COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION.

Mr. C. S. Lefeerts is in New York.

J. J. O'Hern has returned from a trip to Kansas City.

Judge Chapman of Nebraska City was in Council Bluffs yesterday.

Dr. Janney has returned from his eastern trip much improved in health.

Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Chambers have gone to St. Paul for the summer.

G. H. Jackson and wife left yesterday for Templar Park, Spirit Lake, for a two weeks' visit.

Mrs. H. Kleebat and daughters of Sioux City are guests of George Hansen on Fourth street.

Miss Maya Allen of New York is visiting with the family of Mr. E. S. Allen on Fifth avenue.

O. Ouren of Chicago, brother of H. Ouren, and uncle of Attorney Harvey Ouren, is in the city.

The Misses Harkness of Washington avenue are entertaining Miss Hattie Cochran of Chicago.

Deputy United States Marshal Wray of Ottumwa was in the city yesterday on official business.

Bert Taylor, at the W. C. A. hospital, has rallied from his recent relapse and now promises to recover.

Rye Goodwin, formerly of this city, but now located at Kansas City, is visiting his relatives and friends.

The spring wagon used for exercising the horses at No. 1 hose house has been stolen. The thieves left no clew.

There will be revival services at the Fifth Avenue Methodist Episcopal church every evening this week and next.

Fred Davis has returned from Madison lake, Wisconsin. Mrs. Davis will spend the rest of the heated term at the lake.

The Grand hotel, Council Bluffs. High class in every respect. Rates, $2.50 per day and upward. E. F. Clarke, proprietor.

Prof. Albin Huster has been engaged to play in the largest orchestra in St. Paul and will spend the summer at Lake Minnetonka.

Fritz Zaak of Sarpy county, Nebraska, and Miss Augusta Tonak of Douglas county, Nebraska, were married by Justice Cook this afternoon.

The stock of M. S. Benner is to be disposed of in bulk by Assignee Wilson, who will then devote his time to the $2,000 in book accounts of Mr. Benner.

The choir of St. Paul's church has been increased by the addition of Misses Lucile Porterfield and Jennie Keating and Messrs. C. E. Aitchison and I. M. Treynor.

There will probably be a base ball game at the Field Club park Sunday afternoon. Negotiations are pending with several clubs and a game will probably be arranged today.

Miss Lucile Porterfield and Jennie Keating, together with Messrs. I. M. Treynor, W. S. Rigdon and C. E. Aitcheson, have been engaged to sing in St. Paul's church choir.

J. G. Coady and his sister, Miss Anna Coady, left yesterday for Milwaukee. They will be gone a month visiting the lakes of Wisconsin and will stop at Hot Springs, S. D., on their way home.

J. W. Squire has returned from Chicago, where he went to meet his daughter, Elizabeth, who accompanied him to this city. Miss Elizabeth was on her way home from Smith college, Southampton, Mass.

The business men's ball team, captained by Herman Larson, has just returned from a tour of Minden, Neola, Underwood and Avoca, where they have played, losing at Underwood and Minden by a close score.

Sheriff Doner wired the chief of police from Albia yesterday asking him to look out for three boys who broke jail there on the night previous. The telegram announces that the boys are aged 16, 18 and 20.

The city physician's report for June shows that eighteen deaths were reported during the month, against twenty-seven reported during the same time last year. Three cases of contagious diseases were reported, against eleven last year.

Almost the entire male population of the city was out last night watching the bulletin boards for news from the Chicago convention. Newspaper offices were thronged until midnight. Moore & Ellis published bulletins at their cigar store and had a crowd that filled the store to overflowing until the last bulletin was received.

Deputy Marshal Ward spent half an hour yesterday morning selling an estray horse to the highest bidder. The horse had been taken into custody by the poundmaster and kept the required length of time without hearing from its owner. The officer thought the animal was worth $150, but compromised with the highest bidder for $8.

The man who turns steam into the big whistle at the electric light station does so with the greatest of satisfaction. Until the chief of police ordered it to be used in lieu of the sonorous curfew bell it has been maintaining an enforced silence. Several years ago it was enjoined by its neighbors as a nuisance. Its clarion tones at 7 o'clock each morning made sleep impossible for the late risers.

