Updike Grain Company Makes Accusation Against Former Employe.

CIVIL ACTION FOR DAMAGES IS STARTED

Man in Charge of Country Elevator is Said to Have Toyed with Seductive Options-Money is Involved.

Commission company, praying for damages, about fifty in number. They will sponsible for the alleged peculations of an the business men of that city. At 10 o'clock imploye of the plaintiff. The petition recites they will take trolley cars for Omaha. in charge of the Updike Grain company's in Council Bluffs by representatives of the state. He was authorized to buy grain from farmers, and for this purpose large sums Omaha, and at 5:30 a dinner at one of the of money were sent to him from time to time botels by the Illinois Central, departing im-

It is further recited that the Weare Com-mission company dedls in options, buying the most gratifying entertainment possible alleged that of the money sent to Highee he converted a part of it to his own use, investing it in options with the Weare Commission company. If the story related in the petition is true Highee took many flyers in grain and "stood to make big winning or big loss," as the profession puts it. He evidently suffered loss, for in the petition it is asserted that the Updike company is still minus the money which it is alleged Highee appropriated. Highee's name appears numerous times in the petition, but he is not made a party to the suit, the action being solely against the commission company, which is alleged to have received the option enoney from Highee. The total amount is placed at \$2,000, the sum sued for.

A drink for the gods. The pure juice o the grape, naturally fermonted, such is Cook's Imperial Extra Dry Champagne.

BURGLAR IN PASTOR'S HOUSE

Stole Silverware Given to Rev. P. M. Lindberg at a Recent Donation Party.

The home of Rev. P. M. Lindberg, pastor of the Emanuel Lutheran church (Swedish). was entered by a burglar Sunday night while the family was at worship and a quantity of silverware and clothing was Among other articles taken were six solid silver teaspoons, a silver spoonholder and cream pitcher and one gold-lined presented to Rev. Lindberg by his congregation at a recent donation party.

The burglar entered the house, 1511 North D. F. Atkinson had been arrested on a Nineteenth street, by unlocking the front similar complaint, but as his offense was door, probably with a skeleton key. He less aggravated he was discharged. He was then ransacked every drawer and trunk drunk and had sat on the curbstone singhe could find, scattering the articles pro- ing hymns while the captain of the Volunmiscuously over the floor. From the fact teers was preaching. that he left several pieces of silverware, fully as valuable as those he carried away, it is supposed something happened to alarm him while he was at work. He left the house through the rear door.

Cure Your Cold While You Can. Is it not better to cure your cold while you can, in its inciplency, rather than take the chances of its resulting in pneumonia, catarrh or consumption, all of which diseases begin with a cold and may be prevented by curing every cold at the start?

food articles."

ders as most dangerous to health,"

WILL BE WELL CARED FOR Commercial Club Planning Reception for Illinois Central Bailroad Editors.

J. F. Merry, assistant general passenger agent of the Illinois Central, with headquarters at Dubuque, has written Secretary Utt of the Commercial club in relation to the editorial excursion which that road to bring to this city the 29th Inst. party will comprise representatives of news The Updike Grain company has filed suit papers located along the line of that road in the district court against the Weare between Dubuque and Omaha, probably A peculiar feature of this action is that the Council Bluffs at 7:55 a. m. and will be en-Liaintiff seeks to hold the defendant re- tertained at breakfast at the Grand hotel by

that during the last year O. G. Higbee was | They will be met either at the bridge or elevators at Cordova, Seward county, this Commercial club, will be shown about the city, given a luncheon probably at South mediately thereafter for their homes. Mr. and selling grain for future delivery. It is for the visitors and that they be shown whatever pertains to the industrial and com-

mercial interests of the city, "That we are selfishly interested in this, writes he, "goes without saying, as any thing that will aid in building up Omaha will be to the interest of the Illinois Cen-

tral railway. In addition to the representatives of the Commercial club the heads of the Omaha before. newspapers will be invited to meet and aid in the entertainment of the visitors.

