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### MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. P. Co. Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal. Craft's chattel loans, 204 Sapp block. Real Rock Springs coal, Thatcher, 16 Main If you want water in your yard or house go to Bixby's, 302 Merriam block.

Thomas J. Ritchey and Alice Overman, both of Omaha, were married yesterday by John Larson died vesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, of consumption, at the age of twenty-nine years, at his residence, 613 east

Marriage licences were issued vesterday to Michael E. Gatrost and Laura E. Pitkin, and to Frederick Barton and Hepsibah E. Barstow, all of this county.

Notices of appeal were filed in the district court yesterday in the cases of Jennie White against David Gray et al, and David Gray against U. H. White et al.

George V. H. White et al.

George V. H. Brill of Omaha and Anna
Poast of this city were married at the Congregational parsonage Wednesday afternoon,
Rev. G. M. Crofts officiating. Dean C. H. Gardner of Omaha will ad-

dress the young men's meeting next Sunday et 4 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all men of the city to attend. The ladies of the Presbyterian church gave

the indies of the Pressyterian entrengave thibrary party last evening in the church parlors. The entertainment was opened by a musical programme in which some of the best local talent took part. Four building permits were issued yester-day by City Clerk Stephenson to George W. Todd. One was for a one-story dwelling costing \$1,000 on lot 12, block 32, Central sub.: the second for a two-story frame cost

ing \$2,000 on 10, 22, block 32; Central sub-and two others for one-story frames costing \$1,500 each on lots 1 and 2, block 14, Grimes A verdict has been reached in district court in the case of Seiple against J. R. Snyder, in which the plaintiff sucd for \$2,200 damages for false attachment. The suit occu-pied several days, Messrs. Shay and Galvin

appearing for the plaintiff, and Flickinger Brothers for the defendant. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant. William Thompson was in police court yesterday morning charged with breaking in a door at Neumayer's hotel. It was snown that his wife had kept his hat in the room for the purpose of keeping her husband there also in order to prevent him from carrying out a new irrigation scheme that he had just invented. In order to get his hat and his personal liberty he kicked in the door. The judge fined him \$20.70. One drunk was fined

The case of Rachel Larimore against Jack Green and Tom Skinner, in which the posses-sion of a piece of land near Manawa, was the subject of controversy, was on trial in su-perior court yesterday. All the evidence was taken, after which Judge McGee instructed the jury to bring in a verdict for the plain-tiff, giving her the possession of the land, and a judgement of \$150 for the wrongful de-tention of the property.

Mr. Clark H. Champ of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Ada K. Farnsworth of Lincoln, Neb., were married on Wednesday at 5 p. In. at the nome of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. D. H. Heagy, 2017 Fifth avenue, Rev. G. W. Crofts officiating. Mr. Champ is engaged in the United States mail service, while the accomplished bride is a member of the Western All association. Guests were the Western Art association. Guests were present from Lincoln, Neb., Corning, Ia., and other cities. Their home will be in St. Jo-

William Maloney was before Justice Cones yesterday afternoon for a hearing on the charge of assaulting Dan Carrigg, with intent to commit a murder. A number of witnesses were brought forward to show that Maloney level. eled a gun at Carrigg, but Carrigg himself was the only one who was sure that the gun was loaded. He saw the cartridge as big as a house through the end of the barrel. The justice reserved his decision until today.

Don,t forget to go to the Trinity church parlors tonight for ice cream and strawber-

Black organdies, the latest in black wash goods, every yard guaranteed absolutely fast black, the greatest craze of the season, a beautiful range of patterns all the way from 10c to 45c. Now is the time to make your selection while the choice patterns last. Boston Store, Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Council Bluffs.

Furniture, carpets, refrigerators, baby carnishing goods, cash or on easy payments, at

A pleasant evening is promised you at Trinity tonight. Strawberries and ice cream Mair has all sorts of fruit, shade and orna

mental trees, Broadway, opposite postoffice. Ice! Ice! Ice!!! If you want it pure and a And at a reasonable pr Follow no new dev But send to us in a tr At our off

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. J. T. Bell has gone to Wheeling, W. Miss Nellie Olcham of Chicago is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. George C.

