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#### MINOR MENTION.

Grand, Council Bluffs. E. F. Clark, prop. A case of scarlet fever was reported yes-terday at 502 Little Curtis street. A lot of brass fixtures have been stolen

from the railway yards at the transfer.

Miss Cora Gretzer's pupils will join with those of Miss Duncan's school in a picuic at Fairmount park tomorrow.

Mr. C. I. Whitney and Miss Mabel Elm were married Wednesday evening, Rev. Conrad Hooker doing the tying.

Unity Guild will hold its regular meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rob-erts, 513 Voorhis street. Friends cardially

One of the girls belonging to the Christian Home endeavored to skip out yesterday, but was caught at the Burlington depot by Officer Covelt and returned to shelter.

The trial of criminal cases in the district court will begin Monday next. The Bachlitz case is the first to be called. In this case Limerick is expected to be brought back from the penitentiary to give testimony.

The case against John M. Murphy, charged with assaulting his brother-in-law, James McIntyre, with an axe, was dismissed yes-terday, McIntyre failing to appear to pros-The costs were accordingly taxed up The Good Government club is to meet in

the south court room this evening at 8 o'clock. The committee appointed to outline needed reforms and suggest prescriptions for the cure of sundry municipal ailments is expected to present an interesting report. The case of Jennie Williams, charged with

but the attorney for the defendant at once plunged into such a depth of demurrers, pleadings and motions, that he forced the other side to grant what he wanted, a continuance until next Monday. The Red Men and Daughters of Pocahontas

celebrated Tammany day in their hall last evening in a very pleasant manner. A litevening in a very pleasant manner. A literary program, in which T. B. Hughes took part and distinguished himself was one of the pleasant features. A social and ball concluded the evening. Many guests were present from the kindred societies in Omaha. James Dungan, a younger brother of the young man who has just gotten out of a series of bad scrapes, has been arrested upon the complaint of his father, charging him with stealing \$8. The father desires to have the boy sent to the reform school. Justice Vien will examine him on the charge today, and if the facts warrant it he will take the first steps toward sending the boy to Eldora. He is 15 years old.

Last November Ed Pancake and Frank Jackson were arrested for disturbing the peace, and put up \$19 each for their appearance the next morning. They failed to ap-pear, and the money dropped out of sight into the city's strong box. Not so with the cases, and Judge McGee told the officers to keep an eye out for the pair. Yesterday Jackson was picked up, and he will have a chance to tell his story today in court.

Insure in the Imperial, Palatine or Glen Falls Fire Insurance companies. These are among the largest and best companies in the and we are sole agents for Council Bluffs. Lougee & Towle, 235 Pearl street,

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

General James B. Weaver left yesterday cational campaign along free silver lines. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lunger left last evening for Kansas City, where Mrs. Lunger will visit friends for two weeks or so, while

Mr. Lunger attends to busines in Kansas Rev. T. W. Williams, who is engaged in debate at Blandinsville, Ill., writes, under date of the 15th, that one of the heaviest before, ruining fruits and vegetables. Farm-

ers are discouraged, and will have to re-plant. He expects to be at home, so as to Rev. Dr. H. C. Babcock, who was com-pelled to relinquish the pulpit in St. Paul's church on account of a troublesome affection of his throat, will leave for New York in a few days for treatment. A specialist there who has had an examination made says there

is no organic trouble, and that a month care and treatment at the present time will entirely remove the difficulty. Mrs. W. H. Lynchard has returned from Missouri Valley, after giving two very successful Brownie entertainments that packed the opera house each evening and called out the largest audience for the concluding per

The entertainments were given for the First Presbyterian church, and the ladies netted a handsome sum, which will go to the fund they are raising to build a new church structure. The Peerless Temperance Drink There is no temperance drink in the world

that begins to compare with the famous Copps Cheer and Herb Tonic, originated and manufactured by the G. R. Wheeler Brewing company. It is protected by U. S. official analysis, and can be sold anywhere without

WHEELER & HERELD, Sole Mfgrs., Council Bluffs. To Beer or Not to Beer.

Can St. Louis collect its beer bills in Iowa? That query introduced itself before the district court yesterday by the opening of the case of the M. J. Lemp Brewing company against Goldstein & Brown, who used to run a bottling works and beer shop on Broadway. The plaintiffs, who belong in St. engaged in making beer, and the defendants were engaged in selling it. In the course of trade the plaintiffs sold Goldstein & Brown about \$6,000 worth of beer, and claim that they never got all their pay, the balance due being about \$2,000. The de fendants deny the account, and deny every other feature of the petition, but they lay especial stress upon the claim that the St. Louis brewery had no right to sell beer in Iowa, in the face of the prohibition law, and that as they did sell they could not collect under this law. This drags in the question whether the sales were made in Missouri or Iowa. Goldstein & Brown claim that they bought some of the beer from a traveling man who came to Council Bluffs, and other rders were sent from here by mail to St. ouis. The battle will be fought over the question as to what and where a sale is.

