THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1900.

SOCIETY IS SORE DISTRAUGHT COMPLETE FIRST SHIPMENT COOL WEATHER IN MOUNTAINS \$1.25 SILK MERCERIZED SKIRTS, 39C

Members of Most Aristocratic Circles on Brink of Nervous Prostration.

PHOTOGRAPHS ARE GONE PRECIOUS

Had Been Entrusted to Two Nice Young Men. Who Were to Have Them Enlarged.

The stay-at-home element of Omaha's ultra fashionable, those who have eschewed. the watering place to brave the heat, dust and noise of the city, are just at present undergoing something which approaches nerv ous prostration because of the depredations of two swell young fellows who have been representing themselves as disciples of art for art's sake. They introduced themselves as Paul and Louis Marks of Chicago. For nearly two months they have been engaged in leaving their "marks" on the sands of time, but, unfortunately, these "marks" are not sufficiently legible to lead to their apprehension

They are nearly as shrewd as the "Two Marks" of the "Uncle Tom's Cabrn" show, and at least a score of the local creme de la creme feel as if they had been playing an unenviable role in the aggregation.

The question they all ask is, "What has become of our pictures "" They explain that two real nice young men, correctly dressed and with irreproachable manners, called and took them away to be enlarged or to be copied in pastel. There was to be no cost, save the cost of the material. Nothing would be charged for the work. Satisfac tion guaranteed or no pay. And they were such well groomed, genteel young men, and talked so persuasively that we just had to let them have the pictures.

That was a month ago or more and since then nothing has been seen or heard directly of either the young men or the pictures, and this accounts for that nervous, distraught look on the face of society.

Edward A. Cudahy wonders if his chaste countenance will soon appear as the trade mark of a rival brand of soap. In his dreams Stephen A. McWhorter sees himself. in newspaper advertisements lending facial guaranty to his testimonial in behalf of Dr. Quackworthy's Petrified Fellets or Dr. Sawbone's Galvanized Gargle. Edward Dickinson has nightmare whenever he thinks of his photograph forming the nucleus of Aunt Samanthy's Does-Anyone-Know-Where-I-Can-Get-a-Biscuit ad, while W. G. Sloan wonders if he will have legal redress against the fellow who makes him say: "I have used Dr. Billjohn's Crystallized Thunder for bronchitis and chilblains and can safely affirm that it is great stuff."

Women Also Victimized.

This would not be so hard to bear it it were not for the fact that the women of their households have also entrusted their photos to the twin charlatans from Chicago. The thought of their features being used to exploit the merits of Brickdust Face Powfler and Whaleback Stays is simply awful. It is for this that Omaha's 400 shudders. The "Two Marks" broke upon the scene about six weeks ago, when they put up at a boarding house at 211 North Eighteenth street, telling the landlady that they were agents of the Vienna Art studio, Chicago. They at once set about canvassing for pictures, confining their efforts to the more exclusive residence districts.

by the secretary of the civil service, the "We are representatives of the Venus superintendent of mails and the assistant Art institute," they would say, "What! custodian of the building. These officers You never heard of it? Why, it is located will be given quarters in other parts of at 211 North Eighteenth street, and claims the structure. among its clientele some of your very best people.

Then they would ask for a photograph of

Three Million Pounds of Nebraska Onts Journeying to Manila-An-Secretary Utt Has Been Searching for It, other Equal Amount Wanted.

The quickest work in forwarding grain for the horses of the United States army by the Department of the Missouri was that of John Wallace of the quartermas-

per day.

awarded.

ter's department in the shipment of 3,000. 000 pounds of oats to San Francisco for Returns to the City in So Disreputuse in the Philippines last week.

able a Condition that His The actual work of inspection and load-Friends Fail to Recoging began Thursday morning, July 28. The nize Him. oats were in elevator at Hildredge and had heen inspected in the bins, but this did not end the inspection. Double sacks were Secretary John E. Utt of the Commercial

but Found it Not.

