Union Panifie Attracia Wide Favorable Comment by Annual Statement.

WALL STREET HOLDS IT UP AS EXAMPLE

Considers it Credit to Management and Encouraging to the Stockholders of that Railroad Corporation.

The annual report of the Union Pacific for the fiscal year ending June 30 recently to imitate. It speaks very highly for the management of the system, and the frankness of its official comments and the statement of its statistics are said to deserve the praise of critics and investors, who condemn such secretive attempts at annual statements as are usually put forth by other railway systems of the west. Charles Francis Adams first instituted the classic In railroad reports while he was connected with the Union Pacific, and reorganizations and changes in management have successfully adopted his system.

The Hill system and the Rock Island are the only two roads which approximate the Union Pacific in mileage, and it is likely that a larger number of people are interested in the annual report of this system than of any other in the United States. There are a large number of interesting features to the report.

Against Combinations.

The report outlines the necessity the company felt to safeguard its position against combinations of other lines. It explains that during the year 1901 \$75,000,000 of Southern Pacific stock and \$78,108,000 of Northern Pacific stock was acquired. To secure funds for the purchase of this large quantity of stock an issue of \$100,000,000 of t per cent bonds convertible into common stock at par and \$5,000,000 of treasury bonds were sold. The Northern Pacific stock was then transferred to the treasury of the Oregon Short Line and \$61,000,000 in Oregon Short Line purchase money certificates served. were taken in part payment. The balance necessary to pay for its investments was borrowed upon these certificates. Upon the formation of the Northern Securities company the Oregon Short Line exchanged its \$78,108,000 of stock in the Northern Pacific for \$82,491,871 in the stock of the new corporation. In the new annual report it is seen that the Oregon Short Line issued \$82,491,000 in 4 per cent participating bonds, which bonds were given to the Union Pacific at 90. This canceled all indebtedness of that company to the Union Pacific, including the \$61,000,000 purchase money certificates. The Union Pacific then sold \$36,000,000 of these bonds and paid off its floating indebtedness, \$8,249,100 being the difference between the purchase and selling price was charged off to profit and loss. The Union Pacific still holds \$46,491,000 of the Northern Securities bonds in its treas-

The vast improvements which have been under way by the Union Pacific for many years are now nearing completion and the great drain upon the treasury of the company for construction will then be pracof the Southern Pacific also has been to improve the property of that company by reduction of grades and curvatures, and the purchase of new equipment. These imtically at an end. The policy of the owners provements are similar to those which the Union Pacific system has been undergoing which have shown great results in the revenue of the corporation. The new report has this to say regarding these im-

Aids Southern Pacific.

It was deemed expedient to aid the Southern Pacific company in temporarily financing its large expenditures for reconstruction, betterments and improvements to its property and for much needed equipment. For this purpose \$15,38,118,12 was advanced by the Union Pacific company, repayable on demand. Of this sum the Union Pacific provided from its surplus cash funds \$1,38,119,12 and incurred loans for the remainder. The work in hand on the lines of the Southern Pacific will be finished before the end of the year, and it is expected that it will result in a satisfactory saving in the cost of operation and in other directions. Since the close of the fiscal year the Union Pacific Railroad company sold \$10,000,000, face value of its 5 per cent collateral notes, maturing February 1, 1905. The greater part of the proceeds of this sale was loaned to the Southern Pacific campany.

During six years \$23,223,423 has been spent by the Union Pacific upon its own lines.

by the Union Pacific upon its own lines. Two-thirds of this amount was paid out of the income of the company. The gross earnings of the company have grown from \$32,631,769 in 1898 to \$51,675,119 during the last year. The net earnings have increased during the same period from \$13,061,478 to \$27,327,973, and the mileage only 425 miles. The mileage operated during the last year was 5.762 miles.

anciers, is sufficient to overcome the serious decline in the value of the company's securities. The increase in the expenses of the year are said to be due to the usual causes, the advanced cost of labor and the freight congestion of a year ago. The strike of the shopmen and the floods of last year also are said to be partly to blame.

