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Cor. 16th & Capitol MAHA CHAPTER, NO. 1. R. A. M. Special convocation Tuesday evening, January 17, for work in Past Master's

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A. Hugh Hippie, Sec'y. BELLEVUE CHAPTER, No. 7, R. A. M.-Business meeting Wednesday evening January 18, 1905 A. T. Ayers, Secretary.

NEBRASKA, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.—Spe-cial meeting Tuesday evening, January 17, at 7:20 a clock, for work in the Fellow Craft degree Visitors invited. Charles L. Shook, Master, W. C. McLean, Secretary.

CAPITAL LODGE, NO. 3, A. F. & A. M.—
Special meeting Monday evening, January
18, at 7.30 o'clock, for work in the Fellow
Craft degree, Visitors invited.
R. V. Cole, Master,
John Bamford, Secretary.

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Winifred Wallace, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

JLLIAN TEMPLE, No. 1. Rathbone Sis-TERS will have a card party and raffle on Monday evening. January 18, 1900, at its hall. Continedital building, Fifteenth and Douglas, Refreshments. Mrs. Ben Stein, M. R. & C.

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Harry B. Morrill, Secretary.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is neighby given that the annual meeting of the steckholders of The Bee Building company will be held at a clock p. m. Theshay, January R. 15% at the office as said company in The Ree building company in the Bee building company to the leastlon of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting. By order of the president, C. C. ROSEWATER. STOCKHOLDERS MEETING. for the weak church at Jerusalem.

CITY OFFICIAL NOTICES

Notice of the siting of the City Council as a Board of Equalization of assessments for general taxes for the year 1966. All persons interested are hereby notified that the City Council of the City of Omaha will sit as a Board of Equalization of assessments for general taxes for the year 1966, as provided by section 141 of the Charter for Metropolitan Cities, 1897, on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1966, between the hours of 10 oclock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. in the Council Chamber in the City Hail, for the purpose of hearing and determining all complaints of erroneous or unjust assessments for said year, and equalizing same, as authorized by serion 61 of said Charter, and said hearing will be continued between the hours named, from day to day, for a period of at least the continued between the hours named. from day to day, for a period of at least five days, including the date of said first

All persons having taxable property within the city are requested to examine their assessments, so that if any errors exist, or any injustice has been done in the assessment of property, correction may be made by said Board of Equalization, it being the intent of the law that no correc-tion shall be made after the Board of Equalization adjourns.

The assessment books are now ready for examination in the Tax Commissioner's

All complaints must be in writing; must All complaints must be in writing; must contain a definite description, or the location of the property assessed; must state the amount of the assessment complained of and the amount complainant considers the fair cash value of such property; and must be filed with the City Clerk on or before 5 o'clock p, m. of January 29, 1995, for the consideration and action of said Power of Form Plantage. for the consideration Board of Equalization. Oinaha, Nebraska, January 9, 1966. W. H. ELBOURN, City Clerk. J 10-16

NOTICE—PROPOSALS FOR THE PUR-CHASE OF REAL ESTATE.

As authorized and directed by Resolution No. 80, adopted by the City Council January 3, 1965, sealed proposals are invited and will be received by the City Clerk until Tuesday, January 17, 1965, at 5 schools p. m., for the purchase of the vacated alley in Ottawa Place, in parcels, as follows:

A strip of ground 20 feet wide and 120 feet long north of and adjoining lot 1, Ottawa Place, described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of said to 1, thence west along the south line of said alley 130 feet; thence south 20 feet; thence east 130 feet; thence south 20 feet; thence east 130 feet; thence south 20 feet to place of begins ning.

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A strip of ground 20 feet wide and 40 feet long north of and adjoining lot 3. Ottawa Place, described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of said lot 3, thence west along the south line of said alley 40 feet; thence north 20 feet; thence east 40 feet; thence south 20 feet to place of beginning. ning. A strip of ground 20 feet wide and 125 feet long north of and adjoining lot 4. Ottawa Place, described as follows: Comencing at the northeast corner of said lot 4, thence west along the south line of said aiey 125 feet; thence north 20 feet; thence east 125 feet; thence south 20 feet to place of beginning.

