Expert at Work on the Main Lines Whence Light Will Come.

LIGHTING FOR EXPOSITION GROUNDS

Superintendent Rustin Maps Out the Location of Wires and Conduits for the Service Around the Grounds.

Henry Rustin, superintendent of light and power, is engaged in laying out the lines for the electric light poles which will be placed at the back of the buildings in the main court to earry the large conductors for the arc and incandescent lights, which will make the Grand Court as light as day during the festivities which will take place during the feativities which will take place penter work were submitted by local con-there at night. Mr. Rustin is also arrang-tractors and those from outside points. ing for the running of lines about the bluff tract and the north tract for furnishing light for those portions of the grounds wherever required.

There will be no unsightly lines of wire strung upon coles to disfigure the plaza in with Secretary Dearing of the Nebraska Exfront of the main buildings, but all wires position commission regarding the pro-necessary for supplying the arc and incon-descent circuits will be placed under ground private educational institutions. They in conduits. The arc lights will be placed on top of high poles of a handsome which will barmonize with the buildings. Immense numbers of incandescent lights will be used to accentuate the architectural dehe used to accentuate the architectural de-sign of the various buildings, bringing out their several striking features in the most striking manner. The details of this electric decoration have not yet been fully determined, this matter being in the hands of Luther M. Stieringer of New York. Mr. Stieringer will come to Omaha early in the coming year, when the main buildings shall have reached on advanced stage, and will then determine upon the details of the plan for this decora-tion. As at present contemplated, the general effect will be decidedly novel and attractive and Mr. Stierlager expressed the greatest satisfaction when here at the opportunities for electric decoration afforded by the general arrangement of the main court.

PROGRESS IN THREE STATES. Wyoming, South Dakota and Iowa at

the Exposition. The people of Cheyenne, Wyo., are becoming aroused to the necessity for having their state represented in the Transmississippi Exposition and meetings are being held to devise ways and means to bring about this The fact that the legislature did not make an appropriation is generally regretted, but the people are now formulating plans for making an exhibit by raising the necessary funds from private subscriptions. Several plans have been discussed and it is announced that decisive action will be taken

very soon. Governor Lee of South Dakota is taking an active part in making provisions for raising money for a state exhibit at the Exposition. In an interview in a Yankton paper the gov-ernor is quoted as maying that it would be ernor is quoted as saying that it would be necessary to raise more than \$15.000 or \$20,000 for this purpose and he expresses the opinion that this amount can be readily collected. He strongly advocates prompt action and promises to do all in his power to

further the movement. The lowa papers are giving strong support to the movement of the lowa Exposition commission to secure an additional appropriation for a state exhibit. The state debt is urged by the opponents of another appropria-tion as an urgent argument against any further expenditure in that direction, but it is urged, on the other hand, that Nebraska's nearest neighbor would suffer by such an exhibit as could be provided with the \$10,000 already appropriated.

FOR ENGINE AND BOILER ROOMS. Architects Complete the Designs for the Power Plant.

The plans and specifications for the Power building have been turned over to the Department of Buildings and Grounds by the position grounds yesterday. During the how the members of the exchange who rearchitects, and bids for the construction of this building will be asked at once. The plans provide for a wooden framework covered with corrugated iron. The building is in two sections, one for the engines and dynamos and the other for the boilers. The latter section is to be 137x59 feet in dimensions, located alongside the railroad track which enters the exposition grounds at the extreme corthern end of the bluff tract. Immediately west of this section will be the engine room, 169x62 feet in size. The building will be forty feet high at the summit the roof, the side walls being twenty-si feet in height. A visitors' gallery will be provided in the middle of the building, be-tween the two sections, where visitors may stand and watch the operations of the plant This gallery will be so arranged that visitors must enter it from the outside of the build ing, and they will be prevented from going upon the floor of either the boiler room or

KANSAS WILL MAKE A SHOWING

Counties Raising a Fund to Bear the E. S. Tucker, commercial agent in Kansas for the exposition, reports that he is meeting with flattering success in that state. He says a scheme has been adopted whereby the counties of the state are undertaking to raise a certain amount of money which is to go into a fund to be used for making a state ex-It is proposed to raise about \$25,000 in this way, the amount being apportioned among the counties of the state according to the property valuation. Mr. Tucker says the counties are taking hold of the matter with vim and he expects that a considerable amount will be raised in this way.

