BEATRICE MEN UNDER ARREST districting, but it is thought that it will be

Alleged to Have Secured Funds in a Questionable Way.

GRAVE CHARGES AGAINST CITY OFFICIALS

City Clerk and Water Commissioner Accused of Duplicating Warrants and Disposing of Them to One of the Local Banks.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-Beatrice is in a state of the wildest excitement today, occasioned by the arrest at 4 o'clock this morning of the city clerk, J. T. Phillips, and the water commissioner, George Hawkins, upon a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

The information under which the arrest was made was filed by W. P. Norcross, president of the Farmers and Merchants bank, the warrant being issued by County Judge Bourne after 2 o'clock this morning.

The facts as nearly as they can be obtained at this hour are as follows: Some time yesterday City Clerk Phillips sold to the Farmers and Merchants bank city warrants amounting to nearly \$1,100, discounting the same about 3 per cent. Upon examining the warrants the president of the bank discovered that they were in favor of parties who are in the habit of holding their warrants until paid by the city. By the use of the telephone he learned that the parties to whom the warrants were issued held warrants for the exact amounts of those purchased by the

In the meantime Phillips had taken the certificate of deposit received in payment for the warrants and placed it to his account at the Beatrice National bank and upon its presentation to the Farmers and Merchants

payment was refused.

It is understood that Hawkins is implicated in the matter through the fact that a part of the warrants were drawn upon the water fund and Clerk Phillips claims that they were furnished him by the water commis-

Immediately upon their arrest both parties furnished a bond of \$500 each, the same being signed by George W. Maurer. The prelim inary examination is fixed for 2 o'clock this afternoon. Phillips and Hawkins are still in charge of their respective offices, the mayor and president of the city council both being out of the city. Both have been wired the condition of affairs and upon the return of either the council will be convened and some taken in relation to the matter. Clerk Phillips is serving his third term, having been elected each time upon the republican ticket. The water commis-sioner is a democrat but has served in his present capacity for several years, having been recently reappointed by the republican r. Mr. Drable. Both gentlemen have held in high esteem, their integrity rever before having been questioned. Hence

the affair is a great shock to the community This afternoon a meeting of the city council was held and the offices of water commissioner and city clerk declared vacant. The two officials have turned their offices to Councilman William Morrison until appointment and confirmation of new Mayor Drable has been reached by wire and will arrive in the city this even-

Ing.

The preliminary hearing was continued from 2 o'clock today until August 23, their bonds being fixed at \$1,000 each. S. B. Dodge, a saloon keeper, signed both bonds. and the officials were given their liberty.

GROWING IN INTEREST DAILY. Veterans at Fairbury Turning Out in

Large Numbers. FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-The crowd at the reunion increases every ing address in the afternoon, and Prof. Holbrook of Ohio spoke in the evening, giv-ing his experiences in the signal corps during war. The roll call by states in the aftermoon showed 354 veterans in attendance, Illi nois leading with 116, and Iowa next with The campfire at night was found so entertaining that it was kept up until 4 o'clock a, m.

SILVER MEN WERE TOO MANY.

Convention Called by Administration DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Tel- tion, to be held August 22. egram.)-The democratic county convention, held here today, was the scene of a spirited fight. The silver men were in control and elected a delegation to the state convention at Omaha. The administration faction was enraged at this, as the convention had been called by the central committee to elect delegates to the Lincoln convention. A revolt and the organization of a rump convention and the organization of a rump convention was Imminent, when a compromise was patched up and a second delegation to go to Lincoln was elected. A full county ticket was nominated, the first in six years.

