NAMED FOR NEW JUDGESHIPS.

Cmaha Attorneys Make Choice of Men to Recommend for Appointment.

HOW THE AFFAIR WAS CONDUCTED.

Resolutions Motions and Substitutes -Ballots That Named Lee Estelle, J. H. Davis, Frank Irvine and A. N. Ferguson.

A meeting of the District Bar association to nominate judges for the district beach is some time. not materially different in method or manner from the ordinary political gatherings known to the common people as conventions.

Hon. A. J. Poppleton called the meeting to order and placed Judge J. M. Wool worth in nomination for chairman. His election was unanimous. Judge Elder of Blair was elected secretary and the business of the meeting was opened.

Carroll Montgomery appeared to be closest to the ark of the covenant and brought the reshest intelligence from the gubernatorial front. He introduced the following resolu-

Resolved, That this meeting now proceed, after due nominations are made, to elect by ballot four members of thebar of this district, of whom not more than two shall belong to the same political party, whose names shall be presented to the governor of this state as the choice of this bar for the four vacant judg-ships of this the Third Judicial district, with the request that they be appointed by the governor to fill such offices.

Resolved, That every attorney residing in the district whose name is found upon the rolls shall be entitled to vote.

Resolved, That each ballot shall contain not more than four names until there has been a selection of one of more candidates, after which each ballot shall contain no more names than there are places to be filled, and there shall be no cumulating voting.

Resolved, That subject to the conditions stated, the first four candidates who shall receive a majority of the votes cast shall be declared the choice of the necting.

Joseph H. McIntosh thought it unwise to Resolved, That this meeting now proceed,

The county clerk's quarterly report showed the total amount collected as \$4,172,50 and expenditures as \$4,094,45, leaving a balance of \$78.15 on hand. Both reports were adopted. The Hussey-Day company asked to be allowed to withdraw its bid for furnishing gas for the county harvital extent to a Joseph H. McIntosh thought it unwise to select a man to fill Judge Clarkson's shoes.

Hasaid: "It is a delicate matter to put a man in nomination for this place, as we have nothing but a rumor that Judge Clarkson intends to resign."
George J. Hunt took the wind out of Mr.

McIntosh's sails by reading a telegram from Judge Charkson, in which he stated that his resignation had been forwarded to Governor Boyd, and that he desired that a man be nom-W. S. Strawn warmed up and moved to

adjourn. He kicked in the vigorous style of the man who is not in the deal and objected to a convention called with but twenty-four hours notice to select four judges for a dis-trict composed of four counties. He intimated that it was a put up job.

Judge Duffin wanted give the governor a little discretion, and he favored naming

twice as many candidates as were in de-mand, with the naive intimation to the gov-ernor that with this trifling exception the bar is willing to trust his judgment.

M. V. Gannon wanted to hear who was

running for the judgeships, and he thought the notice of the meeting was very much abreviated. He had heard on the streets a

Slate had been made up.

The motion to adjourn was defeated. Motions and substitutes and points of order were taken, but finally after Pat Hawes warned the old parliamentarian in the chair and Judge Ambrose that a motion to table an amendment would carry the whole subject to the table, it was agreed to proceed to an in-format ballot. A. J. Poppleton remarked that he was not up on parliamentary mo-tions, but he had no time to waste and did not want an informal ballot. Pat Hawes moved that the first ballot be formal, but he was told he was out of order. Justice Reed

was told he was out of order. Justice Reed wanted to be sure speech-making was not cut off. C. J. Greene hoped the nominating speeches would be brief.

Mr. McIntosh arose to a question of privilege and introduced the following:

Whereas Having heard the announcement authoritatively made that his honor. Judge Clarkson, contemplates tendering to the governor of the state of Nebraska his resignation of the office of one of the judges of the Third judicial district of the state; therefore be it Resolved. By the bar of the Third judicial district that we greatly regret the retirement of Judge Clarkson from the beach, for during the administration of the affairs, by his energy and industry he has done much to faciliergy and industry he has done much to facili-tate the speedy and equal administration of the laws and has particularly distinguished himself as a wise, fearless, upright and im-partial judge. This and the preceding resolutions were

adopted.
Nominations were then declared in order,
but not until Pat. O. Hawes' motion to allow

all lawyers who are engaged in practice a
vote, was carried.

A number of gentlemen wanted to make
nominating speeches, but this was declared
out of order. It was then decided that two out of order. It was then decided that two

two democrats.

Will Simeral was appointed assistant secretary and Judge E. T. Duffin, T. J. Mahoney, C. H. Green and Ralph Brecken ridge

The following names were placed before the convention: E. M. Bartlett, T. J. Morearty, George W. Shields, A. N. Ferguson, B. E. B. Kennedy, Frank Irvine, C. J. Smythe, Robert W. Patrick, W. W. Slabaugh, James Hassett, Lee Estelle and H. J. Davis. It was decided that the first ballot should be informant. The result was as follows. Bartlett 66: Movements, 24: Shields lows: Bartlett, 66; Morearty, 34; Snields 32; Ferguson, 62; Kennedy, 31; Irvine, 163; Smythe, 41; Patrick, 51; Shabaugh, 21; Hassett, 34; Estelle, 146; Davis, 172; Offutt, 13. Some member wanted to know who were the republicans and who were the democrats.
Charles J. Greene moved that Davis,
Estelle and Irvine be declared the choice of

the convention.

Strawn objected and called for a recount.

Mahoney said it was impossible, as many of the ballots had beendestroyed.

J. W. Eller insisted upon knowing the

J. W. Eller insisted upon knowing the politics of the can-tidates.

"Its no use asking," said Judge Woolworth, "as you will recognize them by the small number of votes they received."

The first formal ballot was taken and resulted as follows: Bartiett, 67: Morearty, 34; Shields, 21; Ferguson, 72; Kennedy, 24; Irvine, 187; Smythe, 34; Patrick, 38; Slabaugh, 11; Hassett, 27; Estelle, 173; Davis, 174; Offutt, 27. Davis, Estelle and Irvine were declared elected.