He recommends that the 1,000 feet of space allotted to the state of Kansas by the Department of Exhibits be assigned to the Kan-sas State university and he suggests that Prof. Dyche of the university be asked to install in this space his extensive collection of mounted animals and Arctic curies, which he says attracted great attention at the World's

Mr. Tucker reports that the Kansas Salt company of Hutchinson will make a large exhibit.

Staff for Government Building. James Alexander, the junior member of the firm of Alexander & Son of Memphis, Tenn., has arrived in the city and has com-menced the erection of a staff shop for making the staff ornamental work for the Government building. This firm had the contract for the staff on the Government building at the Nashville exposition and was the successful bidder among a large number of others who competed for the contract on the Government building at end of the Government building and the steff will be stored under the latter

THE GREAT HUXLEY.

What Huxley, the Great English Scientist Considered the Best

Start in Life. The great English scientist, Huxley, said the best start in life is a sound stomach. Weak stemachs fail to digest food properly because they lack the proper quantity of digestive acids (lactic and hydrochloric) and peptogenic products; the most sensible remedy in all cases of indigestion is to take after each meal one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets because they supply in a pleasant, harmless form all the elements that weak stomachs lack.

The regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure every form of stomach trouble

except cancer of the stomach. They increase flesh, insure pure blood, strong nerves, a bright eye and clear complexion, because all these result only from

wholesome food well digested. Nearly all druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cent: full sized package. Send for free book on Stomach Troubles to Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

PLANS ELECTRICITY SYSTEM structure as fast as it is turned out of the shop. Mr. Alexander says he will employ about twenty men at the start and will increase this force as the work progresses. He will commence work as soon as the workshop is finished, which will be imme- Real Estate Exchange Gives a Banquet to diately after Christmas.

BIDS ON HORTICULTURAL BUILDING

Offers for the Construction Made to the Executive Committee. Blds for the construction of the Horticultural building on the bluff tract at the exposition grounds were spened at the office of the Department of Build ngs and Grounds this morning. There were nine blds on the carpenter work and two for the staff work. The Westlake Construction company of St. Louis, Mo., was the lowest bidder on the carpenter work and Alexander & Son of Memphis, Tenn., were lowest on the stuff work. The Westlake Construction company proposed to to the carpenter work for \$22,900 and Alexan. der & Son offered to do the staff for \$8,000. The second staff bid was made by Smith & Eastman, who were about \$3,000 higher than the successful bidder. The bids on the car-Manager Kirkendall was authorized to enter into contracts with the lowest bidders.

Nebraska Commission Notes, President D. B. Perry and Prof. Fairchild of Donne college have been in consultation

commission has made no provision for fur-nishing space for private schools and they will appear before the commission at its next meeting for the purpose of asking that provision be made for space for exhibits of this Secretary Dearing of the Nebraska com-

mission has sent out 10,000 circulars to the schools of Nebraska and to others interested concerning the educational exhibit to be made by the Nebroska schools. These have been accompanied by blank applications for space on which the schools of the state are ex-pected to make application to Superintendent Jackson for the amount of space they wish for their exhibit.

Utah Plans On Exhibition.

Vice President Shurtliff of Utah is taking ective steps to make the mimeral exhibit of its state a very superior display. He has a certain dignity to our deliberations, and appointed Don Maguire of Salt Lake City as manager of the mineral exhibit and Mr. Maguire has commenced work. The leading mines in the state have been asked to sento Mr. Maguire their choicest specimens of ore and the smelters have been asked to conribute bullion bars. It is announced that every effort will be made to equal or excel

the Colorado display in minerals.
It is also announced from Utah that the lear River Irrigation company is making oreparations for an exhibit of irrigation that vill be unique. Fruit trees will be transplanted from the company's irrigated farms to the Exposition grounds and the system of irrigation in use in that section will be re-produced, the trees blooming and bearing fruit under the influence of the irrigating process, right on the Exposition grounds.

