MINOR MENTION.

Photo supplies and cameras, 541 B'dway. Miss Lillie Haggerty has returned from a visit to Carroll

F. R. Conway, state printer, of Des Moines was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Winship are in Mon-

mouth spending their honeymoon. Unity Guild will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Madden, on Pierce street. The Junior Endeavorers of the Congregational church will give an entertainment

Mrs. G. A. Pitney and son of Arlington. Kan., are guests of the family of Deputy Sheriff Compton.

Augusta grove meeting this afternoon at 2:39 sharp at Woodmen of the World hall. Business of importance.

S. E. Lindsly, representing the Independent American Publishing company of Crea-ton, was in the city last evening. The Royal Neighbors of America Aid Rocle's will meet at Mr. P. H. Wind's, 738 Washington avenue, Friday evening, Decem-

Alice Gascoigne was severely injured and knocked down.

yesterday. The goods France and England.

glistening, snowwhite and fresh from the Eagle Laundry, 724 Broadway. Abe Lincoln corps No. 180, will meet in regular session Friday, December 4, at 2:30. As it is for the election of officers, every member is requested to be present.

The grand jury for 1897 and petit jury the next term of the district court will be drawn from names sent in by the various election boards of the county. They are to be drawn by the same commission as

Council camp No. 181, Woodmen of the World, meet in regular session this evening. are to be five delegates elected to attend

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thickstun returned home yesterday after an absence of nearly a year in Chicago. They most agreeably surprised their friends, who were not ex-pecting them. They will spend some time visiting their friends.

Mrs. H. D. Carbee has had Wilbur Saxton arrested upon the charge of disposing of mortgaged property. Saxton sold 100 cords of wood upon which Mrs. Carbee claimed to hold a mortgage. The charge will be heard in Justice Cook's court this afternoon.

The report in an evening paper that the judges who will hear the justices of the peace contest cases have been selected in without foundation. Justices Vien and Cook have agreed upon the same man, but his name has not been made public. The date of hearing has been fixed for December 18. Beach & Bowers' minstrels will be at the Dohany theater next Monday evening. The company comes well heralded by the press of the various towns in which they have showed this season, all of which prounce the performance up to date and enter taining. The olio first part is especially well spoken of, and some of the newest features on the stage are among the pro-

"Jolly Old Chums," the roaring farce comedy, which comes to the Dohany theater December 2, has a plot, to be sure, but that need not worry any one, as the numerous specialties, catchy songs and amus-ing features keep the audience in such a state of hilarity that the plot cuts no figure, and it is not until the tag of the piece is reached that the spectator recalls that the piece started out with a plot. With such a ve-hicle, and such a splendid company of comediana as have been engaged for its interpretation, there surely rests in store a rare treat for all. Seats are now selling rapidly in advance at the usual place.

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

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 259.

Big Sale of Cloaks at Boston Store. THERE WILL BE BUSY TIMES IN OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT SATURDAY.
Ladies' and misses' cloaks, Jackets and capes specially reduced for this sale Satur-Lot 1-About 100 garments, including

ladies' heavy plaid golf capes, misses' and children's long cloaks, worth from \$3.00 to \$10.00. We offer your choice Saturday for ic each.
Lot 2-Ladies' heavy beaver jackets in black and navy. Large sleeves, black veivet collars. Worth \$6.00, your choice Satur-

Lot 3 includes beaver jackets in black and navy, brown boucle cloth and chiachilla cloth, all cut and trimmed in the latest

Lot 4 corsists of tadies' jackets, formerly sold from \$15.00 to \$17.50, in tans, greens, browns and blacks; all perfecting-fitting and well made garments. Your choice of this excellent line for \$10.00.

BOSTON STORE, Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

This is the last day of the Broadway Metho dist bazaar. A fine lunch will be served at noon, and in the evening a dinner of roast beef and baked chicken. Clerks and business men will find an excellent dinner at

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

Durfee Furniture Co.'s great removal sale is now in full blast. You in it?

If you want a bargain in watches and diamond's call at Snyder's, 328 B'way.

Skates only 25cts pair at Brown's C. O. D.

