stands for WOOL SOAP remember its name keep singing its praises and spreading its fame. Use Swift's Pride Soap in the Laundry.

BOTH SIDES ARE SPARRING

Perka Allows No Opening for Gorden is Police Court Contest.

AVOIDING CHANCE FOR ANY TEST CASE

Police Department, Evidently Expecting Gordon to Do a Parachute Act, Gunras Court Room In side and Outside.

"Nothing doing in the Berka-Gordon case," is the way both sides of the police court controversy answer the inevitable questice. "Berka is still presiding over the

police court and Gordon is holding court out in the hall."

As a matter of fact, there is "something doing," and the lines are being drawn tighter day by day. The court room is not only kept locked now, but there is an "inside guard" on duty there day and hight, obviously to forestall any attempt on the part of Judge Gordon to descend from a balloon in a parachute and force an ena balloon in a parachute and force an entrance to the tribunal by way of .he upstairs windows. The court officer, Sergeant Mike Whelan, sits in solitary grandeur on the judge's bench all day, amusing himself by indexing the filing cabinet and arrangeing the papers therein, and at the luncheon hour is relieved by a member of the fail crew. At night an officer sleeps in a little room leading off the clerk's office.

A new lock of the most modern workmanship has been placed on the court room
door. To this lock there are two keys one
of Onida. door. To this lock there are two keys, one in possession of the inside guard and the other in keeping of the desk sergeant down stairs. The windows have recently been barred with heavy wire screen.

Not Looking for Test. .

Another significant point in this connection is that William Hathaway and George Lucas, charged with criminal assault upon Zola Coulthard, 11 years old, will not have a preliminary hearing in police court, as is customary in felony cases, nor will they be arraigned before either Judge Berka or Judge Gordon. Instead Chief Donahue has sent the two detectives who worked up the case to testify as to the facts before the

"By this means of disposing of felony cases," said a police court attorney yesterday, "they are, in a measure, taken out of the hands of the county attorney. At least, it gives the county attorney's office no opportunity to refuse to prosecute before Police Judge Berka, and the effect of it is to ignore the police court and any other preliminary court, cutting out both Judge Gordon and Judge Berka. This will doubtless be continued until the grand jury adjourns, and if it is the Gordon-Eller faction will have to wait until then, or else modify their treties, in order to test their claim to the police court bench."

Since Judge Berka assumed the bench a week ago no felony cases have been filed in his court. Three such cases held over from the Gordon regime. Of these two have been dismissed and the other has been set for bearing this week. Attorney Eller, representing Judge Gor-

don, said yesterday afternoon:

"We cannot get action on this matter be fore February 1, but we certainly will at that time. My intention is to enjoin the city from paying Berka his salary for the month of January and at the same time mandamus the city to compel it to pay the money to Mr. Gordon. That will be our

Messenger Boy Cuts an Arm.

Ed McMannus, aged 16, employed by the American District Telegraph company, in descending the steps to the rear door of the office of the company on Fourteenth street, lost his balance and fell through the glass in the door at 1 o'clock this morning. A piece of the glass cut a gash five inches long in a muscle of his left arm. He was hurriedly taken to the police station and the wound was dressed by Dr. Borglum. The boy's home is at 2878 Binney street.



If young girls would look ahead i netimes save them from serior collision with the men they marry. I is here that ignorance is almost a crime The young humband cannot understan-it when the wife changes to a peevish nervous, querulous woman. And the young wife does not understand it her self. She only knows that she is ver-

If ever there is a time when nature seeds help it is when the young girl i adjusting herself to the new condition of wifehood. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pre scription makes weak women strong an sick women well. It promotes regularity, dries debilitating drains, heals in ation and ulceration, and cure

female weakness. Sick women are invited to consult I'm Pierce, by letter, free, All woman-confidences are guarded with strict pro-fessional privacy. Write without fear of fee to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