Local Dealer Sells Pictures The Department of Publicity is issuing arge "hanger" consisting of a full sheet of heavy coamelled paper on which are shown the official bird's eye view of the exposition grounds, and handsome half-tone cuts of the main buildings grouped about the margin making a very handsome picture. These are in great demand and callers at the office of the department in the The Bee building are supplied with copies to send to their friends or to display in their places of business. No charge is made for the pictures and the office force is kept busy supplying callers. An outerprising storekeeper has taken advantage of the popularity of this picture and has sent he has been selling the pictures to his cus-tomors at 5 cents each, and it is probable

Cold Holds Back Work Little.

The cold weather interfered but slightly with the progress of construction on the exearly morning hours very few carpenters were working, but as the sun mounted higher the atmosphere became more agreeable and

work was pushed vigorously. The Carpenters on the Auditorium building and the men engaged in putting staff on the Machinery and Electricity building sustained their record for working in all kinds of weather and started to work at the usual hour.

The men employed in building the toboggan slide made good progress in spite of the

Water Mains Are In.

The laying of the mains for the water ystem on the Exposition grounds has been ompleted. All is now ready for making the connection with the mains of the water company, but when this final step will be taken is a conundrum which the Expesition management is very anxious to have solved.

Notes of the Exposition. J. M. Quimby of Newark, N. J., manufacturer of fine carriages, has made application

for space for an exhibit of his goods. Captain H. V. Billings of Billings, Mont. is in the city looking into the prospect for a mobilization of the militia at the exposi-tion. He says the cavalry troop under his ommand will be at the exposition in force regardless of whether the mobilization takes place or not.

Mrs. Ellen M. Henrotin of Chloago has consented to serve as one of the Illinois nembers of the advisory council for the Woman's Board of Managers. Mrs. Henrotin is the president of the General Federa-tion of Women's clubs, and was the acting president of the congress auxiliary at the World's fair.

E. H. Terrant, a pupil in the schools of Bancroft, Neb., writes to Secretary Ford of the Bureau of Education that preparations are being made for an entertainment by the hool in the interest of the Girls' and Boys' building. Mrs. Ford is asked to send full Board of Governors and has been pronounced information regarding the building, including outre a thing. ata regarding the size, cost, etc., of the building.

The county commissioners of Carbon outty, Wyoming, have adopted the sugges-The tion of Governor Richards regarding county exhibits at the exposition, in the absence of a state appropriation, and have appointed a commission consisting of J. C. Davis of Rawlins, L. R. Meyer of Carbon, James Douglas of Dixon, Mulford Haines of Saratoga and F. O. Williams of Grand Encampment, to secure a collection of the mineral and agricultural resources and the live stock industries of

Wong Chin Foo, the Chinese commissioner for the exposition, is in the city, having come to make final arrangements for comon the Government building at mencing work on the Chinese building. He His shop will stind near the south says he will begin work at once and will push the construction so as to have the building ready to receive the exhibits which will soon be shipped from China. He has notified the Department of Exhibits that he will sequire 4,000 shipping labels for outting n the packages which his agents will ship o him at the exposition for exhibition.

Miss Lily Bruner leads the gospel meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the rooms, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the rooms. Miss Grace Nichols will sing.

The candy sale is promising well for a good deal of home-made candy, caramels, creams, wafers, fudges, taffles, etc., besides material for making candy has been given and several have offered to make the candy. The sale will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday all day and evening at Kilpatrick's dry goods and Orchard & Wilhelm's stores. Will those who make candy kindly send it to the rooms as early on Tuesday as possible, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Already elaborate plans are being made

Already elaborate plans are being made for the New Year's reception. The hours will be from 5 to 9 p. m.

Face and Hands Frozen. Mike Hammond, who has been todging at he police station during the cold weather, fell in with some friends Friday and was

FOR TEXAN PILGRIMS

the Delegation.

HAPPY EVENT FOR MANY CITIZENS

Omaha Men Who Advertised the Exposition in the Sunny Southland Are Honored by Their Follow Townsmen.