Miss Jennie Lyman of Downer's Grove, visiting her uncle, Dr. Clark, 306 Worth street. J. H. Bradley and John F. Packer of the firm of David Bradley & Co. of Chicago were

the city, guests of the Hote! Grand. Miss Reichey Dickey, who has been teaching music in Wayne, Neb., spent yesterday in the Bluffs visiting her parents, Mr. and

Rev. L. A. Hall and W. A. Joseph went to Creston yesterday to attend a convention of Baptist young people. Rev. Hall delivered address last evening

F. M. Hunter, cterk of the federal district court, has gone to Chicago. He will stop at Keokuk and Ottumwa on his trip, and will

eturn to the Bluffs next Tuesday AF. A. Shaver and Walter Stillman reyesterday morning from Des Motnes, where they went to undergo an examination for admission to the bar. They both passed a very creditable examination, and will start out in the practice of their profession in the

Ice cream and strawberries tonight at

Meat Poetry. When you are hungry and want to cat Go to M. Wolker's 607 Main street, And get a piece of choice meat

Which surely will satisfy your appetite. Meats are received daily by the load And sold and delivered C. O. D. Don't forget the place, and number, For it is the best market by thunder

-MEAT EATER. Mitts and gloves—Our line is now com-plete in black slik mitts at 25c, 33c, 39c, 50c and 65c. We think and say without the least hesitancy that we have the best value in the above that ever entered any city, pure silk and guaranteed fast blacks. them; we delight in showing goods,

whether you purchase or not. Boston Store, Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Co., Council Where Do They Go To? Where do all the new carriages go to, or what becomes of them, is a query that sug-gests itself with singular force in the din made by the army of skilled mechanics in the great G. Keys Brothers' carriage factory in this city. Yesterday they had over 1,800 carriages and road carts in process of construc-tion and over 1,500 in the paint shop receiving

the finishing touches. The ladies of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church will serve ice cream and strawberries to their friends tonight at the church par-

### NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Northwestern Switchmen Were Slightly Fooled by the Company's Action.

NTENDING STRIKERS DISCHARGED.

Much surprise Expressed by the Men at the Clever Move of the Company to Head off Trouble.

The strike of the switchmen on the Northwestern, which was to have taken effect yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, did not occur. The trouble was not with the switchmen, for they were all ready to do their share toward making things interesting. The fact that there were no striking switchmen was due mainly to the fact that there were no switchmen to strike. For the company yesterday morning issued orders from its headquarters at Chicago that every switchman along the entire system be discharged. At 7 o'clock the switchmen were allowed to feel the keen blade of the anickersnee, and in ten minutes

there was not a man with his head on. There were eleven men employed in the yards at this point, including the yardmaster. They gave up their places without a murmur. All day long some of them hung around the passenger depot, but not a sign of obstreperousness was made. The company had evidently acted on the spur of the moment in discharging the men, as no substitutes had been provided to take the places of those who were sischarged. The work was done by other men in the employ of the company, by the conductors, brakemen, yard hands and, in fact, any one who happened to

All the trains were on time, and, it is said, no inconvenience was felt by any one except the employes who were forced to do double

S. J. Mills, assistant superintendent of the Iowa division, with headquarters at Boone, was in the Bhall's yesterday morning, his ob-ject being to discharge the men and to be on the ground in case his services should be needed. He was seen by a Ban reporter yesterday afternoon.

terday afternoon.
"The reason of the action of the company in this case," he said, "is that the switchmen have shown a disposition for some time past to assume the management of the business of the road, instead of allowing the officials to do so. The switchmen, in the past, have been allowed to have their own way so much, that they have appears to the control of the business of the bu parently come to the conclusion that they owned the road, and the present discharge of the force is simply the way we take of show-

ing them that they are mistaken.

