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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. P. Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal, There were 300 excursionists from Necla at Lake Manawa yesterday. They spent a very

pleasant day. The interior work on the new Grand hote

will be commenced next week. A. T. T. Lainson has the contract. The ladies of the First Presbyterian church entertained a large number of their friends at a social held in the parlors of the church

A brief term of the superior court will be held today, and Judge McGee will render a number of decisions in cases that have been under advisement for some time.

Charley Nicholson is wearing a fine red leather freeman's hat which was presented to him by that great friend of the firemen, E. B. Chandler of the Game well fire alarm com-

The old three-quarter spring wagon that was fixed up by the boys of No. 3 severa years ago as a sort of jaunting car for pleas ure purposes has been put in service as a hose wagon to take the place of the broken reel.

The official board of the Broadway Metho dist church has about decided upon securing the Masonic temple as the place for holding their meetings until the new church is fin ished. They are afraid that Hughes hal will be movemall.

The Model baseball club will not go to The Model basebal calls will not go to Bair temorrow but will play a game at Man-awa Instead. Their opposents will be the Ossaha Freaks. The batteries will be Lan-nehan and Hurt for Omata and Nichols, Yapp and Crosby for the Models. The boys of No. 4 hose company lost a fine

axe from their reel when running to the fire at John N. Baldwin's on Wednesday. It is a department axe and easily identified, and the finder will not be able to make any other dis-position of it than returning it, for which he will receive the devont thanks of the boys. Lewis Hummer recovered his stolen hors

last evening. The animal was found about seven miles in the country northeast of the city, where it had been left by some person who had apparently ridden it very hard. The animal had been taken up by a farmer, and when found was without haller, saddle or

Mr. S. B. Wadsworth has purchased the magnificent painting of Farmount park that attracted so much attention while on exhibition during Chapman's art display last and in the windows of the Fountain cigal store, where an effort was made to raffle i off for \$100. Competent art critics pronounce the picture to be worth \$500. It was painted by Mr. H. H. Baggs of Lincoln. Mr. Wads-worth has a large number of the works of this artist, but the Fairmount picture heprizes highest of all, and has placed it in

The boy choir of St. Paul's church will re sume its duties tomerrow and will take the place of the quartette cheir which has given uch satisfaction during the summer months It is much to be regretted that a regular quartette cannot be engaged to assist the boys in the higher class of anthem music The rector asics as a special favor that al members of the congregation and parish be present at morning services tomorrow, as he will then deliver his annual address on the needs and condition of the work and other matters of great interest to his nearers.

Lewis Hammer, thelumber dealer, is in Missouri Vailey trying to get some trace of a miserable thief who slipped into his barn after midnight last night and stole his good natured old family horse which money would searcely buy. The asimal was taken out of the stable and ridden away. Following the tracks Mr. Haromer was able to trace the thief out on the Crescent City road and took the early train for the Valley in the hope of find-ing him at that place. The animal is an iron gray, six years old, weighs about one thou-sand and fifty pounds, and has a silver mane and tail. When standing his lower lip drop

There was a little trouble yesterday and the evening preceding between Mrs. George H. Meschendorf and Mrs. S. E. Milestead, a dressmaker, who lives on the same floor with her. The latter had used some abusive language to Mrs. Meschendorf's daughter and was called to account for it. Her manner did not please Mrs. Milestead and she had arrested on the charge of assault and ery. The case was called for hearing in the police court last evening and Mrs. Meschendorf was discharged and the costs taxed up against the complaining witness. Mrs. Meschendorf has filed an information against the other woman, charging her with profar and abusive language to her daughter, which constitutes a breach of the peace.

Last evening Mr. F. W. Neal, the great sportsman, and his wife were walking in laylist park, accompanies by one of the gentleman's water spaniels. When the fountain was reached the dog plunged into the basin and was having a big time. Mr. Neal thought he would teach him a lesson and let him know that such conduct was a violation of the city ordinances. He called him out and little stick and was administering a slight chastisement, when he was assaulted by 'Reddy' Ross, the well known sprinter. The latter, without remonstrating with the owner of the dog, struck him a terrible blow is the face and after knocking him down jumped upor him with his feet and seriously injured him. "Reddy" was arrested for as-sault and battery and will have a hearing

BOS ON STORE.

A Few Specialties to Be Found There This Week.