Big Race Meeting. Spring meeting of the Union Park Racing association commences May 22, and continues ten days. Five good races daily, commencing at 2 p. m. One and a third fare on all railways for round trip.

A splendid line of straw hats at Metcalf

Unear hed a Counterfeit Plant. Dave Mottag and another workman engaged in street repairing, unearthed a small plant of counterfeiter's tools and wares on North Eighth street Wednesday afternoon. There were a few well made coins, dated 1889, a mass of metal and some tools. The had been planted under a street cul-and from appearances it had not lain there long. The matter was called to the attention of the federal authorities, and an extensive investigation that followed failed to bring to light anything else.

Fence Posts 100 car loads white oak fence posts, 5 cents

each, by the car load. A. Overton, Council Bluffs.

Haled Hay for sale

In large or small lots, by F. Gardner. In-quire of Thomas Johnson, city weighmaster.

Jones at the Fifth Avenue Church. John G. Jones, brother of the celebrated Sam, has begun a series of revival meetings at the Fifth Avenue Methodist church. A good deal of interest has already been awakened, and the meetings will probably con tinue for a week or more.

A splendid line of straw hats at Matcalf

Davis, drug, paint, glass nan. 200 B'way. The Hardman, the plane par excellence.

# NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

OFFICE, - NO. 12 PEARL STREET Fierson Revival Meetings Are Drawing to a Close.

SUNDAY EVENING WILL BE HIS LAST

Broadway Church Crowded Last Night-Services of Unusual Interest, Especially the After Meetings.

The Pierson meeting at Broadway church last evening was opened with prayer by Rev. which Mrs. Luke understood was just half the monthly salary of Mr. Condon. Condon Mr. Hail of Randolph, Ia. In addition to the singers were secured to charm the audience in the absence of Mr. Johnson, who left for Chicago yesterday. Mrs. J. A. Roff sang a beautiful solo, entitled "Beyond the Sowing and the Reaping," after which prayer was and the Reaping," after which prayer was semigroup of the case, and during the temperature of their deal tapers, and during the temperature of the information to Mrs. Luke that Condon was receiving a filed up the stairway at Chambers' academy was amount board bill. She was not well posted in Iowa law, but she fitted her actions to the emergency of the case, and during the temperature. large chorus choir, a number of talented and the Reaping," after which prayer was emergency of the case, and during the temoffered by Rev. Henry Coker. Charles Haverstock rendered that sweet old hymn, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought."

The text was Isalah, xlv, 22: "Look unto ne, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth, for I am God, and there is none else." Mr. Pierson spoke in part as follows: "In this text we find four great themes. 'Look unto me'-the first step-'and be ve saved' highest possible authority.

Salvation is the greatest possible blessing that can come to a man, because it removes had on their persons was displayed to the the greatest possible curse—the loss of a soul. In this life there are generally three grounds of action-proof, probability and possibility. I wish to present Christ and his salvation to you upon positive proof. The stealing some doors and windows from one of F. J. Day's houses, was called yesterday. perhaps you cannot accept this proof. When a man enters business he has no proof that he will succeed. He probably will. When started for this place tonight I did not know I would preach. It was only probable. ven go farther than this. They invest their money in plans and schemes where success is possible, not sure, nor even probable. These men have no reason for not accepting Christ. 'Look unto Me and be ye saved.'

"The evil one is whis ering to the unsavel, 'Peace, peace,' when there is no peace. There is no peace outside of Christ. Morality, humility and brotherhood will not save you. Look unto God and be ye saved. Salvation for a look. May God give you grace to look Him tonight." After the sermon nearly the entire audi-

once remained to the after meeting, which was of unusual interest and power. A large number of persons entered upon a Christian There will be neighborhood prayer meetings

at twenty different homes in the city this afternoon at 3:30. There will be preaching again tonight, and on Sunday evening Mr. Pierson will bid the people of Council Bluffs farewell.

