

ROME AND SECRET SOCIETIES

Dan Not Removed and Catholics Enjoyed from Holding Membership. HOLY OFFICE SENDS FURTHER ORDERS. Requiring the Inquiry of an American Bishop—Leo XIII. World Cablegram—Special Telegram.—The Holy Office (the Inquisition) replying to a question of a bishop of the United States, has just published a decree forbidding Catholics to continue to be members of secret societies—even though they should not attend meetings or take an active part in the proceedings. It is thus clear that the Vatican is bent on waging a ruthless war against secret organizations. It is understood that the determination of the Holy See was largely due to Jesuit influences. The conferences at the propoganda in connection with the choice of a successor to Mr. O'Connell, lately rector of the American college, have been stormy. Violent opposition was shown at the last meeting in certain quarters to the appointment of Dr. Kennedy. Some cardinals strongly urged on the immediate election of the Kennedys, on the ground that he was recommended by all the American archbishops and warmly supported by Mr. Satoll. Others contended that the "terms" submitted by the American bishops was unacceptable; that the information attached to it was inadequate and that either another "term" was desirable, or further information as to the candidates should be requested. In only rare instances does the propoganda fail to ratify the selections of the bishops.

DREADS THE THOUGHT OF WAR. The pope has been much distressed by the persistent war rumors. At the Vatican gloomy views are taken of the situation. It is thought even if war does not break out now it cannot be postponed beyond next spring. Leo XIII. is particularly troubled by the fear that Italy will be dragged into the expected struggle. In that event the Vatican would find itself in a critical position. Communication between the holy see and the Catholic world might be interrupted. The Italian government would probably refuse to tolerate the presence in Rome of sacerdotal assemblies, and the Vatican to hostile powers. The pope would probably be treated as a hostage and exposed to danger. Discussing the question today with a cardinal, the holy father said: "Whatever happens I shall stay in Rome." An attempt to leave Rome in the event of war probably would be opposed by the Italian government.

ECUADOR AND COLOMBIA FIGHT. Skirmish Occurs Between the Troops on the Frontier. (Copyrighted, 1895, by Press Publishing Company.) COLON, Colombia, Dec. 4.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The Ecuador troops, after a fight lasting two hours, defeated a troop of invaders from Colombia and forced them to retreat beyond the frontier. Most of the native laborers from Cartagena employed on the canal here have struck. They say that they contracted for \$1.50 a day and that they are now paid only \$1. Many arrests have been made. Serious trouble is feared. It is reported from Chile that the Balmaceda deputies are obstructing discussion of the plan for effecting a loan of \$25,000,000. The last revolt cost the Colombian government, it is estimated, \$15,000,000.

MELLODY SAYS THAT HE WON ROOT'S PROPERTY PLAYING POKER. J. Melody, claiming to be the proprietor of a boarding house in East Omaha, was arrested Wednesday night, charged with vagrancy. Yesterday he was identified by the police as being wanted upon a charge of grand larceny. Melody and his wife were employed last summer upon the farm of Allan Root in this county. Mr. Root had occasion to leave the premises in charge of Melody and his wife, and it is stated that upon his return he found little else than the farm house remaining, as Melody and his wife had removed the larger part of the contents during his absence. The police have been on the lookout for Melody for some time past and he was only accidentally identified by one of the detectives who had been searching at that station last night. Melody says that he came into possession of the things taken through a poker game with the younger Root, and was only taking articles which rightfully belonged to him.

CONFINEMENT AND HARD WORK. Indoors, particularly in the sitting posture, are far more prejudicial to health than exercise in the open air. Hard sedentary workers are far too weary after office hours to take much useful exercise in the open air. They often need a tonic. There are many who seek in vigor more certainly and thoroughly than from Hostetter's Stomach Bitter, a renovant particularly adapted to recruit the exhausted worker of the office. Use also for dyspepsia, kidney, liver and rheumatic ailments.

SPANISH SHOOT A REBEL LEADER. GIL Gonzalez Not Recognized as an Honorable Inmate by His Captors. (Copyrighted, 1895, by Press Publishing Company.) HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 4.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—Gil Gonzalez, the captured rebel leader, who shot today at Matanzas, having been condemned by a court martial. He was not regarded as an honorable insurgent, but as a robber and a murderer. A body of 800 insurgents moved from the mountains yesterday under Jovias and Viala and attacked the old astronomical station outside Santa Clara city. A corps and four men were in charge, all volunteers. The rebels pursued their usual tactic, firing at the defenses without making an assault. A column of 120 soldiers, under Staff Captain Yaguez, went to the rescue. After brief firing the rebels retired to Loma Cruz, ten miles distant. The only Spanish officer wounded was Lieutenant Montano. There is no reason why the rebels should not have captured the garrison and overrun the suburbs of the city, had they sufficient aid. There are new troops sent from Santa Clara.