Each proposal must be marked "Proposal The City of Omaha reserves the right to eject any or all bids. Omaha, Nebraska, January 11 1995. Jil-17 W. H. ELBOURN, City Clerk.

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WOULD KEEP CASH AT HOME German Protestant Religious World Excited by Recent Order of the Government.

BERLIN, Jan. 14 .- (Special Cablegram to The Bee.)-Ecclesiastical circles in Germany have been thrown into a state of great excitement by the publication of a rescript from the minister of religion and education forbidding the various Protestant synods throughout Prussia to collect funds for the support of their co-religionists in other countries. The inwardness of this rescript lies in the fact that ever since the beginning of the Austrian and pouring considerable supplies into those countries for the support of those communities which had embraced the tenets

of the reformed faith. It is believed that the Roman ecclesiastical authorities in the Duhl Monarchy have entered a warm protest against the Lutheran church in Germany, supporting in in a this way a heretical body, and that the Prussian minister, to placate them, has issued this singular rescript, which curtails in so extraordinary a fashion the liberty of the Protestant communities. Der Rei Chsbote, the organ of the German Lutheran church, threatens an igitation against the minister, thunking

CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE

Jobbers Very Busy Filling Their Advance Orders for Spring.

HEAVY GOODS SOLD WELL LAST WEEK

Markets Generally Firm, with Sharp Advances in Sugar and Indications Favorable for Higher Prices on Coffee.

Omaha jobbers are now busy shipping out their spring goods. Advance orders this season have been unusually large and as a result they are working full forces to got their orders filled at as early a date get their orders niled at as care possible. The larger retailers are as possible. The larger retailers are beginning to get anxious for their spring
stocks, and during the next few weeks
the big bulk of the advance orders will be
filled. Jobbers are carrying a larger and
better assortment of spring lines this year
than ever before, and they expect in a
short time to see a good many visiting
buyers on the market, when house trade
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So far as immediate business is concerned there is not much to be said from a wholessic standpoint. Merchants as a rule are buying very little for immediate use, as is always the case at this time of year. The cold weather of this week, though, has been of great help to retailers in deaning out their stocks of, heavy goods. The extreme cold has made it absolutely necessary for those who have to be out of doors to have heavy clothing of all of doors to have heavy clothing of all kinds, and consequently the demand for that class of goods has been quite satisfactory, and present indications are that merchants will carry over no more than the usual amount of stock. Traveling men have been sending in liberal orders for spring and next fall stuff.

and in nearly every case they feel greatly encouraged with the prospects for a pros-perous year.

The markets are also in a good healthy the markets are also in a good nearly condition and very few weak spots are to be found in any line. It may be said that the general tendency of prices is upward, rather than downward, so that both whole-salers and retailers feel safe in carrying

Sugar Excited and Higher. Wholesale grocers report the demand for heir lines as being fully up to expecta-lous. The markets are also quite satisfacory and since last report several important changes have gone into effect. One of the most noticeable advances is that which has taken place on sugar. The market is quoted as excited and higher. Raws both in New as excited and higher. Raws both in New York and London advanced steadily all last week. The latter market is now quoted at his sed, as compared with 9s ed less than ninety days ago. Refined sugars are quoted in this market 20c per 100 pounds higher than they were a week ago, and those in a position to know say that it looks as though the top had not yet been reached.