Before a ballot was ordered for the selection of the fourth candidate Kennedy with-

tion of the fourth candidate Kennedy with-drew, requesting his friends to support Fer-

Patrick said he was no longer a candidate and withdrew in favor of Offut. Montgomery insisted that Offutt was not at candidate and would not serve if elected. Judge Ambrose said that he knew Offutt would accept.

Some one suggested that a republican

might be elected for the fourth place, but this idea was put to rest by Judge Wool-worth, who said, "You must now prepare your ballots for a democrat-a man who Mr. Gannon withdrew the name of Morearty and asked his friends to support

The next ballot resulted as follows: Ferguson, 80; Offutt, 70; Smythe, 34, and Shield 2 votes. There was no choice. Again Montgomery insisted that Offutt would not serve if selected. On the next ballot Shields dropped out and

the result was: Ferguson, 77; Offutt, 62, and Smythe, 12 votes. There was no choice. The members of the convention grew tired and bolted for the door, but were held in check by the court bailiff, while the last ballot was taken with the following result: Ferguson, 77: Offutt, 57, and Smythe 3 votes Ferguson was declared the choice of the con

Montgomery moved that the chairman and four other members of the convention go to Lincoln and notify Governor Boyd of the

The chair announced that he could not The chair announced that he could not take time to make the trip.

Mr. Prichen offered as an amendment that the chairman and the secretary notify the governor of the result of the vote upon the candidates.

The amendment carried.

The political complexion of the sominees is as follows: Estelle and Davis are republicans, while Irvine and Ferguson are demo-

Hyland Took Aconite. The chemist has concluded his analysis of the stomach of James Hyland, the man who died so suddenly in Benson place on the night of March 13. He now gives as his pro-

effects of aconite potentiag.

Doctor Mason, the physician who prepared the medicine for Hyland, states that be prepared for him a drink of whiskey and gluger at Brown's drug store, but knows nothing about any aconite having been administered.

WEBB'S HEAD FALLS.

ment Removes a Good Man.

EXPENDITURES.

fixtures for the county hospital, owing to a misunderstanding of the advertisement, and

wanted its certified check returned by the

Van Camp moved to grant the prayer of

the petitioner.
"Do you want to return certified checks

every time?" demanded Chairman O Keeffe, "Yes," was the abbreviated reply, and the

Van Camp then moved to readvertise, but there was no second, and he then seconded Corrigan's motion to the effect that the contract be awarded to the next lowest bidder. The motion obtained the necessary three

Corrigan offered a couple of resolutions, one

declaring that John Reed should succeed W. H. Russell as engineer at the county hospital after April 1, and the other admonishing

county officers to purchase no new furniture or make any improvements without first ob-taining the consent of the board. Both mo-

tions were carried, although Timme objected to the first, and the chairman was required

The county clerk was instructed to adver

tise for two weeks for the sale of all build

ings owned by the county in Douglas addi-tion on April 10 to the highest bidder for

Corrigan said he had a resolution which he

supposed the clerk was too modest to read, and fished a 2x4 piece of paper out of his vest pocket. It provided that "henceforth the board will dispense with the services of Clerk Webb, that the duties heretofore performed by him shall devolve upon County Auditor Evans, and that the

county cler's shall take charge of the com missioners' records and papers until Mr

Evans assumes the responsibilities of said office, which shall be forthwith."

Timme couldn't see it that way, but there were three votes without him, the chairman voting for the resolution with the understanding that no additional help was to

Corrigan drews long breath and an ad

journment was taken for one week. Several of the county officers expressed to Mr. Webb their regret at his retirement, and it was

freely predicted that notwithstanding the implied retrenchment of Corrigan's resolution, a new clerk would be appointed within two weeks, and his name will be Jim Mont-

AN OASIS.

Pleasant Reminder That Everybody

Don't Kick at the Railroads.

against railroads and the proneness of trav-

elers and shippers to kick on the slightest

provocation, the life of the average railroad

official is not as blissful as some may imagine.

hence when a grateful mortal turns up and

actually takes the trouble to express his ap

preciation of the road and its service, it is

the occasion for rejoicing and congratulation. It is therefore not surprising that General Passenger Agent Francis should feel clated

over the receipt of the following letter from an old newspaper friend. Such little evi-

dences of appreciation come as rays of sun-shine and tend to break the monotony of the

Taily routine of railroad life.

North Lynn, Conn., March 19.—My Dear Francis: Following your advice, I have had the pleasure of riding over the Burlington

route from Denver to Chicago, and I want to thank you for the enjoyment of the journey.

It was a revelation to me, the superb ma

ner in which we were treated. I have traveled quite extensively by rail throughout the east and the west, and I have never found the equal of the Burilagton system. The ap-

pointment of its sleeping cars, dining cars and chair cars are perfect, and under the splendld management that this road has m-

spiendid management that this road has inaugurated, one is as comfortable in a railway
coach as he can possibly be outside of his
own home. Especially is their dining car
service worthy of praise. It is perfect in
every detail, and the fact that meals are
served for 75 cents instead of \$1, the price
asked on nearly all of the eastern and the
western roads unless it describes of the lib

western roads, makes it deserving of the lib-eral patronage that it enjoys.

I can always speak a favorable word for the Burlington with a clear conscience, after having ridden over its main line. May it

grow and prosper and may a liberal share of its prosperity fall to you. Yours truly, T. B. Holmes.

OMAHA'S OLD TIMERS.

They Organize by Electing Alf D.

Jones President.

Last evening's meeting of the old settlers

n the real estate exchange room bids fair to

result in an organization that will prove of

much benefit to the members and general in-

terest to visitors from ab road and the city in

general.
It was decided to organize a permanent so-

ciety, to be known as the Old Settler's asso-ciation, and Frank Hanlon nominated Aif D. Jones for president, which met with the unanitatous approval of the fifty old in-

habitants present.