Something of interest to every lady is to be found at the Boston Store, Council Bluffs. It is a little early to talk of full goods yet, but we have a few speciaties that we long a the way of fall dress goods. I week only, 50 pieces 35-inch, alt-wool plaids stripes and mixtures at Me, worth 58e; 100 pieces 52-inch, all-wood ladies' cloth, in all the newest fall shades and black at 30e,

We show the finest line of gents' neckwear and one-half hose in the city; the best 25c and 50c necktie in the market; 225 dozen gents white shirts, prices the, Be, 50e and 75e; complete line of night shirts from 58e up.

BOSTON STORE.

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Leaders and Promoters of Low Prices.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Arthur Luchow left Thursday to visit

various places in Colorado. Mrs. A. B. Wiskes of Kansas City is in the city, the guest of Mrs. J. T. Bell. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tilton of The Bon left lest evening for a few days' visit in their old home at Janesville, Wis.

Klaney Smith, now of New York, was in the city yesterday and was greeted most cortwenty years ago, at which time he was the manager of the Western Union here. He took a drive about the city with Mr. J. P. Stewart, and noted with wonder the marked changes made. Mr. Smith occupies a very responsible position with Drexel, Morgan &

Prof. D. W. McDermid has been tendered the position of superintendent of the institu-tion for the deaf and dumb at Winnipez Manitobs. The position is a very desirable one in many respects, and he has concluded to accept. He will leave for Wisniper with his family in about ten days. Prof. McDer-mid has seen connected with the institution here for about eight years, and taught in an Ontario institution for six years before that. He is recognized as one of the best educators in this line. During his years here he has not only been highly extremed by those associated with him in the school, but in social and business circles has many friends who regre the parting. He will take with him not kindly wishes, and friends here will for the saccess which is sure to come to him in his new field of labor.

Hose at cost. We are going to handling garden have, and have doubly the largest stock in the city. To close out we will self all grades and fixtures at dead cost, for cash, C. B. Paint & Oil company, Nos. 1 and 3. Masonic temple.

New fall goods just received at Reiter's, mer-chant tailor, 310 Broadway.

. J. G. Tipton, real estate, 527 Broadway.

THE OMAHA BEE THE NEWS IN THE BLUFFS.

Reuben T. Beebee, an Old Citizen, Supposed to Have Wandered Off and Perished.

TALKS ABOUT TAXES AND FINANCE.

The Situation of the School Board Muddle-Hurt in a Runaway-Personal - General Notes About the City.

A few days ago there were notices published in the local papers making Inquiries concerning Mr. R. T. Beebee, an old resident of this city, who had been missing nearly two weeks. Mr. Beebee is a brother of H. C. Beebee, manager of the American express company in this city. The notice which was published by his wife stated that he had been in poor health for some time and the indications pointed to the loss of reasoning powers. Inquiry revealed the fact that Mr. Beebee had left home and for several days nothing was thought of his disappearance, as it was supposed he had gone to visit relatives at Beebeetown in Harrison county. As time rolled on, his family concluded to write to that place, and they were very much surprised by a visit from Mr. Beebee of that place, who stated he had not seen nor heard of his brother. Thoroughly alarmed, an investigation was at once made. It was found that Mr. Beebe had gone to the Valley and from there had started from Beebetown in a vehicle. When near his brother's home he thanked his friends and left them. None of than fed his friends and set them. Hought anything was wrong with their passenger. From that time up to last night no trace had been secured of the missing man. It has been beaned that when Mr. Beebe left his home that Friday meraing he went to the local depot of the Chicago & Northwest orn company. There he boarded the express car of an outgoing train and went to Missour car of m outgoing train and went to Missouri Valley with the express messenger. Arriv-ing at Missouri Valley he stopped over to visit a brother, R. W. Beebe, who resides there. He passed a few hours with his brother, and then went to Bee's town with some friends of the brother there, who had spent the day in the Valley and were returning home overland. They saw nothing wrong with Mr. Beebee. He seemed bright and his mind was apparently clear during the time he was in their company. Arriving in Beebeetown this was lemonstrated by the fact that as they drew

up to the front gate of the residence of the missing man's brother, Mr. Beebee said: "Here we are! This is where my brother lives and I will part with you here." Mr. Beebee got out of the wagon and the other parties drove off, supposing, of course, that he was all right. But not so. The demented man evidently became bewildered and turning around walked away from his brother's house, and since then he has not

brother's house, and since then he has not been even heard of.

