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Chicago Goes Into the Punching Business on Her Own Hook.

BREEZY GOSSIP FOR THE HORSEMEN

Ball Players Melange Game and Notes-The June Trot and Questions Answered.

The newest thing in pugilism is the fact that the World's fair city announces itself as a rival of New Orleans and Coney Island for all that is attractive in the game. That is Chicago is to have a huge amphitheater and fighting arena out alongside that other high-toned and lovely institution, Roby, the sure thing race course. It has been given out that this mammoth structure is to be modeled after New Orleans' White Elephant-the Crescent City club's fistic pavillion, only that it is to be on a still more elaborate and extensive basis, and will be all complete and ready for the initial punching saturnalia Saturday evening, June 10, when Buffalo Costello and Billy Woods will meet in a finish battle for \$3,000, and Tommy Ryan and Danny Needham in a ten round go as a curtain raiser.

Just who is at the head of this new project is not generally understood, but Dominick O'Malley, the jovial New Orleans sport and chief detective, is a moving spirit, and It is quite probable that several other southern gentlemen with pugilistic predilections are to rigure in the combination. It wouldn't surprise me one whit, when I go over there, to meet Charlie Noel and Joe Spohrl somewhere in the vicinity of the Roby arena. Of course there will be a regiment—more of less—of Chicago capitalists in the deal, for if there is a set of men on earth who aupreif there is a set of men on earth who appreciate a good thing when they run up against it, it is these Windy city ducks. No outside parties would be allowed to enter the confines of this Eldorado and ongineer such a snap without the local luminaries stand "in and in." as the gams have it. Colone Hank Varnell disclaims any propinquity whatever, to the enterprise, and the same can be said of Mayor Harrison. Old George Siler, Chi-Harrison. Old George Siler, Chicago's journalist-pugilistico, however, is
to be the official referee, with Louis Napoleon Houseman of the Inter Ocean as
match maker. Whether Billy Yale Cornell
and Hugney Keogh will 'rap' remains to be
seen. But all levity aside, the project, if it
can be brought to a successful issue, and I
would like some one to tell me what they
can't do in Chicago, will surely be a colossal
money maker. Chicago has a bisyger element money maker. Chicago has a bigger element with pugilistic tendencies than any city in the world, and with the thousands and tens of thousands of strangers who will swarm there this year a failure in this peculiar and questionable line of amusement seems like an impossibility. That everything has been "squared" is evident in the fact of the con-"squared" is evident in the fact of the construction of this immense arena at Roby and the big list of attractions already booked. Among the latter may be mentioned Johnny Griffin and Soily Smith for \$8,000 in July, Tommy Ryan and George Dawson for a similar purse in August, beside a half dozen matches between men of lesser note, and I wish to make a prediction right here: If Charlie Mitchell and Jim Corbett meet for the championship of the world in December, the battle will of the world in December, the battle will take place in the arena of the Columbian club. Drive a tack here.

CHICAGO, Ill., May, 22, 1893.—To the Sporting Editor of The Bee: Knowing that you would be interested in my movements I will take the time to write you briefly. I would have written before, but have had nothing in particular to say. Tomorrow I start for Mt. Clements to begin work for my fight with Dawson, which I think will come off now, some time in August, before the new club here. I am feeling all right now, but have been taking treatment for my old enemy, tonslitts. As to Dawson, you know we are matched for \$10,000 a side and expect at least a \$5,000 purse. Pay no attention to any of the newspaper yarns about our six-round go here a few weeks since, but rest assured that I was more than satisfied with my experience in that affair. I hope and pray that I am to meet with no more bad luck—it is about time. I should think, that the good Dame Fortune taxes a stroll my way. Don't you? Write me soon and don't forget the Sunday Bee, at Mt. Clements, Mich. TOMMY RYAN.

Apropos of the above I was talking to a Chicago traveling man only yesterday about Ryan and Dawson's coming fight, and by the way, this same gentleman is no mean boxer himself and one of the best posted men in the country. He said:
"If ever a man had a cinch it is Ryan, but,

mind you, I judge simply from what I saw of him in his six-round meet with Dawson over in Chicago. None of the local papers did the boy justice and for some reason or other seem sore on him. The truth of the matter is he had the Australian almost knocked out in the third round. He was down on the floor eight seconds. Tommy gave him two square knock downs and had his nose and mouth and one eye bleeding badly. He gave him just such a punching for six rounds as he did Jack Wilkes down at South Omaha a year or two ago. You know I was on the stage with you. If he had had a little more time he would have shut both his eyes. And a funny thing about the affair, too, was that Dawson fought very much like Wilkes; he rushed Tom like a mad bull, but he couldn't find him. I tell you I think that man Ryan one of the wonders of the modern ring.

