NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Office, 12 Pearl Street,-H. W. Tilton, Manager.

MINOR MENTION.

Over 50 finest brands of cigars in the world at Grand hotel eigar store. Grand hotel, Council Bluffs. Newly fur-nished. Reopened Oct. 1. E. F. Clark, prop.

A company of ladies of the First Baptist church are at work cleaning out the interior of the church building. John Groom, a Burlington railway fireman, is suffering severely from injuries to his spine caused by a fail from a hay mow.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Union Veteran Legion will give an tee cream social, with cards and dancing, at Woodmen's hall this

George A. Haefeker commenced a suit in the district court yesterday to foreclose a mortgage given by Isaiah Hover and wife

Rev. L. P. McDonald of North Platte, Neb. will hold divine service and preach in St. Paul's church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

The Richardson Drug company of Omaha filed a petition in the district court yesterday to foreclose a mortgage of \$2,572 on some property owned by William W. Lowe. Some of the men working in the Rock Island yards found a gold watch yesterday lying in a grease box. It is supposed to have been hidden there by a tramp, but there

is no clew as to the owner. William James, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Noonen, who died Tuesday, will be buried this afternoon. Services will be held at the residence, 1911 Seventh avenue, at 2 o'clock, and at the Congregational church at

ice Cook, a satisfactory settlement having been arrived at by the parties interested. Only 80 cents was involved.

Mrs. Hidkins is the name given by a woman who was found last evening lying dead drunk in a barn in the rear of the Initial meat market on Broadway, near Sixth street. She was given a berth at the city fall for the rest of the night.

The Latter Day Saints' gospel tent has been moved and is now located near the corner of Washington avenue and Eighth street. Meetings will commence tonight. Elder Williams will speak on the subject "Will the Heathen Be Saved?" The meeting of the Grape Growers' asso-

ciation will be held Saturday afternoon, in-stead of this afternoon, as was first an-nounced. Arrangements will be made for fill-ing the space allotted to the association in the Omaha fair. All interested, whether members or not, are invited to be present.

J. G. Lemen was appointed guardian of Lettle North yesterday by Judge Smith, and the girl was taken to the Christian home. The investigations of the judge led him to believe that the child had been subject to the grossest of ill treatment at the hands of her mother and the step-father, whom she married a few weeks ago,

W. T. Duncan, who represented himself to be the advance agent for Barnum & Bailey's circus, and became involved in several unpleasant affairs, was tried in Justice Vien's court yesterday on the charge of Fremousing false pretenses in inveigling \$4.50 out comm of Max Oleson. After the court heard the evidence Duncan was turned loose.

Charles Rosebrough, alias John Doe, came over from Omaha yesterday to sell carpets and lace curtains for a firm of that place. While here he filled up on Iowa liquor, which proved too much for him. On Broadway, near Scott street, he used some loud and profane language which led to his arrest. His rig was taken to a livery stable near the city Jall.

Justice Vien tried the case of the state against Van Orman and found him guilty of carrying concessed weapons. The peculiar carried the weapon boldly in his hand during the engagement at Cut Off between the Terminal company's men and the squatters The court held with the Louisiana courts and "Biddy" Doyle, who used to be on the police force of this city, that "faith, an' the wipon was cancaled because I saw it."

Fire and tornado insurance written in best companies. Money for farm loans at low rates. City property for sale or trade for farm lands in Iowa. Lougee & Towle, 235

Only One of Many Letters. MONROE, Neb., July 15, 1895. "Your Wheeler's King Temperance Beer

goes like hot cakes. Please ship me immediately two barrels W. King Temperance Beer." ROBERT A. VICKERS. Manufactured only by the G. R. Wheeler Brewing Co., Wheeler & Hereld, wholesale dealers, Council Bluffs, Ia.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. W. A. Maurer has gone to Hot Springs, 8. D., for a short stay. C. F. Beckett has returned from Atlanta,