Mr. H. Beebee went to Missouri Valley and Beebeetown yesterday for the purpose of joining in the search, and it was expected that he would return on the 10 o'clock train with some tidings of the missing man. He is a man about forty-five years of age, tall and spare, and has a wife and two or three chil-den in this cit.

First-class dressmaking by Miss Walluce, over Cattlemen's bank.

A good hose reel free with every 100 feet of

hose purchased at Bixby's. Slightly Lower Taxes.

"The taxes for 1800 will be a little bit lower than we had to pay for 1889," said a city official yesterday, "but they are not as low as I would like to see them. The finance committee, and especially Alderman Lacy, felt very much disappointed when they found it would be impossible to make the promised reduction. When the condition of the various funds had been first glauced at and the needs of the coming year considered the finance committee felt assured that a reduction of at least 10 mills could be made from the levy of 1889. But after the committee got through with the work they found that they could not make the reductions promised. It was expected that the judgment fund could be cut down 5 mills, but it was found to be possible to reduce it but 4 mills and provide for the years' contingency. It was possible to make a slight reduction in the bridge fund, but there were some other funds where an increase was innerative. After all the needs for the year had been provided for it was found that there could only be a reduction of 1 mill in the levy of 1889, when it was 34 mills for all city purmake the taxes for the year a trifle less than

inst year. "I think the financial showing of City Treasurer Kinnehan and the recommenda-tions he made at the last meeting of the city council deserved more attention than they received at the hands of the council. T treasurer recommended the creation of sinking finad to pay the principal of the funded debt as soon as the bonds become pay-able. The statement was that the total amount of the bonded inachtedness of the

eity is now \$385,000. The bonds run for twenty years at an interest of b per cent per annum. At the end of twenty years, therefore, from the date Ahen these bonds were issued the city will Ahen these bonds were issued the city will have paid \$463,080 interest on them, or more than the principal amounts to. The treasurer has figured out what this interest would amount to if compounded, and finds that it would be \$41,067,20, making a grand total of the cost of the bonds of \$507,757. The treasurer argues that this is too much. On every \$300 worth of work which the city has done it will have noid at the cost. the city has done it will have paid at the end of twenty years the sum of \$600 in interest. The treasurer wants to know very much what or linary private business could stand such a steam, and he is in favor of shutting it off by paying every year a portion of the principal of the bonds in order to get them out of the way. The payment of the bonds is optional after ten years, and a large amount of them will be payable in three or four years. The treasurer's suggestion is that a sinking fund be started for the payment of the bonds as

Dr. C. H. Bower, 20 N. Main st.

To the Ladies-Miss Mary Gleason has returned from her castern trip—and—is—better prepared than ever to satisfy—all—who—want pret class dressmaking.—Rooms—in—the—old ibrary building, Pearl street.

Buy your lumber of The Judd & Wells Co.,

The School Board Muddle.

There were no new developments in the school beard mudale yesterlay. The teachers continued to follow the instructions of the superintendent as far as possible except in the matter of maginer their reports. All reports for the day are made to the members of the teachers' committee. It is evident that the board has started in upon a long game of freeze-out, and the three members who are opposing the superintendent have determined to let matters drift along as they ar until the next regular meeting, and when the monthly bills come up for allowance they will vote against allowing the salary of Prof. Mc-Naughton. The votes of the other three members to allow the bill will create a tie, and the bill will have to go over. This may be continued until the school year closes and the superintendent be required to collect his salary in the courts. This will be rather embarrassing, of course, but all the fun will not be on the side of the teachers committee. While they are reaping all the satisfaction that such a course will bring they will be compelled to purchase it dearly by devoting nearly all of their valuable time to the work

The only development of any interest yes-teriay was the publication in an evening paper of the charge of incompetency made by Prof. Stevens against Superintendent Mc-Naughton. The friends of McNaughton Naughton. The friends of McNaughton claim that in the original manuscript of these charges, now in possession of the board of education, they noted seventy-one errors in orthography. punctuation, capitalization, orthography, grammar and awkward construction of sentences, which Prof. Stevens failed to detect the publication of the

of superintending the schools.

charges created a little interest.