The coffee market is in just about the same position it was a week ago. The

The coffee market is in just about the same position it was a week ago. The available supply of coffee, however, is in very strong hands and holders do not seem to be at all inclined to make sales at less than full list prices, and the more desirable grades are held at a premium. The largest operators in New York appear to have considerable confidence in the future of the market and predict considerably higher prices. It is rather early to make predictious regarding the growing crop in Brazil, but at the same time the season is far enough along for those in close touch with prevailing conditions to predict that even under the most favorable climatic conditions between now and the maturing of the prevailing conditions to predict that even under the most favorable climatic conditions between now and the maturing of the berry the crop will not exceed the yield of 1904 and 1905, which is estimated at 9,500,000 bags, with the possibility of the new crop being from 1,000,000 to 1,500,000 bags less than the 1904 and 1905 crop. Statistics show that from July to December of last year 7,750,000 bags of Brazil coffee was marketed, which leaves 1,750,000 bags to be marketed from January 1 to the end of June. Taking the world's supply it is estimated that in addition to the Brazil crop for 1904 and 1905 there are 4,500,000 bags, which makes a total of 14,000,000 bags. The estimated consumption for the year is 15,000,000 bags, which will leave a vissible supply July 1, 1905, of 10,500,000 bags, as compared with a visible supply July 1, 1904, of 12,301,000 bags. From these figures it is seen that statistically coffee is in a very strong position.

The canned goods situation is more interesting than was the case a week ago. Gallon apples have been marked up by New York packers 150725c per dozen, with a very strong feeling at the advance. Oysters have gone to the lowest point reached for some time, but even at the prices named

strong feeling at the advance. Oysters in a very strong feeling at the advance. Oysters have gone to the lowest point reached for some time, but even at the prices named trade is not as heavy as might be expected. Domestic sardines are also quoted at a low figure and while trade is better than usual at this season there is no immediate prospect of any improvement in prices. Tomatices are slightly firmer than they were a week ago.

In the line of dried fruits peaches are attracting considerable attention, as the market is in a peculiar situation. The supply on the Pacific coast is considered smaller than for many years at this season. One month of good trade, such as may be expected in April or May, would use up the entire California stock. Evaporated apples are also in a very strong position, most holders having advanced their prices having adva

Cotton Goods Firm.

The market on cotton goods is reported firm. Many jobbers are now on the market for goods for spring as well as for later delivery, and as they have been carrying very light stocks their orders have been excepdionally large. A good outlook for future business has also had a tendency to make them buy freely, and present indications are that manufacturers will find a ready market for their entire season's output. That being the cituation, there seems to be small reason for expecting any material reduction in prices.

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Reports received from the country last week were very encouraging. Retailers sold a good deal of their stocks of heavy goods owing to the extremely cold weather. The way it looks now merchants will carry over

way it looks now merchants will carry over very little stock, so they will be in a position to buy freely both for spring and also for next fall.

Traveling men are meeting with good success in landing orders and so far this year have done better than they did a year ago. Unless something happens to change the situation they expect to find this the most prosperous year yet experienced.

Remembering their experience of a year ago when the price of rubbers was advanced without notice, merchants are buying freely for their next fall's requirements. As previously stated, the reductions made January 1 are not guaranteed for any length of time, and that very reason makes jobbers think that there is liable to be an advance at any time. The larger and better merchants are, as a rule, placing their orders as fast as the traveling men call on ter merchants are, as a rule, placing their orders as fast as the traveling men call on them. The brisk demand for heavy footwear last week also encouraged retailers, as in all probability they will not carry over more stock than usual. A good many merchants have broken their stocks to such an extent that they are sizing up quite freely, which gave local jobbers a nice business last week, with prospects favorable for a still greater demand this week. The situation in rubber goods may now be said to be much more satisfactory than it has been for some little time past.

There is nothing particularly new in leather goods. Traveling men are capturing a good many orders for spring lines and merchants are cleaning out their winter goods in fairly good shape. Everything

goods in fairly good shape. Everything now points to a very brisk spring trade. Hardware Active and Firm.

Hardware jobbers report the demand for their lines of goods as being unusually large for the time of year. Retailers have en-joyed an excellent business at the fall and winter and consequently they keep sending winter and consequently they keep sending in orders for such lines as they sell out. Traveling men are also doing exceptionally well on the road and so far this sping have sold more goods for spring delivery than ever before. The general impression seems to be, both among wholesalers and retailers, that spring trade will be a record breaker.

