COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Photo supplies and cameras, 541 B'dway. Bert Evans of Los Angeles is in the city and will remain a week.

County Attorney Saunders spent Sunday with relatives in Manilla. John M. Lane and wife returned yesterday from a trip to Chicago and Wisconsin. Arabian Degree of Clans will meet tonight ork in the third. A full attendance is

Deputy Marshal Frank Peterson was taken suddenly ill yesterday, and was compelled to relinquish his duties at the city build-

We offer special facilities to the man with

a limited supply of linen. Work returned on such short notice at the Eagle Laundry, 724 Broadway. The city jail was empty on Saturday for the first time since last summer. Yesterday the cells and corridor contained but two

unfortunate vagrants.

attack of pneumonia. All members of Concordia lodge No. 52 ar requested to meet at G. A. R. hall on Pearl street tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Special

business of importance to transact. L. A. Gray, who is just recovering from an attack of typhold malaria, left last evening for Chicago, where he will spend a week, after which he will go to the home of his parents in Waukegan, Ill.

There will be a special meeting of Excelgior lodge, No. 259, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, this evening, for work in the second degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of the worthy master.

A case of diphtheria was reported yesterday at the residence of Finley Burke on Oakland avenue. The patient is a nurse girl employed in Mr. Burke's family. The disease was detected by its symptoms at an early stage and the patient was promptly quarantined in the house. A case of membranous croup was also reported in the Henry family at 615 Fifteenth avenue.

Sydney Grundy's great play, "Sowing the Wind," will be presented at the Dohany theater next Sunday night. The management of Dohany's has secured the bookings of the Frohman agency and through this means expects to present to the amusement-loving public some of the best attractions on the road this season. This will be the first of them, and the strong presentation of the "Sex Against Sex." promises to attract the support that Manager Bowen de-

The first stage rehearsal of the "Burlesque Circus" was held at the opera house yester-day afternoon and the few fortunate ones who witnessed it are enthusiastic in their predictions of the success that will be forthcoming Thanksgiving night. It had been expected that Arthur Pryor, the great tromone player, would be here to take part in the performance, but word was received yesterday that an unexpected business compli cation has arisen and he would be unable to come. Mr. Haskell was greatly disappointed at the news, but the many attractive fea-tures of the entertainment will fully compensate for Mr. Pryor's absence.

D. L. Carpenter, cashier at the Union Pacific local depot, is the proud wearer of a button sent him by Major McKinley, on which is portrayed the McKinley homestead at Canton, O. When Major McKinley's supporters were working for his nomination for governor, in the memorable Ohlo campaign of '93, Mr. Carpenter, who has ever been an ardent admirer of McKinley, wrote him that if elected governor of Ohio, he would be the next president of the United States. This prophecy having been fulfilled, Mr. Carpen-ter had the ample right of writing to Major McKinley, "I told you so." On receipt of the letter, the president-elect acknowledged it in a very graceful note, enclosing the sou-

C. B. Viavi Co., female remedy. Medical consultation free Wednesdays. Health book furnished. 309 Merriam block.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250. All kinds of poultry cheap. Brown's C. Sewer Pipe, Fire Brick, Belting.

Wholesale and retail. J. C. Bixby, 292 Main street.

Hoffmayr's fancy patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it. Necktie Party Possible.

Had it not been for the extra precautions taken by the officers in charge, there were good opportunities for a necktle party Friday evening. But the public need not feel put out. The people will not be wholly disappointed. Hughes, the men's outfitter, at 415 Broadway, in order to give an idea of what he is going to spring for the holidays. has decided to give a kind of an opening; in short, it will be a necktie party. Tuesday evening, November 24, he will hold a reception from 7:30 until 10, during which tim all the newest things in neckwear will be shown. The store will be specially dressed for the occasion and each gentleman attending the reception will receive a useful souv-Especial invitations are extended to the ladies.

For Rent-No. 98 Fourth street, ten rooms. all modern conveniences, steam heat. Low rent. E. H. Sheafe & Co. Four quarts cranberries for 25 cents. Brown's C. O. D.

Day & Hess, 39 Pearl street, Council Bluffs have some extraordinary bargains in fruit garden and farm lands near Council Blufts. Now is the time to buy real estate.

