To the many customers that could not be waited on satisfactorily we extend a most courteous apology. We had plenty of salesmen, but some represented themselves when we employed them as clothing men, when in fact they were "farmers." This will all be different on Monday. Monday, when we will also have opened the cream of this stock, which has been

SHERIFF SALE PRICES. China dog fur coats \$7.75. Men's full suits \$1.98. Overcoats with fur collars and cuffs

Windsor caps 19c. 25c felt mittens 5c. Rockford socks 3c. Extra big umbrellas 25c. Heavy storm ulsters \$2.25. 50c boys' knee pants 25c. 10-ounce extreme heavy overalls 59c. Men's wool-lined leather mitts 19c. Wool-lined duck coats 95c.

Men's half wool shirts 15c. Slater's extreme heavy fast colored blue suits \$7.50. Men's kid mittens, 45c. 5 styles men's pants, 48c 24-inch red handkerchiefs, 2c. Boys' suits, 75c. Men's underwear, mottled, 19c. Swits Condes, 621c.

Boys' undershirts, 17c. Men's sack overcoats, \$3.50. Duck ulsters, 46 inches long, \$2.75. Men's black jean pants, 39c. Boys' long pants, 25c. Men's wool socks, extra long, 13c. Laundered white shirts, 39c. Men's silk web suspenders, 9c. 50c neckties, 19c.

Finer goods in proportion as cheap. Look for big sign. SHERIFFS SALE, 115 south 16th street, between Douglas and Dodge streets.
P. S.—We cannot accept mail orders

for this sale. We are too busy to attend to them. Alone on the Prairie,

The day was in that transitory state when twilight lingers in the lap of day and darkness struggles for the ascendancy. The sun hung in a great red ball of lurid flame betwixt heaven and earth; there was a feeling of profound quiet which seemed to settl on all things animate and inanimate. The birds, the insects, the very trees and sprouting plants were for the moment hushed as if in expectancy of some unforseen, some inex-plicable something which seemed to pervade the very atmosphere. A bull frog gur-gled softly as he fell back into the limpid water. Suddenly, over the brow of a distant hill, there appeared a solitary man, scated astride a great bay horse; he cast one long back over the brow of the bill again. And that same night over 700 people were turned

The second charity ball of the Ladies' Friends, Banos Israel, will be given at Washington hall this evening. All Tickets, 50 cents per couple, to be had at the door.

away unable to gain admission to the opera house where "She Couldn't Marry Three"

was being played to the most delighted au-

Auetion. 1916 Chicago street. 1916 Chicago street. The entire contents of a sevenroom cottage. Goods all in first class Sale to commence 10 a. m., Monday, November 20, 1893.

Samuel Burns says one week from next Thursday is "Thanksgiving," and he is offering an elegant crysanthemum dinner set at \$19.75, formerly \$35, and salad set at \$6, formerly \$10.

Mothers, Read This. To make room for men's goods only,

we offer during the whole of next week, beginning Monday morning, our entire stock of children's and misses' hats and goods are linest made and will be sold for less than cost.
MILLARD HOTEL HAT STORE.

Commencing Wednesday, Nov. 22, 10 a. m., 6 carloads of World's fair goods. All kinds of furniture, carpets, rugs, blankets, quilts, table linens, etc. R. Wells, auctioneer, 1211 Farnam street.

Auction.

Order your coal of all kinds at W. R. Special Sale

Of ladies' dresses, jackets and cloaks. Monday and Tuesday. \$10.00 dress at this sale \$3.00. \$20:00 dress at this sale \$5.00. \$10.00 cloak during this sale \$2.50.

These goods come from New York city. LEWIS FREEDMAN, 806 N. 16th st. The Madison (family hotel), 21st and

Chicago. Transients, \$2.00 per day. NO TROUBLE TO YOU. They Are Personally Conducted. The Great Central route weekly Cali-

fornia excursions are in charge of experienced conductors and a uniformed porter, who accompany the party to desination and look after the wants and comforts of the passengers. You will save time and expense by joining our next party. Send for folder F. E. SHEARER, Manager,

191 South Clark St., Chicago. E. L. LOMAN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent,

John Schicketanz, sr., for many years John Schicketanz, St., but recently of resident of Omaha, but recently of has purchased the bar-Council Bluffs, has purchased the bar-ber shop of Geo. Weitzel, 221 N. 16th st., two doors south of Davenport. All old and new customers alike welcomed.

Pabst Beers Take First Prize. Mr. C. S. Cullingham, Omaha, re ceived Wednesday the following tele-gram from the Pabst Brewing company: Our beers have been awarded first prize at the World's fair, over all com-

World's fair souvenir coins of 1893 for sale at First National bank.

Jewelry, Frenzer, opp postoffica.

New attractions in men's clothes made

of thefinest woolens at Frank J. Ramge's The Clearing House banks desire to announce to ther patrons that the rates of interest on time certificates of deposit

have not been changed, and remain as adopted on March 1, 1892, viz.: For 3 months and less than 6 months, three per cent per annum.