#### A GRAND OPPORTUNITY.

Never Before Were We in a Position to Offer Such Values as We Are Now. Children's jersey ribbed vests, all sizes, 5c

Ladies' jersey ribbed vests, 9c; worth 15c. Ladies' lisie thread union suits, 50c suit. Ladies' pure cream silk vests only 50c each. DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

All our 50c Kai Kai wash silks, beautiful styles, come early, 25c yard. 59c cream Habutai wash silk, 35c yard. All our 75c check taffeta silks, 39c yard. 24-inch \$1.00 quality black satin rhadame 39c yard

40-inch black and navy all wool French 46-inch black French serge, 69c yard; vorth \$1 00 36-inch Lawrence LL muslin, 31/2c yard.

Lonsdale cambric, 8½c yard. 500 curtain shades, complete, 15c each. 100 rolls China and Jap matting at 15c, e and 25c yard. Save money and buy your carpets, curtains and rugs of us. Mail orders filled.

BENNISON BROS., Council Bluffs. Scientific optician at Wollman's, 406 Broadway. Cole & Cole are selling gasoline stoves for

#### \$2.50, lawn mowers for \$2.50; low prices this year in hardware. Old stand, 41 Main st. JUST WHERE IT STARTED.

The Board of Equalization Comes Around

to the Point Where it Started and Quits. The Board of Equalization held a very brief session last evening, but accomplished the feat of getting around to exactly the point where is started several days ago, and then quit for the present.

The first thing that confronted the aldernen whin they met was a petition from Officer & Pusey asking for a reduction of taxes on lands lying inside the corporation and adjoining the property owned by Leonard Everett, who was favored with a reduction at the session on the previous evening. Some of the aldermen had been remarking strictly entre nous that the only reductions so far granted had been to the millionaires of the city, and they were in a favorable mood to jump upon this last bankers' proposition with death dealing vigor. This they proceeded to do and rejected the petition almost before it had been presented. This prepared the way for a reconsideration of the action on the

Everett property, and a motion to put back Everett's assessment to the original figure was quickly made and carried. Two remonstrances were received from the First National bank, one from President Sanford, and the other from the stockholders. Both were received and placed on file. A moion was then made and carried to let all of the bank assessments stand as returned by the assessor. This ended the whole vexed question, and the aldermen took up the water works assessment with less timidity than formerly. Discussion lasted about half a when a resolution was introduc

raising the assessment of the plant to \$50,000, and this went through without a kick.

The clerk was instructed to post notices of all assessments that had been raised, as required by law, and the council adjourned to

May 25. The dreaded cyclone is stalking abroad in the land, leaving naught but devastation in its wake. Its victims were many along its through Sloux Center. Secure a tornade policy from the Council Bluffs Ins. Co. at once, for no one can tell where next this demon may settle down to business.

Garden hose, big stock, good and cheap. New York Plumbing Co. Garden hose, big stock, good and cheap,

New York Plumbing Co. Miss Badollet's class of St. Paul's Sunday school will give a reception to their friends on Friday evening, May 17, at the residence of T. E. Cavin, 150 Park avenue. Admis-

Special sale of children's hats for the next three days at the new Bon Ton millinery. Prices and goods cannot be duplicated. 301 Broadway.

Have you seen the beautiful new novelties and the splendid bargains at the Meyers-Durfee Furniture company's, the standard

Yes, the Eagle laundry is "that good laundry," and is located at 724 Broadway. If in doubt about this try it and be convinced. Don't forget name and number. Tel. 157.

How the Public Reads. The last monthly report of the public library shows the number of visitors to have been 8,081, and number of book takers 5,782. As usual there was a demand for fiction, 4,024 volumes of that class being taken out, and only ninety-seven theological works. During the month 123 new volumes were added, making the total number of books in the library, 14,480.

Joile Harper Dead.

A letter was received by Marshal Canning yesterday from a young woman in Glidden, Ia., containing the announcement of the death of Josie Harper, or Volmar, at that place last Tucsday. The letter gives no particulars as to the cause of her death, but makes a strong appeal for sympathy for the dead tion of the Boston convention.

### ceive proper treatment in Council Bluffs. The letter says the child was under 17 years of age, and that she ENDOWMENT PLANIDEFEATED

Squabble Over a Board Bill.

having a rather unpleasant experience in en-

some time on a contract to pay \$50 a month

will be disposed of in some manner.

Brown backs at 3½c a roll. White blanks at 4½c a yard.

%c a roll. 12%c gilts reduced to 8c a roll.

All work guaranteed. Estimates cheerfully given.

Felt shades, 15c; worth, 22c.

Oil opaque, 39c, worth 50c.

qualities:

ong, 25c

the firemen.

Brown's C. O. D.

BOSTON STORE PRICES.

Prices.

