### TRAVELING MEN AROUSED.

Knights of the Grip Hold an Indignation Meeting in Lincoln.

NEWS OF A DAY AT THE CAPITAL CITY.

Well Known Farmer's Wife Drops Dead in Her Kitchen-A Divorce Case That Ended Differently -News Notes.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 15,- [Special to THE BEE. |-The reading public of Lincoln is familiar with the incident of a traveling man who, some two or three weeks ago, alignted from a Burlington train and in a hurried manner gave orders to be driven to a hotel, as he was dying. This prediction proved true, for after almost a week's intense sufforing he died. His penniless condition and flat refusal of his employers to render him any assistance became known to the officers of the commercial traveling men's order of this city, known as Lincoln council No. 7, Commercial Pilgrims of America. They promptly took upon themselves the care of their fellow traveler and the guarantee of all expenses and at his death paid the last sad rites in a befitting manner. This prompt action of the Lincoln council is especially commendable, as the deceased traveler was not a member of their organization.

The above shameful and unheard of treat-ment of an employe by a professedly reputable wholesale firm, whose unbounded confi-dence they confess he had merited, during a term of ten years! faithful and continuous service, was so unanimously condemned by all traveling men to whom the facts became known, that a mass meeting was called immediately upon adjournment of last week's Lincoln council session, at which a committee having in charge the correspondence with this firm and the burial of their representative, reported.

At the mass meeting held at the Windsor hotel parlors December 13, 1891, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

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Whereas, The flat refusal of the queeusware firm of E. F. W. Meier of St. Louis, Mo., to in any manner advise or assist their representative, Ole Johnson, when destitute among strangers and upon his death-bed, after his having served them faithfully for ten years, coming so authentically to our notice, we, as commercial travelers in mass meeting assembled, hereby

Resolve. That we condemn the action of the said E. F. W. Meier of St. Louis, as heartiess and wholly inhuman, and deserving of the severest censure by humanity in general and commercial travelers in particular;

Resolved. That the thanks of this meeting be tendered the officers and members of Lincoln Council No. 7, of Commercial Pilgrims of America, for their prompt and generous action, the undertaking firm of Roberts & Palmer for a coffin and services furnished at unremanerative prices, the Windsor hotel management for courtesies extended the committee, for donation of funeral car by Bohann Bros., and carriages furnished by Messrs, Frank Graham, Gran Ensign. W. B. Fyrbes and Don Fowler, and to Mayor Weir, the Swedish minister, and the business men of Lincoin, who showed a kindly feel ng by their presence at the bedside and funeral of the deceased.

Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the said queensware tirm of E. F. W.

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Resolved. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the said queensware firm of E. F. W. Meier of St. Louis. Mo., the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, the St. Louis Republic, The OMAHA BEE, and to the leading dailies of the west. Permanent organization—Robert Tracy, J. M. Green, J. M. Cielland, C. B. Sherman, W. H. Royer, A. R. Ford, J. M. Mason, H. C. Hult, H. M. Graves, C. M. Bryant, C. L. Robinson, W. P. Richardson.
Rules—R. Tracy, J. E. Booge, R. C. Patterson, W. H. Royer, F. R. Kelley, E. W. Gove, G. R. Hewett, J. M. Whitehead, C. M. Bryant, S. L. Thomas.
Resolutions—W. H. Francis, F. P. Murphy, R. W. Patrick, W. H. Royer, John H. Rice, J. L. Kelley, B. B. Waddell, Robert Gates, W. A. Emerson.
The states represented on the call were: North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Ne-

End of a Savory Case. Everybody in Lincoln, and in Nebraska for that matter, is familiar with the sonsa-tional elopement from this city two years ago in which Samuel G. Owens, a veteran of six score years, figured as the leading man. Owens was a wealthy man with several grown up daughters, who were bitterly op-posed to the match and who used every effort to frustrate the marriage. The girdy old boy, however, succeeded in eluding the vigilance of his daughters and with the woman of his second choice fled to Missour where they were married. The public gen erally predicted that the match was an unfortunate one and the public was right, for Owens commenced suit for diverce soon afterwards. His wife has fought his suit bitterly and the whole case terminated late this afternoon by giving Mrs. Owen an absolute divorce on the grounds of extreme crueity She was also awarded a cash alimony of \$3,000 in lieu of all dower right, and