Helping the Young Men. The regular monthly meeting of the Young Women's Christian association was held in the Young Men's Christian association rooms yesterday afternoon. There was a fair attendance of the members present. The necessity for aiding the association of their brothers was frankly admitted and earnestly discussed. Various plans were pro-posed and considered and the fact made very prominent that the young women were determined that the association should be maintained.

Pork tenderloins, 1236cts pound: chuck steak, 5cts pound; best pork loin roast, 7cts pound; chuck roast, 4½cts pound. Brown's C. O. D.

F. W. Dean, M. D., eye, ear, nose and throat, 241 Merriam block, Men's and boys' mittens, 10cts pair. Brown's C. O. D.

Real Estate Transfers. The following real estate transfers were reported yesterday at the office of J. W.

Squire: W A Mynster, trustee, to the Iowa

Three transfers, total......\$1,226 Soda crackers, 5c per lb. Bartlett Grocery

28 lbs. New Orleans sugar for \$1.00. Brown's Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday: Name and address. A Hennis Hansen, Pottawattamie Emma Castrow, Pottawattamie

J. E. Walker, Council Bluffs ... J. A. Humbert, Council Bluffs .

CARES FOR OTHERS INSANE GRAIN DEALERS IN CONVENTION

George F. Wright has returned from a Pottawattamie County Looks After Indigent Lunatics from Outside.

COMMISSION WEARIES OF THE PRACTICE

Has a Case Which Offers a Good Opportunity for a Test Against Fremost County and Will Pa b It.

The case of M. J. Tidd, a pauper suffering The case of M. J. Tidd, a pauper suffering from parcels, is being investigated by the commissioners of ineanity and is liable to result in some determined efforts being made to stop the dumping of paupers and lineane patients into Pottawattamie county from other parts of the state. Tidd was M. Eagnaton, Creation, M. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Furk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, Creation, M. A. Duff, N. S. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, Creation, M. A. Duff, N. S. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, Creation, M. A. Duff, N. S. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, Creation, M. A. Duff, N. S. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. M. Ramton, C. C. C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. A. Wincher, Shenandoah; C. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emerson; J. Purk, Blanchard; W. H. Eaton, Emer insane patients into Pottawattemic county from other parts of the state. Tild was M. to be taken care of by the authorities here. Moore & Ellis have rented the cigar stand He is a physical wreck, but was able to In the basement of the Odd Fellows' temple. tell how he managed to get here. He said they will open a branch store in the that he was placed on the train by the authorities there, who paid his fare. He had been a resident of Fremont county for Wednesday evening while skating on Spoon lake. She was struck by aonther skater sixteen years, but had been sent to Neola, this county, about two years ago, in order Two carloads of goods were received by that he might join his wife. From the A. Maurer through the custom house story told by Tidd his wife had described by Tidd his wife had been sent after him at that time and he had been sent after him to the tidd him at that time and he had been sent after him to the tidd him at that time and he had been sent after him to the tidd h her. From Neola his wife came to Council A smile of admiration came over her face Huffs and he again followed her. Her next as Algernon approached, his linen fairly move was to Masteron where she now is move was to Mapleton, where she now is. From here Tidd went to Randolph about three weeks ago. He has relatives living there, among them is William Wolf, husband of Tidd's viece. Wolf, Tidd states, was instrumental in sending him back to

this county as a public charge.

This part of the story is borne out by a letter that A. T. Flickinger, one of the commissioners received about a week ago from Wolf, asking that the county pay \$150 in order to defray the expenses of sending Tidd back to his friends in Ohlo. Wolf promised to release Pottawattamie county rom any further responsibility in caring or his uncle. His request was refused and There will be work in the protection de-gree. A full attendance is desired, as there Tidd was shipped out of Randolph back to

ouncil Bluffs.
The records of the oveseer of the show that Tidd and his family had been county charges for some time and that they had come here from Fremont county. As the county authorities were too lenien the matter he was allowed to remain, and he commissioners of insanity are now in

a quandary whether Tidd is really a citizen of this county or of Fremont.