The Union Pacific between the Missouri fiver and the western terminus, climbs nine mountain ranges of varying height, the highest being about 8,000 feet. The main ine first constructed was finished in 1839, river and the western terminus, climbs nine line first constructed was finished in 1839, and a creation of the present physical conition has proved an expensive aftermath. gross earnings in 1896 were \$14,382,191, and the total net income was \$6,072,775. The ked charges due to excessive capitalizaion amounted to \$7,164,263, which left a leficit of \$1.691.585 for the year. Stockholders were assessed \$15 per share in the corganization of 1897, receiving an equal mount of new common stock for their coldings and preferred stock for their assessment. The fixed charges were reduced rom \$7,164,363 to \$3,606,000. The acquirement the Oregon Short line and the Oregon anilway and Navigation company caused he issue of additional common stock to he amount of \$96,000,000 and of preferred 100,000,000. But the gross earnings of the sompany increased on account of the addiional earning power added by these properjes from \$14,382,000 to \$42,688,000. Since these groperties were acquired \$15,512,000 has been pent for betterments, improvements and Moditions, \$10,132,000 for changes of line and Mrs. E. V. Heaford and Miss Powell on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Heaford. Mr. and Mrs. Pindall of Hannibal, Mo., ppropriated from current earnings and the malance charged to capital. lance charged to capital.

The result of these expenditures on the sain line and subsidiary roads can be een in the declining ratio of the cost of onducting transportation.

Taken as a whole, the report is con-lidered a credit to the management and ery encouraging to the stockholders of be company.

But the Dundee and Omaha fire depart-ments responded to a call last Sunday morning to the home of Mr. J. O. Yelzer. The blaze, which was on she first floor, was soon extinguished.

OLICEMAN IS UNDER ARREST

Valter Colter Charged with Perjury in Connolly Jury Bribery Case.

Walter Colter, a South Omaha policeman sas been arrested on the charge of perjury n connection with testimony given in the are of John T. Connelly against the Union weific railroad, wherein the plaintiff, who General Linares, minister of war; Senor and both legs cut off, sues for \$57,000, This is the case in reference to which Judge minister of finance; Senor Sanchez Guerra Bahaugh appointed a committee of three o investigate certain charges of jury ampering, but it is distinctly stated that Conde de Allende Salater, minister of pubhe committee did not authorize this arrest. He works, __ - -

OMAHA SUBURBS

Plorence. Miss Maud Kimball of Cmaha was the cuest of her sister Saturday last. Mrs. K. Scott Jr. of Omaha is spending few days visiting relatives north of town. Mr. and Mrs. Hupp entertained a number of their friends at their home Saturday

Mrs. S Love Kelley of Stoux City is spending a few weeks here as the guest of Capital and Mrs. Reynolds.

Ernest and Fred Whitmore have returned from Moose Jaw, Canada. They have been there looking up a location for a future home.

for the fiscal year ending June 30 recently Tony Welchert, who has been in St. Joissued, in financial circles is considered a seph's hospital for the past three weeks, document which other roads would do well all the time.

The mail on the rural routes, especially No. 1, has been very heavy the past week, and the carriers have had their hands full taking care of it.

J. H. Holtzman returned from Wise memorial hospital at Omaha this week, where he has been sick for several weeks. He is greatly improved.

In Omaha Friday night.

A Swedish Lutheran church has been organized here. A lot has been purchased in the southeast part of town and building will commence early in the spring.

Miss Jessie Lonergen, daughter of D. Lonergen, died at the home or her father in Fairview neighborhood Saturday morning. Funeral Monday from the residence.

Miss Dennis of Milo density contracts

Miss Dennis of Milo, deputy postmaster at that place, was a caller at the Florence postoffice Friday evening. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Smith while here.

