

DES MOINES DISAPPOINTED

President Can Remain Only Two Hours in Iowa's Capital City.

VERDICT ON THE RHODES COLLISION

Due to Misunderstanding of Two Conductors and No Blame is Attached to Anyone by the Coronor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt's visit to Iowa included only a stop of two hours in Des Moines, and this is decidedly disappointing to the Des Moines people, who had hoped to have the president here longer. He will be in Des Moines from 2 to 4 p. m. September 20. He will then go to St. Louis, accompanied by Governor Cummins. The brevity of his stay in Des Moines will necessitate a change in the plans for the reception, and it is probable there will be nothing more than a public meeting where the president can speak, and a general reception or formal dinner in his honor. Governor Cummins goes at this time to the national meeting of republican clubs in St. Louis.

Attempt at Suicide.

Sam Downes, a laborer, attempted suicide. He and his brother conducted a pool room which the brother conducts and Sam declared at closing time last night he was going to kill himself. The brother thought little of the remark, but during the night Sam secured some carbolic acid, which he swallowed. The doctors acted promptly, but he may die.

The report of Warden Jones of the Fort Madison penitentiary for the year ended June 30 makes a recommendation that of the \$24,000 in the support fund saved the last year \$10,000 be transferred to the building fund that it may be used at once. The per capita support allowed by the state has more than met the expenses of maintenance.

Verdict on Railroad Accident.

The coroner's jury which has been investigating the fatalities in the wreck at Rhodes a few days ago has returned a verdict blaming no one. The accident is found to have been due to a misunderstanding between two conductors and not the fault or carelessness of anyone. The verdict is as follows: "That said jurors upon their oath do say that the said Dana Markros, engineer of freight No. 82, came to his death by accident on the 6th day of August, 1902, near Rhodes, by reason of a collision between a work train and freight train No. 82 on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, said collision having been caused by a misunderstanding between the conductors of the two work trains working between Collins and Rhodes."

Suspect Walker Not Tried.

James Walker, the negro under arrest in connection with the Planketstein murder, was arraigned in justice court today and he immediately took a change of venue to another court, which will cause some delay. It appears that the state is anxious to have Leitch tried first and is working to that end. If the change of venue had not been taken today the state would have asked for a continuance. The verdict in the Walker case. The impression prevails that the police have no case against Walker and if he is tried first he will be acquitted, which will necessitate a discharge of Leitch. Good attorneys have been employed to look after the case for Walker, a meeting of the people of the city should have a fair trial and raising money for an attorney.

Shooting Affair a Mystery.

There is much mystery as yet about the shooting of B. W. Liggett by James Marcus, coachman for H. A. Searles. Liggett was fatally injured and is recovering at a hospital. Neither of the interested persons gives a clear explanation of the cause of the shooting. Liggett had called to get Miss Searles to accompany him to a picnic when the quarrel ensued. Julius Brandtman, a contractor, was the victim of two bold thieves who held him up in a hallway in an office building in broad daylight and took his pocketbook. Fortunately there was nothing in it but some papers.

WOODBURY DEMOCRATS SHY

Newly Willing to Be Candidates and County Convention Records a Blank Ticket.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The Woodbury county democratic convention met here today, but was unable to name a county ticket because of the death of candidates. Not a single available candidate could be found willing to take any office. Only about twenty-five were present and they were mostly from Sioux City.

After facing the situation it was decided to adjourn the convention until October 2, by which time it is hoped someone willing to take a place on the ticket could be found. H. Quick, ex-mayor of Sioux City, was chairman.

CHOOSES WOMAN WITH CASH

Sioux City Barber Weds Wealthy Woman While His Lawful Wife is Absent.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—W. M. McMichael, a barber, was married here Tuesday afternoon to Mrs. Daisy Bergen, Mayor Caldwell performing the ceremony. It now develops that McMichael has a wife in Council Bluffs and is in danger of being charged with bigamy. McMichael's wife left here a few weeks ago. Since then McMichael has been directing his attentions in the direction of Mrs. McMichael No. 2. The second Mrs. McMichael's name has been connected with police affairs. She is reported to have considerable money, her net worth estimated at from \$20,000 to \$30,000.

