sted a great deal of money to St. Matthias and St. Philips, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs

J. J. Gibson and wife have returned from

their extended trip to California, having spent the winter taking in all the cities of the west, including Mexico.

John G. Willischas returned from his cruise to Key West. He was absent sixty-four days, thirty-two days being spent on the gulf. Mr. Willis is greatly improved in health.

Mr. W. W. Mansfield of Baltimore, Mo. formerly of this city, who has been here for

several days renewing old acquaintances, left last evening for St. Louis, Cincinnati

Mrs. Fred Metz., ir., gave a reception Fri-day afternoon to eight members of the Liliputian company at her residence. Mrs.

Metz presented each visitor with a souvenir spoon with jeweled handles.

Dr. W. G. Spencer of Fort Omaha and family are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Spencer's parents in Nashville, Tenn. Dr. Spencer is slowly recovering from pneumonia, but is in better health than when he

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cushing have the sympathy of many friends in the death of their

coungest daughter. Irene Elizabeth, an ex-

ceedingly lovable child of 20 months. The funeral was held yesterday from 2000 Dodge

The marriage of Miss Mary Poppleton

and Mr. Myron Leslie Learned will be sol-emnized Tuesday evening. April 18, at 7:30

After a wedding journey to the south the young couple will be at home at 2823 Popple-

Mrs. Guy Barton entertained a few old

Mr. George A. Joslyn has purchased the

Sutphen property, which is said to be the

state and near enough to be considered a part of Omaha's social life.

remembered the occasion with a handsome present. The employes and their wives were

handsomely entertained at the house of Mr

In honor of Miss Patrick, Miss Wakeley

gave a lovely luncheon on Friday. Those present were Misses Dewey, Barnard, Mabel Balcombe, Hanseom, Boyd, Schaller, Bache, Hughes, Pratt, Dundy, Jessie Millard, Wool-

worth, Mesdames Kellar, Worth, Wyman, Rollins, Rogers, Brooke. Luncheon was served at small tables, each decorated with

The Twenty-eighth Street Card club was

Mrs. W. faoution and Mr. English

delightfully entertained last Saturday even-

ing by Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Pettibone at their

carried off the prizes, Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Loudon, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Seavers, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Griswold,

and Mrs. Meyer Monday evening.

different colored flowers.

voice of rare musical ability.

nieces, with here and there an older niece to

and to assist in entertaining the little folks.

The list of guests included: Robert McConnell, Joe McConnell, Lyman McConnell, Ar

thur McConnell, Mance Taylor, Grace Tayior, Janet Taylor, Helen McConnell, Anna McConnell, Elizabeth McConnell, Frederic

McConnell, while Mrs. Charles Sherman and Miss Lizzle Isaacs assisted the hostess in

The Woman's Christian association at

their regular monthly meeting, held April 4, desired sincere thanks returned to Mrs

Whitemore, Mrs. Cotton, Miss Poppleton Mrs. Moeller, Mrs. Hitchcock, Mr. Cahn and Mr. and Mrs. Higgins for the delightful concert given in March to aid the Young Women's home. To Mrs. Whitemore the

association feels especially indebted, as she not only suggested the concert, but devoted much time in preparing for it. By order of

the Woman's Thristian association, Miss Collier, corresponding secretary. In connec-

tion with this notice it may not be inappro-

printe to say that Mrs. Whitemore sent a check for \$55 to the officers of the associa-

Mrs. Frances Mumaugh has just com-

pleted a very characteristic flower piece, full of brightness and sunshine, which is on

exhibition at Whitmore's art store, the can

vas being 22x26. The subject is treated in a particularly artistic manner, the combina-

particularly artistic manner, the combina-tion and grouping of the Pearl and Cather-ine Mermet roses being very happy, a fine effect being obtained from the cover of duchesse lace upon which the roses rest, a gift undoubtedly from some admirer, for there is a card attached to the roses with "Many Happy Returns" upon it. It is one of Mrs. Mumaugh's best efforts, full of peetic sentiment, and warked out in

full of poetic sentiment and worked out in thorough harmony to the accepted tenets of

modern composition. It was hardly in the

became its possessor.

window a day before Mr. William Loudon

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Chapin entertained

their friends at their residence, 1924 Doug-las street, Wednesday evening at high five.

The house was decorated with roses and

The house was decorated with roses and smilax. The tables were decorated with flowers and each lady and gentleman were presented with bouquets to correspond. The ladies' first prize was won by Miss Grace Marty, the ladies' second prize by Mrs. Charles Cheney. The gentlemen's first prize was won by Mr. M. Parr, and the gentlemen's second prize by Mr. Gibson. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Mealio, Mr. and Mrs. M. Parr, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kess-

Parr, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kess-ler, Mr. and Mrs. John Retemior, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. W. King, Mrs. J. S. Tippery, Mrs. Marty and Miss Grace Marty, Miss Aggie Joott, Mr. Gibson, Mr. J. A. Paine, Mr. Will Tippery, Mr. L. B. Pettigrew, Mr. E. G. Wood.

In honor of Miss Lawrie of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrie of Emmet street enter-

tained charmingly at high five Thursday evening. The house was fragrant with Easter lilies, which were used for decor.:-

Easter lilies, which there used for decora-tions. At the end of the games Miss Lawrie was found to have won the first ladies' prize, a cut glass olive dish. Miss Crimmer, who took the part of a goldleman, took the first gentleman's prize, a Rhine wine glass. The consolutions, which were an Easter rabbit and a fuzzy little chicken, were given to Mrs. Bradley and Mr. Fisher. Delicious refresh-

meats were served during the evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Crummer, Mr. and Mrs. Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Minahan, Dr. and Mrs. Edmin-

ston, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Otis, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Joslyn, Mrs. Van Court, Mr. and Mrs. George Shields, Judge and Mrs. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wellar, Judge and Mrs. Macounber Mr. and

rie, Miss Tilly, Miss Crummer, Mr. Fowler

Miss Johnstone, the buirdresser, has many ew novel ways of dressing ladies' hair. 211

Packs Gofwin, sanda-law of William Cul

ten Bryant, and editor of the complete edi-tion of the poet's works, is 77 years old and

wears a most lixuriant beard and long hair.