#### all personal property now in her possession. Owens was permitted to pay the costs. An Estate in Litigation.

The case in the United States supreme court, referred to in this morning's Bee, in volving title to nearly \$1,000,000 worth of real estate in and near Lincoln, is an old and celebrated one in the district court annals of Lancaster county. The land in question lies between this city and Lincoln park and formerly belonged to Judge Hilton. He gave the land in trust to his brother, George H. Hilton, for the benefit of his children. Afterwards Judge Hilton be came involved in financial embarrassments and the land was sold under orders from the district court, Lord Jones being the pur-chaser. Judge Hilton then, through his at-torneys, attacked the validity of the order of the court to sell the property, and the case has been fought step by step until it has at last reached the highest judicial tribunal in

Dropped Dead at Her Work.

Word reached Lincoln this afternoon that Mrs. Eliza Meyer, wife of John H. Meyer, a weil known farmer near Roca, in this county had dropped dead while engaged in her ordi-nary housekeeping duties. She was to all appearances a hearty, healthy woman, weighing 260 pounds. She was as well as usual at the dinner hour yesterday, and ate quite heartily. Snortly after dinner her husband entered the kitchen and found her lying in a faint on the floor. She was dead before assistance could arrive. The physician states that she died from heart disease. She was an estimable lady, 67 years old.

### Wife Beater Arrested.

D. F. Whitney was arrested late last night for peating his wife. This morning the partner of his joys and sorrows appeared in police court and stated that Whitney had been in the habit of giving her periodical whippings for the past seven years. For-bearance has ceased to be a virtue with her and she has determined to appeal to the law for protection. The trial will take place tomorrow morning and several hundred prominent citizens are just aching to get on the jury. Mrs. Whitney is a frail little woman and the mother of four children.

### Odds and Ends.

The case of George Bradeen, charged with gambling, was continued for thirty days.

Lincoln will in the future be the headquarters of the Patriarchs Militant of No-The order is a military branch of

the Odd Fellows.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Roberts Frederick, Hawley, Odell, Beveridge, Dale and Mrs. Minnies, started for Chicago today to try and induce the national prohibition convention to locate itself in Lincoln next year. Fifteen of the national committee men are piedged to vote for Lincoln. L. J. Pratt aged 32 years was found dead

in a field on Fitzgerald's farm one mile north of Greenwood about 1 o'clock this afternoon. He was at dinner at 12:30 o'clock and seemed to be perfectly healthy. It is supposed that he died of heart failure though there are rumors of suicide. Deceased was for two years a citizen of Lincoln but nothing is known of his tamily. Coroner Holyoke will

go to the place to-morrow morning and make a thorough investigation.

Lieutenant Governor Majors was in the city today. He will be a delegate to the state beet sugar convention. Smith Caldwell, of Edgar, the ex-oil in-spector, is here to attend the beet sugar con-

Alta and Edna Hammond, the two little girls who were determined to be "tuffs," were taken to the reform school today. The Mozart centennial will be observed by the musical department at the state univer-sity tomorrow evening. Admission will be

free and everybody is invited. FROM CAPTIVITY WORSE THAN DEATH.

Escape of Christian Women from the

Followers of the Mahdi. CAIRO, Dec. 15 .- At the time of the revolt against Egyptian authority in the Soudan, followers of the Mahdi took as prisoners a number of priests and nuns who been working in that country for the evangelization of the natives. Since that time many stories have been received regarding the treatment

their captors. It was said that the men were absolute siaves and were compelled to perform the most menial service for their task-masters, while the women met a worse fate,

these prisoners received at the hands of being parceled out among the chiefs and

tribes have been received, but it is believed that when they fully recover they will be able to tell a most interesting story.

Train.

(From the American Grocer, Nov. 25, 1891.)

point it will require a solid train of 25 cars on the S. P. R. R.

