be \$100,000 below the limit after a fair assess

ment another year.
"I don't say that I would advise bonding for a \$150,000 city hall, but I certainly would not have it a cent less than \$100,000." At this point Mr. C. E. Bell, of the firm of Bell & Berlinghoff, 'architects, happened along, and he was asked what amount would be required to put up a city hall suited to the

be required to put me acity hall suited to the needs of the city for years to come.

"Why," said he, "the city could get a very fine building for from \$150,000 to \$160,000, one that would be a credit to the city twenty years hence, as it would be perfectly fireproof, and would contain every modern convenience and improvement. It coats between 20 and 25 ner cent ment. It costs between 20 and 25 per cent to make a building absolutely fireproof, in-cluding iron beams, tile flooring, etc. etc. What kind of a building would \$100.000 put up? Well, a fair building—a very fair kind of a building, but the other would be far cheaper for the city in the end. It would be very poor economy to put \$100,000 into a building that would not meet the require-

ments after a few years." 'It will take somes time to get everythin ready for work, after the site is secured," continued the alderman, "as it is no small matter to get satisfactory plans, let con-tracts, etc, but I am satisfied that work will

"What is there in this report that there was a great oversight in letting the contract for the new hose house on Lower Broadway and that the bill of extras will amount to

more than the original contract?"
"There is nothing in it whatever. The council understood perfectly what it was doing, and no grand surprise has de-veloped, as stated in certain papers. They state that the contractors have certain work to do for which no provision was made, and they pretend to be afraid that an exorbitant price will be charged. They say no provision was made for the foundation, and predict that somebody will get rich by put truth is that, while the exact amount required for it was not stated, Contractor Wickham is required by the terms of his contract to put in all extra brick at \$9 per thousand, and I fail to see where there is any big steal in laying brick in a wall at that price. As for that other matter about the floor, it is simply a difference in opinion as to what material should be used, or whether or not there should be a celiar. That is a matter that the council can easily settle trouble or need of outside interference, and it will be safely out of the way in time to give everybody full swing at the new city hall.

Fairmount Park. The beautiful gem of Council Bluffs set amid the romantic hills and shaded by verdant boughs of forest trees. The most delightful place imaginable for picnics, tennis

parties and quite rambles.

Take the electric motor cars—bridge linewhich lands passengers in the very heart of the park. Fare from Omaha to the park only 10 cents. The park is owned and controlled by the city authorities and the best of good order

Steam and hot water heating, first-class plumbing. Work done in both cities. John Gilbert, 518 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

Desirable dwellings for rent at mouerate prices. E. H. Sheafe & Co., rental agents, Broadway and Main streets, up stairs.

C. B. steam dye works, 1018 Broadway. Fine jewelry, watches and diamonds; cleaning and repairing at E. Burhorn.

The Guards' Dress Parade The dress parade given at the armory last evening by the Omaha guards and the Dodge light goard was a successful affair, and was witnessed by over four hundred invited guests. The officers of the parade were as follows: Captain Scharff, of the Omana guards, acting colonel; Lieutenant Gregg, of the Sixteenth infantry, regular army, adjutant; Sergeant Major Hull, of the Omaha Guards. Lieutenant Aitchison, commanding company A, Dodge light guard; Lieutenant Dixon, commanding company B, Dodge Light guard; Lieutenans Reed, commanding com-pany C, Omaha guards; Lieutenant Mulford, commanding company D, Omaha guards. The drill was very finely executed, com-

panies showing up splendidly, and the parade w as dismissed only too soon to suit the de lighted spectators.

An interesting feature of the evening's en tertainment was the non-commissioned offi cers' drill of the Omaha guards, which resulted in a victory for Sergeant Reed. The prize is a \$25 medal, offered by the officers of prize is a \$25 medal, offered by the officers of the company, and must be won three times to become the property of any officer. It has now been won twice by Sergeant Reed, and twice by Sergeant McAllister. The judges were two officers of the regular army, Lieutenaat Gregg, a distinguished marksman, and Lieutenant Grote Hutchin-son, of the Ninth cavalry, and statistical officer at the range.

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During the latter part of the evening, the During the latter part of the evening, the floor was given up to the dancers, and the sight was a pretty one. The Bluffs belles and the visiting soldier boys had full sway, for the latter were too many brass buttons for the local beaux. All in all, it was a very enjoyable evening, and which it is hoped will often be repeated. The return parade will be given at the armory of the Omaha Guards in a short

time. Dalbey's band and orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. The Guards are the music for the occasion. The Guards are to be congratulated ion the very successful

J. G. Tipton, real estate, 527 B'dway Go to M. Keating for drugs, 505 Broadway.

E. H. Sheafe & Co. give' special attention to the collection of rents and care of prop-erty in the city and vicinity. Charges mod-erate. Office Broadway and Main streets, Pottawattamie at the Front.

Secretary Zevely, of the board of trade, has returned from Creston, where he has been in attendance at the blue grass palage for the purpose of properly setting forth to visitors the many advantages offered by Council Biuffs and Pct-awattamie county. He reports that the exhibit from this county is the center of attraction, and that it is highly complimented by all visitors for the high standard of excellence of the specimens exhibited, as well as for the pleasing manner in which they are arranged. This exhibit especially mentioned in Salt Lake and Ohi papers, which is advertising the countries abroad in an excellent manner. Mr. Zevely will attend the meeting of the board of trad this evening, and return to Creston to-mor-row morning, where he will remain untithe close of the exposition.

Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing be-tween Pace & Schmid is this day dissolved by mutual consent, John Schmid retiring. All accounts due by or to the firm will be settled by either of the old members,
PACE & SCHMID.

The business will be continued at the old market, 788 Broadway, by J. H. Pace, who will be pleased to serve his old customers and many new ones in the prompt and courteous way he has always done. Few men know how to run a first-class meat market in a first-class manner, but Mr. Pace is one of

The Old Empty Pistol.

A shooting affair occurred Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Welch, on Fifth avenue, near Tenth street, in which Maggie Welch received a bullet from a revolver in the hands of a tweive-year-old sister, named Lizzie. The little child claims she did not know the weapon was loaded. She had been handling the revolver several days before, and yesterday, while Miss Maggie and a lady friend were looking at a paper, Lizzie asked what they were doing. They paid no attention to her, when she said: "Well, I'll just shoot you," and going into another room re-turned with a revolver, which she fired. The ball took effect in the forehead, glancing to one side, inflicting a scale wound about three inches in length. The shooting occasioned some excitement. The little girl handling the weapon was very badly frightened at what she had done, as she had no idea that the weapon would be discharged, expecting that it was in the same condition as when she had it before. The injury to the victim is very slight.

Good business chance; a \$3,000 stock of gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, is offered for sale by Fox & Hughes of this city. The business reaches \$20,000 yearly and is well established.

Miss Mamie Flemming, who has just fin ished a thorough course of instruction at the Chicago musical college, has returned home, and her friends have arranged for her to give a concert at Mueller's hall next Satur-day evening.

Council Proceedings.

The city council met last evening in regular monthly session. In the absence of the mayor President Lacy occupied the chair. Aldermen Weaver, Knepner and Waterman were present. The regular monthly bills, amounting to

\$17,857.94, were presented and allowed. The Council Bluffs handle factory petitioned for a remission of one-half of the taxes for the past year. On showing that the assessment was double, one being on the handle factory and the other on the axe-handle factory. Referred.

Petitions were presented for additional fire hydrants on Benton street. The chief of the fire department was granted five days' leave of absence to attend the meeting of fire chiefs at Kansas City. The clerk was instructed to advertise for all kinds of feed for fire department horses

for the ensuing year.

The city engineer was instructed to examine all the bridges in the city and repor repairs necessary.

Property owners on Pierce street petitioned for the exemption of the electric motor line from paying taxes on the paying between its tracks, provided the com-pany runs every train from Omaha around

the loop and constructs the line and has it in operation by December 1, and a failure to so run its trains to operate as a forfeiture of ex emption. Referred to streets and alleys committee and city attorney.

The A. Bruegger Manufacturing company, of Chicago, made a proposition to furnish the city a chemical fire engine at a cost of \$2,000 for a double fifty-gallon tank, and \$2,200 for eighty-gallon tank. The Champion company, of Chicago, also made proposals of same character. Referred to fire committee. A warrant of \$25 was drawn in favor of Chief Walters, of the fire department, to de fray his expenses while attending the na-

sas City.

An ordinance was adopted fixing the grade on Fletcher avenue.

The common carriers' ordinance was advanced to its third reading and referred to

tional convention of chief engineers at Kan-

judiciary committee.

The vetoed grading ordinance was not taken no owing to the absence of Mayor Rohrer. The council adjourned until Wednesday night.

It is to be regretted that Mrs. Crofts will not be present at the reception to be given at the church of which he is pastor. Mrs. Crofts' mother is in very iil health and this prevents her from being here on an occasion which otherwise she would enjoy most

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FOR SALE or exchange—New 5-room house in good location. Will exchange for 80 acres of improved land in Western lows, or will sell and take part in vacant lots. Kerr & Gray, Council Hinds, In.

FOR EHCHANGE—160 acres in Audubon Co., 3 miles from Co. seat, well improved will exchange for improved Council Bluffs property. Kerr & Gray, Connell Bluffs. FORSALE-Acre property in city, reasonable

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WM. SIEDENTOPF, Real Estate, Special attention given to examination and correction of title to lands and lots in city and county. No. 8, North Main st. HOR SALE or Rent-Garden land with houses by J. R. Rice, 102 Main st., Council Bluffs.

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GO LOOK at the Babbitt Place on Upper Broadway, then see F. J. Day. HOUSES for rent in all parts of the city. F

FOR SALE.—Two fine new six-room houses on payment down and balance to suit purchaser. Kerr & Gray, 505 First ave. FOR RENT-3 unfurnished rooms, 904 Third

FIVE Kansas farms to exchange for city property. Johnston & Van Patten, Everett block. FOR EXCHANGE—A small newspaper out L to exchange for lots. Johnston ten, Council Bluffs.

SEVERAL Nebraska farms to exchange. Fr. Council Bluffs lots, Johnston & Van Pat-HORSES to exchange for equity in nouse and jot. Johnston & Van Patten.

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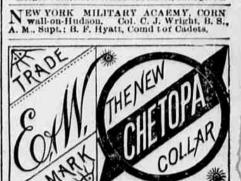
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