'/will drop you a few lines to-day to let yo know that I am feeling well now," series Mi-Annie Stephens, of Belleville, Wood Co. Wes Va. "I feel like a new woman. I took sever bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and Gols an Medical Discovery.' I have no headach Low, so backache, and no pain in my side an more. No bearing-down pain any slaure, think there is no medicine like Dr. Pierre think there is no medicine like Dr. Pierre medicine. I thank you very much for what yo have done for me—your medicine his done m so much good."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure bilsness and sick headache

ANTICIPATE BIG ATTENDANCE

Dakota State Horticultural Soclety Convention.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 13.-(Special.) The thirteenth annual convention of the South Dakota Horticultural society will be held in Sioux Falls January 21, 22 and 23. The meetings will be held in the Auditorium and from reports received from points throughout the state a great many delegates and others will be in attendance. This program has been prepared:

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21. Invocation.

Greeting by President H. M. Avery.

"Small Fruits," strawberries, will be discussed by E. L. Collar of Vermilion, Henry Rees of Flandreau and F. E. Jones of Vermilion and "Bush Fruits" by different gentlemen interested.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

TUESDAY EVENING. Home Grounds," L. R. Moyer Minnesota.
"The Town Garden," D. F. Harrington of Sloux Falls. of Sloux Falls.

"Hardy Ferennials," E. C. Newberry of Mitchell.

"House Plants." Milton W. Strong of Sloux Falls.

"Notes on Tree Planting," G. Skartvedt of Canton.

"Plant Trees," L. T. Fellard of Sloux Falls.

"Trees and Fruit on the Farm," M. J. DeWolf, Letcher and G. A. Tract of Water-WEDNESDAY MORNING.

"The Profits of Market Gardening," I. J. Nudd of Sioux Falls. "New Points in Seed and Vegetation Growing," Thomas A. Hobart of Sioux Falls.

"Best Vegetables for Dakota." William Box of Yankton and Harry Lewis of Sloux Falls.

"Evergreens," A. Norby of Madison and George Whiting of Yankton.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. "Orcharding." a general discussion will be held on apples, plums, cherries and other similar subjects, following a number of papers to be read. In the afternoon Fred-eric W. Taylor of St. Louis will speak on the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

WEDNESDAY EVENING. "Horticultural Notes," H. C. Warner of Forestburg. "Social Conditions Against Solitude," C. "Social Conditions Against Solitude," C. W. Gurney of Yankton.
"Fifty Years in Western Horticulture," Hon. H. W. Lathrop of Iowa City, Ia.
"Dakota Native Fruits," George Schreiber of Potter.
"Originating Hardy Fruits for South Dakota," Prof. N. E. Hanson of Brookings.

frozen as solid as a rock by the 20-degree-

below weather of a few weeks ago, in a

very short time the window was fairly

alive with small grasshoppers, proving that

the dirt taken from the garden was filled

with the eggs of these pests, which would

undoubtedly have hatched out in the spring.

Because of Mrs. Schaller's experience, some

fear is expressed that grasshoppers may

be troublesome during the coming summer.

Railronders in Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.-The first bi-

ennial convention of the chief division of

ployes assembled in this city today with

fifty delegates present. The delegates were

formally welcomed to the city by Mayor

vice president, H. C. Smith, Portland, Ore.;

second vice president, J. E. Murray, San

Indian Camps Quiet.

have been sent to quell the excitement

the American Revolution held its annual

meeting yesterday afternoon in the lecture

room of the public library, a fair repre-

sentation of the membership being pres-

ent. The chief business of the meeting was

the election of officers and of delegates to

the continental congress, to be held in

Washington, D. C., the week of February

16, but previous to that five new members

were voted into the local chapter, thus rais-

ing the membership roll to 101. The an-

nual reports of the various officers showed

the chapter to have been active and pro-

port of the regent, Mrs. A. Allee, included ecommendations that the chepter adopt

the history of Nebraska as its regular study

for the ensuing year. She further recom-

mended that more work of the chapter be

done through its board of managers, so

that more time might be given to the pro-

grams and papers during the regular meet-

ings, and that the Omaha chapter exchange

papers with other societies and so be bene-

The election of officers followed, Mrs. A.

Allee receiving a unanimous renomination.

which she declined, advising the chapter

to elect new officers each year. The elec-

tion resulted as follows: Regent, Mrs. S.

bengier; recording secretary, Mrs. C. E.