There have been no new developments on the market. Prices on practically all lines

Behemian 'Los Von Rom' movement, the Lutheran church in Germany has been pouring considerable supplies into those The demand for fruits and vegetables was The demand for fruits and vegetables was rather limited last week owing to the extremely cold weather which made it almost impossible to ship perishable goods. That being the case, there were very few market changes and no special features to the trade.

The egg market and also the butter market firmed up last week, owing, no doubt, in a measure to the cold weather, which cut down receipts. Poultry was also firm but the demand for most lines was not particularly brisk.

ticularly brisk

The following births and deaths have been reported to the Board of Hearth during the twenty-four hours anding at non Saturda | Birth-Edwin Ripley, 1818 North Eagh.

Deaths-Sarah E. Research ngitation against the minister, thanking heaven that he was not a minister in ancient Rome when the Apostle Paul went through Greece and Asia Minor collecting for the weak church at Jerusalem.

teenth, boy.

Deaths—Sarah E. Hammill. 769 South Seventeenth, 57; Lizzie Haymer, 725 Dupont, 89; Cyrus Wright, 1914 North Twenty-fourth, 72; Lawinia Henning, 3135 Burdette, Twenty-fourth, 60.

ECHOES OF THE ANTE ROOM

Masonic.

St. John's lodge, No. 25, conferred the E. A. degree Thursday evening last. Next Thursday evening, January 19, and on the following Thursday, January 28, the M. M. iegree will be conferred, followed by the serving of refreshments.

A school of instruction will be held at Masonic temple January 23, 24 and 25 by Grand Custodian Robert E. French of

On January 19, commencing at 2 p. m., St. John's lodge, No. 25, will give a farewell entertainment in honor of Worshipful Master A. P. Johnson. Refreshments will e served at,6 p. m.

The impressive midnight burial service tu memory of the late Brother John Rudd at Masonic temple Thursday night was largely attended, as was the formal burial service held by St. John's lodge, No. 25, on Friday afternoon.

Royal Achates.

The chicken ple social given by the Royal Achates of the city last Tuesday was a big success, there being upward of 300 participants in the feast.

Omaha lodge, No. 1, held another of its ocial entertainment meetings last Tuesday evening, with a big attendance. Progressive high five was a feature of the evening, the honors being borne away by A. W. Reed and F. L. Wenver.

The reorganization of the degree staff inder the captaincy of R. W. Connell has progressed rapidly. Special meetings of the staff are held Saturday evenings, refreshments being served at each meeting. As result of this progress the initiatory eremonies of the session next Tuesday evening will be particularly interesting, at which time a class of twenty-five will receive the degree. At the close of the meeting a short literary and musical program will be given by Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Keltner, two professional lights who are visiting a few days with the parents of Mrs. Keltner, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Slinger-

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B. & M. camp. No. 2722, installed officers

as tokens of esteem for their efficiency. Omaha camp, No. 120, initiated six new vening.

Saturday night. January 14, to initiate a class of candidates for camp No. 1300 at that place. Hickory camp. No. 5128, gave a public nstallation of its new officers last Tueslay night, jointly with its auxiliary grove of Royal Neighbors of America. The installing officer for Hickory camp was C. H. T. Riepen, district deputy. Kate Remington was the installing officer for the Royal Neighbors of America. Following the installation refreshments of coffee, cake and sandwiches were served. The officers of Hickory camp Installed were: C. J. Meyer, consul; T. Smith, adviser; W. P. Matthews, banker; G. A. Bowyer, clerk; W. H. Ellis, escort; C. H. Dunn, W. T. Crabtree, P. M. Tuttle, managers; W. R. Hobbs. W. A. Hostetter, J. A. Cumming