Coal hod, coal shovel and lid lifter, all for Special for Monday. Brown's

28 pounds sugar for \$1. Brown's C. O. D. Farmer's Wife Kills Herself.

Coroner Jennings was notified yesterday that Mrs. Hilbert, wife of a farmer living three miles from Minden in Pleasant township, committed suicide yesterday by taking poison. Only the most meagre details of the case were given the coroner, but it was understood to be an undoubted case of suicide. The coroner directed Justice Crowe of Minden to go to the farm and view the body and make a report. An inquest will be held if the justice's report

several living children, Best sugar cured hams, 11 cents pound. Brown's C. O. D.

The excellence and purity of the home-made taffies at Riekman's are unexcelled. A Word to the Wise.

Sweets to the sweet. Young man, you don't want to forget that in your efforts to get along in the world there are more ways than one to catch bees. Come and see Riekman's fine chocolates and get a few pointers.

F. W. Dean, M. D., eye, ear, nose and throat, 241 Merriam block,

P. C. DeVol Dangerously III. The condition of P. C. DeVol was reported last evening to be very critical, and his physician had given his family and morning between Laramie and this city by friends but little encouragement to hope for recovery. Mr. DeVol was taken sick a few days ago. He had two congestive chills at the beginning of the attack and since then he has been gradually failing. Mr. DeVol is one of the pioneer merchants of Council Bluffs. He is an enterprising and public spirited citizen, and thousands of peo-ple will devoutly pray that his life may be

Dressed chicken only 6 cents pound.

Yes, Rickman has what you want in the way of pure candies. He can suit all tastes and all conditions of domestic economy. His candies are all pure and wholesome.

Get your winter supply of coal now before the rush and rise in prices. L. M. Shubert will fill your orders promptly and his prices are the lowest. Telephone No. 70; 628 West

Breakfast bacon, 7 cents pound. Brown's C. O. D.

Lundgard, the Tailor, 130 S. Main street.

SAVING IN THE CITY CASH

Six Months' Record Shows that the Effort tory in 1879, the school district was author is Succeeding.

ECONOMY IN ALL THE DEPARTMENTS

Figures Furnished by the Auditor \$1,400. In the Afford Great Satisfaction to the Citizens Who Feel the Stress of Depression.

Every effort possible is being made by he city government to reduce expenses and certain comparisons made by Auditor Evans show that the present administration Defuty Marshal J. T. Anderson was out has met with some success. The followyesterday for the first time in two weeks. Ing decreases have been made in the vari-He is slowly recovering from a dangerous ous departments since March 1, compared ous departments since March 1, compared

to the same time last year: Salaries of officials, \$400; fire department, \$295.95; fire and police telegraph, \$40; police and marshal's department, \$232; engineer's department, \$1,190; streets and alleys depart ment, \$970; printing and supplies, \$196; inspectors, \$457; miscellaneous, \$985-a total fecrease of \$4,765.

The sewer department shows an increase of \$250, damage and right of way \$188 public buildings and grounds \$250 city sound, \$200, which, with some other small increases, leaves the net decrease in the expenses for the six months, about \$3,500. It is expected that the second half of the fiscal year will even make a better show-ing and that the expenses for the whole ear will be decreased about \$8,000 from last year.

J. R. Snyder's storage sale will continue Monday, November 23.

Good potatoes, 20 cents bushel. Brown's J. R. Snyder's storage sale will continue

Monday, November 23. Murphy Took Him In.

Officer Murphy arrested a tramp last evenng and locked him up in the city jail. The eliow gave the name of John Harris, and claimed that he had been working at Neola. Harris had attached himself to Sam Simp Council Bluffs man, who lives at 917 bouth Eleventh street. Simpson was some what intoxicated and had been showing a small sum of money, and the officer was sat afied from the investigations he made that Harris was arranging to rob the drunken man.

Cut Glass_Beautiful. Just received a complete line of the rich-

est cut glass manufactured. Low prices. Rich designs. Useful articles, Jacquemin & Co., 27 Main street.

Fresh oyster, 25 cents quart. Brown's

COCKRAN GIVES SOUND ADVICE Republicans and Sound Money Demo erats Should Act Together.