The Sioux City sports are to have a picnic this afternoon, Providence smiling. They are going to get aboard a steamer, along with Billy O'Donnell, their featherweight pride, and George Stout, the Omaha Kid, and steam up the Big Muddy to an island a few miles above the city, and determine once and for all which of the two is the best man. They are to contest for \$500 a side, and a rattling mill is a foregone conclusion. O'Donnell, who fought an eighty-one round draw with Danny Daly a few months ago, is much more than mediocre. He is a staunch, cunning little mug, and puts up a vicious article of the game. I saw him whipped once by a man thirty pounds heavier and fully thre inches taller, after having the battle well in hand, but only by reason of a foul. And I picked him then for a winner whonever he got on an equal match. In Stout he has this, but such good reports have come from the Kid that I will wait until the fight is over before I attempt to tell you who is the best before I attempt to tell you who is the best man. In this connection it might be added that Stout and Gardner, the two "Omaha Kids," are two separate and distinct animals. Last week I ventured the suspicion that they were one and the same.

Next Tuesday night before the National Sporting club, London, England, there will be a terrific clash of corrugated antepodian mauleys. It is the night of the Slavin-Hail fight, and tremendous interest is rife among the sporty Johnny Bulls, for what reason. however, it would be difficult to say. Frank Patrick Slavin has became a simon pure subject of the Queen by acclimatization, but like Hall, is a native of Australia. This cause alone, however, would make thim the prejudicial favorite over Jim, who is looked upon in the light of a foreigner. Still, on form, Slavin would reign favorite anywhere, and while there is no betting on what is considered a jurno betting on what, is considered a jug-handled match in this country, across they are playing Patricus at odds of three to one with a liberality that amounts almost to pro-digality. They cannot figure out by any pro-cess of mathematics or that rational faculty which distinguishes man from the lower animals, how a gladiator of Jim's "heft" and and peculiar formation can have even the ghost of a show with the burly and ferruginous limbed Slavin. And neither can any one else. But there has been so many hard first choice falls during the past twelve months or so, that the wise boys who have been wont to pick the visions. have been wont to pick the winners fo people have become decidedly leary of this sort of prognostication and have learned to guard their reps with more jealous care. Hence in these days all tips have a proviso for a running mate.

Let me see. Frank Slavin was a 3 to 1 shot over Peter Jackson, and the Midnight Mars punched his head off. Jim Corbett sold at \$28 to \$100 against John L. Sullivan, and the Big Fellow was but a school boy in the hands of his master. Denver Ed Smith wasn't worth a mill on the dollar against Joe Goddard, the barrier butcher, and yet the champion of the silver fields fell like a barrel of mud. And these are but a few of

the "good things" that went the other way. Can it be possible that Charlie Mitchell knew just what he was doing when be matched Fitzsimmons victim against big Frank. There be stranger things than this

For one, I am willing to wait until next

Dick Moore, it is pleasing to note, won his fight with Tom Murray up in St. Paul the other night, although it was a Herculcan task. The two men had met twice before, a draw each time, but the third, in accordance with ancient say so, proved the charm, and the manly Richard demonstrated that he had the best stuff in him. As Dick pulled out about \$1,400 on the night it is quite probable that he will take in the World's fair and knock the neck off of sundry bottles of "redop" in the interim

There is still another old Omaha favorite with a fight on, and that is Harry McCoy of Burlington. On the evening of June 9 he fights Billy Layton, whoever Billy Layton is, for a stake of \$2,000. If Harry comes out first best he has it up his sleeve for the victor of the Rvan-Dawson contest.

SANDY GRISWOLD.

THE SUMMER TROTTING MEET.

Together with the Doings of the Roadster Club and the Pushers on the Lines. Two weeks from Wednesday next the Omaha Gentlemen's Roadster club will inaugurate its first regular trotting meeting. and the prospects are bright for the largest and most successful meeting held in this section of the country for years. The session is to continue three days-Wednesday, Thurs

purses \$1,550. On the opening afternoon comes the 3:00 trot for a purse of \$400, with a brilliant field of competitors, the 2:29 trot, 2:50 pace and a three-fourths of a mile dash for the runners. An interesting card indeed. On the second

day and Friday, June 14, 15 and 16-with

four events each afternoon, aggregating in

An interesting card indeed. On the second day there is the 2:35 trot, free-for-all paces, 2:24 trot and a mile dash, and on the third day 2:35 trot, 2:35 pace, 2:19 trot and a run three-fourths of a mile and repeat.