provided and into these the grain was club returned yesterday from a visit of oured from the elevator as it passed into something over a week at Fontanelle, Wyo., the car. Saturday, August 4, the work was accompanied by Mrs. Utt and his son Lee. completed, the grain having been inspected He has been having a genuine "roughing and loaded at the rate of 300,000 pounds outing and his personal appearance at-

tested the fact in an unmistakable manner. The entire shipment of seventy-six cars "I can't understand why people go to the came from the farms of Nebraska and the mountains to find cooler weather," he said. sacks in which they were placed were man-'Why, up where I was during the day it ufactured in Omaha. The sacking required was hotter than anything I ever experifor the shipment weighed 41,140 pounds enced before. I had to ride overland from and the oats were of the best quality. Opal to Fontanelle, thirty-five miles, weighing from thirty-two and one-half to through continuous sand, wherein the very thirty-four and one-half pounds to the rocks were afire. It took us six hours to bushel. It is estimated that this grain is cover the distance in a little open twoabout a sixty-day supply for the horses seated wagon with a span of mustang and mules now in the Philippines. The ponies. I went fishing one day and caught chief quartermaster at Washington was so a lot of speckled trout. The Fontanelle well satisfied with the quality of the grain river is as cold as ice and I stood in the that he ordered another purchase of the water several hours in rubber boots. My same amount and bids were opened yeshead was blistering and my feet were terday. The contract has not yet been freezing. When I got out I staggered home somehow and found that my pulse

Siege battery O left Fort Riley Monday was running at 108 or thereabouts. I lay night on its trip to China. Before it left down and held the watch on it for a long three privates whose time will expire time waiting for the final summons, but within eight months were transferred to as usual the message that I longed for other batteries.

Major Brad Slaughter is at Fort Crook today paying the troops at that post. The money to be paid out this month is about \$10,000, against about \$50,000 paid out last month

NO HOPE OF RECOVERY

The Doctor Said, but Chamberlain's Colte, Cholers and Diarrhoes Remedy Cured Him.

"My son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician who stands high in his profession. A neighbor can in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and after administering three doses of it my son regained consciousness and reovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va.

CONTRACTORS BEGIN ON ANNEX man who impersonates the tramp in the

Will Last Six Weeks-Plans for

Sub-contractors yesterday began work on the annex of the federal building. Three teams are being used for excavating for he foundation and it is estimated that this work will require six weeks.

The last earth to be moved will be that under the driveway at the rear of the postoffice and so long as that remains intact the mails will be handled as at present. After the rear of the present building is closed by the work of construction all mail will be received and delivered at the south front instead of at the north front, as at first proposed. The registry department

will be moved to the rooms now occupied

Big Sale of Laces, Allovers, Hostery and Handkerchiefs Tomorrow. AT BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

\$1.25 LADIES' SILK MERCERIZED SKIRTS AT 39C. 1,000 ladies' silk mercerized underskirts.

with deep ruffles, extra well made, in all sizes, worth \$1.25, in this sale 39c each. SAYS IT'S HOTTER THERE THAN IN OMAHA

20C HOSIERY, 5C A PAIR. Hundreds of dozens of Indics', misses' children's and men's fast black and tan hostery, all full seamless, all sizes, worth up to 25c, in this sale 5c a pair.

25C LACES, 2%C AND 5C YARD. Thousands of yards of all kinds and widths of fine wash laces and insertings, including mechlin, point d'esprit, torchon and valenciennes, all go in this sale at 215c and 5c a yard.

HANDRERCHIEF BARGAINS. Hundreds of dozens of almost every style handkerchief, including plain white and fancy bordered, hemstitched, embroidery and lace edged, open drawn work beading effects, worth up to 25c, in this sale at 31%c and 5 each.

50C ALLOVERS AT 15C EACH. All the allover lace, allover embroidery and allover tucking, in a great variety of styles, in this sale at 15c each. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

N. W. Cor. 16th and Douglas Sts.

Omaha Tent and Awning Co., tents, awnings, canvas goods. 11th & Harney. Tel. 853.

for \$3.75

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Devoloping a specialty.

lowest price in the city.

