DEFENSE WANTS MR. BARBE

Hamilton's Attorneys Anxious to Get a Traveling Man's Testimony.

PATROLMAN ROONEY CAUSES SENSATION

Quotes the Prisoner as Having Confessed the Killing of Leonard Day—Others Give Their Contributions.

MINNNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 12.—The prosecution in the Hamilton murder case rested today after introducing the sensational testimony of Officer Thomas J. Rooney, who testified as follows:

"When I entered the billiard room that morning Watchman O'Malley said to me: 'Officer, take this man and lock him up; he did it.' I said 'Did what?' 'Did this,' he replied, leading me to where Day's dead body lay on a billiard table. I took hold of Hamilton's coat sleeve and told him to come along. He was sitting in a chair in the bar room. Someone suggested delay, but Hamilton got up and said: 'I will go with you; let the law take its course. I'll take the consequences. I did it in self defense.'"

Rooney then repeated Hamilton's confession to him as follows:

"Hamilton said to me: 'This trouble is all on account of a girl, Miss ——,' and then he gave her name. 'We had both been going with her. I told her Day was in ill health. She told him. He got sore and has had it in for me ever since. Feel of this lump—Day did that. I had to do him. I could not stand and let him beat me and do nothing.'

"Afterward he said: 'This is terrible; I wish it had been the other way.'

"'What other way?' I asked.

"'That he had killed me instead of I him.'

"Then he asked me to feel of that lump again and told me that Day had done it, but he did not know what with. I said 'It seems to me a man like you could have taken care of a slim man like that without using a knife.'

"'I would if his friends had not jumped onto me,' he answered, 'as it was, I had to do it to save myself.'

"After a while Mr. Francis came; he wanted to talk with Hamilton. I said that he might, but that it must be in my presence. Francis said: 'Keep your mouth shut. Don't say a word till you see me again. Let me see your knife.' Hamilton produced a small knife. Francis asked him if he had another knife. He said 'No.' Then Francis asked: 'Did you have a large knife?' and Hamilton answered 'Yes.' Nothing was said about when he had the large knife or where it was."

They Refused to Fight.

On cross-examination the witness could not locate the place where the confession was made. As his memory was not clear on some other details defense endeavored to show his memory was not of the best. He said Hamilton seemed to be intoxicated and he observed a lump on his forehead and an abrasion of the skin.

The crowd this morning filled the court room.

Ralph Gary, recalled, was the first witness of the day. He could not identify the big knife and declared he had never seen it. He corroborated Gray's testimony of yesterday that at a certain juncture after the killing there was no one near the body.

Ernest W. Ruel, night clerk of the West hotel, testified that he was playing pool with the Day party, but saw only a part of the trouble. He heard what Day had said to Hamilton, on the first meeting, but did not hear the latter's replies. He saw the first scuffle and heard Day refuse to fight because Hamilton was not sober. His recollection of the affair and the persons there corroborated, so far as it went, the evidence of the state's other witnesses.

J. W. Bennett, the traveling man, was recalled. He denied emphatically that he had said to Hamilton, as Witness Gray had claimed yesterday: "The man is dead; you killed him."

Robert C. Hill, night police reporter on the Tribune, gave some important evidence. He had gone to the hotel to "cover" the case. There he saw Hamilton and Bennett. The latter was excited and hysterical and acted as if he had been drinking. Witness was a personal friend of Hamilton and talked with him at once. He testified as follows:

"I proffered my services to Hamilton and offered to do anything I could for him. I added that while things looked bad for him, he had better cheer up. Then I asked him if he did it. He said, 'I don't know whether I did or not.' He added something to the effect that it was 'all off' and that he was 'up against it,' or something like that. I said, 'Is that your knife?' 'No,' he said." The witness stated that he had advised Hamilton to say nothing about the case.

After ex-Patrolman Rooney had given his evidence as above County Attorney Boardman said: "The state rests."

Court was then adjourned till 10 tomorrow in order to give the defense a little time to arrange.