Johannes; treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Welshans;

historian, Miss Harriett Johnston; regis-

trar, Mrs. J. J. Stubbs; corresponding sec-

By virtue of her office the chapter regent

and Mrs. F. J. Hoel was elected as her al-

Barkalow; vice regent, Mrs. C. S. Lo-

ated by the ideas of others.

gressive during the last year and the

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 .- A dispatch re-

Francisco: junior past president.

is quiet at the reservation today.

French, San Francisco.

the United Brotherhood of Railway Em-

e found in the country. "I find people at Lead City very enthusiastic over the advent of this new route and THURSDAY MORNING. they are anxiously awaiting its completion. The depot will be directly opposite the Raises Crop of Grasshoppers.

"All during my stay the weather was re-SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 13 .- (Special.) markable. The days were all bright and -Mrs. J. P. Schaller of Canistota had a sunny, with the temperature such that most peculiar experience. She filled a flower pot people are going without overcoats or even with earth from her garden and placed it light wraps. There is scarcely any snow on in a window of a warm room. Notwithstanding that the dirt had this winter been

an extent as now.

"Passenger travel in the Black Hills country is fairly good, though there is a slight falling off from what it has been. I did not visit Hot Springs, but am informed that all worry about accommodations there for the coming season that tourists have felt may be abandoned. The closing of the Evans hotel need cause no fear of the lack of high-grade quarters, for the new Palace hotel has been completed with more rapidity than expected and will open on Jannary 15."

Expect No Rate Cutting

Union Pacific traffic officials discredit the story that the Great Northern and Northern Pacific interests intend to smash freight rates to the Pacific coast from points in this portion of the country. Said an official Schmitz. These officers were elected: First at Union Pacific headquarters yesterday morning:

"I do not believe any such action is planned. They would probably give us notice if they intended it. Of course we should be compelled to meet the cut if Healy Haywood, aged 85, one of the best they made it, but we have taken absolutely known preachers in the Unitarian church no steps for protection in an emergency. ceived at the Indian bureas from the and that is a good indication that we do Tongue river agency in Idaho, where troops not believe there will be any slashing."

The Burlington road has put the new

Woman's Work in Club and Charity

her alternate. It was decided that in case

those elected cannot attend the national

meeting the board is to be notified in time

so that others can be elected to serve in

The board of managers is composed of the

officers and three members of the chapter.

Mesdames A. Allee, George Towle and J.

R. Webster being elected to fill those

places. At the conclusion of the election

the new officers were introduced, Mrs.

Barkalow taking the chair for the remain-

It was reported that the Lincoln chapter

at a recent meeting recommended Mrs. A. Allee for vice regent for Nebraska and in-

structed their delegates to the continental

congress to that effect. The action of the

Lincoln chapter was indorsed by the Omaha

chapter and Mrs. Pound of Lincoln, now

state regent, indorsed to fill that office an-

The meeting concluded with a vote of

thanks to the retiring officers for their effi-

yesterday afternoon by the improvement

committee of the Women's club at a meet-

Excerpts from the Charities Review in

somen is to have the vacant lots in the ever "there is money in sight."

regard to vacant lot cultivation were read

ing held at the First Congregational church.

cient work during the year.

acted as secretary.

ternate. Miss Anna Bishop was elected the city turned over to the poor for gardening

their places.

other term.

der of the meeting.

NEW EXTENSION IS LOCATED train being completely equipped from entrain in two-thirds the time used by the quick action brake in general use and in much less space. For instance, the old, plain automatic brake will stop a train running sixty miles an hour in 1,600 feet. The quick-action brake requires but 1,280 feet and the high-speed brake does the business in 890 feet.

Elkhorn's Verdigris Line is Finally Drawn

en Surveyors' Map.

CONSTRUCTION WORK TO BEGIN AT ONCE

General Manager Bidwell Returns

froom Scene of Proposed Improve-

ment and Announces that Con-

tract Has Been Awarded.

