BENCH AND BAR AT BANQUET

Practitioners and Court Take a Few Good-Natured Shots at Each Other.

AFFAIR IS A MOST ENJOYABLE ONE

speakers Manage to Inject Consider. able Levity in a Number of Dry Topics Ordinarily of Interest Only to Profession.

secretaries of eloquence, judges of the courts and devotees of the law foregathered at the Her Grand hotel Saturday evening at the annual banquet of the Omaha Bar association. There were present about four score of the men who argue and administer the law in Douglas county, Judges Estelle, Redick and Kennedy were at the board to represent the bench. The rest of the banqueters were men who are devoting their time and talents to convincing the bench and its right arm, the jury, that it doesn't know it all.

Landlord Rome Miller had ordered a delicious repast of six courses, and through his clever understudy, Dillard Simpson, it courses ranged from oysters and celery to ice cream and fashionable cigars, and all came along just as they ought to for gustatory satisfaction.

H. C. Brome, president of the Omaha Bar association, was toastmaster. He had a nice conception of the duties of the position; hence the Introductions were quite as brief

Edward M. Martin, down on the program for a dissertation on "Ex-Parte" happen ings, had met with an unfortunate accident, so to Ed P. Smith fell the opening of the set speeches. He talked in most entertaining vein of the "Hearings and Rehearings," that are part of the meat on which law yers feed. Mr. Smith was entirely respectful, but in another sense quite critical in his comments on the rule of the state supreme court which limits attorneys to thirty minutes in their arguments before that august tribunal. It is so natural for lawyers to kick for time, either for delay or for the display of eloquence, that Mr. Smith could not resist the temptation to throw in a few convulsing comparisons of things as they ought to be and as they are, touching supreme court hearings. He could not refrain, however, from the comment that the rule of the Nebraska su preme court limiting arguments on rehear ings is the shortest in the union. H opined, in an inoffensive and jocular way

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Not Sleep—Had Given Up

Hope of Recovery.

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in Neighborhood, but Kept Growing Worse

All the Time—Completely and Permanently

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at all, and how she kept alive was a wonder. She had tried every

doctor in the neighborhood, but kept growing worse all the time.

the disease spread until it appeared on almost her entire body. It

affected her hands and wrists and made housework out of the

question. So bad was her condition at this time that she de-

ceiving any benefit, living in misery for years, with hair whitened

hope. She said, 'Nothing will cure me, I must die with it.' How-

and when she had used three bottles of Resolvent, five boxes of

Cuticura Ointment and ten cakes of Cuticura Soap, she was en-

tirely cured. Her hair returned to its natural color, dark brown,

and she looked ten years younger. I have written telling you of

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tual delectation, and out of a presumably dry subject extracted a good deal of the ourse that enchanteth the ear." Also, Mr. Wakeley presented in eloquent periods intricacies of the law. He made this use-

fulness as plain as it can be made. "The Bench and Bar, the Hope of All

Who Suffer, the Dread of All Who Wrong," TIME TOO SHORT FOR PRESENT PURPOSE was Judge Redick's subject. The young and forceful jurist treated his toast with s eriousness that was lightened by flashes of wit and of common sense philosophy. Taking as his cue the plea of one lawyer that another had been guilty of unprofessional statements, he said he would lemand the same privilege, in an offhand way. He then proceeded to point out a few of the mistakes of attorneys that become plain to every presiding judge. One

point he emphasized was that many lawyers' pleas are disjunctive rather than confunctive to the function of a busy The judge was so nice about it. court. though, that he won much applause from his hearers, which would seem to show that even lawyers can listen to reason. Commissioner Letton of the adjunctory and extra-judicial body of which the supreme court of Nebraska boasts, was

uite happy in his review of Counselor Smith's objections to Rule 5 of the supreme court, while Judge Ben Baker and others drew examples and illustrations from acwas served in satisfactory style. The total experiences of law practice that were at once enlightening and enlivening.

A Lesson in Sales Culture.

Visitors to the city and residents alike of the feminine personsion, are enjoying to the full the inspection of the latest whims and caprices in millinery. The handsome appointments and furnishings on the second floor of The Bennett company's store have created especial inter-These appointments and furnishings ware carried out by A. Bloom & Co. of the general fund. Omaha, from plans drawn up by Fisher & Lawrie of this city, the whole brought out with art decorative effects by The Bennett company's own artist. Of the millinery display many women believe and declare that it is beyond a question the finest to be found outside the great metropolitan cities of Chicago and New York, and is only surpassed by very few of the greatest stores in these cities. It is an vidence of Omaha's ambition and ability to take foremost place in retail merchandising in the union, and visitors from all parts are not slow to admit that nowhere else in these United States is retail merchandising art surpassed by any city twice the size of Omaha.

