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ECHOES OF THE ANTE ROOM

Colonel A. A. Rodman, grand captain of the grand commandery of the Knights Templar of lowa, died Wednesday last of apoplexy at Washington, la. He was well alone in Iowa, but in Nebraska and adtacent states. His funeral took place Friday from his late home in Washington, Ia., under the auspices of the Iowa grand com-

mandery. The annual meeting of the Veteran Masons' association of Nebraska will be held at Masonic temple Monday evening, January 24. The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place at this meeting. An elaborate program has been arranged atways followed by this organization.

Knights of Pythins. Moquaddem temple No. 86, Dramatic Or-

der Knights of Khorassan, will hold a business session after the close of Nebraska lodge No. 1. Knights of Pythias, in Myrtle hall, Monday evening. Election of officers will be held.

Order of Scottish Clans.

chief and an hour of song and story, with will be held Wednesday evening at Arsome bagpipe music, followed.

The sixteenth annual concert and ball of Clan Gordon No. 63, in commemoration of the birth of Robert Burns, will be held January 25 in Germania hall.

Grand Army of the Republic.

The officers of Phil Kearney post No. 2, and its auxiliary Woman's Relief corps, of South Omaha were jointly installed Saturday night, January 7. There was a large attendance of veterans and their wives and families. Following the installation cere-

monies refreshments were served. The joint installation of the officers of Crook post No. 262 and its auxiliary woman's Relief corps will be held at Magnolia hall, corner Twenty-fourth and Ames avenue, Friday evening, January 12. An interesting program is being arranged, which will include refreshments and all sorts of a

Knights and Ladies of Security.

Union Veterans' Union.

A public installation of the officers of Vicksburg regiment No. 1 and Shiloh regi-Brigade Commander D. M. Haverly as the installing officer. Those installed were: Vicksburg regiment No. 1-Jonathan Edwards, colonel; William O. Bartholomew. lieutenant colonel; Henry Horan, major; Thomas A. Creigh, chaplain; A. H. Scott, surgeon; Charles L. Thomas, quartermaster; C. A. Potter, adjutant; Frank Mann, officer of the day (for his sixth term); W. A. Plumer, officer of the guard. Shiloh regiment No. 2-J. A. Eastman, colonel; C. M. Mayberry, lieutenant colonel; R. N. Gor-

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don, major: C. M. Bachman, adjutant; the auspices of the Woodmen Circle as-Charles E. Bruner, quartermaster; A. G. sembly Vroman, surgeon; E. McIntosh, chaplain; Fred Schamel, officer of the doy. Following the installation ceremonies each of the commanding officers were presented with a boquet of flowers by their women admirers.

Ladies of the G. A. R.

The new officers of Garneld circle No. 11 were jointly installed with the officers of and popularly known in Masonic circles not the two regiments of the Union Veterans' union at Red Men's hall in Continental block Friday evening, Past State President | no Mrs. Jolia Price being the installing officer. The officers installed were: Mrs. Inez Yarton, president; Mrs. Sarah Nelson, senior vice president; Mrs. Belle Arnold. junior vice president: Mrs. Anna Davis, chaplain; Mrs. Camilla Elliott, treasurer; Mrs. Julia Price, secretary; Mrs. Louise Schneiderwind, guard; Mrs. Flora Lear, conductor: Mrs. Clara Ellett, assistant conductor: Mrs. Ruth Dunn, assistant guard. for the occasion. All the exercises will The past presidents of the circle present take place at the banquet table, a custom | were each presented with past president's pins and a similar favor was extended the retiring secretary, Miss Ellett.

> Modern Maccabees Boyton tent No. 1291 held its regular review last Wednesday evening, with a large attendance. The report of the bylaws committee was read and adopted. Sir Knights Mullen, Smith and Doty were elected trustses. The other officers were re-elected for

the year. The installation of officers will Clan Gordon No. 63 held its regular meet- take place at the next review, with Sir ing Tuesday evening last, when the new Knight State Commander Kinney as the inofficers for 1906 took their seats. A much stalling officer. Sir Knight Doty was apappreciated address was made by the new pointed district deputy. The next meeting ing to 2 o'clock in the afternoon. canum hall.