Mills County Veterans Meet.

HASTINGS, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—The annual reunion of the Mills County veterans has brought to this town several hundred members of the association, and a very large number of citizens from the county at large. Yesterday there was a banquet at the grounds. Colonel J. J. Woodman, past department commander of the G. A. R. of this state, and Walter I. Smith delivered able addresses. Mr. Woodman spoke in the forenoon and Mr. Smith in the afternoon. The reunion is proving a great success.

Valuable Collection for University.

IOWA CITY, Ia., Aug. 14.—Four big boxes of material from the Hawaiian deep waters were received by Prof. C. G. Swearington and their contents will prove of incalculable value to the university museum, he says. The series of submergence, included in the collection, was found by Prof. Nutting on the island of Laysan. There is not a duplicate of this series in the United States. Prof. Nutting says, although the Smithsonian museum, at Washington, D. C., and

the Leland Stanford university of California will have similar collections when their representatives reach this country from the Hawaiian islands.

Union Republican Ticket.

CRESTON, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—In the republican county convention today a warm fight was developed over the resolutions a faction of the party has been dominating the policy of the party for some time attempted to get some anti-Cummins resolutions through, but were beaten by another faction led by ex-Senator J. B. Harsh. The ticket nominated is: Auditor, George Brochert; clerk, W. T. Maxwell; recorder, J. W. Milnes; attorney, H. M. Fry.

Assyrians Arrested at Fort Dodge.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Three Assyrian boys, George and Messar Badyeria and Melhem Khouri, aged from 15 to 17 years, were arrested this morning on receipt of a telegram from the immigration inspector at Montreal. They are charged with violating the immigration law. They were arrested as they alighted from a train.

LOG ROLLERS MEET AT VALLEY

Omaha District Modern Woodmen of America Enjoy a Pleasant Outing.

The picnic of the Omaha district Log Rolling association of the Modern Woodmen of America at Valley, Neb., yesterday was a very well attended and successful affair. From Omaha came 120, 948, 1,484, 1,838, 2,722, 4,771, 4,844 and 4,118 left the Union station at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, together with 4,686 and 1,068 of South Omaha. Camps from Columbus, Fremont, Arlington and other places swelled the number considerably. The Woodmen paraded from Valley station to Whitman's park, headed by the Seventh ward band. At the park there was an address of welcome by Mayor J. Monahan and a response and several addresses on the part of the picnickers. The afternoon was given up to well contested races. The individual Foresters drill nine met of camp 120, 945, 1,095 and the Richmond camp competed. Eugene Atkins of camp 120, Omaha, carried off the prize badge. Camp 120 of Omaha received the first prize, \$30, in the Foresters' competitive drill, camp 1,095 of South Omaha was second and Maple camp 845 of Omaha won the third reward. Two Fort Crook officers and a captain of the Woodmen from Lincoln were the judges in the competition. At the business meeting held at the afternoon the following officers were elected: Judge Wilson of Papillion, president; E. A. Langdon of Papillion, secretary; Banker Clark of Papillion, treasurer; Mons Johnson of Valley, first vice president; C. H. T. Rippen, Royal Neighborhood, Omaha, second vice president; Mrs. King of Springfield, third vice president. It was decided to hold the next annual log rolling at Papillion. The return of the party was delayed until 9:50, so that the Omaha contingent barely got home before the rain.

MUST TAKE EIGHT HUNDRED

Court of Appeals Confirms Judgment in Widow's Case Against Saloon Man.

