## CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Stuht's Scheme for Handling Fire and Police Mattera.

Introduction of an Ordinance Which Provides for Turning Everything Over to the Members of the Conneil.

Councilman Stuht has a steeme to add to the present duties of the city council those which now devolve upon the Board of Pire and Police Commissioners. At a special meeting of the city council Friday afternoon. he introduced an ordinance to repeat the

addition to being the Board of Aldermen. Commissioners. For these additional serv- third. ices the members of the council will draw nance, because he says it is a good thing.

"If the council took held of the police dehave so much trouble as the boards for point filed large orders for cured meats. years past have bad," he says. "Then, too, Finally, I believe that the council would be around the Swift plant. more liberal than the present board. Kan-sas City is a live, wideawake town and I of preserving beef was taken up and diswants it."

of a resolution, allowing taxpayers to use meeting tonight.

The only other business transacted was to pass on a third reading an ordinance registered against the quality of canned appropriating money enough to enable the city treasurer to forward Interest on city bonds that accrues on the first of next month. It had been intended to pass the February appropriation sheet, but the finance committee had not had time to examine it. Therefore, action was postponed because the sheet, being the first one under this year's levy, contains items for a number of bills of last year, which have not been paid for lack of money.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The drurgist handed him a bottle of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills.

#### GAMB'ING CASE DISMISSED Witnesses for the State Fall to Ap-

pear When Called in Police Court.

The gambling case against C. W. Little was dismissed by Judge Gordon for want curing meats." of prosecution, although Major Miller asked that it be continued once more until he could get his witnesses into court. Judge granted and it was time the case was disthe room in time to see the men playing. Captain Donahue was not present and as nesses, but Officer Shoop was the only one remainder found the men standing when or all of the departments. they entered, with the exception of Officer Baldwin, who saw the men rise, from the door where he was stationed.

The case against the men who were in the room was also dismissed, as it was considered impossible to try them for gambling without letting the other case go with it. They gave their names when arrested as Al Clarkson, D. A. Willians, J. A. Douglas, J. B. Leslie, Fred Wilson, John Hemingway, George Wood and G. R. Reynolds,

Knotty Problem to Solve.

Judge Gordon listened to the case wherein Henry Williams was charged by Hattie Mildance Nover ber 3. The witnesses for the prosecution testified that the ring was ofthe most gracefully, while the defense insisted it was awarded to the best couple of waltzers. They showed further that the to wear and that he failed to return it. one day the girl became angry at Williams because he took another girl to a funeral. She told him he could give her back the ring and quit going with her. He insisted interest in the ring after they had made up, providing he would not have anything to with other girls. Judge Gordon listened to the knotty problem after remarking that he was not an expert on dancing and could not tell how he would settle the case.

Before the discovery of One Minute Cough | ard price is 1/2 cent per pound. Cure, ministers were greatly disturbed coughing congregations. No excuse for it

## IN MEMORY OF DARTMOUTH

Her Omaha Sons Gather Around the Banquet Table to Talk of Their College Days.

The second annual banquet of the Dartmost enjoyable occasions which revive the committee wants. The committee will willinspiration of the alma mater and bring her ingly submit to a proposition which will lowship that had its beginning inside college walls. The tables were spread in one the provisions of the bill do not give South flowers. An excellent orchestra contributed sending a committee to Lincoln to endeavor a concert program, while the alumni and a to have this objectional section modified. few invited guests discussed a menu of more

than ordinary attractiveness. Nathan Bernstein, '92, was the toastmaster of the evening and among the alumni that the number of doors at the city jail who sat around the table were: Dr. S. H. be reduced. At the present time three Towne, '92; A. S. Hazelton, '82; F. D. Field, doors, guarded with iron bars, open into

were the guests of the evening. Appropriate fearts were responded to by Dr. Towne, IT DOES AWAY WITH THE COMMISSIONERS | quoters rose and sung the Partmouth song for a nightenn.