Tribe of Ben Hur.

Omaha court No. 110 met in regular seson last Tuesday evening, with a big at- ments paid for the month. ndance. Four applications were read and delivered a short address on the good of | program will be given, including refresh-

Modern Woodmen of America. The week has been generally devoted to the installation of the new officers of the various Woodmen camps of the city and South Omaha. The meetings have been muster its new officers Tuesday evening. invariably largely attended and much interest was manifested in them.

Omaha camp No. 120 installed officers Wednesday evening, with G. F. Elsasser as the installing officer, assisted by the Lodge No. 415 held a largely attended team of Foresters commanded by Captain meeting Wednesday evening and initiated a H. C. Martin. Following the ceremonies large class of candidates. A social time addresses were delivered by various memfollowed, which was continued until a late bers, followed by serving of refreshments in every instance. No. 120 installed these officers: John Killian, consul; J. W. Goodhart, adviser; William Nollman, banker; C. H. T. Riepen, clerk; Charles E. Allen, escort; Louis Johnson, watchman; E. C. ment No. 2 was held Friday evening at Red Oschenbein, sentry; H. D. Stone, manager; Men's hall in the Continental block, with L. A. Merriam and N. F. Steiner, physi-

Beech camp No. 1454 exercised a similar under command of Captain H. C. Stafford. The officers installed were: J. S. King, assistant clerk; S. W. McGill, escort; E.

Maple camp No. 945 will install officers Barlow, consul: George Madison, adviser; Upchurch, the founder of the order. F. Harris, assistant clerk; A. King, escort; J. W. Marshall, watchman; A. F. Gates, sentry; Thomas Standard, manager; of the order and their families. J. C. Moore and A. S. Pinto, physicians. Pansy camp No. 10 will unite with Maple the same evening.

B. & M. camp will install its officers Friday evening, January 13. " Another joint meeting of the various amps will be held Wednesday evening, January 48, under the auspices of the promotion committee. The meeting will be held with Nebraska camp No. 4771.

Camp No. 130 expects to initiate a large class at its meeting next Wednesday evening. An excellent program is being pre- as it was in a jug. However, he mainpared for the occasion.

Woodmen of the World.

United States camp No. 229 held a rousing against the accused. meeting Thursday evening, having one of the largest turnouts of its history. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a past consul commander's jewel to Paul B. Harm, the retiring consul commander. The presentation address was made by Sovereign W. M. Carter. Mr. Harm was taken completely by surprise. but managed to give eloquent expression to his thanks.

The officers for the year having been duly stalled Tuesday evening at the joint installation, the work for the new year starts out under the most encouraging conditions.

The new team and degree staff of this camp gives another one of their entertainments and dance at Fraternal hall on the evening of January 14, which promises to be one of the most enjoyable events of

the season in fraternal circles. Alpha grove No. 2 will hold its next seeting Saturday evening, January 14. at Myrtle hall annex. Arrangements are being made for the joint installation of the officers of all the groves of the city on the evening of January 16 at Fraternal hall, Fourteenth and Dodge streets, under

Knights of the Maccabees. Omaha tent. No. 75, met with its usual encouraging attendance last Tuesday evening. The dance committee reported everything about in readiness for the dance to be held at Chambers' hall Monday evening.

January 9. Laurel lodge, No. 89, Ladies of Maccabees, will hold its installation of officers Tuesday, January 17, at 2 o'clock in the after-

Royal Achates.

The installation of the officers of the different lodges of this order in the city and South Omaha took place during the week. The ceremony of installation in Omaha lodge, No. 1, on Tuesday evening, and on Wednesday evening the officers of Royar Oak lodge, No. 200, were installed, the supreme officers officiating. Thursday evening Supreme President I. G. Baright and Supreme Secretary E. L. Grinnell, with a party of Omaha members of the order, went to South Omaha to be present at the installation of the officers of Success lodge, No. 33, which was open to the public, the supreme secretary officiating. A short literary and musical program was rendered. Supreme President Baright delivered a short address, and the evening's entertainment closed with a fancy drill by the robed degree staff of the lodge, under the direction of Captain Mrs. Anna Lucas. Arrangements are complete for the serv-

