## THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, MAY 19, 1901.

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# COUNCIL BLUFFS.

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## MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells lace curtains. Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel. Victor Heaters. Bixby & Sons, agents. Wollman, scientific optician, 409 E'way. Schmidt's fine photos guaranteed to please W. F. Graff, undertaker and disinfector loi South Main street. Phone 506.

Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway, 'Phone 157. Use Hall's Magic Compound, Best dan-druff cure and hair preserver known.

Special attention given to wedding pros-ents. C. E. Alexander & Co., 332 B way. The Duck Hollow ball team will play this afternoon with the Union Pacifics at the Driving park grounds. Charles McDonald, pitcher for the St. Joseph league team, is the guest of his college friend, M. D. Hughes,

Take home a brick of vaniila cream, 25 cents, or Neapolitan, 25 cents, Will keep one hour without ice. A. Metzger & Co. one hour without ice. A. Metzger & Co. Wanted, an experienced solicitor of hustling ability to take charge of estab-lished business. Must give reference. Ad-dress G. Bee office, Council Bluffs. Ice cream that will please you packed in ice and delivered. 30c a quart. Special prices to lodges, churches and parties. O. C. Brown, 218 Broadway. Tel. 413. The preliminary hearing of Henry Peter-son, charged with setting fire to his store in Weston, this county, was concluded be-fore Justice Ferrier yesterday afternoon, who discharged the defendant. The Holiness association of Pottawatta-

fore Justice Ferrier yesterday alternoon, who discharged the defendant. The Hollness association of Pottawatta-mie county, lowa, and Douglas county, Nebraska, is making arrangements for a large camp meeting to be held at Lake Manawa the latter part of next month John Howard, a car checker in the employ of the Milwaukee road, fell and broke his ankle Friday night while attempting to board an engine. He was taken in the police patrol to his home at 2001 South Thirtcenth street. Word was received yesterday from the state asylum at Clarinda that 0. G. Brand-son, who was taken there last Wednesday, was in a critical condition and likely to die. He has persisted in his refusal to take any food and nourishment had to be supplied him mechanically. Keiler & Band, at 407 Broadway, have one

supplied him mechanically. Keller & Band, at 407 Broadway, have one of the finest lines of hammocks, gocarts and baby carriages in the city. They are making a special run on their refrigerators, which they claim is the best thing in that line they ever saw. Renzonable prices al-ways predominate at this house.

ways predominate at this house. The case against Charies Cesterisan, Leonard Noyes and Dan and Ed Shreever, the four boys charged with breaking into a fruit car in the Illinois Central yards and stealing a quantity of oranges, was con-tinued by Judge Aylesworth in police court yesterday during the good behavior of the defendants. point is about four to five feet.

defendants. The members of the High school track team returned yesterday morning from Grinnell, where they participated in the state High school field meet Friday. Ferron was second in the half-mile bicycie race and Reynolds divided second honors in the high jump. These were the only points cuptured by the wearers of the crimson and blue.

blue. Council Bluffs will be quite metropolitan this summer. Manager Stevenson has ch-gaged the Lennon Stock company to put in a summer's stock at the Dohany and will continue to keep the house open until Lake Manawa opens. The Lennon company made a decided hit here last week and did a good business. Mr. Stevenson thinks his patrons will gladly welcome his latest ven-ture.

ture. Rev. J. G. Lemen, manager of the Chris-tian Home, has had a most interesting and beautiful picture taken of the little in-mates of the Birdsey cottage at the home while saying their evening prayers. Twenty-seven of the little tots in their nightrobes are seen kneeling with their hands clasped in the act of saying their prayers. Copies of the picture handsomely framed have been presented by Mr. Lemen to members of the press in this city and other friends of the institution. posed that he must have got twisted round theory that his foot caught somehow in the footboard. Rachwitz's watch, when stopped at 3:37.