Another reason for the discharge, is a desire for a reorganization of the department. We are not making war upon any particu-lar organization, as every employe in that de-partment is discourged, whether he be a union man or not. The move can not be said to have been made from a desire to cut off expenses, as all the men that are neces-sary to carry on the business will be appointed as fast as suita-ble material can be obtained. Still the dull season is about to commence, and as there will be fewer men needed than have been employed it is probable that some of the vacancies will not be filled at present." The men who were discharged did not altogether relish the turn affairs had taken, although some of them,

when spoken to upon the subject, were wiling to grin and admit that the company had stolen a march on them. Some of the men are in rather precarious conditions financially, as they were let out without a moment's warning, and many of them, with families to support are left with very little to depend support, are left with very little to depend on. There are about one hundred men in the state of Iowa who will be affected by the

Young ladies desiring to fit themselves for nurses can have all instruction free at the Womens' Christian Association hospital, Council Bluffs, Ia. Bring credentials as to moral character. Apply to Mrs. R. J. moral character. Apply to Mrs. R. J. Osborne, 620 First avenue, Council Biuffs, Ia.

igart & Co. carry largest field, garden and flower seeds in the west Catalogue and samples by mail. Trees, all kinds, guaranteed to grow, prices

cheap, at Mairs', Broadway, opposite postof-

Doesn't Like the Plan. Alderman Smith's plan of building a new city hall has awakened considerable interest, even before it has been presented to the council, and, in fact, almost before the ink in which it was written was fairly dry. Some of the aldermen think that he has not taken the right way of going at the thing. Alderman Casper, who may generally be counted on as opposed to anything that Alderman Smith suggests, said yesterday:

The council has no right to issue bonds in any amount without the passing of a law auany amount without the passing of a law authorizing it. It may pass an ordinance authorizing the issuing of the oonds, but unless there is a vote of the people back of it the bonds won't be worth the paper they are written on. The property valuation this year is \$6,125,508, according to the decision of the beard of the decision of the board of according to the decision of the beard of equalization last year. A one mill levy on that basis would be about \$6,128. The interest on \$50,000 at 6 per cent is \$3,600, leaving about \$2,500 each year to be put into a sinking fund to pay off the bends at the end of ten years at the outside. At that rate, making no allowance for the interest that the yearly amounts would draw, it would take about twenty-live years to get enough of a sinking fund to pay off the bonds. And the sinking fund to pay off the bonds. And the bonds, according to Alderman Smith's ordi-nance, are only to run ten years, with the privilege of paying them off at the option of the city after five years."

Lace curtains cleaned from 50c to \$1.25 per pair, at Twin City dye works.

Pianos, organs, C. B. Music Co., 538 B'd'y. Underwear-We can fit you out with almost we have not got in stock we can get for you if to be found in New York city, having an office in New York and an experienced man always on the spot prings us in direct communication with the great mercantile center of the world. Boston Store, Council Bluffs

Appropriation Wanted. A proposition is to be presented to the board of trade at its next meeting relative to the making of an appropriation to assist in paying the expense of joining the blue grass league. The amount which it is desired that the board shall furnish is \$125. The supervisors, it is thought, will appropriate \$100, and a like amount is to be raised among the residents of the east end of the county. The \$325 thus raised will provide for the expense which Pottawattamie county must bear, if she joins the league, and the matter of expense is the only thing that is now to be considered as the farmers and fruit growers

of the county are all enthusiastically interested in the scheme. Hall for Bent.

On account of leaving town I will rent my holl, togethea with parlor room, dining room, kitchen, with stove, city water in the kitchen, for one year or more. It is the most conven-

ient hall in the city; all in first-class order. Inquire J. F. Peterson, 136 Broadway. Drs. Woodbury, dentists, 39 Pearl street, ext to Grand hotel. Telephone 145. High next to Grand hotel.

grade work a specialty. Fruit farm for same on reasonable terms within one and one-half miss of the P. O.; all in bearing; good buildings; possession given at once. Call on D. J. Hutchinson &

Co., 617 Broadway. A New Church Talked Of.