This is certainly an attractive program and with the score of good stables here each event is likely to be thrilling and exciting enough to please the most fastidious. In fact, a better field of horses will be here than at any previous meeting ever held here, and the citizens of Omaha should not fail to and the citizens of Omaha should not fail to attest their appreciation of the Roadster attest their appreciation of the Roadster club's enterprise by extending to it the most liberal patronage. Each day should be marked by big crowds, and the business men of the city will do the proper thing if they see that this is the case. As in other cities this June meeting should be made a veritable society event. All ladies are fond of horses and the beaux should not overlook a drive to the driving park on this occasion.

The board held a very lively and interest.

The board held a very lively and interest-ing meeting Thursday evening. The reports of the different committees were heard and from these it was learned that she club cup will shortly be completed; also that the new starter's stand would be ready for occupancy by Tuesday. Superintendent Swigert was instructed to purchase the necessary para-phernalia for this and the judges' stand. H. H. Martin, chairman of the finance committee, reported the club's exchequer in first class shape, with funds on hand already to pay the winning nags in June.

It was resolved that all members must wear their badges on entering the track,

and that speeding the wrong way on the track is absolutely prohibited on penalty of a fine. Also, all members not in good standing by the first day of June as to payment of dues will have their names posted in the club's office, for the days of the first day of the first day of the first day of the first days of the first day of the first days of the f club's office for ten days, and after that suspension fellows. It was decided to hold the first of the

summer matinees next Tuesday afternoon, May 30, with the following card: 3:00 trot, 3:00 pace, 2:50 trot, and 2:50 pace. All members are requested to enter their horses, as this is the first dash for the club cup.

The club also resolved that during the June meeting the different events will be under the old distance rule—100 and 150 cands.

Mr. Bennett of Tecumseh, the veterinary DMr. Bennett of Tecumseh, the veterinary of horse's feet, has been in the city for the past few days, and with assistance of the crack shoer, W. A. Watson, has been squaring the speedy horses of the Roadster club boys, W. H. McCord's Beauty Black, G. D. Edward's Columbus Fom, H. H. Martin's Trailer, H. B. Irey's Murry John, John Swigart's George, W. A. Paxton's jr. Black Fellow. These gentlemen are all very much pleased and are having good results. Mr. Bennett has, himself, a string of twenty-six Bennett has, himself, a string of twenty-six

Mr. McGraw was out the other evening with his mare Pride, and had an easy thing with one or two of the boys. George W. Kelly was seen trotting a clever

C. F. Reed with Kinderhook, and H. H. Martin with Trailer, had an exciting finish in 1:15, last Friday evening, Reed winning by a neck.

H. B. Irey drove Murry John a half in 1:18. G. D. Edwards has Columbus Tom in fine shape, and the boys can make up their minds that he will be in the front.

Walter Phelps has a couple of very speedy nes. Think he better bring them out. Bill Snyder drove so fast the other day that he cushion hopped out of the wagon. How

Bill does push on the lines. W. A. Paxton, jr., says he will have a paster that will go out and pull a lumber wagon in 1:15 or you can have his socks. Marve Beardsley has a very fast string

eady for the June meeting. Clinton Briggs expects to bring one up from the farm next week. Says he don't propose to go over the white lead works course with him either. Bud Green thinks he will be able to give is horse Beacher a few trials this week.

Trainer McGuire has been driving J. M. G.

ery fast and has him entered for the Ju Lacrosse This Afternoon.

The Omaha and Council Bluffs lacrosse teams will play at the fair grounds this afternoon, game to begin at 2 o'clock sharp. The Omahas have consented to pit but ten men against thirteen, and it is quite probable that they will have their hands full.
On Tuesday next the Omana team goes to Lincoln for another whirl at their old Capital City formen. The two teams will line up

W. Smith, cover: Dom, first defense; owe, second and third; Selden, center and iird home; Prichett, second; Ruth, first; Bennett, outside: Whittaker, inside Council Bluffs—Francis, goal; Gorman, point: Peddie,cover; Orth, first defense; Mcpoint: Pgddie,cover; Orth,first defense; Mc-Cord, second; Chrisman, third; O'Hanley, center; Brown, home; Howe, second; Smiley, third; Sloan, outside; Mullen, in-

Omaha-Walbridge, goal; G. Smith, point

Yelps From the Coacher's Pen. Jocko Fields is catching for Macon.

Welter Wilmot is back in his stall. He igned with the Colts Thursday. Scrappy Jack Newell has been released by He never played a game.