A member of the high school alumni came into THE BEE office and read the

charges over and concluded with the remark, accompanied by a broad smile: "A great many expressions in that column sound oddly familiar to me. When Chairman Schoentgen of the teachers' committee made his report at the end of the school year and addressed the alumni he made use of a great the end of the school year and addressed the alumni he made use of a great three schools. many sentences and expressions identically like those. It sets me to thinking and ask-ing myself if Prof. Stevens wrote John's report and his speech before the alumni, or if John wrote the professor's charges. There is such a marvelous similarity between the three productions that I can't help thinking and looking around for earmarks."

In the charges as published last evening there were some marked improvements upon the original, many of the glaring errors in syntax, rhetoric and construction which were noted in the original were eliminated in the mullication. in the publication.

To Graders - Bids are solicited for grading lot on Oakland avenue. For information ap-ply to J. C. DeHuven.

Shorthand. Miss Rhodes, Brown building. J. C. Bixny, steam heating, sanitary gineer, 943 Life building, Omana; 201 Mer Jam block, Council Bluffs.

Thrown from a Carriage. A day or two ago a brief paragraph announced that Mr. and Mrs. Phil Armour, now of Cherokee, this state, but former residents here, had been seriously injured by being thrown from a carriage. No particulars of the accident were given. It has been scertained that while out riding their and nal became frightened and in turning a corner the occupants of the vehicle were pitched out. Mr. Armour suffered the fracture of a leg and Mrs. Armour was seriously injured. She struck on her head, tearing loose the scalp and besides was badly bruised and cratched about the face.

The Manhattan sporting headquarters, 418

Commercial men, New Pacific, Council Bluffs, is under management of W.Jones with new sample rooms.

Communication for Cut-Off Island. A scheme was started yesterday for estabishing direct communication with Cut-Off sland that promises early fruition. Several local capitalists are arranging to establish a ferry to cross the river just above the pumping station. A first-class steamboat, capable of carrying several teams, and yet light and swift enough to make the trip quickly and at small expense, will be purchased and brought here. They have found just such a boat as they desire at Kansas City, and if it can be ought will be run up here and be making its trips within ten days. The council will be asked for a charter at the next meeting, which will no doubt be granted.

The question of telephone communication is tso being agitated, and it is probable that the city will make a demand upon the company for a direct line or the cutting off of all tolls over the line via Omaha. As the island is a part of Council Bluffs the charge of 10 cents subscribers is a violation of the company's harter. If the company will not consent to this, the city authorities will demand the construction of a direct line.

For Sale. Our retail furniture business, with good established trade. Stock is first class and well selected. Reason for selling, are going into the exclusive jobbing trade.

Any one wishing to go into business should investigate this, as it is one of the few golden opportunities of a life time,
C. A. Beere & Co.

A New Court House Janitor. The most important business transacted by the board of supervisors yesterday was the election of the overseer of the poor and the ianitor at the court house for the ensuing year. There was only one applicant for the position of poormaster, and that was the present incumbent, Mart Hardin, who has held the office so long. He was re-elected unanimously. The position of janitor was let to the lowest bidder, and there were but two bids, one from W. S. Wilkins, who has taken such excellent care of the county's big house during the past year, and James A. Keller. Wilkins' bid was \$1,620, and Keller's an even \$1,500, and he got the place. Immediately after his election was declared Commissioner Graham moved to increase his salary to \$1,020, and the motion was sus-tained. Mr. Keller has been connected with the Union elevator for a number of years, or

Wall paper at 3% cents per roll; not remnants, at C. L. Gillette's, 28 Pearl st.

an active and unsuccessful participant.

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That Park Tax. At the election last spring the people were asked to vote upon the proposition of assessing a hulf mill tax to create a sinking fund for the purpose of purchasing a park for the western part of the city. When the city levy was made at the council meeting last Monday night this fact was overlooked, and the park levy was fixed at one mill, the same as it had been for a number of years. In the board of county supervisors' meeting yesterday afternoon the question came up of approving the council's levy when Commis-sioner Graham, who is always zealously loosing out for the parks, discovered the oversight, and get the matter laid over until evening in hope the city council could be getten together for the purpose of correcting the error. The time passed, however, without accomplishing it, and the levy was approved as it stood and the tax voted by the