For 6 months and more than 6 months, four per cent per annum. Also that from and after Nov. 1, 1893,

the banks will open at 10 a. m. and close at 3 p. m. W. H. S. HUGHES, Manager. Storm sash and doors cheap at Hamil-

ton Bros.' 414 S. 18th street. Tel. 1179. Self-imposed ignorance is sin and you do not know what science is doing for the sick at the Sleeper Magnetic insti-

tute, 911 North 24th st. TO CALIFORNIA.

Vin Denver and Sait Lake City. Patrons of the Great Central roufe weekly excursions to California via the Union Pacific can have their tickets read via Denver and Salt Lake City without additional expense. Send for folder giving details and advantages offered. F. E. Shearer, manager, 191 South Clark street, Chicago. E. L. Lomax, general passenger and ticket agent, Omaha, Neb. Becoming Metropolitan

It takes time to give a town the airs and ways of a metropolis, so too does it take time, patience and capital to estab-lish for one's business a reputation for excellence and fair dealing. For years W. S. Balduff has stood as the repre-sentative caterer of Omaha, having a position here analagous to that of Sherry in New York or Dexter in Phitadelphia, acquiring this reputation through a personal attention to all the details of his business, giving to it a thorough training acquired fr all the best establishments of similar kind in the east. B Balsince his occupancy beautiful store on Farnam street has had a desire to add to his business a lunchcon feature, a quiet place where ladies down town shopping, and where business men who have an hour at midday might be served with refreshments. croquettes, patties, in addition to an ice or some of the dainty creations of the confectioner's art. And the well known caterer has at last realized what has long been his dream, his establishment now being in a position to serve patrons with oysters in all forms, while from 11:30 to 2 he serves a hot luncheon that for excellence of cooking and completeness of service is not excelled by any similar place west of New York. The bill of fare is always well considered and patrons will find at Balduff's pleasant air of elegance and refinement which has not been a distinguishing feature of places of a similar kind in the city. There has been a crying need for just such a place that, free from res-taurant features, would still at certain hours serve a luncheon speedily and Now that Balduff has met the want, the public is invited to judge of the excellence of the cuisine as found in the cosiest place in Omaha.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

This play is presented by one of the clev-erest companies in existence, every one of them being especially selected for their adaptability in portraying the character they represent. The star, Miss Lillian Kennedy, is the brightest ingenu soubrette in America, and in this comedy she has a role which gives full scope to her wonderful versatility.

This is no advertising lie. Hundreds are being cured at the Sleeper Magnetic institute, 911 North 24th.

Prompt delivery of coal, all kinds, lowest prices, W. R. Bennett Co.'s store.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA.

Cyrus Greek Released from Custody-News Notes and Gossip. Cyrus Greek, the stock man from Genoa who was arrested on complaint of D. Mc-Daniels, charged with embezzlement, was paniers, charged with emoczziement, was given his preliminary hearing before Judgo Fowler last evening. The evidence went to show that Mr. Greek had been appointed receiver of a stock of hardware goods in South Omaha two years ago and that he had never made a satisfactory settlement with the former proprietors, McDaniels & Scott. Judge Fowler bound the defendant over to the district court in the sum of \$2,000. Late last night Mr. Greek secured a band and market selected from cartedy. bond and was released from custody.

Rotary Under His Hat. Dave McMurray, a well known-butcher who worked for eight years at Swift's packing house, has been on a spree for so long that the fellow has about lost all his reason. The police arrested him as a plain drunk, but he acted so "loco" that Judge Fowler thought he would be a good subject for the insanity commissioner to sit upon and sent him up to the county jail for that pur pose. McMurray has run through consider-able money of late and will die from the effects of drink if some friend don't rustle him off to a gold cure institute or asylum before it is too late. He recently conducted a meat market at the corner of Twentieth and Cuming streets. Only a few days ago a professional horse trader "swapped horses" with him, and the animal he got for a good horse fell dead before he had driven it a block.

Arrested a Brace of Suspects. Chief of Police Beckett and Detective Mitchell rounded up the town last night and gathered in two suspects. They gave the names of L. A. Enders and James Bonner. The men were found in a gambling house when placed under arrest. They have but recently been released from jail in Sloux City and are said to be crooks. Letters were found in Enders' possession which would indicate that he has a wife living in Norfolk, S. D. The woman pleads with Enders to cease gambling and roaming over the country.

At the Butchers' Ball. The butchers of South Omaha gave a masquerade ball at Bauer's hall last night. The hall was packed and the costumes included everything from a "Topsy" to a "Hamlet." The fun continued until far into the night.

Magie City Gossip. Mrs. M. Schlegel and her son Fred are visting Alex Schlegel and family. The social committee of the Young Men's institute will meet Tuesday evening, Novem-

Officer Emerick picked up John Seeberg in an alley last night. The fellow was drunk and had \$15 in his pocket. The ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star

will serve a chicken pie dinner on Tuesday, November 21, at 260 N street. Mrs. F. A. Secord and daughter of Chey-enne are in the city visiting at the residence of E. O. Mayfield, They will make their future home in Danver and are on their way there now. Mr. Secord has been appointed revenue collector for that district.

revenue collector for that district. The firemen were called to the corner of Twenty-sixth and O streets at 7 o'clock last evening to extinguish flames that had started in some rubbish in an unoccupied store building there. The damage was slight and the origin of the fire is a mystery.