physicians. Maple camp, No. 945, Installed officers Wednesday evening last, jointly with Pansy camp, No. 10, Royal Neighbors of America. T. M. Standard was the installing official for Maple camp and Mrs. Ida Fowler for Pansy camp. The officers of Maple camp installed were: M. Barlow, consul; George Madison, adviser; C. H. Isard, banker; C. A. Grimes, clerk; N. F. Harris, assistant clerk; A. King, escort; J. W. Marshall, watchman; A. F. Gates, sentry; Thomas Standard, manager; J. C. Moore

and A. S. Pinto, physicians. The next joint meeting of the conference mmittees under the auspices of the promotion committee will be held next Wednesday evening with Nebraska camp, No. 4771, at its hall, corner Thirteenth and Martha streets. An enjoyable program has been prepared, which includes refreshments.

Modern Maccabees.

Boynton tent No. 1291 held a rousing neeting last Wednesday evening. The rustees reported on the hall location and their report was adopted. On Wednesday evening. January 25, the tent will hold an open meeting at Labor temple hall. A fine program is being arranged for the event.

Knights of the Maccabees.

Omaha tent No. 75 held its regular review on Thursday evening last. The dance committee reported that the dance was a success in every particular. Several cases of sickness were reported and the emergency committee was directed to render the necessary aid. The installation of officers for the ensuing year will be held at the regular review on Thursday evening. January 25.

Tribe of Ben Hur.

Banner court No. 75 of South Omaha met Friday evening in Eagle hall, with a big attendance. A large class was obligated. Brother Ernest F. Bartle giving the obligation.

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Elistine Giris Wear White Caps and Gowns. The Piclain White Caps and Gowns. The principal motion became very complex with the addition of two clever amendaments. Throughout the discussion the indical and logical ability of the president. Miss Frances Martin, were put to a very severe test. With great skill these paritamentary knots were united. The Piclaides society gave a Russian program Friday. An original poem by Miss Georgia Elisbury was well read by Miss Frances Shields. Miss Amelia Bauer read ap interesting original story. Russian legends were given by Jocelyn Charde and Vera Fink. An essay on Count Tolstol was very interesting original story. Russian legends were given by Jocelyn Charde and Vera Fink. An essay on Count Tolstol was very legitle of the society, offered valuable suggestions at the close of the meeting. The Liminger Travel club held a short business meeting Friday, after which the following program was very entertainingly presented:

Paper—The City of Naples

Brother Ernest F. Bartle giving the obliga-tion to the new members. The election of officers for the ensuing year followed, with Officers for the ensuing Year followed, with Helen Hudspeth.

Omnha court No. 110 held an open meet-Omnha court No. 110 held an open meeting Tuesday evening last, which was attended by fully 200 members and their families. A literary and musical program was rendered as follows: Songs by Misses Moran, Nattle Weigh, Mrs. H. A. Whipple, Edna and Nordert Sullivan; piano solo by Mrs. Cunningham and duets by Misses Lorance and Pickett, and Grace Johnson and Lulu Sadier; fancy dancing by Misses Bolzer; recitations by J. P. Patterson and H. B. Ward and an address by B. B. Coons. Refreshments were served at the close or the program.

Woodmen of the World.

The jurisdictional convention of the

The jurisdictional convention of the Woodmen of the World for the district comprising Nebraska, Kansas, North Dakota and South Dakota will be held in Omaha beginning on the second Tuesday of March, 1966. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing year and the general transaction of business for the district, reports of officers, etc. The convention will also elect delegates | from the district to the sovereign camp

United States samp No. 25 entertained its members and friends at a stance and high-five party Saturday evening at Braternal half, corner of Fourteenth and Dodge streets. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the team and United States camp No. 229 entertained

degree staff of No. 239. These entertainents are given every two weeks. This camp held an enthusiastic meeting ast Thursday night at Fraternal hall. A

big class of candidates was initiated and number balloted upon.

All the Woodmen Circle groves of the city will unite in a joint installation of officers Monday evening, January 16, at Fraternal hall, corner of Fourteenth and Dodge streets. Supreme Guide Mrs. Man hester will officiate. Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies and an attrac ive program will be rendered. The entertainment will be given under the auspices of Poplar grove No. 1.