HE PROFANED A SACRED HYMN Paul Nattuman Made Up the Words as He Sang and the Fun Cost Him Five Dollars.

and for burning a hole through the head of sale at 5c yard. bass drum with the butt of his cigar, Paul Nattuman was fined \$5 and costs in police court yesterday. Two officers of the Volunteers of America were the complaining witnesses. They testified that Nattuman interfered with their street meeting, in progress Sunday evening at Fourteenth and

"How did he burn the drum?" asked the "We were passing the drum around for the contribution, and he tessed his lighted cigar

into it. "How about the improper language?" "Well, he sung the hymn louder than any silver cream pitcher, all of which had been body else, making up the words as he went along, and the result was that most of the women left the meeting,

The modern and most effective cure for constipation and all liver troubles-the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

Endorse Comptroller Westberg.

day evening last: Resolved, That whereas John N. Westberg, the present incumbent in the office of city compitoller, is a candidate before the republican city convention for a renomination to the office of city compitoller;

Does Your

Baking Powder

Contain

Alum?

the constituents of alum remain (from alum baking powders) in

the bread, and the alum itself is reproduced to all intents and

purposes when the bread is dissolved by the gastric juice in the

process of digestion. I regard the use of alum as highly injurious."

it (alum) to be decidedly injurious when used as a constituent of

(alum and soluble alumina salts) introduction into baking pow-

In view of such testimony as this,

every care must be exercised by

the housewife to exclude the over

and over condemned cheap, alum

baking powders from the food.

Baking powders made from cream of tartar, which is highly

refined grape acid, are promotive of health, and more efficient.

No other kind should be used in leavening food. Royal Baking

Pawder is the highest example of a pure cream of tartar powder.

range the stomach should not be tolerated in baking powder."

Prof. Geo. F. Barker, M. D., University of Penn .: "All

Dr. Alonzo Clark: "A substance (alum) which can de-

Prof. W. G. Tucker, New York State Chemist: "I believe

Prof. S. W. Johnson, Yale College: "I regard their

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1,000 yards short mill ends of organdies, imittes, lawns, batiste, etc., in all the latest colors and designs, the same goods as reach we have had on display in our front show window for the past week, worth up to 20c yard, in remnants go at 15gc yard. 5,000 yards percales in all the latest colors

and designs, none better at any price, go at Sic yard. An unlimited quantity of Amoskeag apron hecked gingham, regardless of the advance n price, we are selling at 5c yard. 1,000 pieces standard prints, none better at

any price, go at 35c yard. 25c satin-bordered apron lawn, in full ieces, at 10e yard. 25c India linen, 40-inch, at 814c yard.

10c checked and striped nainsook at 5c vd. 1246c chambray and Scotch gingham at 61/2c 19c madras gingham at 81/2c yard.

Having placed our orders for all kinds in that line as cheap, or cheaper, than ever PEARL BUTTONS, 21/2C DOZ.

6000 dozen pearl buttons, all sizes and present. styles, all perfect, well-made, beautifully finished; choice of this entire lot at 21/2c TORCHON LACE AND INSERTION.

All the finer quality English torchon For introducing unseemly language and lace and insertion, medium and wide unorthodox sentiments into a sacred hymn widths, regular price up to 25c, go in this GREAT SALE EMBROIDERY. Large bargain squares, with immense lot

of all the finest embroidery and insertion,

in medium and wide widths, in lots at 5c, 15c and 15c yard, worth 50c. \$17.50 for ladies' \$45.00 jackets. \$12.50 for ladies' \$30.00 jackets. \$9.48 for ladies' \$19.00 jackets, \$7.35 for ladies' \$16.50 jackets. \$4.48 for ladies' \$12.50 jackets. \$3.45 for ladies' \$10.00 jackets. \$10.00 for \$16.00 and \$18.00 box coats \$4.98 for ladies' \$12.00 capes. \$16.90 for ladies' man-tailored \$35 suits. \$12.50 for ladies' \$25.00 suits. \$9.85 for ladies' \$20.00 suits.

\$7.45 for ladies' \$16.50 suits. \$4.98 for \$10.00 rainy-day skirts. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA, N. W. Cor. 16th and Douglas Sts.