PROPERTY OWNERS PROTEST. Objections to the Manner of Assessment

for Opening Seventeenth Street. Some of the property owners on South Seventeenth street are up in arms over what they assert is an unjust taxation for the opening, widening and extending of that thoroughfare from Castellar to Vinton streets. They are inquiring the reasons for he assessments as made and are entering a

the assessments as made and are entering a vigorous protest.

Although the street is opened only from Castellar to Vinton the plan of assessment as approved by the council September 29 is made on the property abunting on the street from the Burlington tracks to the north line of Cottage park. The plan is as follows:

Castellar to Vinton 1965 feet at \$1.95 per

Castellar to Vinton, 1,965 feet, at \$1.25 per Castellar to Vinton, 1,965 feet, at \$1.25 per foot, \$2,465.25.
Castellar to Burlington tracks, 6,383 feet, at 20 cents per foot, \$1,276.60.
Vinton to Cottage park, 6,284 feet, at \$0.2593 per foot, \$1,818.15.
This makes a total of \$5,551 in damages for property taken.
Leoulty at the city engineering department.

for property taken.

Inquiry at the city engineering department discloses the fact that this plan of assessment was recommended by the council sitting as a board of equalization August 11, when a former plan assessing the entire amount against the property abutting and abounding between Castellar and Vinton was rejected because of the vigorous protests entered. It is threatened by the property owners north of Castellar and south of Vinton to contest the equitability of the assess-

ton to contest the equitability of the assess ment in the courts. Inquest on Lauritsen.

An inquest was held yesterday morning at the morgue on the remains of Lauritsen, who was killed by the ears Friday night. The testimony of the train crew was taken and verdict of death by his own carelessness

was rendered.

Jeus Peterson, who is a brother-in-law of the deceased, testified that Lauritsen was deaf and was subject to fits and that when he had one of these fits he was unable to move a muscle and would stand perfectly rigid. The deceased was 49 years of age and lived at Thirteenth and Grace streets. He had been in Omaha thirty years. had been in Omaha thirty years.

The funeral will be held on Monday and the body interred at Mount Hope cemetery.

OH! WHAT A STOCK!

Beats Anything You Ever Heard of In Your Life. THE 99-CENT STORE 1319 FARNAM STREET. We are ready for holiday business

with a grand array of appropriate gifts. We always lead in quality, We always lead in bargains, which means new holiday goods at the very lowest possible prices. We always lead in our efforts to please

and gratify our customers, and if vigor, veracity and values are not vain things to trust in, we shall greatly increase SURPRISING BARGAINS

in all departments for next week Visit us for jewelry. Visit us for silverware.

Visit us for pocketbooks. Visit us for albums. Visit us for books and stationery

Visit us for fancy chinaware. Visit us for pictures and cards. Visit us for baskets and willowware. Visit us for housekeepers goods.

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1319 FARMAM ST. Hard and soft coal, 2,000 pounds to a

ton, W. R. Bennett Co.'s store. FLEECED A FARMER.

Two Smooth Confidence Men Successfully

Work an Old Racket. A brilliant example of suburban justice was disclosed in the course of a tale of woe that was unfolded at police headquarters last evening. The narrator was G. W. Morgan, a farmer, who posed as another victim of a very old confidence game. He had the good luck to land the swindlers in jall, from which they were quickly released through the blunder of a country justice of the peace.

Morgan resides about five miles northwest of Louisville, in Sarpy county, and two weeks ago yesterday was on his return from a visit with relatives at Carroll, Ia. He journeyed safely until two slick appearing individuals boarded the train and one of them soon engaged him in conversation. Morgan had his two little girls with him and the stranger at once stepped into his good

graces by well directed compliments be stowed upon the children. The stranger was a large man with a heavy red mustache. He claimed to be a wholesale merchant in Omaha and said that he was returning from a trip to Boone, Ia. Finding that Morgan lived near Louisville. he inquired the names of some of the business men there and then still further in-gratiated himself into the confidence of the rustic by declaring that he was in the habit of selling large bills of goods to them and was delighted to meet a mutual friend.

At this stage in the game a smaller man entered and the two strangers greeted each other cordially. From then on it was the old army game and Morgan was the sucker. He advanced \$35 on a check for \$720 on the Lincoln National bank which was signed by "Homer & Son." As soon as they obtained the money the sharpers went into the bag-gage car and left the train at Valley. The farmer discovered that he had been imposed on and started on their trail. He overhauled them at Council Bluffs, where they were arrested by the local police. One of them turned out to be Harry Hamilton, one of the best known confidence men in the west, but the big man was a stranger. As the crime was committed at Valley the prisoners were sent back there for examination. Morgan and his little girl positively identified them as the men who had robbed him, and the baggageman on the train corroborated their Nevertheless, the justice of the peace, who is also mayor of Valley, con cluded that there was no evidence on which to hold the swindlers and they were both to hold the swindlers and they were both released. The police of Omaha and Council Bluffs are looking for them, but it is believed that they will not stay to take chances on finding another court so accommodating as the Valley justice shop,

Harry Hamilton was sent to the pen from Omaha for a similar crime, and was released about a very search.

about a year ago. He declared that he had reformed and has been let alone by the police. This is the first trick that he has

DR. SLEEPER'S RIGHTS.

