# Union Central Life Insurance Co.

of Cincinnati.

## JOHN M. PATTISON, Pres. THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1902.

#### ASSETS

Cash on hand and in banks First Mortgage Loans on Real Esiate Home Office and other real estate, less deductions for possible deprecia Cash Loans on Company's Policies U. S. Bonds deposited with the Treasurer of Virginia Premium Notes and Loans on Policies in Force Agents' Baiances and Cash Obligations Net Deferred and Unreported Premiums interest and Rents, due and unpaid Interest Accrued, not yet due	tion 2	7,390,063.09 306,582.73 2,993,242.92
Cash Laure Business by the court	A 100 PM	40. 70. 40.0

LIABILITIES	
Gurplus credited on Special Forms of Policies \$4,020,685.09 General Surplus 1 188 664 78	, \$83.00 8.669.00 2.764.77 13.327.67 2.227.67
Gross Surplus 5.2	6,749.76
#34,110,	546.20

RECEIPTS Premiums and Annuities
Interest and Rents
Front and Loss Account.
Total Receipts DISBURSEMENTS

Total Disbursements ..... INSURANCE ACCOUNT

cess of 1901 
 Gain in Income
 1,048,489.95

 Gain in Income
 801,296.53

 Gain in Premium Receipts
 801,296.53

 Gain in Interest Receipts
 191,943.61

 Gain in Surplus
 816,438.52

 Gain in Number of Policies
 814,531,831,60

 Gain in Amount of Insurance
 \$14,531,831,60

First Trade Excursion Ends.

week, as the date was too early for the majority of dealers in this territory.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Fred Stuben of 1749 South Ninth street

door because the company had negligently falled to provide a fastening to keep the door from swinging shut.

Oberman of 311 South Tenth street

this statement.

A. R. EDMISTON, General Agent, Omaha, Neb. 410 Bee Building. 'Phone752.

#### WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY

The French class, the Woman's class and a good many others, including a good many men, combined to fill the auditorium of the First Congregational church yesterday afternoon, it being the open meeting of the Woman's club, and Prof. Nesbitt had been announced as the speaker of the afternoon. He took as his subject "The Subjective Mind," and all business was set aside and the first hours given over to his! address. At its close the French class and the majority of the other visitors departed, leaving chiefly club members to enjoy the program which occupied the last hour and was one of the brightest and most instructive of the year, being furnished by the department of household economics. It consisted of a quiz on domestic and highly interesting sketch of each of the real and applied sciences that are combined in domestic science-chemistry, nutrition, sanitation, bacteriology, anatomy, hygiene, physiology, biology, physics, domestic architecture and ethics. Mrs. C. H. Townsend, leader of the department, presided during the program, which also included a recitation by Mrs. George W Shields and a piano solo by Mrs. John

Haarman. business were attended to, including the recommendation for the appointment of committees to keep in touch with the bill provided to the steep of the committee to keep in touch with the bill an incorrigible. providing for a court for juvenile offenders and to give the support of the club; the appointment of committees to meet with the committee that will meet in Lincoln this week to confer regarding the bill for a more adequate pure food law, also with ab the library committee in an effort to secure an appropriation of \$8,000 for the State Traveling Library commission's work during the next two years.

First Congregational church, when Marshall Darrach will present ment was called to the frame house of Dan Lahey at Fourteenth and Jackson streets. Hot sahes had ignited the clapboards. The small blaze was put out with a hand themical and no damage was caused. the First Congregational church, when Twelfth Nigh.

A meeting has been called for 10 o'clock on Friday morning of all members of the

sisting in the program are: Mrs. C. W. Noble, Mrs. A. L. Sheetz, Misses Hancock, Marie Mackin, Helen Mackin, Messrs. McCreary and Swift,

The following ten health commandments were presented by the department of household economics at yesterday aftermoon's meeting of the Weman's club.

First. Thou shalt have no other food than at meal time.