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A high grade of

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That's the ONLY way we sell goods, sund out it's the ONLY way, and, by ray, it's a good way. Of course our ent suit everybody. At any rate it's

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They that will not

"They that will not be counseled cannot be helped." We talk shoes to you almost daily, and our talking brings good returns. Yet, there are quite a number of you who do not come here for your

shoes. When we tell you that this is the safest shoe store in town, we mean it. Safest quality-safest styles-safest fits-safest prices. We're not finding fault with you because you do not trade here. You do not know how much better we can serve you than other shoe stores. After you trade here once then you will know. You need not indulge in "searching investigations" to discover values. The best things are put forward to tempt your quick buying thought. we never abuse your faith or trifle with your patience by offering make believes.

Nebraska Shoes are Good Shoes

Two Prices Today to Tempt You. Women's Oxfords, \$2.50 values for \$1.50 Women's Tan Shoes, \$3.00 values for .. \$1,90 Every pair guaranteed regardless the price you pay.



on your feet, and it will go toward buying more children's shoes than \$2 will in any other store in Omaha. HAYDEN'S Bargains for Women Who Wear Wrappers

More and bigger bargains than ever in our Wrapper Department tomorrow. We will place on sale all our light wrappers, in percales, lawns, dimities, organdies and Egyptian tissues.

45 dozen ladies' Wrappers-in red, blue, black and white-extra waist lining-yoke trimmed in braid -ruffle over shoulder—worth \$1.00—for

75 dozen Wrappers made of lawns, dimities and percales—made with 12-inch flounce—extra wide at hips trimmed with white yoke and ruffle over

shoulder—worth \$1.50—for

50 dozen Wrappers-in fine percales and lawns-extra waist lining-15-inch flounce-extra wide at hips-yoke and pleated back -felled armholes-trimmed in fine embroideries and insertion-a well made wrapper-worth

25 dozen Wrappers-in percales, lawns and organdies-trimmed in white tucked yoke-

edged with finest embroideries—worth \$3—for 15 dozen ladies' high class Wrappers-made of Egyptian tissues and organdies—trimmed in tissue and black \$1.08 velvet ribbon-edged with valenciennes

you forget that I got the speckled trout good and plenty. Handling Mails. The American Workingman.

man of America is as superior to the Chinese as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is to any other dyspepsia' cure. does not claim to cure everything, but it does cure constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, liver and kidney troubles. and prevents malaria, fever and ague.

Two large doors and probably a small the train leaves Spirit Lake at 6:45 a. m one will be placed in the south front, where best service that has yet been offered over

never came. But I caught a lot of trout. "We were in a sheep country and on the thirty-five-mile drive we only passed one house. It was on a ranch. When I reached Omaha this morning I had a multi-colored beard that was an inch long and full of sand. My eyes were bleared and bloodshot

and my lips parched black. I tell you was a sight and my wife was ashamed to sit beside me on the train. The barber who shaves me regularly did not know me

until he had taken away the accumulation of the trip and when our train reached Ames on the way home R. M. Allen of the beet sugar factory at that point, with whom I am well acquainted., got aboard. As he walked through the car he glared at me several times in a bewildered manner as if he thought he ought to know me.

but he at last gave it up and went on. I didn't wince, for I was really ashamed to have him recognize me in that plight. The play was never in it with me. But don't

Work of Excavating is Begun and

Much comparison has been made between the endurance of the Chinese and the American workingman. Those with author ity to speak say that the average working-

DAYLIGHT TRAINS FOR SPIRIT LAKE

Okohoit and Arnold's Park The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul rall-

way company has just placed in service daylight trains between Omaha and Spirit Lake, Okoboji and Arnold's Park. Going the train leaves Omaha at 7:15 a. m. and arrives Spirit Lake at 4:15 p. m. Returning

ing business

the pictures were to be used as canvasser's the annex is being constructed. samples. A member of the firm of Dunn Bros., who run a livery stable at 2624 Sherman avenue, says these young men showed him several of the photographs of well know society people, representing it as their work, and, on the strength of this advertisement, they were permitted to photograph the Dunn stable. It is supposed that the same scheme was worked elsewhere.