Mica gilts, beautiful line of patterns, at

19c and 22c gilts reduced to 19c and 121/4c

Ingrains in the various tints at 121/2c a roll.

Big reductions in lace curtains and chenille

A selection of 20 different shades, full 7

Best quality water colors opaque, 7 feet

Sam Morrison Dying.

Poor Sam Morrison, the veteran fireman

who lost his eyesight and suffered destruction

of his physical vigor while serving in the de-

1868. During that time he has held all the

if it did not produce, paralysis of the optic

nerves. He has been a prominent figure on the streets, tenderly cared for by the fire-

Granulated Sugar Still Cheap.

County School Teachers Meet.

The school teachers of the Sixth district

of the county, which includes the townships

of Keg Creek, Hazel Dell, Crescent, Lewis,

Hardin and Garner, will meet at Superintendent Burton's office June 8. The object

of the meeting is the general improvement

John Dohany Dangerousty Ill.

The family and physicians of John Do

hany are very much alarmed on account of

his physical condition, and fears are enter-tained that he will not recover. His health

has been very poor all spring and for the last

Buy the "New Process" gas cooking range.

DUEL TO THE DEATH AVERTED

Prominent Fire Esters of Buffalo, Wyo.

BUFFALO, Wyo., May 16 .- (Special.)-

What promised to be a duel to the death

between two noted characters was narrowly

averted at the recent term of the district

court held here. The principals in the affair

called "Quickshot Davis." Davis was fr

Buffalo as a bodyguard for William C. Ir-

vine, who was summoned to appear before

during the invasion of Johnson county in

1893, in which both Irvine and Davis figured as leaders in the stockmen's party. The

case against Irvine was dismissed by the

"You are Scott Davis, aren't you?"

Flagg's loud words were the signal for a

brave man by going outside and settling the

fight it out in the same way with any of Davis' friends. He was, however, taken out

of the hotel and Davis and his party shortly

Flagg, in this week's issue of his paper, the

Voice, states that he considered Davis' pres-ence in Buffilo as a direct defiance and chal-

lenge to himself, which his hot southern blood (he is a Virginian) could not brock. It

is hoped by the citizens of this place that this

Killed Russian Thistie Also.

FARGO, N. D., May 16.-Examinations

were badly injured by last night's frost.

The injury to wheat will reach 10 or 15 per cent. The temperature was 11 below freezing at sunrise. There is compensation in the fact that the Russian thistle was completely destroyed wherever out of the ground.

Not All Willing to Follow Judd. CHICAGO, May 16.—The attempted seces-

sion of Theosophists at the Boston meeting

has provoked considerable opposition in dif-

affair is the last echo of the famous rustler

matter with their guns. He also offered to

front of Davis and said:

ame is Jack Flagg.

war.

Pull Guns Upon Each Other.

week he has been confined to his bed.

Council Bluffs Gas company's office.

Best granulated sugar 22 lbs. for \$1 at

c; other stores ask 35c. FOWLER, DICK & WALKER,

Council Bluffs, Ia.

WINDOW SHADES.

of age, and that she purposely misled the officers here in regard to her age. She was buried at Glidden on Thursday. The letter purports to be from a close personal friend of Josie and to be written at the request of her mother. It says Josie ran away from Templeton anguly after having been taken Another Victory for Laws Committee in Catholic K. ights Convention.

Templeton snortly after having been taken there and came to Woodbine, and from there REPORT ON THE UNIFOLM RANK

Mrn. A. C. Luke, who operates a boarding Invitation to Other Kindred Societies to house in the southern part of the city, is Make Propositions to Federate Referred -Other Features of Yesterday's Sesdeavoring to secure payment of a board bill. Rishard J. Con on and wife have been o cupying a suite of rooms and boarding there for sion-May Wind Up Today.

supreme council of the Catholic Knights of is reputed to be one of the employes of the America with significant red, white and hospitalities of the Omaha branch at the new telephone company. A few days ago some one conveyed the information to Mrs. blue badges fluttering from their coat lapels,