If you wish to sell your property call on the Judd & Wells Co., C. B. Judd, president, 606

The Colored Methodist Conference. Cincago, Sept. 5.-At today's session of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church conference there was a heated discussion over the fact that many ministers are short in payments to the general fund. Bishop Lomax closed the debate with a vigorous speech, in which he said if the older ministers could not do their duty by the church younger men would be selected. He admonished them to coase digging out classical sermons to read to their congruencians and to mons to read to their congregations and to talk common sense, and advised if they could not make a better showing to leave the pulpit, hire a mule and go to plowing,

Iowa Central's Annual Meeting. CHICAGO, Sept. 5.-The Iowa Central railway company, at its annual meeting this afternoon, elected Russell Sage president, H. J. Morse vice president and George R. Morse secretary and treasurer. Russell Sage, H. J. Morse, A. B. Stickney, G. E. Taintor, Ed-ward E. Chace, Robert T. McFadden, Dunlap Smith, C. H. Ackert and George R. Morse were elected directors. The annual report shows gross caraings of \$1,588,983, an increase of \$301,500 over last year; expenses, \$1,160,197, a decrease of \$1,530 from last year.

Miners in Peril.

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 5.-The lives of 300 men and boys working in the Cayouga mine were indeadly peril this afternoon through the burning of the engine house, and for a time excitement reaching pandemonium existed about the mouth of the mine, where a great crowd of men, women and children gathered. The fire stopped the fans, shutting off all the air currents and the suffocation of the mea seemed probable. The miners, how-ever, fied to the workings of the Brisbin mine, out of which they all escaped.

A Wisconsin Windstorm.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 5.—A special from Wausau, Wis., says the village of Aniwa, in Marchon county, was visited by a hurricane last night. One house was completely wrecked and a number of buildings, including the postoffice, badly wrecked. As far as

A South Carolina Swing LAURENS, S. C., Sept. 5 .- Bob Shelton, colored, was hanged today for the murder of William Ray Ford. LONE STAR REPUBLICANS.

derson; lieuteuant governor, W. K. McKem-

Proceedings of the State Convention at San Antonio. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 5 .- The republican state convention adjourned sine die this afternoon after nominating the following ticket: Governor, Webster Flanagan, Hen-

son, Willimson; attoracy general, J. T. Horuc, El Paso, comptroller, William Worthold, DeWitt; land commissioner, J. K. McDowell, Childress; treasurer, J. D. Schmidtz, Denton; superintendent of public instruction, Dr. W. Lidner, Bear, The platform reaffirms adherence to the principles of the republican party; endorses the administration of President Harrison; favors reciprocity treaties Harrison; favors reciprocity treaties with American states; favors encouragement by subsidies or otherwise, of lines of ocean transportation with said states; endorses the financial policy of the government, the silver bill, etc., and favors the Australian ballot and "all other proper measures that will ren-

Wisconsin Labor Convention. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 5-The state labor convention today was made up mainly of lelegates from Milwaukee, less than twenty

of the people,'

der a free and honest expression of the will

being here from the state. There was a strong sentiment expressed in favor of sup-porting Governor Hoard on account of the school law he represented, but the majority was for a straight ticket, which was nomi-nated as follows: Governor, Reuben was for a straight ticket, which was nominated as follows: Governor, Reuben May of Viroqua; Heutenant governor, N. E. Allen, Beaver Dam; secretary of state, W. N. Lickwood, Ripen; treasurer, Affred Mannheimer, Manitowoc; attorney general, K. Shawyan, Milwankee; state superintendent, J. W. Stewart, Brodhead; railroad commissioner, B. S. Bishop, Marinette, insurance commissioner, Chaues Marinette, insurance commissioner, Chanes Hatch, Calumet.

Nevada Republicans.

Vingenia, Nev., Sept. 5.-The republican state convention today made the following nominations: Governor, R. K. Colcord; supreme judge, R. R. Bigelow; district judge, R. Rising; congressman, H. F. Bartine; lieutenant governor, J. Ponjade; attorney general, J. D. Forreyson; secretary of state, O. H. Gray; clerk of the supreme court, Joseph Josephs; controller, R. R. Hornton; treasurer, John F. Eagan; surveyor general, John E. Jones; superintendent of public instruction, Orvis King; state printer, Joseph E. Eckley; university regents, E. T. George and J. W.