Mrs. G. L. Fisher, Mrs. Johnson, Miss

give an added interest in the family

entertaining the little company.

tion as the result of her efforts.

Mr. F. Clayton

left his station, a short time since.

street, interment at Holy Sepulchre.

ton avenue Wednesdays in June.

highest point in Douglas county.

weeks

Joseph Barker.

and New York.

MISS CLARKSON'S PRETTY WEDDING

Boys and Girls Home for the Spring Holidays Have a Jolly Time-Royal Areanum Party-After Easter Chat of Well Known People.

Social Omaha is once more itself. After forty days of fasting in a spiritual sense it will now proceed to discuss the good things of life in a social sense. With last Sunday the season of penitential garb and demure demeanor caded and the members of the swell set have commenced to get back into their old forms, with the result that there was a brightening of social life all along the line during the week just ended. There have not been many crush events, but invitations will shortly fall like snowflakes upon the center tables of "me ladie" and the round of fashionable events be once more

Easter Sunday was an ideal spring day, and the parade of the swells was quite beyond anything Omaha has hitherto seen. Farnam street was a mass of color during the afternoon. From black to white, with all the intermediate shades, green and pink and brown and blue, with every variation of the possible to the dyer's art, all the rich jostled and swished and undulated in the summery air. It was a kaleidoscope of color, and, as long as it lasted, beautiful in the ex-

A luncheon given the other day was de-lightfully suggestive of the coming spring-time. The table was decorated with logs of silvery birch with the bark on, which hollowed out to receive a charming arrangement of "violets pied," purple, yellow and white, growing out of a bed of moss and The center log was with the length of the table, and the two others flanked it at either end, while a pale green ribbon laid on the table held together bunches of the violets at each plate.

Easter Monday Wedding.

The Easter festivities were ushered in by a very pretty wedding Easter Monday evening at the home of Major T. S. Clarkson, the parties to the nuptial contract being Miss Bertha Elizabeth Clarkson and Mr. Dallas Bache, jr., son of Colonet Bache, medical director of the Department of the Platte. The ceremony occurred at 8 o'clock in the south parior, the rooms on the lower floor being beautifully decorated with smilax and Easter flowers. Under a huge bell of smilax and flowers Dean Gardner read the marriage service, with a number of relatives and near friends of the two families grouped about

Upon the stroke of eight, to the music of the Mendelsschu march played by J. E. But-ler, organist of Trinity, where Miss Clark-son's voice has been heard upon many occasions, the wedding party entered from the hallway, Messrs. George Palmer and Wilbur Christian, the ushers, leading, followed by the bridesmaid, Miss Julia Clarkson, and the best man, Mr. A. P. Welcott, and lastly by the bride and groom. The bride, who is a very beautiful girl, wore a dainty wedding gown of white silk crepe, high in the neck, and richly trimmed with white silk lace, a crown of orange blossoms holding her veil in place. She carried a bouquet of brides roses. The brides maid, Miss Julia Clarkson, wore a protty white weel crops with lace.

Following the ceremony refreshments were served, and later the newly mated couple left for Chicago on a ten days wedding tour. On their return they will be at home at the Brunswick hotel. There were many beautiful presents received, which were displayed in an upstairs room.

Among the guests present were: Dr. Bache, Miss Bache, Miss Hattie Bache, Mrs. R. H. Clarkson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ringwalt. Captain and Mrs. Pulmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christian, Dean and Mrs. Gardner, Mr. J. W. Cotton, Mr. Henry, Allen, Mrs. Fr. S. J. W. Cotton, Mr. Henry Allen, Misses Edith and Kate Preston, Mr. Netherton Hall, Judge and Mrs. J. R. Clarkson, Miss Anna Bishop, Mrs. Charles Squires, Miss Nellie Squires, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Webster, Miss Flora Webster, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Kelly, Mr. J. E. But-ler, Mr. Wilbur Christian, Mr. George Palmer, Mr. A. P. Wolcott, Miss Sargent, Mr. Winthrop Sargent, Miss Palmer, Mr. A. P. Wolcott, Miss Sargent, Mr. Winthrop Sargent, Miss Osgood, Miss Hattie Osgood, Mr. Clarke Coit, Mr. Frank Carmichael, Mr. Oscar Funk of Lincoln, Miss Clara Clarkson, Mr. Michael Clarkson, Miss Ella Allen.

Miss Clarkson is the third daughter of Postmaster Clarkson, and one of the most promising vocalists of the city. Mr. Bache is a clerk in the employ of the United States government.

Mrs. Russell Harrison in Danger. The telegram published in Tun BER of the great danger Mrs. Russell Harrison and daughter Marthena were in last Friday while out for an airing in New York, was startling news to many people. The New York World in telling of the thrilling incident gives a more detailed account of the

It was that modern Juggernaut humorously called an express wagon. It was big and heavy, and the Norman horses which pulled it could easily have run away with a firengine. After the fashion of express wagons this city, which are driven on the London plan of every man take care of himself, it was dashing through the streets as if there were no such things as state laws or city dinances against fastdriving.