The speech of the Hon. Bourke Cockran at the dinner of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday evening expressed in eloquent language the tone and tem-This per of the democrats of whom he is so distinguished a representative. They are the democrats who supported Mr. McKinley at the last election as the only means of resisting the malign forces which had obtained control of the democratic organization, and which still continues to hold it.

As Mr. Cockran said, those "forces of dis-order are still in the field, being marshaled by their defeated leader for a new assault upon credit and industry;" and hence, asked the speaker, how "can we afford to disband the forces of order," which overcame then in the late campaign?
Now that the election is over, and the

danger averted for the time being, there remain, accordingly, as Mr. Cockran remarked on Tuesday evening, only two organized political forces; the forces of disorder in control of the democratic organization, and the forces of order held together by the re-publican organization, from which came their main strength in the late canvass. That s the fact, and there is no use trying to escape from it. Bryanism has control of the democratic organization. It represents the only democratic policy with reference to questions actually in practical politics, which is capable of definition and formulation. As yet there has been no formulation of distinctively opposing democratic doctrine, and there is not in sight the prospect of tuch a crystallization. The tariff we have now is democratic, but it is also thoroughly protective in principle, and, therefore, har-monious with republican decirine and puroses on the subject. The Cleveland admir stration opposes silverism, with its utterly impracticable and wholly rotten scheme for impracticable and wholly rotten scheme for the retirement of the greenbacks by a vast increase in the bonded debt. The mere statement of it is enough to indicate its sure condemnation by every party with a shadow of political substance. It can never become a serious issue of politics, and was only contrived as a means of diverting at-tention from the disastrous failure of the present administration. resent administration.

Hence, there is at present no real question of principle or of policy which stands in the way of the continued combination of the forces of order in behalf of which Mr. Cockpolitical divisions as to the administration of the government when the existence of the government is imperiled? Can we afford to quarrel about systems of laws while the moral law itself remains in dispute in

American politics?"
The only difference between the repub licans and the honest democrats concerns moreover, a mere matter of detail as to th application of a common policy, the polic of protection. Without the assistance of of protection. Without the assistance of the issue of protection the great bulk of the republican party could not have been held together, Mr. McKinley elected and the catastrophe of Bryan's success prevented Mr. McKinley cannot go back on the protection principles of which he has been so long the foremost exponent without dismakes it necessary. The dead woman had graceful self-stultification and without reachery to the great majority of voters who made possible the victory of the forces of order. Those principles, however, can be carried out in legislation without offending against any actual democratic policy, for the present democratic tariff being itself essentially protective a reasonable under-standing as to precise schedules is entirely possible, and it is obligatory. There is no vital economic difference between the two; nothing essential for them to fight over. That being the case, the prospect of a settlement of the traiff question which will further cement the union Mr. Cockran deems so essential to the safety of the republic ought to be assured.

> Fast Time Over Sherman Hill. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 22 .- (Special.)remarkably fast run was made Wednesday the Union Pacific eastbound fast mail consisting of five cars hauled by engine 1437. The run was made in one hour and thirtyfour minutes. The distance is fifty-seven miles, and involves a climb of 1,100 feet in the twenty-four miles from Laramie to the top of Sherman hill, and a descent of 2,200 feet from Sherman to Cheyenne. The run is the fastest on record over the hill for a passenger train and has only of 2,200 feet from Sherman to Cheyenne. The run is the fastest on record over the hill for a passenger train, and has only been beaten once by any train. This was several years ago, when a millionaire New Yorker got left at Laramie. He chartered an engine and caboose and caught his train at Cheyenne, making the run from Laramie to Cheyenne in one hour and twenty from minutes.

> Silverites Will Contest. PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 22.—(Special Tele gram.)-At their meeting last night it was finally decided by the sliverites to make a contest in the legislature for the seats from this district. The face of the returns give the republican members of the housmajorities of about twenty-five and the sen-ate a majority of about sixty.

twenty-five minutes.

SCHOOL BOARD DECLARED VOID. Negligence in Its Issue Renders it Entirely Invalid.

PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 22.-(Special.)-In trict No. 7, Brookings county, which was decided by the supreme court last week, the question at issue is the validity of a bond issued by the district. Under authority of a special act of the legislature of the terri ized to issue bonds in a sum not to exceed \$2,000, and that in the esue of such bonds they should not be of a greater amount than \$500 nor of a lesser amount than \$50. The district contracted for the construction of a school building, and in payment for the erection of the same issued a bond for \$1,400. In the opinion written by Justice Haney the holding of the court is in sub-

Haney the holding of the court is in substance:

No question of fact is involved; nothing but a mere question of law. What construction shall be given the statute? The bond does not comply therewith. Is the provision in respect to denomination a limitation upon the power conferred or merely a direction as to the manner of its exercise. Assuming \$1,400 was required to pay for defendant's school house, and as alleged in the complaint, such house was furnished by the original payers, by whom the bond was taken without discount, it may be suggested that the district could not be affected by the fact that payment was made with a single bond of \$1,400, when there should have been two of \$500 each and one of \$100. Doubtless in this particular instance the materiality of the difference is not apparent, but the wisdom of the requirement does not concern this court. There are occasions in which the denomination of municipal securities is a matter of vital importance, a matter peculiarly within the legislative discretion. Should the court disregard the plain provisions of this special statute and substitute its own notions of public policy for those adopted by the legislature, a way would be open for the annulment of all restrictions upon the exercise of municipal powers.

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annulment of all restrictions upon the exercise of municipal powers.

Defendant's officers and the original payces of the bond sued upon either wantonly, or through inexcusable carelessness, disregarded an express provision of law, plaintiffs purchased the bond with notice of such conduct on their part and cannot complain if compelled to suffer the consequences. The district was clothed with power to Issue bonds of a certain and clearly defined description; it was not authorized to issue bonds of any other description. There was want of power to issue such a bond as the one sued upon; therefore, the bond is void.

ARE BOUND TO HAVE THE BALLOT. South Dakota Woman Suffragists An-

nounce Their Determination. HURON, S. D., Nov. 22 .- (Special.)-The South Dakota Equal Rights' association will hold its seventh annual convention in Salem on December 3 and 4. To this convention all political equality clubs are invited to send duly elected delegates and one delegate-at-large. Every Woman's Relief corps. Woman's Christian Temperance union, lodges of Eastern Star, the Rebekah, Degree of Honor and Royal Neighbors are requested to send fraternal delegates. The executive committee, composed of Anna R. Simmons of Huron, Eva C. Myers of Ornisota, Hannah V. Best of Miner, M. J. Sheldon of Sioux Falls, Rev. Henrietta Lyman of Pierre and Alice M. Pickler of Faulkton, has issued the following address:

has issued the following address:

The aim of this convention shall be to arouse that divine discontent which shall be to make women ashamed to remain longer in the attitude of wards in their own country; to stir the dormant sense of justice which shall make men unwilling to monopolize all power, as if women were not to be trusted.

We cannot, as women, be considered free moral agents until we are enfranchised. The influence of their own children is hampered, their attempts at work of philanthropy enfeebled, their position in the instruction would be added to the control of the control of the control of the control of the instruction in the instruction of the control of th

making.

The mission of the South Dakota Equal

The mission of the south Dakota Equal Rights' association is to aweken public opinion to the necessity of bringing the practice of our state government into har mony with the professed principle. Pro fessing itself a government of the people when it is actually an oligarchy of the pre when it is actually an oligarchy of the pre-ferred class. Professing that the citizens of the state shall be entitled to all the priv-lieges and immunities, and says in the bill of rights, section 27. "The blessings of a free government can only be maintained by a firm adherence to justice," and yet deliberately permits one-half of its people (the women people) to be deprived of the only legitimate means of taking part in the government—the use of the ballot. We seek to bring to the notice of the people such gross inconsistencies between profession and practice, and as such are to be con-demned in the interest of public morality. and practice, and as such are to be con-demned in the interest of public morality. In laboring for enfranchisement women work, therefore, not only for themselves, but for the establishment of state honor and the elevation of the whole human race,

Flow of Wyoming Streams. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 22 .- (Special.)-The work of gauging the flow of Wyoming streams, which has been in charge of the state engineer's office, has been finished for the season. The most important work has been upon the Laramie river, where the extensive irrigation works which are supplied by the stream and the fact that both Colorado and Wyoming take the waters of the stream, render its gaugings of great importance. A full record of the gaugings has been kept since 1889. A gauging station is maintained at Woods' Landing, near the Colorado-Wyoming line, and another a Uva, in northern Laramie county. The expense of the service is paid from the funds appropriated by congress for the United States geological survey.