General Manager Bidwell of the Fremont,

Eikhorn & Missouri Valley railroad has just

returned from the scene of that road's

Verdigris extension with the unexpected in-

formation that the new line is permanently

located from Verdigris seventy miles to the

north and west, the present terminus tap-

ping the portion of the Rosebud reservation

that the gover-ment contemplates opening

to settlers very shortly. All the plans have

Northwestern system.

work will begin at once.

the approval of President Hughltt of the

This ends the surveying portion of the

lob at present, as it is not intended to

carry the line any further just now. Con-

struction of the line is the next thing and

Butte Not on Line.

An important feature of the matter is

that the fight made by the town of Butte,

county seat of Boyd county, for the road

has been given its quietus. The place is

situated on a high spot of ground, 200 feet

above Ponca creek bottom, which the road

follows, and it was impracticable to go

through the town. The line runs about a

mile and three-quarters to the north and

across the Niobrara river. The new por-

tion established runs from Lynch to Spen

cer, then to this point near Butte, where

it turns directly north and runs to Fairfax.

Gregory county, S. D. This will be the ter-

seven miles and a half west to the reserva-

ness for immediate building there as well.

Contract is Awarded.

we will have trains running on the nev

will begin work first of all. Sixty-poun

Prosperity in the Black Hills.

"The Black Hills country is in a wonder-

to be done, as we are going right through

the mountain. When the road is built.

a quarter of a mile to the east.

IRON WORKERS GET A RAISE

Mechanics Secure Advance Based on Rise is Price of Their Product.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 13.-At the bimonthly bar iron wage scale conference here this afternoon the wages for puddlers was advanced from \$5.50 per ton to \$5.75 per ton and the rate for finishers from 67 cents per ton to 68.5 cents per ton. The examination of sales of bar iron made during November showed that bar iron, under which the wages are based, sold for more than \$80 per ton, which entitled the men to the increase. The increase affects 25,-

DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. Harriet B. Holmes.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Jan. 13 .- Mrs. Harriet B. Holmes died at her home in this city today, aged 93 years. She was the widow of Rev. Henry B. Holmes, a sister of Benjamin F. Butler, who was attorney general under President Van Buren's administration, and of Charles Butler, a member of the Board of Regents of the University of New York and of the Theological Seminary of New York continuously for fifty years The body will be taken to Chicago.

Thomas Lineky.

To Lynch permanent location had already SHELTON, Neb., Jan. 13 .- (Special.)been made through Niobrara and then west Thomas Lineky, a well-to-do farmer, who lived one and a half miles east of Shelton, died Sunday afternoon of pneumonia. He was ill but a day and a balf. He was 65 years old, and an old settler. His body will be interred at the Wood River Catholic minus of the construction at present, but cemetery, beside that of his wife, who the line has been surveyed from Fairfax died two weeks ago. No relatives live in this county. His brother in southern tion line, so that everything is in readi-Ohio has been notified.

Adam Large.

"We shall get to work on construction WOOD RIVER, Neb., Jan. 13 .- (Special.) within a few weeks," said Mr. Bidwell.
"Winston Brothers of Minneapolis have the -Adam Large, who lived four miles north east of Wood River, died Saturday at Phoecontract. I completed the arrangements nix, Ariz., of consumption. Mr. Large had Saturday night last. By September 15 next been a sufferer several years and went to Arizona in hopes of benefitting his health. He was 38 years old, and leaves a wife "Except for a mile of the road just west and four children. His body will arrive of Niobrara the entire thing will be of in Wood River Tuesday. The funeral will easy construction and low cost. That one be conducted by the Knights of Pythias. mile is through heavy rock, and there we

Prominent Kentucky Matron. steel rails will be laid. The entire right LEXINGTON, Jan. 13.-Mrs. Mary Caof way is secured. Most of it was donated cell Breckinridge Warfield, aged 74, mother by the farmers through whose lands we of Dr. Benjamin B. Warfield, president of the Princeton Theological Seminary and Dr Ethelbert Warfield, president of Lafayette General Passenger Agent J. R. Buchanan | college, died here tonight. She was one of the most brilliant women of the state. She of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley was a sister of General Joseph Breckinrailroad has just returned from the scene of the new line which his road is building ridge, Attorney General Robert Breckinridge of Kentucy and ex-Congressman from Deadwood to Lead City in South Dakota, thus completing the service of that Breckinridge. system from Omaha to both northern cities.