For frost bites, burns, indelent sores, comma skin discuss, and especially Piles, the Witt's Witch Hazel Salve stands first and best. Look out for dishonest people who try to imitate and counterfelt it. It's

## CONTRACTOR THE THE THE PARTY OF THE PARTY. SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

Notice has been received from Washington that the court of inquiry, convened for present ordinance by which the members of the purpose of inquiring into the charges Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoctor, will be held the board are appointed by the mayor, sub- made by General Miles regarding the qualject to the confirmation of the council, and lay of beef sold to the army, will visit South Introduced another making the council the Omaha within a short time. It is thought Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, in that the court, which is composed of army fufficers, will reach South Omaha about the According to the proposed new ordinance second week in March. The packing houses there has been no session of the Avery the council is to perform all the duties now and stock yards at Chicago will be inspected. possessed by the Board of Fire and Police first, with Omaha second and Kaneas City

Great quantities of meats for the army a salary of \$25 a year each. "Just about were supplied from this point, but very enough for street car fare," says Stuht, little, if any, beef was shipped direct from The councilman proposes to push the ordi- the packing houses here to the army in the field. Cudahy sold an immense quantity of canned meat to the army, all of which was partment I do not believe that it would prepared here, and all of the packers at this As Swift and Company secured the conmy scheme will be an economical one, for it tract for supplying fresh beef to the army does away with the \$800 salary that each in Cuba, the investigation, so far as the commissioners draws at present, charge of "embalmed" beaf goes, will center

believe that one reason for this is that a cussed in detail, so that the facts printed at man may go and get a drink anytime he that time need not be gone over again at this time. Government inspectors at this The two ordinances were referred to the point assert that the beef shipped from here committee on fire, water and police. Stuht was not dectored in any manner and statealso introduced and secured the adoption ments to this effect have been secured by ments to this effect have been secured by Many handsome pictures were shown and the officers of the Bureau of Animal Inthe council chamber for a charter revision dustry. Cudahy is the only packer in this meeting tonight. far as is known no complaints have been

> Dry salt cured meats and sugar cured bacon have been purchased in large quantities here for army use and the packers assert that there has been no complaint on the quality furnished, as it has been the same as supplied to the trade generally.

In connection with the proposed visit of the court of inquiry E. A. Cudahy said: "I shall be pleased to have the court of inquiry visit this plant and I can assure the members that they will receive the most courteous treatment. Major Duval and Cap-tain Beek of the Department of the Mis- ent right of way of the company and Comtain Beck of the Department of the Missouri visited the plant not long ago and e took pleasure in showing them about. This house will be open to the court of in-

ulry at any time. E. C. Price, general manager of Swift and ompany, said: "This house is open at all times for inspection. Nothing will be concealed and the court of inquiry can look through the building from top to bottom and only by using One Minute Cough Cure. ascertain our methods of slaughtering and

Robert C. Howe, general superintendent of Armour & Co.'s plant here, said: "Our house is open from end to end. We have Gordon and the attorney for the defendant no secrets to keep from the public. I shall held that enough continuances had been be glad to show the members of the court of inquiry through the building and explain posed of. Little is the man who was ar- the process of slaughtering and packing most popular novel, "The Prisoner of rested in the Henshaw hotel January 26 meat. This court of inquiry will be welcome and charged with having and keeping gam- to inspect all departments of the plant and ing devices. Captain Donahue and Officer we will take pains to show them every-Shoop were the only officers who got into thing that is to be seen about a packing

Manager Noyes of the Hammond company he was the principal witness Major Miller reiterated the foregoing statements. The believed it would not be worth while to try Hammond company, he said, would be the case. Four officers were present as witinquity and would take pains in showing who saw the men seated at the table. The every member all that is to be seen in any

