Go by the Almanac---

Never mind the mercury-It was always so from time long ago -June-then July-Goods of seasonable sorts are heaped up and priced down delightfully here--



Our window display shows but a few of the styles more on our counters that you must not miss socing -they will interest you sure. New choice things go first, you

No need to be un-comfortable when can buy a service-able, cool and lovery Wash Dress - for loc a yard, SERGINE FRAN-CAISE Sometim's called Cotton Covert -A full line again of absolutely fast colors-price, 20c.

NOVELTIES—On black ground—beautiful lace effects in dark colored Wash Goods— At 12½c—15c and 17c. LINEN BATISTE-Plain colored, at-15c, 17c. LINEN COLORED BATISTES-At 125cc

Organdies from France—25c Everybody is talking of the hot weather and our Organdies. For a real bargain we recommend you to our 50c and 35c French Organdies at 25c.

Extra Values in Silks—

A beautiful assortment of black and colored Grenadines-extra good in both price and quality-\$1.00.

50c Fouland Silks -35c 75c Foulard Silks-50c.



We will place on sale Monday morning a lot of Children's Mull Caps which have become slightly

CHOICE 25C EACH-The lot contains caps that have sole \$1.25 and \$1.40 each

Waists and Corset Covers-

It costs so little now to be comfortable. These prices will appeal to your economy.

Children's seamless ribbed Waists-to be worn with or without vest-18c or 3 for Extra fine Waists-at 25c.

Cambrie Corset Covers-square necks-at Better quality-embroidery trimmed-at 26c.

this amount the witness stated that the bal-ance was \$419.215.53, being the same as the

The witness read the receipts by classes

balance shown by the records of the office.

June 5, 1896. The only receipts in the

be \$40,965.43 received from county treasur-

NO RECORD OF TRANSFER.

Witness was shown the check by means of which the defeuse claims Bartley transferred

\$50,060 June 4, 1896 from his personal ac-count to the state general fund. He stated

positively that there was no record in the

amount represented by it.

given as \$379,751.93.

1891, were given as follows:

treasurer's office of such a check or the

between April 1, 1895, and January

The witness was next interrnogated regard-

ing the proceeds of the sale, of the warrant, \$180,101.75, and was asked if such proceeds

or any part of it had ever been credited to

the state or accounted for by the defendant in any way, as showed by the records of the

treasurer's office. He replied that no part of

uch proceeds had been credited to the state

The witness was asked if the records of

EXPERT STICKS TO HIS TEXT.

The first hour of the afternoon session yes

terday was taken up by the cross-examina-

who attacked the qualification of the witness

shake the testimony given by the witness as the result of his examination of the treas-

urer's books. This attempt was not success

throughout the crossfire of questions pro-

The next witness called in rebuttal by the

pounded by the attorney

an expert accountant and attempted to

during June, 1896, the witness stated to

ed States for Soldlers' and

Satiors' home
Gonvict labor
Various state officers
Laminded



are headquarcool wear. We certainly show some choice bargains.
Ladies fast black Lisle Omaha has black Lisle one of our new styles. heel-Jo.
Children's very ane fast lan Hose, double toe, sole 5 heel all sizes-Jo.

adies' ribbed Liste Vests, earn rousers or V-shaped needs, no sleeves, 50c quality-for 35c-or 3 for \$1.00.

Infants' summer weight Wool Vests, high ne k and long sleeves-reduced from 35c to 25c,

In Our Basement Store—

LINEN NOVELTIES-Rich lace stripes-at That's equivalent to saying our "Bargain Store"-for really we are surpassing ourselves in our Basement Store offer ings this season-even such as matter of-fact Sheetings-notice how we price

UNBLEACHED SHEETINGS.

42 inches wide at 74c, 9c, 11c per yard. 45 inches wide at 8%c, 10c, 12%c per 50 inches wide at 125c. He per yard, 54 inches wide at 135c, 15c per yard, 8-4 at 11c, 15c, 19c per yard. 9-4 at 1215c, 18c, 20c per vard. 10-4 at 14c, 20c, 221sc per yard.

BLEACH AND HALF BLEACHED. 42 inches wide 74c, 10c, 123c per yard. 45 inches wide at 8½c, 11c, 14c per yard, 50 inches wide at 8½c, 12½c, 15c per yard, 54 inches wide at 10c, 15c, 1615c per yard. 8-4 at 1214c, 18c, 20c per yard, 9-4 at 14c, 20c, 2215c per yard. 10-4 at 1514c, 2214c, 25c per yard.