Second. Thou shalt not make unto thyself any pres, for dyspepsia will be visited upon the children of the third and fourth generation of them that ent ple, and long life and

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is not only always beautiful, but always thoroughly adapted to its purpose and therefore of recognized utility. The trade-mark guarantees its sterling quality and yet its cost is always moderate.



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### EUROPE'S GRAIN SUFFERS

Mild Weather and Other Causes Tend to Spoil Coming Harvest.

CORTELYOU JOINS ROOSEVELT'S CABINET

Scante Takes but Short Time to Approve Nomination to Fill New Post in Department of Commerce.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.-The official reports on foreign crop conditions received from the statistical agent of the Department of Agriculture in London, dated February 1, shows unseasonably mild weather in most parts of Europe during the greater part of January.

Official and Russian returns in December report that a serious deficiency in winter grain is highly probable in most of European Russia, crops being almost entirely destroyed in sixteen provinces and poor

The Hungarian autumn-sown crops are generally poor and the area less extensive. In Roumania and Bulgaria the outlook is

favorable. The Spanish wheat crop of 1902 is esti-6,000,000 in excess of the previous year, while Italy's wheat crop is 25,000,000 short of 1901. The weather during the present

winter has been favorable. In the third week of January the weather in France took a change for the worse, so that the senate would confirm the nomifar as crops were concerned.

rop were favorable. The final official figures of production of the German empire for 1902, as against action. 1901, follow:

Total winter and spring wheat, 143,314,-

80 bushels, against 91.817,031; winter spelt,

26,627,455, against 23,820,368; winter and spring rye, 373,768,071, against 321,349,639; spring barley 142,392,186, against 152,526,-886; oats, 514,451,708, against 485,716,061. The Austrian crop for 1902 is estimated officially at 49,680,000 bushels, a gain of about 4,000,000 over 1901, and Hungary's at 170,858,205 bushels, or 48,000,000 in ex-

Senate Passes Cortelyou.

The senate today confirmed the nomination of George B. Cortelyou to be secretary of commerce and labor under the act creating the new department.

The nomination was referred to the committee after the senate went into executive session, and the committee was polled on the floor. Senator Depew (N. Y.) reported the nomination with a favorable

vigor to them that live prudently and keep the laws of health.

Third, Remember thy bread to bake it well, for he will not be kept sound who cateth his bread as dough.

Fourth Thou shait not indulge sorrow or borrow anxiety in vain.

Sixth, Six days shalt thou wash and keep thyself clean and on the seventh take a great bath, for in six days man sweats and gathers filth and bacteria for disease. Wherefore the Lord has blessed the bathtub and hallowed it.

Sixth Remember thy sitting room and bed chamber and keep them well ventiliated.

Seventh, Thou shalt not eat bot biscuit.

Form the Hempstead institute in 1879 and Chickasaw, Muskogee and Seminole Indians.

Military Men Are Named.

The president today sent the following nominations to the senate:

To be chief of artillery, with rank of brigadier general, Colonel Wallace F. Randolph.

To be captain of infantry. Thomas H. Carpenter.

Committee Hears Contest.

Elections committee No. 2 of the house today heard argument by counsel in the Wagner-Butler election contest. Atterney Seventh. Thou shalt not eat hot biscuit. Eighth Thou shalt not eat thy meat three years later completed his prelimifried.

Ninth. Thou shait not swallow thy food unchewed, nor highly spiced, nor just before hard work or just after it.

Tenth. Thou shalt not keep late hours in thy neighbor's house, nor with his cards, nor with his glass, nor with anything that is thy neighbors. nary education at the State Normal school in Westfield, Mass. On leaving the Normal Subsequently he became a pupil of Dr. represe Louis Maas, formerly conductor of the forrow.