A mandate received from the circuit court of appeals at St. Louis by the clerk of the United States circuit court here confirms the decision of Judge Munger in the case in which Emma Walker sued John Moser of Asland, Neb., for damages. Plaintiff's husband, John Walker, was killed a few years ago in a runaway accident. The photograph of the man who was the driver of the wagon, when he had become drunk. When the case was first tried two years ago plaintiff secured a judgment for \$2,250. This was before Judge Munger in Omaha. Defendant asked for a new trial and got it. That resulted in a verdict for only \$500. Then plaintiff appealed, to no avail, as shown in the mandate received yesterday.

IN THE LIVE STOCK BUSINESS

Sarpy County Men Find It Very Profitable Until Their Interests.

Pat O'Brien is in the city jail on a charge of stealing goods, awaiting the arrival of an officer from Sarpy county to take him there. O'Brien and three companions are accused of stealing eight hogs belonging to Adam Moore of that county. They are also believed to have been the parties who stole several hogs at Elkhorst some time ago. When arrested O'Brien had on his person a sale check showing that he had sold \$88 South Omaha. This sale check was made out to a party whom the police believe was a companion of O'Brien and for whom a warrant has been issued.

Cholera Morbus.

This is an extremely dangerous disease. In almost every neighborhood some one has died from it, and in many instances before a physician could be summoned or medicine obtained. Mrs. E. H. Delano of Durant, Mich., is subject to severe attacks of cholera morbus. During the past four years she has been attacked several times. She has been associated with her, and she resigns now to accept the position of extension secretary of the Minneapolis association, a promotion in the work which her experience and unselfish efforts in the local field have made possible.

Woman's Work in Club and Charity

The acceptance by the board of directors of the Young Women's Christian association, at its last meeting, of the resignation of Miss Margaret O'Connell as extension secretary of the local association has been announced with sincere regret. Four years ago Miss O'Connell came into the local work and during that time has won the confidence and esteem of all who have been associated with her, and she resigns now to accept the position of extension secretary of the Minneapolis association, a promotion in the work which her experience and unselfish efforts in the local field have made possible.

Supplementary to the large Orchard street

rest room, established and maintained by the New York branch of the Council of Jewish Women, a number of smaller rest rooms have recently been established on the East side that give promise of great success owing to the somewhat new plan upon which they are conducted. Realizing that many of the girls most in need of these rest rooms, or home circles as they are also called, are frequently kept away because they shrink from large gatherings, the membership has been limited to from twenty-five to thirty-five, that it may become more of a personal affair and already the plan is bringing results. The first of these club rooms was opened July two years ago, a dozen more being established the same year. The rooms are comfortably and attractively furnished with easy chairs, a piano and good current and standard literature and are the means of keeping hundreds of girls from the dance halls and other resorts of the neighborhood.

MUST NOT CHANGE MATTER

Practice of Interchange of Type Prohibited by International Union.

OPPOSE SEVERAL RADICAL MEASURES

Lincoln Men Refused Readmission to Union Printers' Home at Colorado Springs for Reasons Not Stated.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 14.—The International Typographical union in its annual convention today took important action regarding the interchange of type matrices and engravings between offices, also regarding the jurisdiction of the union in connection with the American Federation of Labor and on the regulation of "regulars" and "substitutes" and other practices in composing rooms.

There was a close contest between Washington and Newark for the next convention. The former city won because it was thought that more could be done for favorable legislation by meeting at the national capital than at any other place. President Lynch announced that eight sessions will be held hereafter in order to complete the business of the convention this week.

The fight between the American Federation of Labor and the American union was brought before the convention today by a letter to President Lynch from the L. S. Sheldice of the Laundry Workers' union at Denver. Sheldice wanted the printers to restrict their membership strictly to printers and not include printers who are also members of the machinists' union or other unions. The proposition was voted down, as was also a proposition to exclude married women from membership in typographical unions.