Will Hunt Wolves. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Nov. 22 - (Special.) -A member of the firm of Moody & Davy, stockmen and bankers of Pomeroy, Ia., ac companied by an experienced hunter and guide, passed through here for the interior of the ceded Sioux lands, west of the Mis-souri river, where a wolf hunt will be indulged in. These animals were never so ran made his eloquent exhortation. To use numerous as now. The two men had with his words: "Can we afford the luxury of them ten grey and four trailhounds, and expect to annihilate a great many woives. They were well equipped for a protracted hunting expedition and are expected to give an in teresting account of their trip when they pass through here on their return.

> Will Use the Artesian Power. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Nov. 22 .- (Special. -Arrangements have been made at Crow Creek agency for running a pipe from the new artesian well to the agency grist mill, a distance of about 2,000 feet, with the intention of running the mill with artesian

well power. The artesian well which was recently completed at that agency is one of the best in the state, and will furnish an abundance of power. The contract for laying the pipe and putting in the power whee for running the mill has already been let. Railway Changes at Huron. HURON, S. D., Nov. 22 .- (Special.) -- Som surprise was manifested here yesterday when it became known that John S. Burke,

for ten years past assistant superintendent of the Dakota Central division of the Chi-cago & Northwestern railway, with headquarters in this city, had been assigned to other duties, and the vacancy filled by the appointment of Harry R. Sanborn, for several years superintendent of bridges. Bad Roads Stop Work. ROSEBUD, S. D., Nov. 22.-(Special.)-Work on the new government school on An telope creek is at a standstill, as the roads

to Valentine have been impassable for over

two weeks. The brickmakers cannot get

wood for burning and the Indians cannot haul the facing brick. Work on the artesian well is also at a standstill for want of coal. A few warm days are needed to make things move again. Killed a Little Girl. WHEATLAND, Wyo., Nov. 22 .- (Special.) On Sunday a party of emigrants returning from the Big Horn basin camped at Horseshoe, near this place, during a snow storm. The men were cleaning their guns after breakfast. While trying to get a cartridge out which had stuck fast in one of the guns the weapon was discharged. The shot struck a little girl aged 4 years. She lived

Wheat for the Indians CHAMPERLAIN, S. D., Nov. 22,-(Special, -Bids will be opened at Crow Creek agency on December 7 for furnishing that agency with 4,936 bushels of wheat,

For Benting His Wife. F. P. Fosdyke, living on South Eleventh street, was arrested last night for beating his wife and mistreating his family. He is charged with assault and battery.

AN ANCIENT JERSEYHJACKPOT

the case of C. Livingston against School Dis- A Poker Episode Old Enough to Sport Whiskers, (| | |

THE AFRICAN THAT WAS IN THE GAME

It Took Three Days and Several Hundred Deals to Open a "dacker"-And Then the Spell Was Broken by a Kiss.

The old settlers around Cedar Lake, Atlantic county, N. J., are still talking about a remarkable poker game that was played there away back in the '40s, the principal features of which were a series of strange deals and an enormous jackpot.

As the neighborhood chroniclers tell it, relates a correspondent of the Globe-Democrat, it happened this way: In 1845 the pine forests around Cedar Lake were hunting grounds for sportsmen from New York and Philadelphia. Deer were plentiful in those days and every fall and winter Isaac Hobron, who kept a tavern on the Egg Harbor turnpike, in the heart of the pines, did a land office business.

When the sportsmen were not ranging the woods in search of game they put in their time telling stories and playing cards in the big reception room of the tavern, and t is recorded that enough money changed hands under the roof of the Hobron tavern, before fire wiped it out of existence, to buy every inch of land in Atlantic county at \$10 an acre.

