THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1901.

CUPID BUSY IN NEBRASKA brands and marks' commission, but they advance numerous reasons why he cannot state. State at Last Takes Cognizance of the

Marriage Industry.

COUPLES LARGE CROP OF HAPPY

State Board Successfully Resists Pressure in Fair Grounds Matter-Limited Powers of County Boards.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)" LINCOLN, May 23 .- (Special.) -- Information gathered by the State Bureau of Labor and Industrial Statistics shows that there were 9,036 marriages in Nebraska during the year 1960. This is the first complete marriage record compiled in the state. It was prepared at the office of the bureau in the state house from certified reports from every county judge in Nebraska.

Since 1590 attempts have been made annually to obtain a complete record of marriages, but not until this year were responses received from all of the ninety counties. For the year 1899 only seven counties reported, but in the year previous only eight counties were missing in the record as published. The total for the latter year, including all but the counties of Dawes, Frontier, Holt, Keith, Kimball, McPherson, Saunders and Stanton, was 8,277. The same eigthy-three counties in 1897 reported 7,425 marriages, and in 1896 the total was but 6,639

Won't Rais, Fair Grounds Offer.

A member of the Board of Public Lands laws of the legislature, and they wait until and Buildings declared to the reporter today that the board had positively decided the validity of the law. And then it is a not to offer more than \$15,000 for the state rule that they indulge every presumption fair property northeast of the city. He in favor of the law and wait for very clear mid the action yesterday was final so far and positive proof that it is not good. as the proposition of the Nebraska Exposition association is concerned.

"After thoroughly canvassing the situ- is a better lawyer than the courts themation we arrived at the conclusion that selves? Should he set himself up as a con-\$15,000 was a reasonable price for the stitutional lawyer of superior legal attainproperty," said he. "If that amount is not ments to that senate judiciary committee accepted by the Exposition association, and which recommended the bill for passage? if we are unable to find another suitable If that is a good rule it would work both location at a proper price in the event the Exposition association refuses to sell, then to do something by a solemn enactment the appropriation will lapse.

"The board desires to purchase the best property available, but it does not intend to pay more than what it considers a proper and just price. We are informed on reliable authority that the legislature of 1899 was informed that suitable grounds would be furnished free of all cost to the state if it would locate the fair permanently in or near the city. The bill passed by the legislature authorized the board to purchase the grounds at a cost of not to exceed \$1. This authority, we are informed, was put in the bill with the understanding that the city or the owners of the grounds would furnish the grounds for that sum."

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Tremendous pressure has been brought to bear on members of the board to influence the payment of \$22,000 for the grounds in question. The Lincoln Commercial club has been active-in this regard and it has had the assistance and cooperation of several persons connected with the Journal company, who own stock in the Exposition association. The owners of the land are desirous of unloading their property at the highest possible price and together they wield a strong though so far unsuccessful influence.

Rebuilding Penitentiary.

The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings expects next week to award contracts for rebuilding the penitentiary. Plans and specifications were accepted sev- Cashier Freeman declined to cash it and cral weeks ago, but the contractors have until May 26 to submit their competitive bids. After the contract is awarded the board will insist that the work be pushed with all possible speed. with all possible speed.

MEETS PIONEERS AND VETS be compelled to return the money to the One of Mr. Poster's friends today unburdened himself in the following lau-President McKinley Has Another Busy Day RUBSC "The proposed course is apt to suggest several complicated legal questions. first question is, whether the The state, after having through its lawmaking body passed a law which authorized the secretary to do what THREE SOCIETIES GIVE A SOUVENIR its Executive he did, and the secretary has gone ahead and done his part, can come in and repudiate the law on the ground that it is unconstitutional. In other words, it would

cordingly, President McKinley went to the home of Irving M. Scott, where he had

Well, this may be very convincing to the which have recently returned from the minds of his political opponents, but it is Philippines. not the kind of an argument that goes in The president was met at the entrance the courts. It is the custom of the courts of the reservation by a detachment of ar-

of this country not to go out of their way tillery and cavalry and escorted to the to discover constitutional defects in the reviewing stand on the parade grounds. All troops passed in review, the late resomeone in a proper proceeding challenges turning volunteers passing in close marching order in fatigue uniforms, and un armed. General Shafter and the members of the cabinet occupied the stand with the president, who made a brief address which Why shouldn't the secretary be entitled to was loadly applauded.

in 'Frisco.