Colonel John D. Dopf of Rockport, Mo., was in the city last night. Colonel Dopf is a Missouri republican and the editor of one of the oldest republican papers in the northern part of the state. He was deeply interested in the Chicago convention, but had no great state pride to express for Bland, who, he says, while he has been a consistent silver advocate, has never distinguished himself for ability in any other field.

The first meeting of singers who will take part in the chorus for the state Christian Endeavor convention is called for this evening at the chapel of the First Presbyterian church. Rev. G. W. Snyder will have charge of organizing the chorus and conducting the rehearsals. Members of all the churches in the city have consented to join and all others who can assist in gospel singing are cordially invited to attend the rehearsals and join the chorus.

Mrs. E. Wesley of 2745 Third avenue has asked the assistance of the police in assisting her daughter to return from Chicago. The young woman married a man named Freeman some time ago and was deserted by him. She reported to the Chicago police that she was in destitute circumstances and asked to be sent to her home in Council Bluffs. She was advised to communicate with the Council Bluffs police and her visits to the station was in accordance with this suggestion.

C. B. Viavi Co., female remedy. Medical consultation free Wednesdays. Health book furnished. Annex Grand hotel.

Davis, drugs, paints and glass. Tel. 289.

Licensed to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows:

Name and Residence.	Age.
Fritz Zaak, Omaha	20
Augusta Tonak, Omaha	20
Grant Kiser, Omaha	27
Mary Rhoades, Omaha	26

COVERED WITH SCALES

Eczema made its appearance on my head in its worst form, and it continued spreading until my face was covered with scales and became a horrid sight. I had a fine head of hair, seven years' growth, and had to sacrifice it. I was in despair. The physicians had failed even to relieve me, when one recommended CUTICURA SOAP. My father procured a set of CUTICURA REMEDIES, and in three weeks the scales left my face and the skin lost its florid hue. *In six weeks I was entirely cured.* My face was smooth and my complexion clearer and finer than it had ever been before.

Miss MARION A. SMITH, Sunbury, Pa.

SPEEDY CURE TREATMENT. — Warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, gentle applications of CUTICURA (ointment), and mild doses of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of humor cures.

Sold throughout the world. Price, CUTICURA, 50c.; SOAP, 35c.; RESOLVENT, 50c. and $1. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Props., Boston.

"How to Cure the Worst Eczema," mailed free.

LABOR CLAIMS TO BE PAID

Receiver Will Make a Loan on the Manawa Railroad Property.

IS TO BE A FIRST LIEN ON THE ROAD

Decrees Entered in the Case of the Omaha and Grant Smelting Works Against John W. Paul —Other Cases in Court.

In the district court yesterday afternoon Judge Smith made an order granting the application of the receiver of the Lake Manawa Railway company for authority to borrow $600 to pay labor claims and preferred debts. The order provides that the loan shall be a lien on the property and take precedence over existing mortgages.

Decrees were entered in the cases of the Omaha & Grant Smelting works against John W. Paul and the Union Land and Improvement company.

In the case of Alice Hancock and others against John Butterfield the referee yesterday made a report of the sale of two and one-third acres in the center of section 18, township 75, for $500 cash. The report was approved by the court.

The final report of the administratrix of the estate of Fred Groat, deceased, was received and approved by the court and the administratrix discharged and her bondsmen released.

A decree was entered in foreclosure in the case of the Iowa Mortgage and Trust company against C. Petersen and others on a note and mortgage for $300 given in January, 1895.

Judge Smith will today hear a case from Harrison county entitled Conner against Alex Harden and others. Conner claims a lot of land by accretion and recently secured an injunction restraining Harden and other occupants of the land from laying any claim to it. The case comes up on a motion to dissolve the injunction.

Richard Horsely has commenced foreclosure proceedings against the estate of Mary Siedentopf on a note and mortgage for $200.