There is some talk among the members of the First Baptist church of building a new edifice in place of the one they are now occupying, at the northwest corner of Bayliss Some of the members think they could sell the present house and lot for enough to build them a church in some less expensive part of the city, with but very little expense, and have a strictly mod-ern building besides. One of the main

causes for the desire to sell is the fact that property in the vicinity of the church is be-coming more and more valuable for business purposes. Key. L. A. Hall, the pastor, is one of the foremost in the enterprise. A number of locations are being looked at with intent to purchase, and among them is the Wood-bury lot, on the corner of First avenue and Seventh street. One of the trustees of the church stated yesterday that it was not likely there would be any definite move made in the matter for some months yet.

Dress ginghams-Everything in that line From the 7c aress gingham to the finest Scotch goods. At 7c, Sc, 10c and 12½c we show a beautiful range of patterns. At 15c we show a very fine line of zephyr ginghams, the style and finish almost as good as the most expensive. Boston Store, Council

When about to build don't fail to get prices on lumber of The Judd & Wells Co., 813 Broadway. Telephone 287.

Knocked Down a Bicyclist. One of the most ardent devotees of the art of bicycling met with a mishap Wednesday night while on his way to Omaha in company with two others. Just as they reached the corner of Broadway and Thirty-fourth street a man ran out from J. J. Crowe's saloon, made a rush at one of the wheelmen knocked him over, saying as he and knocked him over, saying as he did so: "There, — you, go to Omaha the best way you can!" The attack was totally unexpected, and the rider was consequently not prepared for an emergency. He fell to the ground and escaped failing with his head on the curbstone only by throwing his hand out in front of him. His wheel was bent out of shape and be himself was covered with hurses. and he himself was covered with bruises from head to foot by his contact with the

hard paving.

The attack was apparently made out of pure deviltry, and the man who made it followed up his victory by pulling a gun on his victim. The man who did the mischief was seen and can be identified, so that it is hoped he may be brought to time. He left for Omana yesterday morning, but his return will be watched for.

Union Park races, Omaha and Council Bluffs, June 9-12, \$4,000; Sept. 8-11, \$6,500; Oct. 20-22, \$4,000. For programmes address Nat Brown, see'y., Merchants' hotel, Omaha.

Dry storage at low rates, stoves and house hold goods. J. R. Snyder, Pearl street.

A Second Trial.

In district court yesterday the case of Mays against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway company was on trial. West & Wheeler appeared for the plaintiff and Wright & Baldwin for the defendant. The case grew out of the killing of a man named William Baker in the yards of the company in this city on the night of October 23, 1880. Baker was a switchman for the company and was killed by having his foot caught in a frog and being run over be-fore he could extricate himself. W. B. Mays was appointed administrator, and he brought a suit for \$25,000 damages against the company. A verdict was given in favor of the company on its first trial, which took place in the district court here in 1881, and the case was appealed to the supreme court. The su-preme court reversed the decision of the dis-trict court, and sent the case back for a new trial. The trial of the case yesterday took the greater part of the day.

Try Duquette & Co.'s Pomona fruit juice tablets. They are delicious,

The latest addition is the Shantong pongee, India silk finish, sold everywhere for 20c, our price 121/2c; a beautiful range of colors, pine apple tissue, the great leader, for 121/2c. Boston Store, Council Bluffs.

Got the Horse. Several days ago mention was made of a norse that was stolen from the barn of Nelson Lewis, the proprietor of the Hillside dairy, in Lewis township. The horse was found vesterday morning. Several hundred postal cards were sent out by the Bluffs authorities offering a reward of \$10 for the pony and \$30 for the thief. Constable Coe of Griswold was among those who started out to gain that reward. He spotted the thief and his booty near Griswold, and put chase. The thief dropped the reins and made a wild break for liberty. Coe fired several shots at the escaving rascal, but none of them took effect. He took the horse and brought him to his owner yesterday morning. The police here have increased the reward offered for

efforts will be made to catch him.