George Shoch, the old Milwaukee captain, s more than holding his own with the Brooklyns. Willie Billie Mains, the Anak of the Maine pineries, is playing in the field for the

Down in Chattanooga they have dubbed General McCiclian, the old western league war-horse, "Still Bill."

Harry Raymond, mouth, gall and all, has been signed by Montgome. y. He may last a week, but it is doubtful. One may perhaps be forgiven for making the observation that Pittsburg's left-handed recruit hasn't been "Killen" off many of the

foe this season. Lou Camp, Atlanta's third baseman, is

very fleet, a sure batter and generally gets everything that comes in his territory.— Atlanta Constitution. Admiral Oliver Perry Beard has succeeded Dan Shannon as manager of the Macons. Dan was summoned home by the serious illness of his children.

Fred Roat, the young man over whom Cincinnati and Pittsburg quarreled a whole season, has been signed by New Orleans to succeed Connie Doyle.

Billy Earle's Blue Birds have finally struck the combination and they are winning now with the same regularity with which they lost a few weeks ago.

Sam Morton has bobbed up at St. Louis. he is one of the few who deserted base ball for the horses. Jim McCormick was the first to make the break.

Base ball has reached its 1859, stage at last.

The teams acc so evenly matched that the old-time walk-aways are out of the question.—[New York World.

W. H. Lucas has been engaged to manage the Kansas City team, and the metropolis by the Kaw will get to see some good games this year after all.—Ren Mulford.—

George Darby and Bob Caruthers have had their hats chalked by Cincinnati. Caruthers has been released outright, but Darby may be farmed out to Buffato. Norman L. Baker, the "Mikado," has um pired in strict accordance with the rules and his every act shows him to be thoroughly versed in the details of the game. - Memphis

Pitcher Stein, who filled a short engage ment with Omaha in 1891, is the sensation of the year. His record has never been excelled in the same number of games. He ost his first Thursday.

Manager Schmeiz has signed Drysdale of Peoria, a pitcher, and Frank Hill, an out-fielder, who played instseason with Atlanta. Other men will be signed as soon as Schmelz can get his pencil sharpened.

The city championship series between the Generals of the Fort and the Nonparells is off. Tuesday afternoon, however, the Conventions and Nonparells will commence a series for the same honor. "Chippy" McGarr will have to go back to the Eastern league. McGarr is Savannah's star player and stands with Camp as lead-ing third basemen in the league. He is a great player and unless Sayannah can buy his release he will have to go.

Bili Hoover, formerly with the Cowboys quickly proved that he was out of his class when he struck the league. At Birmingham he is a king and the Age-Herald says: "He is one of the best base ball players in the southern league. He keeps the players alive

and full of ginger all through the game."
Frank Hough gives the Orioles a clean bill Frank Hough gives the Orioles a clean bill of health. He says: "The present Baltimore club is probably the strongest that ever represented the Monumental city. Reitz and Treadway have the carmarks of good ones, and there is nothing slow about either McGraw or Kelly. The team will win some games before the season is out."

gentlemen who are dead but don't know it when he printed this: There will be very few star twirlers at the end of the season, if the present bombardment of base nits continues. Where on earth would the pitchers have landed had the box beer moved back to the center of the diamond?"

Alf. Cratty took chances on calling down upon his devoted head the wrath of a few

moved back to the center of the diamond?"

Farmer Joe Visner is playing great ball
for Albany, while Hennie Kappel is in it,
too. Among the other old Western league
veterans might be mentioned Jack Rowe and
Dan Stearns, both with Buffalo, Hank O'Day
and "Dad" Clarke are with Erie, Frank
Shiebeck and Billy Van Dyck with Los Angeles, John Irwin and Fred Lake with
Wilkesbarre, Jimmy Cooney and Bob Petit
with Providence, and Jimmy Donnelly is
with Troy. Frank Lane, who had a more or less varie

gated experience in calling balls and strikes and getting himself generally disliked; George W. Barnum, Charley Snyder, Lon Knight and Bobby Matthews, all of whom have taken their lives in their hands at different times, formed a picturesque group in front of the Continental last night. On the other side of the street were the Baltimore and some of the Philadelphia players, who appeared to enjoy the spectacle.—Philadelphia Press. Well, who wouldn't enjoy such a scene—Charlie Poolroom Snyder, Lon Gloucester Kight?

Hub's Breezy Sporting Notes.

The past week has been favorable for grouse and quail in northwestern Nebraska. There are a larger number of late broods of groupe than usual, owing to family plans having been upset by the April prairie fires. We have seen no early broods as yet, but the cocks have all congregated by themselves, which is a sure sign that the nesting is well Quail have mated and are now laying. The

earlier broods will be out of the shell by the last of June.