Claims of an Omaha Inventor of a Magnetle Treatment System.

In a half column article that appeared in the Philadelphia Record a short time ago Dr. A. d' Arsonval, a French inventor and physician of high repute, was proclaimed to be the originator of a magnetic appliance, consisting of a glass or wooden cylinder. around which is wound one or more lavers of light electric light cable, "This," says the Record, "constitutes a

sort of solenoid, in the interior of which a patient to be treated is placed. The French inventor claims that by thus subjecting the patient to the influence of the oscillating waves of magnetic fluid wonderful therapoutic phenomena are produced, noticeably among which is the increase of physical nutrition in the patient.

It seems, however, that Omaha is in a position to dispute a part of the claim of the Record, insofar as the origin of the in-vention is concerned, for Dr. C. L. Sleeper vention is concerned, for Dr. C. L. Sieeper of this city insists that he is the inventor of this system of magnetic treatment, and has been operating an institute here for the treatment of cases in this manner for more

In speaking of the matter, Dr. Sleeper said that he had been pursuing experiments in this direction for more than twenty years, and ever since the fall of 1888 has had one of the solenoids, mentioned in the Record article, in his own house. He said that a description of the mechanical construction of his appliance was minutely detailed in the May number of the Omaha and he was of the opinion that it would have been an easy matter for any physician to have constructed one like it from that description. About two years ago, he filed an application for a patent at the patent office at Washington, since which time he has been using the appliance for the treatment of disease, and with most flatter-ing results. Dr. Sleeper feels that what-ever credit is due for this electrical invention properly belongs to him, and he is un-willing to have it unjustly accorded to an-

EXPENSIVE TOY.

other.

Children Cause a Lamp Explosion and the Destruction of Two Homes.

Two children playing with a lamp at 1323 South Third street last evening at 7 o'clock caused the destruction by fire of the one-story frame cottage and two-story barn be-longing to John Kellren. Loss on building \$700, and on contents \$300. No insurance. The flames spread to the adjoining one-story cottage at 1321 South Third street and destroyed the home of Jacob Tkel. Loss on building and contents, \$400. No insurance

Douglas Lecture. The lecture by Hon. Frederick Douglass n 'Lessons of the Hour, or the Race Problem at the South," which, as announced through the columns of The Bee, was necessarily postponed on Wednesday last, will be delivered on Tuesday evening of this week. The postpenement was a sore disappointment to many, but the interest in the lecture and lecturer has not abated. Omaha is promised a rare treat in Mr. Douglass' visit and from all indications the "Sage of Ana-costia" will be accorded a reception by Omaha's citizens that will put several of

the more populous but less progressive cities in the shade.
The chief executive of the state, Hon. Lorenzo Crounse, has shown his interest by consenting to come from Lincoln and act as a member of the reception committee, which, as a citizens' committee, is a thoroughly representative one. Among the gentlemen who have been invited to occupy seats on the platform as the reception committee are: Rt. Rev. George Worthington, Rt. Rev. Bishop Scanneil, Dean Gardner, Rev. John Williams, Rev. Dr. Duryca, Rev John Williamson, Rev. S. Wright Butler, Rev. Frank Crane, Rev. J. W. Braxton, Hon. George P. Bemis, Hon. James M. Woolworth, Hon. James E. Boyd, Hon. M. O. Ricketts, Hon. John M. Thurston, Hon. John L. Webster, Dr. George L. Miller, Hon. Judge Dundy, Herman Kountze, Guy C. Barton, Dr. W. H. C. Stephenson, Frank E. Moores, Major Foray. a member of the reception committee which

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Chesing Out Shoes. In order to reduce our stock we will close out several lines of shoes at from 20 to 25 per cent discount.

Ladies' kid opera and Phil patent tipped toe, hand turned, button, \$4.

now \$3. Ladies' Brazil kid opera, patent tip, hand turned, batton, \$4.35, now \$3.50. Ladies' Dongela common sense and

Ladies' Dongola opera and common sense, button, \$2.50, now \$1.95. Misses' Dongola spring heel, button,

pera toe, button, \$3, now \$2.

less than first cost.

\$1.50, now \$1.10. Also several lots of broken sizes in ladies', misses' and children's shoes at

Don't miss buying your shoes where you can get a genuine bargain. THE MORSE DRY GOODS CO.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

Iwo Well Known Colored Men Called to

Their Eternal Rest. Archie Richmond, one of the best known colored men in the city, died Thursday at his residence at Forty-fourth and Brown streets, at the age of 47 years. Richmond was for a long time employed by The Ber, and his muscular arm was the motive power that turned off the first copies of the paper. It was then printed on a Ciucinnati hand power press with a capacity of 375 copies per hour. Every afternoon it was Archie's duty to manipulate the lever until the edition was off.