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Richardson Drug Company Meeting. opined, in an inoffensive and jecular way, that train schedules out of Lincoln should be changed if they will not allow of the supreme court giving sufficient time to earnest and complete arguments for rehearings.

Livens Up Dry Subject.

Arthur C. Wakeley was on the toast card for a response to the task of telling "The True Function of Scire Facias." He took a lawyer's liberty to ramble, for intellections (Richardson Drug company was held at the office of the company was held at the

the utility of the seemingly interminable | Proposition to Vote Sewer Bonds Will Be Delayed Somewhat.

Matter Will Have to Go Over to Special Election, but Will Be Submitted if the Legislature

Passes the Bill,

Thos in favor of voting tonds to the amount of \$250,000 for sewer extension purposes expected that matters could be arranged so as to have the proposition before the people at the election to be held on April 4. City Attorney Lambert now states that this will be impossible, even should the legislature pass the bill with an emergency clause. According to Mr. Lambert's opinion, it will be necessary for the plans before the people may vote upon the proposition. Andrew Rosewater, city engineer of Omaha, who is employed by the city to of the sewer to be published in an ordinance draw plans for a complete sewer system, will, it is stated, be unable to complete the plans in time for the necessary ten days'

Philip Kraus of Albright was surprised on Friday night by a number of friends and presented with a gold-headed cane, the occasion being Mr. Kraus' birthday.

When this statement was made yesterday ensiderable disappointment was shown by those who desired the people to vote on the proposition at the coming election. As the plans cannot be completed for some little time it is thought that a special election will be called some time during the summer or late in the spring. A special election will cost about \$500, but should an election be held this amount will be drawn from

In order to stave off the cases now pend ing in the district court against the city, re quiring it to abate the so-called Mud creek sulsance, something will have to be done this year, else the city will be called upon to confess judgment and pay the costs of the suits. At least this is what the city attorney and the council say. The city at torney has stated that he has no defence to offer that would hold in court and that the only way to avoid paying damages is to have a new sewer to the river con-

Third Benefit Entertainment.

On Thursday evening, March 30, Rev. L. and \$60 in money. J. Vaughn of La Crosse, Wis., will lecture club and the proceeds will go to the buildcoming lecture will be the last of the series | their heads. arranged for. It is hoped that Rev. Vaughn will be greeted by a large audience. The two previous entertainments were not given the support that they merited, but with better weather on the way the expectation is that the auditorium of the temple will

Beal's Condition Serious. Dr. Lord of Omaha performed an op-

eration on Herman Beal, the city engineer, at the South Omaha hospital yesterday. Owing to unlooked for conditions the operation was not carried as far as expected. The information was given out at the hospltal Saturday afternoon that Mr. Beal's condition is serious and that there is a possibility of his not recovering from the shock of the operation. Friends of the city engineer are greatly worried over his condition, but hope for the best.

blanks for this year have been printed and are now in the hands of the commissioner. Mr. O'Neif is preparing a list of the deputies that he will employ when the time comes. The valuation for 1904 as returned by Mr. O'Neil was \$18,733,228. With the improvements made since last April it is expected that the valuation this year will easily reach the \$20,000,000 mark.

New Commercial Club.

A meeting of the business men and citizens is to be held at Workman temple, Twenty-fifth and M streets, on Monday night for the purpose of reorganizing the Omaha Commercial club. Postal cards have been sent out by a committee interested in the reorganization and it is expected that a large number will be present. Dr. W. J. McCrann is at the head of movement and he expects that by

starting a real live club a great deal of

good can be accomplished.

Lambert Secures Continuance. City Attorney Lambert secured a conthuance for one week in the mandamus proceedings against Mayor Koutsky. The proceedings were brought by J. H. Van Dusen and F. A. Brogan to compel the mayor to sign a warrant for \$600 attorneys fees. When the validity of the Fire and Police Board law was in question the pocommissioners employed Van Dusen and Brogan. The bill for services was presented to the city council and was held up for a long time. Not long ago the bill untary letter telling how Cuticura Remedies saved the life of my was put on the appropriation sheet and allowed by the council. Mayor Koutsky vetoed the bill, but the council overruled "Some years ago she had Eczema, the worst case I have wit- the veto. After walting a reasonable nessed in my life. She was able to sleep only a little, scarcely ate length of time the mandamus proceedings were instituted. As the city attorney has

had no time to look into the matter and asked for a continuance of one week, which Her head was a mass of sores, the ears swollen and painful, and was granted by the court. Registration Day Coming.

