JANITORS WANT HARD COAL

They Claim Slack Will Not Furnish the Required Amount of Heat,

BOARD DECIDES TO MAKE AN EXPERIMENT

Expert Firemen Talk Upon the Subject of Coal and Opine that Janitors of the School Buildings Do Not Know How to Use the Fuel.

For a few days slack coal has been used In the furnaces of the Webster, Walnut Hill, High and Bancroft schools as an experiment, but on account of the objections of the janitors of the buildings the superintendent offices to make the regular settlements. of school buildings has decided to discon- sides taking the meat books along Cor al tinue its use until he receives further orders ways carried a blank check, signed from the Board of Education. The janitors said that it was almost impossible for them to have the buildings beated in time for school when slack coal was used, although the fires were banked every afternoon after the close of the day's sessions.

The experiment had been tried with the Intention of substituting slack for the other kinds of coal used if it proved a success, The heat given out is as great and the ex-pense would be much less.

Last year \$15,000 was expended for coal. three kinds of which were used, soft nut, soft lump and hard coal. Of the soft nut 1,500 tons were bought at a contract price of \$2.74 per ton, of the soft lump 1,800 tons at contract price of \$2.95 per ton, and of the hard coal 300 tons at a contract price of

In order to verify the statements of the Christmann yesterday evening and Chief janitors that heat could not be raised in Brennan started out on a hunt for his man. time to warm the buildings before school began, several of the engineers and firemen in the large buildings in the city were seen. Engineer Houck of the court house spoke bout the matter as follows: "The time that it would take to comfortably heat a building large as one of the school houses depends upon the condition of the boilers. If they were kept clean, I do not think that it should take more than 45 minutes. But by the use of slack a great deal of soot and dirt is deposited in the furnaces, and they would have to be cleaned out at least two or three times a week, particularly the flues, the combustion chamber and the grates. The fire would would have to be spread evenly over the grates. A great many of the janitors in the school buildings do not know how to do this. and it may account for their inability to raise necessary amount of heat.'

Both the engineer and the fireman of the New York Life building thought that sufficient heat could be raised in at least an hour. The fireman said: "Slack coal makes more work than other kinds of coal, but I think it is an easier fire to keep going. Fuel has to be thrown on more frequently, but it burns well if put on evenly. Many of the janitors probably do not know how to I can heat this building in 25 minutes with slack coal, although my fires are banked only half as long as those in the school buildings. That, however, would not make much difference, and I think that an

hour at most would raise enough heat."
The fireman in the city hall said that he was using slack coal and could raise enough a little more than an hour to heat the building, although he started a new fire every morning. He also thought that if the janitors knew how to use it, enough heat could be raised in at least an hour, if the furnaces were cleaned out frequently, every two or three days, or blown out every day after the fires were banked. When told of the statement of the janitors that the schools could not warmed in time, he asked the question, "What time do they get up?" and thought that this had considerable to do with

More tons of slack coal would have to be and firemen were positive in their statement that it would be cheaper. Slack coal re-quires more attention, and gives more work, but sufficient steam can be raised in an hour they all say

Pierce was president when the manufac-ture of Dr. Price's Baking Powder was begun. That was in 1853.

WILL SUE FOR DAMAGES.

Clothing Company Will Ask the City to Contribute Cash to Its Coffers.

The proprietor of the People's Clothing company threatens to bring suit for damages against the city as a result of the enforcement of a resolution introduced in the council by Councilman Cahn and passed at one of the recent meetings. It appears that some councilmen had been

greatly bothered by runners and cappers for

clothing houses during the past year. Most of these houses are on Parnam street, but for all that the runners were accustomed to ply their business right in front of stores of the councilmen. When some customer was about to enter one of these stores one of the runners would step up to him and tell him not to buy there, but to go to the house he represented, where he coald get the same goods much cheaper. This method of busi-ness was not at all pleasing to the councilmen, as it did not tend to bring any gold into their coffers. Finally they got sick of the thing and determined to have it remedied.