> PRICES FOR CONDEMNED CATTLE. Packers Likely to Push Values Up a

Few Bollars. The South Omaha Live Stock exchange will consider at its next regular meeting. which will be held on March 6, a resolution pertaining to the price now paid by packers for condemned animals. At the present time the packers pay only \$2 for a steer or cow which has been condemned by the government inspectors, and it is the desire of the exchange to increase the price paid to \$5, or the same as is paid at Chicago. A great many Nebraska shippers assert that mond ring which she said she had won at a they frequently pay more freight on an animal than is paid by the packers for a visit to Omaha, a good-sized crowd was carcass. It is thought that if the exchange fered as a prize to the woman who waltzed takes cognizance of this matter that the ance of what is announced to be its last packers can be induced to pay Chicago presentation in this city by a Frohman prices for carcasses of condemned steers and cows and thus create a better feeling complainant loaned the ring to Williams hetween shippers and commission men. Communications have been sent to the packers The two were going together constantly and and it is expected that replies will be received before the next meeting of the ex-

change. Hogs which are condemned by government inspectors or fail to pass the microscopical on the other hand that she gave him her examination are turned over to the Union Rendering works, which pays an average price of 50 cents per 100 pounds. This is a much better rate than that paid for cattle and one which seems to satisfy the shippers. In some instances more than the rate mentioned above is paid for hogs, but the stand-

To Annex or Not to Annex.

At the recent meeting of the Commercial club a committee was appointed to take ome steps to prevent the passage by the egislature of a bill annexing Omaha and South Omaha. This committee met at the office of P. J. Barrett last evening to devise plans for combating the bill introduced in the legislature a day or two ago and which is known as the Crow bill. This bill promouth College Alumni association at the vides for a majority vote of the two cities Millard hotel last night was one of those and this is not what the anti-annexation children together to continue the good fel- provide for a majority vote of the registered voters of South Omaha, but it is stated that of the private dining rooms, which was lux- Omaha people an equal show with the voters uriously decorated with smilax and potted of Omaha. Arrangements were made for

> Less Doors in the City Jail. Chief of Police Carroll has recommended

'94; E. J. Bodwell, '88; Prof. Irwen Levis- the jail and the chief feels that this numton, '82; J. Irving Read, '94; B. G. Burbank ber could be reduced by two. Since the and Henry Lewis. Frank Crawford of Yale, remodeling process commenced it has been Charles C. Rosewater of Cornell and J. H. suggested that the office new occupied by Melatosh and James H. Brown of Harvard the chief of police be turned over to the tity engineer and the chief take the office Prof. Leviston and Mesers. Read, Meintosh, the changes being made it is thought that Bodwell, Harrison and Field and the ban- this scheme will be acceptable to all concerned. Should the change be made the west entrance to the jail will be bricked up and also the door leading into the area way. Chief Carroll says that with only one entrance and exit the responsibility for holding prisoners will be greatly reduced and the chance of prisoners escaping will be lessened.

> Magie City Gossip. A Hard Times ball will be given at Kout ky'e hall, Twentieth and Q streets, tonight A meeting of the directors of the Union Stock Yards company is on the bills for March 15.

The funeral of Agnes Hoctor, daughter of Sunday afternoon.

Puneral services over the remains of Mrs Margaret Lawless will be held at St. Agnes' church this forencon On account of the Illness of Miss Stoors

Mr. and Mrs. John Bautter write from Kansas that they will return from their wedding trip in a few days. Preparatory service for communion will

be held at the First Presbyterian church by Wheeler at 4 o'clock this afternoon, Manager Kenyon of the stock yards company has had a photograph of the Exchange building taken. building taken. The photograph shows the entire building, which is 400 feet in length. Mrs. E. O. Mayfield died at the Methodist hospital at Omaha last night as the result of an operation. The remains will be taken to the deceased's late home in South Omaha today.

A subscription list for stock in the proposed hospital association can be found at the South Omaha office of The Bee. Those who feel inclined to take stock in this enerprise are requested to call and place their names on the list. The reception held by Mrs. Pellette, the

portrait artist, at Masonic hall yesterday afternoon and evening was well attended. The display was said to be the finest ever made in this city. "Eggs at Klondyke prices" is the sign dis-

played in front of a Twenty-fourth street grocery store. Hen fruit is way up and sales are being made at from 40 to 50 cents per dozen. The demand has, however, fallen onsiderably since the price went up out of sight. Local dealers do not expect that the present high prices will prevail for any great length of time.