Adorned with Paperweight Rep-

resenting Cash Value of \$350-

Mrs. McKinley Gaining.

do the same thing? Is it supposed that he After the review the president, escorted by General Shafter and Colonel Girard, went through every ward of the military hospital. He had a smile for every patient and spoke words of cheer to many After lunch he met a number of newspaper men and heartily thanked ways, and every public officer who is told them for the sympathetic manner in which they had treated the illness of Mrs. Mcof the legislature could refuse to do it, be-Kinley. In a measure they had shared in cause, forsooth, in his opinion, the legishis nightly vigils and this he fully appre lature contravened the constitution, and this, no matter how mistaken he might

be or what inconvenience to the public might result. That's anarchy, and nothing

gerald and others, involving the removal

vary cemetery in this city to Plattsmouth, has been continued for hearing until Wednesday of next week. Permission was granted Bishop Bonacum and the other On his way to dinner President McKinley York via Boulogne defendants to file answer on or before stopped at Union square and turned over Tuesday. The court has entered an order the first shovelful of sod where the monuenjoining temporarily all of the parties ment to the American navy in commemto the action from doing anything outside oration of Admiral Dewey's victory at Maof the legal proceedings that would in any nila bay is to be erected.

Tonight President McKinley attended a reception given in his honor by the Grand Army of the Republic posts of the city. First National bank of Lincoln against Tomorrow afternoon the president will go to Oakland and review the school children

McKesson is the general agent of the of that city. Aultman-Taylor company at Council PRESIDENT LYNCH IN OMAHA Bluffs. Some time in September last Frank E. Parks, then in the implement business

Head of Typographical Union Will Arrive Early This Evening.

started, the mechanical force to be union

The Omaha Typographical union has made

extensive preparations for welcoming Mr.

synch, the reception committee being W. E. Taylor, E. M. Cox, William Maxwell, W.

tendered the international president by the

members of the union and the women's auxillary at Labor temple, followed by a

President Lynch, who is making his first

visit to the west, will remain in Omaha

fecting the condition of the craft in this

Music Which Will Be New to

Omaha Audiences.

several days and will consider matters af-

banquet in the Thurston Rifles' armory.

throughout.

vicinity

A telegram from President Lynch of the International Typographical union, received last night, announced that he will arrive

the regular services for the "Feast of Weeks," which will begin at 9:30 a. m., continuing for one hour. At 10:30 the conincludes the ritualistic service of the religion and addresses by each of the confirmants, who are as follows: Harry Brown, Henry Brown, Sylvan Burkenrod, Hazel Cahn, Anna Gross, Leo Kaufman, Gertrude Kopald and Arthur Rothschild.

Desk May Hereafter Be 3 to 6 o'clock.

eastern portion: Saturday fair, warmer in western portion; northeasterly winds.

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CURSE DRINK

any liquid cleast \$1 at



This afternoon several members of the board visited the Hospital for Insane, Home for the Friendless and state penitentiary, their object being to better acquaint themselves with the affairs of the institutions. Powers of County Boards.

The supreme court in the case of the Association against Coufal has decided that county boards have only ministerial power in the matter of paying the amount provided for county agricultural societies. The sum is equal to three cents each inhabitant and by the decision just delivered the societies can invoke the aid of the courts, secure a mandamus and compel payment without waiting the dilatory course of litinants.