W. R. Wall, district deputy grand master, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of this district, made an official visit to Benson lodge of Independent Order of Odd Fellows Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Reynolds gave a party to the employes of the Water company and their Florence friends Saturday night at the pump nouse. Dancing and games were the order of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gifts are rejoicing over Mr. and Mrs. O. Gifts are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. James Waish left last week for Maneapolis, where she will visit for some time with her sister.

Postmaster and Mrs. McGuire left last Saturday morning for a visit with their son Lennie in Missouri. Miss Pearl Lowe left last Monday after-noon for the west, where she will visit with her sisters in Oregon during the wimer.

Mrs. W. D. Johnson returned home last week from Omaha, where she had been called by the sickness and death of her mother

Mr. and Mrs. Corliss Totman, who have resided in Umaha for a few months, have removed to Benson, where they will reside permanently. Services will be held at the Methodist church at 10:20 a.m. and 7:20 p.m. Sunday school at 11:40. Epworth league at 6:30 in the evening. Rev. John Crews pastor. Neille Howard and Alta Thomas, who spent the Thanksgling holdays with their parents in Benson, returned to Council Bluffs Monday morning to resume their actions divisions.

duties. The betweeth league devotional meeting last Sunday evening was lead by Miss L. Starr of lows, who has spent the past two weeks in Benson doing work in the interests of the Chautauqua of the east.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society was held at the home of Mrs. E. J. Crews last Wednesday afternoon. A 13-cent tunen was serves from 2 to 3 o'clock, which was attenued by a large circle of the women.

women.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth league was held last Monday evening at the home of Miss Stiger. During the evering a rea ing carcle was planned, which will hold its first meeting at the parsonage aext Tuesony evening. At the close of the business sension a social hour was spent and refreshments were served.

The voune girls of Mrs. McCov's Sunday

and refreshments were served.

The young girls of Mrs. McCoy's Sunday school class gave a oazar and social at the city hall last Friday. The proceeds will be used for the Christmas treats and festivities of the Sunday school. During the evening a sofa pillow was voted to the most popular lady or gentieman, and was won by Mrs. Dr. Mc.Op. After the voting a short program, consisting of music and recitations, was rendered.

Mrs. John Faverty was the guest of her former Ambler friends on Thursday. John Laverty began his winter's work at the packing house on Monday of this

Mrs. Dayton Smith and family were guests of their mother, Mrs. Pilman, on Sunday.

Miss Ada Gantz was the guest of her sis-ter. Mrs. F. Hensman, and other friends on Thursday. Mrs. Charles Syas has been under the doctor's care this week with severe stomach trouble.

ach trouble.

Mr. Norberg of East Ambier entertained his sister, Mrs. Swan of Cass street, the first of the week.

Mrs. Nelson Pratt and daughter, Minnie, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Henderson from Monday until Tuesday.

Clyde Stulta has gone into partnership with his friend, A. Murrill, in the meat market on Thirty-second and California streets.

Miss Mae Syas entertained her young

Miss Mae Syas entertained her young friend. Miss Ella Michael of South Omara, and her mother of East Ambler at dinner Saturday evening.

The Dundse Woman's club met last Wednesday with Mrs. J. H. Harte. Mr. A. H. Palmer is convalencing from his recent illness, and will soon be out again.

Mrs. Landon Barr and children of Chadron were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burr
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pyke entertained at cards on Wednesday evening in honor of Mi. and Mrs. Long of Boup City. Neb. The Ladies' Aid society of the Dundee Preshyterian church met on Friday after-noon at the home of Mrs. J. J. Lampe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rush entertained at dinner on wednesday evening for Judge and Mrs. Benjamin Baker of Albuquerque, N. M., and Judge and Mrs. William

SPANISH NAMES CABINET Marked Absence from Authority of

Persons Prominent in Recent

American War.