An Old Indian Warrior.

ully prosperous condition," said Mr. Bu-WHITE EARTH, Minn., Jan. 13.-Bay-"There are more mines working kinahwaumh, a well-known Chippewa and they are being handled better than ever among the White Earth Indians, and one before. Absolute legitimacy in their de- of the few remaining early-day warriors, velopment has never been practiced to such is dead, aged 70 years. He was among the first to remove to the White Earth reserva-"Meanwhile on our new line the work is tion when it was first set aside for the progressing as well as could be expected. Chippewas. He was an earnest advocate There is a great deal of heavy rock work of education.

William J. Perkins.

however, it will be the prettiest scenic line BOSTON, Jan. 13 .- William J. Perkins, for its three and a half miles of extent to died here today. He was a figure of importance in the musical world a generation ago. He organized the first male quartet in America, conducting many musical festivals, and won fame as a leader. His published works number sixty volumes. He

James E. Burke.

MANDAN, N. D., Jan. 13.-James E. Burke, the oldest passenger engineer on the Northern Pacific west of the Mississippi river, is dead. He had been in the employ of the railroad twenty-eight years. that the club had asked of it, and that as He ran the first passenger train across the

G. W. Goodman.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Jan. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-G. W. Goodman, an old and prominent citizen, was found dead in his bed this morning. He retired last night in usual health. The Masonic fraternity will conduct the funeral.

Christopher Zug.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 13 .- Christopher Zug. an iron manufacturer of western Pennsylvania, died here today of general debility. incident to old age. He was 95 years old. He was a director of numerous financial

Rev. John Heaty Haywood. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 13 .- Rev. John

in the country, died today. William Fife. Sr.

LONDON, Jan. 13 .- William Fife, sr., the of the Indians, announces that everything high speed Westinghouse brake on all fast famous oldtime yacht builder, died today trains between this city and Denver, each at Fairlie, Scotland.

crop was estimated at \$6,000.

not be necessary.

The Omaha chapter of the Daughters of other delegate and Mrs. W. B. Carpenter purposes; to have one or two persons selected, who are to receive compensation secure a quorum was doubtless due to the for their work, to supervise and instruct those to whom land is allotted. The plan tention of vetcing the new library ordihas been successfully carried on in many of the cities of the east and several cities to gain along this line by not making an of the west, and it is not new to Omaha. appearance is not known. There was a large During the years of 1895-97, under the management of the Associated Charities and cluding a delegation from the women who the agricultural commission, the Pingree are said to be slated for appointment on gardens were a success here. During 1897 the proposed library board. allotments were made to 300 families, one

Avoiding Health Board.

acre to each, and the total value of the The failure of the Board of Education to hold a meeting last night was a disap-Each person will be required to furnish his own garden tools. Should a person pointment to the health board, inasmuc as that body felt confident that the school not be financially able to get tools money with which to buy them will be furnished people would meet and do something toward from a fund to be raised by the club, to the adoption of its recommendation on the be refunded when the crop is sold. One question of compulsory vaccination. While the order of the Board of Health has been of the difficulties to be overcome is the obeyed to a certain degree, still it is said question of water, that having seriously retarded the work during the years the that there are many pupils in the city schools who have never been vaccinated plan was in operation. This will be overcome by getting lots where irrigation will and who further declare that they will carry the matter into court if the Board of Health insists upon its mandate. The women have no fear of not being able

tions. This has been the case wherever The city may solve the problem of keepthe plan has been tried. Owing to the fact ing the streets clean by employing several permanent street sweepers, who will conthat the women have not sufficient money In the absence of the president, Mrs. C. on hand to start the work, a committee W. Damon presided and Miss McCartney composed of Mesdames C. W. Damon, J. stantly be on the lookout for papers and debris in general. Flooding the streets composed of Mesdames C. W. Damon, J. H. Dumont and R. A. Willis was appointed has never been satisfactory, for within to bring the matter before the city council few days after the washing was completed, the streets have appeared to be in and the members of the Commercial club by Mrs. H. A. Wagner, and discussed by and request their assistance. The comas bad a condition as before. If the plan is a delegate to the continental congress, the members. The idea advanced by the mittee was further instructed to call whereof the street commissioner and others in terested in the movement is adopted, the street aweepers will be constituted a small