The first of the spring trade excursions to Omaha has ended and the next will begin February 24, to continue until March 5. During the first excursion 186 persons have reported at the Commercial club, composers and a musical critic of rare

have reported at the Commercial club, while many more have been in the city, but purchased goods under other arrangements, so that they did not take advantage of the special rates. It is expected that the number which will come on the second excursion will exceed that which came this work as the date was too starts for the ability. In order to equip himself for an active business career Mr. Cortelyou, while continuing his musical studies, took up the study of stenography and was graduated from Walworth's institute in New York While acting as an assistant in the Walworth school he took the clinical course in Lindsay's optician is sure, careful and competent. No expense to you unless you known as an expert medical stenographer, order glasses. 1516 Douglas street.

His official career in the government may be said to have begun in 1889, when he became private secretary to the postoffice Teresa Bainbridge alleges that Charles M. Bainbridge, whom she married at serving the surveyor of the port of New York. After absent from her for two years and falled to provide for her, and she therefore desires to Washington in July, 1891, as private sections. inspector in charge at New York. After serving the surveyor of the port of New York as confidential stenographer he came divorce.

Oscar Flick and wife were taken into custody Monday afternoon by Detectives partment was such that in 1895 President Cleveland appointed him his executive clerk as special program has been prepared by Robinson livery stable. the musical department to be presented on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. An invitation to be present has been extended to the entitional club.

The Shakespeare class of the Young Women's Christian association will contribute to the benefit fund for the City mission by attending in a body the benefit to be given for it on Friday evening. February 20, at the First Congregational church, when

dent McKinley the work performed by him during all the anxious days at Buffalo revealed an entirely unexpected phase of his in character. His relations with President McKinley were those of tender regard and affectionate friendship, yet notwithstandcommittee in charge of the Crosby Wagner lecture recitals. The meeting will be held in the club rooms and all the men are requested to return their tickets or the money for them at that time.

Is a suspicious character in the eyes of the police because he was yesterday afternoon trying to sell a coll of insulated wire. Officer Shephard thought that he did not look like a man who would lawfully come by this sort of merchandise and arrested by this sort of merchandise and arrested to return their tickets or the money for them at that time. A social and musicale for the benefit of St. Cecilia's church will be given on Wednesday evening. February 18, at the homes of Mrs. Farrell and Mrs. Callaghan, on Thirty-sixth and Burt streets. Those asanxious people informed of the condition effect March 1 next. Otherwise he was the same courteous, af-

Sheriff Power went to Grand Island yes-terday to get Caroline Larimore, a colored woman, sent to the Soldiers' Home from Douglas county, and recently become in-sane. The sheriff was to take her to the asylum at Lincoln as a Douglas county charge, but he didn't. The woman was dead and buried when he reached there on a driayed train. done had he been permitted to provide for or the eight-hour bill.

the organization of that department. Will Probe Wichita Complaints.

a driayed train.

Harry Tannebaum was arrested Monday afternoon by Detective Stryker, charged with petit larceny. He is accused of having stolen 140 pounds of old iron, which he sold to a junk dealer for 15 cents. He was arrested some time ago on the charge of burglary, but was released, after having been bound over to the district court for trial, upon the promise of his father that he would effect a reform in the lad's waywardness. Missouri Pacific and Rock Island. The cases involve the long and short haul rates on grain and grain products from Wichita to Galveston and New Orleans; coal transportation in carloads from McAlester, I. T., Minden, Mo., and Rus-McAlester, I. T., Minden, Mo., and Ruswas arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with receiving stolen property. Fred Fairfield, claiming Port Huron, Mich., as his home, was also arrested. The industrial from works and Allen P. Ely, 1110 Douglas street, have been missing scrap from and miscellaneous junk from their premises, and some of the articles stolen are said to have been found in Oberman's place. The dealer said that Fairfield had sold him the things, but the prisoner denies this statement.