Dr. Thomas said last evening that the present case would be thoroughly investigated, and that if it was found that the facts were substantially true as stated above, Tidd would be sent back to Fremont county and the matter placed in the hands of County Attorney Saunders to look after. Pottawat-tamie county has been frequently imposed pon and has cared for paupers and insanc patients shipped in from other places. Generally, said Dr Thomas, the persons sent here are in such a terrible plight that it would be inhuman not to harbor them for a time. Both Dr. Thomas and Mr. Filekinger stated that they favored making a test case as soon as possible, and if Tidd's story proves to be true, action may be brought against Fremont county to force the authori-ties there to care for him and stand the expense the county here has already been ut to in the matter.
Tidd was kept at the county jail last night and his case will be further investigated

Notice to Ice Hanlers. The cold weather of the past few days has put a nerry twinkle in the ice-dealers' eye, and by the beginning of the week probably two or three hundred men and teams will find employment. Hughes, the men's cuffitter, at 415 B'way, wants to say to the identified him last evening at the city jall icemen and laborers generally, that he is selling the best of felts and overshoes to be had for \$2.00, and the very best line of cars playes release released from the penitentiary for this crime. Officer Clear, who arrested him at the time, identified him last evening at the city jall. About eight years ago he was convicted of stealing a number of overcoats from a bound of cars playes release to the corner of Eighth street and beyond way. Murray is considered a danger-

Bread, 4c per loaf, 11/2 lbs. Bartlett Gro-

District Court Notes.

All the testimony was about in last evenng in the case of F. H. Evans against Josiah Danforth and the arguments will be taken up this morning. An amendment o the first count of the plaintiff's petition relative to the amount claimed as damages because the defendant did not own a controlling interest in the Fire Escape Manufacturing company, was offered, but was overruled by the court. The case has now or the purchase of the stock in the com-

and Trust company for \$113 for work done on the Grand hotel annex and a residence belonging to the defendant on Lincoln av

hat the verdict be set aside and one ered for them, or that a new trial be granted.

The will of the late Jonathan D. Hey wood was admitted to probate yesterday and James Heywood appointed executor. In the case of Mary D. Cotton against harles D. Palmer the demurrer of the dendant was overruled.

In the case of the Edward Thompson mpany against W. H. Ware, the ant was ordered to appear at 2 o'clock Sat urday and tell under oath what disposition he had made of certain goods bought of the company and for the payment of which the present suit was brought.

Concerned About Sing.

The mayor, city engineer and several of the aldermen spent a few hours yesterday on Lower Broadway watching the work of putting in the slag macadam in the sixteenfoot roadway that is to extend from the Northwestern to the end of the street. The city officials watched the work with a good deal of interest, and then began to investigate the material that was being used. They discovered that a greater part of the slag was of such extremely brittle a nature that it could readily be broken with the fingers. The officials feared that this would not make a very durable base Part of the slag is very tough, and resists the blows of the hammers most stubbornly but much of it is reduced to a pile of smal brilliant black cubes at the lightest stroke There was some disposition to interfere with the contractor until it occurred to the vis itors that this material was being used only for the base, and would not be subject to breakage after the work was completed There is a probability that some recom-mendations will be made at the regular eeting of the council Monday night.

New Orleans molasses, 25cts per gallon.

Brown's C. O. D. Spare ribs, 4c lb. Bartlett Grocery Co.

Herman Parr in Health Again. Herman Parr, the moterman who was in the terrible smashup that resulted from a collision between a motor car and a freight train on the Burlington tracks two years ago, has recovered from the effects of the dreadful injuries he received at that time. Mr. Parr partially recovered from the effects of the accident, and for nearly a year performed his duties, but last summer he had a sudden and dangerous relapse. He was taken to St. Bernard's hospital, and for a long time his life was despaired of. At one time he was reported to be dead and At one time he was reported to be dead and his friends were arranging the details of his funeral. Mr. Parr had the pleasure of seeing some of the flowers that had been ordered for his funeral and of reading his .23 ordered for his futbours. .20 obituary notice in the papers.