PAVE CEMETERY ROAD

Joint Conference of County Commissioners and City Council Scheduled for This Morning.

At the solicitation of a committee reprecenting the Forest Lawn Cemetery association the county commissioners and a com-The following resolution is certified by mittee from the city council will have a the secretary as unanimously adopted by joint meeting at the court house today the Swedish-American Garfield club Tues- to discuss ways and means for paving the road leading to the cemetery. A part of the thoroughfare is already paved, but about a mile of dirt road remains. Part of it is

EXECUTORS SHOE SALE WEDNESDAY

WILL OFFER FOR SALE

\$42,185,00 Men's, women's, boys', misses' and chilfren's shoes, slippers and exfords, from the 50c 26-inch changeable sik for 25c. stock of Wallace & Elliot, sold on account black bengaline for 75c. Extra special of death of proprietor. Included in this value in new lot black taffets, 36 inches \$42,185,00 worth of shoes are

9,000 PAIRS WOMEN'S SHOES rom the great Rochester and Boston firms \$1.25, \$1.66, \$1.75, all for 75c. -Harding & Sons, G. F. Daniels, Winch. Bros., Batchelder & Lincoln Co., C. P. Ford.

4,000 PAIRS MEN'S FINE SHOES from J. Nelson Shoe Co., Winch Bros., Thompson Bros, and Florsheim Shoe Co. 3,200 PAIRS MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES from Sinsheimer, Bach & Co., Winch

Bros., P. Cogan & Sons, Maloney Bros, and 1,600 PAIRS WOMEN'S FINE SLIPPERS from B. Cohen & Sons, New York. 1.806 BOYS', YOUTHS' AND LITTLE GENTS' SHOES from the Newhall Shoe Co.

And a number of small lots, FROM 200 TO 500 PAIRS in each lot, of men's, women's and children's and infants' shoes. Sale will commence Wednesday, January 24th at BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

We have by this time completely rearranged both shoe departments for the better handling of this immense lot of shoes. By Wednesday morning our shoe departments will present an entirely different appearance. Immense bargain squares piled as high as one's head with the finest kind of shoes will

wash goods before the recent advance | The main points of this sale are the exprice, we are enabled to sell everything tremely high grade of shoes and the extremely low prices at which we are selling them. To give you an idea how they will he sold, we will quote only one price for the

We will give you the choice of every man' or woman's shoe in the entire lot that sold up to \$6,00 at the ridiculously low price of

All the narrow torchon lace edging and insertion, worth up to 7c, go at 114c yard. At this one price you will have your choice of over 10,000 pairs of shoes. See samples in our window. Further particulars and price will be given in tomorrow night's paper. This is the biggest shoe sale Omaha has ever known.

BOSTON STORE, OMAHA. N. W. Cor, 16th and Douglas Sts.

NOT ACTING INDEPENDENTLY

Collector of Internal Revenue Houtz Only One of Many Desiring Increased Salary.

"The impression has gained ground," said Collector Houtz yesterday, "that I have nade an application for an increase of salary WYOMING, UTAH, aron my own motion and that I am alone is the demand. Now the fact is that my recent etter to the congressmen and senators fron Nebraska was the result of a letter re elved by me from the collector at Chillicothe, O., enclosing a proposed bill to increase the salaries, accompanied with a request that I bring the letter to the atten ion of the representatives from Nebraska in congress.

"I believe that the salary of the collector of this district should be increased with the increased work and responsibility. The District of Nebraska includes the states of Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota and in this territory for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, there was collected \$2, 492,000 in round numbers at a cost of \$1.80 per \$100, while in the two lowa districts \$480,000 was collected at a cost of \$6.26 per \$100. For the fiscal year ending June 30 1899, in the Nebraska district the sum of \$3,428,079,38 was collected at a cost of \$1.54 Talcum Powder

DAVIS IS CAUGHT NAPPING

Officers Have Lively Skirmish in Capturing Alleged Burglar, Whom They Found in a Closet.