The old ordinance provided that a license could be issued to runners for clothing houses, but it did not restrain them within any limits. The consequence was that they went wherever they pleased in order to get customers, and it was no unusual proceed-ing for them to get in front of a rival house and solicit business. Mr. Cahn introduced an amendment in the council which provided that the runners should not be allowed outside the sidewalks in front of the houses where they were employed. The amendment was passed, and when the licenses were issued for the coming year this condition was in-corporated. He forgot, however, that li-censes were issued either January 1 or July 1. All the clothiers who have runners, except Arnstein, obtained their licenses on the first date, while Arnstein's were issued on July 1 and consequently do not expire until July 1 of this year. As soon as Cahn discovered this he introduced a concurrent resolution cancelling Arnstein's licenses and ordered the city clerk to refund him the license money, which resolution was passed.

But Arnstein was not by any means pleased. But Arnstein was not by any means pleased with this and did not obey the resolution. His runners went wherever they pleased as

FIRE AND POLICE.

They Grant Licenses and Decide to Buy Fire Hose of the Best Quality.

The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners held a special meeting yesterday afternoon. Caarles Schartow, the saloon keeper who left the last meeting in a high dudgeon because of protests being filed against his galoon at 1224 South Twentieth street, for helling beer on Sunday, came before the board and apologized for the language which had used, after which he was granted a

George Tierney is attempting to conduct a saloon on the corner of Eleventh and Dodge , in close proximity to the Dodge school, but the board did not seem inclined to grant him a license, and deferred final action in the matter.

Licenses were granted as follows:

Drews, 412 South Thirteenth street; Charles Schartow, 1224 South Twentieth street; Henry Pundt, 1218 Farnam street; B. Jetter, Eighth and Leavenworth streets; Henry C. Born-druck, 314 South Thirteenth street; Joseph Schlitz Brewing company, 2516 Cuming street; Otto Wendt, 1802 South Thirteenth

The board went into executive session to consider the bids for furnishing the fire deconsider the bids for an experiment with 3,500 feet of new hose.

the members adjourned they announced that they had decided not to purchase any more cotton hose, and had completed contracts for 1,500 feet of Maltese Cross hose at \$1 per foot; 1,500 feet of White Anchor hose at \$1 per foot, and 500 feet of Lion brand at \$0 cents per foot.

Man and Goods.

Lewis.

At the Paxton—Jan.**

Moore. Kearney; W. A. Williams, Lincoln; Moore. He Mike Elmore. Altiance.

At the Merchants—John Sullivan, Norfolk; C. L. Hover, Papillion; Mrs. Dana McNiel and Mrs. H. A. Cox. Chadron; H. H. Tobin, Sidney. Charles Stall. Beatrice; Matt Daugherty, Ogalalla.

DIED.

Wallace & Co., dealers in bar glassware, have asked the police to assist them in locating John Bryner and a man named Baldwin, who have recently had an office in the Board of Trade building. It is alleged that these men purchased a bill of

goods amounting to \$180 from Wallace & Co., and had them shipped to Lincoln, where they were mortgaged. The police reported their inability to find either of the accused in the city and have secured information leading them to the belief that both men have gone to Denver. The glass ware people state that the propose to file a complaint against these men and see if they cannot be apprehended.

AFFAIRS IN SOUTH OMAHA.

William Cor, a Butcher Boy, is Badly Wanted-Magle City Gossip.

The police are longing to catch a glimpse of William Cor. William disappeared yester day, taking with him \$453.65 belonging to George Schmitz, a butcher doing business on Twenty-sixth, between N and M streets.

Cor has been in Schmitz' employ for som

time. He did collecting, and was a general stillty man about the shop. For some time Schmitz has been in the habit of sending Cor to the Cudahy packing house Schmitz, which the young man would fill out in case the meat book accounts did not balance. On December 19 last Cor took his bundle of meat books and with a check, which was black, except the unts were turned over to a Cudahy cashler ot paid by check, as per the usual custom s left. From the Cudahy Packing company check for \$453.65, and, tucking the money in his inside pocket, went back to he butcher shop and worked as usual.

Knowing that a settling day was not far off, Cor boarded an Omaha bound street ear this morning, and is now counted as among the missing. A complaint was filed by Police Judg

Colonel Savage of Custer county is in town Mayor Johnston returned from Lincoln yes Henry Coffman has returned from a trit

to Texas. The police have arrested Jim Krisky fo stealing hay from a Union Pacific car. Judge Christmann fined Julius Worblevsk police court yesterday afternoon for assaulting Steve Wismuski.