Three States Represented in the Con-

ference of Yesterday. The grain dealers of western Iowa, eastern Nebraska and the northern part of Mig jourt met at the Grand hotel last night Just what their business was they refused to state and the doings of the session, which was held behind the closed door of the rdinary of the Grand botel could not be learned. The presiding genius of the star chamber session was W. H. Chambers of Hepburn, Ia., secretary of the National Grain Dealers association. With seeming rejuctance he stated that the corn crop of lowa was in bad shape and that its condition was the object of much concern to the shippers and dealers. The continued rains of the summer and fall had made the season

from other parts of the state. Tidd was M. Bagnton, Creston; M. A. Duff, Nesent un from Randolph, Fremont county, braska City; D. Hunter, Hamburg; F. S. to be taken care of by the authorities here. Brownfield, Craig, Neb.; J. B. Samuels. S. Smith, Riverton; H. A. Noble, J. W. Frede, Watson, Mo.; R. J. Edmonds, Hawthorn; Ed F. Rose, Coin; J. S. Kyle, Shenanidah; K, Dockstader, Lenox; Jerry Wilson, Conway; G. A. Pierson, Orient; W. H. Cham-

Many of these in attendance last even ing were here last June at the meeting of the Western Iowa Grain Shippers associa-tion. They denied that they were here on any business connected with that organizaclaiming that they were to discusnatters relating to the national association and that Mr. Chambers was here to present the matter. When asked if the opers were contemplating any demand on the railroads for a rebate in the rates, M. Chambers said they were not and that they were perfectly satisfied with the present 17-cent rate. He acknowledged that there were a number of the elevator interests corresented at the meeting and that the nowledge of the meeting might cause some misunderstanding between the shippers and the dealers who were not connected with the elevator business.

Fancy New York apples, \$1.50 per barrel. Brown's C. O. D.

Raisins, 5c lb. Bartlett Grocery Co.

Ward Was Sandbagged. Several days ago E. A. Ward, a Union Pacific clerk who lives at 1709 Fourth avenue, was reported by his friends to be suffering from the effects of a fall on the ice. He continued in a dazed condition and con-cussion of the brain was feared. He has recovered his normal condition and is now certain that his injuries were not due to a fall on the ice, but from a blow with a sandbag in the hands of a footpad. The in-jury showed the effects of a blow on the top and back of the head in such a position that it could not have been the result of a fall. Then Ward has no recollections of having fallen or how the injury was inflicted. The marks of the blow are now very prominent in the form of a large contusion and swelling. The injuries were received on Saturday night, the day Ward should have drawn his monthly pay. He had, however, neglected to get his check and had nothing

Hoffmayr's faucy patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it, Sausage, 7c lb. Bartlett Grocery Co.

Dangerous Crook Caught. Officer Murphy arrested an old time crook last night who gave his name as J. J. Kinsey. He was booked on a charge of larceny and will be held until inquiries can be made whether he is wanted anylchere. Kinsey is known here as C. A. Murray, who was convicted of robbing the Colorado house about four years ago. He was but recently released from the penitentiary for this crime. of caps, gloves, underwear, and in fact every-thing for men that can be found in the city. If you want to stand weather see had a hand in some of the work that has been done lately in Omaha.

> Lundgard, the Tailer, 130 S. Main street. Salt pork, 4c lb. Bartlett Grocery Co.

PEON UPRISING IN OLD MEXICO. One Settler from Nebraska Alleged to

Have Been Killed. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—A little band refugees arrived from Mexico this morning bringing with them a thrilling story of the peon uprising in Mexico. The party consists of Alfred Getzer, his wife and dwindled down to two lasues, the claim of baby, and his father-in-iaw, H. C. Hamblin, Evans for the \$2,000 salary and his damages all of Denver, Colo. Up to the time of the peon uprising they were members of the Methaltoyuca coffee colony in Mexico. The C. S. Lefferts has sued Douglas M. Gayes and others to foreclose a mortgage for the family fled from Mexico to avoid being \$8,000 given February 1, 1895, on 195 acres of land in Pottawattamie county. cres of land in Pottawattamic county.