MADRID, Dec. 5 .- The new cabinet is constituted as follows: Senor Maura, premier; Senor Ban Pedro, minister for foreign affairs; Senor Toca, minister of justice; Fernandez, minister of marine; Senor Ogma, minister of the interior; Senor Domingues y Paschal, minister of public instruction; TWO MORE GRAIN TARIFFS

Rock Island and Wabash Put in Rates Caloulated to Help Omaha.

FORMER ANNOUNCES THE FIRST TRANSIT

Applies to Any Point on System, While Wabash Makes Proportional to Mississippi Line and Chiengo.

Two large wads of assistance toward the emaha grain market were dropped yesterday in the plate which the Omaha Grain exchange is holding out, by the Rock

Island and the Wabash. The Rock Island has put in a transit rate through Omaha to any point on its line, from points in Nebraska and in northwestern Kansas. The Wabash has anunced the same proportional rates that other roads have put in operation to Mississippi river points and to Chicago.

The Rock Island rate, it is thought, will throw open northwestern Kansas and all points in Nebraska touched by the line. Its advantage comes where the sum of the rate to Omaha and the proportional rate out of Omaha are greater than the through rate. It is also a milling-in-transit rate, for wheat or corn may be brought here and ground and sent out on the same road under the same shipment.

An Example Cited.

Taking for example Agra, Kan., the through rate to Chicago is 27 cents. The rate from Agra to Omaha is 151/2 cents and the proportional from Omaha to Chicago is 14 cents, making a total rate, if the J. F. Ransom, an old soldier and a resident here for many years, went to the illinois National home for old soldiers Monday, where he will spend the winter. He is 80 years of age and has no relatives here. milled, cleaned, mixed or stored for a short time, and then continued on to its eastern destination for the through rate, or 27 cents. This rate will be more or less advantageous to grain from all stations to the southwest on the line. The Rock Island is the first road to introduce the transit

> The Wabash rate has gone into effect, it is said, and will be an assistance in building up the grain market. It is said that the proportional will make it possible for Omaha to handle grain to Toledo and Buffalo.

COUNTERFEITERS' DEN

Chicago Police Find Money Where They Were Not Looking for It.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.-In a raid on a supposed thieves' resort tife police instead stumbled upon a counterfeiters' den. In his effort to escape Charles Belknap engaged in a struggle with Sergeant Miller and was overpowered and arrested. Mrs. Frances Belknap, his wife, later was taken into custody. Both will be held for Captain Porter of the government secret

service, who will be notified of their arrest. Belknap and his wife occupied four rooms. One room was fitted up as a laboratory and contained all the most approved appliances making counterfeit silver dollars. Thirty-five bogus dollars were confiscated by the police, together with a trunk full

SHOOTERS' FUN AT THE TRAPS

	- The Chie Omana Bhooting park yester-
	day afternoon a party of Gun club enthusi-
15	nate had a short series of Gun Club enthusi-
	asts had a short session at the traps. First
п	Came a ten-ingrest handican with Tomored
ы	on the way-back mark. This resulted:
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ы	Toorer (28)
	Stinglain (28)
	Delanhantia annual transit
ŧ	Driesbach's second barrel was good
	enough to get him all the money, the \$2
t.	entrance fee being dumped into one pot
м	Next a team shoot for the price of the
а	birds was made up, with the following out-
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8/4	come, the Rogers team doing the settling:
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71 73 A miss and out match at live birds, \$1 to start, was divided by Townsend and Dries-bach, the score standing:

togers

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

William Williams, a provided for the superior of high school students made up a joliy party and attended the performance of high school students made up a joliy party and attended the performance of the aprons are to be imported from other states and countries.

The Modern Woodmen of West Lawn and West Side have their large hail on Forty-ninth and Center streets ready for the roof. It adds much to the appearance of these heretofore vacant lots.

Mrs. J. E. Aughe ich Friday on a brief trip to Ashland, and while there will attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Warbritten. Mrs. Warber britten is the oldest sister of Mr. Aughe.

Dundee.

Mrs. A. T. Hewitt is visiting friends in Ruth Yoder.