Brewer & Sloan, the N street furniture have sued Councilman Edward P have to be attended to more frequently and Conley to recover \$25 and costs, for goods

More than half the battle of life is the use of pure food. Dr. Price's Baking Powder is a guarantee of purity.

STILL PAYING ITS DEBTS.

Statement of Bonds Paid Off by the City During Two Years

During the year 1893 \$579,000 of city bonds were redeemed and during the year 1894 the amount was \$566,992.50. The bonds were for paving, curbing, grading and improvement and ran from one to nine years. of the long time bonds have reached ma

The statement of the redeemed bonds is as follows: Long time coupons, \$155,645; paving bonds, \$197,700; paving coupons, \$61,584; alley paving bonds, \$4,900; alley paving coupons, \$3,126; curbing bonds, \$36,350; curbing coupons, \$10,014; grading bonds, \$12,800 coupons, \$10,014; grading bonds, \$12,800; grading coupons, \$9,123.50; improvement bonds, \$24,700; improvement coupons, \$26,050; total

In addition \$25,000 worth of bonds have been redeemed from Kountze Bros. of New York, but the bonds have not been received and consequently could not be tabulated. This will make the total \$566,992.50.

Mr. William C. Schutz, the vice president of, the F. R. Rice Mercantile Cigar com-pany, left St. Louis yesterday for Havana, to look over the tobacco crop and make purchases for the popular Mercantile cigar. The since it was started. Last year showed the largest sales, in spite of the prevailing hard

Seeking Cupid's Realms. The following marriage licenses were is-

ied yesterday: Charles E. Flangher, Lemars, Ia. Louise A. Keterberg, Lemars, Ia. Joseph C. Waring, Omaha. Maude Spain, Omaha.

At the Christian Park. The skating park at Twentieth and Miami 'clock this afternoon by the Young Men's hristian association. The ice is in good

condition and a large crowd is expected to be in attendance. During the afternoon there will be a skating carnival and several prizes will be awarded. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

L. R. Bridahan is in Denver. L. S. Webb of Memphis is at the Dellone. Edmund M. Bartlett has gone to Kearney. F. C. Grable leaves this afternoon for Chi-

Collector North has returned from the Mrs. James Jordan, Atlantic, Ia., is at th Barker.

C. A. Rumpf of Hastings is a guest at the Mercer. L. S. Byrns of New York is autographed at the Barker.

L. D. Richards of Frement is an arrival at the Millard. General J. S. Casement of Cleveland, O., is at the Millard.

at the Merchants. R. Fowler and wife are registered at the Barker from Sloux City, Ia. Tom Benton of Lincoln passed through the city yesterday, bound for Chicago.

C. H. Pegram of the Union Pacific engi-teering department, is at the Millard. Owen Ferree, ahead of the "Yon Yonson"

mpany, is in the city, at the Barker. W. H. Douglas of the Central Stock and Grain Exchange of Chicago is in the city. George Fessendon, a real estate dealer of Portland, Ore., is a guest at the Collonade. Dr. Lonestar and wife and C. L. Martin are registered at the Barker from Detroit

Clyde Opelt, son of Landlerd Opelt of the Windsor hotel at Lincoln, was at the Dellone yesterday.

W. B. Doddridge, general manager of the

Missouri Pacific railway, with headquarters at St. Louis, is at the Millard. Mr. J. C. Gleason, who is employed in the office of A. B. Spofford, the librarian of congress, with headquarters at Washington, D.

C., is in the city visiting friends. At the Mercer: J. E. Dolman, Topeka; T. Lee Stocum and wife, Chicago; A. P. Brink, Rushville; L. P. Judd, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; C. O. Carpenter, Abilene, Kan.; G. S. McConnell, Miss E. McConnell, Sloux City C. L. Anderson, Atkinson; Minnie Guyer, Creighton; H. H. Hobson, Philadelphia; J. W. Hewitt, Portland; J. G. Sherod, Lincoln; George E. Haskell, Beatrice.