Have had a try at channel cat in the South

Loup, but without success. By June 1 the big fellows ought to be running well.

Reports from Sheridan, Wyo, say that the trout are raising well, but the water is a trifle cold yet to make it pleasant wading. You sportsmen who are going up on the \$10 round trip on the Burlington want to take your fishing tackle along and don't forget a

liberal supply of coachman files.

E. A. Holyoke, well known to Omaha dog men as the owner of that clipping good pointer "Don of Ossian," is putting in his time in the interest of the Northwestern Matter Life Interest of the Northwestern time in the interest of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company on the road between Ravenna and Alliance, and inci-dentally hunting hens' nests (I mean prairie hens), so he will know where, when and how to exercise "Don" and his new Parker ham-merless when the fruit is ripe. Ed may know a good pointer when he sees one, but he can't plny high five a little bit. Alderman John Steel of the same company. after writing a few good risks in Broken Bow, spent the tail end of last week at Willow ranch on the South Loup after catfish. If John's stock of patience was as inex-haustible as his fund of anecdotes his fishing

trip might have been more successful. Charlie Barker, the professional trainer of Rayenna, has got a good string of dogs in his hands for the coming season, but says he can accommodate a few more. He has at present the English setters "Speck," Ezra Comfort, Philadelphia. "Lord Lucifer," E. A. Yant, Chicago. "Rock," E. J. Brown, Quincy, Ill. "Jack the Ripper" and "Nannie C," E. W. Clark, Philadelphia. "Point D," Mr. Weisberger, Butte City, Mont., and Dandy Laverack, jr." from C. C. Iffland,

If I may be allowed to blow my own bazoo a little I will say that the Loup Farm ken nels have the best lot of Irish setter young. sters of their own breeding I ever say sie Jones was bred to Charemont Patsy on the 1st inst. The result ought to be some-

Questions and Answers. GRINNELL, Ia., May 25.—To the Sporting Editor of The Bee: Will you please inform me through the "Question and Answer" column of The Bee the number of miles a carrier pigeon can fly per hour and the greatest known and by what pigeon?—Perkie F.

Aus.—The best average speed for an American bird is 1,733 yards per minute, made by Gilman E. Hook's "Sleepy," Lyons, N. Y.

FREMONT, Neb., May 26.—To the Sporting Editor of The Bee: Kindly tell me in your SUNDAY Bee if there is an amateur lacrosse association in Nebraska, and whether the Omahas, Lincolns, or Kearneys are the amateur champions. We are going to organize here.—A Reader.

Ans .- (1) Yes. (2) The Omahas claim it. Aus.—(1) res. (2) The Omanas claim it.

Sioux Ciry, Ia., May 26.—To the Sporting
Editor of The Bres: When a man is knocked
out in a prize fight who counts him out, the
referee or the timekeeper; and if the referee
does, where does he get his time, from a watch
in his own hand or does the timekeeper count
the seconds off to him?—Sprint.

Aus.—The referee

Ans.—The referce. He usually guesses OMAHA, May 26.—To the Sporting Editor of THE BEE: Kindly state in SUNDAY BEE, if possible, where John S. Prince is now located. W. A. K. Ans.-Galveston, Tex. He will be in

Omaha, June 12.

COUNCIL RIUFFS, In., May 27.—To the Sporting Editor of The Bee: Please state in the morning's Bre the time made by Ten Broeck in the 4-mile race against Molite McCarthy, and when and where the race took place.—San-Omaha, June 12.

Ans. -8 m. 194s.; Louisville, Ky., July 4. 1878. Shoux Cffy, Ia., May 25.—To the Sporting Editor of The Bee. Please give address of Mike Boden, late of your city, and state also from whom did Paddy Ryan win the championship?—H. T. Henderson.

Ans.—(1) Chicago. (2) From Joe Goss.

June 1, 1880, Collier's Station, W. Va., eightyseven rounds. OMAHA, May 26.—To the Sporting Editor of THE BEE: To decide a bet please state whether Captain Bogardus ever killed 100 live pigeons straight in a match shoot?—Trap 3. Ans.-No. He killed 100 straight, how-ever, with one barrel, in a shoot against

Busy people have no time, and sensible people have no inclination to use pills that make them sick a day for every dose they take. They have learned that the use of De Witt's Little Early Risers does not interfere with their health by causing n ausea pain or griping. These little pills are per, fect in action and resulte, regulating the stomach and bowels so that headaches, diziness and lassitude are prevented. They ziness and lassitude are prevented. They cleanse the blood, clear the complexion and one up the system. Lots of health in these littlefellows.