McAlester, I. T., Minden, Mo., and Russellville, Ark., to Wichita; refer on sugar from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita; on lumber in carload lots from Arkansas, Texas and Louisians to Wichita, and the relative rates on flour from Wichita and the relative rates on flour from Wichita, and the relative rates on sugar from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita; on lumber in carload lots from Arkansas, Texas and Louisians to Wichita, and the relative rates on sugar from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita; on lumber in carload lots from Arkansas, Texas and Louisians to Wichita, and the relative rates on flour from Wichita, and the relative rates on sugar from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita, and the relative rates on sugar from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita, and the relative rates on flour from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita, and the relative rates on flour from Rocky Ford and Sugar City, Colo., to Wichita, and

this statement.

Oscar and Mrs. Flick, living in a room in Robinson's livery stable at 2723 Leavenworth street, were arrested yesterday morning, and G. H. Burnham, who lodged in a stable at 2138 Cuming street, was taken into custody later in the day. For sometime blankets, corresponds, whips and similar articles have been disappearing from the Robinson barn and the Flicks were arrested under suspicion of being concerned in their taking. Later Burnham was thought to be connected with the deal. Some of the missing articles are said to have been found in his room. It was announced at the White House

to the secretary in importance and power in the new department. The law provides that the commissioner shall have authority to make, under direction of the secretary, "diligent investigation into the organisation, conduct and management of the business of any corporation, joint stock com-pany or corporate combination engaged in commerce among the several states and with foreign nations, excepting common carriers, subject to 'An act to regulate commerce, approved February 4, 1887, and to gather such information and data as will enable the president of the United States to make recommendation to congress for legislation for the regulation of such commerce and to report such data to the president from time to time, as he shall re

"It also shall be the duty of the commis sioner of corporations to gather, compute and publish useful information concerning corporations doing business in the United States and engaged in interstate or foreign ommerce, including corporations engaged

It is expected that the nomination of Mr. Garfield will be sent to the senate tomorrow. It is not unlikely that the appointment of one or two other officials of the new department may go to the senate at the same time, but that has not been de-termined upon definitely.

Mr. Garfield has accepted the proffer of the commissionership and will enter upon his new duties as soon as his appointment mated at 123,439,950 bushels, or nearly has been confirmed by the senate. The salary is \$5,000 a year.

Will Not Withdraw Cram's Name. President Roosevelt expressed to those senators who called on him today the hope nation of D. H. Crum, to be collector at In Great Britain reports on the growing Charleston, S. C. The president has no intention of withdrawing the nomination and desires that the senate take definite

> Postmaster General Has Gout. Postmaster General Payne is confined to his apartments by an attack of gout. Greek Treaty Batified.

The senate in executive session today ratified the treaty of friendship recently negotiated between the United States and Greece. The portion of the treaty relating to consular trials was slightly amended in language to meet the criticisms of Sena-

Western Men Appointed.

The senate today confirmed the following appointments: James McLaughlin, North Dakota, to be an Indian inspector; H. F. Wadsworth, agent for the Indians of the Shoshone agency in Wyoming; William E. Stanley, Kansas commissioner to negotiate with the Indians of the Chcrokee, Choctaw, Chickasaw, Muskogee and Seminole Indians.

from the Hempstead institute in 1879 and Wagner-Butler election contest. Attorney Frank E. Richey presented the case of Mr Wagner, who is conterting the seat of Mr Butler, who, on the face of the returns, school he entered the New England Con- received 6,206 majority over Wagner for servatory of Music to continue the musical representative from the Twelfth Missouri studies which he had begun early in life. district. Attorney Henry W. Bond, who represents Mr. Butler, will be heard to-

Conl Verdiet Expected Soon.

today. The commission will sit on Thursday to consider its award.

Claims Commission Continued.

President Roosevelt has extended for six months from March 12, 1903, the life of the Spanish treaty claims commission, ler, president of the commission. Mr. been presented and amounting to \$61,672,-

Of these claims 152 are for damages caused to enlisted seamen on Maine by the rested this afternoon on a bench warrant explosion in Havana harbor; 22 for personal injuries received from Spanish au- at the Four Courts all forenoon in company thorities; 14 for damages on account of both personal injuries and property losses, ing to testify before the grand jury. and 354 are for damages to real and personal property.