Among the letters of greeting today was one from President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. A resolution was adopted thanking the Detroit Board of Education for adopting union school books. A proposition was discussed at length that the practice by foremen of selecting their forces from day to day, not having any regular situation, be prohibited. It was regarded as going away with the phalanx system and was finally recommitted for reconstruction after numerous amendments.

Relative to Strikes.

A proposition which was made a law provides that a strike or lockout may be declared off by a majority vote of the union involved, while a three-fourth vote is necessary to declare a strike or lockout permanent. After a long discussion no change was made in the law for foremen to observe priority in giving out positions. The matter was left to local unions for enforcement. When it came to voting for the next meeting place Salt Lake City was withdrawn and the ballot resulted in the selection of Washington, D. C.

At the afternoon session the committee

on laws reported back a proposition that the practice by foremen of selecting their forces from day to day be prohibited. It was adopted with an amendment that the local unions should have the minimum number of regular situations fixed in different offices. Other amendments were adopted concerning the bonus system and many other practices. The committee on laws also reported back the following, which was adopted: "The practice of interchanging and buying matter previously used, either in type, matrices, or photographs, and the practice of the newspapers or job offices not to return the same to the printer and publisher, and the same of the printer and publisher, shall not be allowed."

How with Federation.

A long discussion followed the proposition of the Chicago delegates for re-organization of the Chicago Typographical union, No. 14, in the Chicago Federation of Labor. The discussion extended into the matter of jurisdiction and it was held that the Chicago Typographical union was expelled for not participating in a sympathetic strike with the pressmen when the International Typographical union ordered them to maintain their contracts with the publishers. The discussion involved the convention in much talk about withdrawing from the American Federation of Labor unless it enforced discipline at Chicago. The compromise resolution was adopted and substituted was defeated and the original resolution presented through Delegate Madigan for the Chicago union was adopted almost unanimously, as follows:

Resolved, by the International Typographical union, that the members be instructed to withhold further payments of per capita tax to the American Federation of Labor until the question of membership in the American Federation of Labor has been determined by the authority and disposition of the local representatives of an international body, a component part of the American Federation of Labor, from acknowledged injustice and illegal acts on the part of the chartered local body of the American Federation of Labor.

A supplemental report of the secretary treasurer from June 1st is dated showing a balance on hand of \$40,000. The convention refused to admit Charles Love of Lincoln, Neb., to the Union Printers' home at Colorado Springs. Love had formerly been an inmate of the home and was refused readmission by the trustees. Just previous to adjournment the members of the international convention of

stereotypers and electrotypers entered the hall in a body and addresses of greeting were made by Presidents Lynch and Freel, in which the organizations expressed most cordial feelings and pledged co-operation. The international convention of stereotypers and electrotypers today decided to merge with August at Washington. The matter of a union trademark and label was referred to the executive committee. Many other matters were referred to the executive board and a strong effort was made to have everything possible left to the local unions, so as to avoid the conditions of general laws.

HITCHCOCK HAS AN INNING

Latest Move in Shifting Game for the Democratic Congressional Nomination.

Fifteen or twenty members of the Jackson club held a conference late yesterday afternoon and agreed that Hitchcock should be the democratic nominee for congress. Neither of the Herdmans was present at the meeting, but after its adjournment E. R. Howell and Ed. P. Smith announced that Hitchcock was now "the unopposed choice of the Jacksons." "All we did at the conference was to discuss Mr. Hitchcock in connection with the nomination and whether he would accept it," said Mr. Smith last night. "Those present decided that he would be an acceptable candidate if he would agree to run."

"Will Hitchcock listen to the strenuous voice" is the question going the rounds in democratic circles. To a reporter for The Bee Mr. Hitchcock made this statement: "I have not been apprised of the action of the conference, so would not dare to say what I would do."