For the other offices the following selec-

James S. Gibson, treasurer; Champion S. Chase, chief marshal; George O'Brien and Frank Hanlon, assistant marshals.

Rev. Luther M. Kuhns of the Sons of

Omaha delivered a short address. A move is being made te establish a library and Dr. Miller will furnish 400 volumes. It is desired to have all who have old news-

papers turn them over to the society to be placed in the library. There are at present sixty-five members, and this will be rapidly

increased.

The matter of holding a picnic was discussed at some length and the general sentiment was strongly in favor of one, but the perfecting of arrangements was deferred until a later meeting.

A soluty palese was adopted and will con-

A society badge was adopted and will consist of a gold button with a buffalo head in bas relief and the words "Old Settlers' Asso-

The society will meet once every three

months and the executive committee will fix

Old Settler's Funeral.

The old settlers of Douglas county are re-

quested to attend the funeral of Charles

Landrock at his late residence, corner of Howard and Seventeenth streets, at 2 o'clock on Monday next.

ALFRED D. JONES,

Secretary Old Settlers' association.

Patrick Morris' Funeral.

Patrick H. Morris, who died last Thurs-

day, was the organizer of the coopers' unions

daily routine of railroad life.

in these days of legislative enactment

motion prevailed.

to voice his opinion.

gomery.

Salary of judge
Salary of four clerks
Postage

fessional opinion that Hyland died from the effects of aconite poisoning.

Doctor Mason, the physician who prepared the medicine for Hyland, states that he prepared for him a drink of whiskey and ginger at Brown's drug store, but knows ginger at Brown's drug store, but knows are specied by the members of the order. He was an old resident of Omaha and was highly respected by Some Dissension large circle of acquain tances.

PAST AND COMING.

Entertainments That Dispet the Corrigan's Demand for Retreach-Weather's Gloom. The Metropolitan club gave a fancy dress Chairman O'Keeffe and Messrs. Corrigan,

party to the children of the club members Timme and Van Camp participated in the last night. political obsequies of Clerk Webb at the About twenty-five or thirty children meeting of the borrd of county commissionranging in years from a baby just able to ers yesterday afternoon. All was as serene walk to the sweet maiden of sixteen were as a May morning, but the clerk wasn't very present. Eight dances were on the promuch surprised after all, as he had been gramme for the little ones, and a merry time scanning the horison for portentious signs for they had. Light refreshments consisting of Some time.

County Attorney Mahoney presented a communication stating that the board had no power to lease part of the county bospital to a brick manufacturing firm, as the board was merely a servant of the people, elected by the people for the sake of convenience.

Light refreshments consisting of ices and cake were served to the juveniles about 10 o'clock and after a couple more dauces the young folks gave way to the club members who danced until midnight. Many of the costumes of the children were pretty, showing considerable taste and care in their getting considerable taste and care in their getting up. Here is a list of the young folks present and the characters they represented: Selma Hellman, night; Lilly Hellman, day; Miss Belle Robinson, queen of the butterflies; Miss Lena Rehfeld, a popeorn girl; Bella Adler, gypsy tambourine girl; Thena Auspacher, Italian peasant girl; Bertha Newman, Servian girl; Hattle Dryfoos gypsy Poormaster Mahoney's petition for a vehicle with which to convey the sick and infirm from the city to the county hospital was re-ferred to the judiciary committee. The report of the county judge for the last quarter of 1890 was reported on by the com-mutee on finance. It was as follows: Brought forward \$ 310 28
Witness fees in hand 30 56
Fees collected 1,446 10

pacher, Italian peasant girl; Bertha Newman, Servian girl; Hattie Dryfoes, gypsy girl; Lena Iseman, Dutch peasant girl; Cora Becker, huntress; Louis Becker, hunter; Leos Seligson, Lafayette; Richard Grotte, Uncle Sam; Arthur Grotte, Italian count; Henry Grotte, Spanish student; Max Rehfeld, Little Lord Fauntleroy; Clara Goldsmith, flower girl; Edna Goldman, flower girl; Jacob Newman, Hamist, Elsia Gotz, flower girl; Newman, Hamlet, Elsie Gotz, flower girl; Minnie Hiller, fairy; Jesse Gotz, German peasant girl; Laura Gotz, Japanese girl; Kittie Pollock, Kute Greenway; Farmie Myers, maid of Servia; Louis Hiller, little

boy blue. The children presented a very pleasing sight, dressed in their rare colored costumes, as they whirled in the waltz or danced the

Feasted and Danced. An Easter feast concert and ball was given by the Swiss Singing society in Germania hall last night.

All the members of the other musical societies were tendered invitations and consequently a large party filled the hall early. Music and singing were the order on the programme up to the eighth number, then a one-act farce, "Der Dritte," was enacted by the Misses Ida Cordt, Emma Wuethrich, Mesdames Gottl, Wuethrich and Mr. Saller, which was terminated in the manufacture of the way to be a second or the manufacture of the which was very acceptably rendered. At the close of the musical programme the party enjoyed themselves dancing until nearly midnigat,

A Promised Benefit. A benefit for Prof. Bennefeld, the instructor of the Omaha turnverein classes will be given at Germania hall Saturday evening, April 11. The boys', girls' and ladies, classes will make up the programme.

The three advanced classes of the turnverein will perform on the bars, high and
low horses, the whole to conclude with an calisthenics and vaulting to be

CAPTAIN CATLEY ACQUITTED. Verdict Exonerating Him Returned-

given by the bears.

Some Army Notes. The verdict of the court-martial before which Captain Henry E. Catley, Company C, Second in fantry, was tried has been reviewed by General Brooke and it did not meet with his approval. The verdict found that Captain Catley was not guilty in every charge preferred, but General Brooke in a prief but caustic review of the case says he is unable to see why such a verdict should be returned in the face of the evidence pro-duced. This will not change the status of the case, however, so far as Captain Catley is concerned, for an acquittal by a court-mar-tial is the end of a case. Captain Catley is, therefore, reinstated and is in charge of his company at Fort Omaha.