Piano solo.

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Piano solo. Elizabeth Chariton. Recitation Grace Rohrbough. Piano solo. Elizabeth Sweeton.

The Hawthorne society will hold its regular monthly meeting next Friday. The subject of the program will be Short Stories by Poe, and will consist of the following numbers:

Piano solo.

Jean Hamiiton.

Biography of E. A. Poe.

Allie Adams

Criticism of Poe as a short story writer.

Lena Anderson.

Reading from the poems of Poe.......

Miss Peterson.

The German program given Friday afternoon was under the direction of Miss
Brandels. A chorus composed of twelve
girls opened the program with a song.
"True Love." followed by a piano solo by
Miss Bullivan. Miss Weinberg gave a vocal
solo and the Misses Elisberg and Wilrodt
closed the program with a recitation.

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The A. C. S. Elaine and Browning cieties held short business meetings

Friday.

The post-graduates held the first of their weekly meetings at the home of Miss Laura Rhoads Thursday afternoon. A very pleasant afternoon was spent, the following members being present: Misses Clara Heimrod, Clara Van Orman, Hilda Hammer, Blanche Whitlock, Mabel Mould, Jessee Waugh, Madeline Hillis, Laure Rhoads, Elizabeth Stuart and Alice Wright.

DIED.

BOLAN-James, aged 76 years.
Funeral Monday morning, December 7, at 8.30, from the family residence, 1165
North Eighteenth, to Holy Pamily church.
Internals Holy Sepulcher cemetery.

1903-CHRISTMAS-1903

WE ARE RIGHT IN TOUCH WITH With all the Latest FURNITURE Novelties Of This Season's CARPETS, DRAPERIES. ORIENTAL RUGS, PILLOWS, ETC.

WE ARE FORCED to make some startling prices to reduce our stock before MILLER, STEWART & BEATON. January 1st, 1904.

LADIES' DESKS

\$32.00 Ladies' Desk, \$23.50-Mahogany ladies' desk, four large drawers, hand carved, drop lid, hand rubbed and polished, for.

\$56.00 Ladies' Desk, \$47.75-Solid mahogany desk, benutiful inlaid work and solid mahogany Hning, very finely polished

\$120.09 Ladies' Desk, \$87.50-Solid mahogany inside and out bouse desk, French legs, claw feet. oatside of the very choicest of San Domingo crotch mahogany . . .

\$15.50 Solid Mahogany Parlor Stand, for	12.75
\$21.25 Solid Mahogany Parlor Stand, for	16.25
\$28.00 Solid Mahogany Parlor Stand, for	22.75
\$32.00 Solid Mahogany Parlor Sfand, for	27.50
\$25.00 Quarter- Sawed Oak Parlor Stand, for	15.00
\$17.50 Quarter Sawed Oak Parlor Stand, for	13-75
\$12.50 Quarter- Sawed Oak Parlor Stand, for	9.75

RUGS

24.75

\$28.50 for \$18.75-

9x12 Axminster rugs,

\$20.00 for \$14.50-

9x12 Empire Brussels rugs, new patterns,

\$32.50 for \$24.75-

9x12 best quality Body Brussels rug, for

\$37.50 for \$20.75-

Tapestry Brussels.

10-9x9-0.... ***** ***** \$10.00

12-0x9-0 \$11,00

14-0x9-0.....\$19.73

12-0x19-6.... \$18.00

Axminster Rugs

10-6x8-3..... \$16,25

12-6x8-3.... \$18.00

12-0x10-6.... 824,00

REDUCING TIME CLOCKS

\$122.50 CLOCK, \$72.75-Solid Mahogany Colonial Clock, bevel plate glass front. brass hands. weights and numbers,

for \$82.50 CLOCK, \$68.75-

Quarter-Sawed Oak Colonial Clock S ft. high, bevel plate glass front, brase hands weighte and numbers, for ...