Railroad surveyors were at work yesterday afternoon running lines through blocks 57 and 67. These blocks adjoin the prop-erty recently purchased by the Union Pacific and will be needed if additional side tracks are laid between this city and Omaha. The Union Pacific secured, through an agent a mercial street. In order to reach the depot it will be necessary to purchase blocks 57 and 67, and it is thought that this will be done before long.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her saved after all physicians had failed,

# ...AMUSEMENTS...

The more frequently one sees Edward Rose's dramatization of Anthony Hope's and from opening to close this vein of comedy s plainly discernible. The ridiculousness of enough to border on farce comedy. However, "The Prisoner of Zenda" is such an unmistakable success upon the stage and has been reviewed in these columns so often before that any further analysis of the elements which constitute its popularity would seem superfluous. It is sufficient that the play conveys the salient points of the story and runs its course with a directness which leaves Rassendyll a hero at the end. This character comes very near to the ideal of a hero of fiction. He can fight when necessary with wit or sword, he can love and go away and he is not one to betray a confidence or abandon a friend. presentation of this play at Boyd's theater Friday evening was in every way a commendable one and while this is its third present to witness the opening performcompany.

Howard Gould, the fine appearing, stalwart young actor who has been seen here both times before in the dual role of the two Rudolfs, acts with the same force and conscientiousness that marked his work when the part was new to him. Miss Margaret Fuller seems to lack that queenly stature, yet acts the part of Flavia with all he grace and ease of manner that Mr. Hope's idea calls for. R. F. McClannin ts still the Colonel Sapt and his brusque chaacterization is exceedingly effective. Vaughan Glaser is also the same clever "Fritz Von Tarlenheim," while an improvement has been made in the part of "Rupert f Hentzau" by placing it in the hands of sions, which are truly studies. The other parts are all in good bands and the producafternoon and evening.

The friends of the association were in at- our city. tendance in force and filled the building. Emsley in "Who Dat Say Chicken in Dis won the sympathy of her audience and received an ovation. For an mateur affair the entertainment was much above the average. W. S. Helprey. impersonating himself as a commercial traveler, was well received. The program it was concluded.

Hurt in a Runaway.

Michael Gannon, residing at Twenty-ighth and S streets, South Omaha, was was stopped by a policeman. Ganuen was severely bruised about the body and there were two cuts on his face that required seveeral stitches. He was taken to the police station and attended by City Physician

#### PROBLEM IS STILL UNSOLVED that out of 2,000 votes there would not be over 10 per cent in favor of it. I wish to call your attention more ex-

No Feasible Plan Suggested for Distribution of Cash K Fund.

BACK TO THE OLD METHOD OF ALMSGIVING

Meeting at Trinity Fails to Bring About Desired Result with Reference to Investing the

Surplus Money.

The last meeting called by Dean Fair for he purpose of accurring suggestions for the imposition or investment of the "Cash K" at meeting was held there were 207 un-

feasible suggestions had been offered. was believed would lessen the number of ing to put up an equal amount, which shall unemployed. The most feasible was one be turned over to the city treasury of South laborers in the city who are willing to be- submission of the proposition. If the propcome permanent farmers to notify Secretary osition is defeated Omaha annexationists aughland and this spring, he thought, they must agree to stop the agitation and recall ould be sent out to farms which they might all proposed legislation at Lincoln providing ill on a satisfactory percentage. He paid a for forcible annexation. All of which is nan \$15 a month and furnished him every- most respectfully submitted. Yours respectthing besides giving him a portion of the fully, set receipts. He ventured to say that not a laboring man in the city of Omaha was lay ing up as much money annually as his farmer and he was perfectly independent.