### N. T. Plumbing Co., terepaone 250.

TO READ OFF ELECTRIC WIRE. Mrs. Jane Hans Brings Suit Against Albert Rachwitz, Switch Foreman, Crushed Motor Company, Mrs. Jane Haas commenced suit in the to Death. superior court yesterday against the motor ompany to restrain it from stringing an ENGINE SUDDENLY LEAVES RAILS electric feed wire along South Sixth street in front of her property. On behalf of the plaintiff it is alleged that the motor company has abandoned Reason for this Apparent the street for street car purposes and fur-Wreck on Illinois Centralther that the time for occupying the thor-Trainmen Escape by oughtare for such purposes has expired. Jumping. The Omaha, Council Bluffs & Suburban Railway company originally selected South Albert Rachwitz, foreman of an Illinois Sixth street as part of its street car sys-Central railway switching crew, was killed tem and erected poles from Broadway to instantly yesterday afternoon by being Sixteenth avenue along it, but only laid crushed beneath the front wheels of a ralls from Ninth avenue to the Rock engine, which jumped the track Island tracks. These have recently been switch on Eighteenth street, between Broadway taken up by the motor company, which and First avenue, and turned partly over now routes its trains to the lake by way down the grade. Rachwitz was riding on of Main street. The motor company has one feed wire on Sixth street and it is said the footboard of the engine and attempted to jump when it commenced to topple down is preparing to string a second.

OF INTEREST FROM

sen had trouble over some vacant lots

which both claimed to have rented for gar-

the grade. It is thought that his foot Tailor-made suits, jackets, box conts, caught in some manner, throwing him unskirts, walsts, umbrellas and all kinds of der the front wheels. A portion of the ladies' wearing apparel. Cash or easy payembankment had to be dug away around ments. Novelty Clock store, 536 Broadway. the engine before the unfortunate man's body could be extricated from under the Charge of Embezzlement. wheels. Death was evidently instanta-Leigh L. Wilson, a collector for the Chineous, as, besides several ugly wounds in

ago Picture company, was arrested yesthe head and other parts of the body, his terday evening on a charge of embezzlement neck was found to be broken. and in default of bail was committed to Rachwitz was in charge of a train of the county jail. The information was filed ears brought from Omaha by switch enin Justice Bryant's court by T. I. Moffett gine No, 1 of the Omaha Bridge & Terof Cedar Rapids, Ia., a representative of minal Rallway company, and had just cut the company. Wilson, whose home is in out four cars which were to be transferred Osceola, this state, is alleged to have emto other roads here when the accident bezzled about \$400. A woman, said to live occurred which cost him his life. After in South Omaha, is alleged to figure in the cutting out all but the four cars on the

#### саве. switch track just north of Broadway the train proceeded south on Eighteenth street

Alleged Deaf Mutes Arrested. and had passed the switch, when the en-Harry Glynn and C. D. White, two young gine left the rails and bumped along the ties for about two cars' length before the arrested by the police yesterday. They embankment gave way beneath the weight of the locemotive, causing it to topple purporting to be from Dr. Macrae of this over on its right side. The grade at this

## Engineer and Foreman Jump

neath the wheels. Coroner Treynor was

summoned, as was Dr. T. B. Lacey, the

None of the trainmen were able to ex-

rails. The train of four cars, which had

just passed the switch, about twenty yards

south of Broadway, was not running at a

Don't Get Married

Church Notes.

way.

Friday evening.

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wife and four young children.

frauds and that both have the power of may do. Engineer George McNell and his fireman, Eugene E. Carroli, jumped as soon as the speech if they wish to use it. engine left the tracks, believing that it Wauted, two experienced salesladies for would be bound to go into the ditch. They escaped without injury. Rachwitz and W. J. Scott, a switchman, were standing on 536 Broadway. the footboard and both started to jump the moment the engine commenced to turn

#### Teacher for Philippines. over the embankment. Scott managed to Mias Florence Read, a teacher in the jump clear of the locomotive and escaped