The Real Estate exchange tendered a banquet last night at the Commercial club rooms to the Onsaha members of the delegation from Nebraska which made a bankers.

Relit Miner Agnes Mysrs a constitution of the last night at the Commercial club rooms to the Onsaha members of the delegation from Nebraska which made a boundary. Nebreaka which made a tour of Texas the he exposition. The gathering has been supposed in the exchange in its bisingest meeting of the exchange in its bisingular meeting of the exchange in its bisingular with the control of the exchange in its bisingular with the control of the exchange in its bisingular meeting with the entire of the exchange in its bisingular meeting with the entire of the exchange in its bisingular with the exchang first week of this month in the interest of

After the cigara were lighted the assembly was rapped to order by President E. A. Benson of the exchange, who made a chort talk in his usual felicitous manner, calling attention in passing to the fact that the trip which had been so successful in arousing interest in the Transmississippi Expositio, had been conceived and namaged by a committee of the Real Estate exchange and he characterized the trip as the most successful junket which had been undertaken in the nterest of the Exposition and had been made at the least expense to the Expesition. Ex-Governor Saunders was on the program to respond to the sentiment, "Texas and

Nebraska." The verierable governor was confined to his room by a severe cold and was unable to be present. In announcing this fact President Berson spoke as follows. "I disparage no member of this exchange. and I believe I express the universal sentiment of all when I say that there is one among us who is held in greater esteem and refound respect than any other, and I know that I give voice to your feelings as well as my own when I say that I regret exceedingly his absence on account of cickness. A

man venerable in years and venerable

wisdom, a man whose presence always lend yet always seems to invite the harmless jest or witty retort. One of these rare personalities that always impresses but never embarrasses you. A life beautiful in its earn estness and simplicity. A life such as Dr Holmes has likened to rare fruit that re mains long on the stem in the autumn and ipens, mellows end sweetens the branch where it grew. The subject resigned him was "Texas and Nebraska." Texas because of the esteem in which he is held by the ople of that commonwealth, as is evidenced by the deed conveying valuable riparian ights to be held in trust for the state of Nebraska, and because of the esteem in which he holds the Texas oyster, as is evidenced by the leather medal with which he was recently decorated; Nebraska because his mame is a part of its history."

The president read a letter of regret from overnor Saunders and called on H. H. larder to speak to the sentiment assigned t the govenor. Mr. Harder's response me cappy references to amusing incidents of the advantages of Texas and Nebraska, drawing he conclusion that while the former was an enterprising and progressive commonwealth of vast extent he found more to admire i

President Benson then called on the Exhange quartet, and in vesponse Messrs. Corbett, Shriver, Wright, Kaufman and Mc-Cague led off with one of the songs with which the Nebraska delegates had stirred up the popularity of this picture and has sent in numerous requests to the department for a number of copies. It has been learned that

W. H. Green was assigned to tell about the rip. He described the journey in cetall, the hat his supply will be ruther limited in the closest attention being paid by three who remained at home. He called especial attention to the fact that the exposition had received advertising in the Texas papers which could not have been purchased for thousands of dollars.

mained at home had watched the reports of the trip.

A. P. Tukey spoke about the hospitality of

Texas cities. In opening he complimented Messrs. Green and Shriver for the complete nanner in which all the details of the trip vere arranged in advance. He also credited ex-Governor Saunders with much of the hositality of which the party were recipients He spoke briefly of the manner in which the party had been entertained all along the line, referring especially to the hospitable manner n which the people of Sabine Pass had enertained the delegation.

John W. Robbins spoke about the cordia

reception at Kansas City. He paid a neat bribute to the very hospitable manner in which the delegation was entertained at the city on the Kaw, and told about the many expressions of interest in the exposition olced by prominent citizens.

Another song was sung by the members o he Texas delegation and then a series of

resolutions were adopted expressing the he delegation on the trip.