During the past few years Archie had retired from active work. He was married to his second wife about two years ago, and she died about a year after their marriage. He was a member of Excelsior lodge, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons. The funeral will be held from the African Metho-dist church at Eighteenth and Webster streets at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

"Commodore" Butler's Death. William H. Butler, colored, died at his home, 1415 California street, Friday, of pneumonia, after an illness of three days. oneumonia, after an illness of three and Mr. Butler had been a familiar figure in Omaha for almost a generation, coming here soon after the war, during the latter part of which he served in the First colored regi-ment that went out from Virginia, the state in which he was born and where he was held as a slave until slavery was no more.

Mr. Butler supported himself by doing janitor service, being employed at the New York Life building at the time of his death. He was for years janitor at the old police court and city hall at Fourteenth and Davenport streets. He was a faithful employe and generally liked for his honeety his friendliness of manner and his disposi tion to accommodate. He was a member of the colored Masonic fraternity, of the Washingtonian club which is a social organization of colored people, of the Thayer Guards, a colored military company, and of the Knights of Tabor. Owing to the fact that his wares were small he was unable to keep up his dues in these organizations and a subscription is being taken to defray the expenses of the funeral. The remains will be buried tomorrow at Forest Lawn.

Mr. Butler's wife died about a year ago. He had no children, except an adopted daughter, now grown. He was often a delegate to city and county republican conventions, and will long be pleasantly remembered by the colored people of the city for the part he took, singing songs and making speeches, in entertainments given by them

Federal Court Affairs. The 'trial of the case of Henry Chamberlain against the Middlesex Live Stock company still occupies the attention of Judge Dundy and will probably not be completed

F. M. Marshall, deputy United States marshal, from St. Joseph, was at the fed-eral building yesterday morning to identify R. L. Davis, the prisoner wanted in Missou for counterfeiting. The grand jury has under consideration the case of August Findley, a colored soldier from Fort Robinson, who is charged with larceny. Among the witnesses present to testify are W. R. Herrington, Frank Good-low, W. J. Davies, D. H. Monett, John Hen-

low, W. J. Davies, D. H. Moffett, John Henderson and W. H. Cole, all colored soldiers from Fort Robinson. It is alleged that Finaley stole \$675 in gold from a white soldier named Walsh. Walsh, it is said, became intensely intoxicated, and, as usual when in this plight, had to be taken to the hospital. This was on a Wednesday. When he returned Saturday he found that his locker had been broken into in his absence and the coin taken. Suspicion rested at once on Findley because he remarked to some of his friends on the intervening Thursday morning that Walsh had lost a large sum of money.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Building permits to the amount of \$450 were issued yesterday by the inspector of buildings.

Mr. Joseph Simmons, president of the Omaha Casket company, died at his home in Dubuque Friday of typhoid pneumonia. Jev. Dr. J. B. Maxfield, the new presiding elder of the Omaha district, is expected to

preach at the Seward Street Methodist Episcopal church this morning. Invitations have been issued for a silver anniversary banquet of Nebraska lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias. The affair will take place at the Commercial club rooms

Thursday evening next. The members of the Young Women's Christian association gave a dinner in the basement of the New York Life building yesterday for the benefit of the association. They realized a neat sum from the venture. Bishop Waldin will preach at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Kountze Place, at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Next Sunday Bishop Newman will preach at the same place. The latter bishop will occupy the First Methodist pulpit at Twentieth and Davenport streets this morning.

Receipts at the customs house for the pas week have been six casks of wine from Ger-many for Kirscht & Durr; ten casks of wine from Germany for Ed Maurer; one cask of brandy from France for J. T. Kerns; two casks of wine from Antwerp for Oscar Manger; to casks of whisky and one cask of rum from London for John Arensdorf of

Sioux City. The official canvass of the votes cast fo The official canvass of the votes cast for mayor show that Mayor Bemis' plurality over Bedford is 2,109. He had a plurality in sixty-three out of the eighty-eight voting districts, while Hascall had a plurality in thirteen, Bedford in ten, and Bemis and Hascall tied in one. In all of the wards but the First and Second Bemis had pluralities, while Hascall had a small plurality in those. In the Sixth and Ninth wards Bemis had a majority of the votes over all.

After the lith of next month the time of

After the 15th of next month the time of the Board of Five and Police Commissioners will be taken up with granting licenses to saloon keepers and permits to aruggists. Already one application has been filed for a license and the \$1,000 paid into the city treasury. The applicant is a woman. Mrs. treasury. The applicant is a woman, Mrs. Sophia Dallow, who has conducted the saloon on Tenth and Chicago since the death of her husband, some years ago. Secretary Brownlee of the board says that previous to his death Mr. Dallow was always the first to file his application and that his wife has continued the practice

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reeu of Chicago are in the city. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Tate of Hastings are in

J. D. McDonald and J. W. Andrews of Freont are in town. F. O. Barrow of Des Moines, la., was in the city yesterday. Robert W. Richardson of Clinton, Ia., is the guest of Omaha friends.

