THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1900.

Movements and Wherenbouts.

Mrs. L. F. Crofoot is home from Eng-

Mr. and Mrs. Taliaferro left Friday for

Mrs. H. G. Straight has returned home

Miss Jessie Dickinson is home from a

Mrs. S. D. Mercer and Miss Mercer are

Mr. W. D. Townsend has gone to Chicago

Mr. R. W. Vierling has gone to Kansas

City, where he will make his future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kountze have re-

Mr. David Baum is in Kansas City.

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New York.

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week in Kansas City.

a short visit to Chicago.

where he will spend a year.

after a week's visit in Chicago.

to Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth.

visit of two months in New York.

having an extended visit in Boston.

and Indianapolis, Ind., to visit relatives.

CHRONICLE OF SOCIAL DOINGS

Dame Fashion Spends the Week Mostly by Her Own Fireside.

TEA AND WHIST LUNCHEONS CHIEF EV. NTS

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Chance for Art Lovers.

Meeting of the P. E. O. Society.

Stag Social.

Whist Luncheon

Luncheon for Mrs. Weakley.

Out-of-Town Guests.

women. After a menu, daintily

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Elaborate Dramatic Entertainmeat Will Be Stellar Attraction Coming Seven Days-Happenings of Lesser Note.

Social Calendar.

MONDAY, February 5-Nebraska University club at Young Men's Christian Associa-

Odeon Dramatic club, Mrs. Edward Peck, TUESDAY, February 6-Cards, Mrs. George Weaver and Mrs. John Bodman at the

Merriam, outh Side Whist club, Mrs. Strickmore,

226 Douglas street. Mr. Nash a Dramatic entertainment by special company at the Boyd theater. A dance, Thurston Rifles. WEDNESDAY, February 7-Hardwicke-Lewis nuptials, Kounize Memorial church

with a cloth of renaissance lace laid over tained Friday Wednesday Lunch club, Mrs. Cockrell and pink satin. The centerpiece was formed of Mrs. Jaynes. Mrs. Pollard. THURSDAY, February 5-The Winter club,

The lethargy which had settled upon Omaha society was lifted last week by an elaborate "tea" given by Mrs. Rood and a dainty whist luncheon by Mre. Will Redick. Next week's chronicled events assure us of one of the most elaborate affairs of uppertendom - the dramatic entertainment given at Boyd's Tuesday Mr. Nash in honor evening of Mizs Nash. A special company has been McCounell. brought from Chicago for the occasion and the affair promises to be one of especial elegance. A number of Omaha society folk will attend the auditorium ball at the capital city Thursday evening.

There is no class of people more attractive than really clever society girls. Contrary to the general belief that their embroidered in cut steel. Mrs. McConnell ing at the bome of Mr. Draper Smith. Mr. ings and the last charming frock, originality white picked with gold threads. Miss Grey than that of their working sisters. It may trimmings of white panne velvet and rebe due to the fact that the less fortunate naissance lace. Miss Newton was dainty in sixth anniversary Wednesday evening in a ones find life quite too practical to enjoy a ruffled white organdle. the romance of an unusual situation, but the really clever society girl finds more time for reading and charitable deeds than she is given credit for.

A most unique party was given last week by a half-dozen full blown American beauties. I would give their names were it not for the "prying neighbors." Six girls who have grown from girlhood in Omaha, all of whom have lately reached the age where they step from plain girls to "bachelor girls met at one of the homes to celebrate the "awful occasion."

These young women wore ancient gowns ment should be taken as an invitation to of stiff black silk, with full skirts, pointed bodices, tight sleeves and white kerchiefs ment taken at the door. A collection will clubrooms of the North Omaha Pleasure so-ciety Thursday evening. Music, dancing and around the neck. Their hair was parted in be received for the benefit of an old soldier. the middle, with corkscrew curls hanging | long resident in the city, but now in finan- Light refreshments were served. over their ears. Each fondled her "dear | cial straits and enfeebled health. Mr. Linin-Tabby," while she sipped the black tea.