\$56.75 CLOCK, \$44.75-Antwerp Oak Grandfather's Clock, all bruss trimmings, plass front, for

\$46.50 CLOCK, \$37.75-Fine Mahogany Finished Colonial Clock, brass hands, weights and figures. wood dial. glass front,

ORIENTAL PILLOWS

\$5.00 for \$3,00

You choice of 100 Oriental Pillows, best quality mbroidered tops, worth

12-0x9-0.... \$18.73

11-0x10-6.... \$19.00

Axminster Rugs

11-7x10-6.... 4.... 4.... \$22.00

Fine Silk Rug.

MUSIC CABINETS

Solid oak music cabinet, panel door,

Quarter-sawed oak, hand polished music cabinet, cross band moulded front, \$6.75.

Mahogany finished music cabinet, hand polished, closed front, with shelf-below, \$9.50.

Birdseye maple music cabinet, round corners at top, French legs, claw feet, with drawer at bottom, closed front, beautiful motifed birdseye, moveable shelves, \$11.50.

Burl walnut music cabinet, hand-comely mottled wood, double swell loor French legs, hand carved back,

ORIENTAL RUGS

Royal Kirman Rug, \$650

\$130

\$260

\$575

\$130

\$165

\$210

\$200.00 Rug for \$130.00-

\$350.00 Rug for \$200.00-

\$1,000,00 Rug for \$650.00-

\$850.00 Rug for \$575.00-

\$200.00 Rng for \$130.00-

Persian Rug. size 3-lix12-9, for.....

\$225.00 Rug for \$165.00-

Fine India Rug, size 9-2x12-4, for.....

6325 Rug for \$210.00-

Fine Iodia Rug. size 19-3::16-3, for......

865.00 Rus for 842.00-

Kazak Hall Runner, size 3 6x12-11, for......

\$125.00 Rug for \$75.00-

\$85.00 Rug for \$56.00-

fixfixs, for...

Royal Kirman Rug, size 10-3x12-11, for.

Size 8-10x13-10,

Fine Persian Rug. 11-0x17-5, for.....

\$5.00 for \$3.50-

\$9.25 for \$6.75-

\$13.00 for \$9.50-

\$16.00 for \$11.50-

\$24.50 for \$19.25-

CURTAINS 85.00 for \$3.75worth \$5.00, for ... \$7.50 for \$5.00-Your choice of all our \$7.5) Brussels, Arabe and Irish Point lace curtains, for...... 5.00 \$10.00 for \$7.50-Your choice of all our

Bigelow Axminster rugs, all new patterns, for... Miller, Stewart & 1315-1317

MADE UP CARPETS-RUCS

Point, Cluny and Arabe curtains, for. 1515

The Grand View Improvement club met last night at its rooms at Fourth and Lincoin streets, with Clyde C. Sundblad pre-

Mr. Jacobson complained of the lighting in the neighborhood of Fifth and Walnut and Fifth and Hickory streets, He said the four gasoline lamps which are supposed to light that part of town had only seen lighted twice in four months, and he wished the club to lay the matter before the city council.

"These gusoline lamps are annually costing the city \$72, while an arc would only cost \$70." he said, "to say nothing of having a light which would be of some use." A resolution was passed asking Councilman Back to bring the matter before

the city council. Clyde C. Sundblad reported that he called in the Street Railway company with regard to the extension of the Harney street line, and, though nothing definite could be given out till after the directors' meeting n January, he had good assurance that the line would be extended to Bancroft

street in the spring. As this was the last meeting to be held this year, the chairman reviewed the year's work and called on the members to try to increase the membership. "In the other improvement clubs of the city," he said, the councilmen representing the district expected to attend if the people themselves ing the Gate City.

m January 17.

POUND IS NOW SHY ONE PASS Union Pacific Local Attorney at Julesburg Finds Himself in Predienment.