Ole Rasmussen has sued the Nashua Loan had a plantation near his, was murdered

Jumped from a High Window. The plaintiffs have filed a motion to set aside the verdict returned in the case of a wealthy resident of Hillsboro, O., committed suicide here today by jumping from mitted suicide here today by jumping from the law of a fifth story room in the Hotel NEW YORK, Dec. 3.-Eliza H. Cummings, about 55 years of age, and said to be ainst Brown Bros. and others. They ask a window of a fifth story room in the Hotel Empire.

SOLDIERS' PENSIONS SACRED

Federal Government Will Arrest Officers of an Iowa Veterans' Home.

INVOLVES AN IMPORTANT QUESTION lows Taxpayers Enjoin the Collection

Practice of Requiring Inuntes to Pay a Part of Their Income to the Institution Which Supports Them the Cause.

DES MOINES, Dec. 3 .- (Special Telegram.) -Federal officers of the southern district of lows will next week arrest the officers and trustees of the lowa soldiers' home at Marshalltown for committing a misdemeanor against the federal government by interfering with the pensions of soldiers who are inmates of the home. They will be taken at once before Judge Woolson for trial. The hearing will be sensational.

The arrests will be made on information furnished by Special Agent Gray of the federal service, who has been at Marshalltown for some time working on the matter. District Attorney C. D. Fuller of the southern district first worked up the case, which has grown out of the policy of the home requiring inmates to pay over to the management all their pension money in ex-

About two years ago the management of the home determined that inmates who had comfortable pensions ought to contribute part of them to the support of the institution. Accordingly the rule was made that when inmates drew pensions they should deposit their certificates with the command ant, and when pension vouchers came should pay all the money drawn, in excess of \$6 per month, to the commandant, who should urn the money over to the support fund of the institution. Pensioners unwilling to accopt these terms had the alternative of declining to enter the home. The rule further is that no pensioner receiving \$24 or more shall be admitted.

TESTED IN THE COURTS. As soon as the rule was made it caused opposition and the matter went into the courts. The inmates started a case and in the Marshall county court it was decided that they could not be compelled to turn over their pensions. The officers of the home appealed to the state supreme court, which held that the rule of the home could be enforced; then the inmates started an aritation to secure a ruling in contravention of the rule and at the last accision of the legislature a bill was presented but finally defeated, to this end. Since then the home has been collecting regularly the ex-

The officers who will be arrested are J. R. Ratekin, commandant; S. B. Evans of Ottumwa, R. J. Jefferson of Jefferson, A. T. Parchard of Marshalltown, C. L. Davidson of Hull, L. B. Raymond of Hampton, and J. W. Morton of Washington, trustees of the in-Morton of Washington, trustees of the institution. They will be arrested on the charge of violating sections 4,745, 746 and 4,747 of the revised statutes, which provides that no assignment, lien, sale or other incumbrance against a pension can be enforced and which make it a misdemeanor to accept such encumbrance against a pension. The statute makes one exception. In the case statute makes one exception. In the case of United States soldiers' and sailors' home, the commandant, in the interest of discipline, may require pensioners to turn over to him their pensions in excess of \$5 a month, to be held by him in trust and turned over to the pensioner or his heirs in case of his discharge or death. There is no circumstance under which money can be confiscated, as has been the Iowa rule. Under this law persons arrested for its violation can be taken directly before the federal court and tried without indictment.

This will be done in this case.

The lows rule is followed in several other states, and the present case is the first our begun under the statute against soldiers

Shriners Assemble at Creston. CRESTON, Ia., Dec. 3.-(Special.)-Th Mystic Shriners took possession of the town yesterday, 300 coming from Kaabe and other temples in the state and elsewhere. A number from the Omaha temple were present and aided in uncovering the mysteries to those seeking admittance, about sixty in number. Kaabe temple, Ancient Arabic Or-der of Nobles, from the oasis of Davenport. moved to Creston yesterday. They com-pleted their work last night and returned home today. The Shripers paraded in the afternoon, initiated at night and partook of a banquet at an early hour this morning at the new Summit, 200 plates being laid. It was a great day for the Shriners.

Must Pay for the Church.