Wair in this language

At 1 p. m. Friday, when the crowd pedestrians in Broadway, near the Fifth Avenue hotel, was at its densest, the wagon dashed frenziedly up Twenty-fourth street and swung with a reckless sweep and a

Suddenly the driver uttered a cry-a pro-ne one, of course-and pulled rein. Shouts of fright and warning from several spectators also were sounded, but too late to be of any avail. A well dressed woman pushing a perambulator in which was a bright looking child of 5 stood right in the path of the uggernaut, rooted to the spot and speechas with terror. For a moment it looked as she and the child would be trampled to death under the horses' heels or ground be neath the heavy wheels of the express

The reckless man who held the reins pulled the big horses up on their haunches, but not until they had struck the woman or the hip and knocked her down and over-turued the baby carriage. Willing hands picked them up and brushed the dirt from off their clothes and righted the little car-riage and asked if the woman and child were

A crowd gathered as if by magic and loud demands were made for the arrest of the reckless driver. But the lady, who was not injured and who seemed anxious to preserve her incognito, insisted that he should be let go, and after some little wrangiing coupled with the administration of some very wholesome advice he was permitted to drive away.

The lady and the child were escerted to
the Gilsey house and Dr. William Morton, of Lexington avenue, was hastily summoned The doctor looked grave when he learned what had happened, for the child was a patient of his whom he was treating for a nervous complaint, the aftereffect of scarlet fever, and though she was not hurt in body, the shock and fright had undone in a mo-ment, Dr. Morton feared, the treatment of

It was by the rarest good fortune that the heavy hand of bereavement was not again ex-President Harrison, for the woman and child who so narrowly escaped death or serious injury were his son's wife, Mrs. Rus-sell B. Harrison, and his little grandchild Marthena. The latter was brought from Washington three weeks ago suffering from mervous prostration, and ever since then Dr.

Morton, as related in last Sunday's World, has been treating her with static electricity. Mrs. Harrison, who is most democratic in her ways, took the child out for an airing yesterday after their noonday lunch at the Glisey house, and it was while pushing the perambulator down Broadway that she encountered the swift moving wagon at the crowded crossing, which no decent driver would think of passing faster than a walk. Their escape from serious injury, eyewit-nesses say, was little short of miraculous. Russell Harrison had not heard of the exciting escape when he reached the hotel at

the day's end. He gave the facts of the encounter to a World reporter, but made light of the matter. He said that he should take no steps to have the driver arrested, as it would be too much of a punishment to his wife and child to appear in court. So history repeats itself again, and a all probability express wagons will continue to be driven reckless disregard for human life and

To a World reporter who called late last night the clerk of the hotel said that no one appeared to be the worse for the shake-up. Mrs. Harrison had been about as usual, apparently in good health.

Rounding Out Their Season.

Union Pacific Council of the Royal Areanum has given a number of very delightful dancing parties this season but none have equaled in point of brilliancy or the number of people present the closing sparty of Union Pacific's season Tuesday evening at Metropolitan hall. The long pariod of sack-cloth and ashes had brought renewed vigor to the fair sex and the men taking advantage of the respite [granted them by their wives and sweethearts naturally fell into the habit of resting after the work of the day, so that everybody came up smiling on Tuesday evening thoroughly equipped so far as spirit was concerned to enjoy the gifts that the gods night provide.

There were twenty-one numbers on the program and it was well into the merning before the last of the guests described the ball room. In every detail the affair was a glittering success and next season when Juion Pacific council inaugurates its series of dancing parties, everybody will fall into line for a repetition of the good times of the

OThe following were guests in attendance Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Korty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metz, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Judge Shields, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dinning, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mrs. W. H. Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Connor, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rheem, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Van Kuran, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gratton, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vierling, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metz. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dent, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Foster, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McKelvey, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sackett, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gedney, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Black, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shropshire, Mr. and Mrs. Piel, Mr. and Mrs. Dakin, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kimball, Missos Andrews, Emma Mrs. A. E. Kimball, Misses Andrews, Emma Potter, Dunster, McCreary, Bailey, Louisa Sackett, V. Ambrose, Leonard, Biggar, Hake, Hamilton, Weaver, Ketchum, Slaughter, Jessie Andrews, Wilkinson, Stand-ish, Near, Flaherty, Hockenbey, Bowie, Redfield, Her, Zimmerman, Bierworth, Shultz, Campbell, Taylor, Rugge, Bierworth, Shultz, Campbell, Taylor, Rugge, Esmond, Mary Esmond, Henderson of St. Louis; Mrs. Pickering, Mrs. Leonard, Messrs. C. S. Forsythe, W. F. Denny, J. W. Robb, W. E. Brooks, P. Merquart, F. L. Mc-Coy, F. S. Brownlee, H. A. Sander, C. H. Cook, W. C. Bartlett, S. K. Humphrey, C. A. Fisher, W. E. Wood, S. Mooberry, S. B. Dyball, M. 12, Andrews, J. F. Vickers, R. E. Thomas, M. J. Patterson, R. W. Dyball, C. R. Griffiths, P. T. McGrath, A. G. Potter, R. S. Horton, J. R. Savers, J. E. Burkingham. Horton, J. R. Sayers, J. E. Burkingham, A. M. Beach, T. C. Brownlee, Arthur East, J. Buckingham, F. W. Robinson, John Simpson, Alfred Donaghue, jr.