When informed that the conference had decided upon him for the place Mr. Hitchcock said: "I declared for Mr. Smyth some time ago as my choice for the congressional nomination, and so long as he is in the field as a possible candidate I am not and would not be induced to enter. But if Mr. Smyth is not a candidate and the nomination is tendered to me I will accept it. But I want to be thoroughly understood in this matter—I am not a candidate for the place and will not accept the nomination so long as Mr. Smyth is a candidate."

Lee Herdman came up from Lincoln yesterday afternoon to attend the conference of democrats, but neither he nor his brother Will was there. While Will was waiting in the Burlington depot for the train on which Lee was coming to the city, a telegram was handed him telling of the sudden and unexpected death of a younger brother at the family home in Leroy, Kan. Both the Herdmans left for Leroy last night.

POPULISTS WILL NOMINATE

Call for County Convention September 12 and Primaries Two Days Earlier.

The populist county central committee met last night at the office of Mr. F. McInnis and decided to hold primaries September 12, to select delegates to the county convention to be held September 18. This convention will nominate a county ticket, candidates for the legislature and delegates to the congressional and judicial conventions.

All the members of the committee present were distinctly "populist" and were enthusiastic in advocating the nomination of men who could not be withdrawn from the ticket at the last minute. Some time was spent in discussing whether a committee should be appointed to call upon the democratic committee. It was decided that the populists should stand on their dignity and allow the democrats to take the initiative in the conference line.

Chairman Weber of the state committee was present and in a short talk stated that the populist state headquarters had been opened in conjunction with the democratic headquarters at the Dellons hotel, but that the populist campaign was being conducted entirely independent of the democrats, though he and the management of the democratic headquarters were in constant consultation for the good of the ticket.

MILLERS EXPECT BIG CROPS

Meeting of the State Association in Omaha to Discuss Season's Prospects.

The State Millers' association held its regular monthly meeting at the Millard hotel yesterday morning. Chauncey Abbott of Schuyler presided and George Brooks of Beaty Mills told of the crop outlook in his part of the country. Nothing but routine business was transacted at the meeting, the members being called together to discuss the prospects for this year's crops. Mr. Brooks stated that the prospects for wheat, oats and corn in his vicinity had not been so favorable for many years. "Everything is looking well," said he, "and the yield will be surprising. All crops look much better than at this time last year."

Lightning Struck a Fire.