Plain Black Lawn Waists-



Another shipment of fine plain black Lawn Waists came in yesterday. "Marquise" style-all sizes up to 44-\$1.50. LINOLA—The new washable facing for linen "Marquise" style—all sizes up to 44-\$1.50.

skirts—comes in five-yard leces—at 15c Still a few fine Lawn Waists—38 to 40 sizes to close out at the bargain price of 50c. and green, red and green.

THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO.

Wash Goods that are new- Ladies' Hosiery and Vests- Big Discount on Parasols-

They say we an immense quantity of Parasols- so many that we fear evno more this ferring to



Infants' Silk Vests, high neck and long sleeves—or low neck and short sleeves—over, reduced from \$1.25 and \$1.00—10 loc.

They'll all be gone Monday at these prices. Black grenadine with heliotrope lining-reduced from \$4.50-to \$3.00.

Plack brocaded satin heliotrope lining-reduced from \$5.00-to \$3.50. Printed India silk, with white chiffon ruf-fle_feduced from \$4.50-to \$3.50. Colored brocaded silk, with enameled sticks to match-reduced from \$3.75-10 \$2.50. Fancy black and white striped silk-reduced from \$5.50-to \$1.00.

Black and white and blue and white Shep-herd check-reduced from \$3.00-to \$2.00. All \$2.50 Parasols reduced-to \$1.75. Black brocaded Silk Parasols, ebony han-dle-reduced from \$1.75 and \$5.00-to

Art in Sofa Pillow Tops-

Designs that seem to have been made just for you-so well will you like them, Sofa Pillow Tops—in light pink, blue and yellow—with applique design to be em-broidered—35c and 50c. Blue Denim Sofa Pillow-Fleur de Lis de--top and back-at 25c each

Our Linen Handkerchiefs-

Mopping one's brow does little toward cooling, perhaps, but linen handkerchiefs feel grateful on a hot Ladies' unlaunder-

ed plain linen Handkerchiefs -3 for 25c. Plain linen Hand-

A broken line of ladies' and gentlemen's Initial Hundkerchiefs-reduced from 25c to 15c.

New Reversible Belts 50c, 75c The new colors just in are black and brown, black and green, black and red, black and blue, brown and green, blue

OMAHA IS GOING AFTER IT

Arming Itself to Capture the National Educational Association.

LARGEST CONVENTION THE CITY SEEK

Several Cities Want the Meeting Next Year, but Superintendent Pearse Gives Reasons Why Omnha May Get It.

The National Educational association which meets at Milwaukee next month and which Omaha is trying to get for 1898, is the largest convention which this city has yet sought to bring here. The effort to bring the association to Omaha has been taken up actively by the teachers in the state as well as by those in the city, and they have had the hearty co-operation of the business interests of Omaha. Preliminary steps to secure the convention have been taken, and the delegation from Nebraska will be armed with all the proper documents to formally invite the association to come to this city in the exposi-

This association, the strongest organization of teachers in the world, has been in existence for nearly half a century, though its first president, Prof. Zalmon Richards, is still living in the city of Washington. The association led a precarious life for many years, but at the meeting held in Madison, Wis. in 1884, was finally placed upon a firm footing, financially and otherwise. Thomas W. Bicknell was president at this the first of the great meetings. Since that time the attendance has varied from 5,000 to 20,000, the meeting at Toronto in 1891 having reached fully the latter figure. The coming meeting at Mil-waukee promises to equal if not surpass the Toronto meeting. The association now brings each year to some large ta small city can no onger entertain it) 10,000 to 15,000 comfort able, intelligent people, who pay their bills and enjoy themselves much after the fashion f ordinary human beings, a crowd of people wide departure from the traditional "schoolma'am" and "schoolmaster

Omaha will provide as a hall for the large meetings the Den of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, with ceating capacity for 10,000. This is a better hall for meetings than the association has had, except the hall which Milwaukee will provide for the coming meeting, also suitable halls for all section and committee meetings.

A mass meeting was held some two week ago, at which a committee was appointed, consisting of Superintendent Pearse, Mr. Victor Rosewater, Mr. John E. Utt, Mrs. F. M. Ford and Mrs. Jennie E. Keysor, which was to make detailed arrangements secure a definite formal proposition, and re-port at an adjourned meeting. The work s about completed, and another mass meeting will be held Tuesday, June 22, at which the committee will report, and committees will be appointed to attend the convention Milwaukee and present invitations the various bodies. PROSPECTS FOR OMAHA.