An architect brought forward the old Pingree plan of cultivating vacant property. He added that a large tenement house should e built south of the Sixteenth street viafuct, but did not tell from whence the money should come. He thought laborers yould be glad to work and receive 50 per cept of their wages, leaving the balance to apply upon their rent when the building was

Dean Fair thought this might be a good plan, but doubted whether or not it could be carried out. He said the poor of the city need better homes. He intimated that the city and county would save money if they would combine in the erection of a large enement house for the accommodation of heir paupers, because they would save hundreds of dollars annually in fuel alone. He said it costs a large sum to furnish the poor with coal enough to heat the empty shells which they occupy and much of this might be saved, to say nothing of the added omfort. He believed the cities of this ountry are too full of people and the country too sparsely settled. Last summer he tried to find laborers to go out into the ountry to work on farms during harvest They could make \$2 per day and their poard. One man to whom he had given the money to pay his fare drank it up and remained here. Both he and Secretary Laughland, he said, had found it impossible to find harvest hands to fill the demand they had

received for help. In closing the meeting, Dean Fair stated that much of the trouble with poor people Zenda," the plainer does the vein of farce is caused by their own indiscretion. Part comedy show in it. Look at it in any light however, is due to the sharks who get them into their hands when the opportunity is offered. He had come to the conclusion that an Englishman in a tweed suit being placed | the charitable people of Omaha would have upon the throne of a kingdom by two or to revert to the old plan of almsgiving after and engrossed his name on the Mercer the real king's body servants offers a all. He said the county commissioners, Sectheme that, while it may be given a retary Laughland and he will see, if notified,

## WRITES ABOUT ANNEXATION

Mayor Ensor of South Omaha Expresses Himself as Opposed to the Proposition.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 23 .- To the Editor f The Bee: I have noticed recently in the ditorial columns of The Bee from time o time articles setting forth the urgent necessity of annexing South Omaha to The question as I view it, of Imaha. bolishing our home government, thereby urrendering our charter and placing our future destiny in the hands of a people who have no particular interest in our future progress other than for political and mercenary designs, is indeed one of such vital importance to our citizens that it must be lecided by a majority of votes of those who re most deeply interested, viz., the citizens of South Omaha; otherwise our people would be disfranchised and this, it is claimed, would be unconstitutional, and justly so. A change of this sort in the affairs of our people should be given careful thought It should interest the common borer who may only own a \$100 shack on a \$50 lot, as well as a packing house king who runs a plant involving several millions on which he is only paying taxes on onefiftieth part of its true value, whereas the small home owner is paying ten times more

n proportion. The question of annexation should interest the poor man and the man in medium circumstances to the extent that his taxes are not increased and it does interest the pack-Robert Conness, who makes his first ap- ing king that his may be lessened. The latpearance here in the part. Helen Strickland, ter expects by annexation to be excluded another new member of the company, plays from municipal taxation by being left out of Antoinette de Mauban with much feeling the corporate limits. There are good reaand what may be lacking in her delivery is sons for believing that this is a part of the amply made up for by her facial expres- plan of the annexationists of Omaha entered into by the corporations of this city. At the present time those bearing the burden of tion is the same elaborate one that has been | inxation of this municipality have nothing seen here before. The piece continues this to gain by the experiment of annexation. but on the contrary they stand to lose much, At the Trocadero last night the Travelers' also in the employment of our home peo-Protective association gave an entertainment, ple in conducting the municipal affairs of

After having given this matter the closest To speak mildly, the place was poorly chosen study. I feel safe in venturing the prediction or the accommodation of the crowd that at- that the citizens of S with Omaha stand altended the performance. The different most as a unit against uniting the two cities numbers of the program were well received and more especially do they protest against and were of greater or lesser merit. The any bill that may be enacted by the legisocalisms introduced were numerous and in lature, through the influence of the annexalocalisms introduced were numerous and in most instances made decided hits. The tionists, forcing upon us a condition of aftionists, forcing upon us a condition of aftionists. W. H. Rolf, Clinion; A. Bennett and wife, Kannas City; walks by the young people and several Were the question of annexation submitted numbers of the minstrel program. Lillian to the voters of this city today, I dare say Moines.