Wealthy Farmer Injured. FAIRMONT, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-Charles Dumond, a wealthy farmer, was badly hurt yesterday while repairing a wire fence on one of him farms, three miles north of this place. Dumond was standing on the wire at the corner to hold the post down while his man was fixing a brace. The post suddenly pulled out of the ground, throwing him some afteen feet in the air. He turned over three times before he struck

Charged with Wholesale Theft. RUSHVILLE, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-Ted Ackerman, sheriff of Stanton county, today arrested Marian Fort at Pine Ridge for stealing, in partnership with Ole Oleson and H. C. Fuller, from a farmer named Wise, eighteen head of cattle, thirty head of horses and forty hogs. Oleson and were already under arrest. They for-

Old Settlers Rejoice Over Fine Crops UNION, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-After two days of uninterrupted pleasure, the old settlers' reunion closed this evening. Thousands of people from this and adjoining counties were in attend-

The outlook for an unprecedented yield of

corn is the basis for rejoicing.

Will Redistrict Holt County. O'NEILL, Neb., Aug. 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-The county clerk will call the board of supervisors together on August 26 to redistrict the county into seven supervisor districts, as provided for by the Burns law. There was a good turnout of republican Some of the supervisors are opposed to re- and everything went off harmoniously.

Yield is Enormous and the Acrenge Much Greater Than Usual. NORTH LOUP, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.) -If any evidence were necessary to convince me that the farmers of central Nebraska need not confine their agricultural opera- STARTED A SALOON WITHOUT A LICENSE

VALLEY COUNTY'S POTATO CROP.

tions to the erstwhile staples of "corn and swine," however profitable these have frequently been, they can find such evidence in the splendid fields of potatoes now ma-turing in this immediate locality. Heretofore it has been the exception to find this staple growing in quantities sufficient for shipment to the general market, but this season fields of five to fifteen acres may be seen which are not only in a promising con-dition, but are sufficiently matured to insure a most abundant crop. They have been almost entirely free from the attacks of the potsto beetle or other insect enemies this season, and hence the use of paris green has not been at all necessary. To this free-dom from insects is also largely due the smoothness and perfection of the tubers, which will no doubt make the crop of this locality rate high in the general market and will enable the local growers to place their product on sale in competition with the best from other well known potato growthe best from other well known potato grow-ing localities, and this, too, with large chances of filling their pockets with glitter-ing ducats as a reward for furnishing a gilt-edged article of standard size and free from blemish. While it is yet too early to venture any prediction as to the probable yield per acre in any given case, it is cer-tain that, if they do not greatly belie their appearance, the quantity per acre will averappearance, the quantity per acre will average above standard, with an equal certainty of there being many phanomenal yields. As the care and cultivation necessary to mature this crop is but slightly greater than that required by corn, it may be expected that a vastly increased acreage will be planted next season, and the Loup country will eventually be as well known as a positive production of the country as Greeley or the producing country as Greeley or the Utah valleys.

Dodge Democrats Tame. FREMONT, Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-The mass convention of the administration democrats met pursuant to call, issued by Fred W. Vaughan, state secretary of the Democratic Sound Money league, in the district court room this morning. There were only about twenty of the followers of J. Sterling Mor-ton present. Seven precincts outside of the city were represented. Fred W. Vaughan called the convention to order. Charles Sievers of Pleasant Valley was nomnated for chairman, but declined to serve. Vaughan was then chosen chairman and Rudolph Noak of Fremont secretary. A motion was made to elect fifteen delegates to the state convention at Lincoln. The convention nought this would take too much valuable

thought this would take too much valuable time, and the chair appointed a committee which reported the following list of delegates: W. H. Munger, F. W. Vaughan, M. Weich, Henry Hoffelker, R. H. Stener, Corrad Schneider, N. J. Rønin, A. Stork, Thomas Killeen, Oliver Smith, Herman Suhr, Scott Wall, B. Monnich, R. S. Cramer and P. Daller, This list was unanimously rational control of the control P. Dalley. This list was unanimously ratified by the convention, which then adjourned. The convention in no wise resembled the old time democratic conventions, and the proceedings were pretty tame. It is a hard matter to estimate the strength of the administration democratic in this country. ministration democracy in this county. It is thought to be about 350. The office-holding contingent was well represented in ention, but none of them are on the list of delegates.