Ga., to make his home here. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Loomis, on Washington avenue, yesterday, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hicks are expected home today from a visit to St. Paul and Min-

Mrs. Donaldson of North Platte, Neb., is city, the guest of Mrs. Ed Keys on Fourth avenue. Superintendent H. W. Sawyer has returned from the teachers' convention at Denver, and ;

from Kirksville, Mo. Mrs. A. T. Flickinger and children left last evening for Independence to visit relatives. Mr. Flickinger will follow them in August. Miss Inez Barrett, who has been visiting her brother, H. P. Barrett, on Washington avenue for several days past, left yesterday

for her home in Baker City, Ore. G. H. Denton and family have gone to Plainview, Minn., for a visit of four weeks. J. B. Rischel, chief clerk at the Rock Island freight office, has been promoted to the tion of acting freight agent during Mr. Den-

E. H. Ott returned from Boston yesterday, accompanied by the Misses Nettie Morris and Hattle Blood, two of the teachers in the city They attended the Christian En deavor convention and visited many of the

eastern cities. BROWN'S C. O. D.

Special Flour Sale This Week. Brown's XXXX Fancy Patent, per sack.\$1.00 Buffalo Fancy Patent, per sack...........90 Lone Star, per sack.....

Ruby Ralston's Health flour.....

sack warranted. C. O. D. BROWN.

Wants a Divorce.

Mrs. S. C. Snyder began suit in the dis trict court yesterday asking for a divorce from J. C. Snyder. She says they were married in 1888, but have not lived happily for Snyder is in the habit of flying into a passion and beating the plaintiff and her son by a former husband. She fears he will do her physical harm, and asks for a divorce and the right to the possession of the farm on which they have been living. The farm she claims by reason of it having been her property before her second marriage.

The electric fountain at Manhattan beach will be illuminated each evening from 8:30 to 9 and 9:30 to 10. The steamer Liberty witt connect with all trains to and from Manawa. First boat will leave Manhattan beach at 7 a.m. to accommodate the campers at Manhattan beach who wish to catch the early morning train to Omaha.

Burlington Route Excursion. To St. Joseph and return Aug. 4th. \$1.50 round trip. \$1.50. O. M. Brown, Tkt. Agt. Boston Store clearing sale Saturday, July

Read Davis' ad. Davis sells hammocks

DEMOCRATS CHOOSE DELEGATES, | deserted by him years ago. Since they Pottawnttamle County Convention The Union Veteran legion will meet this Pails of Excitement.

The democrats of Pottswattamie county held their convention at Avoca yesterday. The weather was good enough so that it took but little enthusiasm to turn out, and the democrats from all over the county were present in good numbers. The meeting was she can. One suit has already been tried, and called to order by R. N. Whittlesey, chair-several more are pending involving the called to order by R. N. Whittlesey, chairman of the county central committee, who suggested the name of Emmet Tinley for temporary chairman, and W. C. Boyer and Saturday, July 27. Store will be closed Fri-Claude Dye for clerks. The suggestion met with the approval of the delegates, and be-fore taking his seat Mr. Tinley made a characteristic speech, denouncing, as usual, the republican party for all the ills of hard times, and paying his respects especially to the republican party of Iowa for its cowardice in refusing to adopt any resolutions pledging its candidates, in case of election, to pass a law providing for the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within the state. The

llowing committees were then appointed: Credentials—John Currie of Norwak, C. A. Sample of Belknap, Fremont Benjamin of Knox, M. F. Rohrer and W. H. Knepher of

Permanent Organization—D. B. Dentler of Pleasant, R. N. Whittlesey of Kane, Riley Clark of Neola, Conrad Geise of York, J. Kramer of Lewis, Resolutions—Ira F. Hendricks, J. J. Shea.

R. J. Claneey of Council Bluffs, Dr. J. W. Hemsted of Carson, G. Diederick of Avoca, On motion of Mr.-Benjamin of Avoca the following committee was appointed to select delegates to the state convention: C. A. o'clock, and at the Congregational church at 2:30.