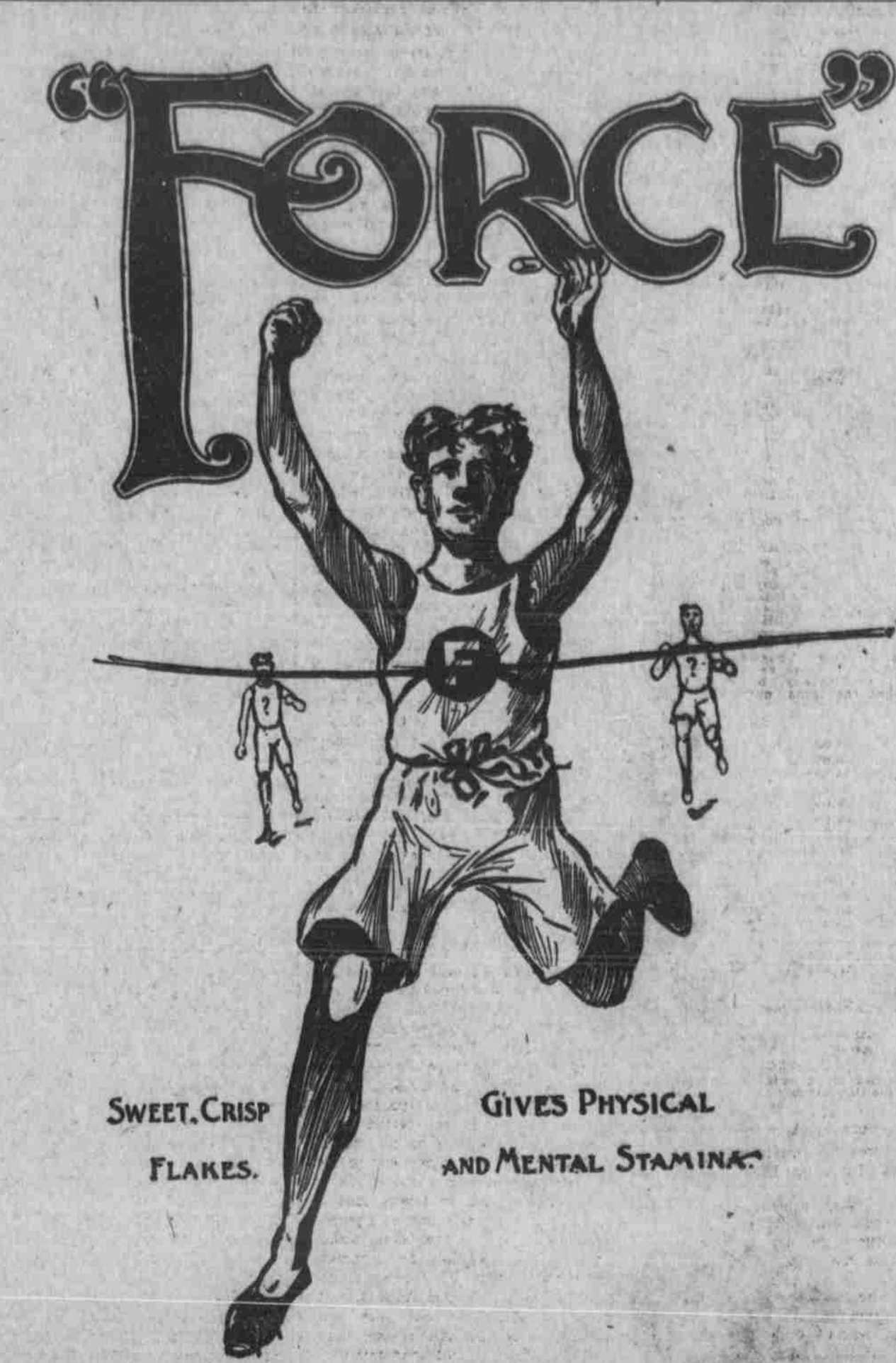
Lightning struck the rear end of the four-room cottage occupied by M. C. Curd at 215 Cedar street just after 11 o'clock last night. The fire was caused by lightning striking the house at the time and were awakened by the shouts of the next-door neighbors. The fire was extinguished by the fire department and the damage done to the house to the amount of \$1,000. The lightning struck the house and later took it into the house again.

RUSSIAN BONDS ARE LISTED

Four Per Cent Rentes Aggregating Over One Billion Dollars to Be Traded in Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The Russian 4 per cent rentes, aggregating 2,510,000,000 rubles (\$1,125,000,000) were regularly listed on the stock exchange today, the application of Morgan & Co., Belmont & Co., Barling, Magoun & Co. and the National City bank having been unanimously approved. It is said by the committee on the stock list according to the statement submitted to the stock exchange by the applicants, the rates are in coupon form and range in denomination from 100 to 25,000 rubles. At the option of the holder they can be registered as principal. Interest is payable quarterly on the 14th of March, June, September and December, at the fiscal agencies in the United States, these dates being, according to the Russian calendar, the first of those months.

The bonds have coupons attached for ten years from date of issue, as well as a loan for the delivery of additional coupon sheets thereafter. The bonds were issued in compliance with imperial ukases dating from April, 1894, to April, 1901, for the purpose of the conversion of the old share loans, bearing high rates of interest, for the purchase of railroads, and for other financial operations. No fixed date is named for payment of the rentes, but the Russian government reserves the right to redeem the certificates at any time at its own option, in accordance with a decree issued in April, 1894.