Married at York. YORK, Neb., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—Rev. H. A. Lemon, the new pastor of the Christian church of this place, and Miss Josie Young of Bethany were last night married. The wedding was a beautiful affair and was followed by a brilliant reception. Rev. Mr. Lemon is well known in this city. Although been here but a short time, he has a large circle of friends. The bride is well known in Seward and Bethany The eremony was performed by Rev. H. J. Ken

A marriage license was issued vesterday to The crowd at the reunion increases every day and yesterday was the best day, the attendance being estimated at 6,000. Hon. W. A. McKeighan delivered an able and entertaining address in the afternoon, and Prof. off first honors in the one mile novice race

> Misses Phila Sedgwick and Hermion Brown who have been visiting in Milford, returned ome yesterday. W. E. Dayton of the York Times left yesyesterday. terday for Lincoln to attend a meeting of the program committee of the State Press

without trouble

A free silver democratic convention will be held here tomorrow for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Omaha conven-

Nebraska City Brevities.

NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-The populist primaries were held last evening and delegates chosen from this city to the convention at Syracuse August 21. There was very little enthusiasm and a very small at-

Judge Eaton yesterday decided that Rush Anderson was perfectly capable of caring for his minor daughter, and accordingly appointed him her guardian. This puts an end to the dispute over the possession of the child. A B. & M. brakeman named McBride, while making a coupling yesterday, received a severe injury. The bumpers hit the link in

such a manner as to throw it with great force, striking McBride in the side. An immense crowd from this city attended the Sunday school picnic at Salem yesterday and all report a good time. Henry Meyer and Miss Mary Thiele, two of

Nebraska City's well known young people were married last night at the residence of the bride's parents in this city. he bride's parents in this city.

Mrs. Louis Renner, who lives in Greggspart, has been showing signs of insanity of
ate. She imagines that her neighbors are

trol.

A festival will be held at the hall Saturday
evening for the benefit of the Presbyterian

robbing her, and yesterday she took an ax and chopped all her peach trees down, saying: "She didn't want the peaches stolen." She souri, will be taken into custody and examined as friends. to her sanity.

Irrigation District Organized. BASSETT, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-The election for the organization of the Golden Irrigation district passed off very quietly here today. In precinct No. 9, including ranges 18 and 19, only seventy-nine votes were cast, of which seventy-three were for the organization of the district.

O'NEILL, Neb., Aug. 16.—(Special Tele-gram.)—A special election was held today for he purpose of organizing the Golden Irrigation district, which will be formed from parts of the counties of Holt, Rock, Brown and From the returns received this even-

Hastings Republicans Caneus. HASTINGS, Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-Last ight the republican caucuses were held and delegates were selected to attend the county convention, which meets here tomorrow.

City Chemist, St. Louis: ROYAL BAKING POWDER excels all others. It is highest in strength, pure, wholesome, free from lime, ammonia and alum.

Dundee Cake. 2 cupfuls butter, 11/2 cupfuls silgar, 8 eggs, 11/2 hours. 114 pints flour, 1 teaspoonful Royal Baking es, I cupful washed, picked, dried currants, 1½ cupfuls sultana raisins, 1 tea-spoonful each Extract Nutmeg. Cloves and Vanilla, ½ cupful cresm, 1 cupful almonds, if pour into a paper lined, shallow, square, paper take pan, chop the almonds coarsely, sprinkle oven.

over the top, and bake in a moderate over Current Cake.

I cupful butter, 1 cupful sugar, 4 eggs, 1 teaspoonful Royal Baking Powder. 1 pint flour, 11/2 cupfuls currents, washed and picked, 2 teaspoonfuls Extract of Cinuamon. Vanills: \(\frac{1}{2} \) cupful cream; I cupful almonds, if pleased, I teaspoint a sattact of Cintamon, at hand. Rub the butter and sugar to a white, light cream; add the eggs, 2 at a butter an sugar to a white, light cream; add time, beating 5 minutes between each addition; add the flour, sifted with the powder. minutes betwee neach; add the flour sifted the lemon peel, currants, raisins, extracts with the powder, the currants, and the expaper lined cake tin 50 minutes in a moderate

STORY OF LINCOLN'S "SODOM."