J. A. Bowler of United States camp, who has been seriously til for some time, is slowly recovering.

Grand Army of the Republic.

George W. Crook post No. 282 installed s new officers at Magnolia hall, Twentyfourth and Ames avenue, as follows: Con mander, Thomas L. Hull; senior vice commander, S. I. Gordon; junior vice comnander, Comrade Day; officer of the day, George P. Garlick; officer of the guard, William Pierce; chaplain, A. K. Rhodes, George A. Custer post No. 7 installed officers last Tuesday night at their hall in the Continental block. The installing officer was Past Post Commander John I. Hobbs. The new officers are: Charles W. Harpster, commander; Francis Garretty, senior vice commander: R. A. Clearwater. lunior vice commander; Charles L. Thomas, adjutant; Jonathan Edwards, quartermaster; Dr. J. H. Peabody, surgeon; David Devol, chaplain; E. W. Johnson, officer of the day; A. H. Scott, officer of the guard;

M. J. Feenan, sergeant major. Custer Woman's Relief corps No. 82 in-Feenan, president; Mrs. Hetty Giles, senior vice president; Mrs. Catherine Little, junior vice president; Mrs. Rosa Wood, treasurer, Mrs. F. B. Strong, secretary; Mrs. Emma Clark, conductor; Mrs. Taske, guard; Mrs. Francis Austin, chaplain. The installing officer was Mrs. S. B. Strauss.

MUNICIPAL PAVING Board of Public Works Will Make Its Recommendations to Council on Tuesday.

Six bids for the construction of a mu-Friday night last, the installing officer be- of 500 square yards per day were received begin a systematic effort to have suitable ing W. P. Heft. Those installed were: At by the Board of Public Works Friday afti- lessons in scientific temperance put into Dukes, consul; D. S. Mass, adviser; P. I. ernoon and another belated proposition the school readers and then to support Devol, banker; Henry E. Tagger, clerk; came in Saturday morning. This was in such readers as have these lessons in them. C. E. Mitchell, escort; A. C. Lees, watch- sharp contrast to the bidding last fall. Mrs. Mary Russell of Lincoln, state superman; George Mitchell, sentry; Sam Haines, when only one proposal was received and intendent of scientific temperance instrucmanager; A. E. Mack and Rudolph Rix, that for the full amount of the appropria- tion, will be asked to authorize the work Following the installing ceremonies the \$7,500, and it came by telegram from the national union will be urged to begin its ad consul, consul adviser and clerk were Star Machine Works of Indianapolis. A agitation in all the states. made the recipients of valuable presents telegram was sent immediately directing the firm to submit its bid on the proper andidates at its meeting last Wednesday will bur out the proposition was not de- cial teapor by engaging a newspaper woman District Deputy C. H. T. Riepen and for consideration to City Engineer Rose- Wade, society editor on one of the Wash-Charles E. Allen went to Elkhorn, Neb., water, who prepared the specifications. The ington papers, is the woman, and the official other bids were as follows

eorge Adgate, Omaha oquois Iron Works, Buffalo..... Is for \$10,525. It is understood that Mr. Adgate repre-

dations before the council meeting Tuesday night.

plant, now in successful operation.

OMAHA HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

lowing numbers:
The Goose—(A numorous recitation)
Ds Davidson Recitation-A Glance Behind the Cur-Lowell

Lynn Lloyd.

A Discussion of Six Current Topics....
Charles Brome.
The Nebraska Legislature
William Talbot.
At the close Mr. Waterhouse addressed the meeting relative to the new police.

At the close Mr. Waterhouse addressed the meeting relative to the new policy adopted by the faculty and expressed his regrets that some members had criticised his actions without duly investigating the relative merits of the new system. The society, through its acting president, deplored that some members had thus seen fit to censure the principal without cause and expressed himself as confident that a majority of the members heartily sustained the action of Mr. Waterhouse and the faculty. the action of Mr. Waterhouse and the faculty.