The Distinctive Value

of Syrup of Figs is due to its pleasant form and perfect freedom from every objectionable quality or substance and to the fact that it acts gently and truly as a laxative, without in any way disturbing the natural functions. The requisite knowledge of what a laxative should be and of the best means for its production enable the California Fig Syrup Co. to supply the general demand for a laxative, simple and wholesome in its nature and truly beneficial in its effects; a laxative which acts pleasantly and leaves the internal organs in a naturally healthy condition and which does not weaken them.

To assist nature, when nature needs assistance, it is all important that the medicinal agents used should be of the best quality and of known value and Syrup of Figs possesses this great advantage over all other remedies, that it does not weaken the organs on which it acts and therefore it promotes a healthful condition of the bowels and assists one in forming regular habits. Among its many excellent qualities may be mentioned its perfect safety, in all cases requiring a laxative, even for the babe, or its mother, the maiden, or the wife, the invalid, or the robust man.

Syrup of Figs is well known to be a combination of the laxative principles of plants, which act most beneficially, with pleasant aromatic liquids and the juice of figs, agreeable and refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system, when its gentle cleansing is desired. The quality of Syrup of Figs is due not only to the excellence of the combination, but also to the original method of manufacture which ensures perfect purity and uniformity of product and it is therefore all important, in buying, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co.-printed on the front of every package.

(ALIFORNIA TIG SYRUP (O.

for these who are dumping their waste

Billposter Must Watt.

The ordinance creating the office of city

billposter was ready to be introduced had

the council met last night. The ordinance

creating this office, which was passed at

was subsequently found to be defective, cov-

ered less than a page of typewriting, while

the ordinance that was ready last night cov-

ered several pages closely typewritten. The

provisions, however, are said to be only

slightly different from those of the first or-

Fear Only Smallpox.

According to the statement of Sanitary

Inspector Frank E. Jones, made yester-

day, there are but few cases of contavious

disease in the city, outside of the quaran-

tined cases of smallpox. Mr. Jones said

that there was some little scarlet fever and

Magie City Gossip

The little daughter of J. J. Ryan is se-

A prize fight is scheduled to take pince Friday night at Blum's hall.

Miss Genevieve Tylee is rapidly recover-ing from an attack of smallpox.

Henry Leffler, who has been seriously ill, shows but little signs of improvement.

The new directors for the Live Stock ex-change held their first meeting yesterday

W. A. Carpenter of York, manager of the South Platte creameries, was in the city

The Lotus club will give its sixth dance of the season tomorrow night at the Masonic hall.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Barnes, Twenty-third and R streets, was buried yesterday.

John Berry is languishing in the city bas-tile, charged with having made an assault upon August Papez.

Mrs. Alice Craver, aged 52, died at the South Omaha hospital yesterday morning. Her residence was at 2518 P street.

Camp No. 1095, Modern Woodmen of America, will hold a public installation of officers on Thursday evening.

Vigilance Committee at Work.

J. H. Loechner, who has been ill for some time, is reported rapidly improving

Emma Weese, 2821 S street, has the scar-

diphtheria, but not enough to occasion

paper baskets into the streets.

dinance introduced.

San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS.

New York, N. Y. PRICE FIFTY CENTS PER BOTTLE.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Boulevard Through Syndicate Park is Among Premised Imprevements.

WILL MAKE DIRECT DRIVEWAY TO OMAHA the last meeting of the council and which

Land Company Assures East Fide Improvement Club that Work on Proposed Boulevard Will Begin in Spring.