Fred Nagle Fails to Pay Hosh Money and is Now in Court.

Put a Girl in Charge and is Now Forced to Explain the Matter to a Federal Commissloner.

LINCOLN, Aug. 16 .- (Special.) - This morning Fred Nagle was notified to appear before United States Commissioner Billingsley to answer to the charge of selling beer without a license. He was bound over in the sum of \$400 and permitted to go out and hunt for ball. Behind the legal technicalities there is a story which has for its foundation Lincoln's 'Little Sodom," an adjunct of the present nunicipal administration which is becoming more and more unpopular among respectable He admits that he rented some furniture and set a cyprian up in business on the "resering first procured a license. The lease of the federal court on a serious charge.

ing the parties appeared in court. The appearance of the woman was horrible. Both of her eyes were inflamed and the ffesh around them for an inch in every direction was bruised and blackened. She swore that Scott had made an indecent proposal to her in the Billingsley block, and when she re-fused he best her unmercifully in the face. charge was changed by the court to criminal assault and the case continued until

omorrow morning. Three little boys were under arrest this rning at the police station. They were 10, 12 and 13 years of age. The youngest was Martin Sayers, and his two compenions were Ray and Harry Ellis. On the complaint of Mrs. Sayers they were arrested. She says they have stolen \$50 from her and spent it in luxurious living. The one who took the money, who is the youngest, Martin Sayers. says he has been taking it in small install ments and expending it with his companions at the Sanitarium and other pleasure resorts. One or more of the youthful culprits will likely be sent to the reform school.

LINCOLN LOCAL MATTERS. The city engineer and water works con mittee have a force of men at work laying pipe on the Belmont extension of the water mains which has caused so much trouble to the city council.

David May was in the police court this norning on complaint of the health officer. He charges May with having maintained a nulsance within twenty feet of the residence of Mr. Munn. N. S. Harwood will be a witness in the case, which has been continued until tomorrow.

Palmer L. Clark and Morris J. Jones, the Red Oak horsemen who were here to start the race meeting movement, had intended to return home yesterday morning, but they were induced to remain by Messrs. Field and Boggs and Dr. Hoover, so that they might attend the merchants' outing and get an idea of how Lincoln people turned out. They were more than gratified, and were firmly con-vinced that if 6,000 people would turn out to a picnic the possibilities in the way of a

High school principal, has arrived in the city and is at present engaged in the pleasures of house hunting.
J. W. Sherwood, a former resident of Lin coln now located in Enid. Okl., is visiting

friends in the city. Omaha people in Lincoln: At the Lindell— M. G. Kibbe, N. G. Chilling. At the Lincoln— Lewis S. Reed, M. H. Collins, T. A. Fisher. W. J. Broatch, A. C. Foster, A. N. Smith, J. H. McCulloch, W. S. Seavey, Charles H.

the ferry is doing a regular business.

While exploring for scientific relics along the bluffs of Plattsmouth Thursday, Jasper Blines of this place found a periodical bleads, or so-called locust. This is remarkable so late in the year, and Mr. Blines will report the discovery to the National nuseum at Washington. Sargent Blines is marketing a big load of

orn in Omaha.

The Burlington has a train of material sidetracked at this place to be used on its

Some of the farmers are plowing their stubble land and putting it in order for crops next year.

A fatal disease is prevailing among the hogs in this part of the county, and several farmers have lost largely from the epidemic.