WILLIAM SHAW BOWEN. KINGSTON, Jamaica, Dec. 4.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—A party of Cubans, equipped for a journey, left town at midnight. Detectives are following, as it is suspected that the Cubans will try to sail for Cuba unobserved, carrying munitions which have been concealed on the north side of the island.

RETALIATION WAS UNWARRANTED. German Papers Think Treatment of Sugar from The To Be a Slight. BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The Kolische Zeitung, commenting upon President Cleveland's message bearing upon the trade relations between Germany and America, refers to the disadvantages with which Germany importers to America contend. "The inspection of American pork," says the Zeitung, "is merely of a local nature, and had not warranted the demand that Germany importers by America, while American insurance companies are only subjected to the same regulations as are all such institutions in Prussia." The Zeitung concludes that such questions should not be dragged in a moment of anger, but should be settled in a manner agreeable to both countries, after due consideration of all that may be said for and against. Undoubtedly, it thinks, this is also President Cleveland's desire. The Daily News correspondent makes similar comments and says: The free traders here suspect that the measure against American food products were really prompted by a desire to be complaisant to the German farmers, whose interests suffer by American competition. The Daily News correspondent concludes: Anti-American measures meet opposition here, as tending to stop the rapidly growing commercial relations, the statistics showing that there is a continual rise of German exports to America. As "Abraham Lincoln" called them, do not care to argue about their ailments. What they want is a medicine that will cure them. The simple, honest statement, "I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me," is the best argument in favor of this medicine, and this is what many thousands voluntarily say.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache. 25c. Price of people have piaz, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

WORK AT UNCLE SAM'S BUILDING. Contractors Will Keep Their Forces Employed During the Winter.

Work has progressed slowly on the new federal building during the past week or ten days. This has been due partly to the first fall of snow, which drove the force of slaters from the roof, and partly to the non-arrival of material which was needed in construction. The heavy brick retaining walls in the rear of the main court have been finished and capped with huge blocks of granite and also the two flights of outside stairs leading into the basement. The brick partition wall on the west side of the court is finished and the iron girders to support the roof are being put in place. Inside the building work is being pushed more rapidly. Under the direction of Subcontractor Deverell, the floor joists of the floors and partitions is nearly completed. Mr. Deverell stated that three weeks would suffice to finish the upper floors and that his contract would be complete with the exception of covering the iron pipes of the large mail distributing room on the ground floor. Nearly all of the windows of the building have been enclosed into which have been put small rough sashes to give light to the workmen. Contractors Haman and Mair are busy at present with a force of men who are engaged in putting in the ventilating and a portion of the heating apparatus. The general plan of the latter will be upon the revolving fan plan and will be patterned somewhat like the plant now in operation in the Creighton theater. Mr. Mair stated that a number of carloads of slate had just arrived and that, weather permitting, the roofing would be completed in about a month. The contracts for part of the plumbing have been let and the American architects are busy with the plan, that portion which consists mainly of standpipes, waste and sewer connections, expect to follow this week. The first work to be done will probably occupy over two months. The plastering contracts have not yet been let and as there is no heating apparatus in the building at present, nothing will be done in this line until spring. Large flag poles have been erected upon the north and south wings. The north one will be used for the display of the war banner and the south for the United States and Internal Revenue flags. This mail distributing room in the center of the building is beginning to assume its ultimate proportions and is enormous in size. It is said by those who are supposed to know that it will be one of the largest mail rooms in the United States.

Diphtheria Discovered. When a case of diphtheria is reported the whole town is in an uproar. It is wise to be prepared for all such emergencies. There is no cause for alarm if you have Allen's Hygienic Fluid at hand. Contagion is impossible if it is used. It is a preventive medicine—disinfectant, deodorant and germ killer, and has a remarkably agreeable taste and odor. It is used in the treatment of all cases of diphtheria and is a most reliable means of cleansing and healing. Refined people everywhere use it.