William Traverse, George Whitcomb, Harvey Duncan and Richard Potter, prosperous merchants from Wilmington, Del., played the stiffest game that was put up at the tavern. They came to the pines regularly every fall and stayed two weeks, during which time any man who happened to be around the premises could get into a real swift game of poker if he felt disposed any time that the Wilmington quartet happened be around. One afternoon the four men got around

a table and started a game. They rarely played together, and when they did their playing was watched with a good deal of interest by other guests, because a pot with \$4,000 or \$5,000 in it was a common thing. The four men on this particular afternoon played a listless game for a couple of hours, occasionally stowing away within them-selves one of Hebron's famous applejack Finally the toddles livened the men up and more ginger was put into the game. But force it as they did, it was impossible for one man to get much the best of another, and at the end of three hours' play ing they found that each had pretty nearly his original capital.

At last Traverse dealt and he was "given"

an opportunity to make a jackpot, which he did. The ante was \$1, and every time the "widow" was fattened meant \$3 to the man who could win the pot.

Traverse passed the cards to Whitcomb, who quickly dealt them. Nobody caught openers" and the pack went to Potter who ailed to do any better than Whitcomb had. and the cards went to Duncan, who said as he picked them up and prepared to deal:
"Til give you all openers, boys, so that
you can get a little fun for your money."
But he din't. The best hand out was
held by Traverse, and that was ace high. en times the cards were dealt and nobody aught an opening pair. In the center of he table was a pile of banknotes that made the spectators' eyes water.
"I never saw anything like this before,"

said Potter, "since I began to play cards. These cards have been dealt forty-four times and nobody has got as high as a pair of jacks. It beats the d-L." Some sort of witchery appeared to have gotten into the cards. Forty-four more times were they dealt and not a man caught

The game began about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and it was now about 11 o'clock at night. The pile of money on the table grew gradually and the crowd around the layers became more deeply interested.

The players worked till 12 o'clock, and yet the jackpot had not been opened.

"I move that we adjourn for one hour," said Potter; "perhaps if we get away from the table a little while our luck'll change." The men agreed to take a rest for an nour. The money in the pot was taken in charge by Hobron and the crowd was treated steaming toddies in rapid succession by he four players.

month. I'd be just as well pleased to let each man take his money out of the pot and stop the game." "Not much!" said Potter; "if the devil's really in the cards, I'm going to stay with em till he comes out. That jackpot's worth having now, and I'm going to try to get it."

Whitcomb and Duncan took the same view of it that Potter did, and it was agreed that at 1 o'clock the game should be sumed, and it was The cards were dealt until 4 o'clock in the morning, and nobody had been able to open the jack pot, which had now grown to splendid proportions.

The crowd surrounding the players be-

came excited over the strange run of the cards, and they began to wager among themselves that certain deals would bring "openers" to some one of the players. At last some of the men became so bolaterous through their interest in the game and the whilestice of Heberon's teddies that it was exhilaration of Hobron's toddles that it was lecided to lay the game over until the aftergoon, when it would be continued from

the point where it was dropped.

The cards had been dealt 238 times, and no man had held as high as a pair of jacks.

The jackpot now had some thing like \$1,100 in it, and each man was anxious to win it. The players went to bed, hunted in the forenoon, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon sat down to finish the game. The story of the peculiar run of the cards had spread throughout the neighborhood, and when the four men sat down to the table the big room was crewded with men, many of whom had driven a dozen miles to witness the

playing. A new pack of cards was demanded by Traverse. "If the devil's in that pack we had last night," said he, "we'll see how quick he can shift." His satanic majesty appeared to be equal

to the test he was put to, for deal after deal was made, and not a man was strong enough to open the pot. Supper was brought to the players, and they ate from the card table. After it was over playing was resumed, but with no change in the run of the cards. Finally, Potter suggested that Hobron be permitted to cut the pack. He did, but it made no difference. Then different men were called upon to "slice" the pack, but that brought no change.

At 1 o'clock Whitcomb remarked that he feared the devil had started out to break them all, and then take the jackpot him-self. The dealing continued till 4 o'clock with no "openers" out, and then another twelve-hour adjournment of the game was taken, and there was then in the jackpot

The crowd was wild. The men who had

their bard luck, and the men who had won their money were jubilant over their suc-cess. But the one man who was supremely happy, no matter whether the men won or lost, was Issue Hobron, because his toddies sold under any and all circumstances at 15

cents each. The game opened in the afternoon at the but nobody was able to catch two "picture cards" of the same denomination.