Ed Lewis, who was arrested several days ago on the charge of disposing of mortgaged property, was discharged yesterday by Justice (Clark, Necla: John Currie, Norwalk: Riley Clark, Neola; John Currie, Norwalk;
D. B. Dentler, Pleasant; James Llvingston,
Valley; Robert Lidell, Washington; Warren
Flynn, Waveland; John R. Black, Wright;
John Rohn, York; W. M. Squire, E. S.
Brooks, Thomas Maloney, J. C. Martin, John
Plumer, Ed Stimson, John K. Gooper, John
P. Weaver, Nick O'Brien, A. Howard and
R. C. Phyne, Council Bluffs, After the aprollations of the above committees the conpointment of the above committees the con-vention took a recess until 1:30 p. m.

After dinner the reports of the committees on credentials and permanent organization were adopted, the latter recommending that the temporary organization be made per-manent. The following delegates were selected to the state convention at Marshalltown; S. D. Toby of Belknap, Lars Jensen of Boomer, John R. Black of Wright, S. G. Underwood of Keg Creek, O. Mosier of Layton, Sylvester Dye of Macedonia, Fremont Benjamin of Knox, Julius Stuhr of Minden, H. P. Gertz of Pleasant, F. M. Allee of Lincoln, T. A. Sample of Beknap, G. Diederick of Knox, W. M. Squire, J. J. Shen, M. C. Goodwin, M. F. Rohrer, S. B. Wadsworth, W. H. Thomas, Ira F. Hendricks, Emmet Tinley, John P. Weaver, W. C. Boyer, J. W. Bell of Council Bluffs.

The majority report of the committee on resolutions was adopted by a vote of 92 to 87. The report endorses the money plank of the national democratic convention of 1892. It also denounces the republican party for its cowardly position on the liquor question. A resolution was adopted instructing the delegates to the state convention to vote for ont Benjamin of Avoca for state central

75C SWIVEL SILKS, 19C YARD. Bennison Bros. Gigantic bargain sale Thursday. Our entire stock of 50c and 75c 30-inch

Come early. One more day to buy boys' 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 shirt waists at 292. They will surprise you. Ladies' \$1 and \$1.25 calico and lawn wrappers going at 69c. Be sure and get one.

Amoskeag Sc and 10c apron check glug-

1,000 best quality 7-foot opaque curtain shades on fix ure, complete, today 25c each. We are selling everything cheap during this sale. Come tomorrow for the above BENNISON BROS., Council Bluffs.

Emulation that Failed to Culminate. A local paper some weeks ago announced of its patrons that a series of prizes would Each night the ladies' military band grows be awarded to those of its subscribers who more popular. Not a selection was played sent in the largest number of words made up last night that was not heartly encored. The out of the letters in "Emulation." A certain young lady of this city was remarkably suc-cessful in the use of the unabridged and for bicycle. This fact was duly heralded through so much of the land as the paper in question was able to cover. This was three weeks ago, but it was not until yesterday that the winner of the prize saw the fruition of her boxes. of her hopes. And a green, gnarly sort of fruit it was. For three weeks the manage-ment of the paper has kept her waiting on account of some hitch in the proceedings whereby a bicycle could be obtained without expense to the publishers of the sheet, say the cost of setting up and printing an adver

The young lady was told several times that her wheel would be on hand in a few days. Yesterday it came, accompanied by a letter Yesterday it came, accompanied by a letter from the business manager of the paper. The bieycle is one of the small sized children's wheels, while the young lady who is expected to ride it is five feet nine inches in height. It has been at the newspaper office subject to inspection for several weeks, but every one was told that it was put there merely to show the general style of the machine, while a full sized bicycle would be furnished the winner of the prize. The letter contained an apology for the delay, and a statement that the baby wheel could be exchanged at a local bicycle establishment by the payment of the balance, \$35, in cash. the payment of the balance, \$35, in cash. There is a young man who won the second prize in the same contest, "a trip to Spirit Lake and his expenses while there." When he reads this he will probably begin saving his money to buy his return ticket, inasmuch as the prize offer contained no allusion to the

disement.

homeward trip. BURLINGTON ROUTE.