Most Popular balesman. F.C. Gleason, who travels for the firm of Groneweg & Schoentgen, has met with a piece of goon fortune. A wholesale tobacco firm of St. Louis placed in its packages of tobacco certificates to be filled out by the purchasers with the names of the most popular salesman of their acquaintance. Three orizes were offered to the successful con-estants. The first was a trip to Europe or \$350 in cash, the second \$100 in cash and the third \$50 in cash. Yesterday morning Mr. Gleason received a telegram announcing that the largest number of votes had been rehim and that he was entitled to ceived by him and that he was entitled to the trip to Europe as the most popular sales

Mrs. Agnes E. Damon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Agnes E. Damon will occur this afternoon at 2 o'clock rom the family residence on Fourth street The deceased was born near Buffalo, Washington county, N. Y., July 12, 1832. She lived for twenty-three years in St. Clairs-ville, O., eight years in Omaha and twentysix years in Council Bluffs. On Wednesday last, after years of feepleness, varied at times intense suffering, she entered into her i, leaving a stricken home and a large circle of friends to mourn her death.

Secret ! ociety Opponents

CHICAGO, May 14.-The fourth annual Christian conference on the secret lodges system convened here today, delegates being present from all over the country. W. C. Enlow of Birmingham, Ia., and W. B. Stafford of Washington, D. C., were chosen president and secretary.

The topic for discussion was "Temperance Orders," the opening paper being read by Rev. A. Thompson of Bartlett, la. He believed secret societies were doing more than anything eise to disrupt the church. They had some good features, but overbalancing evil tendencies. In his experience a temperance lodge had detracted greatly from a Sunday school. The topic was discussed at length.

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In the afternoon a paper was read by Rev. C. F. Hawley, agent of the National Christian association, on "Industrial Orders." The laboring classes, he said, should organize for mutual instruction, benefit and politi-cal action, but the minute they become secret orders it becomes wrong from the very fact that secrecy breeds corruption.

Rev. C. D. Trumbull of Morning Sup. Ia. a lengthy paper sail every minister ought to have an opinion on the subject of secret societies. If they would all come out and preach against the evil the results would b

Figures About Flour.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 14 .- The Northwestern Miller says: "The aggregate flour output last week exceeded that of the week before. The total production was 141,225

barrels, averaging 25, 204 barrels daily, against 12,515 barrels the preceding week and 136,-450 barrels more than the corresponding time in 1890. There were fifteen mills in operation Wednesday and they were grinding at the rate of about twenty-four thousand barrels per twenty-four hours. The majority of millers report the sales of flour very light the past week, the market having beer most as flat as the week before. ? applies to both foreign and mestic trade. The high cost mestic trade. The high cost of cash wheat has kept mill rs from shading prices much and about the same range of quotations prevails as a week ago. The ex-ports for the week were 66,000 barrels, gainst 56,960 barrels the preceding week. A large proportion of this was patent. quotations for 280 pounds c. i. f. are: Patents, 32s 3d@33s 6d: bakers, 28s 6d@29s; low

grades, 16s 9d(g17s 6d. DeWitt's Little Early Risers, best pill.

## PLAN TO DIVIDE BUSINESS.

Hoilroads Have a Scheme Bat Shippers Regard it With Suspicion.

WRESTLING WITH THE BATE PROBLEM.

Tariff on World's Fair Exhibits-The Alton Endorsed by the American Ticket Brakers-Tourist Rafes.

CRICAGO, May 14.-The special committee appointed by the Trunk Line and Central Traffic association to report a plan for a division of the dressed beef, provisions and live stock traffic between here and the seaboard had a conference with representatives of several of the largest shipping firms. None of the shippers seemed to have a very clear idea of why they had been invited to the meeting, but Chairman Blanchard explained to them what the railroads desired to do and assured them that their co-operation was of the greatest importance in the carrying out of a plan to divide the business equitably among the several competiting lines. The following resolution was then offered and adopted.

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the division of dressed meats, and live stock tariff by the co-operative action of the forwarders and carriers is practicable and desirable as a measure to secure the stability of uniform and reasonable rates."

A good deal of eloquence was expressed by railroad men in the effort to con-

the railroad men in the effort to con-vince the shippe that the adoption of such a scheme would conduce to their interests. It was soon evident that none of them took kindly to the proposition and those who took part in the discassion of the question said they saw no reason why they should cater into co-operation with the railroads in this matter. The result was that no conclusion was reached with them and the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the chairman. The managers are not discouraged, however, and hope to put their scheme into operation at an early day, in spite of the disposition of the shippers to throw cold water upon it.