ing of a chicken pie dinner by the Royas in sight." Achates of the city at Achates hall next Wednesday from 11 o'clock in the morn-At the close of the business session of

gressive high-five will be played. As a prize Supreme Deputy Charles Way Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The officers of Omaha lodge No. 2 were back. We have today 500,000 bushels of the order. He also acted as installing offi- formally installed Friday evening. There corn more than we have cars for. I ex-

cer in inducting the new officials into their was a large attendance and following the pect we will be able to get it out of the respective positions. The court will hold an installation ceremonies refreshments were way, but it will take time. The shippers open meeting next Tuesday evening. A fine served. The reports of the retiring officers will have to wait, for we simply can't get showed that the lodge was in a prosperous the cars, and I think you will find that state and that there had been a big increase in membership during the past Some of them are short of engines as well patronage."

Patriarchs Militant.

Canton Etter No. 13 of South Omaha will The installation ceremonies will be followed by a banquet and a big time i promised

Canton Ezra Millard No. 1 held its annual muster of the new officers Tuesday night with a big crowd in attendance After the officials were installed the evening was with a banquet. The annual reports of the retiring officers made a flattering showing for the prosperity of the canton, indicating that it was never in better shape, both as regards membership, fraternal feeling and financially.

Ancient Order of United Workmen. The degree team of Patton lodge No. 173 has completed arrangements for a masquerade ball to be given Monday evening, function, with N. C. Pratt officiating as January 30, at Workmen Temple. This team installing officer, assisted by the Foresters has already given several successful dances during the season.

The Ancient Order United Workmen Deconsul; W. M. Thomas, adviser; H. Evans, gree Team association will hold fits regular banker; N. J. Mavin, clerk; J. C. Klotz, monthly meeting Wednesday evening, January 11, at Workmen Temple, o. 110 North Purdue, watchman; C. H. Long, sentry; Fourteenth street. The officers for the en-A. T. Benson, manager; S. N. Heyt, physi- suing year will be installed at this meet-

On Wednesday, January 18, will take as follows next Wednesday evening: M. place the memorial for Father Jordan C. H. Isard, banker; C. A. Grimes, clerk; propriate exercises will be held at Workmen Temple in commemoration thereof on that evening. Arrangements are being ing to see that our neighbors, the rail

amp in a joint installation of officers on JUG HID LIQUOR FROM VIEW Testimony of Indian Shows He Not as Simple as Might Be.

> As proof that all Indians are not as simple as some people believe, a little incident at federal court serves to demonstrate. One Indian testified in the case that he did not see any of the liquor complained of, tained he had tasted the stuff without seeing it, and it was upon such testimony that the original indictment was brought

> > Moves Up Town.

The People's Ice and Coal company has put in an uptown office, on the ground floor of the Brown block, Sixteenth and Douglas streets. Patterson & Wood, proprietors of the company, contemplate putting in extensive yards and otherwise improving their facilities for handling their rapidly growing business.

All lot owners of the Prospect Hill Cemetery association in good standing are entitled to vote at the annual meeting, which will be held at the office of the secretary. room 38, Barker block, Monday evening. January 9, 1906, at 7:45. A full attendance is requested. J. A. RINGWALT, Sec'y.

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HEAVY CORN MOVEMENT THE CAUSE

lion Bushels of Wheat Beenuse of Lack of Cars.

Southern railroad lines are facing a car famine. Not a road entering Omaha in the competition for the southern grain haul can get all the equipment it needs. Some of the lines have been forced to turn away form is likely to be duplicated. pusiness because it could not promise the cars. While the present shortage is greatfor some of the eastern lines are complain-

ing of a shortage of equipment. "We had to turn down a haul of 1,000,000 bushels of wheat the other day because we could not promise the cars," said a Union Pacific man. "A northwestern shipper wanted 1,000 cars, but we could not promise

them and we had to lose the haul.' The shortage is caused by the unusual dewhich is usually divided with the exclusively southern lines.