Collision in the East River.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.-The steampoats C. K. Northam and Continental, both of the New Haven line, were in collision in the East river this afternoon. Several persons on the Northam were injured, and for a time the wildest excitement prevailed on both vessels, which were crowded with passengers. The Northam's passengers were transferred to the Mohawk. No one was hurt seriously.

Checker Giants Contest. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 5 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The defiance opening

was drawn today for today's play in the checker contest. Freeman made four variations from the game following Anderson's and Busiev's play and Basker varied from the book play in the ending. The evening play ran on book lines and both games were

Engineer and Four Tramps Killed. Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 5.—It is reported here that a bad wreck of a freight train occurred last night on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas road at Caney, Kan., by the disconnection of a switch. The engineer and four tramps are reported killed and the fireman fatally scalded. Six cars of hogs were killed and eighteen cars of grain wrecked.

A Ripe Old Age.

S. H. Holcomb and wife, of Belcherville, Texas, have celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary, and are still hale and hearty. The secret of their long life and good health is that they correct any slight allment promptly, and in that way avoid serious sickness. Like most every one else, hey are more frequently troubled with constipation than any other physical disorder. To correct this they take St. Patrick's Pills in preference to any other, because, as Mr. Holcomb says, "They are a mild pill and, besides, keep the whole system in good order. We prize them very highly." For sale by druggists.

Steamship Arrivals. At London-Sighted: The Wieland and the Westernland, from New York.

At New York-The Gellert, from Hamburg; the Aller, from Bremen; the Helvetia, At Queenstown—The Umbria, from New York.

The Czarowitz on a Tour. St. Petersburg, Sept. 5.-[Special Cablegram to THE BEE. |-The czarowitz, who is soon to make a tour of Turkey and India, besides visiting the principal ports of China and Japan, will arrive at Constantinopie about the beginning of October.

Salonica Partially in Ruins.

SALONICA, Sept. 5 .- One-fourth of the city s in ruins. The British and Greek consulates, the Greek hospital and schools and the Turkish morgue have all been destroyed, Twenty thousand persons are homeless,

Danube Valley Railroad Submerged. VIENNA, Sept. 5 .- Floods have partially submerged the Danube Valley railroad line The rivers Kamp and Thaya have overflowed their banks, devastating the adjacent terri-

The new offices of the great Rock Island route, 1602, Sixteenth and Farnam streets, Omaha, are the finest in the city. Call and see them. Tickets to all points east at lowest rates.

Destructive Fires in Hungary. VIENNA, Sept. 5.-Reports of very destrucive fires still continue to come from Hungary. The latest dispatches say Szmolk and several Hungarian villages have been burned

Explosion in a Dynamite Magazine. La Rochelle, Sept. 5.-A disastrous ex piosion occurred today at a dynamite maga zine at the Pallice dock. Ten persons were instantly killed and many others injured.

The Fire Record. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 5.—Fire in the bulldings Nos. 4 to 18, South Eighteenth street, tonight did damage to various firms to the amount of \$165,000.

3 HARVEST EXCURSIONS SOUTH 3.

Via the Wabash Route. On September 9, 23 and October 14 the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to points in Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia and Florida, at Half Fare, good for 30 days. Remember the Wabash is the quickest route South and Southeast. Reclining Chair and Pullman Buffet Sleeping Cars on all trains. Only

324 " " Chattanooga, 40 " " New Orleans, 462 " " New York,

lo hours to St. Louis,

with corresponding fast time to all points South and East. For tickets and full information in regard to routes, also for a copy of the Southern Homeseekers call at the Wabash Ticket Office 1502 Farnam street, Omaha, or write G. N. Ciayton, Northwestern Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Grain Thieves Arrested. John Huntz and Lewis Barney, two Cut Off island graders, landed in the county fail yesterday afternoon.

For the past month the people in the vicinity of Arlington have been greatly annoyed by thieves, who visit that locality in the night and with wagons haut off loads of hay, corn and farm products. They grew tired of these raids and organized a band of regulators. After this they lived in peace and security until Thursday night, when a wholesale raid was made. Joseph McGuire and John McCombs lost several tons of hay, and a num-

ber of other farmers lost loads of grain, that were stolen from their cribs and graneries Yesterday morning, as soon as the loss was liscovered, McGuire and McCombs took the rail and followed it to the grading camp on Jut-Off Island, where two loads of hay stood a front of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the tent occupied by Hantz and James Va mostling wars and let the company of the in front of the tent occupied by Huntz and Barney. No questions were asked, but, hurrying away, McGuire and McCombs went before Justice Anderson, where they swore out the hands of a warrant, which was placed in the Sheriff Boyd, and an hour later the two thieves were locked behind the bars of the

HON. TOM MAJORS.

