PICNIC SURE GO THIS TIME

Long-Looked-For Outing of Grocers and Butchers at Last Assured.

No rain within a thousand miles, two carloads of race horses and several hundred, if not thousands, of people—if that isn't assurance enough that the grocers' and butchers' picnic today at Missouri Valley is going to be a success, Secretary Fischer says he is unable to offer anything conclusive.

The grocers and butchers, disappointed for the fourteenth time, are elated over the bright weather and other favorable conditions which now seem to warrant absolutely their hopes of having a picnic.

Those attending the picnic will have their choice of three trains, all over the Northwestern, the first leaving the Union depot at 7:30, the second at 8 and the last at 8:30. They will all be back before spring, but the grocers and butchers refuse to say how much.

Nip Them in the Bud.

If you have loss of appetite, headache, constipation or billousness take Electric Bitters. It cures or no pay. Only 50c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

Announcements of the Theaters.

"The Princess Chic" drew another large and highly pleased audience at the Krug theater last night. Seldom is it given to a musical organization to attain such wide popularity as that which has fallen to the lot of the Kirke LaShelle Comic Opera company. This excellent organization has played in all the chief cities of the United States and Canada and everywhere has met with the same favorable reception. It may be that the opera per se is superior to its contemporary offerings, or it may be that the company reaches a higher standard of excellence than similar organizations, or perhaps both, but the fact remains that this dainty opera comique is universally pleasing. The only remaining matinee of "The Princess Chic" will be Wednesday afternoon. The engagement closes Wednesday night.

Rosable Morrison's engagement in "A Deserted Bride" at the Boyd does not close until after Wednesday night. The play tells a really good story, and is put on with unusual attention to scenic details, making one of the best popular price attractions on the road today. Miss Morrison is well known in Omaha, being the daughter of Lewis Morrison, and having appeared here a number of times with her father. Popular prices, 15, 25, 50 and 75 cents prevail; at the matinee any seat for 25 cents.

The Orpheum had what might be called an opening again last night, for it was society night. The fashionables turned out big, it being a representative stylish audience and very enthusiastic. That the well-balanced and excellent bill met their approval was manifest. The first midweek matinee of the season will be given Thursday.

Monday night next the great Klaw & Erlanger production of "Ben-Hur" will begin its return engagement at the Boyd theater. Omaha is one of very few cities that have had a second visit from this big show in the same year, but the demand for it was such as to warrant the move. Seats will go on sale on Thursday morning, and at that time all mail orders accompanied by cash will be filled in the order of their receipt. No seats will be laid aside before that time, as the management of the theater desires that everyone shall be treated alike. A force of mechanics is now at work preparing the stage and installing the machinery for the great show.

Notice to the Public.

We have been informed that a souvenir book of Omaha is being represented to the public as being printed by us. This is a false statement, as nothing of this kind is being printed by us.

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OPEN FOR BUSINESS AT LAST

New Market House Places Produce on Sale for First Time.

TWO DEALERS OCCUPY THEIR STALLS

No Arrests in Wholesale District and Affairs Are Carried as Usual, with Hucksters on Their Guard.

The city in general did not put on a festive appearance yesterday and the casual pedestrian would not have been aware that anything unusual had occurred. But it had. The Capitol avenue market house had been opened for something more than the sale of stalls, and for the first time goods were offered for sale. True there were but two stalls occupied—Parmelee & Redford displayed poultry and eggs and Alexander Saad was prepared to dispense notions.

"All we want is for the city to show it is in earnest and we will be ready with a full line of poultry," said Mr. Parmelee. "When they say there is no demand for a retail market they are mistaken. There is no place where a woman can go now to buy produce except to the grocer's or the meat markets and so naturally these places are doing all that they can to 'knock' the new house. We intend to sell so as to make it an inducement for housewives to deal here. We believe that there are enough people in the city who see the advantage of getting their produce and poultry at first hand to support this house and we expect to do a good business when we have got a start."

No arrests were made in the wholesale district and business was carried on in general as usual except that most of the market men were careful to stay close to the market platform which is conducted by the Grocers' association.

Question for Next Spring.

"I regard the market house controversy as a question to be settled next spring," said Mayor Moores. "The season has so far advanced that there is little to be gained by taking decisive measures this fall.

"The construction of the new engine house at Eleventh and Jackson streets will be the most important factor, I think, in eliminating the market in that locality. An eighty-five-foot truck and the biggest steamer of the department will be located there and the adjacent streets must not be blocked by the wagons of the gardeners. It is imperative that the department have a free path in getting away from the house and this will be insisted upon."

Home Visitors' Excursions

To Indiana, western Ohio and Louisville, Ky., via the Missouri Pacific railway at greatly reduced rates. Tickets on sale October 6, good for return within 30 days from date of sale. For further information call or address Thomas F. Godfrey, Passenger and Ticket agent, S. E. corner Fourteenth and Douglas streets, Omaha, Neb., or H. C. Townsend, G. P. & T. A. St. Louis, Mo.

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