The claims for indemnity on account of property losses appear from petitions to Arnold and Gill, who are believed to have be about equally divided into two classes: gone to Mexico. First-Those in which the acts complained of were committed by Cuban insurgents. Second-Those in which the acts were \$2,100 against John J. Ryan, doing busiommitted by Spanish forces. These claims relate to about twenty of

the 207 large sugar mills in Cuba, and jury room at the Four Courts. Accounts to about 600 of the landed estates in the held by Ryan in eight or ten St. Louis island, which number 15,521 sugar plan- banks and trust companies were made the tations, 15,831 tobacco plantations and 60,-711 farms.

The 152 cases arising from the destruction of Maine have been dismissed on the ground that individual claims do not arise favor of the officers and seamen of a ship of war for injuries received while in he was notified by counsel for the company line of duty and for which a foreign government is responsible.

Army Pension Division Formed. Commissioner of Peusions Ware has abolished the middle division of the Pension bureau and created a new division to comforted the bereaved wife and kept the be known as the army division, to take The chief of the middle division, Frank

A. Warfield, is appointed chief of the new

Reroie Measures in Senate.

James W. Kinkead has commenced suit in the district court to recover from the Union Pacific Railroad company \$1.850, alleging that on August 25 last he had the thumb of his left hand crushed in a coach senators in an effort to arrive at a satis- the doors locked. A thorough search of naming him as the first secretary of the decision was reached, but the favorite plan new Department of Commerce and Labor is to attempt to displace the statehood bill and elevating him to a position in the with some measure which will catch the cabinet the president has done gladly that votes of many of its friends, such as the which Mr. McKinley would probably have anti-trust bill to be reported tomorrow,

If this plan, upon later investigation or actual experiment, should prove impracticable, the consolidation compromise The Interstate Commerce commission has bill will be reached by the committee on fixed a hearing to be held in this city on territories and an effort made to pass it March 4 of the cases brought by the city by continuous sessions, thus exhausting deof Wichita, Kan., against the Santa Fe. bate. When the steering committee adjourned the understanding was that the proposed coup should be undertaken tomorrow or next day.

Taken from the System.

Nothing remains which can produce an attack. You can eat, sleep and stand exposure without slightest return of symptoms. Appetite improved; blood enriched; nerves strengthened; whole system built up, health permanently restored. Iffe made enjoyable. No more reliefs, smokes, sprays or change of cilmate ever needed. By years' exclusive practice in Asthma and Hay Fever; over 52,000 patients. Compilicated, stub-52,000 patients. Complicated, stub-born, chronic and pronounced "incurable" cases especially invited. "incurable" cases especially invited. Book 7 5 Pres, containing reports of resting cases.

P. HAROLD HAYES, BUFFALO, N.Y.



St. Louis Jury Calls Turf Investment

Excited Customers Surround Locked Doors Seeking to Recover Money Entenated to Arrested or Bolt-

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16 .- The toint legislative committee appointed to investigate the methods of business followed by turf and other investment companies for the purpose

A summons was served on somebody interested in each of the concerns and the day was spent examining witnesses.

Brillar. While in Chicago Arnold lived Resolved, That a Womans' Auxiliary Improvement association be organized and that a meeting of women be called to assemble at this hall two weeks from to-Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, and recorder of the authracite coal strike commission, called at the White House

& Co., J. J. Ryan & Co., International In- lower and was arrested four years ago for vestment company, the Christy syndicate, keeping a pool room in Quincy street. At take hold of the matter systematically St. Louis Turf syndicate, Brolaski Investment company.

which first met on April 8, 1901. The ex- company, Donovan Commission company, rich, the alleged turf swindlers who were in the district. tension of time was made on showing of Thomas E. Price & Co., brokers; Rialto arrested Saturday, were arraigned before Mr. Johnson said that the school board necessity presented by William E. Chand- Grain and Securities company, Colonial Se-Chandler says 542 independent claims have pany, National Securities company, United United States marshal and taken before and grass do not flourish on the school