Various remedies have been tried, but the lisease seems almost impossible to con

church at this place. Mrs. Wood departed Thursday for Miswhere she will visit relatives and

Funeral of Jesse Rogers. ASHLAND, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-The remains of Jesse Rogers arrived this afternoon from Grand Island and were taken in charge by McCook post, Grand Army of the Republic, of this city, and conveyed to the Methodist Episcopal church, where the ser-mon was preached by Elder C. P. Hackney, which the procession formed and marched to the cemetery.

The five weeks summer school has closed at this place. Profs. Hoan of Wahoo, Searson of Weeping Water, Halsey of Platts-mouth, Crabtree of Ashiand and Miss Knight of Omaha were the principal instructors. There was an average attendance of fifty-five and all speak in the highest terms of the instructors and feel greatly benefited by the course. The school closed with an enjoyable

Charles Burg, an old and respected citizen died today at 1:30 o'clock. He has been a great sufferer for a year past and unable to leave his bed. He leaves a daughter, the only surviving member of the family.

Butler County Teachers Entertained. DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-State Superintendent Corbett delivered an address to the teachers of Butler county this evening. The address was instructive and was highly appreciated by the audience. Company E is drilling nightly in preparation for the encampment at Hastings The school teachers attending the institute and the lawyers of David City played a match game of ball this afternoon, resulting in a

victory for the teachers.

Mrs. Judge Miller gave a lawn social this Prof. Moore, principal of the Rising City schools, is in attendance at the teachers' in-

Fell Down a Forty-Foot Well. NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-Today Miss Ellen Gaffney of this city went to the well for a patt of water, and either alipped or fainted, falling forward into the well. Several persons saw her fall and at once went to her rescue and succeeded in getting her out, but in an unconscious condition, in which condition she now is. The well is about forty feet deep and it is thought she is injured internally.

Will Irrigate Many Farms. NORDEN, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.) -- A water level survey is being made here, commencing at the west line of Keya Paha county and running west until the level of the Niebrara river is reached. Four resi-

dents of the county have been asked to accompany a surveyor of trigation work from Brown county, and work will proceed this week. If the scheme is deemed prac-ticable it will necessarily be the most costly ditch in the state, owing to the height of the banks, which are nearly 500 feet, and the canyons, which extend four or more miles back from the river. On the other hand, a ditch the length of this county would easily irrigate 400,000 acres, owing to the "hog-back" through the county on which water could be run.

GOSSIP FROM THE STATE HOUSE. School Lands in Gage County to Be

Reappraised. LINCOLN, Aug., 16.-(Special.)-The Board of Educational Funds and Buildings held a short meeting today in relation to reappraisement of school lands. A few weeks since Captain Paine of the land commissioner's office was sent down into Gage county to inquire into the present value of school lands in that locality. He re-ported that school lands appraised at present at \$8 and \$9 an acre were worth \$18. The board today ordered a reappraisement of

It is quietly whispered around the capitol that quite a number of the National Guard who will attend the Hastings encampment citizens daily. Nagle says the arrest is the other courses and to have a superintendent of the reporter talked incourse daily. Nagle says the arrest is the obliged to hustle for individual subsistence.
Section 7 of general order No. 7, issued Dr. A. P. Marble as superintendent of the by the adjutant general, provides that no enlistment in the National Guard will be vation," and that beer was sold on the prem- recognized which occurs between August 6 an insult to Mr. Marble and said that it was vation," and that beer was soid on the premier and September 1. It has been the practice ises without the parties disposing of it have been disposing of the heretofore for companies in various parts of the state to recruit up just before encampfurniture was made out in his name, and the ment, the recriuts, in the main, being raw girl, Blanche Pricer, a former aweetheart of untrained and practically useless on parade girl, Blanche Fricer, a former sweetheart of Nagle's in Chicago, swore today that she sold the beer and turned the proceeds over to Nagle. Such appear to be agreed facts in the case, but Nagle insists he could have settled the affair by the payment of \$100 hush money. As it is he finds himself facing the faderal court on a section charge. to date the enlistment of these men back, but the military board has means of discovering all such frauds, and the probability ASSAULTED A WOMAN.