Tomorrow the defense will open with an address by Robert L. Penney. Every effort is being made to have A. M. Barbe, the St. Louis traveling man, brought here to testify. His evidence is said to be of the highest importance to the defense. Hamilton, it is said, will take the stand and give his version of the fight which ended in Day's death.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Theodora—

A tragedy in five acts by Victorien Sardou, produced at Boyd's theater for the first time in Omaha, Tuesday night, by Minnie Tittell Brune and her company:

Theodora	Minnie Tittell Brune
Andreas	E. L. Sneader
Marcellus	John Sturgeon
Justinian	Hudson Liston
Belisarius	John W. Thompson
Endemon	Edward Sayre
Agathon	John F. Gamon
Euphrates	Frank Willard
Orythia	J. H. McGregor
Faber	Lloyd H. Patterson
Nicephorus	John Ongerut
Caribert	Frank Rainger
Styrax	J. Howland
Mundus	William Frankyn
Tribomen	Clyde Maxwell
Constantiolus	James Gregory
Timoclea	A. M. Sampson
Amron	Robert Brewer
Lucullus	Seymour Amos
Calchas	George Clifton
Petros	Adam Barnes
Hypatius	Howard G. Fair
Antonia	Miss Mary Dantes
Tamyris	Miss Lillian Dix

Although something like ten or more years have elapsed since Sardou wrote "Theodora" and Madam Bernhardt created the name part, it was seen for the first time in this city Tuesday night. Not only is the play new to local patrons of the drama, but it serves as well to introduce to us a new and decidedly promising star in the person of Minnie Tittell Brune, who until last night was practically an unknown quantity in this section. However, Mrs. Brune had little trouble, with the aid of her wonderfully magnetic personality, in establishing herself in the favor of her audience almost before her first scene was finished, and by the time the curtain fell upon the last act she had completely captivated them with her brilliant work.

For the benefit of those curious to know where Mrs. Brune hails from, it may be said that she has been a favorite upon the Pacific coast, where for some time she played in stock companies. She is a San Francisco girl and scored her first real triumph last season, when she toured the south and west as a co-star with the well known tragedian, Frederick Ward.

But to return to last night's performance and the play itself. "Theodora" is not unlike all of the other Sardou tragedies in that it has murder for its dominant theme and is replete with what might be termed "creepy" scenes, which, with the realistic treatment given them by Mrs. Brune and her company, would be the means of playing havoc with a person of nervous temperament. Yet this is what the majority of theater-goers want. They do not seem to mind a nervous shock so long as the moral feelings are not played upon.

As Theodora, the comedienne, the circus rider who is elevated to the position of an empress through force of circumstances, Mrs. Brune is given opportunities which she grasps as only a true artist can. The utter abandon with which she handles her lighter scenes, and the dignity and grace of the heavier ones, prove her versatility beyond question or cavil. Summed up as a whole, her performance last night was nothing short of a personal triumph. While there are a number of varied characters in the piece, the principal part of Mrs. Brune's support falls upon the shoulders of three people, E. L. Sneader, John Sturgeon and Hudson Liston, who appear creditably as Andreas, Marcellus and Justiman, respectively.

The production is one of the very best that has been seen in the theater this season, not excepting that given by Bernhardt and Coquelin in "La Tosca," and falls little short of being elaborate. The four-horse Roman standing race in the fifth act is a decidedly thrilling spectacle.

This afternoon Mrs. Brune will appear as Cleopatra, while the engagement will close with performances tonight and Thursday night of "Theodora." Those who enjoy a good play well played and splendidly staged are advised that these requirements are forthcoming in "Theodora," and to miss it is to miss a rare treat.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected; but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Eau Claire, Wis.

FIRE RECORD.

Chicago Department House.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The Everett apartment building, a four-story brick structure at 272 and 274 Forty-second street, was totally destroyed by fire today. The loss on building and contents is estimated at $50,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire spread with such rapidity that many inmates of the building were cut off from escape by the stairways and were rescued by the firemen with great difficulty. So far as known, however, no one was injured. The fire started in the basement.