Securities company. John J. Ryan, head of the turf investment company bearing his name, was ar- purposes, issued by Judge Douglas. Ryan had been with his attorney, Charles B. Noland, wait-

The indictment alleges fraud and conspiracy to commit fraud, which is the same charge brought in the indictment against

Indictments charging fraud and conspiracy were returned by the grand jury today against O. W. Deppler, manager of the John J. Ryan Turf Investment company. Deppler is at present in Cincinnati, but to return to St. Louis and surrender himself and that bond had been arranged for

Ryan was released on bond and said: I have no fear of the result of my trial. I have not wilfully committed a wrong, had no intention to defraud any person and had not Arnold broke I would still be

More Chicago Firms Raided.

few papers being found in obscure drawers. has been granted, the telegraph operators this morning over 200 persons were waiting railroads. at the doors, all of whom held certificates of investment upon which they demanded returns. The crush became so great that all the doors were locked and only one person at a time was admitted. By noon \$10,000 had passed from the company to the hands of investors.

of prosecution. Monday, when everyone would be paid. North Omaha Improvers Debate

Firm to Book.

ing Betting Agents.

to business.

Turf Investment Companies-E. J. Arnold

Brokerage Firms-Cleag Commission company, Brooks Brokerage and Commission curities company, Security Investment com-

In the circuit court today Dr. William

F. Kler obtained a writ of attachment for ness as John J. Ryan & Co. Service was had on Ryan while he was in the grand objects of garnishment writs.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18 .- Continuing their policy of aggression against turf investment companies, the police today raided the office of J. C. Rose & Co. They found the office disclosed the fact that all the company's books had disappeared, only a

The case of Harry Brolaski, whose place was raided Friday, was continued to February 23, Brolaski being held under \$500 bonds. G. W. Toren and H. B. Blackstone, managers of the Midcontinent Investment company, also were granted continuances. A mass meeting of the victims of the various investment companies will be held omorrow in order to map out a campaign

Benedict & Co. was the only one of the alleged fraudulent turf concerns that made good i's promise that it would pay all subscribers who presented their certificates oday. H. Brolnski & Co. closed its doors Saturday and today an agent stood in front of the der and informed all inquirers that the office would not be opened until next H. B. Blackstone, local agent for E. J. Arnold & Co., was locked up when his case was called today, on failure to secure bondsmen, to await his hearing on February 20, his bond being fixed at \$600. The office of George Silver, 60 Wabash avenue, was raided today, but when the police arrived the doors were locked and the occupants had disappeared. Evidences were found. however, it is said, which tended to show

MEN INDICTED that Silver had been conducting a turf SUMMER TALK ON ZERO NIGHT

Arnold Always Heavy Better. E. J. Arnold & Co. were prominent here

during the last racing season at Harlem, Parking. Hawthorne and Worth, winning numerous races. Arnold always was a heavy better, CHICAGO DETECTIVES CONTINUE RAIDS never, it is said, wagering less than \$1,000 at a time. His greatest victory was that of Bessie McCarthy, which horse beat some high class racers. Meantime Arnold & Co. sion last night. were running several books. When Lakeside opened Arnold was the only plunger and his leads were closely followed by race track followers. He is reported to

said, his downfall started from that meet-From Chicago he went to San Francisco, sending part of his string of horses to way of bringing about public improvements, New Orleans. At neither place did he the work ranging from the building of make any decided winnings, however. His water systems to the disposing of old tin of using the information as a guide in the stable included: Peaceful, Maximus, Bes. cans. enactment of corrective legislation got down sie McCarthy, Mary McCafferty and Fitz W. F. Johnson submitted a resolution Brillar. While in Chicago Arnold lived which was adopted:

cab driver, became later a race track fol- night.