A gambler by the name of Scott spent last night in the city jail, charged with assault upon a girl named Jennie Reed. This morning the parties appeared in court. The apsence of the state Banking Board in Scott Facts, and the probability and the probability of these parties will find that, instead of receiving pay for doing nothing, they will be obliged to foot their upon a girl named Jennie Reed. This morning the parties appeared in court. The ap-Townley has gone to Broken Bow, Co county, to look into the affairs of the funct Bank of Commerce. The bank failed short time since, but now desires to re-

sume business, It looks as if the penitentiary muddle was growing worse instead of clearer. The abdication of Bill Dorgan has, certainly, not improved conditions under the existing strained relations between Governor Holcomb and the Board of Public Lands and Buildings. All is, apparently, doubt and un-certainty regarding the final outcome. State Auditor Moore says he cannot draw war-rants on the mere request of Warden Leidigh for maintenance of the prisoners. Leidigh for maintenance or the partial of the declares he must have vouchers approved by the board. The board in lets that it cannot approve bills unless it has cognitive at the conditions. To do this it denizance of expenditures. To do this it de-sires to appoint Al Beemer superintendent of the prison or else let the contract to another bidder and go on until the legis-lature meets again. On the other hand, Warden Leidigh believes be can handle the whole institution alone, if granted the right to draw on the fund for maintenance, \$101. 000, for the two years. None of this amount, however, is available for salaries of officers and guards of the pen

Clay County Democratic Convention SUTTON, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-The democrats met here today in county convention to select thirteen delegates to the democratic state convention at Omaha and twelve delegates to the Seventh judicial district convention. At 2 p. m. B. F. Shaff-lee, chairman of the county central committee, called the convention to order. Thomas Murty of Clay county was named for tem-porary chairman and Charles Cook of Edgar temporary secretary. The temporary organ-ization was then made permanent, when the convention listened to the report of the com-mittee on credentials, which reported every precinct in the county represented, ninety-three delegates actually martic rating in the

to be appointed by the chair provoked consid erable excitement. The resolution was tabled.

Took Samples of Fine Crops. AURORA, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.) -The Burlington special bringing the eastern land agents arrived in this city from Hastings at 8:30 yesterday. They were joined here by Superintendent English and a dozen of so of prominent Auroraties, and proceeded to Brown.

Water Low Enough to Use the Ferry.

LA PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—
The Platte river is now sufficiently low to admit teams to the ferry landing on the Sarpy county side of the river, and now the ferry is doing a regular business.

While the second supply of products, selected in their absence, was gathered at the depot, and the agents, each with an armful of corn, oats, alfalfa, etc., boarded the train.

Houses Struck by Lightning. STOCKVILLE, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-A heavy rain began about 10 o'clock Wednesday night, accompanied by a violent electristorm. Two houses were struck by lightning H. H. Griffith, a banker, was rendered in-sensible for a short time by the bolt which struck his residence. About the same time J. W. Melvin's house was struck. Mrs. Melvin was stunned by the shock, but not seri-Neither house took fire and the dan age is comparatively light. Over two inches of water fell.

Red Cloud Republican Primaries. RED CLOUD, Neb., Aug. 16.—(Special Telegram.)—The result of the republican primaries, held in the county today, indicates that James McNeny will have a solid delegation from this county to the judicial convention, and that the present county clerk, treasurer and sheriff will be renominsted. There were two tickets in the Second ward of this city, but both were headed for McNeny.

Holt Teachers Convention Adjourns. O'NEILL, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Holt county teachers' institute closed a very interesting session here today. About 150 teachers were in attendance. It was one of the most important sessions ever held in the county.

Heavy Rain at Grand Island. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.) -This county was visited by an inch and a quarter of rain Wednesday night. It was a very seasonable one and a good corn crop is now assured.

A Letter. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, GOVER-NOR'S OFFICE, JACKSON, MISS. July 20, 1895.