"Twenty-five today," said the hostess in some musical selections, vocal and instrua high treble; "I'm glad I shall be called a mental. bachelor girl and not an old maid. If I were like some girls, I might easily say I were 20, but I solemnly vowed never to go back on my age. But I could pass for 20, couldn't I. girls?"

"If it were not for that wrinkle about the eye," replied one.

with her own deft fingers the menu for her the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Parguests. The club is composed of Mrs. E. M. rotte at Edgeview. Moreman, Miss Klinatrick, Miss Jennie Miss Bessie Sellars of Chicago will be the Brown, Miss Elizabeth Allen, Miss Towle, guest next week of Mrs. Joseph Barker, Miss Higginson, Miss Kilpatrick, Miss,

John McGuire of Riverion is the guert of Crounse, Miss Swensburg, Miss Peck, Miss his brother, Thomas McGuire, enroute to Wennels and Miss Edith Smith. Miss Brown New York. a charming hostess at the first meet-Miss Julia Conway of Ottumwa, Ia., Is the

guest of her auni, Mrs. W. R. Cahill (f 1106 Mrs. E. S. Rood Entertains. South Tenth street. The premier event of the week was the Miss Nellie Dillon of Irvington and Miss afternoon tea given by Mrs. E. S. Rood. Cora Brown of Hartington are visiting Mrs. complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Charles Summer McConnell. Artistic beauty marked Whitmarsh for a few weeks,

Pleasures Past.

miration for their profusion and elegance Mrs. Schneider entertained at cards Thurs-In the drawing room where Mrs. Rood reday afternoon. ceived her guests, assisted by Mrs. McCon-The Unity club was pleasantly entertained nell, Miss Newton and Miss Grey, great clusters of American Beauties were used. A Wednesday by the Misses Stone.

The Omaha Guards gave a medal drill and floor vase was filled with an immense burch of the beauties which reached the ceiling, informal dance Monday evening, The mantel was banked with roses and

Mrs. Holmes gave a card party Saturday afternoon to a number of friends. In the library Mrs. Orr. Mrs. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Euclid Martin entertained

Mrs. Tallaferro served champagne soda from lifty guests at eachre Saturday evening. a New York trip. a silver punch bowl surrounded by lilies of The N. O. R. club gave an entertaining tended eastern trip. the valley and candelabra with white tapers. dance at Creighton hall Thursday evening. The dining room was a delight to the eve in The Friday club was delightfully enterits colorings of pink. The table was covered East Orange, N. J.

with a cloth of renaissance lace laid over tained Friday afternoon by Mrs. Miller and a bed of pink roses and seven-branched Mrs. McVea gave a kensington Wednesday candelabra with pink tapers and silken afternoon, which proved enjoyable to the

a dance. FRIDAY, February 9-Friday Card club, Mrs. C. E. Black and Mrs. Wappich, 1999 Webster street. Hanscom Park Card club, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Sheridan. E. Benson and Miss Amy Arthur. E. Benson and Miss Amy Arthur. Mrs. Card club, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Jones a months' visit in Chicago. roses. The bon-bons were also in colorings

evening. Music added to the success of the entertainment. Russian tea was served by Mrs. Towle and Mrs. H. H. Salisbury entertained at high Mrs. Stiger. Coffee was poured by Mrs. Cornish and Mrs. Clarke. The other assist- five Wednesday. The winners were Mrs. ing ladies were: Mrs. Cowgill, Mrs. Gulou, Houston and Mrs. Gleaves, Miss Martha Stone, Miss Towle, Miss Miss Rose Allen, 920 South Thirty-first Crounse, Miss Swensburg and Miss Edith street, entertained at high five on Friday

Smith, In the drawing room were: Mrs. Bur- evening in honor of Miss De Harte of Red gess, Mrs. Joseph McConnell, Mrs. Heth, Oak, Ia. Miss Bateman of Boston and Miss Callie A surprise party was given Monday evening for Miss Nettie Brown at her home, 502