Lake Manawa attractions until July 20. Prof. Menier, the champion parachute jumper, will give one of his marvelous exhibitions every afternoon at 5 o'clock. In the evening at 8 o'clock Prof. Charles Gordon will make his thrilling leap from a ninety foot tower into a tank containing only five feet of water. The famous Chicago ladies' orchestra give a concert afternoon and evening.

Pay

Your water bill before July 10, and save 5 per cent. Office open Friday evening.

The patrons of Grand Plaza, Lake Manawa, are pleased to note that no intoxicating liquors are sold in the grounds.

TO IMPROVE LAKE MANAWA.

Something Concerning the Benefits to Be Given Next Week.

Plans of the Council Bluffs Rowing association for the maintenance and improvement of Lake Manawa have already begun to assume tangible form. The lake is in excellent condition this year and the association proposes to keep the water mark high and to, as rapidly as possible, improve the lake in every respect. To accomplish this purpose, to start a fund for it, a benefit program extending over two days has been prepared and will be given Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings of next week. The proceeds from the Lake Manawa Railway company and the Manhattan Beach company's receipts for the two days will be turned over to the Rowing association, to be expended for the purpose named. The program for the two evenings is as follows:

Monday's program: At the Grand Plaza—Balloon ascension at 5 p. m., concert at from 5 to 7 p. m., high dive at 7:15.

At Manhattan Beach—Sailing race at 7:30 p. m., swimming race at 7:45, tub race at 8 p. m., shell race at 8:15.

The Monday evening concert will be furnished by the following organizations: Weber quartet, Mandolin club, Instrumental quartet, Ladies' orchestra.

There will be an exhibition of fireworks at Manhattan beach at 10 o'clock and dancing at the boat house from 9 to 12.

Tuesday's program: At the Grand Plaza—Balloon ascension at 5 o'clock, concert by the Ladies' band 5 to 7 o'clock, high dive at 7:15.

At Manhattan Beach—Sailing race at 7:30, swimming race at 7:45, tub race at 8 o'clock, shell race at 8:15.

The High School cadets will give an exhibition drill at the Grand Plaza from 8:30 to 9 o'clock. There will be dancing at the Grand Plaza from 9 o'clock to midnight and a reception at the boat house from 9 to 12.

For sale, a splendid farm of 150 acres 3 miles north of Mondamin, Harrison county, Iowa. Fair improvements, splendid land. Will take one-third of the price in Omaha or Council Bluffs city property, balance on time. Apply to Leonard Everett, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Lake Manawa Trains

Leave Council Bluffs at 8 and 10 a. m., 2, 3, 4, 5 p. m., and every half hour thereafter. Last train at 11 p. m. Sundays and special occasions every thirty minutes.

We are turning out the whitest, cleanest, best laundry in the state—the only kind good enough for you. Postal or telephone 157. Eagle Laundry, 724 Broadway.

Special picnic grounds at Grand Plaza for private parties.

Roadster Club Matinee.

The meet of the Council Bluffs Gentlemen's Roadster club, postponed from last week on account of the rain, will be held at the Union Driving park this afternoon. The following entries have been made:

Trotting—George Ouderkirk, J. J. Crow, Charles E. Jefferis, J. M. Pusey, Bert Leonard.

Pacing—Oscar Younkerman, Dr. J. C. Robertson, Paul Schnider, A. J. Kane, I. S. Mucci.

An effort is being made to arrange a special race between Crow's horse and H. A. Messmore's mare, driven by permission by A. A. Stamy.

Bettie King, a trotting mare with a low record and owned by J. W. Griffs, a well known horse breeder of Carson, will go an exhibition mile.

All invitations issued to Omaha people for the matinee last week will be honored on this occasion, and it is expected that the grand stand will be filled with representatives of the fair sex.

Anderson Declared Insane.

John J. Anderson, who has been clerking in a drug store at Streetsville, was taken to the insane asylum at Clarinda yesterday by Sheriff Morgan, the insanity commission having passed upon his case in the light of evidence presented by friends of the patient.