Hon. George W. Ames, 1617 Farnam Street Omaha, Neb.—Dear Sir.—
I am familiar with the lands known as "Orchard Homes," now held by you for sale. These lands are admirably situated, being in the heart of the great fruit and vegetable growing region of central Mississippl, imme-diately on the main line of the Illinois Cen-tral railroad, and well adapted to the successful cultivation of all small fruits and vegetables, as well as other farm products. I know of no body of land more suitable people there is no doubt of the fertility of the

for the purposes of fruit and truck farming than "Orchard Homes." You can tell you soil, no failures in crops, the crops depending on the energy of the farmer climate unsurpassed, people social, good schools and churches, and health good. Chicago market can be reached in 24 hours, New Orleans in 6 hours, so you see the advantages this place has. Very truly yours,
J. J. COMAN, Governor's-Private Secre

Geo. W. Ames, General Agent, 1617 Farnam

Coal Will Not Go Lower.

The indications are that the hard coal price war is about over, so far as this city is concerned, though none of the dealers look to see prices advance before October 1, as most of the coal now on hand was contracted for while the rate differences were on. Yesterday a number of the agents of the

castern coal companies were in the city, and in every instance they refused to make new contracts at the low prices which were made some weeks ago, saying that the demoralized condition of rates was a thing of the past and that there was no use of continuing the fight any longer. Coal, however, continues at \$7.50 per ton for Saptember delivery.

OUTRAGEOUS TREATMENT.

Characterized by Rev. T. J. Mackay. Rev. Thomas J. Mackay, rector of All Saints' church of this city, who is spending his vacation among old friends in Worcester, Mass., was interviewed by representatives of the press of that city regarding the dismissal of Dr. Marble from the superintendency of the public schools of Omaha. Rev. Mackay's explanation of the action of the board placed Dr. Marble in the right light before the people of his old home, and his condemnation of the treatment of the distinguished educator accords with the sentiments of the people of Omaha.

The Worcester Spy of the 12th inst. says: Rev. Thomas J. Mackay, rector of All Saints' church of Omaha, occupied the pulpit of Saint Matthew's church Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Mackay was formerly Dr. Huntington's assistant at All Saints' church here, and there were many of his former parishioners in the congregation Sunday evening. At the close of the service a representative of the Spy called on Mr. Mackay at the residence of M. J. Whittall, where he is

being entertained during his visit in this city. Although he has not been in Omaha for some time, and does not intend to re-turn until the 1st of September, he is thoroughly conversant with the current affairs Dr. A. P. Marble as superintendent of the Omaha public schools. He characterized the action of the school board as an outrage and unquestionably the A. P. A. force in the city that had accomplished his removal. Mr. Mackay said that the board gave no reaso for its action, although it was thoroughly understood in Omaha that the only reason was that Dr. Marble was known to be friendly to the Roman Catholics. Rev. Mr. Mackay also stated that the opponents of Dr. Marble, while in this city, not content with getting him out of office here, had followed him to Omaha and had there been a potent factor in securing the vote for his discharge

When asked regarding the man who was elected last week to the superintendency in noble spirit of Mr. Matthew Whittail and Dr. Marble's place Mr. Mackay said that the wife. Omaha people knew practically nothing be-yond that he had been the superintendent f schools in Beatrice.

effort to turn it out of office at the next The Worcester Telegram of the same day

publishes the following interview: Rev. Thomas J. Mackay of Omaha, Neb., who was at one time assistant rector of All Saints' church and rector of St. Matthew's Saints' charch and rector of St. matthew's Episcopal church in this city, preached an able sermon last night in St. Matthew's church, and was greeted by many of those who were identified with Episcopalianism in

A Telegram reporter was favored with an interview with Rev. Mr. Mackay at Mr. Whittail's residence, and in the course of his talk on general subjects denounced strongly the measures taken by the A. P. A. organization in Omaha in bringing about the defeat of Dr. A. P. Marble as superintendent of the public schools for another year. On being asked in regard to the matter by the reporter, Mr. Mackay