In the evening a merry party of young South Tenth street, in honor of her 16th people enjoyed an informal dance to the birthday. strains of an orchestra placed in an oriental Mrs. Ben Rosenthal gave one of the most nook in the hall. Mrs. Rood received her beautiful teas of the season, Wednesday guests in a handsome gown of black over

afternoon. The colorings were in shades white taffeta with rose pleatings of mousseof yellow. line and edgings of white satin. The bodice The Unity club held its bi-monthly meethad a yoke and collar of pink panne velvet

time is entirely given to the pretty noth- was in gray and mode taffeta; a yoke of Howard Kennedy led the discussion, "The Mediaeval Church. marks their lives even to a greater extent of Fremont wore a lavender taffeta with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cahn entertained a number of guests in honor of their forty-

California. delightfully informal manner.

The Southwest Dancing club gave another informal hop Monday evening at Morand's and friends. The many artists in Omaha and lovers of assembly. It proved highly enjoyable to the pictures generally will have an opportunity large number of participants. on next Thursday, February 13, from 2:30 to The Gemuethlichkett High Five club held by Miss Georgia Lindsey. 4 p. m., to visit the gallery of Mr. G. W. its regular meeting Thursday evening at the Lininger, southwest corner of Davenport and home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baumer. Prizes Eighteenth streets, and hear him explain were won by Mrs. Dake and Mr. Shaeffer. some of the leading pictures in his studio. Miss Irene Sloan gave a delightful party Mr. Lininger will give an informal talk Wednesday evening to a dozen friends. Prowhile standing before his selected subjects. a kind of running commentary from one gressive dominoes was the feature of the study to another as he takes his visitors evening. Music also added to the evening's round the beautiful gallery. This announce- enjoyment.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the cards furnished the evening's entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Allen of 920 South

ger's explanations will be interspersed with Thirty-first street gave a high five party Friday evening in honor of Miss De Haute. After ten games prizes were awarded and refreshments were enjoyed by the guests, The Bonton club was entertained Mon-

The P. E. O. society held its regular meetday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johning Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. son. A dainty feature of the evening was A. Traynor, 2128 Wirt street. After the reguthe pinning of a rose to each score card. lar business meeting the spacious parlors were thrown open to about fifty invited Mrs. Robinson and Mr. Barritt were suc-

assisting ludies were Mrs. Van Dusen, Mrs. February 6, the proceeds of which will co Laurence, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Denny, to the minister

Mrs. Moreland and Mics Hunt. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, who live three Mr. W. W. Connoran gave a stag party miles north of town, entertained a num-Thursday evening, or attempted to give one ber of their Omaha and Florence friends at which was interrupted later in the evening a party Friday night.

by a merry crowd of the fair sex, who, Andrew and Henry Anderson, accompanies dressed in dominoes and masks, entered the by their wives, attended the funeral of their parlors with baskets of tempting viands sister-in-law, the wife of John Anderson, at with which to beguile the participants of Blair Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Anderthe stag party. Music was provided and son were former residents of this place. dancing indulged till a late hour.

The Reservoir Ice company and McCoy & Olmsted could not agree on some ice that was staked out on the river and an in Junction was obtained by McCoy & Olmsted restraining the Reservoir Ice company from cutting the ice.

Mrs. Samuel Burns is sojourning in Colo-W. S. Philpot, Albany, Ga., says: "De Mr. Frank Campbell returned from Texas Witt's Little Early Risers did me more good than any pills I ever took." The fa-Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Coutant are Galesmous little pills for constipation, bilious ness and liver and bowel troubles.