The syllabus of the court's opinion, writa by Judge Oldham, follows:

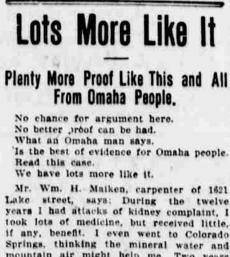
a by Judge Oldham, follows:
1. When a specific duty is provided by statute mandamus may be invoked to en-force it and the party entitled to such relief will not be forced to pursue his remedy by a circuitous and dilatory action at law.
2. In the allowance of the claim of an ag-ricuitural society which has compiled with all the requirements of section 12, chapter ii, Compiled Statutes of 1890, a board of county supervisors acts ministerially and not judicially, and when it refuses to act on such a claim it may be compelled to do so by mandamus. so by mandamus.

As to contracts with building and loan associations, the court in the case of Hinni against the Fidelity Building and

Loan association, appealed from Douglas county, held that a contract made in this state, with a resident thereof, by a foreign building and loan association, which has failed to first procure a certificate of approval and authorization from the proper officers for transacting business in this state, is void and unenforcible, though the parties to such a contract may have stipulated therein that it should be governed by the laws of the state where the offending association is a resident. Further, it was held that the policy of this state, as announced by the legislature, is to prohibit the transaction of business by foreign building and loan associations, uniess duly authorized by the proper authorities.

Porter's Absorption of Fees.

Fusionists are making no effort to defend former Secretary of State Porter for nis absorption of fees paid to the cattle and accordingly ordered out a number of



Mr. Wm. H. Maiken, carpenter of 1621 Lake street, says: During the twelve years I had attacks of kidney complaint, I and the assembly room of the club was took lots of medicine, but received little, crowded with representative people. if any, benefit. I even went to Colorado Springs, thinking the mineral water and Mrs McKenna were in charge of the enmountain air might help me. Two years tertainment, which was called "A Bachmade little difference to my physical con- elor's Dream." Arthur Cooley was the dition, and I returned east. Sometimes I bachelor, who sat smoking the evening bewas laid up and suffered the most excrufore his wedding and reviewed in memory ciating pain imaginable. Now, I don't the love affairs of the past. His dreams it understood that I am radically were made visible by young women, who cured, but of this I am certain, that Doan's represented the sweethearts whom the bachelor had had in many climes. Kidney Pills, procured at Kuhn & Co's trug store, corner of 15th and Douglas streets, gradually relieved me of the achtableaux. The young women who cok part ing until it finally disappeared. in the entertainment were the Misses Margaret McPherson, Louise Peck, Kountze,

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Cc., Buffalo, N. Y., sole Elizabeth Allen, Spurgin, Peck, Helen igents for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no Moore, Curtis, Swensburg, Edith Smith and substitute Kilpatrick.

draft. McKesson says he was not in th n Omaha this evening at 6 o'clock over city at that time and no one else had the Burlington. President Lynch comes to authority to agree to any such thing. The Omaha wearing laurels, for he has sucdraft went to protest. Parks saw McKesceeded in winning a fight which has been in son later and asked him to take care of it. progress in Milwaukee for twelve years. He said he would if Parks would give him It was announced yesterday afternoon that security. Parks executed a deed to 160 the Milwaukes Sentinel, a newspaper

acres of land near Julesburg. McKesson which has refused to employ union printers state ex rel Butler County Agricultural said he would take this if he found the for twelve years, had finally come to an security good. He wrote out to Julesburg agreement with the union, by its action and discovered that the land was worth litmaking an "ironclad" town so far as the tle and had been sold for taxes. He returned newspapers are concerned. Reports say the deed. Meanwhile Parks got into finanthat Milwaukee, from being one of the worst cial difficulties and the bank was out the towns for the craft in the United States amount of the draft. Hence this suit. s going to be one of the best, as a new paper, known as the Free Press, is to be

Removal of Cagney's Remains.

By general consent of all parties con-

cerned the case of David C. McEntee

against Bishop Bonacum, Mrs. Mary Fitz-

of the body of Edward Cagney from Cal-

way change the status quo of the action.

Conneil Bluffs Case.