John Robertson and Miss Robertson, Mrs. Davis and Miss Dorthea Davis of Nebraska lity are among the guests at the Paxton. B. F. Stauffer, Fremont; H. C. Brown, St. Paul; W. W. Smith, Calvert; H. L. Smartwood, Greeley Center; F. L. Howell, Albion, and John E. Heelan of Lincoln are among the Nobraskans who are registered at

**GROWTH OF ORGANIZED LABOR** 

Great Increase in the Numerical Strength of Omaha's Brigade of Breadwinners.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK AMONG WORKINGMEN

State Labor Congress Will Meet in This City-Sparks from the Anvil-News of Interest to Men of Muscle.

The last year has witnessed a large in crease in the aembership of the various abor organizations of the city. Many of the leading local labor leaders predict that next year will be even better, as they claim the principles they are teaching are being better understood and accepted every day. Another thing that is claimed will help to build up the organizations in the future in Omaha is the fact that they are all trying to pull together harmoniously and help one another. As an illustration in the way they do business now, if a local union or assembly has trouble that needs adjustment, a trial is first made by the single organization to settle the matter, and if it falls the grievance, with full particulars, is then referred to the Central Labor union which is composed of three members from each of the various unions and assemblies in this city and South Omaha. It will readily be seen that the central body, being made up of three of the most experienced men of each organization, is a very deliberative body and will not plunge hastily into anything, and especially where there is the slightest doubt about the justness of the stand taken by the organization which brings in the trouble. In this manner many of the conflicts between employer and employe are amicably settled without hostilities or radical action, which have always heretofore provailed when difficulties were handled by mexperienced men. The emergency or grievance committee is composed of men who have been members of the central or-ganization at least one year. This commit-tee claims to be entirely impartial in all matters and says it will protect the interests of an honest employer as quickly as the

Nebraska Labor Congress. The next meeting of the Nebraska State abor congress will be held in Omaha, January 7, 1894. During the month of Deember all the delegates who will be in attendance will be elected by their respective organizations. George W. Willard, their worthy president, is a member of the printers union and holds down a case on THE BRE. E. R. Overall, recording secretary, is one of the old time mail carriers of Omaha. Mr. Overall says the indications are that a large number of delegates will attend their January meeting. Julius Meyer, one of the staunch members of the Musical union, takes care of the money. C. E. Woodward, the vice president, lives in Lincoln and earns his living by working at the carpenter's trade.

The sergeant-at-arms also lives in Lincoln.

J. M. Thompson holds that position. He is a member of the Knights of Labor and the farmers alliance. These five officers confarmers alliance. These five officers con-stitute the executive board and transact the business of the congress during the intermission between their semi-annual meetings

The object of the Nebraska State Labor congress as set forth in the preamble is to more closely bind together all those who earn their living by labor, for the mutual protection and benefit of all. At their next necting admission will be granted to dele gates from any industrial organization in the state. The basis of representation will be one delegate from each organization and one delegate extra for each 100 members or major fraction. The local members are beginning to make preparations for the meet-ing. A large hall is to be secured and public speaking upon labor topics will be the order of the evening meetings.

Criticised a Recent Decision. In a case lately brought before the supreme ourt of Pennsylvania the court decided that Where young persons without experience are employed to do work at dangerous machines the employer must give suitable instructions as to the manner of using them, and warning as to the danger of carelessness, and if he neglects such or gives im-proper instructions, he is liable, if by reason thereof injury results to the employe. This might be construed very widely, but the Machine Wood Workers' Journal inter-

prets it as follows:

In other words a mill owner may take a young person and place him beside a rip saw, give suitable instructions and warn him that if his hand comes in contact with the revolving saw it will be bad for the hand, and then consider himself as having complied with the requirements of the law according to the decision of the supreme court of Pennsylvania. If the young person suffers in jury through inexperience he has himself to blame. His employer gave him suitable instructions and warned him of the danger of the machine. We inferfrom the above decision that a middle-aged or elderly person may be put to work at dangerous machines without receiving suitable instructions or being warned as to their danger, etc. Great is the supreme court of Pennsylvania. prets it as follows:

Among the Foilers.

There is an automatic lighter for street The process of carbonizing wool is getting special attention in Germany. A bar of steel costing \$1 may be worked up into watch springs worth \$250,000.

The Federation of Labor annual convention will be held at Chicago December 11. Russian women and Japanese men are ronounced the best needle workers in the The Joliet mills of the Illinois Steel com

pany are to start up on the 20th inst. and will give work to 2,300 men. A number of the iron mills in the Manon ing valley, Ohio, which have been idle since June 30, resumed operations last week.