Under an agreement with the transporta-tion companies, the goods are to be delivered on the coast within twelve days from the

TO TAME THE MISSOURL

Yesterday's Session of the Missouri

River Improvement Convention.

old Missouri, savage by name and nature,

will probably bite off a slice of farm land

here and there today and cast up a few sand

bars at other places through spite because a

large body of determined men is in session at

the Coates opera house today, wnose object.

it is to discuss plans for taming the unruly

"Big Muddy" and make a beast of burden of

it. The Missouri improvement convention was called to order at the Coates house at 10:30 this morning by President Putnam of

After the appointment of the usual commit-

ees the convention took a recess until the

Upon motion the following committees

were appointed by the delegation from the

were appointed by the delegation from the different states:

Credentials—U. J. Egan, J. N. Green, E. C. Palmer, M. B. Murphy, W. H. Royer, J. R. Trottman, D. C. Allen, C. B. Carroll, E. S. Heliger, C. M. Bryant, W. W. Morgan, A. M. Crott.

Permanent organization-Robert Tracy, J.

North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louis-

A number of resolutions were read and re-

ferred to the committee on resolutions.

The committee on credentials reported that all who had registered and received their

badges were delegrates, and the report was

The committee on permanent organization

reported, recommending Governor John M.

Thayer of Nebraska as permanent chairman, with a long list of vice presidents. W. H.

Miller was nominated as permanent secretary and the committee made a recommenda

tion that some steps be taken towards mak-

ing the convention a permanent organization.
The report was adopted and a committee

appointed to escort Governor Thaver to the

platform. He was greeted with applause, and, in a speech of some length, thanked the

convention and spoke of the great import-

ance of the question of the improvement of

Leese, the noted Kausas Farmers Alliance lecturer, and one by Colonel John T. Crisp,

both of whom strongly endorsed river im-

At the conclusion of the speeches the com-

mittee on order of business still being unable

to present its report the convention ad-

tained at a reception at the Commercial

TESTIMONY IN THE GRAVES CASE.

E. S. Worrell Tells What He knows

About Wrs. Barnaby's Death.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 15 .- E. S. Worrell, jr.

was called to the stand this morning. He

said he notified Mrs Conrad of the death of

her mother, Mrs. Barnaby. He gave con-

gestion of the lungs as the cause of death.

Mr. Worrell stated that he was in the real

estate business and loaned money. He knew

Mrs. Barnaby had about \$100,000 and she had

talked about investing some or most of this amount in Denver. "Had I had this amount to invest, of course I would have received a fair commission for handling it." He admitted that he had frequently written his

nother while she was on the trip to Califor-

ma with Mrs. Barnaby, but he had lot the package, supposed to have contained whiskey,

remain in the postoffice from March 31 to April 1 because he did not know her definite

address, and after his mother returned home

he let the package remain in the postofiles a week because he did not know how long Mrs.

Mrs. Barnaby died he retained two lawyers to take charge of the case, but claimed that

he did so upon the instructions of Mrs. Bar-naby's daughter, Mrs. Conrad. Mr. Worrell then repeated the oft-told story about Mrs.

Barnaby being dissatisfied with Dr. Graves as her business manager, and changing her will so as to leave him \$25,000 instead of \$50,000. Mr. Worrell declared that when the cause of Mrs. Barnaby's death

was first being discussed he did not know that he or any of his family was suspected of complicity in the crime. He modified this

statement somewhat when a newspaper was produced which contained an interview with

him on this very subject.

Mrs. Worrell, jr., was recalled, and testined that after the fatal package had been brought home from the livery stable, where it had remained all night in the buggy, that it was placed on the dining room table, where

t remained for a day before the women

drank from it.

The presecution will use this as a point to

show that the Worrells did not know the contents, for if they had, they would not

have placed it there where any one could have drunk of it.

Mrs. Worrell also corrected a statement

made by their servant girl to the effect that, after Mrs. Barnaby's death, she had been ordered to empty and cleanse all the bottles

in the house. The girl was ordered to clean one and pour into it some tonic from a larger bottle which Mrs. Worrell wanted to take

Settled a Feud.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 15 .- John Weaver

shot and fatally wounded James Adams,

aged 23, five miles north of here last night.

An old family fend is said to be the cause of the tragedy. Weaver was lodged in jail this

Deposed by the l'ope.

posed by the pope from the vice chancellory of the apostic chamber, owing to fault in

ROME, Dec. 15.-Mgr. Folche has been de-

with her on her journey.

morning. Both were colored.