He Addresses the Republican Voters of the Sixth Ward.

The Sixth ward republican club held a very uthusiastic meeting last night at the club eadquarters, on Lake street near Twentysixth. It was announced that Hon. L. D. Richards, candidate for governor, would be there, but he was unable to be present on account of an engagement with Colonel Veazey at the Grand Island reunion. Christian Specht called the meeting to

order at 8:20, and Mr. Harry Broom was called upon for a speech.

Mr. Broom spoke vigorously and was fremently apprauded. He held that the republicans of Douglas county would prove tnemselves loyal to the party at the polls. The speaker compared the records of Richards and Boyd, and showed the fallacy of voting for the latter as against a man like Richards. He also spoke of the candidates for leutenant governor, Mr. Majors and Dr. Bear, and created a good deal of enthusiasm by his brilliant culogy of the loyal Tom Mose P. O'Brien was then called out and

addressed the club quite entertainingly for fifteen minutes. Mr. O'Brien touched upon the record made by Mr. Boyd during the great B. & M. strike several years ago, when Boyd called for the militia and the killing of George A. Armstrong took place. Hon. Thomas J. Majors, candidate for lieutenant governor, then appeared and was tumultuously applauded. He was introduced

and began to speak in a voice that seemed to be struggling through a dense fog or a cold win ter, it was so hourse. "This voice of mine may not please you to-night," said Mr. Majors, "for it is shattered. But it was not shattered by the democratic party; it was worn out, temporarily, while talking to the old soldiers on the open field at Grand Island-talking to the brave boy who fought to save the flag in the grandes army the world has ever seen." [Applause, Mr. Majors then reviewed his oriefly, telling how he enlisted in 1861 here is Omaha in General Thaver's regiment, and how he had followed General Thayer through to the end of the war. He spoke of Omaha when he first saw it, a village of about 3,000, and said he was proud to say that he was a pioneer of the state of Nebraska and proud of the grand young common wealth and proud of Omaha. now one of the greatest commercial centers in the United States. He then reviewed the

political situation and paid Hon. L. D. Richards, candidate for governor, a glowing tribute as a gentleman of loyalty, business ability and honest integrity "The old ship is all right," said Mr. Ma jors. There may be some of the sailors who have not stood by their posts of duty. but the grand old republican ship still plows the waves in triumph and will swing into the harber on November 4 with every loyal man safely on board." [Applause.]

Judge Miller, the attorney, was called and poke for five minutes, taking up the subteruges of the alliance party and urging the necessity of every republican standing loyal to the party at the coming election. Dan O'Keeffe was the next speaker. He eviewed Mr. Boyd's record upon the great

B. & M. strike and declared that by Boyd's unjust and foolish action the only bloodshed of the strike was brought on. "In conclusion I want to say," said Mr. O'Keeffe, "that Mr. Boyd is sending his hire lings all over the city closing the mouths of men who know his record, but I tell you he'll be a daisy if he closes my mouth." [Ap-

plause.]
Mr. D. M. Sells spoke briefly and was frequently applauded. He said he was a republican first, last and all the time, but he always respected an old soldier, whether he was a republican or a democrat. But he had learned to look upon the the democratic party as a conformation of contradictions and de-

as a conglomeration of contradictions and de grets of Mr. Richards at not being able to

"How are you going to run," is the ques-tion often asked me," said Mr. Majors. "Well, let me tell you. The democrats nom-inated Mr. Bear, and the prohibitionists nominated a colored man of Omaha as candidate for the same position as that to which I aspire. Now with a bear behind me and a colored man behind the bear you may look for the prettiest race over seen in Nebrasia," [Applause.]
"he club then gave three cheeas for Tom Majors, F. D. Richards and the whole ticket

Seventh Ward Democrats. The regular meeting of the Seventh ward democratic club was held at 1212 Park avenue last night. The small room in which the meeting was held was not crowded.