Mr. H. J. Newman leaves Wednesday for **Central Labor Union Committees**.

resident Taylor of the Central on has announced the following Mrs. Guy C. Barton is home from an exunion has announced the following standing committees for the ensuing six months: Law-G. J. Kleffner, P. H. Dillon, N. Svendgard, J. P. Sullivan, Fred Wittmer, Organization-B. J. Lynch, J. E. Mullane, C. E. Sparks,
Arbitration-T. F. Sturgess, C. E. Watson, E. N. Foley,
Home Industry and Union Label-Howard Harvey, John Madden, C. F. Tubbs,
Press-L. V. Guye, I. J. Copenharve, A. Backus, Mrs. Alfred Hunt is visiting friends in

Miss Georgia Sharp has gone to St. Louis

Mrs. Richard C. Patterson is spending a

Backus Miss Mae Mount is home from a two onstitution Revision-Sparks, Youngs, Quinby

Guinby, Fraternal Delegates-To South Omaha: Curren, Backus, Lee, Shrum, To Council Bluffs: Kiróy, Russell, Lyckholm, A committee has been appointed to hire a hall and to secure speakers for the purpose of discussing municipal ownership of water works at an early date. The trustees re-port the financial standing of the Central Labor union to be good. The following delegates were seated at last night's meeting: John Madden, Boller Makers' union; Charles White, Hackmen's union; Oliver DeFan, A. H. Schroder, Mu-sicians' union; W. W. Wolf, Bricklayers' union; G. E. Mitchell, Federal union. Dr. H. N. Kelley leaves today for Mexico,

Mr. Robert S. Smith is home from a trlp

Building Permits.

The following permits have been issued from the office of building inspector: W. E. Riddell, 413 South Eleventh, alterations, \$100; A. L. Patrick, South Thirtleth, two frame dwellings, \$1,000 each.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

turned from a three weeks' visit in Denver. Joe Steffen is under arrest, charged with threatening to kill Flora Brown of 911/2 Capital avenue. Mr. John W. Battin is in Baraboo, Wis. the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Battin, Mrs. Charles Kountze, Miss Kountze and

Right Rev. A. L. Williams, bishop-coad-jutor, will officiate in Trinity cathedral, Capitol avenue and Eighteenth street, this morning at the 11 o'clock service. Miss Clara Palmer returned Saturday from

Mr. and Mrs. George Moores have re-Work is progressing satisfactorily on the Satiley building at Tenth and Jones streets. The fourth story has been reached and the roof will be on inside of three weeks. turned home from a six weeks' visit in Mrs. G. W. Hoobler will return early this

In police court yesterday Louis Knapp pleaded not guilty to forgery on five counts, His case was continued until such time as he will be able to employ an attorney. week from Chicago, after visiting relatives Mrs. Burt left Friday evening in her spe-Authority has been received from Wash-ington for the permanent location of the office of postoffice inspector in the federal building, and he has been assigned to room cial car for Seattle. She was accompanied

Mr. Fred W. Wanner has returned from his eastern trip in New York on account

his eastern trip in New York on account of the severe illness of his mother. Mrs. Charles C. Rosewater returned Thursday from a visit in Jamestown, N. Y. Her sister, Mrs. Harry Byron Adams, ac-Her sister, Mrs. Harry Byron Adams, ac-Yesterday was the day that "Micky" Mulcompanied her home and will be her guest

companied her home and will be her guest for a few weeks. Mrs. R. E. Pease, who has just returned from a year's travel in Europe, was accom-angled by her niece Miss lowed was accom-be heard.

The True Populist is the name of a weekly newspaper that has made its appearance under the direction of D. Clem Deaver as publisher, who declares that the paper will be devoted to the principles of the people's party as defined by the Omaha and St. Louis platforms. panied by her niece, Miss Jowel Wood, a charming girl who has devoted several years to mastering the languages under the tutelage of the best masters in Germany and France. After a visit here with her party aunt and friends she returns to her home

Mrs. A. S. Brown, 537 South Twenty-fifth avenue, and Mr. David Halper of Philadelphia were married on January 28 at the

the eye," replied one.
"Or that gray lock, my dear," said an-other.
"But this age question is a problem," went
the hostess. "It is the one thing that sticketh closer than a brother. I think it
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were better if our parents made it a point or add some bit of information. Miss Mc- ginia." Mrs. Dr. E. L. Alexander and Mrs. to forget the date of our birth and that Cheane's entire collection of pictures had E. A. Crane led the discussion. we should live in blissful ignorance of that been artistically arranged about the rooms

"Our parents might be accommodating followed. enough to forget it," said one, "but how about the prying neighbors? Now 24 is not so bad, because one thinks of the long twelve months before the quarter of a century mark and thus remains as youthful as to attend. at 20.1

"And 26 is not so bad, either," remarked another, "because one is resigned to one's fate," punctuated by a deep sigh from all BIX.