While the East Side Improvement club has been in existence for a long time, it is only recently that the members have gotten down to actual work and given the public in general notice of what they have done and what they propose to do.

a committee was appointed to confer with the South Omaha Land company in regard to the opening of a boulevard through Syndicate park, making a perfect driveway from the eastern portion of the town direct to Omaha. The committee called upon the land company, but received little encouragement for the furtherance of the project Not despairing, however, they called again, and were told that the company would take the matter under advisement for a short time

Yesterday the company notified the club committee, consisting of J. J. Breen and D. M. Click, that it was willing to do all soon as it was practicable for it to commence work the boulevard would be established, together with the opening up o Iwentieth street from G street north.

The work will commence at G street following up Twentieth street north to the Park. From here it will follow up the imaginary boulevard that is now established within the park, going around the lake and emerging at the north side. It proposes to open and grade these streets, placing them in first class shape, making a perfect driveway to Omaha.

In addition to what the club has requested the company says that it will open F street to Twentieth street, making the driveway from Twenty-third and F streets In view of the fact that this territory has heretofore been of little use to the residents of that portion of the town the members of the club were highly elated over the success of their venture.

In speaking of the matter D. M. Click. one of the committeemen who called upon the land company, said last night: "I feel that the land company will do just what it says it will and that the boulevard will be established by spring. We received so little encouragement when the matter was first broached that the entire club is now highly elated, over the matter.

Council Fails to Secure Quorum

Adking Miller and Martin, together with Mayor Kelly, were all that appeared at the council meeting last night, so, after waiting until about 8:30, an adjournment was taken until Monday night. The failure to fact that Mayor Kelly had signified his innance, though what the council could hope crowd present awaiting developments, in-

The first steps toward introducing the to secure the land for their purpose. In May Employ Street Sweepers. Pingree gardens in Omaha were taken '97 the lots offered exceeded the applica-

detective body, who will be on the lookout NINE TEAMS ENTER THE RACE

Fastest Cyclists in World Riding et Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.-The six-days bicycle race of eight hours each day was begun on the twelve-lap track at the Second Regiment armory at 2:47 o'clock this afternoon. Nine teams faced the starter. Some of the contestants are among the fastest bicycle racers of the country.

The score at the end of the first eight hours tonight was: Leander of Chicago and Rutz of New Haven, 175.6; Monroe of Memphis and McEachern of Canada, 175.6; Freeman of Portland and Mayo of Cleveland, 175.6; Gougoltz of France and Wilson of Pittsburg, 175.6; Hatheld of Newark and King of New York, 175.5; Fischer of France and Chevaller of France, 175.5; Miller -o. Italy and Barclay of Brooklyn, 175.1.

ST. JOE TINNERS LOCKED OUT

Members of Sheet Metal Workers Union Refuse to Accept Wage Schedule.

ST JOSEPH, Jan. 13 .- All the tinners in St. Joseph, members of Sheet Metal Workers' union No. 45, were locked out today. The trouble arose over disagreement over the wage schedule.

Duke Settles with Miss Knight.

LONDON, Jan. 13 .- The breach of promise suit brought by Miss Portia Knight, the American actress, against the duke of Manchester, has after all been settled out of court, the duke paying Miss Knight £1,000 and defraying the costs of the legal proceedings. An agreement was reached Saturday and the final papers will be signed Wednesday next, when the money will be paid. The lawyers in the case say nothing in the nature of a grave scandal would have developed had the suit come to trial, but unpleasant notoriety would have attended the reading of love letters.

Venus Casts a Shadow.

The stockholders of the three National banks of South Omaha will meet today and elect directors for the coming year. NICE, France, Jan. 13 .- M. Giacobini, the chief astronomer of the Nice observatory, DENVER, Jan. 13.—About 200 members of the recently organized committee of safety tonight began patrolling the residence portions of the city. It is hoped this will result in the detection of thugs whose outrages have caused a reign of terror in the city for several months. reports that at 7 o'clock last evening after moonset the brilliancy of Venus was so intense as to cast shadows on the walls. This is the first time this phenomenon has been observed.

Is the joy of the household, for without it no happiness can be complete. How sweet the picture of mother and babe, angels smile at and commend the thoughts and aspirations of the mother bending over the cradle. The ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so full of danger and suffering that she looks forward to the hour when she shall

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