Glass Tumbler Works.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 12.—Nearly the entire plant of the Rochester Tumbler works of the National Glass company, the largest and finest in the world, located at Rochester, Pa., was destroyed by a fire that started about midnight. The loss will amount to about $500,000 and is believed to be covered by insurance. In all eight buildings were burned and the only portions of the plant left standing are the punch department and the blown warehouse. An overheated furnace is believed to have started the fire. The Rochester Tumbler works had a capacity of 85,000 dozen tumblers a week. The plant covered an area of fifteen acres.

Fort Crook Officers' Mess.

FORT CROOK, Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The explosion of a lamp caused a small fire in the officers' mess at 8:30 this evening. Nearly all the furniture in the parlor was more or less damaged or destroyed. The fire company responded quickly and the fire was extinguished before any lamage was done to the buildings. The mess was in charge of Mrs. C. E. Campbell.

Hotel at Lead.

LEAD, S. D., Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire at 4:50 this morning entirely destroyed the Springer house, one of the largest and oldest frame hotel buildings in the Hills. It caught from a night lamp in the servant's room. Loss about $5,000, covered by $4,000 insurance. M. C. Campbell, the owner, will at once rebuild with brick at an estimated cost of $10,000.

Wholesale Grocery Establishment.

DECATUR, Ill., Feb. 12.—The wholesale grocery of the Mueller, Platt & Wheland company was destroyed by fire today. The loss probably will amount to $100,000.

DEATH RECORD.

Master Car Builder of the Wabash.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Litchfield, Ill., says:

M. Martin, master car builder of the Wabash railroad, died at his home in this city today, aged 60 years. Mr. Martin was a member of the Master Carbuilders' association of the United States and owner of the M. Martin & Co. bank and the Litchfield Foundry and Machine company. He was prominent in both social and financial circles.

Fatal delays are caused by experimenting with cough and cold cures. Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent a cold from resulting in pneumonia. Myers-Dilon Drug Co., Omaha; Dillon's drug store, South Omaha.

Keeley League Meeting.

The Omaha Keeley league will meet tomorrow morning at Gardner Memorial parish house at 10 o'clock. Important business is scheduled and large attendance is expected.

TRACK OWNERS ARE AT WAR

Six Associations Omitted from New Club's Dates Grow Belligerent.

STICK TO THE AMERICAN TURF CONGRESS

Inform the New Organization's Promoters that Their Authority Will Be Unrecognized and Their Dates Unconsidered.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.—A declaration of war was declared here today by the owners of six tracks against the new Western Jockey club. The six racing associations which were not allotted dates when the new jockey club was organized in Chicago held a meeting here today and reorganized the old American turf congress, perfecting their plans for the circuit during the coming season and allotting the dates. The contest now will be for recognition by the Eastern Jockey club.

The reorganized American turf congress feels confident that Belmont and others in New York will recognize them as against the Western Jockey club. There are eight members in the latter as compared with six members in the former.

Indulges in "Resolutions."

The resolution which had been prepared by the council reads as follows:

"Whereas, The American Turf congress was organized in November, 1883, and has continued in existence since, and on January 1, 1901, consisted of the following members: New Louisville Jockey club of Louisville, Ky.; the Latonia Jockey club of Covington, Ky.; the St. Louis Jockey club of St. Louis, Mo.; the Tennessee Breeders' association of Nashville, Tenn.; the New Memphis Jockey club of Memphis, Tenn.; the Arkansas Jockey club of Little Rock, Ark.; the New Louisiana Jockey club of New Orleans; the Queen City Jockey club of Newport, Ky.; the Washington Park club of Chicago; the Chicago Jockey club of Chicago, Ill.; the Harlem Jockey club of Chicago, Ill.; the Highland Park club of Detroit, Mich.; the Western Turf association of San Francisco, Cal.; and

"Whereas, Every provision and regulation of the constitution, bylaws or rules of the said American Turf congress is for the single purpose of the maintenance of the declared object of that organization, which is 'the improvement of the breed and the development of horses through interest in the American racing turf, the prevention, detection and punishment of fraud thereon and the adoption of regulations and rules to be known as the American racing rules for the uniform government of racing; and

Makes the Matter Personal.