Nebraskans at the Hotels. At the Murray-Mrs. W. A. Pease and Mabel Pease, Fairbury. At the Millard-Mrs. William Blatt, Nor-folk, N. C. Abbott, Lincoln. At the Colonnade-G. R. Williams, Elk City, R. E. Roberts, Arlington. At the Dellone J. Campbell, Papillion; J. Young, Liberty; F. O. Moburg, Blair, At the Barker G. Scoullar, Superior; F. E. McGinnis, Hastings; H. E. Treat, H. R. Lewis, Fremont.

ANDERSON-Mrs. Anna C., wife of Frank A. Anderson, 2722 Farmam, aged 28 years. Funeral from residence Sunday 2 p. m.

CONTINENTAL BARGAINS

Some of the Most Astounding Values Ever Offered Go on Eale Saturday.

SATURDAY IS - OUR BUSY

Beginning January with a Clearing Sale All Over the Store, that Has for a Special Feature the Biggest Cut in Prices Ever Known in Omaha.

If you were to set the price yourself you could not have the nerve to put it as low as we do on our underwear for Saturday's sale It's beyond competition; it'll make price geters mad, but it'll make customers glad, for ever dreamed of making such ontrageously

Don't think for an instant that we haven't have. We cat the very life out of every big plater to a pair of sox. We don't expect usiness of Omaha at this the beginning o ur great January clearance sale Saturday Derby ribbed shirts, in sizes 40, 42 and 44 your choice as long as they last for 25c.

sortment of sizes. Everybody thought \$1.50 reasonable, but what do you think of 60c? Men's scarlet, all wool shirts and drawers the most perfect and serviceable goods made, always \$2.50 a suit, now a garment goes for

The balbriggan derby ribbed, silk faced underwear, the soft, smooth kind that don't irritate the skin, the \$2.50 a suit kind, goes Saturday, per garment, at 63c.

Heavy clouded merino shirts and drawers. narked down for Saturday to 40c. A lot of fancy cheviot shirts are put in for

Saturday at 65c. We've made up three loss of boys' cloth and plush caps, such as soid for double the money heretofore, now at 10c, 15c and 20c. Boys' suits, high value, suits that cost more o make than we ask, all wool cheviot and assimere, ages 6 to 14, not a suit worth han \$5, Saturday in two lots at \$2.50 and

Boys' school pants, knee pants, worth and old as high as 75c last year, Saturday they are just 25c. So, all over the store, cut, cut, cut, for Saturday, the beginning of our great January dearance sale.

CONTINENTAL CLOTHING HOUSE. N. E. cor. 15th and Douglas sts. THE DIRECT SOUTHERN ROUTE

Via the Rock Island-Shortest Line and Fastest Time.

To all points in Kansas, Oklahoma, Indian erritory, Texas and all points in southern California. Only one night out to all points In Texas, The "Texas Limited" leaves Omaha at 5:15 a. m. daily except Sunday, landing passengers at all points in Texas 12 hours in advance of all other lines. Through tourist cars via Ft. Worth and El Paso to Los Angeles. For full particulars, maps, folders, etc., call at or address Rock Island ticket office, 1602 Farnam St.
CHAS, KENNEDY, G. N. W. P. A.

Dr. Leanard of Northampton, Mass., will give a course of four lectures on "The Strong-er Childhood," at the Woman's club rooms, Boston Store building, beginning Saturday at 4 o'clock p. m. Course tickets, 50c; single admission, 15c.

Gault Brothers will sell three carloads of fine draft, drivers and general purpose horses at the Union stock yards horse market Saturday, January 5, at 1 p. m. See this sale

STARTED TO GET REVENGE. rmed to the Teeth, Susic Red Horse Goes

on the Warpath. Deputy United States Marshal Liddiard,

ing story of the murder of Red Horse, the old Sioux chieftain. Red Horse, one of the best known Indians n the west, was beaten to death by Fast Thunder and Plenty Bird, near Rushville, recently. They claimed religious power to do it.

A few days ago Liddiard was notified that Susie Red Horse, the squaw of the murdered chieftain, had gone on the war path with a big knife in one hand, a rifle in the other, and a large crop of vengeance planted in her heart. She had just heard that her husband's murderers were out on bail. Aimost treets will have its formal opening at 2 immediately she cut her hair off, the significance of this action being a time honored declaration of war among the Four Hundred on the reservation. Then the trate squaw gave away all her property, thus clearly indicating that she wanted to die, but that before she did so she intended to avenge the death of her husband. Susie then started on the trail of Fast Thunder and Plenty Bird, who were kept in hiding by their friends. Susie had a record. When Fast Thunder and his com-

a record. When Fast Thunder and his com-panion in crime were released on bail they remembered the fighting qualities of Red Horse's buxom widow and they kept out of sight. But a mutual friend betrayed the fact of their release.