TWO SIDES TO THE CASE. Melody Says that He Won Root's Property Playing Poker. J. Melody, claiming to be the proprietor of a boarding house in East Omaha, was arrested Wednesday night, charged with vagrancy. Yesterday he was identified by the police as being wanted upon a charge of grand larceny. Melody and his wife were employed last summer upon the farm of Allan Root in this county. Mr. Root had occasion to leave the premises in charge of Melody and his wife, and it is stated that upon his return he found little else than the farm house remaining, as Melody and his wife had removed the larger part of the contents during his absence. The police have been on the lookout for Melody for some time past and he was only accidentally identified by one of the detectives who had been searching at that station last night. Melody says that he came into possession of the things taken through a poker game with the younger Root, and was only taking articles which rightfully belonged to him.

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LOST BOTH COAT AND MONEY. Tailor Worked on a Dodge that Was a Quarter to Six. A. Rubenstein, a tailor in the basement of the Paxton hotel, appeared at the police station yesterday and stated to the prosecuting attorney that he had been beaten out of \$7.50 by an entirely new method. He said that Charles Mack, about two months ago, brought in a coat to be repaired. The price of \$2.50 was made. Mack failed to materialize at the time specified, and did not show up at the shop until Wednesday. He then demanded the coat, and tendered \$2 in payment, which was refused. He thereupon, so it is alleged, threatened Rubenstein with arrest, and later returned with Constable King and a warrant. Rubenstein was then taken across the street and inveigled into paying \$27.50 cash in full for the coat. Mack was retained by King. The warrant upon which Rubenstein was arrested was investigated by the police.

The Modern Mother Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Fireman Robert McCleod of No. 6 engine house, while answering a call of fire at Twenty-fourth and Wirt streets Wednesday night, fell off the hose cart at Twenty-fourth and Cuming streets, and was severely scratched and bruised. He was taken to the police station and after being attended by a physician, was driven to the engine house. His injuries are not of a serious nature.

Important Sheriff Sale. 50 shares of First Omaha Land Co. stock will be sold at sheriff sale under execution at east door of court house, Saturday morning, 10 o'clock, December 7th. A chance for a good investment.

Charity Circus Meetings. A meeting is called for this evening at 7 o'clock at the Paxton cafe, of all interested in the society circus. A meeting is called for this morning, Friday, at 10 o'clock, at the Paxton cafe of all women who are interested in the work of the Associated Charities, to attend to the benevolent part of the society circus at the Coliseum. Women are urgently requested to attend.

Robbed While He Slept. Mike O'Neil, a roamer at the Actina hotel, reported to the police Wednesday night that he had been robbed of \$25 while he slept. O'Neil stated that he had the money sewed up in his clothes and that he was positive that he had the amount in his possession last night, upon retiring in the morning when he searched his clothing for the money it was gone.

DeWitt's Little Early Bitters, the pills that cure constipation and biliousness. He Only Went to Kansas. James Jacoby, the Council Bluffs drayman who created something of a sensation by disappearing from home last Tuesday and leaving a letter stating that he would commit suicide, has been traced from. He has telegraphed his wife, from Atchison, Kan., that he will be home tomorrow.

Important Sheriff Sale. 50 shares of East Omaha Land Co. stock will be sold at sheriff sale under execution at east door of court house, Saturday morning, 10 o'clock, December 7th. A chance for a good investment. Hayden Bros' ad is on page 2.

BROWNING, KING & CO. Make Some Astonishing Prices in the Boy's Department for Saturday.

THIS IS A 'CUTTIN' 'EM DOWN SALE' The First Grade Clothing for Boys and Children—Broken Lots, It's True—Put on Two Tables for Friday and Saturday. Broken lots—some lots in which there are two or three suits of a kind, or an ulster, or an overcoat—zouave suits, junior suits, reefers, two-piece suits, novelties—all bunched on two tables for tomorrow's sale at prices that are not often duplicated at bankrupt sales. The proposition to furnish you with a half-dozen cabinet photographs of your boy dressed in our clothes, holds good during this sale, provided you buy \$5.00 worth, or more; but, on account of the rush of holiday business we will be compelled to close this offer on and after December 15th, as after that date Mr. Rhinehart will be unable to finish up work in time for Christmas.