The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth Elkins, daughter of ex-Secretary of War Stepnen B. Elkins, to Mr. Desha Breckinridge, a member of the old well known Virginia family of that name.

ECHOES FROM THE ANTE-ROOM

Doings of the Week in Secret Societies and Fraternal Orders.

CANADA ADOPTS AN AMERICAN ORDER

Woodmen of the World and Modern Wood men Hold Interesting Meetings -Pythian Pointers in the West-Work of the Odd Fellows Lodge Notes.

Monday, April 10, was a memorable day for woodcraft. Delegates from the several amps assembled at Forester's hall in Lonion. Ont., under the conditions of the special act of the Dominion Parliament creating the Canadian Order of the Woodmen of the World.

The report of the committee on credentiais was considered and approved. The sovereign commander was requested to submit a code of bylaws prepared by him, were considered section by section and adopted. The laws are similar to the laws of the sovereign camp, thus securing the uniformity so desirable in all branches of woodcraft. The construction of the disposition of the emergency fund required by the act of Parliament was referred to the secretary to secure a ruling of the Dominion superintendent as to the necessity of placing it in a permanent fund or not. It not the clerk was authorized to climinate this provision from the laws and adjust the same so as to make the advance assessment the emergency fund. The limit of age was fixed at 16 to 55, the rates being the same as the sovereign camp. The per capita tax was fixed at \$2 per annum.

A resolution to reimburse the sovereign camp for all money advanced to defray the expenses of incorporating the head camp prevailed unanimously.

A resolution was adopted to effect an arrangement, if possible, with the sovereign camp to accept the proceeds of assessments and pay the losses to the head camp until the proceeds of one assessment will pay a maximum loss in full. The executive council was instructed to investigate the matter, and if such an arrangement can legally be made, the executive council was authorized to make a contract to that effect,

The laws adopted provide that the rituals,
secret work, etc., of the sovereign camp
shall be the ritualistic work of the camps of

Woodmen in Canada. A per capita of 30 cents per annum was voted, and the Sovereign Visitor was ordered

ent to every member.

sent to every member.

The following officers were elected as officers of the head camp to serve until the first biennial meeting in February, 1894:

William Fuller, H. C. C.; C. C. Hodgins, H. A. L.; T. H. Luscombe, H. B.; W. C. Fitzgerald, H. C.; W. S. Harrison, M. D., H. P.; R. H. Blackmore, H. E.; C. F. Heidt, H. W.; H. J. Crocker, H. S.; J. E. Hill, M. McGugan, James Ferguson, A. B. Telfer, S. S. Fulton, managers; Sovereigns William Fuller and W. C. Fitzgerald, delegates to sovereign camp. on Tuesday forenoon the executive council

convened and arranged ways and means for prosecuting the work to build up the order. Bonds of officers were established and the necessary preliminary work was arranged. The senate passed the bill incorporating the order on March 21, and it received royal sanction by the signature of the governor general on April 1, 1893.—Sovereign Visitor.

Woodmen of the World. To its distinctive and original social fea-

ures is attributable to a large degree the success of the Woodmen of the World. This s true especially of Alpha camp of this city, and its social events are very frequent and always enjoyable, and a great deal of pleasure is derived from them by those who are privileged to attend. Thursday evening of last week the members enjoyed a "smoker." It brought out a large crowd, and a very fine, large time was had. The 200 Woodmen present smoked, and smoked again, listened to interesting talks, and clustering in small groups about the spacious hall related anecdotes and had a very interesting and instructive evening of it.

ing about the 1,000 mark and the aim is to bring it to that within a very short time. With initiations at each meeting numbering as high as forty or fifty it will not be a great while until the fact will be proclaimed that the camp has reached the goal of the ambition of the enthusiastic members who have all along planned for and predicted that such will be the case.

Sovereign Prugh has instituted a came at Normal. Neb., with a fair number of char-ter members and an excellent prospect for uture growth.

A year ago there were only two camps in Mississippi. At the present time there are twenty-five, and applications for more charters will be filed rapidly.

The anniversary of the promulgation of sovereign Woodcraft will be June 5. As Sunday, June 4, comes within one day of it many camps having deceased sovereigns will decorate the graves of the departed ones on that day. Other camps will observe

Monday and Tuesday. Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Apollo encampment, No. 22, of Fremont has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Klof Nilsson, C. P.; W. C. Wiley, S. W.; Charles H. May, J. W.; F. M.