"The southern shipments are abnormal. We have not really been short, but we have not been able to get all the cars we could

On the Burlington the situation has been partly relieved the last week as the result of the edict forbidding cars to be shipped outside of Burlington territory. The Burlington also has drawn heavily upon its eastern territory to relieve the ing in price from \$1,500 to \$5,000, mostly six pressure west of the river, with the result and seven rooms, all modern, which size that there is a stringency east of the Missourt, but the road manages to keep its larger houses. They platted Bluff View adcars in motion on the eastern lines, and dition (cornering on Kountze Place) last this has relieved the congestion to some ex- June, and now you can see seven new mod-

We never have had such a time getting cars," said a Rock Island man. "We can't begin to get the cars we need. The cause of it? Oh, the heavy movement of export There has been nothing like it in years. Owing to the rates it is all moving to the gulf this year and very little is going by rail to the eastern ports. One great fault is the cars are all going one way. If we could keep them moving we should be all right, but we are unable to get them back. They go to the gulf ports and have to stay there until they are unloaded. Shippers are clamoring for cars and we are doing the same thing. I don't know how long it will last. We expected it would let up two weeks ago, but today the situation is as bad as ever and the end is not

"All the hauls," he said, "are one way. build. We have to haul back empty cars, but We can't borrow, because the other roads loaded cars of grain that we have been shipping south for the last two or three weeks. We are getting none of these cars the other roads are in about the same fix. as cars."

REAL ESTATE VIEWS

Alfred C. Kennedy of the firm of Howard year for real estate sales since the boom, given over to a royal good time, followed of the movement is that it is not confined who have the cash and consider Omaha and is general all over the city. If you were to look up the transfers on the map you would be surprised to see how much trackage property changed hands during the year in addition to the Great Western and Grain Terminals, and further investigation would show that it was almost all for use. The Dietz purchase near the Metz brewery, the Pierce deal on the bottoms : north of Nicholas street, new coal yards at Twenty-fifth and Saylor streets and a dozen others to which I could call your attention. Then, too, a number of purchases were made for investment purposes. Among our own recent sales was the threestory brick building at 1921-23 Leavenworth street, a small hotel property in the downtown district, a row of flats on Twentyfifth street, the three-story brick building at 101 South Twelfth street and a bunch of cottages in the north end of town. "The truth of the matter is we have a better town than we realize. We have been so busy scolding about high taxes and tryroads, telephone company, wholesale mer chants, etc., were caught for the full amount of their taxable property we have not had time to notice the constant increase in population, the new business en terprises quietly occupying vacant store rooms and the healthy, prosperous condition of business generally. Some of these fine mornings we will wake up and be surprised to find that we are living in the best and most prosperous town of its size in America." C. F. Harrison of Harrison & Morton

says: "As it seems to me, the thing to be emphasized in regard to Omaha is its location. It seems to be a natural economic law that cities spring up at certain strategic points. That Omaha is one of these strategic points is demonstrated by the very fact of its existence as a town of over 100,000 population. It is said to be a historic fact that no town of this size ever retrogrades. Omaha's population has for a good many years borne a certain ratio to population of the state of Nebraska. Tho ratio has been about one to ten. In all probability this ratio will continue, and as the state increases in population and wealth Omaha will increase in the same proportion. The history of cities is that they grow faster as they grow bigger.

"Two notable events have occurred within the last eighteen months that have some what awakened Omaha citizens to the new entering. One of these events was the coming of the Great Western, and, more par ticularly, the exploiting of Omaha's resources by the president of that company. Nothing has occurred since the locating of the stock yards of greater moment to Omaha than the establishment of a grain market at this point. While this market is in the process of development there is no dentistry. New location 804-5-6 Paxton doubt that it will be a success. Too much Prices credit cannot be given to Mr. Stickney, not

market here, but for his exploitation of the esources of the state, making it plain that Omaha was the natural center for the busiess resources of the state. Seventeen years ago this city took on a great expansion, awakening apparently in a night to the fact that it was no longer to be a town or village, but a city. Vast public works were inaugurated. Much private building was undertaken, real estate values doubled and trebled, speculation was rife and we had what has come to be called, although

tion of values beyond real worth. "Since then Omaha has had an internal growth, greater than any preceding equal period and the very conservatism caused by the last over-expansion and the loss occurring then has brought us to a condition where the experience of 1887 in a modified

we denied it then, a boom. A more proper description of the city's condition would

perhaps be an over-expansion and an infla-

"The country had outgrown the city in 1886 and 1887, hence the revolution which est on the lines interested in the guif hauls, took place in city values. The country has it is by no means commed to these lines, now again outgrown the city and if experience teaches anything it is that a modified revolution is likely to again occur. The wealth of the state at large has increased from 20 to 50 per cent, while the value of Omaha real estate stands practically the same as ten years ago.