"Give me another cup of tea, my dear; no, no cream; no sugar."

"What, no cream, no sugar; you must be well along in the resigned state."

"But, Elizabeth, this cup has a man on it; take it away!"

"Just give it to Anne, dear, she is an educator and is compelled to come in contact

with the foreign element." "Jane," began my hostess, "how did it happen that one with your charms should have lived in single blessedness all these years. I recall the days when you were the belle of all occasions."

Here the six "'spinsters" took out their the meeting. knitting preparatory to listening to the story of Jane's life, while the low music was fur-

nished by a few of the uncongenial cats. With a voice full of quavers, Jane told how many had wooed, but her heart belonged to one, and-and-and he died. Then all fell to and wept in silence.

After the weeping period Elizabeth was called upon to explain why she had never become a matron.

"It was so romantic," whimpered Elizathen, and then he died." Chase.

'Poor man!'' cried the sympathetic listeners.

"And what killed your man, Mary?" asked the ever curlous hostess. "He salled away to get riches for me and

he never-came-back; and all alone I sit by the sad sea waves and await his return."

"That is why I see you going to the levee so often, is it, dear? It must be awfully dirty down there; why not wait at Cut Off

"What a lot of buried hopes," sighed one. "Let's keep a sharp lookout for a man who blue. looks strong enough to withstand ordinary cares and see if our combined efforts cannot keep him alive."

Cooking Club Launched.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Weakley, Mrs. A cooking club has been organized that Ford, Mrs. Keysor, Mrs. Harford, Mrs. Brypromises much enjoyment for its members son, Mrs. Beldon, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Lindsey, and possibly a little practical knowledge. Mrs. Towne, Mrs. Heller, Mrs. Jaynes, Mrs. The young lady who acts as hostess prepares



Among the interesting features of the horrible 25. Ugh! It makes me shudder," and added much to the social hour which Chinese New Year's banquet at the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening were The P. E. O. has for its winter program a the recitations of Master Hubert Owen. He series of parlor entertainments consisting recited most effectively a number on "Paof lectures, socials and musicals, which are triotism" and Riley's "Raggedy Man." proving delightful to all who are privileged Mrs. Herman Kountze gave her last "at

home" at Forest Hill Tuesday afternoon. The rooms were handsomely adorned with Patriotic Society Entertained. palms and white roses. Mrs. Kountze was On Monday afternoon the local chapter of assisted in entertaining her guests by Mrs. the Daughters of the American Revolution Manderson, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Patrick and Mrs. was delightfully entertained at the resi-Webster. dence of Mrs. L. P. Funkhouser. The topic The K. K. Kard klub was royally enter-

for the day was "The Colonization of Marytained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Carson land." Mrs. E. L. Alexander read a paper. of Twenty-second and Izard streets. The on "The English in Virginia," and Mrs. E. first prize, a silver comb and brush tray, fell A. Crane spoke on "Bacon's Rebellion." The to Mrs. L. A. Welsh. The second prize, a feature of the program was the reading of silver curling iron, was captured by Mrs the prize essay on "Colonial Manners and Bandman.