pecially to certain statements recently made in the editorial columns of your paper, representing that the city council of this city, with myself, could never be expected. submit the question of annexation to the people of South Omnha, owing to the fact that we were officeholders and knowing the result would be strongly in favor of aunexation, and that we would be thereby deprived of our positions. Replying to this natement I wish to go on record as saying that the citizens of South Omaha have at no time during my administration (covering

a period of three years) ever suggested or recommended in any way whatsoever the advisability of submitting the question of an nexation to the vote of the people. I now wish to say in contradiction to all such charges made by your paper, or anyone else ind was held at Trinity church Priday that I stand ready and willing at any time ening. Dean Fair stated that when the to use my best endeavers to submit the proposition to a vote of the people of this loyed laboring men present. Since that city and I feel that the council is fally in me many had gotten work and the fund accord with me in making this statement and been drawn upon for \$800 to assist the I am now willing to call a special meeting coor. The meetings had gradually dwindled of the council, pass an ordinance and issue down until Friday night only a few unempring would bring a great deal of work, so That the annexationists of Omaha place in that the strain upon the various funds would | the hands of the Packers' National bank of be relieved. After holding the meeting, this city an amount sufficient to cover all however, he said he had come to the con-expenses incurred in the election, the same lusion that it would be necessary to drop to be turned over to the city treasury of ack upon the old plan of almsgiving. No South Omaha in the event that the question of annexation fails to carry; myself and Several suggestions were made which it other business men of South Quaha agreerom a man who said he could speak from Omaha in the event the proposition carexperience, as he had tried the plan himself. ries. In this way the bill of expense will Is believed it would be a good idea for the not be shouldered on the taxpayers by the

> T. H. ENSOR, Mayor. Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Alivia of Barcelona, Spain spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weat Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs America knows that it cures liver and kid-ney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed; only 50 cents. Sold by Kuhn & Co., druggists.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

H. B. Gardner of Minneapolis is at the Her G. W. Hull of Salt Lake is at the Her

Grand Joseph Schwartz of Porto Rico is at the Ray Nye and wife of Fremont are at the

Her Grand

E. R. Baxter of Portland, Me., is at the Her Grand. C. C. Cary, a railroad man from Kansas City, is at the Her Grand,

S. A. Megeath, Franklin, Penn., was a guest of the Millard yesterday. Nat C. Dean, a New York dealer in rail-read supplies, was in the city yesterday. H. H. Loughridge, a wholesale grocery man of Lincoln, was in the city yesterday

W. H. Page, Edgar J. MacGregor and Benjamin Monteith of the "Prisoner of Zenda" are at the Mercer. J. A. Ellett, representing the Nebraska

his headquarters while in the city. Captain Grote Hutcheson has gone to Cininnati in response to a telegram announce ng the serious illness of his mother. E. G. Groves, specialty man for Paxton & Gallagher, has returned from a western trip

Sunday. John Cruickshank, chief clerk in the aulitor's office of the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake City, is in the city on business with the quartermaster of the Department of the

Missouri. Howard Could Boston: Miss Margaret Fuller, New York, and Vaughan Glaser, New York, members of the "Prisoner of Zenda" company, were guests of the Millard

At the Murray: J. G. O'Brien, Rochester; Duncan Harris, New York; S. W. Fatum, St. Joe; R. H. Soublette, Sioux City; Ralph H. Day, Sioux City; H. H. Loughridge, Lincoln; W. G. Whitmore, Valley; N. H. Stutz-coll, New York; H. O. Rene, Chicago; C. J. Faliroth, Milwaukee; E. E. Reynolds, Chi-cago; J. T. Miesman, Kearney; C. E. Prince, St. Paul; T. L. Carroll, Gothenburg; L. S.

Tanner, Chicago. At the Klondike: R. S. Rose, Duluth: Daniel Filber, Coleridge: Frank Blessing, Chicago: Lene McDavett, Tekamah; Bert Cowles, T. J. Field, Sloux City; Miss Mab-ens, Raine; J. M. Haven, Sloux City; E. L. Anderson, William Sloan, Tekamah; Anton Barold, Deadwood, S. D.; John Pence, E. I. Walcott, Charles H. Jack, Charles S. Walker, Tekamah; C. S. Evans, I. Duezt, Norfolk; M. J. Sterling, Mrs. McCall, Chi-Norfolk; M. J. Sterling, Mrs. McCall, Chicago; James McMurin, Central City; Ola Thomas, J. Christianson, Weeping Water; W. T. Miller, Kansas City.