Archbishop Gross opened the session with they possessed in the way of personal prop-erty. This consisted of clothing and two or three hungry looking grips. These she absentees, the convention received resolutions and communications, which were re-

conveyed to her own apartments and locked them up and turned a deaf ear to Condon's Delegate Edward Feeney Delegate Edward Feeney of New York demands for the use of his wife's and his own property. To bring matters to a climax sprung a surprise in the form of a resolution inviting the Young Men's Institute mem-Condon filed an information yesterday morning charging her with theft, and a search bers to join the Catholic Knights of America. -salvation on the easiest possible terms. was sworn out of Justice Vien's court. This was followed by a resolution presented and given to Constable Baker with orders to by Delegate T. P. O'Keefe of New Mexico. This was followed by a resolution presented greatest possible number. 'For I am God, search the house and bring the missing prop- asking the Young Men's Institute and kin- and there is none else'-salvation from the erty into court if it could be found. This dred Catholic societies to make a formal was successfully accomplished and all of the proposition to be merged into the Catholic clothing except what Mr. and Mrs. Condon Knights of America. For a few moments it looked as though there would be a renewal curious eyes of the gang of loafers that hang of the prolonged debate of the preceding day around the justice shops. It was on exhibi-tion all yesterday afternoon, and just before in which the federation forces were routed. the hour of closing it was taken to Justice This was averted, however, by a prompt ref-Walker's court with the case on a change of erence of the resolutions to the committee on venue. It will be open for inspection there

until 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the case Dr. Averdick of Covington, Ky., arose to a special meeting of the committee on griev- and ances called to take up the Fitzpatrick case Our Wall Paper-Largest Stock, Lowest

After referring several relief and other cases to committees the convention went Whalen and others.

by Supreme President Shine.
The convention then resumed action on the report of the committee on laws. The recommendation of the committee to reject the troposed amendment to article 101 of the constitution, submitted by branch 68, was DEFEATED ENDOWMENT PLAN. eet long, best spring rollers, in the following

The feature of the morning conference, nowever, was the debate on the attempt to neorporate the endowment plan of insurance in the constitution. The fight for endowment was led by Wil-liam Early of Pennsylvania, who is also a member of the committee on laws. He submitted a minority report of that committee when Chairman O'Connor reported an ad-verse majority report on the following prop-

sition submitted by branch 118 of Phila-"When a member for the period of twenty partment, lies at the point of death in St. Bernard's hospital. His death is looked for years has continued in good standing with-out interruption, and at the expiration of said hourly. Morrison has been in the city since 1860 and a member of the department since period becomes physically unable to earn a livelihood and is financially unable to pay 1868. During that time he has held all the responsible positions in the department except chief. He has been totally blind since 1886 and has made his home at No. 3 hose house, several secret orders of which he was a member contributing to provide for he was a member contributing to provide for his benefit certificate, and upon proper proof being made to the supreme secretary he shall draw his living. Shortly before losing his even his living. Shortly before losing his eye-sight he was unjustly accused of a serious offense by a woman, and this preyed upon his mind to such an extent that it hastened, as provided in paragraph 34, page 16, supreme

"The applicant will be required to make his statement as to his disqualifications in men or the passerby. Last fall his health writing to his branch with affidavit from a became so frail that he could not be given notary or magistrate certifying to the truth sufficient care at the comfortable quarters in of the same. The branch shall then refer the hose house and he was taken to the hos-pital. He is visited daily by his friends and tion; it shall require the local medical examiner to make examination and make such A spleodid line of straw hats at Metcalf other necessary investigations as would be necessary, when, if it has found the facts as stated, it shall so certify under affidavit to the branch; the branch shall then, under its seal, certify to the correctness of the proofs, with copy of same, to the supreme secretary, who, upon receipt of same, shall

"The benefit certificate shall then be canceled by the supreme secretary and the branch secretary be required to forward same All costs necessary to proofs as provided. to be borne by the applicant. If so desiring he can remain a social member upon omplying with laws governing same."
Discussion followed, in which Early of and advancement of the work by an inter-change of ideas and free discussion of various

Pennsylvania, who bears a striking resemblance to Milton Nobles and is often mistaken for that actor, made a good fight, but the odds were against him. O'Connor of Georgia and Smith of Kentucky opposed the endow-ment feature and claimed that its adoption would conflict with the charter. The mafority report, which was adverse to the proamendment to the constitution, was ratified by the convention and the endowment proposition was irrevocably lost when it came

to a vote. The question of changing the depositories of the organization caused a prolonged discussion, but the committee report, recommending no revision of the present system of the supreme treasurer, was endorsed. In fact the minority reports of the committee on laws were not in it at any stage of the convention proceedings when the question was put. The delegates rejected the attempt to establish a new official organ, known as the Catho lic Knight, and have practically ratified the majority report of the committee on laws

were O. H. Flagg, editor of the Buffalo thus far. Voice, and once known as "Jack Flagg, King REPORT ON UNIFORM RANK. of the Rustlers," and Scott Davis, sometimes Major General Kadeski of Marshall, Ill.,