'ustoms," by Miss Viola Patton, pupil at Mrs. H. J. Cole gave a kensington Friday the Omaha View school. Miss Patton was from 3 to 6 o'clock. The ladies enjoyed a the successful contestant for the medal most pleasant afternoon. The greater part offered to pupils of the eight grade or lower. was given to guessing familiar quotations. Miss Bishop contributed two pleasing musi-The prize, a china plate, was awarded to cal numbers and with Mrs. Edward Porter Miss Gibbs, after which dainty refreshments Peck, served refreshments at the close of

were served. Mrs. A. Whitmarsh entertained at her home, 3911 North Twenty-third street, day morning. An enjoyable stag social was given by Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Gilson

the Rev. W. T. Hilton to 150 of his men of Knoxville, Ia. Miss Nellie Dillon of Irvington and Miss Cora Brown of Hartington, friends. After an entertaining program of music refreshments were served and the Neb. Miss Brown and Miss Dillon rendered

following trasts responded to: "The several plano duets. Church and the Law," Judge Slabaugh; A card party was A card party was given Thursday even-"The Church and Education," Prof. Wool- ing by Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Kelley. The ery; "The Church and the Press," W. M. house was daintily adorned with bridesmaid Maupin; "The Church and the Business roses and pink carnations. After cards a beth. "He came all the way from New Man," George Wallace: "The Church and sumptuous supper was served. Prizes were hall next Friday and Saturday nights. York to hear me sing. Such beautiful times the Physician." Dr. W. O. Henry; "The awarded to Mrs. George Weaver and Miss as we spent together, and then I sang, and Church and the Working Man," Arthur Collett and to Mr. Touzalin and Mr. Copley. from Havelock, where she was called a

Thursday evening. An informal program of mother.

songs and instrumental numbers was given Mrs. Will Redick gave a charming whist some of Omaha's prominent musicians. luncheon Thursday afternoon to about fifty prepared highly entertaining. Dr. Kemp secured first and served, whist formed the entertainment prize, while Mr. Ely easily won the consolafor the afternoon. The winners were Mrs. tion.

Davis and Mrs. Lindsey of the east and west The members of the Unique Pleasure sides. Mrs. Morsman and Mrs. Brinker were club tendered a surprise on their vice presthe winners of the north and south sides. ident, Charles Woodworth, at their club The rooms were delightful in decorations of rooms Friday evening. The occasion was palms and roses and colorings of robin's egg

A very enjoyable evening was spent, members rendering soveral songs and recita- Mr. Luce. In honor of Mrs. Weakley, contraito of tions. Whitney-Mockridge Concert company, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Cole gave a jolly Mrs. Draper Smith gave a luncheon Tucsday. high five party at their apartments at the

Normandie Friday evening. Ten games were played. Mrs. J. J. Du Bolse won the prize, a handsome vase. Mr. Talbot won the gentleman's prize, a silver-mounted shaving set.

after which a three-course lunch was served. Henry Franley of Deadwood is in the city. Mrs. Marks entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for Miss Marks of Lincoln. Miss Newton of Fremont is visiting Mrs. The table was charming in decorations of La Franca roses. The participants were: Mr. George Hardy of Grand Rapids is an Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Jaynes, Mrs. Nicholl, Mvs. Carlion, Mrs. Burket, Mrs. Wearne, Mrs. Mrs. T. B. Hard and daughter of Central Marks, Miss Carlton, Miss Huskell, Mias Marks and Mrs. M. Marks. Rev. William Barnes Lower left Thursday Mrs. J. G. Hart, 2608 Harney street, en-

tertained the Woman's club, R. M. S., on Mrs. Clark of Lincoln is the guest of her Wednesday afternoon. After the business seasion the most tempting refreshments were served. A sewing contest, which caused much merriment, was next on the program, the prize being won by Mrs. McConnell. Mrs. John Watkins gave a beautiful re-

ception Thursday afternion, assisted by her E. M. Prichard of Columbus is visiting mother, Mrs. E. R. Hayward. The rooms have returned and will live here.

at Kountze Memorial church February 7 at high noon.

in Kansas City.

street.

Mr. Howard H. Lipey and Miss Lou A. Thomsett were united in marriage January 16 at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomsett, Seventeenth and Lake streets. Mr. and Mrs. Lipey left immediately for Houston, Tex., their future

home. Mr. William B. Whitehorn, well known in this city, left for Danville, Ill., last Thursday, where he will be united in marriage to Miss Jennie Good, a charming and popular school teacher of that city. The wedding will take place Monday, February 5.