In discussing the prospects for securing the convention. Suggestion needs to be assured of adequate hotel accommodation. Omaha can give this assurance. A canvass of a few of the leading hotels shows capacity for 2,600 people, with room for as many more in the

smaller hotels, and those in the residence district, as many more in the boarding houses of the city, and as many more in private homes which would be available. Add to this the increased accommodations which will be provided for the exposition year and no trouble need be feared in earing prop-

erly for the visitors.
"The western railroads have always been the best friends of the association. Their courtesy and liberality in the way of rates. in condition of tickets, and in limits for the eturn journey, have been unfailing, and satsfactory arrangements in these respects may be counted upon as a foregone conclusion

from any commanding point, like the High school tower, shows the best residence districts embowered in trees and commodious homes, and charming grounds are found in every direction from the business center There the fine blocks of wholesale, business The witness was then asked how much and office buildings stamp Omaha as a metropolitan city. The streets, well lighted and paved, are traversed in every direction by electric cars, which make access easy every part of the city and its suburbs

"Omeha has been a little late in formally entering the contest, but now being in, ex-pects to give a good account of herself. "Los Angeles will present an invitatio but the principal competitor seems likely to be Salt Lake City. This is a pleasant place but for several reasons it is not believed the association will wish to meet there in 1898 Salt Lake City is not likely to change. will be the same in 1898 that it is in 1897 or as it was in 1895.

WILL BE OMAHA'S YEAR.

"The thousands who go to California this year, tempted by the phenomenally low fares offered to the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, and not likely to t offered again for years, will all, either goins or coming, stop in Salt Lake. Two years ago the Nebraska Endeavor association me in Denver and thousands who were there visited Salt Lake. If the association should go to the metropol's of the desert in 1899, or 1900, or 1901, would not any one of them be just as good a year as 1898? While in 2898 Omuha will be at its best, will have most attractions and will be best equippe to care for the convention. It will Omahe's year.

"It may be true that some, doubtless many of those going, if the meeting were in Salt Lake, would stop over in Omaha, but not more than one-half or one-third as many would go to Salt Lake as would be likely to come to Omaha. The great bulk of the membership of the National Endeavor asso-ciation comes from the territory within 800 miles of Omaha. The great bulk is from the territory lying east of a line drawn north and south through Omaha. Is it good public policy to compel all those who go to travel the additional 1,200 miles lying between Omaha and Salt Lake? The association would certainly suffer in funds through de crease of membership fees. What is more serious, great numbers of the educators of the land for whom the association exists and holds its meetings would be deprived of the privilege of attendance on account of the "Omaha people believe that all those who

attend these grant, meetings when held reasonably central, points will prefer hold their meeting for 1898 where they may not only attend the convention, but upon the same experiditure, visit also the great Transmississipple and International exposi-tion. For those who wish to go further equally good rates will be provided to the countains, the Pacific coast, or to the north-

OMAHA TO INVADE MINNEAPOLIS Local Elks Expect to Secure Their Na

The Omaha Elks, are preparing for the final effort to secure the 1898 convention o their order for this city. The grand lodge of the Benevolent Order of Eiks is regarded as one of the most desirable of the many conventions that will be held foring the year, and some of the biggest cities in the country are disputing with Omaha the right to its entertainment. For several menths past the Omaha members of the order have been planning to secure the plum for their city and their efforts have aroused more than an ordinary degree of local enthusiasm. Aside from that they have succeeded in inter

Detroit, Denver and Louisville are all after the convention, but Baltimore and Philadelphia are believed to be the most for midable riyals of Omaha. All these citi will send special trains loaded with un formed Elka to the next grand lodge at Minneapolis where the battle for the 1898 convention will be fought. Grand Rapids to thought to have dropped out of the race

that the western delegates will be a unit i favor of the Exposition city.

The local lodge expects to go to Minne

> Roads Fail to Arrive at a Satisfactory Traffic Agreement.

UNION PACIFIC AND SHORT LINE AFFAIRS

Sixth Conference of Officers of Tw Lines Adjourns Without the Differences Being Settled-Another Meeting Next Week.

General Manager Dickinson, General Solicitor Kelly, Freight Traffic Manager Mun-Lafe After Death" will be the subjects of row and General Passenger Agent Lomex of the Union Pacific returned to Omaha yes terday from the Chicago conference with the officials of the Oregon Short Line. Chicago meeting was the sixth attempt on the part of the management of these two lines to arrive at a satisfactory traffic agree ment, but, like all its predecessors, it was without result. The seventh conference will be held in New York City next week.

Despite the assurances of harmony and the predictions that the conference would result in a settlement of all difficulties, it is known that the meeting was anything but harmonious. The Union Pacific absolutely refused to allow a division on the basis of a constructive mileage of 1.75, and the Short Line spurned all offers of a constructive mileage of a less amount.