Sprains Quickly Cured. A severe sprain may be cured in one-third the time usually required by the free appli-cation of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This liciment is also of great value in the treat-ment of cuts, bruises, burns and scalds. It is best known, however, for the prompt relief it affords in cases of rheumatism

NOVEL FEATURE FOR PARADES.

George W. Sues Has a Good Thing for Samson's Next Display. George W. Sucs is working out a scheme for the introduction of some new feature in the way of floats for the Ak-Sar-Ben parades and instead of having fixed figures, he pro-

is a forest scene with animals moving back and forth. The second set shows a band of pioneers passing over a broad prairie and finally stopping upon the banks of a great river. These scenes are worked by a man who operates a lever on the rear of the platform. By pressing on this lever, a rachet is thrown against the wheel of the wagon, thus throwing a connection to the wires that conform. As the wheels revolve, the figures are brought out from the compartments much like the wings of the stage of a theater, and are marched to the center of the platform, after which they turn and move back. Again the lever is pressed and another set of fig- his journey's end.

ures moves out and as the wagon passes along, they advance and retreat. Mr. Sues says that any number of changes can be produced on the same float and as many times as may be desired. He contends that the cost of manufacture of these floats would be much less than those which have heretofore appeared in the Ak-Sar-Ben pa-

Arnold's Bromo Celery cures headaches, 10c, 25c and 50c. All druggists.

The first annual ball of the Omaha Bricklayers' Benevolent union was given at Germania hall last night. About 200 people were on the floor and a long and varied dance program was conducted by the Omaha Military band, Refreshments were served during the evening. The proceeds were devoted to the treasury of the union, which was founded last August and has grown to an organization of fifty members. The union, as its name indicates, is devoted to benevolent work among the sick and needy members of the craft. The committee in charge was composed of the following: Sam G. Welker, Hans Elkger, Charles Stromberg, Frank Capera, Martin Welhes, Thomas Henry, Thomas McCormic, Charles Stiner, Christ Danlels, A. Anderson, Felix Craboreske, John P. Healey, James A. Joyce, John Bolen, John Huffman and Frank Fauble. layers' Benevolent union was given at Ger-

VOTING FOR QUEEN POLARIS.

Total Returns in the Popular Contest Up Till Saturday Night. Following is the result of the vote in the contest for Queen Polaris up till Saturday

night: arox1 Kete Mevittis Helem, Hearland Egnola Staben Thoresa Minikus Margarian Anna Nordwall Edna Watson Lena Kane 2 698 Crufe Cain
1.834 Ada Steiger
1.408 Flora Webster
1.209 Nelfo Loudon
May Fater
1.101 Birdie Powell
1.117 Sadie Cain
911 Cora Strait
1816 Katherine Hamili
781 Margaret Curis
722 Harriet Hernsby
41 Zelma Flaming
611 Floy Jones Blanch Hungate

11 Floy Jones
612 Mrs. G. P. Moste.
610 Mrs. G. P. Moste.
690 May Hamlin
578 Florence Bathriok
572 Georgia Tennery
132 Clara Palmer
638 Jennie Froat
678 Clara Duysl
644 Mrs. M. J. Franck
65 Lenn Hartisan
650 Mrs. Moster
650 Mrs. Mrs. Martha Hildebrand

Eather Linestrom
Anna Askwith
Ma M. F. Avery.
Emma Feenan
Lizella Feenan
Emma Dahl
Kate Helloway
Derothy Fredericks
Josle Stemm
Thora Lindstrom
Emma Johnson
Hannah Raphael
Suzanna Walker
Flom Stemm
Hannah Kaplad
Eva Sayles Clara Redinger . Piorence Singer Mabel Packard Apple Kuca Mrs. H. B. Mu ford Eva Sayles ... Mrs. Burris ... Winifred Rowe

CARNIVAL AND LAGOON NOTES. Next week bids will be asked for the con-struction of the Mammoth Ice Palace which construction will begin and continued day of a settlemen and night until completed. The ice will be harvested in the lagoon. James H. Love continues to receive encouraging reports from all sections of the country and anticiing contests for maids of honor to Omaha's

at Nebraska City. Some one tried to ring received was 1115 cents per pound, or 4 cents in County Attorney Paul Jessen's name as more per pound than the average price last

one of the mails of honor, but it was discovered just in time.