Omaha. Mr. Whitehorn and his bride will return to Omaha shortly and reside at 2562 Douglas

OMAHA SUBURBS.

Benson. Mrs. Merman of Irvington visited friends in Benson last week

Mr. William McGinnis of Elk City visited relatives in Benson last Wednesday. Miss Zella Smith of Plattsmouth visited

with friends in Benson during the last week. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCabe died of pneumonia last Fri-

The Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Keller last Thursday afternoon. It

will meet again in two weeks. The M. K. L. S. met with Miss Morgan last Friday night. It will meet at the home

of Mr. Tindell in two weeks. The Dramatic club will give the drama, "Tony, the Convict," at the Benson town

Mrs. S. R. Hoffman returned last Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. McBride gave a musicale week ago by the serious illness of her

Lumber and other material are being hauled for the erection of the Joseph Mc-After the musical a lesson in molding was Guire implement house, to be built on the Military road.

> At the regular meeting of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows last Thursday night there was a large attendance and three new members were initiated.

There will be services at the Methodist Murray church this morning at 11 o'clock and at 8 be conducted this week by the pastor, Rev.

Prof. F. F. Roose of Omaha gave a lecture at the Fraternal Union of America lodge hall last Wednesday night on "The Principles and Benefits of the Order." A number of musical selections were rendered during the evening.

About twenty young people of Benson and Omaha planned a surprise on the young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stiger

last Saturday. The surprise was complete and a merry time was spent till a late hour Refreshments were served.

Florence Dan Corcoran of Omaha visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

C. O. Bondesson made a business trip !! Council Bluffs Wednesday. Mr. E. Smith and Mr. Jaynes of Bensor were husiness visitors here Friday. Luke Simpson of Crescent, Ia., visited relatives here Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Turpin, formerly of Omaha Reynelds, the consolution going to Mrs. have rented a house here, and will make this

their future bome. The family of J. H. Cluck, who have been residing in Omaha for the last six months, C. E. Frost, who has been station agent

what the loss to us. Come early and be Ed McKinney was arrested while removone of the lucky ones.

ing waste from the journal boxes of Union Pacific freight cars. The arresting officers say he has been using the substance for kindling and fuel, as it is heavily charged **N.K.**Scofield with oil and hurns readily. He was ar-raigned in police court Saturday, pleaded not guilty and was released under \$150 bonds to await trial.

bonds to await trial. The Columbia Fire Insurance company, the organization of which was mentioned in The Bee a few weeks ago, has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the county clerk. The incorporators are Davk E. Thompson. Charles D. Mullen, Caspa E. Yost, William D. Fitzgerald, Isaac Reynolds. The capital stock is \$200,000. The headquarters of the company will be it Omaha.

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consumption Equal to Production and Chances of a Strike A plank from a sidewalk was offered in Diminish.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 .- The Engineering

A plank from a sidewalk was offered in evidence in police court Saturday against Charles 2mith, charged with petit harceny. It had been taken from the walk near Twenty-fifth and Leavenworth streets, and the arrest had been made as Smith was carrying it away. He was fined \$25 and costs, but when he said he was a poor man with a wife and other word wither the and Mining Journal speaking of the coal trade says: The cold weather has brought out a satisfactory buying in the anthracite with a wife and eight small children the coal trade, particularly in the east. Prices ludge suspended sentence are firm and the consumption equals the

Joe Sooa, 66 years old, living at Twen fifth and Hickory, pleaded not guilty police court yesterday to a charge stealing corn from a Union Pacific car. says he was walking through the ya empty-handed when he met several h being chased by detectives. The b scrambled under the cars and escaned, the detectives "took their spite out" him, so he says. Joe Sooa, 66 years old, living at Twentyproduction. The prospects of a general Special Attention Given to strike among the miners are much less, and it is altogether probable that there will be yards no serious trouble before spring.