Attorney W. A. Pound of Julesburg spent in the mind of Dincen, who promptly Saturday in Omaha with as classic a bunch | agreed, thinking that \$1.50 was a fair profit of dreadful woe as ever comes to man out- for such a small expenditure of energy side of the romantic novels. Mr. Pound, The colored man then asked to take the it seems, is the local attorney of the Union watch into a nearby saloon where a closer Pacific system in the far western metrop- examination could be made. Dincen agreed

BUSY GRAND VIEW IMPROVERS
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Goes about with an annual pass concealed on his person. He came to Omaha Saturday morning on this pass and the Atlantic day morning on this pass and the Atlantic dear Gaston," and after entering the place first. Dineen turned around and saw the colored man making a rapid sprint down the street.

Conditions.

Ward Johnson. Report of treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Allen. Report of of officers. Solo, Mrs. F. C. Allen. Report of officers. Solo, Mrs. F. it occurred to him that he had better ex- man from lows, as he harried to the poamine his transportation to see if it were good on the limited. Then Mr. posed on the open street for a set of living pictures entitled "Annoyance," "Surprise, "More Surprise," and "Blank Despair, with several blanks. The pass was gone. Late in the afternoon Mr. culating earnestly through the railway district with seven Christmas packages in his arms and no money in his trousers. Nooody seemed to know the attorney personally and all asked him to step into the higher office. W. A. Deuel, superintendent of the Nebraska division, he sought for but could not find. It would seem that while Mr. Pound was absorbed in the technical points of a litigation which he is to take up Monday the conductor, in an equal state of absent mindedness, collected the pass and put it with his tickets. He was far away in the state when the accident was discovered.

> LOSES WATCH AND CONFIDENCE Countryman Pays for a Little of Metropolitan Experi-

> > ence.

M. J. Dineen of Melrose, In., arrived in Omaha Friday evening and according to are regular attendants, and it would be the his statements to Desk Sergeant Havey same with this club if we had enough mem- at the police station last evening, his life Though we should be glad to see Mr. pathway has been strewn with broken bot-Back at the meetings, he can hardly be tles and other forms of trouble since reach-Dineen attended a Douglas street auction

The next meeting of the club will be held sale Sarurday afternoon, bought a watch for \$3.50 and forthwith started out to see the city beautiful with his old reliable silver timekeeper in one vest pocket and the Douglas street chronometer recording the seconds in the other pocket. When the Iowa citizen reached Farnam

street, a colored man approached him and offered to pawn the \$3.50 watch for \$5. This proposition struck a responsive chord

lice station and reported the loss.

FOR W. C. A. ANNUAL MEETING Was Scorching in an Automobile in Twentieth Anniversary of Association Will Be Observed on Tues-

The agnual meeting of the Women's Christian association will be held Tuesday, of Orleans, motor scorching recently near December 8, at 1:30 p. m., in the parlors of the First Methodist church. Twentieth | from his injuries. The duke never stopped. and Davenport streets. This meeting will but the police telephoned to the keeper of the association and the public is cordially

day Evening.

gram will be given.

fean Singer. (Copyright, 1903, by Press Publishing Co.) VIENNA. Dec. 5 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-The duke St. Polten, ran down a workman who dies

DUKE RUNS DOWN A WORKMAN

Company with an Amer-

commemorate the twentieth anniversary of a level crossing some miles further on, who shut the gates and held the duke until invited to be present. The following pro- the police arrived. He was accompanied by a woman who was thickly velled and was President Mrs George Tilden presiding: Devotional services. In charge of Mrs. J. J. McLain. Prayer, Rev. E. Combie Smith. Report of recording secretary, Mrs. Ed. an American singer. said to be the duchess of Orleans, but it turns out that she was Miss Murie Halton,

Let Me Be Your Friend

I have the Positive Gure for These Debilitating
Drains and Weaknesses Peculiar to Men. READ MY I do not send you any

offer and Cure Yourself Frivately At Your Own Home.

It Eever Falls

ToAlways Restore

unexpected collect-rm delivery package. I have no fake medical company to whom I send your rans.

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