Anderson is a single man, 30 years of age. Three or four years ago he took the Keeley cure, but has since fallen from grace and has been going against the flowing bowl pretty hard of late. He has a delusion that his yard is filled with people who are stealing the cherry crop. He has also been very careless in the handling of fire and refuses to take any kind of nourishment except alcohol. He talked very rationally to the board of examiners, but a medical examination made by Dr. Thomas resulted in an order for his incarceration at the Clarinda asylum.

Christian Home Record.

The report of J. G. Lemen, manager of the Christian home, for the six months ending July 1, shows that during that period there were received in all departments, 70; homes found for 26; died, from cottages for infants and the afflicted, 7. Total increase during the six months, 37. The last semi-annual report brought the account up to January 1, 1896. The account to that date, January 1, 1896, stood: Children in the home, 154; workers, clerks, cooks, nurses and the aged, 31, making a grand total of 185 in the home. And now by this report the grand total is increased by 37, increasing the total to children, 191; helpers and aged, 31, making a grand total this July 1, 1896 of 222 persons in the home.

METHODIST DISTRICT CONFERENCE.

Six Years' Work Reviewed Shows a Satisfactory Condition.

The closing session of the Methodist conference of the Council Bluffs district was held at the Fifth Avenue Methodist Episcopal church on Wednesday evening.

At the business hour of the afternoon session Rev. W. S. Hooker gave a review of the work of the district during the six years that he has been presiding elder. The amount of money raised by the churches of the district during that time for church buildings and parsonages, salaries and benevolent offerings, he said, was over $300,000. During that time nineteen new churches and six parsonages had been built. There had been 6,000 additions to the membership, of which there was a net increase of 2,000, many being lost by removal and other causes. The present strength in members, he said, was between 7,000 and 8,000. There were in all sixty-five churches and thirty-three pastors in the district. During the six years $30,000 had been raised for missionary work.

The pastors who attended the conference were: W. S. Hooker, Council Bluffs, presiding elder of the district; Fletcher Brown, president of Simpson college, Indianola; J. S. Wright, Denison; G. L. Goodell, Dow City; Joseph Stephen, Dunlap; C. M. Ward, Woodbine; M. R. Harnerd, Logan; H. H. Barton, Missouri Valley; A. B. Adams, Magnolia; C. B. Fawcett, Little Sioux; M. M. Cable, Weston; J. H. Senseney, Broadway Methodist; Conrad Hooker, Trinity; W. H. Cable, Fifth Avenue; James Sims, Epworth, Council Bluffs; A. F. Conrey, Manilla; D. Pruitt, Defiance; M. F. Tweedy, Panama; W. F. Luring, Pacific Junction; Carl Brown, Silver City; T. G. Aten, Hillsdale; C. W. Brewer, Malvern; A. L. Knepper, Hastings; A. O. Walburn, Essex; E. E. Goodrich, Randolph; G. W. Roderick, Shenandoah; W. H. Shipman, Coin; E. M. Hoff, Northborough; Jason Gallup, Farragut; H. C. Preston, Riverton; D. O. Allen, Hamburg; J. L. Boyd, Thurman; J. F. St. Clair, Clarinda.

$100,000 to loan in large amounts on desirable farm or city security. L. W. Tulleys, 102 Main street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Trains leave Manawa in ample time for campers to get to their business on time in the morning.

Wall paper cleaned, new process, with patent right at Miller's. 108 Main street.

Took Reeder's Horse.

S. Reeder, a blacksmith who lives at 1430 Seventh avenue, has filed informations against several gentlemen named John Doe, charging them in a playful manner with horse stealing. He alleges that the crime was committed some time Wednesday night. On Wednesday afternoon three outfits of campers took up their abode near his place. They were movers returning to Missouri. Reeder owned three head of horses he was willing to sell, and during the evening struck up a bargain with the strangers by which they were to come into possession of the horses yesterday morning after they had paid the purchase price agreed upon. When Reeder went out early in the morning the movers were gone, and so were his three horses. The great anxiety of the men to become owners of the horses and their sudden departure during the night were coincidences that seemed to connect them with the disappearance of the Reeder stock. The telegraph was brought into requisition and it was found that the outfit had passed through Pacific Junction, nineteen miles south, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. Informations charging them with horse stealing were promptly filed in Justice Cook's court and an officer was sent after them.