Death of a Former Resident of Omaha. The Chicago Tribune of Friday last conained the announcement of the death of W. H. Holcomb, sr., father of W. H. Holcomb ir., who is in charge of the transportation lepartment of the Columbian exposition, but for some time was general manager of the Union Pacific resident in Omaha. The Tribune says of the deceased, who had a large circle of friends here: "Mr. Holcomb, sr., was born in Richmond, Mass., January 16, 1797, and was therefore 96 years 2 months 13 days old at his death. In 1838 Mr. Holcomb came west from his home in Lenox, Mass., to take charge of mail routes in Illinois and Iowa. He settled at Knoxville, where for several years he conducted a hotel. After 1844 the stage coach went west of the Mississippl, and Mr. Holcomb retired from the business. He was an ardent abolitionist, a conductor of the underground railway, and became intimately ac-quainted with many of the greatest names of Illinois. He was a man of positive character, free from all casuistry, and needed only one reason for any course or act: 'Is it right?' He was identified with all the movements of his long years as they related to the civic, educational, or religious wellbeing of the community where he lived. For nearly nine years he suffered blindness, and recovered sight by having a cataract re-moved from each eye when above 80 years of age. He was the honorary deacon of the Congregational church in Hinsdale, where he had resided for about a year and a haif. He was three times married, his second wife being the mother of his children, W. H. Hol-comb, jr., Charles F. Holcomb, Colorado Springs, Colo., and Mary E. Shaw, Paxton, Ili. The funeral service will be held at his residence this morning at 10:30, the remains being taken to Knoxville for interment.'

Movement Looking to A Woman's Club, A number of intelligent women of Omaha are actively interested in the formation of a woman's club, a preliminary meeting having been held at Lininger's Art gallery March 29. Among the large number present were Mesdames Ford, Peattie, Keysor, Hanchett, Dr. Jonas, Towne, Savage, Burnham, Buck, Kilpatrick. Haller, Stebbins, Lininger, Richardson, Woodman, Wattles, Colpetzer, Dur-yea, Fleming and Johnson. Mrs. Ford spoke in an interesting manner of the workings of the celebrated Orange (N. J.), club, of the celebrated Orange (N. J.), club, of which she was formerly a member. Mrs. Peattietold something of the woman's club in Chicago formed for literary work, but developing undreamed of possibilities in bringing about sanitary improvements and much needed municipal reforms. A committee consisting of Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Keysor, Mrs. Duryea, Mrs. Van Tyle and Mrs. Andrews was appointed to take measures for the formation of a club in this city. This committee cordially lavites all neigh

borhood clubs and classes, and all women who approve the movement to a general meeting at the Young Men's Christian association rooms on Tuesday next at 2:30 p, m. Immediately following the business meeting an opportunity will be given for the pres-

intation of names for membership.
It is impossible to foretell the work of this tub, since it will take its coloring from n other organization, but adapt itself to the needs of Omaha women. But should it prove to be to Omaha what the Chicago club has been to that city then indeed it will be a "power for good in the community."

Cercle Paristen. Last evening the ladies and gentlemen nembers of Mme. L. Lahure's class in French, gave a dramatic evening at Pythian hall, which was very delightful, the participants in the program showing ex-cellent knowledge of the language, and not a few considerable dramatic ability. The program was as follows:

program was as follows:
Les Chateaux en Espagne ... Colin d'Arleville
Dialogue ... Mmarcin.
Les Adieux a la France ... Marie Stuart Les Adieux a la France Ma Reci tation, Mme. Seavey. L'EMPLOYE DE TELEGRAPHE, COMEDIE EN

Personnages { Martie, Mille, House, Lucie, Mille, Byrne, L'employe, M. Despecher. ACTE. Mine Stevens M. McCague Chateaubriand Recitation..... L'Emigre L'Emigre Chateaubriand
Recitation, Mile. Coffin.
Paris a 5 Houres du Matin. Desaugier
Recitation, M. Ropes.
LA DAME DE PIQUE, COMEDIE EN 1 ACTE.

Personnages... Mme. Martis, Mme. Humphrey. Adele, Mile. Mexia. Frederic, M. Martin. Rester ou se Reposer.....

NOUS NOUS EXTENDONS TRES BIEN, COMEDIE EN 1 ACTE.

Mme. DeRenouveau.
Mile Emily Wakeley.
M. Raoul de Valemore.
M. Despecher Personnages . Musique.

Bon Ami Club Resumes Play. Mr. and Mrs. De Ver Sholes, 3863 Farnam treet, entertained the Bon Ami Card club Monday evening in a very delightful manner, being the first meeting of the club since Ash

Wednesday dawned. The house was very effectively decorated in white and green green tissue shades covering the chandeliers, with tots of Easter lilies around the place to give bright ness and seasonable effect to the rooms, ness and seasonable effect to the rooms, High five was played with great interest.

the Lenten rest being largely responsible for

the zeal with which the guests played cards. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Bartlett, who received a cut-glass olive dish; Mrs. D. H. Goodrich received a Dresden pitcher, while Mr. Wattles and Mr. Bartlett carried off the Mr. Wattles and Mr. Bartiett carried off the prizes for the men. The guests present were: Dr. and Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Raymond, Miss. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, Mr and Mrs. Wattles, Mrs. Woodman, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Purvis, Miss. Integene Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Bosche, The next meeting will be a week from Mouday.

First Coaching Party. Previous to Miss Emma Sherwood's leaving for her new home at Beatrice a number of her young gentlemen friends planned a coaching party for Tuesday evening, and the jolliest sort of a time was the result. The night was perfect, and after a ride about the

city the young people recurned to the Sherwood residence, where they danced until midnight. Miss Mary Sher-wood and Miss Burns chaperoned the party. The guests were the Misses Grace Christian, Emma Sherwood, Fanny Duryea, Emma Moore, Emma Crandait, Bertha Sloan, Leila Carter, Edna Cowin, Jessie Dickinson Fredereicka Wessels, Mae Mount, Florence Fredereicka Wessels, Mae Mount, Florence Crapser, Marion Day, Mae Bartlett: Messrs. Frank McCine, Joe Barker, Moshier Colpetzer, Gilbert Pratt, Charles Pratt, Samuel Burns, jr., Wilbur B. Christian, Russell Wilber, William Hughes, Raiph Con-nell, Lin Sherwood, Howard Tilden, Rae Hobbie, Fred Lake.