Adjourned.

his administration.

Barnaby would remain at the coast.

This evening the delegates were enter-

journed until tomorrow morning.

the great Missourt river.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 15 .- The murky

date of leaving New York.

navigable its entire length.

Quick Trans-Continental Freight

grossly outraged.

Among those who thus fell into the hands of the rebels in 1883, were the members of the Austrian Soudan mission who were captured when Kordofan was taken by the BURIAL OF THE DEAD CHILD-WIFE. mahdi. After their capture they were con-veyed to Obdurman, where they were held close prisoners. Among those taken prison-ers were Father O'Callwalder and Sisters Catherina, Chincarina, Elizabeth and Ven-Laid to Rest Beside Her Babe-Fur-

ther Developments in the Case turini. For six years they awaited a favorable opportunity to make their escape and at -Condition of the Sufferlast the opportune moment arrived. inst the opportune moment arrived. They immediately took advantage of it and set out on their journey toward civilization. They were pursued by Arabs, but managed to roach Koresco, where they were safe. They were greatly exhausted by their journey across the desert. No details of their life among the desert to the control of the contr ing Doctor. Arabs, but where

Rosa Lake, the child-wife of William Lake, occurred at 10 a. m. yesterday at the Christian church. A small funeral cortege, composed of grief-stricken relatives and sympathizing friends, followed the body to Laurel Hill cemetery, where it was buried by the side of her infant. What is to be done about the case is not

The funeral exercises over the remains of

Lake Tragedy.

yet known positively. Dr. Berwick, who For some days past it has been known in the wholesale grocery circles that the largest shipment of any one proprietary article that ever took place was on the way to California by the Southern Pacific R. R.

The shipment consisted of about 30,000 cases of Royal Baking Powder, occupying the entire cargo space of two of the Morgan line steamers to New Orleans, from which point it will require assolid train of 25 cars on made the autopsy, is dangerously ill from plood poisoning, contracted while making the post mortem examination of the body. Dr. Simpson, he says, sent him word yesterday that he demanded an Immediate investigation of the matter and that the affair must come speedily to an end. Dr. Berwick said:
"You bet this thing is pretty near to an
end for him. The investigation is already
made and I have the proofs of malpractice. What does the man mean by sending such a message to me, when he knows that I am prostrate with blood poisoning?"

Dr. Giasgow, who assisted Dr. Simpson. Dr. Glasgow, who assisted Dr. Simpson, declares that the delivery was easy and that Dr. Simpson did everything right from a medical standpoint at the time of the birth. In reply to this Dr. Berwick savs: "Who is this Glasgow! He is a postmaster. What was he before! A barber. Now you know why he would make such statements, when the autopsy reveals the fact the very oppo-site of what he says is the case. Don't take my word for it, but ask either Dr. Thomas Kelly, or Dr. James Kelly or Stu-dent Marsh. Let any physician of repute look at those parts in alcohol over yonder and those fluids in the bottles there and see of they don't tell the same tale.

You bet I can back every statement made."
Dr. Thomas Kelly was seen. He was very conservative in his remarks, but said that from the portion of the body he had examined that he would say that Mrs. Luke's the Commercial club, with a large attendance of delegates from almost all of the states and territories of the Missouri Valley.

Mr. Putnam delivered an address of welcome and introduced T. Dwight Thatcher of death was due either to ignorance or neglect. The doctor avoided saying anything further in regard to the work of Dr. Simpson, except to cite authorities to show that the lacera-Topeka as temporary chairman in the absence of Governor Francis of Missouri, who had been previously chosen for that place, Mr. Thatcher spoke at length, pointing out many benefits to be derived by western commerce by making the Missouri permanently assignified the active length.

Dr. Berwick's arm is still in a daugerous condition on account of the poisonous substances from the body being absorbed into a cut on his finger. At 5:30 p. m. he was seized with acute pains, and it was believed for several minutes that he was dying. He thought himself that his last bour had come. Mr. Collins, secured a carriage, and took the thought himself that his last hour had come. Mr. Collins secured a carriage and took the doctor from his bed in the rear part of his office to his (Collins') home on Twenty-fifth office to his (Collins') home on Twenty-fifth street, where he would receive better care. He sufferered no inconvenience from the removal. Drs. Thomas and James Kelty are in attendance and they hope through the internal use of quinine and antiseptics and hot external applications to save Dr. Berwick's life. Late last evening the pains of the doctor were less acute and his symptoms favorable.