Charles A. Davis was lodged in the county jail yesterday and when the criminal court opens in February he must answer the charge of burglary. It is alleged that several months ago Davis broke into a house

Policeman Dempsey and Deputy Sheriff Neve went searching for Davis this morning, having had a tip that he could be found at his home, Third and Hickory streets. There was a commotion just as the officers reached the house and it was subsequently learned that the noise was caused by Davis springing out of bed. He was taking a morning nap. A woman who is supposed to be Mrs. Davis appeared at the door and assured the officers that Davis was not at home. She was unwilling for the officers to enter the house. They forced their way in and, after a close examinaion of the interior, they found Davis stowed away in a small closet.

Announcements. Local Philistines are deeply interested in the lecture to be given tonight at the First Congregational church, corner of Nineteenth and Davenport streets, by the famous author of "A Message to Garcia" and editor of The Philistine, Elbert Hubbard. Mr. Hubbard is also the guiding spirit of the Roycrofters, a band of bookmakers who design and create beautiful books at the Roycroft shop in East Aurora, N. Y., where The Philiptine, the clever monthly magazine with which Mr. Hubbard first attracted at tention, is printed. As the head of the Roycrofters, Elbert Hubbard is often called the American William Morris, because of the fine quality of the Roycroft books, in which regard they so resemble the produc tion of the Pelmscott press, and because of the higher socialism which pervades the organization of the Roycroft establishment The lecture tenight is entitled "The Work of the Roycrofters" and at a reception after the audience will be privileged to meet Mr.

Unable to Find the Keyhole. Because E. H. Walker couldn't find the eyhole he was arrested on a charge of keyhole he was arrested on a charge of being a suspicious character and was arraigned yesterday in police court. Walker is a tailor employed by the Omaha Dress company. He works nights. About 139 Saturday morning he attempted to admit himself with a key, but the darkness and other conditions were not favorable to his finding the opening, so two policemen who were watching him took him to the station. His employer appeared in court and explained that Walker had the right key and might have succeeded in admitting himself had the officers given him time. He was discharged.

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Fifth Ward McKinley Club The Fifth Ward McKinley club will meet Young's hall, Sixteenth and Corby Thursday evening, January 25, at 8 o'clock All members are requested to be present.

on Are Hereby Satisfied that on The Extra Values in Silks Continue

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o Malied Milk we sell.

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o Wine of Cardul we sell.

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Wanted in Davenport.

The four men giving their names as Albert and Frank Evans and Albert and Henry Elwell, arrested Saturday night by Chief Donahue and Captain Her while at least the policy of their Donahue and Captain Her while at pavenport. I.a., on a charge of burglary The men had three gold watches in their possession, a lady's neck chain, several possession, a lady's neck chain, several possession, a lady's neck chain, several possession, a quantity of necktics and other possession, a lady's neck chain, several provolvers, a quantity of necktics and other possession.

The republicant city competition to the office of city comptroller; its consistance of the consultation. The cemetery association that the consultation. The cemetery association the consultation. The cemetery association the consultation. The cemetery association that the consultation. The cemetery association that the consultation. The cemetery association that the consultation. The cemetery association of the sak the sum of \$2,003,256.26 was collected. There 3-quart Fountain Syringe 49c



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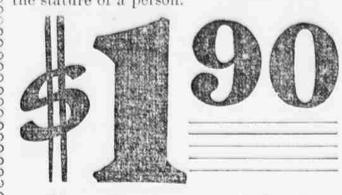
Geo. H. Moore, the Lake street dog fancier says: "There is nothing better. Dirty dog nouses and bedding this time of year cause scratches and mange. Take then in time and they can be speedily cured with CLAYTON'S MANGE CURE. Price of each 50c per bottle. Send for book on the dog.

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2.48 Misses' Jackets, worth Wrappers, worth \$1.00, for ... 39c Ladies' all wool Skirts, in heavy blis-tered crepous, worth dog sick. Coughs, colds, fever, distemper Ladies' all wool Flannel Waists, in plain | Ladies' Mackintoshes, single or double capes, blues, browns and black, worth \$5,00, for ...

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