Marriage of a Garrison Favorite. Society will be interested in learning that Mrs. Clara McCrory Wicks, whose brightness and brilliancy illumined the social life of the garrison last season, a sister of Mrs. W. G. Spencer, U. S. A., was married April 5 at the home of her parents. Stevenson avenue, Nashville, Tenn., to Mr. R. M. Dorsey of Baltimore. The Nashville Daily American, speaking of the event, says: "Mrs. Clara McCrory Wicks was married last evening at the residence of her parents on Stevenson avenue to Mr. Richard Martine Dorsey of Baltimore, Md. The ceremony, which was very quiet, only immediate relatives being present, was performed by Rev. J. R. Winchester of Christ church. Mr. Dorsey comes from one of Maryland's oldest and most aristocratic families, being a grand son of Bishop Claggett, the first Episcopal bishop of the diocese of Maryland and Virginia, and is extensively related to Balti-more's oldest residents. Mr. and Mrs. Dor-sey left at 7:30 o'clock for an extended visit to relatives in New York, Washington and other eastern cities, after which they will make their home for the summer at the Huntington in Chicago."

Friday evening a number of young people were guests informally at the residence of Mrs. O. M. Carter on West Farnam street aud naturally dancing became the chief pleasure of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served and the coming belles and beaux of the haut—monde—enjoyed—the Easter holidays with all the—enthusiasm of

The guests present were: Misses Fanny Duryea, Emma Crandall, Bertha Sloan, Edna Cowin, Jessie Dickinson, Fredericka Wessels, Mae Mount, Florence Crapser, Grace Christian. Darline Coe. Leila Carter. Messrs, Joe Barker, James Wallace, Buzz Colpetzer, Wilbur B. Christian, Russell Wil-ber, William Hughes, Rae Hobbie, Ezra Millard, Dick Stuart of Council Bluffs, Fred Lake, Samuel Burns, jr., Charles Pratt.

Surprised Mr. Thornton.

Mr. Thomas T. Thornton, a clerk in the Union Stock Yards bank, was tendered a very pleasant surprise Tuesday evening at his home, 4730 North Fortieth street, by a few of his neighbors and friends in honor of his 32d birthday. Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. George Peck. Mr. and Mrs. Rev. and Mrs. George Feek, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sturdevant, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Thornton, Mesdames E. E. French, William Robertson, Misses Georgia and Daisy French, Hattie and Minnie Berlin, Carrie and Edna Robertson, Elsie Hartman, Annie and Gertrude Thornton, Messrs, N. H. Nelson, Burt Nason, Loraine, Nebergal,

F. M. Sturdevant presented several remembrances to Mr. Thornton in a very tak-ing speech, which the recipient acknowledged feelingly. Games and music, with re-freshments, contributed to a very enjoyable evening."

The Madison Concert, An impromptu entertainment was given in the parlors of the Madison Monday evening by the guests of the house, who kindly consented to contribute their mite toward the success and enjoyment of the occasion. The

program was as follows:Judge Ambrose orous Sketches Captain Lawrence
Banjoes Dr. and Mrs. Moriarty
aution Mrs. Hoel
o Solo W. S. Weldon

After-Lenten Chat About People, Miss Lemist left Thursday for a visit to St.

Miss Gertrude Chambers went to Lincoln Mrs. F. K. Darling is visiting at Leavenworth, Kan.

Miss Rice of Chicago is visiting Mrs. Harry Miss Mary Sherwood is the guest of Mrs Mr. William Wallace returned Tuesday

from California.

Mrs. Harry Hershey of Hershey, Neb., was in town this week. Mrs. Grace Knight of Texas is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Coutant. Ezra Millard came home Wednesda y to spend his Easter vacation.

Mrs. Charles Squires and Miss Louise Squires are visiting in St. Louis. The Paladians' next dancing party will be given Monday evening, the 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Graham returned Monday from an extensive southern trip. Colonel Benham left Saturday for mouth's visit at Hot Springs, S. D.

Mr. James Carr left Wednesday for week's visit to Excelsior Springs, Mo. Mrs. Thomas Platter and her little granddaughter have returned from Florida Miss Baker has returned to Kansas City. She was accompanied by Mrs. Monroe Mrs. R. R. Ritchie is expected to return his evening from her visit to Wisconsin.

Mrs. Ellen Beall returned Tuesday even-ing and is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Caldwell. Miss Annette Randall of Bridgeport, Conn., is in the city visiting Miss Van Camp. Mr. J. J. Brown, who has been dangerously ill with typhoid malaria, is improving slowly. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hanscom and Miss Hanscom have returned and are at the Pax-

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Barnard, 2630 Howard street, on Thurs-Mrs. George W. E. Dorsey of Fremont is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M.

Marsh Mr. and Mrs. George Baxter of Syracuse, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irving Baxter. Miss Bertha Sloane is home from school

spending the Easter vacation with Messrs. C. S. Raymond and R. R. Ritchie spent several days at Hot Springs, S. D.,

Captain Worden left Tuesday for a pro onged visit in the eastern states, Canada and Europe. Mr. S. H. H. Clark returned to Omaha last

week and for the present has taken his old rooms at the Millard. A. H. Merchant, assistant general freight agent of the Elkhorn, returned last week from a month's trip to Cuba.

Mrs. O. H. Jeffries, after a four months solourn on the Pacific coast, returned and is at home at the Paxton hotel. Dean Gardner left Tuesday for North Platte, where he holds a nine days mission at the Church of Our Saviour.

Judge and Mrs. Dundy, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dundy and Miss Dundy returned lass week from their southern trip. Mr. Fred Sackett, accompanied by his wife, left Thursday on a six weeks trip to California and the Pacific coast.

Mr. George Krug entertained Franz Ebert

and several members of the Liliputian con pany at dinner Froms at his home.