Reduced Rate. To Hot Springs, S. D., sale July 19, August 2 and 23, one first class fare for round

Triennial conclave Knights Templar, Boston, Mass. Sale August 19 to 24.

American Pharm ceutical association, Denver. Colo. Sale August 11 and 12. National convention Keeley league, Har-risburg, Pa. Sale August 16 to 22. Toronto, Ont. Sale July 15 to 24.

Chariton, Ia. Sale July 19 and 24. In addition I have on sale Summer Tourist tickets to various points in the United States

Call and get copy of map and illustrated write up of the great Yellowstone National O. M. BROWN, Ticket Agent.

Sunday School Anniversary. The members and friends of Hillside Congregational Sunday school will celebrate the ninth anniversary of the school with a picule and field day in the grove on Thirty-third and Lake streets today. Games of all kinds will be indulged in by members of the school. Prizes will be awarded to the successful win-

Potter's Prices

Are always lower than anywhere else.
Bird cages, 50c; copper bottom teakettle,
25c; 10-qt. flaring, heavy tin pail, 10c; copper bottom wash boiler, 75c; 2-qt. coffee pot,
10c; rolling pins, 5c each. The Great 10c Store, 318 Broadway.

The Grand Hotel cigar store received today from New York the finest line of canes eve in the city. Anybody desiring a stylish walking stick will do well to call and exam-

Hardman planos, Omaha, 113 N. 16th.

Out for More Property. Jane Ann Dunn has filed a petition in the district court asking for a judgment against Stephen Dunn and all his relatives for a forty theap.

The Standard only second to the Hardman.

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parted Stephen Dunn came out west and married another wife, by whom he brought up a large family of childern. He also acquired quite an amount of property. Mrs. Dunn No. 1 now comes in and claims that Mrs. Dunn No. 2 was not legally married, for Mrs. Dunn No. 1 is a Catholic and never procured a divorce. She therefore intends to get hold of all her ex-husband's property so far as same state of affairs.

Boston Store annual clearing sale begins day afternoon, marking down goods for this sale. Bargains in summer goods.

Red Cedar Fence Posts. Twelve carloads standard red cedar fence posts, 10%c each, by the carload. A. OVERTON.

Tore Up the Contract.

A little nerve exercised at the right minnte was the means of saving a well known lady living in Morningside several dellars. About a month ago she received a call from an agent who was selling books on the installment plan, to be delivered and paid for at the rate of \$1 a month for seventeen months. He was not particular, however, about sell-ing the whole series, but handed the lady a contract which she was to sign, with the understanding that she need take only the first month's installment. She signed it, but when her husband returned home he told he she had made a mistake. A day or two ago the agent put in his appearance again, and the lady determined to rectify the mistake. The agent informed her that he would bring the rest of the numbers as fast as they came

was only to pay for the first month's books," she replied.
"I beg your pardon," said he, with all the suavity of a book agent; "I have your con-tract in my pocket, signed with your name, in your own handwriting."

"But I had an agreement with you that I

"Let me see it," said the lady, and the agent immediately handed her the slip of paper. She no sooner had it in her hands than she tore it into fragments and slammed the door in the cheeky agent's face, leaving him meditating on woman's ways. He did not stay long to meditate, however, and has not been back to trouble her since.

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

Saturday. Store will be closed Friday after-noon, marking down goods for this sale.