Nebraskans at the hotels: E. P. Locke, Nebraska City; Thomas M. Huntington, Gordon; R. B. Montgomery, South Omaha; A. W. Hunt, S. A. Austin, Wilsonville; Rob-ert E. K. Millon, Henry Ley, Wayne; A. M. Modisatt, Rushville; M. J. Berry, Hastings; Lewis Meyers, Germantown; B. G. Pinney, Crawford: James Ely, Auburn: F. W. Bar-ber, Hastings: A. J. Weyet, Tekamah; A. J. Bosye, Hubbell; James Britton, Wayne; J. W. Crawford, St. Louis: T. B. Hord, Central City; C. J. Miles, Hastings; S. J. Alexander, Lincoln; W. G. Comstock, Bartlett Richards, Chadron; E. L. Lecker, Grand Island; A. H. Buckstaff, Lincoln.

At the Millard: H. J. Scott, Denver; H. M. Hartman, New York; E. C. Jackson, Boston; John G. Hammond, E. C. Reese, Chicago; F. Stewart Foote, Grand Rapids; M. Langfield, New York; W. O. Whitcomb. Chicago: Paul E. Treppenheim, New York; E. S. Sheppard, New York; Mrs. L. but on the contrary they stand to lose much. Anderson, Kansas City: A. Bennett, Kennot alone by the question of taxation, but sas City; Howard Gould, Boston; George T. Murphy, Beatrice; Miss Margaret Fuller, Yaughan Glaser, New York; Mrs. M. A. George, South Bend; George H. Honner, Adrian; J. S. Ruschbury, Kansas City, Prock Robertson, New York; George P. Rider, Chicago; C. S. Littman, Grand Island, Chicago; C. S. Littman, Grand Island, Grand Mrs. Honey E. Louis, S. H. Burnham, Lincoln: E. D. Burbank, Des Moines; C. E. Burnham, wife and daughter, Tilden: Lew W. Hill, city; W. P. Robinson, Pr. St. Joseph; Mrs. John Westfalling and James C. Downe, Chicago; I. F. Smatt, Des



#### QUAKER STATE PEOPLE MEET

Pennsylvania Club Gives Its Second Semi-Annual Entertainment at the Commercial Club.

The second semi-annual entertainment of he Pennsylvania club, given last evening in the drawing room of the Commerical club, was attended by a throng of native born Pennsylvanians that filled every avail able space in the six cozy parlors and overflowed into the halls. Every county of the Keystone state furnished its quota of men and women who are now residents of lows and Nebraska, In all there were nearty 300 and the occasion offered to many the opportunity to renew friendships begun many years ago, as well as to form new acquaintances.

A reception committee of four, Mr. W. G. Shriver, Mr. J. R. Buckingham, Mr. A. W. Jefferies and Prof. J. A. Gillespie, received the guests and saw that they met as many of the others as possible. The hour before the entertainment proper commenced was passed in conversation. Groups of the older folk recounted stories of their boyhood and girlhood days and told of the changes that the charge of highway robbery, was reteased upon receipt of a message from Chief he years have brought to them and localities back in Pennsylvania. The young net want her. people filled their cards for the dance that came later. The program of addresses and music was as follows:

The Keystone State. J. R. Buchanan Song. "I Fear No Foe" Jules Lumbard Our Old Homes A. W. Jefferls Our Guests S. I. Gordon Sign Song Prof. J. H. Gillespie

Pennsylvania Club, Past, Present and Futurs. R. C. Patterson The Pennsylvania Girl'....Male Quartet Prof. Butler, Accompanist. To conclude the entertainment a collation was served in the dining room and in the parlors there was a dance. The Pennsylvania clubs of Council Bluffs and Tekaman at the local office since the law went into were well represented.

Banquet for Returned Soldiers.

MARYVILLE, Mo., Feb. 24 .- (Special.)in entertainment and banquet in honor of the members of Company E, which, with the rest of the Fourth Missouri regiment were mustered out recently at Greenville, S. C., was given by the citizens of Marymantic side by a love story cleverly woven that no deserving person suffers from want spection of the post. He will return next which he strongly urged upon the relast night Indee C A Anthony de turned solders the duty of being as exem-plary in peace as they had been in war. The banquet was served at the Hotel Ream. and about 400 plates were laid.