Major Worth of the Second infantry, lately

promoted from captain of the Eighth infantry, will leave Fort Robinson in a few days for his new station at Fort Omaha. A board of officers will meet at headquarters of the department of the Platte on April 2, to examine four non-commissioned Lieutenant Dravo, Sixth cavalry, now stationed at Fort Niobrara, has been ordered to proceed to the Rosebud Indian agency to enlist a troop of Indian scouts for his regi These scouts are to be known as ... The troop will be fifty-five strong, and will be allowed its share of non-com-missioned officers the same as other organ-

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

N. E. Aga of Valley is at the Casey. P. Vickler of Pones is at the Murray. F. Lemon of Ashland is at the Paxton J. Warrick of Superior is at the Casey. J. F. Allen of Fremont is at the Murray C. H. May of Chicago is at the Paxton. J. H. Barron of Wyoming is at the Paxton.

A. E. Ailken of Kearney is at the Paxton. J. C. Stone of Glenwood, Ia., is the Millard. J. F. Griffin of Newcastle is at the Millard. Mrs. Griswold of Fremont is at the Casey. M. D. Welsh of Lincoln is at the Murray. W. I. Allen of Elkhorn is at the Murray Arthur Chase of Chadron is at the Casey, P. L. Johnson of Hastings is at the Casey. Mrs. F. W. Kinney of Blair is at the Pax-

S. E. Phelps of Plattsmonth is at the Pax-H. H. Wallace of Tekamah is at the Del-C. G. Sanford of Avoca, Ia., is at the Del-

William Jacobson of Hastings is at the

Thomas A. Helwig of Craig is at the Will Feretz of Grand Island is at the Merchants. Atex Peterson of Kearney is at the Mer-

chants. George A. Gray of Coleridge, Neb., is at Clarence Engle of Nebraska City is at the Miss D. E. Ballinger of Wansen, O., is at he Millard.

Mrs. Stuart Hayden returned Wednesday from New York.

Mrs. W. S. Woodworth and two children re stopping at the Millard.

W. R. Knapp and wife, G. W. Jones and D. A. Bennett of York are at the Casey. Miss Venus Webb and Mrs. L. R. Britton leave tomorrow for Chicago on a two weeks'

A. S. Mercer, editor of the Northwestern Live Stock Journal of Charles Live Stock Journal of Cheyenne, is in the city, being on his way to Chicago to attend to matters relating to the live stock depart

"Sing Something,"

This stereotyped expression is heard on every hand, but the difficulty seems be-to get something to sing. This lifficulty is now removed by the Charles A. Vogeler Co., Baltimore, Md., to whom thanks are due for a generous sup-ply of popular songs and ballads, issued in fu l, regular sheet music size, finely embellished. It is a novel and effective means of reminding the public that so long as the great remedy for pain, St. Jacobs Oil, exists, there is something else that "soothes" the pains and aches of suffering humanity. Readers can now offer no excuse when asked to "sing something," as you can obtain a list of these fine selections from the above firm, who will also furnish any one or more of them at the rate of a 2-cent stamp for each copy desired upon application to them or your druggist. Let us sing.

Take the "Old Sloux City Route" S. C. & P. R. R. for Sioux City, Huron, Pierre, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and the entire north and north west.

The unpleasant novelty of a clergyman suing his wife for a divorce is furnished by

MEN RESOLUTE.

Some Dissension as to the Object, But Unanimity in the Result.

WORK OF THEIR BIG MASS MEETING.

Arguments Against the Newberry Bill. and iteasons for Its Disapproval -Other Resolutions Adopted at the Meeting.

Washington hall was filled last night with railway men in response to a call for a mass meeting to consider the question of organizing all union men in the state for mutual protection. Those in attendance represented all classes of railway employes, including clerks, mechanics, engineers, switchmen, etc. F. H. Daily called the meeting to order and David Knox was chosen chairman and W. J.

Carroll secretary. Chairman Knox, in assuming charge of the meeting, dilated at great length on the New berry bill and its probable effect.

Dan Honin stated that through some mistake the chairman had not been furnished with a copy of the call for the meeting. He stated that a subject would be presented to the meeting for its consideration which was of far more impertance than the Newberry bill or anyother law which might be enacted. The meeting had been called for the purpose of forming a federation from the general manager to the man who shovels coal, so as to present an unbroken front to anything which opposed the best interests of the railroad men.

Chairman Knex took occasion to denounce any such scheme as all bosh.

A motion was made and seconded that n other business be considered except the Newberry bill. The question was put and the

motion carried unanimously.

T. H. Daily moved the appointment of a committee to formulate a series of resolutions on the Newberry bill. The motion prevailed and the following committee was appointed: Charles Unitt, Union Pacific; Joseph Bacthy, Editor and Pacific States and Pacific Stat pointed: Charles Child, Chilon Pacific, Joseph Beatty, Elkborn road; E. Dunn, Union Pacific; C. A. Davidson, B. & M.; Henry Nye, B. & M.

The committee withdrew and loud cries

were made for Charles Green, attorney for the B. & M., who proceeded to the platform and addressed the meeting. The well known origin of the Newberry bill was dwelt upon, and the speaker showed its arbitrary feat-ures. He then spoke of railroads as an in-restment and outled figures to show that vestment and quoted figures to show that rallway stocks were anything but profitable. Coming to the question of rates, the speaker said Nebraska farmers had the advantage over the farmers of New York and Pennsyl-vania and Illinois, and the cry in the cast had been that the east was being sacrificed to the interests of the west.

to the interests of the west.