Rairoad men are now generally agreed that a division of traffic by agreement among the lines interested is not a violation of the pooling clause of the interstate commerce law and they believe that a proper enforcement of such a measure will prove a safeguard against the menipulation of rates.

WRESTLING WITH RATE PROBLEMS. The freight department of the Central Traffic association closed its session today. It was decided for the transportation of exhibits to the world's Columbian exposition full tariff rates should be charged, but that the property should be returned over the same route. Yet in consideration of the fact that much valuable freight will be brought to Chicago on that occasion and the risk of the railroads greatly increased, it was further decided that to secure the privilege further decided that to secure the privilege of this half rate the liability of the carriers should be limited to at least one of half of the ordinary. responsibility attached to the transportation of the same freight. The meeting appointed a permanent freight committee composed of the highest freight officials of the roads connected with the eastern trank lines to force nected with the eastern trunk lines to force the maintenance of east-bound rates.

Numerous applications for reduced rates on ice were considered, and it was decided to call a meeting of the lines interested with the purpose of agreeing upon a uniform basis of ice rates. It is proposed to hold the meeting next Thur. day, May 21.

Endorsed the Alton.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 14.-The expected fight in the American Ticket Brokers' asso-ciation over the proposal to incorporate the organization and place the members under bond was averted today by the adoption of a motion referring the matter to a special committee without instructions. It is expected that the whole matter will die out under the committee's care. A motion was made to amend the rules forbidding ers to conduct their business in rooms where liquor is sold or gambling allowed, or in other disreputable places. The motion was tabled. A resolution was adopted as fol-

"Resolved, That this association in annual convention assembled heartily endorses the fearless position taken by the Chicago & Alton railroad company in the interest of the people and tenders its best support to the management of this company in the resist-ance made against the boycott declared by the Central Traffic and Trunk Line associa

tion."
This afternoon the election of officers resulted as follows: President, Howard P. Smith of Detroit; first vice president, A. Alpinger of San Francisco; second vice president, A. M. Frank, New Orleans; third vice president, P. W. Demoss, Kansas City; fourth vice president, George F. Scott, Tacoma, Wash.; executive committee, G. S. Lansing, chairman, W. Willoughby, George McKenzie and Secretary W. B. Carter. Denver was selected for the next place of meeting and the convention adjourned.

Colorado Tourist Rates.

DENVER, Colo., May 14.-A committee consisting of many of the prominent citizens of Colorado appeared before the Trans-Missouri association again today to argue in favor of a tourist rate less than the 20 per cent rate established and agreed upon by the a ociation. Mr. T. H. Patterson, the eminent attorney of Denver, spoke at length upon the subject as well as other representatives from different parts of the staet. It was claimed by Mr. Patterson that it was reported that certain lines discriminated against Colorado on account of important interests to tourist points in other directions and warned the association that a united effort would be made by the citizens and mer chants of Colorado which would result in dis crimination against any lines voting against the interests of Colorado. Most of the members favored a low rate, but on account of the opposition of the Saute Pe and Bur-lington, nothing could be done to reduce the 20 per cent rate which is a discrimination against Colorado and practically kills the tourist business to the state. The association considered the question of the inter-change mileage tickets but failed to arrive at any amical le conclusion. The association adjourned to meet in Kansas City on

Assaulted by an American.

London, May 14.-The body of an unknown lady was found near Chester today. It was at first thought she was dead, but investigation showed that she was unconscious from concussion of the brain, caused evidently by a blow on the head. She was cared for at a hotel. The latest advices from Chester in regard to the lady who was found shockingly injured on the Snowdown ington arrived three weeks ago at the Bonar View hotel at Bettws-YnCocd, accompanied by a young foreign lady, whom he intro-duced as his wife. She was the injured lady. Duncan, who was arrested, confessed that he had battered her head.