For eleven hours the cards were dealt, and nobody had been able to open the jackpot. The than \$800. Finally, Traverse brought his fist down on the table with a thump, and said:

"Boys, let's send a nigger to May's Landing for a pack of cards. I reckon that'll change our luck."

proposition was favored, and a negro was dispatched on horseback for the cards. negro returned. When he did the men sat down and opened the game once more. verse shuffled the cards, and Hobron cut them. They were dealt, and no "openers" fell. Each player wrinkled his brow, drew

The negro came to where Potter sat. 'Kiss these cards," said he, "and I'll give her reputation as a singer is such as ou a dollar. Without hesitation the negro kissed the

cards, took his dollar and retired.
"That means openers for somebody," marked Potter, as he threw the cards "I'll open it for \$1,000," calmly remarked

Everybody whistled. "It's worth staying for," said Whitcomb. Give me five cards."
Everybody took five cards excepting Dur can, who drew two, and then bet \$1,500 that the pot was his. Traverse and Whit-comb dropped out. Potter raised Duncan's et \$2,000 and was promptly suspected o

ool sum of \$5,000 "I call you," said Potter. "Three kings," said Duncan,
"Four deuces," said Potter, "That was
pretty good five-card draw, and I'm going

to give that nigger \$50 for kissing the cards,

A REMARKABLE HUSBAND. Rare Distinction of a Necessary Household Fixture.

They were two old friends, and they hadn't seen each other for a long time, so they stopped in the midst of a crowded aisle in a State street store the other day for a nice, comfortable talk, relates the Chicago Tribune.

married badly," said the tall woman.
"M-well, I don't know," returned the short one. "Emmeline says she's satisfied "But ho's never made her a living. She

has to keep boarders and work herself nearly to death, I hear." "Yes, that's so. But she says her husband is a very remarkable man. "Well, if that's the case, I'm glad I've narried a man that isn't remarkable. Fo my part. I like to have the necessities of life provided for me, and even to be able to afford a few bargains once in a while. But what does she think so remarkable about Is he so good looking?"

"Well, no. All his own mother ever said about that—he's an only son—was that John has a kind, expressive face. Still, Emmeline lways sticks to it that he's remarkable." "Humph!" said the tall woman. "I sup pose, then, he's one of these weather prophets seems to me a man that can tell ou whether or not its going to rain the day after tomorrow is hardly ever fit for

anything else." "Never heard anything of the kind about him," said the short woman; "he doesn' make political speeches, either, and he isn't worthless enough to play the fiddle or write poetry about the baby." "Then I don't see how Emmeline can say

that he is remarkable." only reason for it she ever gave me, when I've pressed her close, is that she never it her life knew such a man to find things it a bureau drawer. Say, there's an awful lot of women at that counter over yonder; let's "I never saw cards run that way before in my life," said Traverse. "I think the devil's in 'em, and he may stay there for a

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER Snow and Colder in West and Threat ing in East Nebraska.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The forecast for

For Nebraska and South Dakota-Threat ening weather, with showers or snow in western portions: decidedly colder in west western portions; decidedly colder in western portions; southerly winds, becoming
northerly.
For Missouri-Generally fair; warmer;
southerly winds.
For Kansas-Fair; warmer in eastern portion; colder in western portion; southerly
winds, becoming northerly.
For Wyoming-Snow; decidedly colder;
northerly winds.
For Montana-Snow; decidedly colder;
northwesterly winds.

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU OMAHA, Nov. 22.—Omaha record of rainfall and temperature, compared with correspond-ing day of the past three years: 1896, 1895, 1894, 1893

Normal temperature for the day

Deficiency for the day

Accumulated deficiency since March 1., 1

Normal precipitation for the day 63 inc

Deficiency for the day 03 inc

Total precipitation since Mcn. 1 23.01 inche

Excess since March 1 4.05 inche

Deficiency for cor. period, 1895, 10.53 inche

Deficiency for cor. period, 1894, 14,56 inche

Report from Stations at 8 p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER. North Platte, part cloudy. Salt Lake City, cloudy..... Cheyenne, part cloudy... Rapid City, cloudy..... Huron, cloudy..... Chicago, clear... St. Louis, cloudy St. Paul, cloudy... Helena, clear..... Kansas City, cloudy

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CARLES AND THE PARTY OF THE PAR AMUSEMENTS.