The committee on resolutions through its chairman presented the following preambles and resolutions, which were read by the sec-

and resolutions, which were read by the secretary and adopted unatimously:
Whereas, House Roll No. 12, commonly known as "the Newberry maximum rate bill," has, after a protracted struggle, been passed by both houses of the Nebraska legislature—in the senate by a very meazer majority; and Whereas. The effect of said bill is to reduce the freight rates within the state of Nebraska by over 30 per cent, the direct result whereof will be a proportionate raduction on traffic west of the Colorado and Wyeming boundaries; and

west of the colorans ries; and Whereas, Said reduction is manifestly unfair, unreasonable and rumous; being in effect a reduction below the actual cost of transpora reduction below the actual cost of transportation, and
Whereus. It is a matter of public not oriety
that said bill was drafted by parties absolutely ignorant of the railroad business or the
cost of transacting the sinne and that the
rates named therein were arrived at without
knowledge, experience or judgment being, as
is alleged, copied bodily from the lowest tarifiever in effect in a neighboring state, and
Whereas. Said sweeping reduction and wild
assault upon the enrings of railroad companies can have but one result, to-wit: an
immediate reduction to the lowest practicable
limit of all operating expenses, the prompt
discharge of every employe whose services
can by any make-ahift be dispensed with, the
instant discontinuance of works of renewal,
improvement or construction in every department of the railroad business within this
state, and the probable removal to more liberal jurisdictions of headquarters, machine
shops, supply depots, etc., and,

partment of the railroad business within this state, and the probable removal to more liberal jurisdictions of headquarters, machine shops, sapply depots, etc., and.

Whereas, Said results surely entail the immediate consequences of reduced wages, shortened hours, and a horde of discharged employes, to the absolute rula of hundreds, the scattering of hard carned homes and families, and the sore and certain loss to every man employed by a railroad company in Nebraska; now, therefore, be it.

Resolved, That we, the railroad employes of the City of Omaha and Douglas county. In meeting assembled, do hereby denounce and protest against the passage of said so-called "Newberry bill," or any bill of like sweening and ill considered nature; we believe said bill to be a direct assault upon the interests of the wage workers of the state of Nebraska, especially those engaged in the oberation and management of railroads, and we believe that the enforcement of this bill will surely be followed by a similar attack upon all other branches of wage earning labor; we believe, should this bill become a law, that it will work disaster to the interests of the state at large, to the business men of cities and villages alike; that it will effectually ruin the confence of capital as to this state, already badly shaken; that it is not the legislation desired by the masses of the people of Nebraska, and that the public expression at the polis would show an enormous majority against it; we believe it to be the enactment of unwise, impractical, inexperienced. Uliterate and unreasonable individuals; unjust in itself and unrea

which was adopted with our one dissenting voice;

Whereas, The World-Herald, a newspaper published in the city of Omaha, has from the time of its consolidation under its present management assumed the role of and posed as the friend and champion of the workingman, the advocate of the wage earner and the defender of the oppressed; and

Whereas, Said World-Herald in its recent issues has seen fit to strongly advocate the

man, the advocate of the wage earner and the defender of the oppressed; and

Whereas, Said World-Heraid in its recent issues has seen fit to strongly advocate the passage and approval of the so-called "Newberry maximum rate bill: and similar bills introduced at the present session of the Nebraska legislature, looking to the direct ruin of railroad interests, and thereby the certain injury of all employes of such corporations; and

Whereas, The said World-Heraid has deemed it proper to go outside the line of its legitimate business as a purveyor of news and falsehoods by the circulation and advocation of a public petition to our honorable governor and fellow citizen, calling, upon him to sign and approve the said so-called Newberry maximum rate bill; and

Whereas, The said World-Heraid exists mainly by the grace of an inherited capital originally earned almost wholly through the friendly offices, and drawn from the treasuries of railroad comprises; and

Whereas, The actions of the said world-Heraid in connection with the said so-called Newberry maximum rate bill; are inconsistent with its declared policy and the professions of its management; and

Whereas, In numerous issues of the said paper it has been claimed that the railway employes of this state are petitioning the governor to veto the said bill under coercion and compulsion of their employers; now, therefore, be it
Resolved, That we, the railroad men of Omala and Bouglas caunty, in mass meeting assembled, do hereby denounce and condemn the action of the said World-Heraid, its management and editors, in the star at taken by it and them upon the question of the so-called Newberry maximum rate bill, and the petition in connection therewith now in circulation by said World-Heraid; that we brand and stigmatize as an unqualified falsehood and deliberate lie the assertion that in petition-ing our governor to withhold his signature from the said bill we are acting under coercion, compulsion or instructions of any party or parties whatever, and we deem an insuit t

It was then ordered that the committee on resolutions be authorized to proceed to Lan-

coln and notify Governor Boyd of the action of the meeting.
On motion of George Hines of the Union Pacific freight office the secretary then read the call for the meeting to which Dan Honin had referred in his remarks. Following this T. H. Daily istroduced the following resolu-tion and moved its adoption:

Whereas, A movement for some years past in progress has finally culminated in organi-zation of the agricultural population of the United States into a body offensive and de-

ration of the agricultural population of the United States into a body offensive and defensive; and

Whereas. The interests of the railroad employes of the United States have heretofore been mainly protected by brotherhoods or lodges in the nature of trades unions, formed especially in the interest of the several classes of employes embraced in each thereof; and whereas, No organization is at present in existence to watch over or protect the interests of railroad employes generally; and whereas, the said organization of the agricultural community is a direct and dangerous menace to the best interests of the wazeworkers of the United States, and especially the nen employed in the railway service; therefore be it

Hesolved. That we the railroad men of the city of Omaha, Neb. representing the various lines centering in said city and doing business in said state, do deem it absolutely necessary to our best interests and essential to the welfare of railroad employes throughout the United States at large to organize and band together for the mutual protection of our own interests; to that end it is hereby

Resolved, That a committee be nominated and appointed to formulate a plan of action, with authority to call a meeting at a subsequent date, at which said meeting said plan of action shall be submitted for ratification, approval and organization; and further that the said committee shall have power and it is hereby authorized to communicate with and consult any and all similar organizations, present or prospective, in this or neighboring states, with the objects hereinbefore mentioned.