chairman of the committee on uniform rank, has prepared the following report: "When beginning upon the work of this department as your chairman and later the the court on the charge of shooting at and attempting to kill Al Taylor, Flagg's stepson, ommittee's choice as chief of this department, I began with calling upon the different organized uniform ranks throughout the United States. After sending circulars to every branch in the order and lensiving replies court, and he and Davis were at the Occi-dental hotel preparing to take the stage for Sheridan. Davis, who was fully armed, to same, I found in existence in Illinois four companies organized as independent bodies of the Catholic Knights of America, number-ing 109 members. At this date, May 10, 1 went into the bar room of the hotel to light his cigar. As he entered Flagg, whose right hand grasped the butt end of a revolver, partly hidden beneath his coat, stepped in have in Illinois eighteen companies, number-ing 593 men; Indiana, four companies, numbering 117 men; now nine companies, 253 men.; Ohio, two companies, with sixty-seven "Yes, sir," answered Davis.
"Well," said Flagg, "I want to tell you that
you are a cowardly, lying murderer. My men, now five companies, 153 men, besides organizing new companies and receiving applications from the following states: ouri, 450; Minnesota, one company (number of men not reported); Chavenne, one company exen armed men to rush into the room. (number of men not reported); Leadville Deputy Sheriff Tom Smith rushed between Colo., reports progress of a company of fifty Fingg and Davis and with the assistance of Frank Grouard, chief of United States scouts, men; Kentucky will give us 463 mea, compris ing one regiment, and enough companies wil Sheriff Al Sproal, United States Marshal Mc-Dermott and others, the men were prevented us at least 3,000 men, if the report of the from shooting. Flagg called out to Davis to prove his reputation as a "quick shot" and emmittees as adopted is passed by this coun-

Yesterday afternoon was devoted to fur ther consideration of the report of the committee on laws. The principal feature of the work was the defeat of the proposed amendment to the constitution to increase the salaries of the supreme officers and the speedy negative fate which evertook the at-tempt to revive the sentiment to admit females to membership in the organization No radical changes were made in the present constitution, and the few alterations agreed upon were with respect to clauses of minor importance. Mr. Maher of Mississippi was called to the chair in committee of the whole temporarily by Chairman Coleman.

At 5 o'clock the committee arose, reported progress and took a recess until this morn-The most important business today will be the election of officers. It is rumored that among the possibilities for supreme president will be E. D. McGuinness of Providence, R. I., C. E. Hannauer of St. Louis, W. C. Smith of Kentucky and J. D. Coleman of Levisions. show that wheat, oats, barley, rye and flax h of Louisians. A good deal of interest is also being takes

A good deal of interest is also being taken in the question where the next convention will be held. The chief competitors are Washington, D. C., and Mobile, Ala.

Prior to the morning session Major General Kadeski and J. W. Nordhaus of the uniform rank, accompanied by seventeen members of the latter in civilian garb, visited Fort Omaha and witnessed a company drill given by Captain Kellar in honor of the visitors.

Wednesday evening a number of the dele-

gates and their wives visited the fort and were interested spectators at dress parade. vention yesterday was attended J. Duffy of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. by Mrs. J. J. Duffy of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. by Mrs. J. J. Duffy of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. E. D. McGuinness and Miss May McGuinness of Providence, R. I.; Mrs. Edward Feeney of Brooklyn, Mrs. P. S. O'Rourke of Fort Wayne, Mrs. William Early of Philadelphia, Mrs. Charles Ott of Galveston, Tex.; Mrs. B. J. McLaughlin of Millyille, Mass., and Mrs. J. B. Simpson of The convention

GAVE A BANQUET TO THE DELEGATES Members of the Supreme Council Enter-

tained by the Omaha Knights. After a busy day incidental to a conven-Another long line of delegates to the tenth | relief for the delegates to the tenth annual facturing empire presented the duty of Cathconference of that organization to accept the mercial club last evening, when the debates of the day were forgotten in social

porary absence of her boarders she entered their rooms and took possession of everything prayer. After roll call, which disclosed few Catholic citizens from various states of the olic sovereign, that discovered America. Mr union shared the pleasures of the evening. The delegates, officers and their ladies were all in attendance, including Supreme President M. T. Shine of Covington, Ky., Supreme Vice President Hannauer, Supreme ecretary O'Rourke, Supreme Treasurer Kirchner, Supreme Medical Examiner Aver dick, Supreme Trustees McGuinness, Carroll and Walsh, ex-Suprems Presidents W. C. Smith and W. J. O'Neill, ex-Supreme Medical Examiner E. J. Brennan and others. Supreme Spiritual Adviser Gross occupied dred Catholic societies to make a formal the seat of honor, with Mayor Bemis at his side. The Catholic clergy was represented by Archbishop Gross of Portland, Orc., Vicar General Choka, Secretary Colaneri, Fathers Walsh, Jennette, Erd, Callaban, Jungels of Omaha, Father Cassidy of Salt Lake, Father Malone of Denver, and Father Fitzgerald of O'Neill.