As soon as Susie, armed to the teeth, started on a search for the hiding assassins the Indian police knew full well that if she was not stopped there would be two strange Irdian faces in heaven. The police at once

Irdian faces in heaven. The police at once started in pursuit of the fighting widow.

In the meantime the utmost excitement prevailed on the reservation. Word was dispatched to Deputy Marshal Liddiard, but he knew what interference in a Sioux family quarrel meant. Although a brave man, he left it to the Indian police to settle. E. R. Sadler of Lincoln is among the guests left it to the Indian police to settle.

Just a bit of dramatic tinge was, added to

the case, when the determined squaw went from place to place seeking to find the hiding place of the men who killed her husband place of the menawho killed her husband.
She implored the young braves to betray
their whereabouts. Fast Thunder wasn't
making much noise in the meantime and
Plenty Bird sighed for wings. They both
knew what it meant to meet a squaw with
a bad heart, especially when she was a
walking arsenal. So they lay low.

Just as Susie Red Horse struck a clew
and there was home of facing her husband's

and there was hope of facing her husband's murderers the Indian police overtook her and she was compelled to surrender her

A few days later the police arranged an "alonement feast" as an armistice. The friends of Fast Thunder and Plenty Bird gave the widow a number of ponies and reasoned with her to let the law take its course. And right here is where Cupid got into the game as a potential factor in peace. The gentle Suste is 44 years old and well seasoned with Sloux ness, but a young brave, who is suspected of being a martyr in behalf of his friend, Fast Thunder, paid his addresses to the widow, notwithstanding that her raven hair was not hanging down her back, as it had not yet grown out again, message of love in the ear of the listening squaw and thus disarmed vengeance with a big dose of flattery. In case it becomes a match, it is rumored around the federal buildings that Deputy Marshal Liddlard will be best man at the ceremonies.

Acts quicker and goes further than any other-Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

VIEWS AND INTERVIEWS.

"Times are reviving in our section of the ountry," said W. R. Steele, mayor of Deadwood, at the Paxton, "The cyanide works proved a great success and stimulated industrial matters. There has been considerable improvements and new buildings constructed in Dendwood this last season. An English syndicate is now seeking to put a good-sized roll of money into some mining enterprises, and this will have a tendency to add to the general commercial prosperity

"I think that it is rather detrimental to the interests of Nebraska to see relief trains headed this way and the fact heralded abroad," said O. N. Davenport at the Mer-"It creates the impression through the country that we would let our fellowcitizens starve on our doorstens, and it will give Omaha, as well as Nebraska, a black eye in the east, because capitalists know that business here depends largely on the success of crops, and if the news is scattered broadeast that the farmers are not eating regu-Omaha and the relief train incident will be greatly magnified. I think it is an awful break to advertise Nebraska in this manner, and it will do the state a great deal of

"There is destitution among farmers in the drouth counties to some extent," said W. N. Nason, local chairman of the State Relief committee, "but I frankly say that I believe that the situation has possibly been colored by word painters. It ain't quite bad enough to necessitate national aid. Nebraska can take care of her own.

"If we can have a good cold snap, plenty of snow and some bad weather within the next few weeks, it will make business good among the jobbers," said Z. T. Lindsey at the Commercial club. "That old saying of an ill wind is especially applicable to the commercial situation in Nebraska at pres-

Hon. Lou May, state fish commissioner, has just returned from Florida, where he went to study the species of alligator that abound in the swamps of that God-forsaken region. He did not say whether he would transplant any of them into Nebraska fish ponds, but he did say that reports of heavy damage to the orange crop by recent frosts were greatly exaggerated in order to raise the price of the fruit.