Go to Lake Manawa and see Prof. Menier make his thrilling leaps. The Ladies' orchestra give concerts afternoon and night.

Pay

Your water bill before July 10, and save 5 per cent. Office open Friday evening.

The Durfee Furniture company sells goods on easy payments.

Sunday Concerts at Fairmount.

Arrangements have been made for two concerts, an afternoon and an evening entertainment at Fairmount park during the summer each Sunday, or for such time as they prove popular enough to warrant their continuance.

The motor company has arranged to pay the expenses of these concerts and the money for the payment must come out of the fares received. If the people of this city who appreciate the concerts will patronize the motor in reaching the park there will be no danger of the concerts being stopped as long as the weather is fine. Omaha furnishes a good attendance at every concert at the park and the local people should do their share in assisting a worthy cause. The program for the Sunday concert will be announced tomorrow.

Go to Manawa and camp during the heated term and keep cool.

Boating and bathing at Grand Plaza. Private grounds for picnic and camping parties.

Perfect filter. $3. Stephan Bros.

Gordon's Dangerous Dive.

Prof. Charles Gordon made his first leap last evening at Lake Manawa. This is a sight never to be forgotten if ever seen. The tower, built especially for this leap, is ninety feet high and has a ladder running out at right angles so that the last round is on a plumb line with the center of the tank he leaps into. The tank is seven and one-half feet square and five feet deep filled with water. The professor walks out on the ladder, swings down on the round with his hands and quicker than you can tell it is in the tank and out again on the ground. Every one of the hundreds of spectators who witnessed this dangerous feat last evening was fascinated with the sight. Prof. Gordon did not seem any the worse for his dive and said he rather enjoyed it.

A splendid hay meadow of 160 acres for rent. Four miles of post office in Council Bluffs. Will cut two tons to the acre. Only $2.50 per acre. Apply to Leonard Everett, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Gas ranges and service connections at half price for fifteen days. Call at company's office for full particulars. 210 Main and 214 Pearl streets.

Hoffmayr's Fancy Patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it.

Be sure and see Prof. Menier do his wonderful leaps at Grand Plaza this week.

No Chance for a Duel.

HAVANA, July 9.—An account of the settlement of the affair between General Bradley T. Johnson and Senor Manuel Ampudia is given out. General Johnson denied that he had defamed the Spanish army and criticised Senor Ampudia for ignorance and haste and his irregular manner of challenging him, saying he had at first supposed the letter was one of many scurrilous productions he had received. He waived all formalities and signified his readiness to fight. Senor Ampudia's seconds said that in view of the denial they withdraw all opinions expressed in the letter. All the seconds then agreed that the incident was ended absolutely.

General Linares, after an investigation, confirms the report of the death of Jose Maceo.

Forty Killed in a Wreck.

BERLIN, July 9.—A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung reports that a passenger train has been derailed near Batracki on the Samara railway in southern Russia. Forty persons were killed and injured. The accident was caused by obstructions placed on the rails. The authors of the act have not been traced.

Cheered Bayard's Statement.

LONDON, July 9.—The Daily News description of the banquet of the Boston Ancients says that Mr. Bayard elicited loud and prolonged cheers by declaring that American debt would be fully and honorably discharged with no diminution and no debasement of the coin.

For a Brain Stimulant Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Dr. W. F. Toombs, Morrillton, Ark., says: "It is certainly the finest brain stimulant I have found."

EXTENSIVE LAND LITIGATION.

Famous Irwin Case of Iowa Coming to Trial Soon.