The Lincoln society held a short business meeting Friday. Some indignation prevailed among some of its members at the restrictions placed upon them by the faculty and principal.

The Browning society held a short business meeting Friday. The ruling of Mr. A. H. Waterhouse and the faculty was received with enthusiasm.

The Elaine society gave a closed program Friday afternoon for the purpose of practicing parliamentary law. The subject under discussion was: "Resolved. That the Elaine Girls Wear White Caps and Gowns." The principal motion became very complex

this result: Past chief. Mrs. Gibson; chief, Mrs. Powers; judge. Mr. Pruden; teacher, Mrs. Lucas; scrike, Mrs. Jehn; keeper. Mr. Dailey, captain, P. T. Powers; guide, J. Henderson; K. I. G., Mr. Jehn; K. O. G., Mrs. Henderson. After the election of officers addresses were delivered by Dr. Berry, P. T. Powers and E. F. Bartle on the good of the order.

On February 15 this court will give a dance at Independent Order of Odd Fellows hall. The new officers will be installed at the meeting of January 27.

Omnha court No. 110 held an open meet—

Times Miss June Greevy.

Joke Costs Him Five.

O. G. Felling of the Western Employment agency was fined \$5 and costs in police court. He was arraigned on a complaint of petit intenty sworm to by Miss Mina Gadway of the M. E. Smith & Co. factory. Miss Gadway alleged the man took \$5 from her as a loke two weeks ago, but she stated it went beyond a joke when Felling failed to return the money after the lapse of a fortnight. Felling claimed the young woman loaned him the money.

WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY

The Club Calendar.

MONDAY-Social Science department meet-ing, 3:30 o'clock. Young Women's Chris-tian association membership banquot, 6:15-o'clock. Third number of Young Women's

o'clock. Third number of Young Women's Christian association educational course, \$15 o'clock. Parliamentary Practice department, 2:30 o'clock. Parliamentary Practice department, 2:30 o'clock. Current Topics department, 2:30. Ethics and Philosophy department, 2:45. WEDNESDAY—Meeting of Mn Sigma-Woman's club; Women's Missionary conference of the Episcopai church; meeting of the Oratory department, 10 o'clock. forence of the Episcopal church, meeting of the Oratory department. 10 o cloos. THURSDAY-Meeting of Visiting Nurses' association at Paxton hotel, 4 p. m. Meeting of Art department, 1050. FRIDAY-Mr. Abbott's Shakespeare recital at the home of Mrs. E. A. Cudahy for the benefit of the Creche.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union

ms set to work in earnest to secure the teaching of scientific temperance in the schools of Nebraska and in Omaha. At present the Nebraska law leaves such provision with the local authorities, and as a result this study has been crowded out and has amounted to little. The local union is agitating for a new law, that shall be patterned after the Kansas law, which provides that no certificate shall be granted to any person to teach in the public schools of the state who has not passed a satisfactory examination in the lements of physiciogy and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic stimulants and narcotics upon the humau system, and that provision shall be made by the proper school authorities for such instruction in the schools of the state. stalled officers for the ensuing year Tues-day evening last as follows: Miss Clara tury series of physiology be put into the Omaha schools, because it meets nearer than any other, they think, what is required. The series includes a primer of oral lessons for the first and second grades, a text book in the hands of the children of the third and fourth grades, the elementary book in the hands of the children of the fifth and sixth grades and the intermediate text book for the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades. The high school book they consider inadequate, but very good as a supplementary work. Chairman David Cole of the text book committee of the Board of Education has promised to bring the matter to the attention of that committee at its meeting Monday evening. nicipal asphalt repair plant with a capacity | In addition to this, the women intend to tion, \$10,000. The low bid this time was in Nebraska, and Mrs. Mary Hunt of the