"Whereas, The administration of the affairs of the American Turf congress may not be truthfully questioned; and

"Whereas, Notwithstanding the foregoing eight persons, to-wit: Lawrence A. Young, George G. Perkins, R. Fitzgerald, M. Nathanson, C. S. Bush, Robert Aull, S. R. Montgomery and W. F. Schultz, have lately met in Chicago and undertaken to organize themselves into what they call the 'Western Jockey club,' with the avowed purpose of superseding the American Turf congress and governing racing in the west;

"Resolved, That trusting to the intelligence and integrity of the horsemen of this country to uphold us, we now declare our determination at all hazards and at all cost to uphold the supremacy of the American Turf congress and recognize no other authority in racing matters in the west as long as that association shall have for its object those it now has."

Racing Dates Will Conflict.

The dates for the meeting at Fort Erie, Buffalo, were fixed for July 1 to August 31, inclusive, and for Delmar, St. Louis, for May 1, to run ninety days. The dates for the track at Newport, Nashville, Little Rock and Detroit remain the same as announced months ago, when these four tracks thought there would be the same arrangement as last season. They refuse now absolutely to change them, although the Newport and Latonia tracks across the river from this city will both be holding meetings at the same time during part of their dates. Nashville and Little Rock in like manner will be holding meetings part of the time that races are running at Louisville and Memphis. Heretofore all these dates south of the Ohio river have been adjusted so as not to conflict with each other.

NO STORM AND A WARMER AIR

Nebraska is Promised Two Fair Days and a Rise in Temperature.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; rising temperature Wednesday; variable winds.

For Iowa—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; higher temperature Wednesday; southeasterly winds.

For Missouri—Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday; higher temperature in northern portion Wednesday; variable winds.

For North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; variable winds.

For Colorado and Wyoming—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; variable winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Feb. 12.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1901.	1900.	1899.	1898.
Maximum temperature	32	34	3	46
Minimum temperature	7	17	—22	26
Mean temperature	20	26	—10	36
Precipitation	.00	.05	.00	.00

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1900:

Normal temperature	21
Deficiency for the day	1
Total excess since March 1, 1900	1317
Normal precipitation	.03 inch
Deficiency for the day	.03 inch
Total since March 1	31.19 inches
Deficiency since March 1, 1900	0.38 inches
Deficiency same period in 1900	4.62 inches
Deficiency same period in 1899	4.62 inches

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 7 p. m.	Maximum temperature	Precipitation
Omaha, clear	24	32	.00
North Platte, clear	24	30	.00
Cheyenne, clear	26	38	.00
Salt Lake, clear	32	36	.00
Rapid City, clear	30	44	.00
Huron, clear	40	48	.00
Williston, clear	32	40	.00
Chicago, clear	14	20	.T
St. Louis, clear	28	32	.10
St. Paul, clear	16	18	.00
Davenport, clear	16	20	.00
Kansas City, part cloudy	24	28	.00
Helena, clear	22	40	.00
Havre, clear	30	44	.00
Bismarck, clear	42	50	.00
Galveston, cloudy	44	52	.16

T indicates trace of precipitation. —Zero.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Coasting on Twenty-second street was ordered stopped by the mayor last night, as the coasters were crossing the street car tracks at Cuming street.

A smallpox case was quarantined last night in the family of C. W. Wetherford, Tenth and Nicholas streets.

Minnie A. Davis asks the district court to allow her a divorce from Morris Davis on the grounds of cruel treatment and desertion. They were married at Council Bluffs in September, 1896.