Among the Omaha people in attendance Mrs. C. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Rush, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. question of special privilege. He wanted a special meeting of the committee on grievand Mrs. W. A. L. Gibbon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, Mr. ances called to take up the Fitzpatrick case of Indiana. The request was granted and phy, Nettie Burkley, Maude G. Paul, Ella the committee will report on the subject Gibbon, Angla Kinsler, Nora Brown, Ada Cling; Messrs. George Paul, Frank Burkley, Ada Albert Kinsler, Charles L. Gibbon, J. A.

into committee of the whole upon motion of W. C. Smith of Kentucky. Ex-Supreme President Coleman was called to the chair discoursed music during the serving of the Major Furay and wife led the march to menu. The tables were appropriately dec-orated in a floral way, and all arrangements conducted upon the theory that the best was one too good for the distinguished visitors The local committee of arrangements, whose ambition to thus please everybody in this respect was happily attained, with credit to themselves and the city of Omaha, consisted of Messrs. J. T. Smith, George J. Paul, J. M. Kenney, F. J. Burkley, Andrew Murphy, J. J. O'Connor, W. A. L. Gibbon, W. M. Bushman and J. A. Whalen. JOHN RUSH LED OFF.

At 10:30 the toast card was announced ohn Rush was toastmaster. He made an troductory speech, in which he told the delegates many interesting things of the city in which they were now holding their coun-cil. The past, present and future of Omaha was reviewed in graceful language. He cited the fact that the Irish were among the early ploneers who built, not only Omaha, but the tate of Nebraska. The progress of the city a metropolitan marvel, was referred to. The speaker particularly emphasized the educaspeaker particularly emphasized the levelty from the stage introduce their tional advantages of Omaha and the levelty for Catholic citizens to liberty-loving prindifferent acts. Many of the current amusements of the day and current fads and ciples. The Catholics were glad to note that ciples. The Catholics were glad to note that ciples are burlesqued. Snatches from operas ciples. The Catholics were glad to note that the public school system of Omaha was one of the greatest in the country. It made no difference whether the school houses were red or white, or whether a flag floated over them or not, the Catholics took pride in the educational centers at the disposal of the country. The manhood and patriot-

Omaha was thought of. The progress of he city from the primitive arci pioneer days up to the present date was dwelt upon by the speaker with evident pride. He read a few statistics of industrial and commercial Omaha. In the course of his remarks the mayor eulogized George Francis Train, to whose efforts in early days, as a walking advertising medium, he believed Omaha owed a debt of gratitude. The mayor omana owed a debt of grattude. The mayor said that in the last legislature Omaha was the best "misrepresented city of any other metropolis on God's footstool." This sentiment elicited applause from the Omaha constant. tingent. He regretted the fact that Omaha did not own the water works plant and the street railway system, because he believed that municipal ownership meant cheaper rides and cheaper water.

OBJECTS OF THE ORDERS. Supreme President M. T. Shine of Covington, Ky., spoke on the subject, "Our Order."
The eminent executive responded to the sentiment of welcome expressed by the preceding speakers. The object of the Catholic Knights of America was reviewed. In point of impartiality, equality to all, be-nevolent and protective features, he regarded the order second to none in the country. The speaker contended that it was an organization whose mission was peace and good will to all men. It had no antagonism. He was proud of an oppor-

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and where the good work of the Creightons living and dead, was a matter of the splendid history of the Catholic church. In regard to local agitation against Catholic Knights whose patriotism had been challenged, he whose patriotism had been challenged, he scored such an unjust procedure, and amid vigorous applause stated that if the stars and stripes of the United States were in danger the Catholics would be the first to rally in defense of that glorious emblem of

liberty, endeared to every Catholic heart.
"The Duty of the Hour" received the attention of Hon. E. D. McGuinness of Providence, R. I. Mr. McGuinness' remarks, although brief and extemporaneous, were in full consonance with his reputation as a speaker. The greatness of the American re-public and the growth of an order of loyal American Catholics under the folds of on tion of the supreme council of the Catholic flag that waves over this magnificent commer Knights of America it was somewhat of a cial and industrial, agricultural and manuolic knightheed to uphold the highest ideals of citizenship and honorable manhood in every walk of life. He wanted to see all Catholic citizens ambitious to attain eminence in every one of those callings. Cath-

enjoyment.