DES MOINES, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Over forty years ago John Irwin of Ohio bought a large amount of government land warrants, and in 1856 came to Iowa and Nebraska and located the lands. He selected large tracts in O'Brien, Clay, Palo Alto and Harrison counties, in Iowa, and another large amount in southeastern Nebraska. As soon as they were located they became taxable, and after a number of years Irwin failed to pay the taxes and they were sold at tax sale. In 1893 Irwin died and his heirs brought suit for the right to redeem the lands, on the ground that he was insane. If his insanity can be proved under the Iowa law the right to redeem will be established. An immense quantity of testimony has been taken as to his sanity in the Iowa cases, and it is now announced that they will come to trial very soon. A special session of the Clay county district court will be held in this city July 21 to hear four test cases. Judge Lot Thomas will preside, the session having been brought here for convenience. The Iowa lands are valued at $250,000. All of them are settled. The Nebraska lands are worth half as much more. A strong insanity case has been made for Irwin, and the contest will be a bitter one.

NOVEL STATE FAIR ATTRACTION.

Will Have a Genuine Railroad Wreck at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The state fair executive committee at a meeting today received propositions looking to putting on a novel attraction at the fair in September. It is a genuine train wreck. The scheme is to build two miles of railroad track through the grounds and start a locomotive and several cars at each end to run together in the middle of the stretch. As soon as the locomotives are well started the engineers will fasten the throttles open and jump. It is promised that a speed of forty miles an hour will be attained by each train by the time they come together, and that the wreck will be in every way equal to the best professional efforts.

Figures have been received on the entire attraction, including cost of the track and the locomotives and cars which will be wrecked, and the management is satisfied it would be a paying feature. The contract will be closed tomorrow, and it is understood the price will be about $15,000.

BOB KNEEBS' CASE POSTPONED.

His Friends Are Much Alarmed Over His Condition.

SIOUX CITY, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Jonas Clelland, American attorney for "Bob" Kneebs, the Sioux City man now doing time in Berlin for alleged horse "ringing" there, is in receipt of a cablegram from Dr. Schneider, the horseman's German counsel, saying the rehearing of his client's case has been continued; that Kneebs must remain in jail for the present and that a letter containing fuller particulars is on its way to America. On Kneebs' conviction several months ago he appealed and was granted a new trial. The date was set for July 4, and as he was fully prepared, his friends are at a loss to account for the postponement. Kneebs has been in jail so long that his health is failing and fears are entertained that his illness may result fatally unless he is speedily released.

Alleged Murderer Held.

DUBUQUE, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Christian Eckerlebe, the rejected lover accused of murdering Minnie Kiel, near Bellevue, July 4, was jailed today pending examination July 16. The blood-stained coat and shirt he wore on appearing in Bellevue three hours after the murder were sent to Dubuque for chemical analysis. Kilburg was discharged.

Caught Posting Incendiary Notices.

DUBUQUE, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Ida Foote and her brother, Henry, were arrested at Dyersville while posting notices threatening to burn the town. They are simple-minded, and wanted revenge on the people, whom they believed in sympathy with their enemy, Chemmel's flouring mill there burned last Sunday.

Cedar County Couple Weds.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—At Mechanicsville this morning occurred the marriage of W. R. Boyd of this city and Miss Hattie James of Cedar county. Boyd is editor of the Daily Republican of this city, and Miss James is one of the brightest young women of Cedar county.

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER.

Generally Fair and Warmer in Nebraska with Southeast Winds.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The forecast for Friday is:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Generally fair; warmer; southeast winds.

For Iowa—Fair; slightly warmer; winds becoming southeast.

For South Dakota—Fair; variable winds.

For Missouri—Fair; warmer in southern portion; east to southeast winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, July 9.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall, compared with the corresponding day of the past four years:

	1896.	1895.	1894.	1893.
Maximum temperature	80	72	87	84
Minimum temperature	62	50	65	63
Average temperature	71	61	76	74
Precipitation	.00	.00	.00	.00

Condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1896:

Normal temperature	77
Deficiency for the day	6
Accumulated excess since March 1	145
Normal precipitation	.16 inch
Deficiency for the day	.16 inch
Total precipitation since Mch 1.	17.52 inches
Excess since March 1	1.29 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1895	6.19 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1894	6.92 inches

