## THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1898.



the time of the year and the surrounding circumstances the result was not only satiso bedrock. factory, but remarkable. He said the num-

ber of deaths from all causes was remarkably small, less than 1 per cent-an army of 265,000 men, with a total death rate from all causes of 2,624. He said that persons famillar with military history say there never was a campaign where the mortality was so low.

Other papers read during the afternoon were "Vesicle Calculous, Report of a Case,"

by H. H. Stoner of Rock Rapids, Ia.; "Modern Aids to Proper Surgical Diagnosis," by W. B. LaForce, Ottumwa, Ia.; "Interstitial Inguinal Hernia, Report of a Case," by Van Buren Knott of Sloux City: "A Modification of the Murphy Button," by A. E. Hertzler of Halstead, Kan.; "Exhibition of New Trachae Tampon," by H. P. Hamilton of Omaha; "Injuries of the Head," by C. C. Allison of Omaha. The papers by Dr. Hertzler and Dr. Hamilton were simply the introduction and explanation of new surgical appliance made by the speakers as a result of their experience in certain cases. After their explanations the articles were passed around among the surgeons for examination.

During the afternoon the name of Dr.A H. Ferguson of Chicago was substituted for that of Dr. O. Beverly Campbell as a member of the executive board, the latter resigning the position.

An amendment to the bylaws was introduced providing that a retiring president of the association should become an er-officio tember of the executive board, to remain such for two years. This was referred to Dr. George H. Simmons of Lincoln and Dr. A. F. Jonas of Omaha, who were appointed committee to revise the bylaws and report at the next annual meeting.

### Closes with a Banquet.

The regular annual meeting came to an end last night with a banquet at the Paxton hotel. The attendance on this event was not what was expected. The evening trains carried many of the surgeons away to their homes and the approach of the storm hurried the departure of others who might have remained.

The tables in the big dining room of the Paxton were shaped in a T and were beautiful in thei. immaculate linen and pollshed queensware. Pots of flowers alternated with dishes of choice fruit in the table decorations and there were several elaborate preparations in the culinary line which were not only good to bite upon but equally as pleasing to look upon. It was nearly 10 o'clock before the sur-

geons and their friends, about seventy-five number, took their places at the tables. The menu, which opened with a cocktail and closed with cigars, required another hour before proper justice could be done to its many palatable features, which made the abur reasonably late before speechmaking began. But the list of toasts was not long. It will be noticed from the subjects that other matters than "shop" were talked about.' Dr. I. N. Love was the toastmaster The toasts were as follows: "Our Association," Dr. D. S. Fairchild, Clinton, Ia.; "Surgery and Silver," Dr. T. A. Stoddard, Pueblo, Colo.; "Westward the Course of Empire Takes Its

Way." Francis A. Brogan, Omaha; "Twentleth Century Surgery," Dr. Lewis Schooler, Des Moines; "Expansion," Dr. W. H. Christle, Omaha; "Art in Surgery." Dr. E. Horn-Ibrook, Cherokee, Ia.; "Do You Give Trading Stamps?" Dr. Joseph Eastman, Indianapolis.

Previous to the banquet the association held a short session at the usual place for the further reading of papers, and with this extra work there were several papers which had to go without reading, but which will be published in the official proceedings. The papers read last night were: "Em-pyema, its Pathology, Bacteriology and Treatment," by Dr. Emory Lanphear of

when the snow went off my cabin went last year violated the statutes in allowing along and took along the earth almost down another person to run for his own profit a

"If these heavy snowstorms continue at poenaed Briel to prove this, but Briel did not show up at the afternoon hearing. An intervals, Nebraska hogs will be free from cholera next year," said P. S. Churci of adjournment was taken to allow an officer North Platte last night. "I have noticed to serve an attachment upon the saloon that when there is a winter with plenty of keeper, but the latter evaded him. This snow there is little, if any, hog cholera the was reported at the evening session and following year." Boesen rested his case with the statement

t lat he had expected to prove by Briel that

Elks Visit a Brother.

For the Poor.