In case he recovers sufficiently Dr. Ber-wick intends leaving Saturday for a short trip to Milwaukee and Chicago.

Vera Noel and May Norton, two not unattractive girls of about 17, were arrested for the fourth time on the charge of being determined to be bad. They had gotten out of jail only last Saturday and Vera solemnly prom-ised her mother that she would be good henceforth. She claims that she has kept her promise, but the fact that she and May were caught with dissolute fellows in a wine room caused the police judge to doubt the story. He therefore gave them each thirty days in the county jail as a lesson.

The judge added that in case Vera wished to send for her mother and would go home with her and behave herself, and if May uld write to her mother and return home with her, he would remit the sentence. girls, however, refused to do this, and they

\* took Yards Directors. At the regular annual meeting of the stockholders and board of directors of the Union Stock Yards company the old board was re-elected, they being W. A. Paxton, John A. McShane, John A. Creighton, A. C. Foster, Milton Rogers, Ed A. Cudahy, Isaac Waixel, B. F. Smith and M. C. Keith. An appropriation of \$100,000 was made for improvements to be made next season. The

Exchange hotel will be remodeled, new load-

ing shutes and pens built east of the Ex-

The committee on order of business not being ready to report, several speeches were made, among them being one by Mrs. M. E. change building and several miles of track laid. Can't Work the Prisoners. Councilman Walter suggests that the prisoners in the city jail should be pressed into service and made to fill the washouts in the streets instead of hiring men to do this at the expense of the city. Chief of Police Bronnan says, however, that although the plan is a good one it is impracticable now as, the police force is so small now that an officer could not be spared to watch the chair

gang while they were at work. The members of E. K. Wells camp No. 72, Sons of Veterans, held their annual election of officers last evening. The choice was as foilows: Captain, Fred Griffith: First Lieutenant, Thomas Mullenburg; second lieutenant, Fred Etter; camp council, E. E. Cole, H. L. Keily and H. S. McDougall; delegate to division encampment, Fred McDougall; alternate, H. L. Keily.

Distressingly Healthy. Captain McMann says that a young man in search of work stopped in Heafey & Heafey's undertaking establishment today and offered

his services. "Why man alive," says Morgan, "I haven't work enough to keep myself busy. Everything is dead, I mean everything is too alive, and South Omaha is too healthy for comfort. Get out."

The fellow got. Schlegel-Bafford.

Alexander Schlegel, local editor of the Daily Tribune, left at S a. m. for Ainsworth, where he will be united in marriage to i charming young lady, Miss May Bafford, The wedding occurs this afternoon. After a brief wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Schleger will come to South Omaha on Sunday next to make their future home here.

Sagging elephone Wires. There is considerable complaint about telephone wires being loose on Twenty-fourth street and sagging to the sidewalk. A number of persons have been tripped and thrown to the ground by these wires, after night, and there are threats heard that the wires will be cut if they are not looked after

Yard and Office Notes. P. M. Spencer of Silver City, Ia., was on the market with three cars of cattle A letter from Norfolk, under date of Decomber 14, says: 'Tomorrow evening Hon. Frank Puls of Hoskins, Wayne county, will ship from Norfolk to Omaha a train load of fat stock, consisting of cattle, hogs and sheep of his own feeding. This is the first load of stock ever fed and shipped by an in-dividual from this part of the state."

Magic City Miniatures. Freddie, the 2-year-old son of A. Stein, died Monday night with membraneous croup and was interred in Laurel Hill. The Ladies' Episcopal auxiliary will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. Leykora, at which time officers will be

Burness & Parks, the contractors, and not the city, will repair the washout at the eastern approach of the Q street viaduct. The washout has destroyed the pavement just finished.