Reports from Stations at 8 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Max. Temperature for day	Precipitation
Omaha, clear	78	80	.00
North Platte, part cloudy	72	76	.00
Salt Lake City, part cloudy	90	90	.00
Cheyenne, part cloudy	78	80	.00
Rapid City, clear	86	90	.00
Huron, cloudy	80	82	.00
Chicago, cloudy	70	72	.00
St. Louis, clear	80	84	.00
St. Paul, clear	82	82	.00
Davenport, cloudy	80	84	.00
Kansas City, clear	80	84	.00
Helena, part cloudy	80	88	*
Havre, clear	86	94	.00
Bismarck, clear	90	90	.00
Williston, clear	86	88	.00
Galveston, cloudy	84	88	.00

* indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH, Observer.

South Omaha News.

Mayor Ensor, as president of the South Omaha Board of Trade, has called a meeting of citizens for Tuesday evening at the council chamber. The meeting is called for the purpose of getting the committees appointed at a former meeting interested in the Transmississippi Exposition. At a joint meeting of the Board of Trade and the Municipal league, held some time ago, a committee of twenty-five was appointed to take steps to have the exposition located advantageously to this city. No meeting of the committee has ever been held.

Another important question will be presented to the meeting, and that is to take steps to induce the street railway company to extend its lines from Albright to Fort Crook. A number of the most influential business men are in favor of offering a bonus to the company if it will extend the line. Two citizens have also been found who are willing to donate the necessary land for a power house in Albright. It is thought that should the line be extended, a power house south of this city would be a necessity. Such a line would bring hundreds of dollars into the pockets of South Omaha merchants. Even now, with no transportation facilities, the streets are filled with soldiers every afternoon and evening, and they all spend money. John Flynn is enthusiastic over the plan, and will do all he can to help the project along. He said yesterday that he thought the counties of Douglas and Sarpy ought to provide the necessary funds to cover Mud creek from the packing houses to the river. The expense would not be great, and then the objection to the road through the bottoms would be removed, and with a little work, a fine drive could be made. When the Thirteenth street boulevard is completed it is feared that all of the trade will go straight to Omaha, whereas, if the car line can be extended now, while the weather is good, Fort Crook will get into the habit of trading here and would not be so liable to change when that road is opened.

MOVING FOR A THREE-CENT FARE.

South Omaha of the Opinion that is Enough to Pay.

Councilman Mullaly stated yesterday that at the next meeting of the city council he would introduce a resolution reducing the street car fare inside the city limits to 3 cents. He is of the opinion that 3 cents is enough to charge for a ride of one mile and that is the length of the line within the limits of the city, exclusive of the Albright stub. He said that in Detroit the fare had been reduced to 3 cents and he did not see why people who lived along Twenty-fourth street should be compelled to pay 5 cents to get to their places of business. The ordinance compelling the company to replace the present wooden poles with iron ones will come up for final reading and passage next Monday night, as will also the ordinance levying a tax on all poles.

Councilmen Hyland, who represents the Third ward and Mullaly of the Fourth are working hard to secure the promised extension of the line out Q street and north on Thirty-third to L street and east to Twenty-fourth street.

Youthful Quartet Runs Away.

Chief of Police Brennan was notified yesterday afternoon that L. Dair, Roy Horn and two girls, named Depew and May, had run away from home. The youngsters are all about 17 years of age and live in different parts of the city. They disappeared Wednesday night. The parents hunted for them all day yesterday, but could not find any trace of them, so the police were called upon. The Dair boy was arrested some time ago on suspicion of breaking into a box car and stealing some shoes.

Last evening a constable at Plattsmouth captured the quartet and brought them to this city, where they were locked up.

Magic City Gossip.

R. Preston of North Loup is in the city on business.

Miss Anna Saylcs of Wayne is here visiting relatives.

Charles Morton has about recovered from his recent illness.

F. G. Wallweber and family returned from Chicago yesterday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Roach is very sick.

Charles Messinger of Glenwood, Ia., is in the city with friends.

A. Englert came down from Lodge Pole yesterday with a car of cattle.

Meetings continue at the First Methodist Episcopal church, with good attendance.

Deputy Treasurer J. J. Wickes of O'Neill is in the city attending to some business.