Healy, H. P.; George J. Coddington, S.; E. Schurman, T. They will be installed in July. A very interesting meeting of State lodge No. 10 was held Monday evening at Odd Fellows hall. The lodge is growing rapidly in influence and membership. Four candidates have been initiated during the month The officers now maintain that the lodge is second in wealth in the state and third largest in membership and it is reaching for first place on both.

At the session of the state convention of

At the session of the state convention of the Daughters of Rebekah of South Dakota, held last week at Sioux Falls, the following officers were elected: P., Mrs. Sarah Ful-ler of Lead City; V. P., Flora Alexander of Madison; S., Mrs. Ernie Richie of Yankton; Madison; M. Banks of Huron; W., Mrs. treasurer, Mrs. Banks of Huron; W., Mrs. Lenora Ferris of Carthage; G., Mrs. Lucy Plantz of Sioux Falls; C., Mrs. Crips of Iro-

Plantz of Sioux Falls; C., Mrs. Crips of Iro-quois.

Alpha lodge No. 44, Daughters of Rebekah, of South Omaha, has elected the following officers: Mrs. A. H. Miller, N. G.; Mrs. George Houseman, V. G.; Mrs. Morris, S.; Mrs. Claude Talbot, T.; Mrs. H. Heyman, P. G.; Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. James Bliss and Mrs. George L. Dare, trustees.

The same lodge will give a high five party at Masonic hall on Friday evening, June 2, and a very pleasant time is promised.

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Knights of Pythias. A new lodge has been organized at Wood River, this state, and is doing finely. Within a short time a new lodge will be instituted at Randolph and it promises to

start with a good sized membership.

The trustees of the grand loige of Ne-brasks have been unable to bring about a brasks have been unable to bring about a settlement with the ex-treasurer of the order. Charles G Alton of Ainsworth, and have brought suit for the amount of his alleged shortage, \$3,081. It is said Alton's shortage is due to the failure of the Ainsworth bank, of which he was the cashier.

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Rhode Island has thirty-four subordinate lodges, eighteen of the number being located in Providence.

Several grand lodges have held their annual sessions this month. Last week the grand lodge of Ohio met at Piqua, and the week before the following grand lodges met: California at Nevada City, Georgia at Macon, Maine at Brunswick, Washington at North Vakima, Arkansas at Hot Springer

Macon, Maine at Brunswick, Washington at North Yakima, Arkansas at Hot Springs, Connecticut at Danbury. Louisiana at Lake Charles, Michigan at Detroit, Montana at Helena. All of the lodges were well attended and successes in every particular.

Eagle lodge opened its new hall Friday, May 19, with appropriate ceremonies.

Friday evening of last week the members of Pierce lodge, No. 40, celebrated the eighth anniversary of the lodge, and a very pleasant time is reported. ant time is reported.

Kenilworth lodge of Airaworth recently

gave a banquet that was well enjoyed. His Nerve Forsaked Him. One evening last week a North Omaha lodge initiated into the mysteries of the

order a young man well known about town. The interesting ceremonies were not concluded until late, and when the member departed for his nome down town the street car he boarded turned into the house, and nothing was left for him to do but walk. He started out and after going a short distance encountered a stranger in a lumber waron drying for town. The helated lodge wagon driving for town. The belated lodge man halled him and requested a ride, which was promptly given. They dreve along for a few blocks conversing freely, although the new member of the order was a little nerv-ous and had not fully shaken off the uncom-fortable feelings he experienced as he re-

called the troublesome times through which he had just passed. Coming opposite a sa-loon he suggested that they indulge in a social glass. The driver was sorry to decline, but he had the corpse of a suicide in the wagon and was taking it down to the coroner's and would have to proceed on his way. All the pictured horrors of riding the goat flashed over the memory of the new member, and without a word of explanation he leaped from the wagon and hurried away in the darkness. He could not stand the strain all in one night of riding a goat and keeping command with ompany with a corpse in a jelting old lum

Enights of Pythias.

The ladies of Upchurch lodge, Degree of Honor, South Omaha gave very pleasant social Saturday evening, May 20, at Ancient Order of United Workmen hall. Refreshments were served and everybody had a good

A very pleasant event was the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the foundation of lodge 66, of South Omaha, by the members and their friends Tuesday evening of last week. Many visitors from the Omaha lodges were present, and assisted in the commemoration of the event. The team commemoration of the event. The team from 159 of this city assisted in the work. Rev. Robert L. Wheeler delivered an inter-esting address. United Statss Marshal F. E. White, who is a member of the grand lodge, vas present, and entertained those present with a short talk. Refreshment were served. The lodge is in a very flourish ing condition, and now has a membership of over 20.

Royal Arcanum.