The large display advertisement on another page should be readaby all, as it gives full particulars concerning prices at the exposition grounds. The management has had any amount of trouble and expense in trying to keep the lagoon ice in good shape for skiting, the latest move is a contract made with Harry Ames and John Falloure, better known as evening January 2. It is expected that Rev.

ever turned out and the slide is a syncation never to be forgotten.

Miss Anna McNamara, with a fine lead, goes merrily on, climbing up toward the thirty thousand mark, while the three young ladies following are having a brisk but friendly battle for place. Miss Stephenson has moved up to second, with a lead of 100 over her opponent, Miss Heywood. Miss Annette Smiley's friends spited up another good batch of votes yesterday, giving her a

The skating and tobogganing on the lagon at the exposition grounds will undoubtedly be line today, and all should take at leist one ride on that slippery slide, just to the board to take some action, as the rooms The skating and tobogganing on the lafind out how it feels to lose your breath for a few seconds.

PORTRAYS NATIVITY OF CHRIST. Interesting Christmas Exercises at St.

Joseph's Church. Christmas will be observed with unusual ceremony at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Seventeenth and Center streets. The child choir is receiving special training for the occasion and the services will be made more real with the stage settings of a large group of figures. The latter are on a scale not hitherto attempted in this city and will be as complete as any similar setting in the west. The subject is the nativity of Christ with the surrounding figures of the

majii, the shepherds, Joseph and Mary. The molds from which the figures cast were imported from the Meyers Ar nstitute of Munich, Bavaria, famous for church statuary. The set comprises twenty-two figures and will occupy a space about twenty feet wide behind the altar. The central figure is the Christ-child, surmounted two adoring angels and a third bearing the words. "Gloria in excelsis." foreground are two lambs and other stable animals are in the rear. On either side and leaning against the manger are the parents, the wise men and the shepherds. The figures are about four feet high and are formed of a composition closely re-sembling marble. The value of the set is \$200. The services will begin Christmas morning at 5 o'clock and will be repeated at different times during the day.

Protection for the Fing. NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- A meeting of the flag committee, appointed by patriotic cieties all over the United States, was held today to organize for concerted action reand instead of having fixed figures, be proposes to have movable novelties upon the wagons as they pass along the arrests. Mr. Sues has made a model which has been examined by several of the members of the Board of Governors and has been pronounced quite a thing.

The model that Mr. Sues has on exhibition in his office carries two sets of scenes. One is a forest scene with animals moving back

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The bootblacks have won a notable vic-ory. All the Omaha shoe stores have given p their free polishing stands. The Scandinavian Young Women's Christen association expresses its gratitude to

rlends who helped make its bazar on Friday Several one-pound cans of oysters were taken from Booth's delivery wagon near Sixteenth street and Capitol avenue yester-The thief caught a ride on the wagon and smuggled away the cans when he reached

The fire which broke out in the saloon of Simanek & Sonka, frent Thirtsenth and William street, Friday morning, is now supposed to have been incendiary. The police have a number of clews that they are workng upon which may lead to the capture of the guilty ones.

H. E. Williams, a traveling man from Chicago, while visiting the house of Bertha Glover, near Ninth street; and Capitol ave-nue, was robbed of a gold watch valued at \$25, together with a small amount of money. Jennic Wright, one of the inmates, was arrested for the theft.

The Seymour Ice company yesterday set some 100 men to work cutting ice. The other ice companies will begin operations on next Monday morning. Fully 1,500 men will probably be engaged in reaping the ice barvest next week. The ice is now some eleven or twelve inches in thickness. The horse and sleigh belonging to Dr. Gilmore, which was stolen from in front

of a hotel last night, has been recovered It was found near Twenty-third and O streets, South Omaha. The outfit had evidently been taken by some boys out for a lark. The horse had fallen over an embankment and the sleigh was badly battered. feel in with some friends Friday and was easily prevailed upon to take a few drinks. He then picked out a soft snow bank near Fifteenth and Jones streets, and went to sleep. When found early yesterday by Officer Hotchkias, Hammond's face and hands were badly frozen. He had also evidently been mixed up in a fight, for his fead was cut in several places. Hammond was patched up by the city physician.