Now that the managements have been un able to reach any agreement, the controversy will be handled by the higher officers of the roads. At the New York meeting next week the Union Pacific will be represented by its receivers, and the Oregon Short Line by its receivers, and the Uregon Short Line by its directors. These officers were to have attended at each performance. able to get out west at this time. Oliver W Mink, one of the Union Pacific receivers, and the gentleman whose name is frequently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the road, came out from Boston to attend the Chicago conference. But even his in-fluence was not sufficient to restore harmony between the two belligerent lines.

AFTER FOURTEEN LONG MONTHS.

elfic to Put in New Tariff. Today will complete the fourteenth

HALF FARE TO COLORADO POINTS.

DENVER, June 19 .- The Colorado railoads have decided to give a rate of one fare for the round trip between all points in the state for the benefit of visitors to the Interstate for the benefit of visitors to the Inter-press Queen;" at Park Avenue United Pres-national Gold Mining convention, July 7, 8 byterian church Rev. Edgar MacDill will have and 9. Besides this, a one-fare rate has for his subject this evening, "Christian been made to Salt Lake for the Transmis." England;" at Grace Lutheran church Rev. Issippi congress and Utah Ploncer jubilee ment of delegates at large. The committees preparation for the entertainment of visi-The program has not yet been completed. A feature of the preparation is the organization of a committee of over 100 Denver women to arrange for the comfort and entertainment of women visitors.

CHICAGO, June 19 .- Negotiations are in progress today between the interested parties to the Union Pacific-Oregon Short Line squabble looking toward a settlement of tho difficulties which have threatened a serious war in passenger rates in the west. A conference was held this afternoon between representatives of the Missouri Pacific, Santa Fe, Oregon Short Line, Rio Grande, Western, Burlington and Rock Island roads, the outome of which is hoped to be an amicable settlement of the interests in dispute. It is said there is no likelihood of the gateway being again closed to all the roads but the Union Pacific. It has finally been decided that whatever terms are made for one road will apply to all. In other words, the Union will be treated no better and no worse

than all its competitors. Omaha Road Makes a Cut. CHICAGO, June 19 .- The Omaha road has decided to meet the rate of \$30.50 made by the Soo Line from Duluth and West Superior for the round trip between these points and Chicago. Just how the Omaha road can do this is not easy to understand. as all the roads running out of Chicago to the east have said that they would demand their full percentage of all the tickets seld from the northern cities to Chicago. It is said, however, that the Omaha will sell all of the tickets possible between now and next Tuesday and fight out later the ques-tion of divisions with the eastern roads. This action may have the effect of opening

GOES TO HIGHER OFFICIALS up the fight over again but the balance of the Chicago-St. Paul roads are waiting to see what the Omaha will get out of the divisions, and if it is compelled to stand all of the reduction they will take no action in

NEW ROUTE THROWN OPEN TODAY. First Through Train on Kansas City, Pittsburg &Guif. KANSAS CITY, June 19.—The Kansas

City, Pittaburg & Gulf railroad is speeding on to the Gulf of Mexico and it is announced will be in operation between Kansas City and Port Arthur next month. Commencing next Saturday through trains with through sleeping cars will be run from Kansas City to Port Arthur by the way of Lake Charles, La. The trains will use the tracks of the Southern Pacific railway between Lake Charles and Beaumont until the gap be-tween Quincy and Beaumont is filled. The construction work is proceeding rapidly and it will be only a few weeks before the Pillaburg & Gulf will reach Port Arthur over its own tracks from Kansas City, Lake Charles, which it will reach next week, is 741 miles south of Kansas City.

Eric Enraings.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 19 .- The annual statement of the Lake Eric & Western ratiroad shows that the gross earnings for the year suffered a decrease of \$174,830.55. The net carnings show a corresponding de-ercase of \$175,943.55, and the surplus, after paying charges and dividends, decreased paying charges and dividends, decreased \$174,785.29. The sarnings from the following sources were: From freights, \$2,136,-588.91; from passenger, \$831.548.19; from mail, \$66.538.98; from express, \$52,871.90; from car mileze, \$165.768.28; from miscellaneous, \$99,956.45. Total, \$5,344.273.71. Short Line Matter Settled,

CHICAGO, June 19 .- It is definitely deded that hereafter the Ogden gateway will be open to all of the roads that have busi-

ness there, and that the Union Pacific will have no advantages and no disadvantage as compared with its competitors at that point. A conference was held today between representatives of the lines interested business and this much was settled. The chances now are that the entire matter will be settled without a war in the rates. Wreck on the Burlington.