"Over 50,000 ownces of silver have recently been shipped from Omaha to the City of Mexico for coinage in the Mexican mints," said Guy C. Barton of the Omaha-Grant smelter. "The present low price of silver corporated in the charter. The sentiment, "Over 50,000 ounces of silver have recently who recently arrived from the Sioux reserva. said Guy C. Barton of the Omaha-Grant tion, relates a new chapter in the interest. smelter. "The present low price of silver in this country, together with the small mint charges of 4 cents in Mexico, enables us to do this. If silver advances in value, however, above 60 cents to any great extent, we cannot continue to send American silver to Mexican mints for coinage. Other smeltto Mexican mints for coinage. Other smelters and silver men in this country are doing the same as we are. Guggenheimer & Sons of New York, extensive in their line of binsiness, are doing it. I do not look for any legislation favorable to silver interests at this session of congress, not even a bill for the free coinage of the American product, because the well known hostility of President Cleveland to silver interests would the motion had been made, Mr. Overall withdrew his motion and the report be referred back to the revision committee for approval. The impression seemed to be that if this should be done all the work on the charter would have to be gone over again, as all interests could not be fully satisfied. Arter a tubstitute motion and two amendments to the motion had been made, Mr. Overall withdrew his motion and the report be referred back to the revision committee for approval. The impression seemed to be that if this should be done all the work on the charter a tubstitute motion and two amendments to the motion had been made, Mr. Overall withdrew his motion and the report be referred back to the revision committee for approval. The Indian police captured them, and they were subsequently released on bail. Cleveland to silver interests would preclude the success of such a measure. The president would doubtless yeto any enactment that would tend to improve the chances of silver. There is absolutely no hope for free and unlimited coinage for some time. However, mining men generally anticipate a slight ad-vance in silver before long, and when this occurs the exports to Mexico will cease at once. Silver is now at 60 cents, and it is liable to jump higher."

"The message of Governor Holcomb is an able, splendid and satisfactory document, characteristic of the man," somewhat enthusiastically said J. B. Kitchen at the Paxton. "It forever dispels the wild campaign bugaboo's that Governor Holcomb's politics put him in the Waite classification. On the contrary, it is indicative of an honest, conservative executive, whose administration will be a credit to the commonwealth and attract eastern capital instead of impairing its investment. I regard the message of the governor-elect as one that will compare favorably with any of his predecessors, and excelling most of them. Governor Holcomb is all right. Every democrat and every republican who voted for the people's choice will never regret it."

Bedel Institute of Blair, Neb., is the best and only guaranteed cure of the liquor, mor-phine and tobacco habit.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

WORLD'S FAIR AWARD

Dr. Price's

Cream Baking Powder.

Executive Committee on Awards at the Col-

umbian Exposition, writing from Washington,

D. C., to the Price Baking Powder Company,

"I herewith enclose you an official copy of your award, which in due time, will be inscribed in the Diploma, and forwarded to your address, unless other-

Thus are the honors awarded

Dr. Price's Baking Powder

at the World's Fair fully verified.

at the Fair by a New York Baking Powder

are proven wholly false. Official records

show it was not even an exhibitor. Was it because it contained Ammonia?

On the other hand the claims to awards

wise indicated by you."

JOHN BOYD THACHER, Chairman of the

OMAHA'S BILL OF RIGHTS

Committees Finally Agree on the Amendments Needed to Make a Gool Charter.

Area of the City Limited to Twenty-Six

Square Miles-Limit of Debt and Taxation Also Placed-Day's Work Plan Abandoned.

Last night the charter revision committee completed its work by adopting the new amended charter, which it is proposed to bring before the legislature as soon as possi-

The committee was appointed over two months ago, and during this time has held ten or a dozen meetings, before which as many interests as cared to be present were listened to. The Municipal league, representing the taxpayers and citizens, claimed a hearing some weeks back. As a result subcommittees from both that body and the charter committee held a conference, at which the report adopted at last night's meeting of the two bodies was prepared. Concessions were made by both and the report was precented as unanimous. It was adopted unanmously by the mesting.

As reported, the amended charter the hands of the subcommittee by the general committee, the changes decided upon being substantially as follows: The city miles. The amendment proposing that the number of councilmen be reduced to nine was not adopted, and the number remains as a present. The right of eminent domain was extended to the state lines. The city is given the power to levy and collect an oc cupation tax. The bonded indebtedness o the city is limited to \$2,250,000, but in addiion to this bonds to the amount of \$100,000 may be issued for the erection of a city jail police court and workhouse. Alley and street paving cannot be ordered except on petition of a majority of the property owners on the alley or street. The mayor and city council are given the power of cerating permanent sidewalk districts, but permanent sidewalks shall not be laid in any district except on the petition of property owners owning the majority of the feet front in the district. The mayor and city council may compel the lay-ing of sewer and water connections before the paying of streets.