CHECK OF OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY. The lovers of the spectacular were out in force last night at the Creighton to witness The game opened in the afternoon at the appointed hour, with the crowd on hand, and the cards were not inclined to change the style of running that they had adopted ras' thrilling story. Tompkins' "Black crook" and enjoy the interesting situations of Bartasy before. The low cards were paired, but nobody was able to catch two "picture but nobody was able to catch two picture but nobody was able to catch two pictures of the familiar adventures of the Black Crook on great form of weakness from which and one great form of weakness from which and the picture but nobody was able to catch two pictures of the familiar adventures of the Black Crook on great form of weakness from which and one great form of weakness from which and the picture but nobody was able to catch two pictures of the black Crook on great form of weakness from which and the cards were paired. patrons of Omaha, and this season losce nothing in comparison with previous years' productions. The company opened last of them realize that they are in danger of evening with a number of new and attractive special features, together with the same elaborate exhibition of last year. The corps health and strength. It is for the benefit of the same of th The pot had increased in value more evening with a number of new and attractive de ballet is more numerous than usual, and the costumes are exceedingly dazzling. The specialties in this line, new to Omaha, the "International," the "Gems" and "La Americaine" received much praise. The fairy queen, "Stalacta," is in the keeping of Dorothy Lathrop, who combines much grace than I have felt for many years. It is an the costumes are exceedingly dazzling. The specialties in this line, new to Omaha, the It was a long and tedieus journey in those days, and it was several hours before the queen,

Orchestra will be heard in Boyd's theater long breath, and flung his cards into the on Tuesday night, and promises to be the middle of the table.
"Fatten the widder," said Potter, and the by local artists. The consensus of opinion "Fatten the widder," said Potter, and the by local artists. The consensus of opinion dollars went up to the pile. It was Potter's deal. "Where's the nigger that got these cards?" he asked.
"Hyar, sah," called out the man from the crowd.
"Come over here," commanded Potter
The regre came to where Potter sat.

The regre came to where Potter sat. Misa Lillian Terry will be the soloist and give her friends ample opportunity to hear her to much advantage. Messrs, Gahm and Albert have not appeared in public very much lately and the fact that both of then will play solo numbers will be a loadstone to attract the musically inclined. management has gone to much expense to give the people of Omaha a really meritor-lous performance and depends upon the people to justify the outlay. De Koven's and Smith's successful opera

The first concert of the Omaha Symphony

"Rob Roy," will be heard in this city for the first time when the Whitney Opera company opens its three-night engagement at the Creighton, with a special mat-inee Thanksgiving day. There has seem-ingly been much confusion in the minds Duncan saw the \$2,000 and raised it the of amusement lovers during the past week as to the identity of this attraction, many confusing it with the "Rob Roy" presented during the past week by a local organization for the commendable purposes of charity. Such, however, will be convinced of their error on seeing the name of the management, whom all familiar with things theatrical will remember as the one who so ably piloted "The Fencing Master" to its so pronounced success. The company which will be heard in "Rob Roy" this week includes a number of artists have won honorable mention in the struggle for success and have thoroughly pleased during former visits.

Arthur Donaldson, the baritone, will enact the title role; Albert Arling (tenor) will be seen as Prince Charles; Florence Walcott as Jenet, Mittee Atherton as Flora Me-Donald, and Francis Rosseau as Captain Sheridan. The comedians are Edwin H. Carroll, Harry Parker and George F. Kowles The company orchestra, under the direc-tion of Carl S. Burton, will be added to the regular orchestra of the theater. Seats for the engagement will be placed on sale this

"The Girl I Left Behind Me" will be again presented in this city, opening a three-night engagement at the Creighton next Sunday. The interpreting company which is under the direction of Charles Frohman, includes many who were nently successful during the original Nev The story of danger, love and devotion

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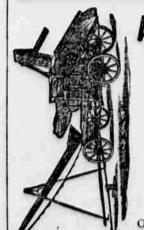
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