Engineer Hamilton was killed outright and

his fireman was seriously injured by the wreck of the Burlington train, No. 11, known as the lown local, at Creston, Ia., early yes terday morning. The train was just moving out of Creston when it ran into an open switch and was ditched. The train was west-

Railway Notes and Personals. Engineer McClure of the Iowa Central will speak to railroad men at the Young Men's Christian association hall this afternoon. Traveling Freight Agent Retzner of the Elkhorn reports the arrival of a little girl

The Elkhorn has announced that it will make one-fare excursion rates between all Nebraska points within 200 miles of each other, July 4.

baby at his house yesterday in time for

Western railroads have agreed to make a rate of one and one-third regular fare for the round trip for the convention of the independent telephone companies of the United States, which will be held at Detroit, June 22-24.

SERMONS ON THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE. Special Services at Several of Omaha's

The services at several of the local churches today will be in connection with the approaching diamond jubilee of Queen Victoria. The Diamond Jubilee association of this city requested a few days ago that the ministers of the city devote their services today to this subject. It cannot be said that enough of the pastors have accepted the invitation to make the service general, yet sufficient have done so to give the day a coloring of jubilee

morning Dr. John Gordon will take for his topic, "Queen Victoria;" at Castellar Strest Presbyterian church Rev. J. M. Wilson will preach this morning of "Victoria, the Em-Luther M. Kuhns will preach this morning on "The Womaniy Queen of an Illustrious Age;" at Trinity Cathedral Dean Fair will take as the subject of his sermon this even-ing, "The Victorian Age;" and at the Church of St. Phillo the Deacon Rev. John Albert preach on "The King's Daughter All Glori-

Frank A. Johnson, living at 4210 Pierce street, told the police last night that some horse thief had made away with a valu-able mare which he kept tied in a barn nearby. There is no trace of the lost ani-

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER. Generally Fair and Cooler with Winds In the Northwest.

WASHINGTON, June 19.-Forecast for For Nebraska and Iowa-Generally fair; poler; northwesterly winds, becoming

Wyoming-Scattered showers: variable winds.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, June 19.—Omaha record of rain-fall and temperature compared with cor-responding day of the past three years;

| 1837, 1896, 1895, 1894, | Maximum temperature | 92 | 88 | 77 | 84 | Minimum temperature | 73 | 70 | 59 | 55 | Average temperature | 81 | 79 | 68 | 74 | Rainfall | 62 | 14 | 60 | 12 | Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March | 1897; at Omaha for this day and side it is it is it. Is it is it. Is it is is it is

HOT WEATHER BARGAINS. MILTON ROGERS & SONS.

White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers...... 81.45 Two-burner 1897 Reliable Gasoline Stoves, warranted \$2.95 Tin Sauce Pans, sets of 3, for gas and gasoline stoves 50c 2 burner Oil Stoves..... 900 Sitka Refrigerators 85.40 up Grapite Tea and Coffee Pots..... No. 8 Nickel Plated Copper Tea Kettles.... Improved Success Family Filters, extra quality..... Water Coolers, charcoal filled

Milton Rogers & Sons,

\$99.116.12. The receipts to the general fund auditor. He testified that he is now emand January 6, 1897, were \$426,674.18 ployed to check up the various county treas-Hefore the witness was allowed to state irers and make a report to the auditor. He these items the defense opposed the admission said he had been employed to assist in check-ing up the books and records of the state of this line of expert testimony, alleging that the state had no right to ask a witness to trezzurer. Regarding his experience as an state conclusions reached by him after exnoncy had been actually turned over to state conclusions reached by him after examining the books. The defense argued that deputy county clerk of York county and bad the records of the office were the best evi chool fund. been employed in auditing and checking and should be used for this purpose.

public accounts up to the time he was em-played by the state auditor. This raised the same question that was ed for a whole day in the Bolin case. The witness was then interrogated regard-Judge Baker held to the same ruling ing the expenditures from the permanent school fund and corroborated the evidence faid down in that case, and admitted the given by Helbig as to the total of the ex-The witness was then asked to state the penditures from this fund. He was asked to disbursements during the same period from the general fund. He answered that the disbursements were \$1,105,571.77. The balance in the general fund at the close of April 10, 1895, Hamilton county