Chinamen are paid 75 cents per day for work in the raisin center of California. Very few whites are willing to work for The Krupp Gun works claims to have nanufactured a machine which will roll iron

so thin that it would take 1,800 sheets to make an much. Factory Inspector Watchborn of Penn

sylvania has just completed a tour of the state and reports a large number of factory workers out of employment. Brotherhood of Railway Conductors No 126 meets today at 2 p. m. in Patterson's hall, 1623 Farnam street. No. 126 is one of the strongest locals of the order.

Twenty years ago there were but two o three manufacturers of horsehide leather in this country. The consumption of this eather is large and rapidly increasing. A new union of Machine Wood Workers en organized at Muscatine, Ia., with twenty-five members, and it is promised to double that number before the first of the

Thomas I. Kidd of Chicago, one of the most indefatigable union men in the country, is writing some good articles of late. Mr. Kidd is now in Philadelphia in the interests of organized labor.

The committee of arrangements for the journeymen barbers ball, which was held last Thursday evening, report that it was a financial success as well as a social success. Likewise the horseshoers.

D. Clem Deaver, member of Clerks union No. 97, and Knights of Labor assembly No. 5,141, will go to Lincoln tomorrow and invite the union clerks of that city to come to

Omaha to the Thanksgiving ball to be given by the local union. It is expected that about twenty-five couple will come if proper arrangements can be made

Workingmen have recently been holding indignation meetings at Melbourne, Australia, protesting against the employment of Kanokas and Chinamen at what is claimed is almost starvation wages. Typographical union No. 190 will meet next

Sunday. The printers have a large member-ship in their union and send delegates to every labor enterprise proposed. In fact they are not backward about anything. The English mine and mine owners, after a consultation lasting several days, have agreed to form a permanent conciliatory board. It is hoped that this will prevent strikes in the future among the coal miners of England and result in much good to both

There is no one class of mechanics who have felt the depressed times more keenly than have the machine wood workers. Work in their trade has been exceedingly light all this year, and many of the best wood workers have been compelled to seek employment at something class. ment at something else.

Ninety per cent of the energy in coal is lost in converting it into power. It goes off in heat through the chimneys and is perceived in any room where there is a furnace and boiler. A means of saving this waste will vasily cheapen the cost of everything manufactured by electric or steam power. Safety matches that can be used without box are to be placed on the English market

by a German inventor. The idea is to tip the two ends of the wood separately with those compositions which in the ordinary way go on the pox and the other on the match. To use, break the wood across the middle and rub the ends together. The union men in Denver seem to know the proper "caper to cut." They have pro-visions in the contract for building the new state capitol that the interior wood work workmen on an eight-hour basis. There is a lesson for the Nebraska union men to learn. More can be done for union labor in

looking after contracts than in most any The International Cigar Makers' union of America is one of the wealthiest unions in the country, and has not lost a single local during the present depressed times. They have a splendid financial system, which might be patterned after by many other organizations with profit. The thorough discipline and intelligent management of their union is the admiration of all well posted labor men of the country.

Joseph Scheid of the Carriage and Wagon Workers union is being talked of as a can didate for the Central Labor union presi dency. His friends say that he is entirely impartial and well qualified to fill that important position. However, there are many who think that 'one good turn deserves another," and that Lee Hartley should be re-elected. Out of something over a half dozen candidates, all of whom are well qualified, there should be no trouble in ecuring a good presiding officer.

A telegraph operator, who was accustomed o work from fourteen to eighteen hours per day in Ohio, has such the company that employed him for extra compensation for all hours above ten per day. What is more he has succeeded in recovering. This is a righteous decision, and altogether in the interest of the public as well as the operator, Companies which overwork their telegraph perators or switchmen are apt to have a succession of bad accidents from the fact that the employes break down under the severe strain.

WILL LUNCH AT LINCOLN.

executive Committee of Nebraska Manufacturers Will Give a Spread. The executive committee of the Manufacarers and Consumers association met yesterday afternoon at its rooms in The Ben

Secretary Holmes said there would be meeting of the State Board of Purchase and Supplies and the superintendents and stewards of the state institutions on the first two days of December. The state board has been doing a great deal to help along the cause of manufacturing by placing Nebraska made goods in the state institu-tions, and to show that its efforts have been appreciated the manufacturers propose to give a "home industry" lunch at Lincoln, at which the members of the board and the merintendents and stewards of the state institutions will be invited guests. The lunch will be like the one given at Omaha some little time ago, everything served being of Nebraska manufacture.

Thomas Pennell, president of the Apollo club, was present at the meeting and offered the services of his club in getting up a program for a manufacturers' entertain-ment, conditional upon Secretary Holmes giving the club a little assistance. Mr. folmes was authorized to do what he could for the club and in the near future a manafacturers' entertainment will be given for the purpose of stimulating and advertising me patronage movement.

The following were elected members of the association: The Aloe & Penfold company, surgical in truments and physicians' supplies; Phœnis Foundry company; A. Siefken, cigar and paper box manufacturer.
The secretary was instructed to get bids n the proposed catalogue of goods made in

AFTER ELLIOTT.

Bar Association Will Pass Judgment on His Disbarment. The bar committee of the Douglas County Bar association met at Judge Ambrose's office yesterday afternoon to examine applicants for admission to the bar of this county Only one candidate appeared, and he was

Only one candidate appeared, and he was unsuccessful in his examination.