In Honor of Commander Lacey. The Knights Templar of Ivanhoe com mandery united last evening in the effort to about fifty, gathered at the rooms on the lower floors, where they extended their congratulations. At 9 o'clock they formed in line and marched to the assembly rooms on the third floor, to the music of the Mandolin club, consisting of Messrs. Searle, McCor-mick, Mayne and Woodward, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Atkins. The central table was arranged in the form of a cross, with two other tables at the side. After the refreshments had been served the Duiley Buck quartet was introduced and sang a selection, "Comrades in Arms." Sir Knigh: Waiter I. Smith made an address of wel-come, to which response was made by Grand Commander Lucey. Addresses followed by Sir Knights H. W. Rothert, W. S. Strawn of Omaha, Mrs. G. H. Jackson and figured swivel silks Thursday 19c yard. Don't miss this bargain. They will all go today.

. M. Harl, interspersed with selections by he quartet and Mandolin club. Only one of the \$15.00 Quick Meals left.

our large stock; very low prices.

closed Friday afternoon. BOSTON STORE. Hardman planes, Council Bluffs, 103 Main

Big Crowds at Manaya. Every day is a big day at Manawa now The attendance is greater each evening in the history Never there been such fashion young ladies will give a special concert pro gram this evening, with the old favorites that crowds love so well. The Grand Plaza bathing beach is also growing in popularity. It ought to, for there is not a fluer, cleaner or nicer bathing beach in this country. A hundred new woolen fashionable bathing suits have been added. Come down tonight and take a swim.

Boston Store will be closed Friday afternoon, marking down goods for clearing sale which begins Saturday.

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses were issucd yesterday by the county clerk: Name and address. H. M. Brown, Council Bluffs.... Nellie E. Jones, Council Bluffs... E. W. Raymond, Council Bluffs...... Ella P. Holmes, Council Bluffs..... George B. Sutter, Omaha........... Venora R. Daniel, Glenwood...... The gas company's special prices for serv-

The Hardman, the piano par excellence.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The number of striking carpet weavers at Philadelphia now numbers 5,000. The flagship San Francisco has sailed from Christiana for Gravesend. The Catholic Society of the Brothers of lary is in session at Dayton, O. W. H. Taylor, a prominent dry goods lealer of Fort Worth, Tex., has falled. Fire at Cincinnati Wednesday consumed the feed and grain warehouse of Henry Gerroge A heavy rain, the first of any consequence in two months, fell Wednesday at Traverse City, Mich.

Woodland, Cal., officers are still searching for Train Robber Brady, who escaped from them.

Fire at San Francisco Wednesday consumed the coffee and spice house of Tillman & Bendel. Boston is making great preparations to entertain the Knights Templar conclave, which convenes Monday.

W. F. Clark, a mail clerk running be-tween Nashville and St. Louis, has been arrested for robbing the mails. William Hueston, cashier for F. D. Borke, at Brighton Beach track, has disappeared with \$4,500 of his employer's cash.

Robert Bruce Langdon, a prominent Minneapolis contractor, died Wednesday. He built 7,000 miles of railway in his time.

The water has been lowered two and a half feet in the Utica mine, at Angel's Camp, Cal. There is still 250 feet of water in the mine. The passengers of the grounded steamer Dave near Toledo were taken off Wednes-day. None of them were injured. The steamer is still fast aground.

The negro Emmett Divvers, who assaulted and then murdered Mrs. Cain at Fulton, Mo., has been taken to St. Louis to prevent a lynching, which seemed probable. The army signal corps, which left Denver several days ago, succeeded in signaling from Long's peak that all were well and that it had rained every day since the party started.

A riot occurred at Marion, O. Wednesday, caused by the attempts of officers to levy on the effects of Astley & Sand's circus. The circus men were finally compelled to settle the claim. The Licking river, opposite Cincinnati, rose nine feet Wednesday, Great damage has been done to lumber and mining interests. Communication with the upper river is cut off by washouts.

Foreign. By the flooding of a coal mine in Japan orty miners were drowned. The king of Belgium was loudly cheered Wednesday when he appeared on the streets, Official reports of the German crop conditions show winter wheat, potatoes and hay is good, and summer wheat, winter and summer rye, barley and oats is medium.