The reception and banquet thus tendered the supreme delegates was undeniably a success which met with the due appreciation of the recipients. The capacity of the large dining halls of the club was fully tested.

Three hundred or more of corresponding to the fact that they have been maligned when their loyalty to good citizenship has been challenged for political purposes.

J. C. Carroll replied to the toast, "The Catholic Knight." He referred to the fact Carroll believed that the A. P. A. was plant that would not thrive on the soil of free and intellectual America. He dissected a few of the inconsistencies of that organiza tion and denounced its members as traitor to the constitution as well as to the country Catholic Knights believed in the creed of charity and justice. Mr. Carroll used this as a comparison to the methods of the organization hostile to Catholicism.
P. S. O'Rourke happily voiced his sent ments on "The Catholic Citizen," Hon. E. Feeney of Brooklyn concluded the toasts with a graceful response to "The Growth of the

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Peter F. Daily, whose penchant for writing clever bon mots is only equalled by his constant expression of them, will appear at were: Mayor Bemis, E. A. Cudahy, Mr. and Boyd's theater on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday next in that funniest of farce-comedies, "A Country Sport."

"A Country Sport" has had one season of remarkable prosperity, and begins its second year with every indication that it will overthrow all records for pieces of its class. It is bright, lively and most amusing through-out. For this season's production new music out. For this season's production new music has been introduced, including tuneful compositions which are likely to be whistled on

Mr. Peter F. Dailey has a captivating manner, is easy in action, spontaneous, naturally witty, and has the good fortune to appeal alike to all classes, from orchestra to gal-lery. The company, one of the strongest now in farce-comedy, includes that particularly bright comedienne, May Irwin, with
Ada Lewis ("the tough girl"), John G.
Sparks, Andrew Mack, James F. Callahan,
Charles Sturgis, H. M. Morse, William
Lavine, Lawrence Sheehan, Belle Muni, Freda
Depew. M. Stretto, the composer and violin virtuoso, will have charge of the music sale of seats will open at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The attraction at Boyd's theater on Wednes day and Thursday evenings of next week will be Canary & Lederer's New York Casino and Chicago opera house production of "The Passing Show.

During its long runs in New York and Chi-cago the performance attracted large crowds and made a decided success. It is called a topical extravaganza, and it probably nished more surprises than any of theatrical production of the past sev educational centers at the disposal of the youth of Omaha. The manhood and patriotism of Irish-Americans was upheld, and, in conclusion, he welcomed the delegates by extending the hand of Omaha and heart of Nebraska.

In response to "Omaha" Mayor Bemis plunged into history, showing that Catholic explorers were on Nebraska soil years before

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on the charge of being a vagrant and sus picious character by Officer Arnold, on the complaint of John Spoerl, a saloonkeepe at Twenty-ninth and Farnam street. Davis at Twenty-ninth and Farnam street. Davis had been working for Spoerl for several days, but the latter claims to have seen a California penitentiary mark on his wrist, and on that account discharged him. Since his discharge Davis has gone to Spoerl's saloon and attempted to sell a number of brass earrings to attendants as gold ones. He was doing this last night when placed under arrest. He has been stopping at the Farnam street lodging house.

Death of G. R. Johnston G. B. Johnston, recorder of Union Pacitic lodge No. 17, Ancient Order of United Workmen, died yesterday at 3 p. m. at his Workmen, died yesterday at 3 p. m. at his residence, 4203 Burdette street, after an illness of three months, consumption being the direct cause of his death. Mr. Johnston was well known in Omaha, and had a wide circle of friends among the Ancient Order of United Workmen and at Union Pacific headquarters, where he had been employed in the freight auditor's department. Mr. Johnston leaves a wife and two children. Funeral will be held Saturday afternoon.

Rose Up Against Claim Contestors. GUTHRIE, May 16.-In Woods county farmers who had been harassed by clain contestors organized and attempted to drive tunity to speak in a community where the their opponents from the county by white memories of Bishop O'Connor were still fresh cap methods. As a result twenty-eight set

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tlers have been arrested on the charge of conspiracy. Much bad blood is being stirred up, and it is believed there will yet be a number of killings.

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Cut in the Shoulder. Corinne Jones, a notorious colored woman, was stabbed in the shoulder by her husband, Edward Jones, last night. They quare reled at Tenth and Capitol avenue.

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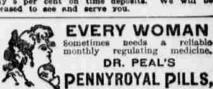
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