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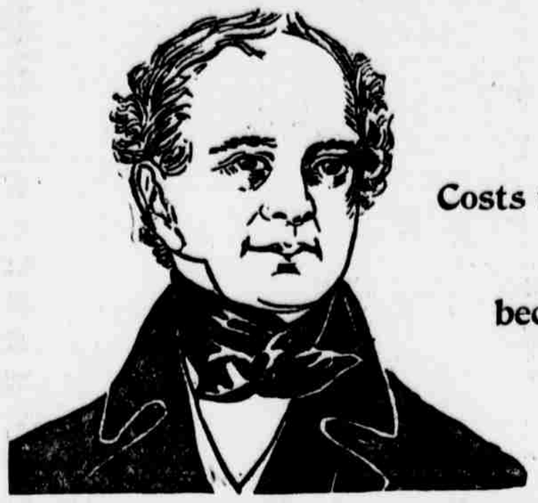

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Saengerfest Association Will Not Attempt Contest if Decision is Adverse.

FIGHT PREPARATIONS GO RIGHT ON

Aggregate of More Than $45,000 Already Received from Sale of Seats—Jeffries' Company Arrives.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.—The preparations for the contest between Jeffries and Ruhlin and between Martin and Childs have proceeded here today the same as usual and the promoters expect the events to come off on time next Friday night. Over $1,000 was taken in for tickets today, making an aggregate of over $45,000 to date. If the application for an injunction is refused on Thursday morning the promoters expect orders to roll in that day and Friday.

While there has been very much talk about postponing the contest, no action has been taken in that direction whatever, and none will be taken before Thursday afternoon, when the directors of the Saengerfest Athletic association will hold a meeting. If Judge Hollister, in handing down his decision on Thursday morning, shall grant the injunction against the contest, the attorneys for the promoters say that they will then appeal the case to the circuit court and thence to the supreme court. In that event there is no doubt about the directors of the association meeting on Thursday afternoon with Managers Brady, Madden and others and postponing the date of the contest for two or three weeks, so as to give time for the case to be carried to the court of last resort.

Meantime there is much comment over the active preparations of Governor Nash in having two or three regiments of militia awaiting orders to proceed to Cincinnati. It is claimed that he will use the military to enforce the injunction of Judge Hollister. The promoters say that they would in no event attempt to pull off the event if an injunction should be issued against them. They would simply appeal the case, postpone the contest and await the decision of the higher court.

No radical move is expected on any side now until after Judge Hollister renders his decision at 11 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

The members of the company that will support Jeffries on the road arrived from New York today and proceeded with their rehearsals.

Fat Men Submerged.

The Green Rivers rolled over the Fat Men on Clark's alleys last night by a margin of forty-eight pins. Score:

GREEN RIVERS.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Total.
Hartley	128	130	158	416
Davey	125	122	126	373
Kaufmann	134	167	148	449
Ambruster	156	155	129	440
Gutmann	97	207	164	468
	640	781	725	2,146

FAT MEN.

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Total.
Sheldon	159	123	95	377
Krug	113	149	130	392
O'Brien	149	134	142	425
Rosenzweig	160	130	173	463
Mahaffy	134	145	142	421
	715	681	692	2,068

Green Rivers, total pins.....2,146

The Sterlings and Gate Citys met in a league game and the Gate Citys won two out of three.

Ban Johnson Goes East.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—President Ban Johnson of the American Base Ball league left today for a week's trip to the eastern towns on the circuit. He will go directly to Washington, where the question of playing grounds for Manning's club will be settled; thence to Baltimore, Philadelphia and Boston.

Sues for Life Insurance.

Brice F. Mixon has brought suit in the district court against the Bankers Union of the World to recover $1,000 insurance on the life of his father, William Riley Mixon, who died recently. The elder Mixon took out a policy in favor of his son in December, 1899.

Marriage License.

The following marriage license was issued yesterday:

Name and Residence.	Age.
John J. McSorley, Council Bluffs	28
Elizabeth F. Taylor, Council Bluffs	20

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

R. Stevenson, Lincoln, and L. Birmington are guests at the Millard.

Ira Mallory, Broken Bow; C. W. Lawyer, Nebraska City; J. F. Carnell, R. Hudspeth, Newport, are at the Murray.

General Manager Hodgrege of the Burlington left yesterday afternoon for Lincoln in private car No. 198. He was accompanied by Judge Woolworth, A. B. Smith and Charles J. Greene.