CRESTON, Ia., Dec. 3 .- (Special.) - Judge Tedford has just rendered a decision against the Anchor Insurance company of Des Moines in favor of the trustees of the Dolge Center Methodist Episcopal church, giving them a judgment of \$1,066. The church was insured in the Anchor company for \$1,00%. It burned failed to make proof of loss, which the company required.

Fatal Freight Train Collision. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Dec. 3.—A Rock Is land freight collided with a special train near Brooklyn today. James Dyerm, engineer of Davenport, Ia., was killed, and a number of both crews seriously hurt. Both engines and twenty-five cars were wrecked. wreck was due to a mistake by Operator Howell of Grinneil.

Burlington Freight Train Wrecked COIN, Ia., Dec. 3 .- (Special.) - The south bound freight on the Burlington wen

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through a bridge two miles north of town this morning. The engine passed over all right, but four freight cars went through. Considerable damage was done, but no one was injured. Traffic was stopped all day. Passengers were transferred from the freight train to Coin by lumber wagons.

OBJECT TO A RAILROAD BOND ISSUE.

of a Special Assessment.
MANCHESTER, Ia., Dec. 3.—A committee representing eighty-five of the taxpayers of Colony township, Delaware county, have instituted proceedings to enjoin the county treasurer from collecting the special tax voted to aid in building the proposed Mis-riscippt, Solesburg & Manchester railway. The line was originally projected from Soles-burg to this city, but the plan was changed. and connect with the Chicago Great West ern, which company was to operate it. defect in the notice of election is alleged Contracts for building and ironing the road were under negotiation, but are postponed y reason of the injunction proceedings.

Gets Five Years for a Foul Crime BOONE, Ia., Dec. 3 .- (Special Telegram.) ludge Birdsell sentenced Andrew Kouhns to five years in the penitentiary today for incert, his daughter Mattic being the victim. He was charged with the same crimo by an older daughter, but was found not guilty The care will be appealed.

Killed by a Fall in a Mine. VICTOR, Colo., Dec. 3 .- John Ople, part owner of the Puzzler mine, on Straub mountain, was killed by falling down the shaft, 120 feet. His fall was due to the breaking o Opic was formerly manager of "Diamond Joe" Reynolds' mining properties in this Joe" Reynolds' mining properties in this state, and, before coming to Colorado, was inspector of mines in Pennsylvania.

Iron Works Burned Out. CLEVELAND, Dec. 3 .- Fire, which originated from a lamp explosion, entirely destrayed works No. 2 of the Variety Iron company, near the corner of Hamilton street and Case avenue, early this morning. The loss will be between \$40,000 and \$50,000, fully covered by insurance. One hundred and fifty men are thrown out of employment. The plant will be rebuilt at once.

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER.

Nebraska Promised a Fair Day with South to West Winds. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3,-The forecast for Priday is: For Nebraska and Kansas Fair; south to west winds.

For Iowa-Generally fair, possibly praeded by local snows in northeastern por ion; west winds; warmer. For Colorado-Fair: south to west winds.

For South Dakota-Generally fair; south-For South Dakona—Generally Litr, soliday west winds; warmer in eastern portion For Wyoming—Cloudy and threatening weather; west winds. For Montana—Showers; west winds; warmer in eastern portion, followed by colder Friday night. For Missouri—Generally fair; southwest winds; warmer in eastern portion. winds; warmer in eastern portion.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU,
OMAHA, Dec 3.—Omaha record of rainfall
and temperature, compared with corresponding day of the past three years:

Maximum temperature 37 31 46 14 Minimum temperature 16 6 19 14 Average temperature 25 18 32 8 Rainfall 60 T 60 T

Reports from Stations at S p. m. STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

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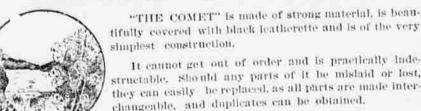
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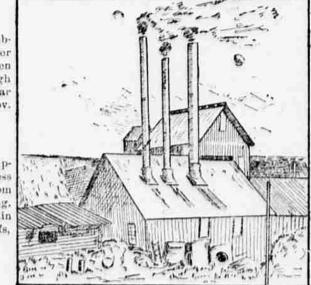
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