There are a lot of miscellaneous styles of boys' ulsters, ranging in size from 7 to 18 years, and in value from \$5.50 to \$12.50, that we place on one of the "Cutting 'Em Out" tables at \$4.00 to \$5.50. Then there are boys' reefers, not one of which we have ever sold for less than \$5.50, that go for \$4.00. A broken lot of reefers, made up of all the most desirable fabrics, carries the price mark of \$7.50, although some and most of them originally sold for \$12.50. There are boys' long pant suits that we've been selling all along for \$7.50, that go for \$5.00. While all the broken sizes in boys' suits that sold for up as high as \$18 to \$20, go in this "cutting 'em down" sale at \$10.00 a suit. In the broken sizes of the boys' 2-piece suits the cut becomes most apparent. We have made two lots of them and have placed these in two-piece suits that all season long have sold for as high as \$6.00 at the uniform price of \$4.00. All the two-piece suits that sold for \$5.50 or more, and are broken in sizes, go at \$3.00 Saturday.

Boys' zouave and junior suits, the very choicest designs and patterns, styles that we have had a great demand for at \$5.00, go at \$3.50. The \$6.50 junior and zouave suits in broken sizes at \$4.00. Besides these are many novelties in reefers and suits that it is not possible to specify, any selection from which will prove a bargain. Cape overcoats, ages from 3 to 6 years, the \$4.00 kind for \$2.50 and the \$7.50 kind for \$4.00.

Thus it goes on over the broken lot and the children's department, preparing for you the grandest array of choice, elegant bargains it's been your lot to see for many a day. Remember the offer of six photographs of your boy holds good only to December 15th. This is the 5th. Rhinehart takes the pictures. All you have to do is to buy six dollars' worth or more in the children's department to get a half-dozen for nothing. BROWNING, KING & CO. "Cutting 'em down sale." S. W. cor. 15th and Douglas sts. 5:45 P. M. a quarter to six. The new "Omaha-Chicago Special," via the Northwestern line, arriving at Omaha, 6:30 morning and a quarter to nine, 8:45 a. m. City ticket office, 1401 Farnam street.

HOMESEKERS' EXCURSION SOUTH. VIA THE WABASH R. R. On November 13, 27 and December 11, the Wabash will sell tickets to Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas at half fare with \$2.00 added. For tickets and further information, or a copy of the Homeseekers' Guide, call at Wabash office, 1415 Farnam street, or write G. N. CLAYTON, N. W. P. Agt. He Had Queer Money. W. Newbert, a piano player, was arrested, charged with passing a counterfeit \$10-bill. He was arraigned before Judge Berka and handed over to Deputy Marshals Bohme and Lodiardi. It is said by the police that this is not Newbert's first offense in attempting to pass the "queer" and that he is in collusion with a gang of counterfeiters. They headquarter a short distance out of Council Bluffs. The bill in question was a very poorly executed silver certificate. The United States officers claim to have some clues that will result in the immediate arrest of other members of the gang.

Aimed at Sidewalk Thieves. The Board of Public Works has offered a reward of \$25 for the arrest of every person who can be caught stealing planks from wooden sidewalks. This sort of petty larceny has become very common since cold weather set in. It appears that it has become a common habit of some of the thrifty citizens who reside in the suburbs to pull up a loose plank when they go home at night, to be used for kindling wood in the morning. The Board expects that the prospect of a reward may assist in putting a stop to this sort of thieving.

Bullets Taken into Court. The county commissioner election contest, in which Halfdan Jacobson disputes the election of W. I. Kierstead, was called in county court yesterday. Mr. Kierstead waived all formalities and unless some unforeseen complication develops, the contest will simply consist of a recount of the ballots, which will probably occupy the afternoon of Wednesday nearly noon by the time the ballots had been selected and taken into court, the task of counting them was postponed until this afternoon.

Lectures by Prof. Bessey. The lecture by Professor Bessey of the State university this evening will be the opening of the course of three lectures on the vegetation of this state. It will be illustrated by a stereopticon and will be very interesting and instructive. Prof. Bessey has taken unusual pains to make these lectures of interest and practical value. His national reputation is a guaranty of the excellence of any of his work. Acts at once, never fails. One Minute Cough Cure. A remedy for asthma, and that feverish condition which accompanies severe cold. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. RIPPAN'S CREAM BANDING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

KILPATRICK AS THEIR SAVIOR. Says that He Will Cash Warrants for the School Teachers.