Mr and Mrs. F. E. Bailey and son George left Thursday for Hot Springs, Ark., and Texas, where they will remain six or eight Welding Them Into a Compact Mass Mr. Benjamin F. Weaver and family have moved from their home on Pacific to the corner of Twenty-ninth avenue and Pacific

THE FORCES OF PROGRESS

Defense of Western Interests. THE TRANSMISSISSIPPI CONGRESS AT OGDEN Mrs. Hodge of Detroit, who has contrib;

> Questions to Be Considered Bearing or Public Welfare-The Ends to Be Attained Basis of Representation -A Great Meeting.

The fifth session of the Transmississippi ongress, to be held at Ogden, opens Mon! day, the 24th inst. Reports from state and municipal authorities and from commercial bodies indicate that the congress will be the largest ever held west of the Mississippi

The basis of representation in the convention is such as to prevent any one state or district from controlling its deliberations or moulding its action. No state or territory can cast more than thirty votes on a roll call being demanded. The persons having the power to appoint delegates, as will be seen, are so distributed as to insure the selection of a representative body of men.

The governors have each the appointment of ten delegates, and are themselves exofficio delegates, and are themselves exofficio delegates to the congress, thus giving
fo each state and territory a delegation of
ten independent of the governor himself,
who may head the delegation.

Each county in all the twenty-two states
and territories is entitled to be represented
by one delegate, and the naming of this delegate is left to either the county index or the

gate is left to either the county judge or the Board of Supervisors or county commis-sioners, and the county judge where such an office exists, and the president of the super-visors or county commissioners is ex-officio a delegate to the congress, thus giving to Mrs. Guy Barton entertained a tew old time friends at a lovely function yesterday at 1:30, covers being laid for Mesdames C. H. Gardner, J. N. H. Patrick, Joseph Barker, E. Wakeley, J. C. Cowin, Short, R. H. Clark-son, James McKenna and Reuben Wood. each county a possible of three delegates where both the office of county judge and supervisors or county commissioners exist, should the delegate, the county judge and the president of the county government all attend, but together would only cast the one vote of the county on all questions arising.

Sutphen property at Fortieth and Davenport streets, giving his house in Kountze Place as part payment. After his return from Europe Mr. Joslyn will build a beautiful home on the The cities and towns, through their mayors and commercial bodies, reach the great mass of business men who are advanced thinkers and leaders in the growth of cities and the commercial world. The mayor of a town of 5,000 inhabitants or less Society will greatly miss Mr. E. H. Sherwood and family, who have left Omaha to take up their residence at Beatrico. can appoint one delegate, so that no matter how small a town, if it has a mayor he may But there is pleasant satisfaction in the thought that Miss Sherwood and her appoint one delegate. In cities of over 5,000 the mayor can appoint one additional deleounger sisters are still residents of the gate for each 5,000 population or fractional part thereof. So that a city of 100,000 can be represented by twenty delegates, and a The tenth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Meyer occurred Sunday, and the employes of Max Meyer & Bro. company, to the number of seventy, city of 101,000 by twenty-one delegates.

The mayors are delegates ex-officio to the

congress, and may, by courtesy of their office, accompany their delegations and take part as delegates in the congress. The Nebraska Delegation.

The Nebraska delegation selected by Governor Crounse, comprising regulars and alternates is as follows: Thomas W. Pat-terson, North Platte; Nathan Blakelov, Beat] rice; S. P. Davidson, Tecumseh; H. P. Shum-way, Wakefield; Solomon Draper, Niobrara; J. H. Barnes, Norfolk; William E. Peebles, Pender: James W. Dawes, Crete; George I Miller, Omaha : Alford C. Wright, Elmwood H. T. Clarke, Omaha : J. H. Stiekle, Hebron W. A. Paxton, Omaha: Leander Gerrard, Columbus: C. H. Marple, Omaha: J. B. Stine, Superior; C. W. Warner, Maywood: John Mattes, Jr., Nebraska City: J. H. Danskin, Alliance: J. E. Frick, Fremont: Fred Hedde, Grand Island; C. H. Deitrich, Hastings; E. C. Calkins, Kearney; W. E. Daie, Atlanta; M. A. Lunn, Lincoln.

Previous Congresses.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. English, Mrs. E. E. Odell, Miss Clayton, Miss Nannie Clayton, Miss Helen Root, and Mr. E. Clayton, Miss Helen Root, and The Transmississippi congress was first Mr. H. M. Kauffman left last week for organized at Galveston three years ago, and gave voice to the demand for deep water on the Gulf coast, that was followed by an ap-South Bend, Ind., where he has accepted a position as private secretary to Mr. Clem propriation of \$8,000,000 by the gagovernment for the Galveston harbor. Studebaker, president of the Studebaker Bros. Manufacturing company. While in this city Mr. Kauffman was for a number of years with the Union Pacific Railway com-pany and recently with the Home Fire In-surance company. He will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends, and especially by subsequent sessions have been held in Denver, Omaha and New Orleans. The last ses-sion, the one at New Orleans, gave prominence to the improvement of the Mississippi, and called the attention of the country to the Omaha quartette, of which he was a member, being first tenor, and possessing a the Nicaragua canal, in connection with its ownership by the United States. At each session of the congress many measures affecting the general welfare of the trans-Mrs. Fred R. McConnell gave a thoroughly mississippi country have been endorsed, and some of them have since become laws. delightful luncheon on Wednesday in honor of her children to her little nephews and

This is the first session of the congress to which the governors and congressmen have been invited, and it will be the largest and most representative assembly that has ever met in the west. No such opportunity has ever been had to produce harmony of feeling and union of action on the part of the western states. California wants river and harbor improvements and coast defenses: Texas, Washington and Oregon have like interests: Minnesota wants deep water from the Atlantic to Duith to Join with the other states above mentioned in pouring the commerce of the world into the interior of the great transmississippi country. Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Novada, Utah, New Mexica and Arizona are all ready with a helping hand to give their precious ores to the world and put new life into the arteries and veins of commerce that have been leached and bled by the merciless money changers of the world. The irriga-tion and arid land problem concerns all of

the states directly or indirectly. Ends to Be Attained.