HELD UP AN EXPRESS TRAIN

Robbers Secure Hardly Enough to Pay for Time and Trouble.

DARING WORK OF MIDNIGHT ROBBERS

Explode Four Charges of Dynamite

Under the Big Safe but Fail to Burst It Open-Made a Small Haut!

TOLEDO, July 24.-Shortly after midnight train No. 37 on the Lake Shore road, to which was attached an express car which which was attached an express car which crated in the vicinity and was broken up runs between Buffale and Chicago, was stopped at Reece switch, midway between Archbold and Stryker, forty-four miles west of this city. When some distance from the switch the engineer saw the switch was turned, displaying the red light, and as he turned on the air brakes several shots were fired at the cab. One of the shots put out the fired at the cab. One of the shots put out the headlight. When the train stopped four robbers went to the express car, in charge of C. ran back to Archibald and notified the rail-B. Nettleman of Buffalo, and ordered him to

open the door and come out.

Nettleman refused and the robbers threatened to blow up the car. He then came out. When the door was opened the four men entered. They secured the contents of the local safe, amounting to about \$50, and then went at the big safe, which contained considerable money. Since the Kendalville robbery the express company has supplied its cars with dynamite proof safes and this stood the test of four dynamits cartivates first by the test of four dynamite cartridges fired by the robbers. This discouraged them and they jumped from the train and disappeared. James P. Stark, a clerk in Superintendent Johnson's office, of the Lake Shore road, was on the train at the time of the robbery. He-was seen at his home this morning and gave the following account of the affair:

"I think it must have been about 1 o'clock this morning when it happened. I was sleepwith which to complete it. He had to both ing in the smoking car at the time and was awakened by hearing several shots as the train came to a standstill. The conductor said the train was being held up. I did not

go outside to investigate, being satisfied from what I heard that something was going on. Shortly after hearing the shots I heard four Shortly after hearing the shots I heard four explosions of dynamite and then all was still and soon the train pulled out for Stryker, where we arrived at 1:20. I went into the express car afterward and the messenger said he saw only four men. The interior of the car did not appear to be damaged, except that the windows had been snot full of holes. The only damage to the safe was a small dent in the door. The robbers did not make an attempt to get into the passenger coaches.

show Dr. Thomas B. Lacey their pleasure at time, but with the express car in a badly his election to the important post of grand shattered condition. Every window in the commander of the state of Iowa. A reception car was broken, the big safe, though unwas tendered him last evening at the Masonic temple. The knights, to the number of the small or way safe lay open in the center of the car while the train crew and gers showed plainly the effects of their midight scare. The express company's official statement

vas to the effect that but \$150 had been The trainmen were ordered to avoid ewspaper notoriety. The passengers' story is that the train was tearing Resce siding, a donely spot in the onds near Wausson, when the engineer saw red light showing at the switch. ersed his engine and as the train came to a standstill a volley of revolver shots ratified around the locomotive cab and express car. Engineer Tiernan was ordered to stand out on the tender in full view, and when Conductor Darling appeared he was sent back in-side his coach with a half dozen bullets as pacemakers. While one man covered the engineer the other three poured a few rounds of shot into the express car as an eye-opener for the messenger and ordered him to open Two bicycles left; 26-inch ladies' wheels; close out at cost. Only 7 refrigerators from our large stock; very low prices.