There is a lot of trouble on the hands of the city employees who have drawn the warrants for their November pay. Some time ago an ordinance was adopted in accordance with a law that was passed by the last legislature which provided for the registration of warrants at 7 per cent interest. This was designed to relieve the city of the necessity of paying warrants as they were presented, or else compelling the holders to have them discounted at the local banks or by brokers. It was expected that the banks would be very willing to cash all 7 per cent warrants and thus employees would be assured of their full pay, whether there was any money in the funds on which the warrants were drawn or not. It now appears that the new arrangement is not producing the desired result. The funds are generally depleted and all November warrants on the fire, police, school, curbing, guttering and cleaning and special funds were registered for payment whenever the condition of the treasury would admit. The holders of warrants now claim that the banks have refused to cash these 7 per cent registered warrants. It was expected that the banks would have demanded 1 per cent discount on the face of the warrants. This was a tax on all school teachers, members of the fire and police departments and various other employees. Employees are very indignant at what they denounce as "hogwash" on the part of the banks which refuse to be satisfied with the 7 per cent interest paid by the city. The school teachers were especially enthusiastic in their expression of indignation and this has contributed to their relief. Yesterday Thomas Rippeck was willing to all the teachers' warrants if he would cash all the teachers' warrants, amounting to about \$25,000, at their face value on presentation at his store. His proposition was accepted with thanks by the teachers and those who have not already shaved their warrants are taking advantage of his liberality.

HAS FOUND JOBS FOR TWO MEN. Saville Details Smith and Boyd for Duty. Sanitary Inspector Smith was placed on duty by Commissioner of Health Saville yesterday morning. Smith is one of the inspectors who were laid off when the health fund ran out some time ago. The commissioner also put S. L. Boyd to work as milk inspector, to succeed John Bruner, who was dismissed on the recommendation of Dr. Saville at the board meeting. There is still an overlap in the health fund, but it is understood that the finance committee of the city council has tacitly agreed to recommend the payment of the salaries of these two inspectors out of the general fund. The newly appointed milk inspector is a close political connection of the chairman of the finance committee, but his salary is not expected to be a burden on the city as it is expected that there will be some way provided for the payment of his salary.

They Must Keep Off the Ice. Officer Dealy reported to Chief Sigwart yesterday that a number of the residents near Bemis park had complained to him lately that a gang of tough characters had taken possession of the lake in the park, to the exclusion of all others. It is said that these rowdies, who fall from the lower portion of the city, were in the habit of taking little girls who attempt to skate upon the pond and that they have assaulted many of the smaller boys who have attempted to take possession of the ice. Chief Sigwart ordered the officer on the beat to watch the park from now on and arrest anyone making a disturbance.

A Clean Sweep. It is what the OMAHA-CHICAGO SPECIAL, via the NORTHWESTERN line, gets before starting east at 5:45 p. m. That is because it is a complete OMAHA train from UNION DEPOT, DEPT. OF OMAHA. City ticket office, 1401 Farnam street. Hayden Bros' ad is on page 2. "Making Things Hum." No. 6, Omaha, 6:45 p. m., Chicago, 8:45 a. m. No. 6, Omaha, 6:45 p. m., Chicago, 7:45 a. m. No. 1, Chicago, 6:30 p. m., Omaha, 8:10 a. m. No. 3, Chicago, 10:45 p. m., Omaha, 3:35 p. m. No. 8, Omaha, 10:30 a. m., Chicago, 7:30 a. m. No. 5, Chicago, 6:45 p. m., Omaha, 9:20 a. m. THE NORTHWESTERN LINE. City Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street.

HOMESEKERS' EXCURSION. On the above date the Missouri Pacific railway will send trip tickets to points in Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana at one fare (plus \$2.00) for first class, with breakfast, call or address depot, 15th and Webster, or N. E. corner 13th and Farnam streets, S. Omaha. N. E. corner P. G. Goffrey, P. and T. A. J. O. Philippi, A. G. F. and P. A. Columbia Metal Polish. Cross Gun Co. Consult your best interests and go east via the evening OMAHA-CHICAGO SPECIAL, arriving at Chicago at 8:45 o'clock the next morning. City ticket office, 1401 Farnam street.

Omaha Gets a New Train. The Overland Limited, via Union Pacific-Northwestern, that formerly took an Omaha sleeper east daily at 5:45 p. m., now leaves an hour earlier, and in its place, at a quarter to 8 every evening, the NORTHWESTERN line starts a new complete train in OMAHA, from OMAHA and for OMAHA, arriving in Chicago at 8:45 o'clock next morning. A clean—youthful—gas—lit—Air—See—Brew with sleepers—superb—chair cars—free—and dining car (Northwestern). City ticket office, 1401 Farnam street. Hayden Bros' ad is on page 2.

California! If you want to get there comfortably, cheaply, quickly, call at the Burlington city ticket office, 1324 Farnam street, and ask for information about our Personally Conducted Excursions. They leave every Thursday morning.