"I came away from Omaha before this fracas came to a head. I was sure Dr. Marble would hold his office, in fact, it never occurred to me that there was a possibility of his losing his position, because I was unaware of any trouble with Dr. Marble. "In my opinion Dr. Marble really gave satisfaction to everybody, and I never heard a single word against him. In educational matters he seemed to give perfect satisfaction and it was a great surprise to me to learn of this trouble between himself and the school board. I know of no cause for this ill treatment of Mr. Marble on the part of the

board.

"I regard it as an outrage upon the public school interests of the city of Omaha. Prof. Fitzpatrick, who was superintendent parties reside in Waco.

large crowd of persons from this place detection was that two of York boys had entered. Everybody home jubilant, for one of them carried irst honors in the one mile novice race.

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In parties resident in the convention. contract for ten years, and has a salary double as much as he had in Omaha. "I look upon this business of the failure o re-elect Dr. Marble as perfectly abomi ides of taking a man from a city like this and giving him a position that one would suppose was secure, and then de-liberately throwing him everboard!

"Omaha has a population of 150,000, and the A. P. A. is a great power there and it also has influence in the state. I look upon politics, and especially upon politics of so narrow a kind as that of the A. P. A., as the greatest curse of our public school system in the United States and the greatest menace to ts usefulness.
"Sometimes the state goes republican and

sometimes it is democratic. Business is re-viving there, but we have had a serious time. The crops are assured and every-body feels hopeful for the future. We are on the upward wave once more." "Is Grover Cleveland to be elected again?" nterrupted the reporter.
"Ah," replied the rector, "give me something easy. I think he is too much of a

family man. I should not think he would want another term." Odin C. Mackay, a smart young man of 14 summers, who is visiting in the east with his father, was next introduced to the reporter by Mr. Whittall. In reply to ques tions he said that he had been in the public schools during the superintendency of Prof. Fitzpatrick and Dr. Marble.

When Dr. Marble came into the class room he would advance to the center of the room and ask a number of questions of the pupils thus showing that he was interested in their work. He had a kind word to say to the children, all of whom liked him. Mr Marble visited twice as often as did Mr Fitzpatrick, and he never heard any one say hey did not like him.

Mr. Mackay said that he was at present rector of All Saints' church in Omaha, where he has officiated for the past four years. He

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chusetts regiment in this city, and went in Captain Eddy's company when it was sent to fill the place of half a regiment which sent to fill the place of half a regiment which was captured in Texas. Mr. Mackay had Asked what he thought of St. Matthew's new church, Mr. Mackay said: St. Matthew's new church is a beauty. It is a great surprise to me to see such a church, and I think it is a wonderful monument to the labor and

"I am rejoiced to find that Mr. Whittall still remains the same good. benest, unpretentious man that I knew him twenty-five years All the prominent citizens of that city, with the exception, of course, of the influential men in the A. P. A., deplore the action of the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see that it has no affect to the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see the school board and will make an organized and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school board and I am delighted to see the school b change him that made me take this trip, and I am delighted to see that it has not." Mr. Mackay will probably leave for Boston Tuesday, to be present at the great conclave meetings. He is a thirty-second degree Mason and a prelate of Mount Calvary com-mandery No. 1 of Omaha. He is also master of the consistory, Thirty-second degree An-cient and Accepted Scottish Rite.

Mr. Mackay impressed the reporter very much as a man who is diametrically opposed to the existence of religious intolerance this country, as he is to the existence of th many sins that beset those whom he is try Worcester twenty-two years ago.

He was the guest last night of Matthew J.

Whittail and wife at Elmhurst, South Woras it is possible for any man to be, else he would not be a thirty-second degree member.

Maconic order, but he also believes in in the Masonic order, but he also believes in fair play in everything. In politics he is a democrat, but he says that he does not take much interest in them

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