On Saturday, July 27, we start our annual midsummer clearing sale. Wonderful reductions in summer gools. Store will be closed Friday afternoon. ROSTON, STORE to the messenger and ordered him to pen the door, and threatened to blow the whole formal possession today of the Union stock wards company took formal possession today of the Union stock train over into Indiana if he refused. Messenger C. B. Nettleton fired one shot at the robbers and then slowly opened the door. Two of the men sprang into the car, pitched ductions in summer gools. Store will be closed Friday afternoon. ROSTON, STORE to the door, and threatened to blow the whole formal possession today of the Union stock train over into Indiana if he refused. Messenger C. B. Nettleton fired one shot at the robbers and then slowly opened the door. Two of the men sprang into the car, pitched working force. began operations on the big safe. ttempts to blow it open were made, but the With an oati big steel doors stood fast. the dynamiters finally gave it up. They then turned their attention to the small "way" safe. Meanwhile the robbers outside kept up an irregular fire to prevent an attack from the passengers. Finding the small safe securely locked, two of the men picked up Messenger Nettleton and dumped him back into his car with an imperative order to unlock the safe doors. With the cold muzzle of a revolver at the back of

> ary remarks regarding the invulnerability of the large safe the robbers backed into the weeds lining the road, and with a parting volley disappeared into the woods.
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> The trainmen believe that the desperadoes were old railroad men, but as all were masked with handkerchiefs none were recognized. The large safe which resisted the attacks of the robbers contained a large amount of money. How much the officials refuse to say, but had the safe been opened the loss would have been very heavy.

his neck the messenger promptly complied

and the robbers quickly cleaned out the compartments. After a few uncompliment-

RECEIPTS WERE LIGHT. CLEVELAND, July 24 .- The agent of the United States Express company has received a telegram giving brief particu-lars of the train robbery at Reeca station last night. The exact amount of money secured could not be ascertained, as it was not known how much local money the express car carried. The opinion prevails, however, that the robbers secured between \$800 and \$1,000 from the United States Express company.
A representative of the company said: "The obbery was committed near the village of Kendalville, Ind., where the big express robbery occurred about two years ago, and, in the opinion of the company, it was perpetrated by the same gang. The express train pulled out of Cleveland at 6:50 last evening and arrived at Reece near midnight. It is a lonely region through that section of the ountry, well adapted to the purposes of the thieves. Had the company not been supplied with stationary safes a large sum of money would have been taken, but the through safes are so arranged that even the messenger was

unable to open them, notwithstanding that he had a revolver placed at his head and was threatened with death." Later a telegram was received by Superin-tendent Mitchell of the United States Express company from the messenger in charge of the car attacked by the robbers saying that only a few packages in the local safe had been secured by the bandits. All of the money collections made, between Cleveland and Toledo and at Toledo were in the large safe, and the only money in the small safe was that picked up at stations between Toledo and Reece station. It is now believed that the largest amount possible for the rob-bers to have secured is but little more than

robbers drove back all who attempted to get out, while four of the robbers went to the express car. During the attempted safe blowing the robbers seemed afraid of a rescue. For the last explosion a terrific harge was used. The steel chest did not yield, but the car was raised from the track. The sides bulged out and the three-inch plank floor was shattered. There were nine in the party. They were jocose with the train crew, saying all were disappointed at the failure, but would call again before the mow flies. While the explosions were taking place the fireman slipped away, but had gone only a few rods when the robbers gave up. He was called back, and proceeded with the train. The obstruction of the track was found to consist of ites. Reece is an abandoned sidetrack in a hol-low, with dense woods on each side. Years ago an organized gang of horse thieves opside there. It is unofficially stated here tha the through safe contained \$75,000 in gold.
WAUSEON, O., July 24,—Five men are under arrest here on suspicion of being con nected with the holdup on the Lake Short at Reece station last night. The detective refuse to state what evidence there is against road people there, and in less than two hour. a special train, carrying the sheriff of the county and the several efficials of the Lake Shore, with detectives, arrived at the scene of the holdup. The sheriff, with his men, as well as the detectives, started to scour the adjacent country.

HIS OMAHA HOUSE COST TOO MUCH.