North Eighth Street school, has been notiwith a few bruises and scratches. How fied of her appointment as teacher in the Rachwitz, who was standing on the west schools in the Philippine islands. Her side of the footboard, managed to get salary will be \$900 a year. caught under the wheels on the other side of the engine is not clear, but it is sup-

#### DeLong will print it right. by his foot being caught. The heel of his Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broad'y. shoe was torn off and this sustains the

#### Davis sells paint. Council Bluffs Society.

taken from his pocket, was shown to have Miss Laura Flickinger has gone to Colfax prings for a two weeks' visit. A crowd was soon attracted to the scene and willing hands at once commenced to Miss Stewart of The Gables entertained a few intimate friends at lunch Saturday. dig the unfortunate's man body from be-

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Colfax

the assault or by the person assaulted. FERRET CASE SUBMITTED file such a complaint, Neilsen appeared and filed an information. Hilton and Neil-

Arguments in Supreme Court to Test Validity of Tax Law.

DECISION REACHED IN INSURANCE CASE

Inclve Win Military Examinations-Major Conger's Return Home-Man Sues for Breach of Promise and Gains Damages.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 18 .- (Special.) - The first of the famous tax ferret cases to get into the hands of the supreme court reached that body today in the submission of the case of Henry Galusha, treasurer, agains' Mathilde Wendt, administratrix, appellant, from Jasper county. After the death of the husband of the plaintiff, who was a merchant and banker of Newton, upon the filing of a final report of the administratrix it was disclosed that a been concealed from the assessors, and a firm of tax investigators, with whom a contract had been made by the county had the county treasurer assess this per sonalty and the county brought sult to recover from the estate \$5,000, claimed as

tax on property belonging to the estate. The attorneys for the Palo Alto tax ferret cases, which were appealed only a few days ago, also join in the arguments, as this case from Jasper county is regarded as a test of the entire tax ferret law. The law has been passed on by at least half a dozen judges of the state, all but one or two upholding the law.

The main attack on the law in the case submitted today to the supreme court is on the ground that it is retroactive in effect; that it violates the obligation of contracts; that the action of the board of equalization from year to year is an

adjudication of all tax matters to that date and that a law cannot be made which will authorize a county to go back several cellows claiming to be deaf and dumb, were years and make assessments and collect taxes. The attorneys upholding the law set were begging and White showed a letter up that the act was remedial in its nature and that persons who have frauducity asking assistance for the young fel- lently concealed their property from the low. Dr. Macrae said he had written no assessors cannot have that fraud consuch letter. The police suspect the men are firmed by anything the assessors and boards

#### Insurance Problem Unraveled.

In a decision by the supreme court announced today an insurance problem was millinery and dry goods. Those residing in solved. A Mr. Little died in Independthe city preferred. The Novelty Cloak store, ence in 1850, having held a certificate of insurance in the Modern Woodmen, and on the day of his death he had his wife write to the clerk of the camp asking that the certificate be changed so that she would be the sole beneficiary and not be entitled to share equally with his sister, as in the certificate provided. The letter was indorsed by him, but before it reached the camp clerk the insured person died. The change was not made as requested. The Woodmen placed the money in the hands of the court and its disposition was to be determined. The district court gave it all to the widow, on the ground that the change in the policy had in fact been made

as far as 't was possible for the insured County Recorder E. E. Smith and family to make it. The supreme court decides are visiting relatives in Macedonia. the insured alone, but for all parties concerned, and as the rules of making





## No Doubt They Will Be Scorchers.

# administratrix it was disclosed that a lisrge amount of moneys and credits had Our Negligee Shirts are "Coolers"

We have the most elaborate assortment ever shown by any one house, ranging at 50c. 75c. \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

STRAW HATS in all the up-to-the minute blocks, from 50c to \$3.00. Underwear and Union Suits too cool to mention, in all prices from 25c a garment up. "If you have them from us, they're right."