Last night's program at the St. Agnes fair consisted of a selection by Shelaney's band, a comic song and dance by T. O'Grady, a cornet solo by Prof. J. N. Weien, and a chorus by fifty voices. Among the features promised ahead are some selections by the Zither club of O.naha and some soles by Miss

SOUTH OMAHA'S SENSATION. William Johnson, the fellow who was ar-William Johnson, the fellow who was arrested on the charge of stealing hay, was tried before Judge King today, was found guilty and fined \$10 and costs. It is believed that he will appeal the case.

Now that Jack Rice has got out of jall, where he was confined on the charge of assault and battery, his wife declares that she Dr. Berwick May Die as a Result of the

was not the person battered, as was pub-lished. The story told by the police dis-

SHOT AT SHELBY. Landlord Bouquet Remonstrates Vio-

lently with an Ex-Boarder. George Shelby, a Union Pacific fireman had a rather exciting experience Thursday night. He was arrested with George Garlick for complicity in the theft of a lot of clothes from J. W. Bouquet's boarding house on South Thirteenth street, but was discharged at the preliminary examination. He went to Bouquet's house that night and demanded his trunk, but Bouquet demurred, and when Shelby insisted the landlord pulled a 28-cali-ber revolver and turned it loose. A builet tore through the collar of Shelby's coat, and the range was so close that his chin was peppered with the burnt powder. This event so marred the pleasures of the occasion that Shelby soon afterward took his departure. No complaint has been filed against Bouquet, and it is probable that none will be. He was in court yesterday, how-ever, but it was for the purpose of filing another complaint against Garlick. It seems that when the first complaint was filed Bouquet neglected to sign it, and the pretiminary proceedings were had and Gar-lick was bound over without this essential step being taken, and even now the informastep being taken, and even now the informa-tion remains unsigned. Garlick's attorney noticed the omission and at once set to work to get his client out of jail on the ground that the information was de-fective. That was why Bouquet appeared this morning and filed another complaint, which he was careful to sign, and another warrant was issued, so that when Mr. Gar-lick is repleased he will find an officer waitlick is released be will find an officer wait-ing with a warrant to again take him into custody.

This will necessitate doing the work all over again, with another preliminary examination and all its etceteras unless Garlick should conclude to waive his privileges in that particular.

BUTTE'S BOOM.

What an Ardent Montanian Says of the Great Mining Camps.

Colonel H. H. Horst, a prominent mining nan of Butte, Mont., is in the city domiciled at the Paxton. He is here with some ores for the Omaha smelter. The colonel says there is much prosperity in the greatest mining camp in the world. Since the Ana-conda mines and smelters have resumed perations the 10,000 idle men who were walking the streets last summer are all at

work.
"Within the next five years," said the colonel, "Butte will have a population of 100,000. It is not only the greatest mining camp in the world, but the greatest industrial center, with more money and prosperity than any city on carth. It's a wonder; a whirlwind of bustle day and night. New mines are being developed, and people the past few months have been asteunded. The one great problem to be solved, and which is a black ve to the town, is the smelter smoke which settles so densely over the city that it is a terrible nuisance and very detaimental to health, as it contains arsenical and suiphurous poisons that people are obliged to in-hale. Steps are being taken, however, to try and abate it by scientific processes."

Funeral of Mrs. Max Meyer. The opsequies of the late Mrs. Max Meyer occurred yesterday afternoon, beginning at 1 oclock, at the family residence, corner of Harney and Twenty-fourth streets. The remains reposed in a rich casket in the east partor, and the room was redolent of the beautiful blossoms in scores of claborate floral pieces, the last sweet tributes of loving friends. The cnief of these rested upon the casket. At its bead was a large gates ajar from the Metro-politan club, flanked by a similar emblem from the employes of Mr. Meyer. At the foot stood a broken column from the mem-bers of a social club of which the deceased was a member, and near it neatled a broken wheel from the broken wheel from members of a ladies' afternoon society. The floral tributes were notable for their beauty and profusion. The service was conducted by Rabbi Rose-

nau, who pronounced upon the departed : high eulogium pervaded with beautiful senti-ments and loving tenderness. The Concordia sang a requiem, and the rabbi closed the exercises with a touching benediction.