Webb. charge of using the mails for fraudulent resolution was adopted:

YOUNGER AT HIS OLD HOME Leaves St. Paul Two Days Earlier

Than Expected and Con-

ceals Identity.

LEES SUMMIT, Mo., Feb. 16.-Cole Younger, the pardoned bandit, arrived at his old home here last night after an absence of a quarter of a century. He had slipped out of St. Paul unnoticed two days earlier than expected and, enroute south, had succeeded in covering up his identity. He was accompanied by a lawyer friend and so cleverly did they avoid the inquisitive that even their arrival here was not

A Serious Mistake.

known until today. Younger stood the trip

To the average man it seems childish to ticularly annoying to him little or no attenthe winter is allowed to run until the openeven though the warm weather may bring receipts and ticket saiss. relief, the system is thereby weakened and rendered susceptible to disease. A cold that they are able entertainers and right should never be neglected, whether it be a at home behind burnt cork. All the jokes child or an adult who is afflicted, as health and often life is risked. A bottle of Chamherlain's Cough Remedy, costing but a small amount, will bring speedy relief and all dangerous consequences will be avoided.

Telegraphers Receive Raise.

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 16 .- A 10 per cent increase in wages, dating from February 1. When Benedict & Co.'s office was opened on the Delaware, Susquehanna & Schuylkill

> Santa Fe Still Negotiating. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 16 .- Another conference between the conductors and train- sters never failed to find favor with the men and the officials of the Santa Fe was audience. The olio was filled with excelheld this afternoon, but no compromise was lent numbers, all of which were well ren-

Flowers, Shade Trees and

With the mercury below zero a score of women, with a few men, talked of flowers, shade trees and beauty of vegetation at the North Omaha Improvement club's sea-

Miss Robinson, principal of the Saratoga school, submitted the report of a special committee. She told of the work of the have lost over \$25,000 at Lakeside and, it is womans' clubs of Omaha and Lincoln in the way of causing improvements in these cities and then told of work accomplished by women in other western cities in the

It was stated that if the women will that time he was known by the name of members of the park board will co-operate and furnish material at cost to parties de-NEW YORK, Feb. 16.-Henry Cartwright, siring to plant flowers and shrubs according William Treadwell and Charles E. Good- to a general plan for improving any street

Magistrate Breen today and discharged. has spent conside able money in parking They were immediately rearrested by a grounds without great success, as trees United States Commissioner Shields on a grounds. Upon his motion the following

Resolved, That the North Omaha Improvement club directs its secretary to send communications to the park board and school board asking that these boards, if possible, agree upon a basis by which the care and improvement of school grounds be placed in the hands of the park board.

Monday night there will be a social meeting of the club.

A Good Thing for Mother.

If she is tired out, sickly, run down, Electric Bitters will give her new life or there's no charge. Try them. 50c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

MACHINISTS AS MINSTRELS

Union Gives Performance as a Benefit for Union Pacific Strikers.

Before a large and appreciative audience in Washington hall last night was given the annual minstrel show of the machindoctor a cold, and unless it becomes par- ists' union. The yearly event took a new form this season and was given as a benefit tion is given it. Often a cold contracted in for the Union Pacific strikers. The entertainment was a complete success and ing of spring. This is a grave mistake, as over \$1,000 was realized from the box

The machinists proved beyond a doubt were sparkling and fresh, while the songs and chorus work showed considerable talent both in the renditions and in the selections. Local "roasts" were given galore and were applauded to the echo, inasmuch as they directly or indirectly referred to the road against which the machinists have their grievance. It was a noticeable feature that many of the public men of the city were to be seen in the audience, while Mayor Moores was warmly greeted both

in song and verse by the minstrels. The first part was a new departure along minstrel lines, being a scenic spectacle entitled "Venetian Nights." The end man were favorites, while the jesters and songdered and warmly received.

Married Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the Women

loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness.

All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before baby comes, as this great liniment always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the langer of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the

use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little Wiother's book, telling all about

this liniment, will be sent free.

The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Bz. Friend