James A. Joyce, John Bolen, John Huffman and Ella Kalop, recently build over to the district court for the larceny of \$40 from the person of Fred Grant, appeared in police court again yesterday up in a fight, for his fead was cut in several places. Hammond was patched up by the city physician.

Mamie Corrigan and Ella Kalop, recently bound over to the district court for the Grant, appeared in police court again yesterday on the charge of vagrancy. They had recommenced operations similar to thick which proved the undoing of Grant was viewed in the sum of \$25 each. Mamie Corrigan and Ella Kalop, recently Grant, appeared in police court again yes-terday on the charge of vagrancy. They had recommenced operations similar to those which proved the undoing of Grant "Uncor

ATTENDED OF THE PARTY OF THE PARTY. South Omaha News . Carana more and a second

Coroner Burket held an inquest yesterday over the remains of Russell Bailey, the laborer who was killed at the Armour works Friday, and the jury, after hearing the testimony of a number of witnesses, returned a verdict to the effect that Bailey came to his death by a derrick falling on him. The jury failed to place the responsibility for the accident on any one, neither did it exonerate the contractors or employes who were working on the machine at the time. From what can be learned the accident was unavoidable and was not caused through the neglect of any one. , When the dead man was being examined

by doctors at the morgue it was found that he was very thinly clad, having no underwear at all. Neither did he have any gloves of overshoes. How he managed to work out in the cold all day is a surprise to those who knew him.
No arrangements have been made for the

funeral, as no reply has been received to telegrams sent to relatives in Champaign, Ill. Unless relatives are heard from within a day or two the remains will be interred here. This was the first accident of any moment which has occurred at the Armour plant since active operations commenced

Daily Sun Changes Hands. Yesterday A. L. Dennett purchased a concolling interest in the Daily Sun from W. M. Geddes and at once assumed control of the paper. Mr. Geddes has been in poor health for some time and found himself unable to give the business the attention it demanded. Dennett is well known here, having for the last three years been one of the editors of the Tribune. In the announcement of the change in last night's Sun Editor Dennett says that the Sun will be conducted as strongly republican. Continuing, the an-nouncement asserts that the Sun will not hereafter be factionally republican, but will be for every interest and all elements of the

republican party.
The change in management will throw the city printing muddle back where it was last August, as Editor Dennett will repudiate the bid made by Geddes at that time. The printstruction of the Mammoth ice Palace which a August, as Editor Dennett will repudiate the is to adorn the island in the Lagoon at the bid made by Geddes at that time. The print-exposition grounds. It will cover all of the ing committee, which worked several hours ground on the island—75x150—and have a center tower at least 100 feet high. With a cool spell of weather about January 6 the possible to make a report indicating any kind all its labor for nothing, as it will be im-possible to make a report indicating any kind of a settlement at Monday night's meeting

Montann's Wool Clip. According to the Northwest Stockman, pates a very large attendance, especially from the towns where they are having votthan any other state in the union. The industry is in a prosperous condition in that The Misses Antonia Kessler and Dora State. During the present year values have increased 100 per cent and a material interest of the Plattsmouth Daily Journal votm the rightshould Daily Southet vot.

This season 22,169,721 pounds of wool were shipped from the state. The average price

Revival at Methodist Church. Ames and John Falloure, better known es the two "hustlers," and they have agreed to have it ready for skating at all times—a beary than excepted. The electric lights are all up and it makes a wonderful change in the appearance of things. The new toboggans are the speediest church in this revival, the matter now being church in this revival, the matter now being under consideration. In this connection Rev. Mr. Johnson suggests that the Enworth league organize a large choir of young people to furnish music and lead the singing at the evening services during the revival.

Heat at Hawthorne School. Plumbers and steam fitters worked all day yesterday on the heating apparatus at Hawthorne school in an attempt to ascertain the cause of the trouble. The contractors have promised the Board of Education that the in the northwestern part of the building can-

not be heated. Contractor McDonald has been allowed the final estimate on the addition to the Brown Park school building.