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A motion was made to adjourn. The chairman was strongly in favor of the mo-tion and made lengthy remarks in favor of adjourning, but the motion was lost, The question being on the adoption of the resolution, it was carried unanimously, although the president tried hard to dodge the

On motion of Dan Honin T. H. Daily was empowered the committee called for by the resolution. This motion was characterized as "very peculiar" by the chairman, but It carried unanimously.

The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the committee

A Chadron Protest. CHADRON, Neb., March 28. - | Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-The article in the Omaha World-Herald of March 27, saving that the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railway company was compelling its em-

ployes to sign a petition to Governor Boyd to veto the Newberry maximum rate bill under threats of losing their situations is false and scurrilous and does great injustice to the employes. Each and every one who signed the petition here did so of his own free will and accord with a view to the best interests of the laboring classes and all concerned in the welfare of the state, believing that if the bill becomes a law it will work great and long hardships to the laboring classes as well as an injustice to the railroads who employ them. All who signed the petition did so with that end in view and not by force, as the World-Herald would have the people of the state believe.

Signed by George L. Harner, foreman of Signed by George L. Harner, foreman of shops and mayor of Chadron; Mat Borach, storekeeper and shop clerk; William Eason, machinist; W. S. Gallup, machinist; James Grady, blacksmith; Joseph A. Rymer, blacksmith helper; Thomas O'Neil, boiler maker; James Ball, wiper; E. L. Harrison, blacksmith; H. Cram, boiler maker; George C. Parker, engineer; John Pritzuse, engineer; W. C. Foster, wiper; H. C. Mason, foreman car department; John A. Root, car carpenter; P. O. Connell, track foreman; C. A. Seapy, clerk; John R. Peverett, agent, and 100 others.

Modern Woodmen. York, Neb., March 28 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-- A Modern Woodmen of the World camp has been newly organized in this city with the following officers: George F. Corcoran, consul commander; James Hogan, clerk; C. S. Edwards, banker; L. F. Southworth, escort; G. H. Spears, watchman; A. C. Foster, secretary; Dr. G. W. Shieller, physician; board of managers, T. M. O'Neal, J. D. Richardson and T. D. Buchanan.

The Jury Couldn't Agree. Cork, March 28 .- The jury in the trial of Michael O'Brien, Dalton and others charged with rioting and assaulting the police at the time of the trial of Dillon and O'Brien, today announced that they were unable to agree a verdict in the case of Dalton, but rendered a verdict of "not guilty" as to the other prisoners. [The jury failed to agree in the case

Seized a Big Distillery. SAN FRANCISCO, Cala., March 28.-It has been stated that the distillery and winery of the Gallegos wine company at Covington, one of the largest establishments of the kind in the state, was seized by revenue officers or account of frauds alleged to have been perpe trated in the unlawful use of untaxed brandy The value of the plant is about \$200,000.

Three Killed in a Wreck. ASHLAND, Pa., March 28. - While a freight train on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad was ascending the grade from Locust Summit last night the locomotive jumped the track near Barry station and rolled down an ombankment, carrying with it thirty-two freight cars. Engineer Walker and Fireman Oches and also a passenger engineer were in stantly killed. The conductor was probably

Trying to Float the Galena. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., March 28 .- Ar effort is now being made to float the United States steamer Galena at Grayhead. It was found that she could be pumped out without much difficulty and tugs are now trying to

ATCHISON, Kan., March 28.- |Special Tele gram to THE BEF. |-Andrew Parsons of Dorchester, Neb., a B. & M. freight brake man who was mangled at Brenner, Kan. Thursday night, died this morning at

Crushed by a Rock. GALLUP, N. M., March 28 .- A. E. Casady Pat Lynch and an unknown Frenchman were killed this morning in the Caledonic coal mine by a rock which fell upon them.

The Dakota Hot Springs. The improvements that have taken place at the Dakota hot springs during the past year make it now one of th most popular, attractive and desirable resorts in the country. In addition to the benefits to be derived from the use of the water, the superior climate and beautiful natural surroundings render is an especially attractive resort, while the curative properties of the water make the springs a rival of the famous hot springs of Arkansas. Ample hotel ac-commodations are provided at reasonable rates and the journey to and from can now be quickly and comfortably made via the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad, which has been completed to the hot springs. Excursion lickets are sold at reduced rates. Full nformation can be obtained upon application to any agent of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missourt Valley railroad or by addressing J. R. Buchanan, general passenger agent, Omaha.

Newfoundland Chooses Delegates. HALIPAX, N.S., March 28 .- The Newfoundland legislature has appointed delegates to proceed to England to oppose the adoption of the imperial coercion laws.

The people in the vicinity of Sherman & McConnell's Dodge street pharmacy have been wearing life preservers for the past few days, as the flood of mineral waters they are laying in for spring trade threatened to inundate their habi tations.

The Bank Not in Trouble. NEW YORK, March 28.-There was no unusual excitement at the Mechanics' and Traders' bank today. President Boskountz denied that the bank was in trouble in any way and offered a reward of \$1,000 for evi dence that will convict the person or persons

who instigated the reports concerning the stability of the institution. A clearing house committee today examined the affairs of the Mechanics' and Traders bank and found it to be in a perfectly solvent condition. All reports affecting its solvency or suggesting irregularities the committee declare unfounded.

Missouri's Cattle Quarantine. Sr. Louis, Mo., March 28,-Governor Francis has issued a proclamation ordering a strict quarantine against southern cattle on account of Texas fever.