On April 1 the registration books will be open in each of the twelve voting preincts in the city. This is for a revision of the registration. Those who have moved since the last election will be given an op-"Finally, after she had spent hundreds of dollars without re- portunity of securing transfers and newcomers will have a chance to register for the election to be held on April 4. A numfrom pain and suffering, and body terribly disfigured, a friend ber of vacancies exist on the registration came to her and told her she would get the Cuticura Remedies if board and the mayor and council will soon be called upon to revise the board and she would use them. But mother was discouraged and without fill vacancies. Quite a number of applications for places on the board have already ever, she began using the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, of the council.

Saturday the decorators employed by the Koutsky Paint company to decorate the iditorium of the new high school building completed their labors and the scaffolding was taken down. About 5,000 feet of lumthis because I feel it a duty to my fellow-men to let them know of ber was used in building the scaffolds. This has all been removed and yesterday afternoon the placing of the 960 seats in "Having mother's case in mind, I have often recommended the auditorium commenced. For the dec orating the school district paid \$520 and the work is declared first-class by those ford, Conn., I had the pleasure of knowing a number of friends who have inspected it. On Monday night the Board of Education will open bids for piano to be used in the auditorium. Magie City Gossip.

Horses clipped. Electric machine. Brew-r's barn. Thone 30. J. A. Mills expects to remove his family o Grant City, Mo., about April 1. George Paddock, Twenty-seventh and B treets, reports the birth of a son. I have done my duty, I shall be pleased if you will publish this for a day or two, visiting H. M. Christie. Mrs. R. S. Smith has gone to Cedar Rapids to visit her mother for a week or two.

> George Middleton of the National Packing company, located at St. Louis, is here on a visit. Mrs. Florence Moore has gone to Mar-seilles, Ill., to attend her father, who is seriously ill.

A meeting of the degree team of

% of the Workmen has been called Tuesday evening. John Hinchey left last night for Excel-sior Springs, Mo., where he expects to stay for a couple of weeks.

for a couple of weeks.

8. C. Shrigley writes friends here from California that he expects to return to South Omaha about April I.

City Treasurer Howe has received a check from the county treasurer for \$2.27 on the February scavenger tax account.

J. M. Weekly, aged 79 years, died at his home at Bellevue yesterday. The funeral will be held at Bellevue this afternoon.

Mrs. A. H. Noves has returned to her

Mrs. A. H. Noyes has returned to her home at Waterloo after spending the win-ter with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Sutton. The South Omaha Land company paid its 1904 taxes to the city treasurer yesterday. These taxes on realty amounted to \$4.083. Ars. Holt, Twenty-eighth and D streets, has returned from Minneapolis, where she went to attend the funeral of her mother.

On Thursday evening of this week, Rev. D. R. Turnbull of Omaha will deliver a preparatory sermon at the United Presbyterian church.

The Magic City King's Daughters will give a kensington at the home of Mrs. Guthrie, Twenty-third and D streets on Thursday afternoon.

Up to last night the police had not obtained any clue to the silver service stolen from the Episcopal church at Twenty-fourth and J streets.

"Confessing the Master" is the morning topic of Rev. Renwick at the United Prespyterian church today. In the evening the pastor will preach on the subject, "Our Dwn Church."

All of the city officials are complaining about sewer gas in the city building. The ewer is clogged and no effort has been made by the agents of the building to have the sewer opened.

J. A. McLean, superintendent of schools, and N. M. Graham, principal of the high school, are making arrangements to attend the nineteenth annual meeting of the North Nebraska Teachers' association, to be held at Norfalk or Market New Market N Nebraska Teachers' association, to be held at Norfolk on March 29-31. Superintendent McLean is president of the association this

ROBBERS HOLD UP GROCERY

Four Men Locked in leebox After Having Been Thoroughly Searched.

Two robbers entered the greecry store and meat market conducted by Julius Dreyfuss at 2010 Farnam street at 9:50 last evening and held up the four men who were in the store at the time. The robbers secured a diamond ring and between \$50

Julius Dreyfuss, proprietor of the place at Workman Temple on the topic, "Is Life David Ehrenrich, R. B. Golden and "Judge" Worth Living?" This entertainment is Belcher, colored, were in the store when given under the auspices of the Bon Temps | two men entered the front door and politely asked them to throw up their hands, ing fund of the South Omaha Hospital as- As one of the men held a revolver in his sociation. Aiready two entertainments hand that seemed to be pointed at each have been given by the Bon Temps for the and every one of them at the same time purpose of assisting the hospital. The they quickly raised their hands above

Then while the man with the gun stood guard the other man went through the pockets of those in the store and took the money from the cash register. They took between \$40 and \$50 from the register, a diamond ring from Dreyfuss, \$5 from David Ehrenrich, a \$5 gold piece from Judge Belcher and 35 cents from R. B. Golden. After the men had secured all the money they could get they ordered everybody into the ice box and closed the door after them, thus effectually locking them in and placing them where they could not raise an alarm so quickly. They then left the store.