METHOD OF RAISING REVENUE. Property shall be assessed at the actual cash value. The tax commission shall be elected by the vote of the people instead of being appointed. The board of review may sit for one month. Proper notice shall given when the assessment on property i raised. A maximum sum of \$1,000,000 yearly shall be raised by taxation, which amount shall be divided among the different depart-ments in fixed apportionments. The general board of equalization shall sit for at least five days and may sit for sixten additional days. Personal property shall not be liable for taxes on realty. Delinquent taxes shall not constitute a lien on personal property. The treasurer is given power to levy on personal property upon which there is a tax before the tax list is placed in his hands for collection; provided he believes that the owner is attempting to dispose of the property with the intention of evading the tax. Street sweeping shall be done by day labor, but other kinds of street work may be done by day labor or contract at the will of the mayor and city council. There shall be a two weeks' publication of franchises. Contracts or franchises which cover a period of two years or over shall be submitted to a

ote of the people. The only objection to the report was made however, of the others present was that as yery little street work except sweeping would be done during the next two years and as the amendment was at most an experiment no further change should be made. Mr. Overall thereupon moved that the report be referred The following was introduced by Mr Connell and passed:

Connell and passed:

Resolved, That two members of the charter committee and two members of the clitzens' committee be designated by the chairman, who, together with the chairman and Mr. Overall, shall constitute a committee to present the amendments which have been approved to the legislature, and to use all honorable efforts to secure the passage of the bill containing the same; and

Resolved, That the mayor and the city council shall be requested to concur in the action and to provide for the payment of the necessary expenses of the committee.

Chairman appointed on the committee.

Chairman appointed on the committee Messrs. Poppleton, Wheeler, Connel and Dr. Mercer to act with himself and Mr. Overall.
On motion of Mr. Wheeler, Messrs. Connell and Poppleton were appointed a committee to prepare a letter to be sent to the mem-bers of the Douglas county delegation to the legislature, giving an outline of the bill and reviewing the work of the committee.

"COST OR LESS." January Sale-Cloaks and Furs O.K.SCOFIELD

Colonial Chairs.



You want one of these in your library o living room. They have grown to be as much a necessary part of the furniture of a modern house as a plane or a leather easy chair. There are over fifty different styles, all copies of genuine colonial originals, but for the three essentials of comfort, beauty of

the three essentials of comfort, beauty of outline, and historic suggestiveness there is no pattern so popular as this.

It embodies the high back with the gallery back above, the "dug" or receased seat, the broad arm rests, the tapering cross-braces, the nearly every well known feature of the 18th century construction.

We take special pains with the marquetry of our colonial frames, and at the low price at which we are selling these chairs there is nothing that can compare with them at the price in this country.

Charles Shiverick & Co.

FURNITURE of Every Description

1266 and 1208 Douglas Stree MILLARD HOTEL BLOCK.

Temporary Location.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

"A Ship of State" opens its week's engagement at the Empire with a matinee to-

The piece is one of the assured successes of the present season, and will be given with the same excellent cast and magnificent scenic and mechanical effects that were seen CONFERENCE REPORT WAS ADOPTED at the Schiller theater, Chicago, where the

play was first produced. Miss Edith Ellis, who plays the soubrette role of "Mittens," is the possessor of a beautiful voice, and sings a number of songs in a most delightful manner. The Liberty quartet is also heard to advantage and the other specialties introduced are of a particularly high and entertaining character.

The last opportunity our theater goers will have of seeing the great Sandow and his big specialty show will be at the matince this afternoon at 2:30 at the Boyd. This will close the present engagement. It will be great performance for ladies and children, and should not be missed. The prices have been fixed at 50 and 75 cents for the first floor and 25 and 50 cents for the balcony.

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Attest: H. J. LIEE, President.

W. M. GLASS, Secretary.

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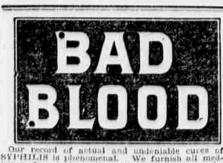
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