Nine members of the South Omaha Bar association signed a resolution to the effect that Theodore F. Elliott of that city was guilty of conduct unbecoming an attorney and a gentleman. They requested the and a gentleman. They requested the county bar association to take action on the matter. They asked that the accused be disbarred from further practice. One of the county committee was appointed to investigate the charges and make a report to the district judges as soon as practicable. The om nittee transacted some routine business

Polpit Paragraphs. Rev. D. D. O'Dell will preach upon the subject of "All Conquering Power of Love"

at the Beth Eden Baptist church this morn-Rev. Charles W. Savidge will preach upon Revivais, How and When!" at the People's hurch at 10:30 a. m. A gospel temperance meeting was held at

lescue nall last evening.

Rev. J. M. Wilson will speak upon "The Personality of the Holy Spirit' at Castellar Street Presbyterian church today. Rev. Patterson, at the First Presbyterian church, will discourse upon "Great Faith" this morning. The subject of his evening sermon is "Young People Away From

Rev. Mary Gerrard Andrews will address the young people of the First Universalist church this morning. An important meeting of the Ministerial union will be held at Kountze Memorial church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

An Episcopal Mission. A ten days' mission is about to be held in Christ Church parish, Beatrice, and the rector, Rev. O. J. Davis, has invited Rev. Mr. Macnab of this city to conduct the mission. The special services begin on the 17th and will continue until the 28th inst. Extensive and zealous preparations have been made in Beatrice for these services and the people are looking forward with a great deal

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of interest to the missioner's visit to their prosperous town. There will be four services every day and five on Sunday, so that Mr. Macnab's work will be a very arduous one. He has had a good deal of experience as a missioner in Canada as well as in the diocese of Nebraska. Bishop Worthington will officiate in St. Matthias church here during the rector's absence. Mr. and Mrs. during the rector's absence. Mr. and Mrs. Macnab left for Beatrice yesterday.

## WELCOMED THE BISHOPS.

Methodists Accord a Hearty Reception to

Two of Their Leaders.
The Methodist people of Omaha have s pleasant custom of extending a public reception to Resident Bishop John P. Newman or. his return from long absences. Such a welcome was given him last night at the First Methodist church, under the auspices of the Omaha and Council Bluffs of the Omaha and Council Blun-Methodist Ministers association, and the pleasure of the occasion was in creased by the fact that Bishop and Mrs. Walden shared in the greetings be-stowed. Mrs. Newman, on account of stowed. Mrs. Newman, on account of wearmess caused by her long trip, was not

weariness caused by her long trip, was not present.

The formal exercises, conducted by Rev. Dr. J. B. Maxfield, presiding eider of this district, were opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. Tindall of the Seward street church, Rev. Frank Crane, paster of the First church, then delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the ministers of Omaha and Council Bluffs, and Rev. Dr. J. W. Shank, editor of the Christian Advocate exand Council Bluffs, and Rev. Dr. J. W. Shank, editor of the Christian Advocate, extended the greetings of the laymen.

Bishop Newman, is responding, took occasion to say in the first place that he was happy to announce that all was quiet on the Sandwich Islands. "I believe," he continued, "that Gresham's letter is the greatest hoax of the generation." At this point he abruptly dropped the subject of Hawaii to express his happiness that he and Mrs. Newman had safely feturned from a trip of 15,000 miles by sea and 1,000 by land without having paid tribute to Neptune for a single hour. They went to Neptune for a single hour. They went to the table four times a day on ships and then the table four times a day on sale ones who circulated among the unfortunate ones who circulated among the table at all. The were not able to go to the table at all. The bishop announced that he would remain it

then, after returning to Omaha for a brief stay, would sait for Europe to hold conferences. He would be absent about five months.

Bishop Walden, in returning his thanks for the welcome extended him, said that the delegates to the last general conference would long remember the cordinl hospitality shown them by the people of Omaha. He imagined that delegates from the far east were about as much surprised when they got out here as Englishmen were who last summer visited Chicago. He called attention to the fact that Nebraska is one of the Methodist states of the union; that is, one tion to the fact that Nebraska is one of the Methodist states of the union; that is, one in which the members of the Methodist church outnumber the combaned membership of any three other denominations. This fact explained the deep interest the Methodist church has in the state. He emphasized the importance of the work of the church in Omaia by saying that the city and Douglas county contained about one-seventh of the population of the state; that the evangelization of the country could not be effected without the evangelization of its large cities and that this was not possible without the fire and fervor and faith of Methodism. fire and fervor and faith of Methodism.

After the addresses of the bishops the several hundred present shook their dif-

Omana about a month and would then go east to be present at the dedication of some churches, and

tinguished ecclesiastical chiefs by the hand-Train Robber Sentenced. HANCOCK, Mich., Nov. 18 .- Jack King, the fourth Mineral Range train robber to get it line for trial, pleaded guilty of larceny, like the others, and was sentenced to five year. in the Marquette prison.

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