How Embezzler Finch Was Led on to His Crime. SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 24.—(Special Telegram.)—William J. Finch, the self-confessed embezzler of \$5,500 from the American Bis cuit company, says a fine residence property in Omaha had been one of the causes of his downfall. He said the house was built at with which to complete it. He had to bor-row capital in order to furnish the place, and just then he was transferred to Sioux City. The house could not be rented, and as he had to pay rent in Sloux City the burden be-came doubly hard to bear. Mr. Finch said that all the time he had been stealing from the American Discuit and Monufacturing com-pany he had hoped to sell his house in Omaha and replace the money,

In Memory of Murdered Whites. DES MOINES, July 24.—(Special Tele gram.)-W. S. Richards, the governor's privale secretary, and Curator Charles Aldrich dent in the door. The robbers did not make an attempt to get into the passenger coaches. When the robbers left the express car one of them shook hands with the messenger and a apologized for putting him to so much trouble."

TRAIN ARRIVES AT CHICAGO.
CHICAGO, July 24.—The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern express train, which was robbed at Reece siding, O., shortly after midnight, arrived in Chicago today about on time, but with the express car in a badly shattered condition. Every window in the car was broken, the big safe, though unopened, showed the marks of dynamics and the small or way safe lay open in the center of the car while the train gray and passen. of the State Historical society, departed this

Accept the Inevitable.

DES MOINES, July 24.—(Special Telebuilding and loan associations of Iowa met here today to formulate a bill for presenta-tion to the legislature this winter for enactment into law for the regulation of loan and building associations doing business—within the state. That these association are destined to be placed under state supervision and control at the next session of the legislature is evident to the managers, and while they have always heretofore fought any movement hav ing for its object placing them on a basis similar to that occupied by savings banks and insurance companies, they will bow to the inevitable and seek to have a law as harmless as possible passed.

Rendy for Business Now.

which he expects to make an extensive trip during the next few weeks. Mensch left home May 22 and has covered 2,200 miles since then. He expects to return in the same way before cold weather sets in, Sued a Railroad Company

gram.)-A \$20,000 damage suit has been instituted at Bedford, A Mrs. Healey sues the Chicago Great Western for that sum because her husband was killed by falling through a bridge with his train. Charles Craven and John Noel of Macks burg fought over a debt and Craven pounded Noel frightfully. After beating him he set a large bull dog on Noel, and the cur fearfully lacerated an arm. The wound is serious.

FORT DODGE, Ia., July 24.—(Special Telegram.)-General Manager Truesdale, Superintendent Gilmore and Vice President Parker of tendent Glimore and Vice President Parker of the Rock Island were here today, having com-pleted a tour of 500 miles of the Ruthven and Keekuk division of the road. They report crop prospects beyond any previous expecta-tions. The oat crop is three-fourths harvested and the smallest amount reported to them was seventy-five bushels to the acre.

Farmer Instantly Killed. ADAIR, Ia., July 24 .- (Special Telegram.)-

A. Franz, a farmer who lives three miles west of town, was thrown from his wagon last night and instantly killed. The team was running away and in turning a corner near the edge of town the wagon was upset, breaking his neck. He leaves a wife and three children. Republican Convention Deadlock.

gram.)-The Forty-third district republican senatorial convention in this city is in a deadlock. Cerro Gordo county is supporting H. J. Smith, Franklin county U. S. Harriman and Hancock Mr. Wichman. The 452d ballot has been taken, with the same result as at Favor Free Silver.

gram.)-The Montgomery county democratic convention held here today adopted by a vote of 60 to 19 a resolution instructing the delegates to the state convention to vote for free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. 2d Door West P. O.,

Big Anita Camp Meeting. ANITA, Ia., July 24 .- (Special.) - The-Evangelical church people are holding a big camp meeting here in a tent in Richardson's grove. About twenty preachers are here. Attend ance is good

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ELKHART, Ind., July 24. Particulars of the train robbery received here say there

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gram.)-About twenty representatives of the

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F. T. Mensch of Grant's Pass, Ore., passed through the city on his wheel today on his way from that place to Wisconsin, through CRESTON, Ia., July 24.-(Special Tele

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Dated July 18th, 1895.

H. C. RUSSELL,
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