Reports a Holdup. James H. Hickson, who lives at Seven teenth and Munroe streets, called at police headquarters yesterday and reported that he had been held up and robbed of \$8 at Twenty-fourth and R streets Thursday night, Hickson claimed that he forgot to report the matter before. The police do not take much

stock in his story, Magie City Gossip. Dr. Aberly, 23d and M streets. Watches for boys at Godfrey's. Christmas novelties at Melcher's drug store.

Elegant fancy belts, Coleman, 24th & M sts. John O. Owens, Twenty-sixth and E streets, s cuite sick. Meyer Klein has returned from a business rip through lowa. W. B. Wetson of Boone was a business dsitor here yesterday. E. O. Mayfield has about recovered from

his recent serious illness. A. M. Byers of Aledo, Ill., is here the guest of his brother, Richard. Swift and Company paid city taxes amounting to \$2,483 yesterday. W. F. Moyer of Hillsdale, Wyo., is here looking after his property interests. Ireland in Pictures can be obtained at Stott's stationery store, 2406 N street, J. S. Hoagland, an attorney of North Platte, was here yesterday visiting friends. Rev. George VanWinkle will conduct the regular services at the First Baptist church

today. The reception tendered to C. L. Talbot a Mesonic ball last night was a very enjoyable affair. Mrs. J. O. Owens has returned from Chi-

cago, where she spent several weeks visiting relatives. Ireland in Pictures can be obtained at Stott's stationery store, 2406 N street. A reception will be held at the Young Men's Christian association from 6 to 10 p. m. on New Year's day. Mrs. J. M. Westerfield entertained the

Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. The Ideal club will give the first of . series of dances at Masonic hall on Wednes

day evening, December 29. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Caughey, Twenty-third and H streets, entertained the home Circle High Five club last night. I. E. Copeland of the Keystone hotel

slipped on the sidewalk yesterday afternoon and broke one of his ribs. William H. Thompson, president of the National Live Stock Exchange, was a visitor at the stock yards yesterday. Rol Organ, general live stock agent of the Nickel Plate road, was a visitor at the ex-

change yesterday afternoon.

An examination for teachers in the public schools will be held at the High school building December 28 and 29. Chapter M of the P. E. O. society met with Miss Ethel Honey, Twenty-fourth and J streets, yesterday afternoon.

church will have a Christmas tree Friday evening of this week at the church. Gladys, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vansant, Twenty-fourth and F atreets, is dangerously ill with diphtheria. The directors of the South Omaha hos-pital are looking for a trained nurse, as the present incumbent intends leaving in a shor

Harry M. Wells is a candidate for a clerk-ship in the office of County Clerk Haverly. He is securing some influential

Elia, the 12-year-old daughter of George Chase, is suffering from a broken arm, caused by slipping on the ice near the High school

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ing he will preach on "The Matchless Vis- ceed \$5,000 and Comptroller Westberg certi-The Sabbath school of the First Baptist

> men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian association this afternoon on "A 5 rong Man's Weakness." C. B. Willis, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association at Mil-waukee, was the guest of Secretary Overton of the local association last week.

A Christmas sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. Wheeler at the First Presbyterian church this morning. The topic of the even-ing sermon is "Love's Importunity." Costs more—worth more, because pure— Wright's pure, old-fashioned buckwheat flour.

fled that there was enough money in the gen-Ireland in Pictures can be obtained at erail fund to pay the city's proportion of this Stott's stationery store, 2496 N street.

Rev. George Van Winkle will speak at the ceed and the railread companies will be depended on to contribute their share of the expense. City Engineer Resewater stated that he would proceed with the work without delay and that it would probably be begun Monday morning.

Commercial Club Reciprocity Secretary Utt of the Commercial club is

receiving responses from his circulars sent out to all the commercial clubs in the country, asking them for their lists of memchildren.

"Unconscious Backstiding" is the topic of Rev. Mr. Johnson's sermon at the First Methodist church this morning. In the evenberships and also offering to enter into re-