"The other important event is the assur ance of an interurban system for Omaha. This demonstrates the growth of the counmand for cars to carry the export grain to try and will be followed by the growth of Galveston and New Orleans. This move- the city. The last year, taking it as a ment is the largest in years, and the situa- whole, was perhaps the best real estate tion is aggravated by the fact of the short- | year within the last fourteen, but the year age of the corn crop in Misseurl and the was notable for the absence of any specufailure in parts of Kansas, which were de- lative feeling. It will simply be impossible vastated by floods. Second crops of corn to prevent the speculative element making were planted, but the grain did not mature. itself felt, whenever a new expansion, This has created a demand for northern which is sure to come, takes place. The grains and has made a demand for cars natural course of expansion, as shown by our unparalelled advance in 1886 and 1887, is from the country into the city. It is possible that the conservatism developed While we are not as bad off as some of the by our former over-expansion may retard other lines, the situation is bad enough. the legitimate growth that is at our doors so that we may not see a revolution in values this year. But by a natural economic law governing the growth of great communities whose resources are practically unlimited the change will come."

Hastings & Heyden report that they built twenty-two modern houses last year, rangseems to be in demand more than the ern houses already built and a number more in course of construction. Inside of one year there will be fifteen new houses in this new addition, and twenty-five out of thirty-three lots have already been sold at prices from \$500 to \$600. A great deal of the vacant ground in Omaha could be improved in the same way if the owners would sell at a price that is within the reach of the medium class of people that want homes. This firm is doing a great deal in the way of buying up vacant pieces, platting them and selling at prices that are reasonable, and beginning to improve

Another addition has recently been pened lying along the new South Boulevard, between Hanscom park and Twentyfourth and Vinton. The lots range in price from \$300 to \$500. A number of lots have A Missouri Pacific man spoke along the already been sold, mostly to South Omaha stockmen, who have already started to

Ernest Sweet says: "Little, perhaps, can Omaha lodge, No. 1, next Tuesday evening we would be willing to do this if we could be said that will give a fairer idea of tables will be arranged and a game of pro- get the cars. This is almost impossible. Omaha and its future than the recent exposition of industries and trade given by the winners will get their dues and assess- are as bad off as we are. See all the the daily papers following the close of the year. One can hardly study the summary and fail to see that Omaha has advantages peculiarly its own. A year ago it was said 1904 would be a record-breaker. The prophesy has more than been fulfilled. That a larger business will be done in 1905 is conceded by all. We expect to make more commission sales and will build more modern homes than ever to supply increasing

> F. J. Fitzgerald of the Fitzgerald-Dermody company says: "There is a condition existing in the Omaha real estate market today that while it has been slow coming, has been brought about by natural causes. That is, the attention of the speculator in real estate is attracted this way. Kennedy & Son says: "1904 was the best While during the last few years you could find purchasers for small properties, today and there are many indications that 1905 there is a demand for good income properwill be still better. An encouraging feature ties ranging from \$15,000 to \$50,000 by parties to any one class of property or to any one property the best investment to be hadlocality, but includes all kinds of properties | The entrance of the Great Western railroad and the grain terminals, the new elevators to be built, have advertised this city to the world, while the new Hoagland block, the building by J. L. Brandels & Sons of one of the finest department stores in the west. and the prospects of another record-breaking year in the building lines, has convinced the sceptical ones here at home that the time has come to purchase Omaha real

> > Joint Initiation Demonstration. The interstate joint initiation demonstra-tion of the Catholic Order of Foresters will be held at Creighton hall this afternoon. Courts from Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Ne-braska and Illinois will attend. Over 250 members will be initiated and officers in-stalled. It is stated the event will bring a large number of visitors to the city.

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