Are Still Working.

The "Two Marks" are still in the vicin ity, though their exact whereabouts cannot be determined. They were at Dunn's Jivery barn last Friday and again Monday, saying they had driven in from Calhoun A pushcart full of photographs was left at the Dunn stables for a week or more at one time.

No organized attempt has been made to locate these dapper Marks. About ten days ago, however, Mrs. Bertha Sloan-Allen played the Sherlock Holmes role by going to the supposed address of the "Venus Art in-211 North Eighteenth street, only stitute." to find there a \$5-a-week boarding and rooming house. The "artists" had fled. The landlady said they gave an address on Leavenworth street, but a call at this number proved conclusively that the twins were covering their tracks. No one there knew sell round-trip tickets Omaha to Chicago anything about them. They told Dunn for \$12.75.

Bros. that they could be found at \$23 South Twenty-third street, but this also was a fake address. The family living there had never heard of them.

One of the most valuable of the missing pictures is that of Miss Jessie Dickinson, Trains leave Union station, Omaha, 8:30 Honey and Tar gave such relief that I used negative of this has been lost, and it is office, 1323 Farnam street. impossible to replace it. Several other victims would doubtless give pretty sums

to recover their pictorial property.

Trolley Party. Hollister hive No. 2, Ladies of the Maccabees, will give a trolley party August 9. Cars leave Fourteenth and Harney streets at 8 p. m. Following will be an ice cream social at Mrs. Shaeffer's, 2714 Caldwell. All are invited.

High grade Buckeye Manufacturing company bikes, ball and roller bearing and solid rubber tire, at cost to close out stock. Call quick and get a bargain. Omaha Implement & Transfer Co., 9th and Jackson.



C. L. Chaffee left last night for St. Louis, where he will confer with the chairman of the Missouri river commission as to what can be done to restore the channel of the river to its former bed under the draw of the bridge of the Omaha Bridge and Terminal company.

Mr. Chaffee says that he does not know whether the commission can do anything in the matter at present, as he does not know what funds are available, nor does he know what can be done toward moving the bar from its present location. It is the general belief that the bar was formed by the washing of the excursion boat on its upriver trips, and that the river itself is the only power that can move it.

Eat Them Like Candy.

Dainty, fragrant tablets of confection-Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the medicine of today. Fills and liquids are out of date. All druggists, 10c, 20c, 50c.

some member of the family to be enlarged the windows are located, and these doors or transferred to some other medium, pre- will be used for all postoffice purposes as turning until October 31, \$10.70. ferably, pastel. As they had what appeared the rear ones are now used. By this plan to be good references, they did a flourish- all confusion will be avoided and the corridors will be left free for the use of the The pictures were carried away and public. The plans cannot be executed un-

since then nothing has been heard of them. til the arrival of Contractor Gandele, who From information gathered by a reporter will perform the work, and who must arfor The Bee, however, it is believed that range for the handling of the mails while

The wolf in the fabre put on sheep's clothing because if he traveled on his own reputation he couldn't accomplish his pur Counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch pose. Hazel Salve couldn't sell their worthless salves on their merits, so they put them in boxes and wrappers like DeWitt's. Look out for them. Take only DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles and all skin diseases.

Chenp Round Trip Rates. On August 21 the Illinois Central will sell tickets, limited until October 31, as follows: Waseca, Minn., and return, \$10.35. Waterville, Minn., and return, \$10.68. Madison Lake, Minn., and return, \$10.68. Minneapolis, Minn., and return, \$12.65. St Paul, Minn., and return, \$12.65. Duluth, Minn., and return, \$16.95. Superior, Wis., and return, \$16.95, West Superior, Wis., and return, \$16.95. For full particulars call at city ticket ofbecome due. fice Illinois Central railroad, 1402 Farnam street. dat

CHICAGO AND RETURN \$12.75.

Cigars and cigarettes... Tobacco Special tax Documentary and im-Chicago and Return \$12.75. On August 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 the Chiago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will printed Proprietary Total

City ticket office, 1504 Farnam street. F. A. NASH, General Western Agent.

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