Sam B. Christie went to Dexter, Ia., last night to visit his parents for a week or so.

G. E. Loveland, a North Platte cattleman, is in the city looking over the stock market.

James Jardine of Ashland is in the city for the purpose of buying several cars of feeders.

"Some Qualifications of Christ" will be the topic of Dr. Wheeler's Sunday morning sermon.

Mrs. M. Hughes of Waverly has returned to her home after spending a few days here with friends.

Dr. L. E. George of Yuma, Colo., and Ed Barson of Denver were visitors at the stock yards yesterday.

Mrs. C. Keating of Grand Island has gone back home after a pleasant visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Willard Carpenter of Fon du Lac, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. P. McAndrews, Twenty-sixth and N streets.

The porches from five vacant cottages at Thirtieth and Y streets have been torn off and carried away within the last few nights.

Mrs. J. T. Lucker and daughter, Edna, and Miss Annie Burghart of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting at the home of W. H. Stensloff, 174 South Twenty-first street.

Yesterday was pay day at Fort Crook. A canteen has been opened in a tent at the fort, and the soldiers will not be compelled to walk clear to South Omaha now to get a glass of beer.

Last evening the women of St. Martin's Episcopal church gave a lawn social at the rectory. The grounds were beautifully lighted and decorated, and many of the friends of the church attended.

"The Value of the Brotherhood" is the title of the address to be given by Dr. Wheeler to the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors at the Twenty-fifth Street Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

Lew Zimmerman of Agnew was at the yards yesterday with a load of cattle of his own feeding that averaged 1,263 pounds and sold for $4.15, the top price of the day. He purchased a lot of feeders to take out to his farm and eat up some of his immense corn crop.

Pat Condon was arrested yesterday by Special Officer Henderson for stealing a plank worth 25 cents from the Stock Yards company. Judge Christmann fined Condon 50 cents and the costs, which amounted to $3.

Frank Vomacka was held to the district court in $500 bonds yesterday by Judge Christmann for assaulting Frank Patac. The men had a fight and Patac's nose was broken, besides receiving a bad cut on the side of his head.

TO ANSWER FOR REBATING.

Western Roads Summoned Before Interstate Commerce Commission.

CHICAGO, July 9.—Great consternation was caused today among the traffic officials of the principal western roads by receiving a summons to appear before the Interstate Commerce commission in the United States circuit court room at Chicago on August 4 and make answer under oath whether they have directly or indirectly given undue preferences or advantages by paying rebates or making other unlawful concessions to shippers on business from Kansas City, Leavenworth, Atchison, St. Joseph, Omaha, St. Paul or Minneapolis, and all points east thereof.

The roads to be investigated are the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, Chicago & Northwestern, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Burlington & Northern, Great Northern, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, Hannibal & St. Joseph, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Missouri Pacific, Illinois Central, Wabash and Wisconsin Central lines.

As no complaint is named it is certain the Interstate Commerce commission has decided to institute these proceedings for the purpose of finding out whether the lines have been paying rebates and manipulating rates on grain, etc., from points in the west. This will be the first investigation of this nature since the supreme court declared the law constitutional. The railroads named above are ordered to file answer with the commission by July 23.

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Cubans Growing More Active.

MADRID, July 9.—It is stated that the government has been informed that the Cuban insurgents are increasing their activity in accordance with the instructions received from their agents at Paris and New York.

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Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, July 9.—There were quite a good number of buyers in the market, and in a moderate way considerable business was done in bleached cottons and a variety of autumn specialties, of which moderate quantities took a good aggregate. As a whole, however, there is about as much business doing as at the same time in past years. Printing cloths quiet at 2⅝c.

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At five different points in our territory Tribune bicycles were entered for races on the 4th of July, Tribune riders were placed or won.

A State Record.

The amateur tandem record for half mile on a quarter mile track, for Nebraska, is one minute and two-fifths of a second. It was made on a Tribune Tandem, ridden by Sabin of Beatrice, and Halley of Lincoln, at Lincoln, Neb., July 3d

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