# Smith & Bradley,

## 415 Broadway, Council Bluffs, lowa.

FARMS FOR SALE. No. 872-Farm of 166 acres, 10 miles from Council Pluffs and Omaha, good 4-room house, stable, well, feed yards, corneribs, 160 a.res in cultivation, all smooth, level land, Close to railway station. Price,

land. Close to railway statute. \$32.50 per acre. No. 901-Fine farm of 240 acres, very choice, smooth land; house, barn, corneribs, well, grove, nearly all in cultivation. R. R. sta-tion 5 taile. Price, 345 per acre. A bar-

ki taile. Price, \$45 per acre. A bargain.
No. 908-160 acres 12 miles from Council Bluffs and Omaha, a large portion of the land in cultivation, small house, well, grove. Price, \$13 per acre.
No. 908-Fine farm of 176½ acres, all in cultivation; fine, smooth land, good 7-room house, brick cave, large barn, cribs, granary, chicken house, hog pens and yards; most of the tarm fenced hog-tight; or-chard and small fruit; 2 wells and windmill and tank; 19 miles from Council Bluffs. Price, \$55 per acre.
No. 856-206-acre farm, nearly all in cultivation, 5-room huse and 4-room tenant house, stables, wells and windmill, corncribs and feed yards, small fruit. Price, \$46 per acre.
No. 857-Farm of 120 acres near good railroad town; smooth, level land, has all been cultivated and about 30 acres now in grass; 4-room house, stable, feed iots, wagon shed and crib, grove. Price, \$50 per acre.

wagon shed and crib, grove, rike, and per acre.
No. 309-160 acres very choice, level land, close to good town, every foot tillable, large house, stable, cribs, well and grove. Price, \$55 per acre.
No. 806-140-acre farm 2 miles from railroad town, 115 acres in cultivation, 5-room house, barn for 8 horses, cribs, hog lots, 2 wells, windmill and shed. Price, \$57 per acre.

weis, whomin and shed. Frice, 35, per acre. No. 809-Nebraska farm of 360 acres, ad-joining county seat town; fine 9-room house, cellar, 3 wells and windmill, with grinding attachment and tank; barn, cat-tle shed, cribs for 4,000 bushels, feed yards, orchard, fenced and cross-fenced into eight fields, running water in pasture, nice level land. Frice, 345 per acre; one-third cash, balance in 1, 2 and 3 years at 6 per cent.

Have You Seen **Our Latest** 

## New Home Sewing Machine

Ball bearing, double feed. We have new machines from \$15 up. For Monday and Tuesday we have a list of the following secondhand machines:

Union-former price \$8.00-Monday a nd Tuesday price ...... \$4.00 Domestic-former price \$8.00-Monda y and Tuesday price ..... \$4.00 Wheeler and Wilson-former price-\$1 0.00-Monday and Tuesday price. \$5.00 Domestic-former price \$12.00-Monda y and Tuesday price ...... \$6.00 Standard-former price \$16.00-Monda y and Tuesday price ...... \$8.00 White-former price \$14.00-Monday a nd Tuesday price ...... \$7.00 7-drawer Household-former price \$18. 00-Monday and Tuesday price. . \$9.00 We rent Sewing Machines 75c per we ek. We repair all kinds of sewing machines, also sell parts and repairs for a ll machines manufactured.

G. A. BULLIS, 337 Broadway, Council Bluffs.

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#### The Grand Restaurant

serve a 50-cent table d'hote dinner every Sunday from 5:30 to 8 o'clock p. m.

#### Invitation for Memorial Day.

Congressman Smith, Edwin J. Abbott E. L. Shugart and Postmaster Treynor, the committee appointed by Abe Lincoln post morning. Grand Army of the Republic, has issued this invitation to the general public, to take at 2304 South Thirteenth street. He leaves part in the exercises on Memorial day:

part in the exercises on Memorial day: COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 18.—To All Patriotic People: A tribute of respect shown to the deceased defenders of this land of liberty is a sure sign of patriotism and love of the Stars and Stripes and an honor to the one who possesses it. By keeping the fire of patriotism burning and honoring those who fight our nation's bat-ties, we shall never fail to have brave hearts and willing hands to protect our country and the fing. Abe Lincoln post would esteem it an honor if your organization would partici-pate with us on Decoration day, May 39, and will assign you a position in line. Pieuse notify the undersigned as to your decision in the matter as soon as prac-ticable.