The remains were afterwards viewed by the large throng of friends gathered to testily their respect, and among these were many of the representative business and professional men of the city. The funeral cor-tege then took its way to Pleasant Hill ceme-tery, Messrs. Benjamin Nowman, I. Ober-felder, S. Katz, M. Goldsmith, A. Poliack and E. Seligsohn acting as pull bearers. The remains were committed to the grave with a few feeling words from the rabbi.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

P. W. Plank of Lincoln is at the Millard. G. C. Bayer of Beatrice is at the Murray J. E. Dalmon of Topeka is at the Murrya. J. J. Sullivan of Columbus is at the Mur

S. B. Reynard of Grand Island is at the H. C. Wortham of Pawnee City is at the Millard. B. L. Castal of Wilber, Neb., is at the

John P. Thompson of Plattsmouth is at the L. H. Woods of Violet, Neb., is stopping at

C. W. Wallace of Shenandoah, Ia., is at the Millard. W. H. McCann of Chadron is stopping at the Millard. S. I. King of Logan, Ia., is registered at

Frank S. Chandler of Lincoln is registered at the Millard. E. W. Allaboch of Des Moines is registered at the Millard. E. C. Miller of Fullerton, Neb., is a gues

at the Millard. E. S. Rood and wife of Holyrood are domiciled at the Murray. Thomas J. Hooper of Avoca, Ia., is regis-tered at the Dellone. F. M. Wolcott of Weeping Water was at

the Millard yesterday. H. H. Shaw and Gharles A. Hanna of Lincoln are at the Murray. J. N. Webster and N. S. Harwood of Lincoln are at the Paxton F. Y. Robertson and wife of Kearney are stopping at the Murray. Ralph Lewis of Springview, Neb., is sequestered at the Deligne,

J. B. Weston and R. J. Klipatrick of Beat rice are registered at the Paxton. F. S. Lusk, a prominent cattleman of Wyoming, is stopping at the Murray. Rome Miller, a hotel man of Norfolk, with his daughter and nuce, is at the Paxton.

I. R. Alton and wife of Grand Island are

miciled at the Paxton

is at the Paxton.

Mr. C. A. Most of Norfolk and W. H. Most and wife of Plaignew are stopping at the Mrs. Genevra Johnson Bisnop, of Chicago, who sings at the Apollo club concert tonight,

John E. Hogarty, manager of the "Yon Yonson' company, is in the city arranging for its Omaha engagement. Corporal E. W. Davis, of Fort Niobrara, son of E. J. Davis, chief clerk of the adjutant general office, is visiting with his father.

W. N. Babcock of the South Omaha stock yards, and John S. Knox of the Cudahy Packing company, have gone to Chicago. Manager William Lawler of the Eden Musee and bride have returned from their extended wedding tour and are making their emporary home at the Delloue.

Miss Aonie Davis, who for several years was connected with C. R. Gardner's attractions, but now leading lady with "The Last Days of Pompeil" company, passed through Omaha circuite to Des Moines, where the company appeared last night. Miss Davis has not been seen on the state for the past has not been seen on the stage for the past two years and comes back to the footights strengthened in her determination to make a name in the dramatic world.

# lints for the Holidays.

Be sure and buy your Holiday Gifts now while the stock is at HIGH and the price at LOW water mark. Herewith a few suggestions of the things we have to offer.

Silk Mufflers.

Silk and Linen Initial Handkerchiefs.

Colored Silk Handkerchiefs. Full Dress Neckwear.

Gold and Silver Mounted Um-

brellas. Gents' Street and Dress Gloves. Collars and Cuffs.

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was the amount claimed by the judges and cterks. The ordinance was vetoed by the mayor, who held that there was no law by which the city could pay the men ₹6 each. He cited the fact that but one election was held, and that being the case the city could be held for but one-third of the expense, \$1,232, and that the remainder would have to be shared equally between the Board of Educa-tion and the county. At the council meeting held December 7, a

majority of the council disagreed with the mayor and passed the ordinance over his At first he stated that he would not sign the warrants until compelled to do so by a mandamus issued from the courts but after due consideration he changed his mind and decided that as the responsibility rested with the council he would be governed by their action and check the result.

and abide the result. Yesteriay was the time set for signing the warrants and as the information bad been noised about the offices of the mayor and the comptroller were crowded from early morning with the men who had counted the ballots, but not a man secured a cont. The mayor was sick. He was confined to his room at his residence, where his condition was watched over by a physician.

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