April 10, 1895, Hamilton county for the same on hand January 6, 1897. He made the goupgutation and stated that the total was 13, 1896, Otoe county fund-\$1.524.790.30. Taking the disbursements from March 5. ing bonds March 5, 1896, Richardson county railroad bonds March 5, 1896, Harlan county fund-1896, Greeley county 2und-

showing amounts received from the following 1896, Boone county court 30, 1896, Otoe county funding 30, 1896, Boyd county fundds 1896, State relief fund September 4, 1896, Nuckolls county funding bonds ctober 10, 1896, Dawson county eWitness stated that the books and records showed no receipt of \$50,000 from J. S. Bart

10,290 28

\$100,000 00 SCHOOL MONEY IS USED. The attention of the witness was called t he draft in payment of the bonds of Otce county, amounting to \$85,000. He stated that the amount of the draft was charged against permanent school fund. He also stated that the Saunders county bonds were paid for out of the permanent school fund. The The witness was then asked regarding the permanent school fund and stated that the balance in this fund April 1, 1895, was \$548,-034.88; The receipts in this fund during the The witness further uary 4, 1897, in payment for the warrant the defense that the account would be rein the case and interest was deducted from ceived in evidence, the defense declined to

This completed the direct examination the witness, and he was cross-examined by Attorney Whedon. The cross-examination did not change Mr. Archerd's testimony in

any material particular. Robert Taylor of Omaha was the next witness. He said he had been employed as an accountant with railroads in various The amount on hand in the permanent school fund at the close of business January 6, 1897, was stated to be \$389,956.01.
Witness was shown the draft for \$85,000 for the payment of Otoe county bonds, and parts of the country for the past twenty-eight years, the last two years having been spent in the employ of the B. & M. and Union Pacific. He said he had been em-ployed to audit the books and records of the stated that this amount was never credited to the school fund as coming from Bartley, as claimed by the defense. state treasurer and auditor from April 26

to June 7, this year.
The witness testified that he had examined the accounts of the treasurer as shown by the records in the auditor's office. The relience given by this witness was merely corroborative of that of Experts Helbig and Archer, showing the same condition of the receipts, expenditures and balances in the general fund and the permanent school

The state then called Treasurer J. B. the office disclosed that the permanent school fond received any money whatever from Bartley during the period between April 1/0.1895, and January 6, 1897. He replied that the records did not disclose any receipt Meserve and asked him what conversation he had had with Bartley regarding the amount of the state general fund in his hands at the close of business on the last day of Bartley's term, January 6, 1897.

The witness stated that Bartley submitted a statement to him at that time, which had been furnished by the auditor for the purpose of settlement. He produced the state ment and stated that Bartley told him at time that the statement represented money in the various funds, and also the securities he had to be turned over to the witness BARTLEY'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

n the general fund and also the amount in

against them. Everett was also locked up last night on the same charge as the woman. He pleaded ignorance of a for-mer marriage upon the part of the woman. Has Lost His Wife.

Not only piles of the very worst kind can The state then offered in evidence that be cured by Do Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, portion of the statement showing the amount but eczema scalds, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers and all other skin troubles can be lu-

the statement showing balances in these funds in the same amounts testified to by the experts as being chown by the treasrecords, as follows: In the general und, \$419,215.53; permanent school fund,

This was objected to by the defense on the ound that the settlement had already been djudicated by the supreme court.

County Attorney Baldrige said this evilence was pertinent as rebutting the con-ention of the defense that Bartley's private

would offer the testimony for the sole pur-pose of showing that the Otoe and Saunders county bonds were paid for out of the per-manent school fund and not out of the inlividual funds of the defendant Attorney Mahoney insisted on his objection claiming that it involved bringing into this case the matter of the settlement of the defendant with his successor, which had no connection with the case at bar, and also be-

by his statement or whether it did not agree nad no bearing upon this case. DID NOT PAY AN EXCESS.

alled for by the report. The witness was not cross-examined by the The state then offered in evidence the four sheets produced by Banker Harwood, containing the account in the First National of Lincoin of Bartley as state treasurer. This is the account which the defense offered in evi-

ceived in evidence, the defense declined to the general fund account in the treasurer's offer the account again. it he was prepared to show why it had been opened, but the state had objected and the deferse had been unable to show this, and he claimed that it was shutting out the defense by admitting the account at this time

> Following this the prosecution announced ception of calling Mr. Balch for a few mo-Had Too Many Husbands.