R. W. Hasford, who lives at the Bachelors' hotel, saw the men as they en-B. Altman close by and tried to 'phone to the police, but as the line was busy the vacant lot west of the hotel and fired five shots at them, but without any visible result. The robbers fired one shot in return, but it went wild, doing no harm. Hasford then went into the store and released the prisoners from the ice box and notified the police, who were quickly on the scene, but the robbers left no clue,

"QUAKER MAID" IN PARIS.

Will Be Represented at International Pure Food Exhibition.

S. Hirsh & Co., Kansas City, Mo., owners of Quaker Maid Whiskey, have shipped a consignment of this favorite brand to Paris to be displayed at the International Pure Food exhibition which opens in the Tuileries April 7. The exhibition will include high-class food products from every country. It is given under the auspices of the French government and will be supervised by the minister of the interior. The exhibition will continue sixty days and medals will be awarded for the highest degree of merit in each class.

Quaker Maid will be well represented. and arrangements have been completed for an attractive display. Quaker Maid Whiskey is already a medal winner, having been awarded the gold medal at the St. Louis

Southwest Colonist Rates. On February 21st and March 21st the Iowa Central will sell special one-way settlers' tickets at half fare plus two dollars to points in Nebraska, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories, Texas. etc. Don't fail to consult agents, or address

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The Silk Sensation Monday

Monday at 8 in the morning all the silks from the special purchase will go on sale. Every piece is new and fresh-made and sold for this season's trade -READ THE DESCRIPTIONS-if interested the values should certainly attract you. As usual our guarantee goes with every purchase—money back if the goods don't wear to your satisfaction. Three lots this time-we advise a morning visit and an early one if you want a pick-THERE'S A DIFFERENCE.

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Remember after Monday all the silks from this special purchase goes into stock at value and will be sold thereafter at regular prices.

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celebrate his 'nth birthday and got de-cently full. All went well until at 7:06 o'clock last evening he attempted to dis-pute the right-of-way with a southbound Walnut Hill car at Fifteenth and Farnam streets and as a result was promptly knocked down by the car. He was taken to the police station, where a slight bruise over his left eye, which he received in the encounter with the street car, was dressed by Police Surgeon Wigton. After which he was locked up on a charge of being drunk.

Special Attractions at the Auditorium Rink.

In addition to regular skating every afternoon and evening this week, the Audi torium rink will present two special attractions, a hurdle race for boys on Tuesday night, and a costume skate for everybody on Thursday night. The hurdle race will be exceptionally interesting and humorous. The boys will be obliged to crawl through suspended barrels on their way around the rink and all sorts of ridiculuous maneuvers will be the result.

On Thursday night will occur the first grand costume skate, in which every body who wishes to skate will be obliged to wear a costume or mask. All skaters will be tered the store and ran into the store of obliged to pass a private inspection at the door to prevent the possibility of any objectionable persons gaining admission to could do nothing. He then went to the the rink. Cash prizes will be given for the Tax Commissioner's Work.

City Tax Commissioner Thomas J. O'Neil is making ready to commence work on the left he saw the men running across for the best comic costume and best charged for the best comic costume. acter costume. The price of admission wi be the same as usual on Thursday night with the exception of the box seats, which will be 25 cents, all other seats 10 cents. The usual price for the use of skates wil

Edholm's New Jewelry Store. Sixteenth street retail district is exemplified in the beautiful manner in which this artistic store has been fitted and furnished. Rich mahogany, marble, bronze and plate glass are used without stint. A diamond room cleverly arranged is one of the features. Although all appointlays incident to new enterprises, a steadily gratifying increase in volume of business is reported, as justifying Mr. Edholm's Mr. Edholm originally located opposite the postoffice, fifteen years ago, when that part of Sixteenth street began its boom, and though the necessity for a more central location, demanded by his patrons, has ben obvious for some years, it has but just now become possible. If what may follow on South Sixteenth street is to be measured by Mr. Edholm's pioneering in his smart new shop then Omaha may point with pride to its architect and

artisans. Notice to Ohionns.

The annual banquet and social of the Omaha Ohio association will be held at the Millard hotel Friday evening, March 24. All former residents of Ohio are cordially invited to come. Social session opens at 7:30 sharp. Tickets can be had at the following places: Barrett-Johnson company, 1507 Farnam streets; T. C. Havens, 1509 Howard street; O. D. Kiplinger, corner Thirteenth and Farnam streets; C. D. Thompson, 314 Karbach block, Fifteenth and Douglas streets. Price \$1. It is earnestly requested that all purchase tickets at once, so committee can tell how many plates to prepare. Turn out, as this bids fair to be the largest annual dinner in the history of the association. A large delegation will be present from the Council Bluffs association and from Nebraska and Iowa towns.

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