Governor Prince of New Mexico, the president of the congress, elected at the session at New Orleans and who holds over till the congress at Ogden elects his successor, has invited all of the twenty-two governors of the transmississippi states and ter-ritories to unite in the deliberation of the next session of the congress, and their intention to be present marks a new era of harmony and union of purpose that will result in great good to the states over whose destinies they are the chief execu-tives. The governor of Texas, shaking hands with the governor of Washington, brings together the political representatives of deep water on the Gulf and the great harbors of Puget sound. Louisiana, at the mouth of the greatest water way of com-merce in the world, by her political repre-sentative will meet amidst the crags and valleys of the west, the executives and prominent men of eighteen other sovereign

states whose influence directed in her behalf will be worth millions in her interest. Great conferences like the one at Ogden will break down sectional lines, broaden views and promote new ideas. It will harmonize differences and unite all in a commor purpose—the upbuilding of the country. The transmississippi congressmen at Washing-ton, numbering in all 132, can accomplish all they undertake when united in the common purpose of the advancement and improve-ment of the great country they represent. Their number will command respect when united, but indifference in the separate scramble of disjointed interests. United measures they advocated would be granted in exchange for measures pressed by the Atlantic or middle or southern states.

The opera house in which the congress will be held comfortably seats 2,000 people and the hotel and other accommodations of the egates will be well looked after by a comnittee at Ogden.

The congress will be preceded by the convention of the Intermountain Cattle Growers association, commencing April 20 and lasting three days. This convention will be devoted to all subjects relative to the cattle

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IOWA COLLEGE NOTES.

lege verse, entitled "Under the Scarlet and

Black," made its appearance this week. The

importance of this volume is enhanced by

the fact that it is the first publication of its

kind in the west. Iowa college takes rank

with the eastern institutions, Columbia

Cornell, Amherst and Dartmouth, which

credit on the college. The introduction was written by Newton M. Hall, Ames professor of English language and literature.

The faculty has recently made several important changes in the amount of work nec

The Chrestomathian and Ellis societies will produce Sheridan's great comedy. The Rivats," about June 1.

The forty-sixth annual catalogue of lowa

ollege will appear next week. It will show

a slight increase over the attendance of last

The Tennis association will shortly hold

their spring tournament.

Home field day will be held this year on

May 13, and the state meet will occur in Des Moines on Jame 3. Much interest is being

The new athletic park fenced in last fall is

gradually nearing perfection. Work has be

run on a quarter-mile track, and base bal and foot ball grounds have been laid off.

The base ball men are practicing diligently and the outlook is very bright. There are more good candidates for the team than ever

before. Manager Thompson is in Chicago to complete the schedule for the team's eastern trip, which will be made the first week in

May.
The Iowa college exhibit for the World's

fur was shipped this week.

The first of a series of open air concerts was given by the Iowa College band on Fri-

The college annual, The Cyclone, issued by

extended eastern trip. His wife will accom

1 \$20 prize to the athlete who has the high-

est grades for the year. This will be given for three years and may be made permanent.

WILL BOUNCE THE DRONES.

should do to save the party.

candidates.

Unfruitful Vines Will Be Weeded Out by the

Without any attempt at display or discus

individual for any federal position. This

action was brought about by several of the leading lights announcing from the floor of the house that President Cleveland had said

that the endorsements of ward clubs and political organizations would not count or

carry weight in considering the eligibility of

took up the question of weeding the slug-gards from the ranks of the Jacksonian or

ganization. There is a rule of the club that the membership shall not exceed more than

twenty-five persons from each ward of the city and that these members shall all be

active democrats. In the past the workers in the club have discovered that about half of the strength of the

organization is composed of drones who only show themselves upon state occasions or of

dress parade. To get rid of that class of

members, last night the faithful ones ap-pointed a committee to engage in the weed

places filled with men who would work to

Paderewski, the Peerless Pianist.

"Paderewski is not only a pianist; he is a

composer, a poet, a musical genius. His

playing always shows this, at his highest.

piano playing is with him but a means and not the end. The thought and the emotion

to be expressed the shade of feeling, the

the eminently cultured and critical Boston Transcript says of the peerless planist, whose name and fame have been in the

mouths of everybody for the past year or two. The people of Omaha are promised the

privilege of seeing and hearing Paderewski on the 19th inst., Wednesday of next week.

His performance will be the musical event of the year. The sale of seats will begin to-morrow morning at Max Myer's.

YORK, Neb., April 6.—To the Editor of THE

BEE: A and B have a dispute over a house

and lot. A claims equity rights in the prop-

erty and has had possession for many years.

B claims legal rights. One of the courts of equity decided the property to be in B. A appeals to a higher court. B, after this appeal, asks the court to put him in posses-

sion, which motion was overruled. Prior to all this A had rented the property to C and

had given him possession. C pays the rent to A for a few months and then accepts a

lease from B and retuses to A by accept Has C committed a fraud upon A by accept E, H, D.

lease from B and refuses to longer pay A

New Officers Elected.