Pasquale Constanza, who is also known as Mary Boucha and Mrs. Fred n a charge of adultery. She was married Pasquale Constanza, but after a month left him. For six months she lived with ed Everett, a builder of screens, at 511 South Sixteenth street, as homsekeeper. A few weeks ago the two went to Council Bluffs and were legally married. The deserted husband then filed a complaint against them. Everett was also locked

Charles N. Williams, who boards at 1211 bouglas street, reported to the police yesterday that his wife had packed her grip and left without notice. The exe arrived from Chicago but a few days aco. Williams is of the opinion that his wife is tempo-rarily demented.

the defendant in the permanent oney had been used for the benefit of the

The defense objected that the admission of this testimony would bring into this case the question of the final settlement of Bartley with his successor without allowing him any opportunity for defense. Attorney General Smyth said the state

the transaction in question occurred in Lancaster county, and whether the amount turned over agreed with the balance shown

After a lengthy discussion Judge Baker ruled that the question should be put in a different form and the attorney general asked the witness with the statement of the statement the witness whether Bartley had paid to him more money in the permanent school fund than was called for by his statement. The defense opposed this question, but the objection was overruled, and the witness relied that he did not at that time or at any other time turn over more money than was

witness further stated that the \$201,000 dence and then, after the court had recon-covered by the check drawn by Bartley, Jan-sidered its ruling excluding it and notified sidered its ruling excluding it and notified greatly increased expense.

> Mr. Mahoney objected to the admission of the account saying that when he first offered The objection was overruled after the offer had been modified so as to cover only such part of the account as was related to cer-

their plans and they have an excellent chance

and the bulk of the delegates who were for that city will be likely to be for Omaha Down in Texas a number of lodges have instructed demonstrator at the Western College of their delegates to vote for Omaha first, last and all the time, and the indications are guests of H. K. Burket.

apolis nearly 100 strong. The members will wear their new uniforms and will be ac-companied by the Twenty-eccond infantry band. They will travel on a special train from Des Moines to Minneapolis and when they get on the ground they will give their eastern competitors a lively the genuine Nebraska hustle. lively exhibition o

Hear John L. Webster at Creighton theater tomorrow evening on "The Stars and Stripes" and "The Union Jack"—a contrast.

AMUSEMENTS. CHARLES TO THE TRANSPORTATION OF STREET "Man, the Master of His Destiny" and he two lectures to be delivered by Mrs.Aude Besant, the prominent leader in theesaph-

cal work, who will be heard at the Creighton theater Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 22 and 23. Mrs. Besant will be remembered from her former visit to Omaha. when she received marked attention socially and her entertaining talks were heard with iterest by large audiences. Besant has always been an extensive travcler, her recent tour has been the longert of her career, she having visited during its irse every civilized country in the world. Much interest is being manifested in the ctures, and a large attendance is anticipated. Seats will be placed on sale tomor-

The last performances of the season at Eoyd's are announced for today. The atraction will be the Kirke Comedy company resenting 'Camille' at the matinee, and Three Silk Hats' in the evening. The oving picture, showing counterparts of orbett and Fitzsimmons fighting for four be presented at each performance.

Coaster Is Injured.

F. Sorenson, while coasting down Hamilton treet, lost control of his bicycle last night and ran into a motor car which was tasting from Twenty-fourth street. The wheel was a recked and the wheelman badly bruised bout the hands and face. He was taken to the home nearby by friends who witnessed has applied. he accident.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sixteen cars of ore for the smelting works assed through the custom house last week. The jury in the United States court has een excused till next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A charge of "sweeping sweepings into the gutter" has been filed against Frank Wigingon, a porter, arrested Friday. An employe stole \$30 worth of razors and arbers' tools from the barber shop of A. J.

Rev. G. W. Isham of the First church Hastings, Neb., will occupy the pulpit this morning at the Hanscom Park Methodist The Knights of Tabor of Omaha will attend

services at Afro-American Methodist church

this afternoon. Rev. J. C. Owens will preach

Taylor, 1719 St. Mary's avenue.

a special sermon at 3 o'clock.

rested

Next Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. L. B Cake will give an entertainment at Trinity cathedral, the proceeds of which are to be given to the choir boys of the church. David Lewkowitz, a small boy, went into Kuhn's drug store last night and stole a penknife and several other trinkets which were lying loose on the counters. He was ar-

Stephen Bennett was arraigned before Judge Munger yesterday on the charge of using cancelled postage stamps, and pleaded not guilty. He will be tried nex week. A. A. Houck of Albion decided to plead

guilty to mailing nonmalable matter and Judgo Munger fined him \$25 and costs. He surprised the court officers by at once pay The receipts of taxes at the city treas urer's office are showing considerable im-provement. Thursday the receipts amounted

to upward of 90,000 and Friday they were

The city is attractive in July. A view | Henry Dugan, a stockman from on route to Maine, visited the burnt districlast night and went into the house kept by Pet Webb. He is now mourning the los of \$16, which he wants the police to recover E. S. Colvin and William Locey pleaded guilty vesterday in the federal court to disposing of liquor without a governmen icense, and each was fined \$10 and costs.