## THE REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record Friday, February 24, 1899

Warranty Deeds. 

B. D. Richardson and wife to J. C. Robinson, sels nwis 30-15-10. 1,200
H. H. Harder and wife to Alexander Beck, sl<sub>2</sub> lot 76, Neison's add. 500
A. P. Tukey and wife to S. C. Johnson et al, wig lot 13, Reed's sub. 650
A. B. Conrar to Andrew Brady, lot 14, block 10, Corrigan Place
C. W. Rainey and wife to W. H. Rainey, sub lot 14, of lot 5, Capitol add. lot 1, block 8, Hillside add. No. 1, wig of wig lot 31, Redlek's 2d add. 10,000
Matthew Mutchler to A. P. Tukey, lot 19 block 5, Grammercy park. 1
C. F. Doll to Josian Soll, sels 9-15-11, 1,200
W. A. Jeffries to A. M. Howard, lot 3, block 25, Carthage 800

block 25, Carthage Quit Claim Deeds. Parke Godwin to S. U. Johnson, lot 5,500 6, block 10, Omana E. M. Hall and husband to Hans Ehlers, 8½ sw\\4 3-14-11.....

Deeds. Special Master to Frank Thompson, executor, et al, lots 6, 7, 8, 10 to 15, block 2, Union Place; lots 22 and 23, Burdette Court Sheriff to G. T. Hubbard, lot 2, block 7. Bowery Hill ame to R. M. Zug, trustee, st lot 10, block 2, Kountze 3d add 1.350

Total amount of transfers ......\$29,331

#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

T. J. Coates has leased the Mercer hotel Three days until the Mon's club concert at be Hanscem Park Methodiat Episcopal church.

County Treasurer Heimrod has called in general fund warrants up to 639, the amount aggregating about \$30,000, There was a Colonial entertainment at the

St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church Friday night. It was largely attended and was very enjoyable. Many of those present were clothing of the vintage of 100 years ago.

The Douglas County Bar association will have its annual banquet at the Millard hotel tonight. Covers will be laid for seventy. Judgo Munger of the United States court and the judges of the state supreme court will attend. The next and last of the series of 'ectures

delivered by Jean C. de Kolty under the auspices of the Unity club will take place next Monday at 8:15 p. m. in the lecture room of the Omaha Public library. Subject: "Ernest Renan." Sadie Richmond, who was arrested because the local police had reason to believe she

Hayes of Kansas City, saying that he did A mass meeting of taxpayers has been called for Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the council chamber at the city hall to meet

the senators and representatives from Doug-Ins county for the purpose of discussing the amendments that have been added to the proposed city charter. Peter Frenzer has taken out a permit to oreet a one-story brick store building to cost \$1,200 at Sixteenth and Davenport streets.

A permit has also been issued to the Omaha Cold Storage company to remodel the old brewery building at Eleventh and Jackson streets at a cost of \$5,000. The Omaha revenue office has just re-ceived a supply of the new \$30 revenue stamps. Previously the issues consisted of \$3. \$5. \$10 and \$50 stamps. The new variety is issued for the sake of convenience. It is

required on conveyances of property valued at \$30,000 or upward and there have been several demands for stamps in that amount City Attorney Connell is engaged in drawing up the motion for a new trial in the Moise case. This motion will be rather voluminous, for the city attorney believes that there are many points in which the court erred. If this motion is denied by

Judge Scott it will be but preliminary to an appeal to the supreme court, where City Attorney Connell is confident that Judge Scott's decision will be reversed. The Omaha Dramatic club was organized Thursday night. A constitution and bylaws were adopted and officers elected. The affairs of the club will be in the hands of the officers, who will be aided by an executive committee of five, the members of which will secure one of the balls of the city to be used for the club rehearsals and entertainments. The members are to meet once a week. Instructions will be given in clocution, expression, delsarte, vocal music, box-ing, feecing and dancing. A prominent Chicago elocutionist will be engaged as teacher



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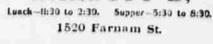
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