Endeavor of the First Baptist church met Friday evening. The meeting was harmoni-

ous and a large amount of business was

transacted. Officers for the ensuing six

months were elected as follows: President, Charles Morgan; vice president, H. D. Rhoades; secretary, Miss Mattle Clark; treasurer, Miss Maud Bonnelt; delegates to the Christian Endeavor City union, W. E. Johnson and Miss Florence Little; organist,

onths were elected as follows: President

The Young People's Society of Christian

form and color of a beautiful fancy, not notes, are what he is after." That is

build up the club and give it a standing

becomes evident at

Having disposed of that matter the club

essary for a degree.

manifested by the athletes

Anxious to Transact Business at Washington Poetry of Undergraduates Immortalized in in True Western Pashion. Print-Gossip of the Campus.
GRINNELL, Ia., April 8.—(Special to THE
BER.)—The long expected book of Iowa Col-

NOT DISTURBED BY THEIR SURROUNDINGS

They Prefer Positions in the Postoffice Department, but Will Accept Anything Offered in the Proper Spirit-How They Work.

have issued similar volumes. The seventy pages of the took contain selections from the verse written by undergraduates and from a literary standpoint reflect great Washington, D. C., April 8 - [Special to l'un Ben.] -There seems to be a new crop of office seekers in town. These are the men who want the postoffices, the clerkships in the departments here and the smaller places. They do not present the appearance of the crowds who came at the outset of the administration for the missions abroad, the consulates and the higher positions in the epartments. Many of these men are from Pexas or the plains beyond the corn belt of the Missouri valley. They wear broad brimmed sombreros, yellow and stiff, and some have bulging hip pockets and a few wear their "pants" in their boots. They crowd the corridors of the capitol when the senate is in session, poke their feet far under the tables in the senate restaurant and insist upon drinking cups of red liquor right along with their raw beef and potatoes is a beverage.

There are so many of these brawny sons f election victories here that two or three extra sheets of the nominations sent to the senate each day are posted in the senate corridors for their benefit. It has been the custom for years when the president sends a list of nominations to the senate about half past 12 or i o'clock, to make a dozen or more mani-fold copies for the information of press rep-resentatives and others. Three or four copies are immediately sent up to the press galleries of the senate, and a copy posted in the large room occupied by the clerks to the secretary of the senate.

Held Up by Texans. When the clerk from the white house ap-

the junior class, is expected to be placed on sale next Thursday.

President Gates leaves this week for an weared with his nominations, before the present arrangement, the fellows with the broad hats and bulging hip pockets made a dash for him, and he could scarcely dodge into the senate chamber. When the copy for public posting was sent out these fellows Profs. Calkins and Slaughter have offered almost feli over one another. It was a mob They wanted to see if their names were on the list. Now they are less bolsterous, for they know two extra bulletins are posted in diverse corridors for their benefit. They rush up now, and glancing for their names A little party of the true and tried ones. and seeing them not, they step back, shift their cuds and grunt. It is the same the all members of the Jacksonian club, congregated at Pabst's hall last night, where they

About the hotel corridors, day and night, proceeded to express their views upon the the typewriters are driven to their utmost capacity. The applicants want their papers all conied in the nice, bold hand of the types-writing machine, so the appointing power can readily read. One can see great piles of letters and petitions before the copyist, who subject of democracy and what democrats sion the members unanimously resoluted that as a club they would not endorse any labors with might and main to get the jobs done in time for the applicants to catch their senators or representatives on their way to the departments. Thousands of dol-lars are being spent here in copying petitions and letters which will never be read. everything goes and no one cares for an ex-pense of \$2 or \$3 for copying his papers, so long as there is hope. When the applicant has lost his race and is packing his grip preparatory to departure home and he is counting his sses he laments the expenditure for typewriting.

Weak Bodies but Bright Minds.

Senator Colquitt of Georgia continues to be pushed around the senate chamber in the invalid chair which he has occupied for many months. When the senator wishes to respond to a call in the marble room of the senate, where callers are received by sena-tors, he snaps his fingers from the invalid chair which he occupies in front of his desk on the floor of the chamber, and a page re-sponds. The boy wheels the invalid out to ing process, that the sleepy Jacksonians might be dropped from the rells and their the reception room, where the bright and genial Georgian, who is beloved personally by every one, is soon surrounded by admirng and sympathizing friends.

It seems that Senator Colquitt is destined to spend the remainder of his days in an invalid's chair, although he says he is growing better and hopes some day to get out and walk. The reader asks what is the matter with Senator Colquitt! Go ask history, consult the annals of the state whence he

Inherited the Malady.

appears to be a malady which has come lown through several generations to the Georgia statesman. Who do s not recall the manner in which the famous Alexander Stephens was carried about Washington for years in an invalid's chair! The little, pale face, the shriveled form of that bright mind could be seen upon the floor of the house for ears, being pushed about in just such an invalid's chair as now carries Senator quitt. When Stephens wanted to address the house—in the early '80s—he got recognition from the speaker while he sat in his chair at his desk, and then a page would wheel him up in front of the speaker's desk in the semiircular space which faces the entire house.

Always Attracted a Crowd. Before he could open his mouth and before his weak, piping voice was heard in speech the space about him would be filled with mem-bers who crowded around to hear the words

of wisdom, for Alexander Stevens always had something wise to say when he spoke. There was seldom applause, although he always made a profound impression. His hearers were afraid they would iose something said. Stevens died the same invalid, while patron-ters he heards shall. Stevens died the same invalid, while patron-izing his invalid chair.

Then came Senator Joe Brown, the multi-millionaire, who was an old man but nimble on his feet when he first appeared on the floor of congress. After a few years he too was affileted, apparently as was Alexander Stevens. He took to an invalid's chair and

used to sit at his desk in the invalid chair and address the senate, and he appeared much as does Senator Colquitt today. He sat at or near the same desk as does Colquitt today. When Colquit as does Colquitt today. When Colquitt speaks every one thinks of Senator Joe Brown of Georgia, who was right there, in the same condition, less than two years ago. How strange that these distinguished Georgians should one after another be afflicted in this way and keep up a sequence of invalidism in congress. There is no parallel in history.

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