In the seaboard bituminous trade the de boys mand continues brisk, particularly from beon yond Cape Cod, where there is a decided him, so he says.

him, so he says, The charge of assault preferred by Charles Vieman against James Redman. Sam Redman, Sherman Redman and Gor-don Knier was dismissed Saturday in police court because Vieman confessed to having sent an obscene letter to a female relative of the Redmans. The dismissal was upon recommendation of the county attorney, who said that "any man who would write such a letter to a woman does not deserve to prosecute a case." shortage of coal. Contracts are running out, however, and producers are better able to take care of orders. Regarding the coming season's prices it seems certain that rail freights from mines to tidewater will be 35 cents higher than last year and that the regular prices for coal at the mines will be about \$1.50 per ton. Owing to high westerly winds, following the foggy weather, vessels are detained at castern points and ocean

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

REPUBLICANS MEET BRYAN C. W. Lincoln of Beatrice is at the Mer-

E. P. Roberts of West Point is at the Millard. Bay State Club Extends Social Courtesies to Nebraska T. G. Hamilton of Kansas City is in

N. H. Loomis, a miller of Topeka, is at the Millard. HOLYOKE, Mass., Feb. 3 .- William J H. K. Webb of Kansas City is at the Millard. Bryan arrived here from Montpeller in time

for an early breakfast with Christopher T. G. M. Mullins of Papillion is at the Callahan, chairman of the democratic state Murray.

ommittee. Miss C. C. Capon of Peoria is at the At 2 o'clock Mr. Bryan will board a train Mr. Woodworth's twenty-fourth birthday. A very enjoyable evening was spent memin the city hall. Later he will go to Spring-Upton of Lincoln is registered at field, where, after addressing a public meet

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ing in the city hall, he will hold a reception in the mayer's office. Mr. Bryan will then

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John F. Green, a St. Louis altorney, is in Omaha visitor. mayor and the Bay State club, the latter

e republican organization, whose member S. S. Phillips of Minucapolis is transact, desire to meet Mr. Brvan socially ng business in the city.

Hoggarty, stock dealer of Kimball, is at the Merchants.

Nat Paker, a stockman of Lusk. Wyo., is day E. D. Harrison of Rig Spring, Neb., is gistered at the Merchants.

Peter Ebberson and George Boyle of St. aul. Neb., are at the Merchants.

H. Cornell, attorney and banker of infine, is a guest at the Her Grand. C. Holder, a superintendent of Swift Company, Chicago, is at the Her

Mirs. M. E. Hayden, real estate and brok-rage agent of New York, is at the lie-trand.

A. A. Pocock, proprietor of the Hotel Hartford, Hartford, Conn., is a guest of Morchanis C. H. Parsons, superintendent of construc-

EMPORIA, Kan. Feb 2.-Dr. R. S. Law-ronce, professor of mathematics and presi-dent of the faculty of the College of Em-poria, his resigned to accept the chair in mathematics at Hanover (Indiana) college. It is said that Dr. Kirkwood and Dr. Ward, the inter instructor in Latin, will also mon resign. Dr. Kirkwood to accept a pastorate at St. Paul. on of the Fremont and Omaha school at os Moltes, is at the Her Grand.

Miss Shelly Harriger, daughter of Major 5.8 Barriger, left for Denver last night to isit friends. She will probably remain irree weeks.

BOSTON, Feb. 2-A fish combi-sen formed here by forty of the mis brother, G. A. Prichaid. Mrs. R. Bittinger and daughter of Cripple Creek are Omaha guests. Miss Parrotte of Chicago, who has come to attend the Parrotte-Goodrich wedding, is to attend the Parr

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S. E. Upte the Murray. Jac. Fishel of San Francisco is registered t the Millard. E. M. Howell of Kansas City is a guest return to Holyoke to make a speech before

John A. Masters and wife of Jameson, $\begin{bmatrix} 1\\ p \end{bmatrix}$