Personal Paragraphs.

and Mrs. Ray Nye of Fremont are at the Her Grand. Flothow's license. Mrs. D. Mackay of Portland, Ore., is at

Boesen was called to the stand by the Her Grand. Flothow's attorneys and in answer to ques-J. J. McManus of Kansas City, contracting agent for the Illinois Central railroad, is at tions stated that he had brought two suits against the Omaha Brewing association and

the Iler Grand. Henry F. Greene of New York, business that all the sixteen protests he had brought manager of the company presenting "Under the Red Robe," is at the Iler Grand. were directed against places that sold beer manufactured by the association. On his Miss Kathleen Gillmore of Philadelphis ross-examination he declared that he had and her sister, Mrs. Henry Burton of Red Lodge, Mont., are at the Iler Grand. formerly run the saloon at 1264 South Sixteenth, that the license for the place was in W. A. Deuel, superintendent of the Colo-rado lines of the Union Pacific, and located

Flothow's name and that he had entered into an agreement whereby he conducted at Denver, is in the city, at the Millard. the place as proprietor for his own profit. Miss Kittle Wilkins of Reno, Idaho, is at the Her Grand. Miss Wilkins recently sold He had brought the suits against the Omaha 2,500 head of horses to the United States Brewing association when this agreement had been violated by it and he had been

J. A. Watson of Odebolt, Ia., is in the city for a few days, having stopped over here on thrown out, the cases being decided against him on the grounds that the agreement was his way home from a month's tour of Southillegal-exactly the same violation of the ern California. tate law with which he charged Flothow. Rev. C. N. Dawson, pastor of the Walnut Hill Methodist Episcopal church, and his family are spending the holiday week in Minneapolis, visiting relatives. Arguing the Protests.

Boesen's attorney contended that Flothow was caught in a dilemma. Either he B. B. Brookings, merchant at St. Charles, Mo., was in the city last night. He was on violated the state law by assigning his license, or, if Briel was his agent he viohis return from a trip to North Dakota, where he went to visit relatives. lated the law by selling liquor to minors

M. K. Barnum and family have taken rooms for the winter at the Millard. Mr. Barnum comes here from North Platte to take the position of master mechanic at the and on Sunday. Flothow's attorney declared that the protests were the result of spite work because Boesen had been fired by the association-a fact proved because Union Pacific shops. the protests were directed only against the Nebraskans at the hotels: Ed Bowman, Tekamah; J. R. Manning, Wayne; M. S. Marsh, Hastings; B. G. Penney, Crawford; A. B. Barkley, David City; James Conkling, Franklin; J. S. Ewart, Kearney. saloons selling the beer of the association. The board decided that it is not a proper ourt to decide whether a saloon keeper has

violated the statutes in selling liquor to Judge Hayward of Nebraska City was in Omaha yesterday. He called upon a number of political friends and declared that he has a good fighting chance for election to minors and on Sundays. It also found that Boesen held no property interests near the saloon at 1415 Farnam street, while thirty freeholders had petitioned that a license be the United States senate to succeed William granted for that location. Therefore the V. Allen, whose term expires March 4 next. V. Allen, whose term expires March 4 next. At the Murray: J. E. Ross, Genoa: T. L. Carroll, Gothenburg: C. S. Tewkesburg, C. H. Morgan, Chicago; F. Warrant, Buffalo; Case Edwards, Charles Scamans, New York; D. B. Gilbert, Sterling; M. Skinner, Denver; H. S. Willard, New Haven, Conn.; J. E. Jenkins, Schuyler; H. E. Owens, Norfolk; William Grum, St. Joseph; A. D. Sears, Grand Island. board overruled the protest. The next hearing was on the protest against the granting of a license to Gottlieb Storz at 1825 Sherman avenue. Storz last year secured a license for a saloon at 110 South Ninth street, which was run by Fred Duhlman. Dahlman himself was on hand

and was called to the stand. He testified that the government liquor license of the Grand Island. At the Millard: M. Stein, E. H. Gold, Chicago: J. O. Brinkerhoff, Kansas City; D. McNeill, Chadron; W. A. Deuel, Denver; J. E. McCarthy, Charlottesville, Va.; H. S. saloon was in his name and that he accounted to no one for the profits of the saloon. The board overruled the protest in Abbott, Minneapolis; M. L. Hayward, Ne-braska City; P. W. Siton, M. K. Barnum, North Platte; George Kattenback, F. C. Burger, Buffalo, Wyo.; Mrs. R. N. Bowden, Brookfield, Mass.; G. W. Bancroft, Boston; a license at 1101 South Ninth. Alf Bowie, Chugwater, Wyo.; E. E. Glastock, Kansas City. for the person of Saloon Keeper Briel.