GETTING HOME BY DAYLIGHT

Related Manawa Visitors Arrive in Omaha to Find Local Cars Stopped.

The several thousand Omaha and South Omaha people who attended the sham battle at Manawa, tired already with the excitement of the evening, waited, huddling from the rain while cars crawled out at irregular three minute intervals for hours, was nevertheless in the main a good natured crowd. As each car started from the station those who were unfortunate enough to be left behind waited for the next with admirable self control. The Council Bluffs Motor company had every car at work and a service of about three minutes was obtained. But to bring back a crowd which had been crowding the Bluffs cars earlier in the evening, beginning as early as 6 o'clock and not diminishing until about 11 o'clock, required much time and when taken in conjunction with the Iowa people, was almost too much for the service. At 1:30 a. m. there remained at Manawa a crowd which packed the enclosed space of the merry-go-round platform and extended back by the several thousand Omaha and South Omaha people who were dumped off the Council Bluffs line in the down town district, was to drill home. Many of the passengers needed expurgating before publication. Men, women and children, tired out by the long wait at Manawa and being hustled about in the big crowd were in no humor to walk a few miles extra and if the men who manage street car service had been around about that time they would not have been flattered by the remarks they heard.

CHILDREN TAKE IT

"My little boy took the crop one night," says F. D. Reynolds of Mansfield, O. "and grow so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house. I thought he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure relieved and sent him to sleep. That's the last we heard of the cough." One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts at once. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, asthma and bronchitis.

TEST OF BULLET-PROOF VEST

Investor of the Garment Allows a Revolver to Be Fired at Him.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 14.—The second day's session of the police chiefs' and sheriff's association of Illinois was marked by a test of a bulletproof vest. Phil Holland, the editor of the Chicago Detective, allowed a revolver to be fired at him. The bullet did not penetrate the garment. The principal address today was made by Chief Francis O'Neill of Chicago, on methods of improving the efficiency of the police departments. Joint was chosen for the next convention, which will be held in August, 1903. The officers of the association will be elected tonight.

FATAL GASOLINE EXPLOSION

Chinese Who is Cleaning Suit of Clothes So Badly Burned He Will Die.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 14.—A gasoline explosion in a Chinese laundry on Franklin avenue, East End, caused a fire in which two persons were burned, one fatally, and three houses were destroyed. The injured, Wing Lee, a Chinaman, burned from head to foot, will die; Harry Fald, a workman, seriously burned while trying to rescue Wing Lee. The Chinaman was cleaning a suit of clothes with gasoline, when it exploded.

KEEP STOCK BOOK IN DENVER

Gates Asks that Directors of Colorado Fuel and Iron Company Do This.

DENVER, Aug. 14.—A telegram was received today at the office of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company in this city from John W. Gates, asking that a meeting of the board of directors be held for the purpose of passing a resolution requiring the stock book to be kept in Denver. The matter was thoroughly discussed by the directors who are in the city, but no formal action was taken.

TRouble Over Three Cents.

Charles Coleman of South Omaha was arrested on complaint of William Houston on a charge of disturbing the peace and refusing to pay for a meal at the Hotel Continental restaurant. The difficulty arose over the amount of 3 cents. In the police station Coleman refused to pay the 3 cents and the restaurant and called attention to the fact that it offered a choice of meals, pastries, etc., for 10 cents. This amount he stood ready to pay, but the cashier wanted 3 cents and Coleman refused to pay. The cashier says, then made a search for his head, which he saved by flight.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Second Ward Republican club will meet this evening at 10 p. m. at the Sixteenth street club to elect officers for the year. Speeches by candidates and others.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Prof. N. Bernstein of the High school has returned from a vacation trip to Detroit and vicinity.

Appointment of New Commissioner for the District of Columbia.

TOBBAY, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Governor Odell of New York will be the guest of the president at Luncheon today. He will arrive on the 12:30 train and leave for New York later in the afternoon.

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