way and First avenue.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were filed yesterday i the abstract, title and loan office of J. W Squire, 101 Pearl street:

W. S. Wilkins to Jennie M. Wilkins, his wife, part of lot 11, block 17, Bay-liss' 1st add, q. c. d. Charles Dectken and wife to William Hamburg, lot 8, Greenwood subdiv of nW4, se'4 and s 28.6 acres of sw'4 ne'4 31-75-48, w. d. Remis L. Martin and wife to Martin B. Warren, lot 11, block 1, Carson, w. d.

w. d. Nancy S. Cooley to H. L. and Mary F. Spiking, lots 11 and 12, Fitch's sub-div of n½ block 5, Benson's 2d add,

W d.
William H. Benjamin to H. A. How, lots 7 and 8 block 23. Avoca, w. d.
F. J. Schnorr and wife to Christine Christensen, lot 14. Howe and Damon's subdiv of lots 25 and 25. Johnson's add, w. d.
Mary E. Hamilton and husband to Ira J. Taylor, net net 35, nw4 nw4, and et nw1, 36 and net sw1 1-75-4i, q. c. d.

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q. c. d. J. F. League to Adel League, his wife, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 14, Walnut, w. d.

Total eight transfers...... \$ 3,893



(Successor to W. C. Estep) 28 PEARL STREET. 'Phone 07.

## **Did You Get One**

Ot the tooth brushes we are sell-ing so cheap? Better get one quick-They're going fast-ONLY ONE DIME. Dell G. Morgan's Drug Store.

railway company's physician. The latter's Thomas D. Miles of Kansas City is visit-ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Miles. services, however, were not needed, as Rachwitz's death was instantaneous. Cor-Miss Frances Lavidge of Omaha is the guest for a few days of Mrs. C. F. P. oner Treynor ordered the body removed to Cutler's undertaking rooms, where it is room. Mr. and Mrs. George T. Phelps left terday for a short sojourn at Co understood an inquest will be held Monday

Springs. Rachwitz was a married man and lived The Wednesday Whist club met Wednes-day evening at the home of Mrs. J. L. Stewart. Reason is Unknown.

The Atlas club will meet Tuesday after-noon at the home of Mrs. Houghton of The Atlas club will meet 1 doughton of noon at the home of Mrs. Houghton of Plerce street. Mrs. W. H. Ivers of Kansas City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Mable, 309 plain the reason for the engine leaving the Mrs. O. M. Brown of South Seventh street eturned yesterday from a visit with rela-ives in Kansas City.

greater speed than five miles, they say, Mrs. H. A. Barnard of Moline, Ill., is the ruest of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas E. Casady of Sixth avenue. as just south of the switch from there is a curve. The spot where Rachwitz was killed is exactly midway between Broad-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hathaway will leave this week for a visit in Kansas City, St. Joseph and Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. O. P. McKesson entertained a num-ber of friends informally at her home on Oakland avenue Thursday evening. until you see DeLong about the wedding invitations. The only place in this city Mrs. D. H. Churchill entertained a num-ber of friends at a 7 o'clock dinner Friday evening Covers were laid for ten. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Schnorr of Seventh avenue entertained a number of friends informally at cards Monday evening. specially equipped for doing the fluest work in this line, and the prices are very

reasonable. DeLong, printer, 307 Broad-Miss Ethyl Watson of Washington ave-nue entertained a number of friends at cards Thursday evening at her home. Rev. J. W. Wilson, pastor of the Congre-