M. V. Gannon had been announced as the speaker of the evening, but while awaiting his arrival J. J. Points occupied the time by delivering an Gold time democratic speech, touching upon the tariff, and, going back to the rebellion, showed how the question of state's right's should have been settled.

While Mr. Points was speaking Mr. Gan-

non came in and was greeted with loud ap In closing his remarks Mr. Points discussed

the current questions of the day and then gave way to Mr. Gannon. The latter was loudly called for and responded by addressing the meeting in the sear, incisive manner which characterizes this gentleman in his speaking. Mr. Ganno touched briefly and severely upon recent in tional legislation and scored Speaker Reed. He then branched off on to the prohibition question, and a number of incidents which came under his observation during his res dence in Iowa. He also referred to his visi to Maine a couple of years age, and said he had seen more boys in Portland with bottles in their pockets than had ever been seen in Iowa and Nebraska together. A number of the iniquities of the Iowa law were pointed out, and the steps which should be taken to avoid

them in this state were touched upon in a forcible manner.

During Mr. Gannen's remarks the points loudly applauded and he was at made were loudly a tentively listened to. W. R. Vaughan was called for and ad-dressed the meeting on the prohibition ques-tion, which he said was the most important

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thing before the people.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Carleton opera company gave "The Brigands" for the third time last evening to a medium-sized audience. Miss Lane again carried off the honors, her versalitity, her conscientiousness and her excellent soprano voice winning encore after encare. Mr. Murray, Mr. Bigelow and Miss Winston were quite as interesting as on their first appearance. The chorus sang better, if anything, and, taken as a whole, the performance was very creditable indeed.

The Paegler Case, The case of Dr. J. H. Paegler, charged

with practicing medicine without a local right to do so, was called at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in police court. Dr. Paegler day afternoon is police court. Dr. Pargier produced a certificate of graduation from the American health college or the Virapathic institute of Cincinnati, where he claims to have taken a thorough course of instruction. The prosecution held that this alleged college had no authority to grant diplomas, and is therefore not a recognized or reputable college. Passier and his attorney contended that the school is all right, and that the laws of Ohio recognize it as a legiticontended that the school is all right, and that the laws of Ohio recognize it as a legiti-mate college, authorized to grant diplomas. Judge Helsley will not announce his decision in the case until next Monday. BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Lee Councellor, 1314 North Twentieth street, a girl. Mother and child PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

H. M. Reed of Chicago is at the Murray. A. L. Warrick of O'Neill is at the Casey. S. L. Wilson of Crete is at the Merchants H. H. Heaford of Chicago is at the Millard. A. W. Hayward of Chicago is at the Pax-

R. E. Knight of Yutan is stopping at the E. T. Hodson of Schuyler is a guest at the John C. Watson of Nebraska City is at the Millard.

J. A. Ware of St. Louis was at the Paxton last night. E. M. Shaw of Talmage is in the city at the J. L. Ayers of Fullerton was at the Mer-chants last night.

H. A. Halensworth of Portland, Ore., is registered at the Merchants. R. J. Kirkpatrick of Beatrice is in the city, at the Payton E. A. Barnes of Grand Island is a guest at

W. F. Hollin of Boston is in the city, at the Murray. J. A. Linville of Canton, O., is registered at the Murray. J. L. McLaughlin of Batavia, N. Y., was at the Murray last night.

James McDonald of Clear Water is In the ity, at the Casey. J. M. French, wife and daughters of Ottawa, III., are visiting Mrs. M. M. Hamlin of Kountze Place. W. C. Barder of Sloux City is a guest at

William A. Akin of Columbus, O., is regis-tered at the Millard F. A. Whiton of Ithaca, N. Y., was at the Millard last night.

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Marriage Licenses. Judge Shields issued the following marriage licenses yesterday: Name and address.

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BREVITIES.

James Allen has been appointed special agent to collect manufacturing sta-tistics in Nebraska and has opened an office in the government building. The salary is \$5 a day and he is allowed a secretary. Harry Aiken fills the latter position.

The custom house was in receipt yes terday of several cases of fancy pickles from London for McCord, Brady & Co. and two large safes to be used in the of fice of the postoffice building. Franklin D., the infant son of Mr. and

Mrs. F. D. Cooper, died yesterday after-

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