Gone Into Insolvency. Boston, Mass., March 28. — Thomas C. Lathrop, treasurer of the Beston car spring company, has gone into insolvency.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

Celebration of the Lord's Resurrection by the Churches. Great proparations have been made to cele brate the joyous Easter festival. Each church in the city has been decorated and will have special services as indicated by

these announcements: German Methodist Episcopal-Rev. H. A. Triber, paster of the German Methodist church, Twenty-eighth and H streets, will deliver an Easter sermon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Regular Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

St. Agnes' Roman Catholic-Easter services in St. Agnes', Twenty-third and Q streets, Rev. Father D. W. Moriarity, priest in charge, assisted by Rev. Father Cl Mugan, on Easter Sunday will be as fol Low masses at 7 and 8:30 o'clock, and St. Clair's high mass will be sung at 10:45 o'clock, to be followed by the bene-diction and the blessed sacrament. Special music has been prepared for the occasion and an orchestra has been engaged. The choir will consist of Mrs. Epps Corey, organist and Mrs. Dennis McCalley soprano; Miss Minnie Morearty, alto; Mr. Thomas P. O'Grady, tenor, and Mr. William Perry, baso. St. Clarke was in Court had been also been described by the control of t St. Clair's mass in G will be sung.

Presbyterian—Rev. Robert L. Wheeler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, the Church of the Stranger, Twenty-fifth and Letreste has the stranger.

streets, has arranged elaborate Easter services. The choir, consisting of Mrs. Edward D. Munshaw, organist; Miss Ella McDonald, soprano; Mrs. George F. Kiser, alto; Mr. James C. Carley, tenor; Mr. James B. Smith, bass, has prepared fine Easter music. The arranged programme is as follows:

In vocation
Dexology Led by
Scripture Lesson—"Old Easter Anthem"

Hymn-"Tis Midnight and on Olive's Brow."
Baptism of Children.
Duet and chorus-"King of Love"....Messrs. J. C. Carley and James B. Smith
Prayer of Consecration.
Distribution of Brend.
The Lord's Supper. REGULAR MORNING SERVICES.

of a Doye". Benealction. The evening services will be as follows:

Mr. James B. Smith
Baptist—Rev. Thomas Stephenson, pastor
of the First Baptist church, 't wenty-seventh
street, between M and N streets, will preach
Easter Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on "The
Resurrection," and at 7:30 o'clock in the evening on the revival work. Revival meeting will be held every night during the week.

Methodist Episcopal—The Easter services in the Methodist church will be: Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. The superintendent will conduct a review of the work during the last quarter. Easter sermon by the pastor Rev. C. N. Dawson, at 11 o'clock. Class meet ing at 12 m., led by Joseph O. Eastman, Ep-worth League meeting at 6:45 p. m., led by R. C. Young. At 7 o'clock in the evening will be concert exercises. A fine literary and inusical programme will be rendered. John G. Irwin's Declination.

John G. Irwin, the democratic war-horse who was nominated without a struggle as a candidate for the board of education, has refused to be a candidate, and sent City Clerk John J. Ryan the following letter of declina-

tion:
CITY CLERK RYAN--DearSir: I hereby notify
you that I do not wish to have my name appear on the ballot for school director on election day, as I firmly but respectfully decline
to make the race. I am respectfully yours,
JOHN G. IRWIN.

Erster Dinner. The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church, last night gave one of the most palatable Easter dinners and pleasant socials ever given in a church in the city, besides a coordial welcome to all friends and an entertaining way that made all feel comfortable and at home. A splendid bill of fare of viands as well prepared as they were nicely served, was given friends present.

Broke Her Arm. Mrs. Dopita, aged eighty-one, residing with her son, Joseph Dopita, fell down stairs and fractured her left forearm in two places. One fracture was just above the wrist and the other just below the elbow. The plucky and venerable lady bound up the membe and walked to a surgeon's office to have the fractures reduced and the wounds dressed.

Robbed While at Hom .. A courageous thief Friday afternoon tered Dell Edwards' residence, 2616 M street, and carried off his vest, containing his watch chain, lodge pin and a purse containing mor than & in money. Mr. Edwards and his family were in an adjoining room at the time

Notes About the City. John A. Doe is on the invalid list. Charles T. Van Aken has returned from Hillsdale, Mich.

A first-born son has been born unto Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weppner. The cleaning of N street caused a showe of praises on the zealous laborers. At 10 o'clock today Fred Bowley and Will iam McCraith will shoot a \$25 match at the Third ward range.

Court Magic City, No. 168, Independent Order of Foresters, will give its third annual ball in Rowley's ball Monday evening. Mr. Burns, Union Pacific night agent, has just returned after a fortnight's visit with his parents in Scribner and friends in Fre-Morgan Heafey found a valuable gold

watch charm, which the owner can have by calling at Heafey & Heafey's undertaking rooms, Twenty-fourth street Mrs. Robinson, wife of John D. Robinson, of the G. H. Hammond company, has received word that her brother in Detroit, Mich., is dead. Mrs. Robinson will start at

Committeemen from the various courts of Foresters to make arrangements to receive High Chief Ranger Patrick Cummings and High Chief Kanger J attion ex-High Secretary William Kirkpatrick on their visit to this city next month will meet in Ancient Order of United Workmen hall at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

DEATH NOTICES.

Notices of five lines or less under this head, fifty cents; each additional line ten cent . McARATH—Mrs. Kate, aged 40 years, at 3124 Taylor avenue, yesterday, of la grippe, after an illness of several weeks. McAUTHERS-Mrs. Kate McAuthers, at her residence on Ames avenue and 34th street, at a. m. yesterday morning. Funeral and an account of the street of the stre FRANKLIN-William. aged 27 years, at Flannery hotel, 10:8 South Tenth street, at 2p. m. yesterday, of pneumonia, after an illness of two hours. Funeral notice later.

WIMANS—March 28, Hazel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wimans, aged 5 years and 6 months. Funeral today at 2 p. m. from the fami y residence, 1209 Howard street, to Forest Lawn.

Forest Lawn.

ARMSTRONG—March 28. Harold Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong, aged 4 months, at the family residence. 1018 South Eleventh street. Remains will be taken to Beaver City, Neb., today.

PILLSWORTH—Edward A., aged & years, at Thirty-foarth and Ames avenue, yesterday morning, of pneumonia, after an illness of five days. The remains will be forwarded to Troy, N. Y., for interment.