Mrs. Charles K. Fairbanks has stirred up forms. Whether or not the irregularity a sm. . -sized tempest in Washington's socided by the board, all bids being referred as her social secretary. Miss Margaret set resent the presence within the official Toledo Construction & Supply Co. \$ 8.750 pale of this "Sister Ann" to the public, and (Portable plant) 8.520 the more so as Miss Wade has established F. D. Cummer & Son. Cleveland 9.850 a reputation for looking first to the interests of her paper even to the extent of 10.000 ests of her paper even to the extent of 14.365 clashing with Secretary Loeb himself. Soon The bid of the Pioneer Iron Works of after his advent in the White House Mr. Brooklyn, which came in Saturday morning. | Loeb laid down certain rules whereby reporters were confined to one certain part of the executive mansion. Miss Wade resented sents the Hetherington people of Indian-apolis, who built the Detroit municipal this restriction and refused to comply, and as a result she was barred from the White House in her professional capacity. It is The board will meet to make recommensaid that the objection to Miss Wade has been prompted by several officials of high standing who have before now been the victims of Miss Wade's keen observations, but as it would scarcely become them to argue with the wife of the vice president regard The Demosthenes Debating society held its regular weekly meating after school Friday. After the disposal of short matters of business the regular bi-weekly program was taken up. This consisted of the following numbers:

In the private and social affairs they can only leave it to their wives and daughters to express disapproval after their own methods. But Mrs. Fairbanks is not a novice in Washington society, and her friends ice in Washington society, and her friends regard her tact quite sufficient to overcome this little difficulty.

> The legislative committee of the Lincoin Woman's club are promised a busy time during the present session of the legislature. While the clubs all over the state are loing thir utmost to secure the passage of the juvenile court bill this legislative committee is doing practically all the work for the women on the ground. Hon, D. I. Johnson went to Lincoln Wednesday evening with the completed bill for equal inheritance, or the "Women's property rights bill," as it has been rather erroneously salled, expecting that it would be introduced during the week. The bill has been approved by most of the women's organizaons of the state, who are looking to the Lincoln women for material help in influencing its passage.

> "Through the efforts of Miss Mary Waterhouse the Ladies' Civic league has been organized at Beaufort, S. C., with sixteen charter members," says the Charleston (S. C.) Keystone. And then it goes on to say that "the intendant has offered to furnish labor for the improvement of any town property and the station agent of the Charleston & Western Carolina rallroad has been authorized to furnish section hands for the ladies in laying out the plot at the station. The court house is also to be looked after." If this is a sample of the co-operation customary in South Carolina the lot of the Ladies' Civic league is surely a happy one and the wonder is that it was neceseary for them to organize at all.

"Mogy" Bernstein will address the members of the political and social science department of the Woman's clab Monday afternoon, his subject to be "The Newsboys" The meeting will open promptly at 3:30 o'clock and all interested are cordially Judge Ben Lindsey of the Denver juvenile court will talk of the work among juvenile

offenders, the court and the probation sys-

tem. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the

audience room on the fifth floor of the city hall. Judge Lindsey comes to Omaha under

the auspices of the club women in their effort to secure the passage of a juvenile court law for Nebraska. The meeting will be free to all interested in the subject. The members of the New Book Review club met Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. H. D. Neely, the program being given before luncheon. "Richard Le Guil-lame and His Work" was the special topic, A review of his last work, "Painted Shad-

table topics were from Japan. The next kensington of the current topics department will be held Tuesday afternoon, January 24, at the home of Mrs. H. P. Jens sen, 2804 Harney street.

ows," was given by 'Mrs. Maritzius. The

BRANDEIS SELLS OLD BUILDING Lots West of Corner on Douglas Must Be Cleared Within Sixty

The three old brick buildings on Donglas street, west of the Young Men's Christian association building to Seventeenth street, were sold yesterday afternoon by J. L. Brandels & Sons to the Omaha Building company for \$2,500. The contract of sale calls for the removal of the buildings within sixty days. The buildings included in the sale are the Glencairn hotel and