It is stated that Duncan's family in Washington occupy a good angial position. Dun-can, who is twenty-seven years old, is short, slight add fair haired and wears spectacles. He is a noted linguist. It is stated that he met his wife in Stockholm and that her father is a cigar manufacturer at Abo, in Finiand. Mrs. Duncan is still unconscious and there is only the smallest hope of her re covery. Duncan's motive for the crime has not been explained.

Pope on the Social Question. Rome, May 14 .- The Latin text of the pope's encyclical letter on the labor question is about to be published. An analysis of the encyclical shows that his hotiness refutes the the socialist theories tending to aboush private property and upholds the principles of the church as the first and main element in the solution of social questions. The true solution can be found in the gospel, which, if rigidly studied, will teach employers and the employed to become united while fulfilling their every bottle.

respective duties. The church has always respective duties. The church has always sought to promote the application of the principles stated in the gospel and to give moral and material belp as incurated by Christ's doctrines. The state should intervente to regulate disputes in regard to private property in order to insure the public peace and the moral and material welfare of the working records.

working people.

At this point his holiness comments on the necessity of Sunday rest, and deals at length with the questions of strikes, wages and hours of labor for workmen, women and

In conclusion, the pope dilates on the sub-ject of workingmen's associations, including mutual aid and accident insurance societies, sick funds, classes for technical educa-tion and mixed syndicates of employers and employes. The state ought to counce-nance all such institutions as are calculated to improve the existing social conditions. The pope praises the work the institutions have already achieved and calls upon all Catholies to assist in their formation, urging that all should be animated with a Christian

Later—The pope has ordered his encyclical held for the present.

#### HE'LL SHOOT 'EM. Iowa Preacher Prepared to Kill a Few

Hoodlums. BURLINGTON, Ia., May 14 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. ]-Rev. M. McEwen, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Middletown, near this city, is the victim of various persecutions by an organized gang of hoodlums in that village.

This gang is composed of young men ranging in age from seventeen to twenty years. and has carried on a long series of outrages against various citizens.

Rev. McEwen denounced the gang from his pulp t and hereby incurred its hatred. That night he was stoned and pelted with rotten eggs, and mud. Since he has been the object of all sorts of petty annoyances and letters written in blood (red ink) have been received threatening to burn his house and poison his horse unless he left the country. The reverend gottleanth has several a large revolver and gentleman has secured a large revolver and gained consent to carry it from the authorities, and proposes to make it warm for the young men if further annoyed.

Other prominent citizens have received like treatment. A detective will be employed to ferret out the gang.

Will Make a Fight.

WATERLOO, Ia., May 14.-The assignee of the Citizens' Mutual insurance company, which assigned in February, filed a petition for orders today on the district court. The report shows the total amount of claims against the company is \$40,322. It is esti-mated it will take \$50,000 to close the company's affairs. In response to the petition the court directs the assignee to make new assessment on \$227,376 notes held by the company. Those who paid the former 25 per cent assessment will be credited for the amount paid, and the old assessment so far as it relates to those who refused payment and annulled. The protective league recently organized to fight the 25 per cent will resist the new one, and a prolonged legal fight is looked for.

Hallelujah Wedding. DES MOINES, Ia., May 14.- [Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |-The semi-annual state council of the Salvation army is in session here. Besides the fifty Iowa officers, there are officers from Dakota, Nebraska and are officers from Dakota, Nebraska and other states present. Tonight a grand parade was held, the special features of which was the Halleinjah wedding of Adjutant Egner of Des Moines and Captain Katie Aordes of Council Biuffs, which was solemnized at 9 o'clock, Major Keppel using the regular army service. Thirty-five or forty bridesmaids, all in white, announced the approaching nuntials.

Facts for Prohibitionists.

the approaching nuptials.