#### Lost Boy Found.

Perry Stevens, who left home December 3, after making a trip to Fort Worth, Tex., Elks Visit a Brother. Last evening a goodly number of the Elks and their ladies accepted Harry Corson Clarke's invitation to witness his perform-ance of "What Happened to Jones" at Boyd's theater. Mr. Clarke, who is a member of the Elks lodge, was presented with a handsome basket of roses by the local members of the order, while Miss Snider, who sings Mr. Charke's new song, was given a beautiful bunch of red and white roses with small bunches of marcissus and violets suspended from it with purple and white ribbons-the Elks' colors. without a penny, returned home via Texar-kana and Kansas City on Wednesday morn-ing. He went alone and came back alone. He saw lots of the country, but now has enough and says home is the best place.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

"New Year's Reflections" is the subject of Rabbi Leo. M. Franklin's discourse at Temple Israel this (Friday) evening. Elks' colors.

One or two started to applaud, but doubt overcame them. The crowd finally came to he tacit conclusion that it could not be the caloon, the license for which had been ispresident, but was his perfect double. sued in Flothow's name. Boesen had sub-

While the jublice throngs were in the city. Mr. Hart was going downtown one day when e noticed that people were cheering. He looked around with languid curiosity to see what was the cause of the enthusiasm, but failed to discover it. The people kept on cheering and followed

him, pressing closer, "Why, they're cheering you," his compan-

he had entered into an agreement with ion informed him. Flothow to run the saloon for himself under Mr. Hart fied, to the disappointment of the McKinley worshipers.

Now, he modestly protests against all these stories which his friends tell.

The Apology.

The well known temperance men of Kirk-aldy, Scotland, were upset the other night when returning from a temperance meeting. In its account of the mishap the local paper remarked: "Fortunately both gentlemen were sober at the time." This remark made them indignant and they wrote a letter to the editor, saying so. Whereupon the editor kept up his end by printing this apology in the next issue of the paper: "Messre, \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ demand an apology for our hav-ing stated that at the time of their accident they were both sober. We have pleasure in withdrawing the observation."

Tact. Detroit Journal: The musical director was

"We have two soprani," he moaned, "and but one principal role!" "Listen!" cried the manager of the opera. "It is not for nothing that I am in the facial soap business on this side! Cast one of your soprani for the leading role! The other may write me a testimonial! Thus both will gain equal notoriety!"

In that moment the musical director almost doubted if hair, after all, were the most precious gift of the gods; anyway, tact ran it a close second.

Lutherans End Session.

PHILADELPHIA. Dec. 29.-The closing day's session of the general conference of Lutherans was presided over by Rev. H. F. Schele. At the morning session the topics Hiscussed were: "The Lutheran Estimate of Ordination." and the "Standard of Ministerial Educa-tion." Papers in the first named subject were read by Rev. John A. W. Hass of New York and Rev. Dr. Dim, president of the Susquehanna university, Selins Grove, Pa. On the second subject interesting papers were read by Rev. F. A. Kachler of Buffalo and Rev. W. E. Parson. and Rev. W. E. Parson. In the afternioon on the topic of "The Lutheran Church and Modern Religious Is-sues," papers were read in German by A. C. Voigt and in English by Rev. T. E. Schu-mak. "The Problem of Co-Operation." brought forth papers from Rev. Hanna and Rev. M. H. Richards.

#### Purchase of Peoria Papers.

this case also and took the same action in PEORIA. Ill., Dec. 29.—The Peoria Tran-script and Evening Times were purchased today by H. M. Pindell. Both papers will another protest made against granting Storz The board adjourned to 10 o'clock this publication at once. The Transcript oldest paper in the city, but of late morning to continue the hearings on the is the years has been a losing investment. The Times was started about four years ago as protests. Another attachment was issued a penny evening sheet and was controlled the Transcript company.