Judge Holmes is hearing the case of the

Frank E. Parks and O. P. McKesson. Mr.

in Lincoln, went to the First National bank

and drew a \$150 draft upon McKesson.

Rock Island Wants New Trial. The Rock Island Railroad company has asked for a new trial of the case brought by Mrs. Anna Gempshorn, in which the latter was given a verdict of \$500 for

damages on a plea for \$10,150. German Baptist Bretheren.

. Boyer, James Dermody, Charles W. Fear, The national convention of German Baptist Charles Matthews, F. A. Kennedy, K. S. Brethren will be called to order at the fair Fisher, W. A. Runkles, M. N. Griffith, V grounds northeast of the city tomorrow aft-B. Kinney, P. M. Jones, A. J. Dutcher, A ernoon. Today the Dunkards arrived in F. Clark, Henry Yingling, F. M. Keatley, large numbers, and it is expected that by A. D. Small, R. C. Rowley, Bert Cox, Harry tomorrow night the grounds will be Rowley, T. F. Doyle, D. G. Craighead, W. crowded. Sleeping accommodations will be E. Ellsworth, W. S. Turner, W. W. Campfurnished in the exposition buildings. bell, M. T. White and L. J. Quinby. Rev. E. S. Young of Elgin, Ill., conducted Beginning at 8 o'clock a reception will be

bible classes on the grounds today for the early arrivals.

TRAMPS ENTER FOUR HOMES thief of Police Details a Squad to

Round Up Vagrants and Suspicious Characters.

Complaint was made to the police yes erday that the residences of the follow-BELLSTEDT'S NEW SELECTIONS ng persons had been entered and robbed Wednesday night: Jacob I. Payne, 3614 Great Band Leader is Preparing Martha street; Charles H. Aull, 2124 South Thirty-fourth street; Lloyd Jones, 2146 South Thirty-fourth street, and C. N. Robinson, 929 South Thirty-fifth avenue, Noth-All books of tickets for the Belistedt coning but articles of food were taken from

tons of His Many Sweet-

hearts.

Mrs. Herman Kountze, Mrs. Peck and

Mrs. Herman Kountze played during the

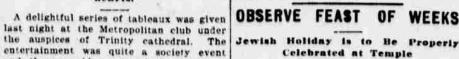
Jones, Carita Curtis, Lomax, Gareissen,

certs will be delivered to subscribers by the first three places. From the Robinson next Monday evening. After Monday the house the burglars took a gold watch and price of the books will be advanced \$2 and chain, some men's clothing, a fur collarette persons who desire to take advantage of the reduced price must subscribe in time to and a quantity of food. Chief Donahue was of the opinion that have tickets delivered that day. The edi-

tion of tickets to be sold at the reduced the jobs were done by a gang of tramps, price is limited. Reserved seats will be placed on sale officers to round up every hobo and sus-Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. E. O. picious character in the city. The special Loomis will have charge of the sale, and hobo squad was composed of Patrolmen Gustafson, Goodrich, Thomas, Beehan, Cul-leu, Ryan, McCarthy and Cook. They started at the "Summit." near the South will be in the ticket office on the Fifteenth

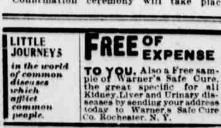
street side of the grounds, just north of the new Bellstedt arch. The tent will Omaha line and rounded up all the box have a seating capacity of 4,300. cars and shanties to the north city limits. Mr. Bellstedt has wired Mr. Hospe that the preference of Omaha music lovers, ex-

BACHELOR IN TABLEAUX pressed to him by letter, is for a program of new selections. In compliance with the request of his friends Mr. Bellstedt is pre-On the Eve of Wedding He Has Visparing many selections which he did not play in Omaha last season.



Israel. The celebration of the Jewish holiday of

the "Feast of Weeks," or Pentecostal service, which marks the birthday of the Jewish religion, was begun at Temple Israel last evening. Rabbi Simon delivered a lecture on "Inspiration. Confirmation ceremony will take place



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