The court gave them a specified time in

which to pay up, failing to do so subjecting them to rearrest. John Smith and a companion named Welch together with another friend, stopped to talk with a woman near Ninth and Capitol avenue last night and a quarrel resulted. The woman got a club and hit Smith over the right ey with it. Two long gashes on the eyelid an frug store a few blocks distant, where hi rounds were sewed up. Smith is employed as a watchman at the Transmississippi Ex-

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

M. Benjamin of Chicago is stopping at the G. H. McGill of Minden is at the Hote Brunswick.

F. A. Emery of Chicago is stopping at th Hotel Brunswick. Clint B. Slater of Chicago is spending Sun day at the Barker.

C. B. Horton has gone to Chicago for few days on business. W. A. Puxton, sr., left last night for at extended western trip. R. B. Merriam of Chicago is in the city

A. G. Kleman of Kansas City is a gues at the Hotel Brunswick. W. H. Parsons left for Chicago last night on a short business trip. H. J. Cashman of Plattsmouth is stopping

G. D. White and P. F. Collins are registered at the Millard from St. Louis. Leon Bloch, William Rood and P. D. Risle of New York are at the Millard. B. B. Hadley of Chicago is in the shaking bands with old friends

Miles Mixson and Edwin Warfield of Balti more are registered at the Millard, Captain J. B. Menardi of Sheridan, Wyo registered at the Hotel Brunswick Miss E. Reasoner of Chicago is a visitor i the city and is stopping at the Millard.

A. G. Kelm of Beatrice, deputy United States marshal, is stoping at the Barker. Miss Mabel Stuht leaves today for Tacoma Wash., to visit her brother, Dr. Albert Stuhi Alfred S. Cooley of Lincoln, deputy United States marshal, is registered at the Barker Mrs. G. G. Burnett has gone to San Franelseo, where she will visit friends for

George F. Swift of Chicago, who has n the city for a short period, left for home last night Miss Elinore Agnew left last evening for incoln, where she will visit friends for short period.

state arrivals stopping at the Barker. Rev. A. W. Gould of Chicago, secretary of he Western Unitarian conference, uest of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Joslyn. Charles Mason Talcott, assistant superi tendent of the Pullman company, returned last evening from an extended western tour. Dr. Shepard and Mrs. Catherine Shepard cturned yesterday, after a visit to the water

or Philadelphia where he will spend the csessment system. G. F. Garthwait of Holdrege, whose foot was accidentally crushed by a Burlington train at the Union depot a few days ago, left

Tax Commissioner Sackett left last nigh

for home last night. J. H. Sharer of Alliance, O.,

Stephen Bennett, Tekamah; J. L. Richards Lexington, Miss Helmer Stulp, Beatrice, ar

14th and Farnam Sts.

Shippers Ask Elkhorn and Union Pa-

nonth that the shippers of Omaha have been waiting for the Elithorn and the Union Pacific railroads to put in the long promised Lincoln rates. It will be remembered that new tariffs, giving to Omaha the same rates westward as Lincoln enjoyed, were issued and were to have gone into effect on April 20, 1896. There was some opposition to the new rates from the Lincoln merhants, and the roads were enjoined from making the rates effective. The Omaha merchants allowed the matter to be passed by temporarily, accepting the promise that the rates would be put in before "a great

It is probable that the matter will be taken up once more and that within the next ten days something definite, one way or the other, will be decided. The freight rate committee of the Omaha Commercial club, composed of the representatives of fourteen of the principal business houses has taken the matter up and resolved to push it earnestly. Several requests have been made for a meeting with General Man-ager Bidwell of the Elkhorn to consider the matter, and a conference will doubtless be had within the next few days. Though the matter has been apparently slumbering for the past fourteen months, the Omaha mer-chants haven't lost track of it, and are now preparing to have the long promised rates

Visitors to Geld Mining Congress to interest.

Be Given a Chance to See the State.

At Westminster Presbyterian church this July 14 and 20, respectively. The governors of seventeen states have so far notified the managers of the convention of the appoint in charge of the affair are very active in

LIKE TREATMENT TO ALL ROADS

No Prospect of the Closing of the Ogden Gateway.

J. C. Buchanan of Detroit is stopping a

southeasterly, For South Dakota-Fair; variable winds, For Missouri-Showers; clearing Sunday afternoon or night; cooler; variable winds, ecoming northerly.

For Kansas-Fair, preceded by shower eastern portion; cooler; northeasterly