> Keystone Benefit Association Assigns. ALLENTOWN. Fa., Dec. 29.-The Key-stone Mutual Benefit association, incorpo-rated in 1878, made an assignment today to Charles O. Schantz, for the benefit of ored-

ttors. The action was due to recent losses of members and a heavy death loss. No statement of liabilities and assets is avail-

#### Commercial Teachers at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29 .- Many delegates to the CHICAGO, Dec. 29.-Many delegates to the convention of the Commercial Teachers' Federation left for home today. Those who remained listened to a series of papers, all relating to the teaching of commercial bus-liness. A recertion was held tonight and the convention will adjourn tomorrow. On New Year's eve the Young People's society of the Swedish Evangelical Mission church, Twenty-third and Davenport streets, will give an entertainment for the benefit

says the Singapore Press. When it was on there waiting to take, in the performance. Health has now raised the quarantine upon three of the four families in which the disease existed and the quarantine will probably be raised upon the other inside a week The members of the Board of Health are congratulating themselves on the success that has attended their efforts in coping with the disease. In three of the four families the disease had been prevalent for some time before it was discovered, but nevertheless a further spread was effectually checked and the disease was stamped out. In all there were twelve cases of the disease. Five of them were in one family, three

#### School Starts Monday.

occurred in two other families and only one

case was found in the fourth family.

Although next Monday will probably be quite generally observed as a legal holiday because New Year's day falls upon Sunday, it will be no holiday for the school children The Christmas vacation ends with the first getting it away. of the year and on the following Monday It is supposed that the mud came from an active volcano on an island in the Gulf of morning the public schools will be open That is the determination of Superintendent Tomini. The mud and ash came by a strong of Instruction Pearse, who declares that so easterly wind over the Celebes to the west many holidays have already been observed coast. The heavy sea met on the west coast during the present school year that no more when the Reael passed appears to be ascribable to the westerly wind, which blew time must be lost. Members of the Board of Education are of the same opinion. strongly.

#### City Hall Notes.

Only three applicants took the examinaion for High school teachers' certificates vesterday.

Detroit Free Press: He is one of those gushing old beaus who think flattery the key to favor with the gentler sex. The other evening he was at a reception with his wife and they met the handsome Miss Blank, at whom he fired a whole battery of compli-ments. Then turning to his wife he said: "It's a good thing I didn't meet her before The new liquor license forms have been received by Clerk Davis of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners and are ready for distribution to those saloon keepers who have been granted licenses by the board.

from the meeting of the Nebraska Teachers' association at Lincoln Wednesday and almost immediately proceeded to Chicago, where he is to deliver an address upon "Commercial Instruction in the High School" before the National Federation of Commercial Teachrs, which is in annual session in the

G. C. Gault, the agent in Council Bluffs for Black's laundry, was arrested last night and locked up in jail on the charge of embezzlement, preferred by his employer. A. B. Black is proprietor of a steam laundry at 2025 Farnam street. He says that Gault has taken money from time to time until he is more than \$200 short in his accounts Black had his agent in his ac-counts Black had his agent arrested in Council Bluffs on a similar charge three weeks ago, but the matter was taken out of the courts on Gault's promise to make good his peculations and to turn over to his employer in the future all the money he col-lected. This, Black says, he failed to do. Hence his arrest.

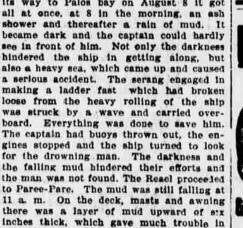
The third annual ball of the Bricklayers' Protective union took place last night at Thurston Rifles' armory and more than fifty couples took advantage of the opportunity to enjoy splendid dancing, music, a perfect floor and dainty refreshments. The grand march was led by Mrs. Cofferty and Frank C. Gardiner, the master of ceremonie committee on arrangements was. Charles Willis, John Withnell, Steve Carroll, Charles Stevenson and George Clarke.

Entertainment at Masonie Hall.

An audience of more than 400 people at-ended the Masons' musicale at Masonic hall last evening and was entertained by musical selections that composed a program of unusual merit. The entertainment was under the direction of E. M. Jones. There were recitations and solos, both vocal and instrumental, by the most talented artists of the city and the rendering of each number merited the enthusiastic applause it invariably received.

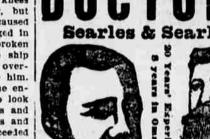
Do Not Want the Small Fry.

EAST LIVERPOOL. O., Dec. 29.-It is stated here, upon excellent authority, that some of the smaller potteries are not wanted by the new trust, and their stock will be re-turned. This is an account of the great success of the combination. On the other hand, the Harkers Pottery company, one of the stronger concerns here, has kicked over the traces and declares it will not



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# I married you, my dear." "Indeed it is," she smiled sweetly-"for her. I congratulate Miss Blank." Superintendent of Schools Pearse returned

Windy city this week.

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Bricklayers' Ball.