Raymond—Jeweler A watch—a gold watch or a silver watch—gold is but little more than silver now—make elegant Christmas presents—We have no price to make—You come in and guess—if you guess reasonably close—it's your watch. C. S. Raymond. 15th and Douglas Sts. A New View of Life. It is surprising how often the troubles of this life spring from indigestion. And more surprising how few people know it. You say, 'I'm blue,' or 'my head feels queer,' or 'I can't sleep,' or 'Everything frets me.' At the bottom of all your miseries, and a box of Ripan's Tabules would give you a new view of life. Ripan's Tabules. Sold by druggists, or by mail at the price 50 cents a box is sent to the Ripan Chemical Company, No. 19 Spruce St., N. Y.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO. The Most Complete Line of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes in Omaha.

EXTRA BARGAINS IN SHOES AND SLIPPERS. Now is the time to Buy Them—The Price Will Never Be Lower—The Value Will Never Be Higher—Special Sale Saturday. SLIPPERS 25c AND 50c. SHOES \$1.25 AND \$1.50. We have the most complete line of ladies', misses' and children's shoes and slippers for fall and winter wear that we have ever had. Ladies' genuine welt sole shoes, narrow square toe, at \$1.50, cut from \$2.25. Ladies' extension sole shoes, narrow square toe, at \$1.25, cut from \$1.75. Ladies' fine kid shoes, either turn or welt sole, in button or lace at \$3.00. Best \$3.00 shoes made. See our tailor-made box calf shoe for winter wear at \$4.25. The best shoe made for skating and street wear. See our line of ladies' 20th century shoes at \$3.50 and \$4.00. Ladies' opera and common sense slippers, sizes 2 1/2 to 4, at 25c and 50c, cut from \$1.00 and \$1.50. Ladies' serge slippers at 25c, sizes 2 1/2 to 5, cut from \$1.00. Boys' calf button shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, at \$2.00, cut from \$3.00 and \$3.50. Youths' calf button and lace shoes, sizes 11 to 2, at \$1.75, cut from \$2.50 and \$3.00. Misses' rubbers, 11 to 13, at 10c, regular price 35c. Baby's fine kid button shoes at 25c. Have a full line of ladies' white and black kid strap slippers.

KELLEY, STIGER & CO. Cor. Farnam and 15th Sts. MORE TROUBLE FOR MR. BROWN. He is Now Accused of Defrauding an Old Colored Woman. The troubles of George E. Brown, the North Twenty-fourth street commission merchant now under arrest, charged with stealing \$400 worth of diamonds from Verna Wells, seem to have just begun. Yesterday an old colored woman, Abigail Miller, appeared at the police station and requested a warrant for Brown, accusing him of appropriating \$28 of her money under a promise of depositing it in a savings bank. Mrs. Miller stated that she was formerly employed by Brown and while he was a resident of Dundee place, and that she had at that time \$28 deposited in the Nebraska National Bank. She alleges that Brown, under a promise of taking the money and placing it in a bank where she would receive interest for it, inveigled her into turning the amount over to him. She states Brown gave her a check for the amount, payable on the German Savings bank. She also says that Brown had no money on deposit in the bank upon which the check was made payable.

Found Gully of the Charge. Jeabette Allen, who was arrested on the charge of being a procurer, was found guilty and bound over to the district court, the amount of the bond being placed by Judge Berka at \$1,000. The Allen woman was arrested some time ago for harboring Jennie Morrison, a girl under age, and her trial set for a hearing last Monday. As she was not present at the time the bond was declared forfeited.

Charles Was Knocked Out. Charles Martin, a boy who has lately been employed by a florist in delivering packages, ran into a wagon near the corner of Sixteenth and Iard streets while riding a bicycle and was thrown to the pavement with considerable force. He was picked up by bystanders in an unconscious condition and sent to the police station. His employer shortly afterward called for him and he was taken to the home of the former at 1215 North Eighteenth street, where a physician was called to attend him. No bones were broken, but it is feared that he has sustained internal injuries of a serious nature. The bicycle was a wreck.

Alarmed Because of His Absence. Some friends of William Grimm, a dairyman of South Omaha, appeared at the police station yesterday and stated that he had been missing from his home since last Monday night, and that members of his family, who live near Fort Crook, are much alarmed over his continued absence. Grimm has been furnishing milk to the workmen at the new fort, and received a check for \$18 Monday morning. This he cashed in South Omaha. Nothing has been seen of him since. It is said that he had considerable money on his person at the time and it is thought that he may have been held up on his return home and robbed.

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