Tuesday evening the members of Union Pacific council of this city entertained their ladies with a card and dancing party. The attendance was good and a most pleasant evening was passed. The party was given in Royal Arcanum hall in the Bee building.
A new council has been opened in Lincoln under the most auspicious circumstances. It is known as Nebraska council No. 1.155.
Many citizens are availing themselves of the opportunity it affords as a fraternal order and the membership is increasing rapidly. The officers of the council are: John L. Doty, R.; Jesse H. McGuire, V.; Dr. B. F. Bailey, P. R.; C. L. Richards, S.; Stuart P. Shears, T.; A. E. Carlton, O.; W. S. Huffman, C.; Dr. Lee W. Edwards, G.; W. W. Glenn, W.; Albert C. Jones, S. in Royal Arcanum hall in the Bee building.

L O. G. T. Banquet. Life Boat lodge No. 150 gave a banquet Tuesday evening at Idlewild hall. The banquet was given by No. 2 side to No. 1 side. A dainty repast was spread, of which all A dainty repast was spread, of which all heartily partook. Toasts were made by Captains Theresa Schoek and T. L. Combs. Responding parties were Frankie Holland and George M. Frasier. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cook, Mrs. Askwith, Mrs. Forbly, Misses Schoek, Fisher, Dewey, Glascott, Roehn, Marthis, Wright, Holland, Holland, Hodder, Sage, Carnes, Carnes, Craven, Ellingwood, Scammon, Scammon, Kurby, Ford, Rash, Keely, Glines, Hart, Kramer, Epley, and Mesras, Fisher, Holls, Andrus, Forby, Stockham, McCullough, Fanton, Frasier, Concklin, Dr. Akin, Campbell, Stringer, Myers, Layfield, Combs, Birkhard, Dr. Hipple, Osman.

Clan Gordon O. S. C. Past Chief Harry Lawrie has been elected dslegate and Clansman George Shand alternate to the Royal Clan meeting, which takes place at Duluth, Minn., commencing on

During the month eighteen new members were intitlated, and the members are en-deavoring to make No. 63 rank amongst the first clans in the order. The annual picnic and games under the auspices of the clan will be held at Caihoun on Saturday, June 24. The committee having the matter in charge have made every arrangement for the comfort of those attending, and every effort has been made to make these the finest games ever held in Nebraska. Tickets can be had of the committee, or the secretary, William Ross, at Kelley, Stiger & Co's.

Modern Woodmen Entertainment Wednesday evening the members of Omaha camp,120, with their ladies enjoyed a pleasant evening at the hall in the Patterson block. There were present also a number of members from other camps, and it is estimated that fully 150 joined in the evening's festivities. Cards and dancing were the order, and furnished fine entertainment for those present. The committee having the affair in charge was composed of L. B. Hoyt, M. T. Hascall, and C. H. T. Riepen, and to them is due the credit of the success scored.

STREET SCENES IN NICARAGUA. A Picturesque Land Where Revolution

Grow Luxuriantly. Pictures are everywhere, says a writer in the Century for May; women bearing burdens on their heads, their draperies blown into action and their usually strong and beautiful figures accentuated by the gentle trade winds; bathers or washerwomen on the beach, the sunlight glancing from their wet bronzed bodies and coal-black hair, relieved against the deep blue of the sky and reflected in the waters of the lake and the white of the incoming waves; the market places; the hammocks full of naked and sleeping babies; the beautiful young girls; the withered and wrinkled crone sucking her cigarette as she crouches over he spark of a charcoal fire, surrounded by her pots and pans; the islands of the lake; the volcanoes; the tropical richness of the cultivated country, with its feathery palms and orchids; or the weird, fonesome, gloomy jungle, with its majestic trees and festooned vines.

He is a young boy setting pineapples; he wears nothing but a breech cloth Here comes a girl who is a perfect scheme of color, her bronze face, black hair, yellow-white chemise, red rebozo full of quality and her brown skirt and sandals covered with dust. You watch her until she turns the corner, and you have half a mind to follow her for one more glance; but look in another direction, and behold! Something equally fine is before you. Maybe it is a young senor, with a mane of black hair about his forehead and sticking out from under his hat rim, his mustache twisted into saucy curls, a gay sash about his waist, a short sword at his side, and his game cock under his arm. The soldiers, too, are picturesque. They are always expecting a revolution when life is eventful; but in times of peace the arresting of stray pigs, goats, etc., is about all they have to do. They are small men, but look like good material, and, I have no doubt, fight bravely. They wear hardly any uniform and remind one of Falstaff's men; but in the larger towns they are on their mettle and are as A New awo d Bett.

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