The household economics department of the Council Bluffs Woman's club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the club rooms. gational church, went yesterday to Lewis. where he will preach today in exchange with Rev. D. E. Evans, who will occupy Mrs. F. H. Evans left last evening for her home in Garden City, Kan., after a visit of two months with relatives here. The Ideal club will hold its last meeting for this season Tuesday afternoon, May 25, at the home of Mrs. P. C. DeVol of Willow the pulpit here. Mr. Wilson will go to Burlington Monday to attend the annual meeting of the State Association of Con-

gregational Churches and Ministers of Iowa. He will preach the annual sermon venue. Tuesday evening and will remain in Burlington until the association adjourns on

Little Miss Jeanette Gilbert of Willow avenue has issued invitations for a birth-day party to be given at her home Mon-day afternoon. Rt. Rev. A. L. Williams, D.D., coadjutor Mrs. J. E. Rogers announces the engage-ment of her daughter Mabel to W. R. H. Baker, the wedding to take place in the bishop of Nebraska, will preach this evening and administer the rite of confirmaarly summer tion at St. Paul's Episcopal church. The

Miss Ora Bradley has gone to Chicago on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. B. Dani-ger. She will visit in Toledo, O., before returning home. service will commence at 8 o'clock. The rector, Rev. George Edward Walk, will preach at the regular morning service. Miss Lizzle Bohn of Franklin avenue was delightfully surprised Friday evening by a number of her friends at her home on Franklin avenue. These services will be held today at

Grace Episcopal church: Sunday school at 45 a. m., holy communion and sermon by Mayor and Mrs. V. Jennings entertained a number of neighboring friends informally at cards at their home Friday evening. Refreshments were served. the rector, Rev. R. L. Knox, at 11 a. m., evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock. The First Church of Christ, Scientist

The Monday Euchre club was entertained last week at the home of Mrs. Nellie Jan-ney. The club will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. E. C. Lougee. Mr. and Mrs. H. Westcott entertained at dinner Monday evening for Revs. R. and A. Venting, who leave today for a three months' trip through Europe. will hold services this morning at 10:45 o'clock in the Sapp building. "Soul and Body" will be the subject of the lesson. Sunday school will be after the service.

The regular "experience" meeting will be Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, At the Broadway Methodist church this

months' trip through Europe. Miss Casady and Miss Foster entertained a number of friends informally at the home of the latter's sister. Mrs. E. A. McKesson, on Grant street, Friday evening. Miss Belle Clausen entertained the mem-bers of her Sunday school class of the Grace Episcopal church at her home on Flerce street Wednesday evening. The Monday Whit ship mode forning Mr. Ned Mitchell will sing Schnecker's "Lead Kindly Light" and the choir will render Lorenz's arrangement of "Stand Up for Jesus." In the evening the full episcopal music service will be

The Monday Whist club met this week at the home of Mrs. Key on Seventh street. The club will meet this week with Mrs. Horace Everett of Second avenue. Organ Prelude-A Memory..... Mrs. Sylvester. .Armstrong

Gloria Patri Hymn-Salvation, O the Joyful Sound. Randall Magnificat George H. Boyles Nunc Dimitis E. L. Ashford Hymn-How Gentle God's Commands. Naegell Offertory-Ballade Johann Bach Mrs. Svivestor Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stewart entertained at linner Sunday for their guest, Mrs. Stanley 2. Igoe of Indianapolis. The color scheme was pink. Covers were laid for ten. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkins left yesterday for Boone, Ia. to visit friends and witness the opening of the new bridge of the Northwestern railway at that point.

Offertory-Ballade Johann Bach Mrs. Sylvester, Anthem-Rejoice Te Pure in Heart, Whitby Solo-There is an Hour of Hallowed Barnby

Hymn-Sun of My Soul. Postlude-Triumphal March were Mrs Webster. Ritter

given with this program:

Gloria Patri

Mrs. E. A. McKesson entertained a nun ber of friends at cards Friday afternoon. change had not been followed the sister is entitled to a share of the policy. Mayor as a Councilman.