DUBUQUE, Ia., May 14.- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Returns made to the collector of internal revenue for this district show that during the past year 49,000 barrels of beer were produced in this district, which in cludes forty-nine counties. Of this almost 45,000 barrels were produced in this city, ex clusive of the product of an ale brewery. spite of prohibition, the manufacture beer is steadily increasing, one brewery hav sold 4,000 more barrels than last year outside of Dubuque. There are only four breweries

Laying Double Track. Sioux City, Ia., May 14 .- | Special to THE BEE. |-The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha company is double-tracking its road between here and South Sloux City, on the Nebraska side of the river. The bridge is now used by two other companies, the Union Pacific and the Pacific Short Line, and a sin gle track to the approaches at both ends of the bridge is entirely inadequate to handle

Sioux City, Is., May 14 .- [Special to The BEE.]-Immense numbers of cattle are being moved northward from the northern tiers of Iowa counties into Minnesota for pasturage. Over three thousand head have been driven out of Sioux and Osceola counties alone. In the fall these cattle, together with great numbers of Minnesota cattle, are brought

back into the corn belt for feeding. Gone to Meet Her. FORT DODGE, Ia., May 14.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-N. H. Miller of Cherokee who was sentenced to two and one half years in the penitentiary a year ago for adultery, has been pardoned by Governor Boies. His first act after being liberated, was to buy a ticket for Canada, where it is suid Chase, his former paramour is waiting for

Miners' Strike Unchanged. DES MOINES, Ia., May 14.-The miners strike remains unchanged. A meeting attended by 600 strikers was held in Oskaloosa today and decided to accept nothing but a concession of the eight hour demand. A conference between a committee of miners and

day. Supreme Court Decisions. DES MOINES, Ia., May 14.- [Special Telegram to THE BEEJ-The following supreme court decisions were filed today: W. H. Mores et al, vs David Beebe and Benjamin Beebe, appellants from Bremer district. Maurice F. Calahan, appellant, vs David Cahelon, from Fayette district; affirmed.

Epworth League Board of Control. St. Louis, Mo., May 14.-The board of control of the Epworth league, which began a three days session yesterday, met at the Union Methodist Episcopal church today After devotional exercises the report of the corresponding secretary, Rev. Jesse L. Hurlburt, was read. The report was very en-couraging, showing that 3,70s chapters had been added during the past fifteen months, making a total of 5,577, containing over three hundred thousand young members. James Freeman, treasurer, in his report shows that the league is still in debt for about \$1,280, but which is in a fair way of being paid in a few weeks.

Sensational Rumors About Portugal. MADRID, May 14.-Sensational reports in connection with the situation of affairs in Portugal are being circulated in this city, The Justicia, the republican organ, publishes today telegrams from Portugal, which state that King Charles has called a meeting of the council of ministers in order to confer with the council upon the financial and political situation. The Justicia adds that the king of Portugal is disposed to abdicate his throno should the ministers come to the conclusion that such a step is necessary.

Phi ade ph.a's Bourse. PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—The Philadelphia

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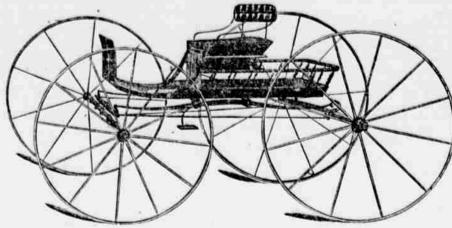
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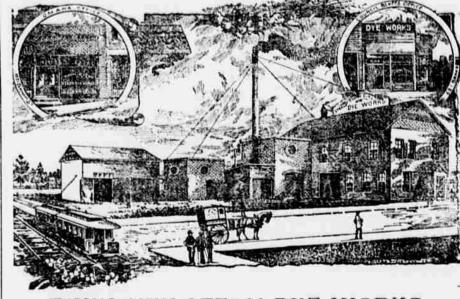
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Elected Officers Again. The Omaha Athletic club met in regular

ession last night. On account of no quorum at a recent meet ing the election of officers at that time was declared void and a new election ordered Theresult was as follows: George W. Ames, president; F. S. Robbins, vice president; W. B. Betty, secretary; Charles Redick, treasurer; board of directors, R. Wells, C. W. Martin, H. Y. Cook, J. W. McDonald, John . Fhomas. Four new members were admitted and

three applications were laid over to be voted ou at the next meeting. The committee on grounds and buildings asked for an extension of time, which was

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