Dr. Frederick F. Teal, superintendent of the Norfolk Hospital for the Insane, was an Omaha visitor yesterday on his way back to Norfolk from Lincoln, where he has been on official business.

J. B. Sullivan, Beatrice; C. A. Gannoway, Holdrege; D. P. Dorsey, Hastings; T. C. Van Horn, Norfolk; W. B. Ely, Ainsworth; N. C. Sears, Wisner; L. H. Drake, Corning, are guests at the Iler Grand.

Nebraskans at the Merchants: F. E. Morrison, Beatrice; V. Gorman, Elwood; H. H. Judd, Rising City; H. D. Converse, Shickley; R. M. Trumbell, Hildreth; H. C. Spaulding, Ord; F. J. Grice, Red Cloud; H. B. Hansen, Neligh; F. Crowley, Friend; J. M. March, Hebron; J. Adams, Genoa; A. L. Beagle, Grand Island; J. W. Hamer, Wauneta; P. B. Fitch, Belgrade; F. M. Pixley, O'Neill; W. Kelm, David City; T. C. Penny, Ashland; D. Dodge, North Bend; W. McCarthy, Juniata.

JURY IS HARD TO GET

Special Venire of Fifty Men Necessary in Samuel Moser Case.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 12.—A jury has not been secured in the case of Samuel Moser, charged with the murder of his wife and three children. The examination of venire men continued this morning at Pekin before Judge Puterbaugh and up to 1:30 o'clock the state had only accepted four. The defense had examined two of the four men accepted by the state, but had not either accepted or rejected them. The attorneys are now working on a special venire of fifty men brought into court this morning by the sheriff and it is thought possible that a jury may be secured without it being necessary to order another special venire. The regular panel of twenty-seven was exhausted this morning. The case is attracting a great deal of attention and the court room has been crowded since the opening of the trial yesterday afternoon.

"My stomach was affected by grip and I could eat nothing but crackers and milk. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and the trouble disappeared."—Mrs. J. Lindsey, Montrose, Minn.

FRICK THE STUMBLING BLOCK

Hitch in Carnegie Deal Over the Future Head of the Great Concern.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 12.—An afternoon paper here prints a story today that the hitch in the final arrangements in the Carnegie deal is over the position to be occupied by Mr. Frick. According to the paper A. W. Mellon is with Mr. Frick and the former is interested in Mr. Frick with J. Pierpont Morgan. Mr. Morgan is anxious to place Mr. Frick at the head of the new combination and Mr. Carnegie is for President Schwab.

"My heart was badly affected by an attack of grip and I suffered intense agony until I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It made me a well man."—S. D. Holman, Irasburg, Vt.

IN MEMORY OF ABE LINCOLN

Public Schools of Omaha Observe Birthday of Martyred President.

Flags were floating on all the Omaha school buildings yesterday in honor of the ninety-second birthday of Abraham Lincoln. In every school in the city the attention of the pupils was called to the significance of the day and the story of the martyred president's great service for his country was recounted by teachers.

The observance of Lincoln's birthday is not as pretentious as that accorded the anniversary of the natal day of President Washington, and few of the schools prepared special programs, as is usually done on February 22. From year to year Lincoln day is being made more prominent in the schools, however.

HYMENEAL.

St. Joseph Girl, Lincoln Groom.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Hoyt Pattengen of Lincoln and Miss Lucile Anderson of St. Joseph were married Sunday evening at the home of the groom's mother. Rev. Van Dyke Wight officiated. The groom is an operator in the Western Union office at Lincoln and the bride is society editor of the St. Joseph Daily News.

Coates Theater to Live Again.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—A new theater, costing $140,000, with a seating capacity of 1,500, is to be built on the site of the old Coates theater, which was destroyed by fire two weeks ago. The new theater will be patterned after the Illinois theater of Chicago.

The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company of New Jersey, which held a mortgage on the old theater, will furnish one-half of the capital for the new house. The balance will be supplied by the heirs of the Coates estate and other capitalists.

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