MEDER—George, aged & years, at Eighteenth and Nicholas streets, of la grippe. A wife and one child survive. Foreral this afternoon at 1 o'clock from German Catholic church, Douglas, near Sixteenth wirect.

EDWARDS—March & May Francis, daugh-EDWARDS—March 28 May Francis, daughter of E. J. and Mary Edwards, aged I year and 6 months. Funeral today at 2 p. m. from family residence, 1025 Souin Tweaty-third street, to Forest Lawn. Friends invited.

WHAT M'KEIGHAN WILL DO.

The Congressman Maps Out a Programme of His Intentions.

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE REPORTED.

Omaha Engulfs a Guide Rock Young -Fearful Jump of an Elkhorn Brakeman-Other State News.

KEARSEY, Neb., March 28 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE,]-Hon. W. A. McKeighan addressed a large audience at the opera house this evening on the political issues of the day. National legislation was treated of from an independent standpoint. McKeighan said that he would introduce a bill in congress to amend the constitution providing that senators of the United States shall be elected by a direct vote of the people, and that he would vote for an unlimited free coinage of gold and silver. In the course of coinage of gold and silver. In the course of his remarks he denied the accusation that he had ever been a democrat. He said that he would vote with the republicans in the next congress conditionally, that they must introduce measures that would meet his approval, and the democrats vice versa. He paid a glowing tribute to labor and spoke encouragingly of the eight hour movement in our own logislature supporting this measure. our own legislature, supporting this measure for the reason that laboring men must have time to think and read. On the eve of the campaign for the city election the speaker's remarks were very suggestive.

He Disappeared in Omaha. Guide Rock, Neb., March 28 .- [Special to

THE HEE. |-This community is greatly stirred up about the mysterious disappearance of Leland Parker, assistant postmaster at this place. He was a young man more than ordinary intelligence and was exceedingly popular. About six months ago he left home to finish his education at Burlington, Ia., where close application to his studies caused his health to break down and he was compelled to return home about four weeks ago. This greatly worried him, as he was very ambitious and wanted a finished education. He brooded over the matter and came to the conclusion that he was a mental failure, and although he had the kindest care from loving parents it seemed that he could not endure the idea of his disappointed hopes. His father tried to induce him to consult and take father tried to induce him to consult and take treatment from some eminent specialist in mental troubles, bet for a long time he resisted the idea as useless. Sunday, March 15, he brightened up and told his father he had concluded to go to Omaha at once and consult a physician there. His father urged him to wait until next morning and he would so with him but he morning and he would go with him, but he insisted that it was not necessary, so he was rejuctantly allowed to go alone. He went to Omaha, consulted the physician and told him he was going to return home at once. Since then no truce of him has been discovered, atthough every effort has been made to find

Parker is about twenty-three or twentyfour years old, slim built, light complexion and hair, wears a light mustache, and when he left home was neatly dressed in black or dark clothes, seal brown overcoat and derby hat. His general appearance is rather delicate. His parents are nearly crazed over his

disappearance. A Snow- tound Train. NELSON, Neb., March 28 .- [Special to Tirm Beg. |-The Rock Island train due here at 6:30 Tuesday evening of this week is still snow bound at Ruskin, fourteen miles east of here. Shovellers are progressing as rapidly as possible in clearing the track and the train expects to get here today. The snow is packed so hard that the snow-plow has

Proved uscless.
Considerable interest is manifested in school matters just now. One of the teach ers has been asked to resign, because, while she has been very free with the rod, she has failed to have good government. She refuses to resign and has employed legal talent to prevent the board from discharging her. The school board had a meeting last night and after listening to a statement from the cacher decided to hire as

teaching on Monday. Whether a conflict en-sues or not will then be seen. A Prakeman's Frarful Jump. VALENTINE, Neb., March 28 .- [Special Telegram to The Bee.j-George Daley, a brakeman on the night train of the Elkhorn Valley railway between Long Pine and Chadron, when within about a mile of the Niourara river bridge, lost his footing on a box par and, fearing he would fall between the cara-jumped. The train pulled into Valentine flye minutes before he was missed. When, on returning, it was found that he had broken his left leg just below the ince, sprained his right ankle and dislocated his right clow. He was brought here and made ical aid summoned both from this place and Fort Niobrara. He will recover.

A t rowded Hospita'. FORT ROBINSON, Neb., March 28. - | Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |-This morning 127 were reported on the sick list at the hospital here. Ninety per cent were suffering with

here. Ninety per cent were suffering with snow blindness, caused by marching through the snow from Pine Ridge.

Lieutenant C. W. Taylor leaves tonight for Omaha to be examined for promotion.

Captain C. M. Bailey of the Eighth infantry and Lieutenant P. A. Bettans of the Ninth cavalry go to Pine Ridge agency tonight, the former to take command of his commany and the latter to turn every the company and the latter to turn over the quartermaster and commissary stores at that point to Lieutenant Huebert of the Eighth infantry.

An Irrigation Ditch. Sinney, Neb., March 28 .- [Special Teles gram to THE BEE. |-L. B. Carey has just returned from the Denver meeting of the stocks holders of the Belmont-Froid canal company. Arrangements have been made with Donald Campbell, the expert engineer, to place a corps of engineers along the line of said ditch at once. It will be completed by the time snow flies and will prove one of the grandest investments of modern times. With irrigation in Cheyenne county farmers and merchants will be doubly prosperous.

Irrigation Enthus asm. BROKEN BOW, Neb., March 28.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-A rousing irrigation meeting was held in the court house here this afternoon. The township votes on ? proposition to issue bonds for \$15,000 next Monday for irrigation purposes, and considerable interest is being manifested in the re-

Annual Presbytery Meeting. YORK, Nob., March 28 .- [Special to Tna Ber. |- The annual session of the Presbytery of Nebraska City will be held in this city, commencing April 9. The Ladies Mission society's annual meeting will also convene at the same time and place.

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