In a decision in a Clay county case the question of the effect of having a mayor of a city of the second-class act as an

alderman is passed upon. The question involved was one in regard to a sewer candidates. Mr. Bell was in the city today ordinance. The rules were suspended in the council by five votes. The law provides for a three-fourths vote to suspend the rules. There were six members of the council and the mayor is ex-officio a mem-

ber. The supreme court holds that he must be counted in considering what is a quorum of the council, or three-fourths, and declares the ordinance not to have been legally passed, because the mayor was not considered.

Court Decisions. Following are the decisions announced

today: J. B. Jones, appellant, sgainst C. R. Price, appellant, and A. B. Alexander, ap-pellee, Polk county, Judge Holmes; af-

J. B. Jones, appellant, against C. R.
 Price, appellant, and A. B. Alexander, appellee, Polk county, Judge Holmes; affirmed.
 Nelle F. Rust and Jane D. Huff against John S. Morgan, sheriff, appellant, Potta-wattamle county, Judge Green, action of replevin; affirmed.
 Modern Woodmen of America against Mate Little, appellee, and Jennie M. Little, appellant, Blackhawk count, Judge Blair, action on insurance policy; reversed.
 M. E. Griffin against Jasper Messenger, treasurer Clay county, and Citizens' National bank, Des Moines, appellant, Clay county, Judge Helsell, action to restrain sale of lots; affirmed.
 C. J. Frost, appellant, against Board of Review of Oskaloosa, Mahaska county, Judge Dewey, appeal from assessment; affirmed.

Henry W. Bishop, receiver, appellant, gainst J. M. Hart and Mary B. Wetherell, Carroll county, Judge Elwood, action on ale contract; reversed.

#### Military Examinations.

Twelve of the class for examination for commissions in the military service passed the examinations before the board and four will have to undergo further examinations. Those who will be commissioned are: Captain F. D. Everett, Albia; Captain Edward

D. Middleton, Davenport; Lieutenant Carl P. Kox, Stuart; Lieutenant A. B. Evans. Bedford; Lieutenant Frank T. Armstrong, Stuart; Lieutenant G. W. Ball, Iowa City; Lieutenant Lloyd D. Ross, Red Oak: Lieuenant J. F. Ready, Fairfield; Howard G.

Karns, captain and inspector small arms practice; Harry Kern, battalion adjutant Fiftleth; John G. Cushing, captain and inspector small arms practice; Rosco E. Byers, commissary of subsistence, Fiftyfirst.

#### Iowa Auctioneers to Meet.

The program is out for the state conention of the lows auctioneers in Marshalltown June 10-11. The president is D. B. Marsball, Mount Ayr. A feature of the convention will be a competition between auctioncers as to the best method of opening farm and stock auction sales and auctioneers will be expected to pro-

by farmers and to start the sales. A committee will award a prize to the one who Sioux deemed most proficient.

## Major Conger's Return.

Minister Edwin H. Conger is expected nome on Sunday from his trip to Washington, where he went to make his official re-The Woman's club held the usual meet-ng Wednesday afternoon at the club coms. Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Walter and Mrs. port to the State department in relation to affairs in China. Minister Conger has been entertained while in the east and re-"The members of Chambers' dancing classes gave a "shirt waist party" Monday evening at Hughes' hall. A number of the members of the Omaha classes were in attendance. turns home for a few days only, as he





TONIGHT The Roaring Comedy "AFTER THE BALL" loc to any part of the house. Summer prices reduced to

10c	10c

(Special accrued, May 4) minor of Rodol-phus B. Zoll, Sturgis, 310; Martha S. Zoll, deceased, Sturgis, 35.
North Dakoia: Increase-Hiram Haynes, Grafton, 30.
Montana: Original-LeRoy Doud, Butte, S. William H. Bowers, Butte, 38.
Colorado: Original-William F. Backus, Manzanola, 35. Original William F. Backus, Sophia Fly, Clark, 38; (special accrued, May 0 Antoinette R. Clark, Aspen, 35; Filiza A. Armentrout, Amethyst. 55. May D Antoinette R. Clark, Aspen, Filiza A. Armentreut, Amethyst, S.