AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Colored Laborers on Concrete Gang Go Out on Strike.

WHITE MEN REFUSE TO FOLLOW THEM

Situation Looked Serious for a Short Time, but the Prompt Action of Chief Briggs Stops the Trouble.

A small strike interrupted the work of the concrete gang on Twenty-fourth street Saturday afternoon. The colored men, who had been employed by Parks, Johnson & Parks at $2 per day, walked out at 2 p. m. because their demand for $2.25 was denied. There had been a clash in sentiment (at least between the colored men and the white men who had been employed) and when the former threw down their tools and wheelbarrows the latter remained at work. The colored men gathered in a bunch and retired to the bank on the west side of the street at a point between Q and P and began to shout "Scab." This incensed the white men and a general row was threatened. The white men were of the opinion they were not in any way obligated to the colored men, who in many cases had taken the places of whites at the time of the last labor troubles in South Omaha. The police were notified of the condition of affairs. Chief Briggs visited the scene and at once ordered the colored men to cease their taunts and leave the locality. They hesitated and the chief seized one of them preparatory to putting him under arrest, while the white men looked on with shovels in their hands and their eyes on the rows of convenient brickbats. The expression of determination was enough and the colored men agreed to go after they had been assured of the pay that was due them.

Mr. Parks expressed himself as not pleased with the work of the class of colored men which had been employed. He said they had attempted to run out the whites he had hired and that they were unsteady and required too much watching. He declared he would hire none of the striking men again. They were all paid off last night and told to go.

Teachers Are Enthusiastic.

There was an enthusiastic attendance at the teachers' meeting held at the South Omaha High school yesterday morning. Nearly all the teachers in the city were present. Those who were to take part were all on hand and responded in a manner fully up to the expectations of the audience. The superintendent made a survey of the year's work insofar as it had progressed and commended the work of the teachers in every department and grade of the city. So far as he was concerned he assured all the teachers that he would recommend them all for re-election to their positions for another year.

The parts taken by Miss Jane Slocum, E. C. Finley and Miss Mary Fitzgerald were apropos, showing careful preparation and helpful in their suggestions. The solos by Miss O'Neill and Miss Yost were acceptable. Beside these charming selections a double trio concluded the program.

Sheffler Caught, Horse Missing.

Lee Sheffler has been arrested by the South Omaha police under suspicion that he made way with a horse which did not belong to him. The horse was bought in Council Bluffs on the 18th of last month by a well known horse buyer, Max Joseph. After buying the horse at the sale he gave it to Sheffler to lead over the river to South Omaha, where he was making up his load ready for shipment to Chicago. That was the last he ever saw of the horse. He suspected that Sheffler disposed of the horse in some manner while passing through Omaha. After spending some time in search to no avail Joseph gave a description of the missing Sheffler to the police. A day or two ago he was located and is now in jail awaiting the hearing of his case in police court. He says that when trying to lead the horse through Omaha it took fright and broke from him and he was unable to catch it, as it ran and was soon lost sight of. He said he searched for the horse faithfully, but that his efforts to locate the missing animal have been without success.

Two Games of Ball.

There will be two interesting games of ball this afternoon in the city of South Omaha. One will be played by the Jetters Gold Tops against a strong rival team from Omaha, known as the Starlights. This game will be played at Jetters' park and will be called promptly at 3:30. The other game will be played in the new park at Fortieth and Q streets. Here the Joe Duffys will play the Coronas of Omaha. This promises to be fully as interesting a game as the other. The boys have been working hard and the bleachers have been erected to accommodate the local fans.

House Blocks Street.

House movers, contrary to the orders of the building inspector, started to move the building formerly occupied by the South Omaha Novelty works, from its old site at Twenty-fourth and L streets to a new position on Twenty-sixth street. The orders of the inspector were not to begin to move the building until the structure could be at once moved far enough as not to obstruct the main street. As the building stands now it covers the sidewalk on the east side of the street and occupies all the width of the street to the car tracks. It is in such a position as to prevent the laying of the paving at L street. The house has remained in the same position for three days. Yesterday and the day before Mr. Trapp searched in vain for the man who has the moving contract, but was unable to find him. Allowing the building to remain will lay the movers liable to a fine. They will either have to pull the house back onto the lot or take immediate steps to get it off the street.

Magic City Gossip.

Miss Mae Tronson is visiting with her cousins at Bellevue.

J. Robinson, carpet cleaner and layer. Pivonka block. Phone 321.

Mrs. H. C. Richmond is visiting a few days with friends in this city.

Elmer Miller has taken up his residence at Thirteenth and N streets.

Jetter's Gold Top Beer delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 8.

Mrs. John Hurt, who has been ill for some time, is reported convalescing.

Great line of E-Z house shoes for ladies. Hand turned at $1.50, $1.65 and $1.[illegible] pair. Cressey.

Miss Lorena Johnson entertained a number of friends among the school teachers yesterday afternoon.

George Schwörm, 204 North Twenty-second street, reports the safe arrival of a new son in his home.

J. B. Watkins will build another new $1,600 dwelling and barn on property at Twenty-sixth and D streets.

The only man to receive a fine yesterday was Artel Carlson who was held for $3 and costs for minor offenses.

Mrs. E. F. Harrell of Clarinda, Ia., is the guest of Mrs. Munshaw. She will spend several days in the city.

Great season for misses' and children's low shoes. No stock in Douglas county more complete. Cressey, the Shoeman.

H. Lyle of the bureau of animal industry at this point has been ordered to Nebraska City. He expects to start to the new field today.

Mrs. M. H. Porter of Fullerton, assistant principal of the schools there, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stambaugh.

No shoe in Douglas county superior to the Stetson's for men. Your choice of any style, only $5.00. Saves you $1.00. Cressey.

George L. Town of Lincoln, accompanied by a member of the Board of Education of that city, inspected the South Omaha High school yesterday and were much pleased with the style of the building.

The Board of Education will hold a meeting Monday evening and organize for the ensuing year. Considerable interest will attach to the meeting.

GUN METAL—A fine dull, lightweight calf, very dressy and serviceable in ladies' oxfords at $2.50 and $3.00. See my fine selection. Cressey.

An organization of the senior class of the high school was entertained at the home of Master Harry Nixon Friday evening. A four course luncheon was served.

South Omaha circle of the Fraternal Life association will give a May dancing party at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple Wednesday evening, May 9.

Summon to your mind everything you would like to have in your spring suit, then go to Flynn's and look over the Hart, Shaffner & Marx spring models; you will see how well your wants have been anticipated. This is what Hart, Shaffner & Marx pay a designer $15,000 a year for. The price is cheap when figured on the output—less than 5 cents per garment. There is no question about the H., S. & M. line this or any other season. The goods, the style, the make, are all there, and we are making the prices. John Flynn Co.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Thoroughly Tested.

No better test can be given a medicine than that of time. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recommended by dealers who handle it. It has received thousands of testimonials from grateful people who have used it. It has been prescribed by physicians with satisfactory results. It has been analyzed by prominent chemists and found to be harmless. But the fact that it has been sold under guarantee to give satisfaction for almost a third of a century is the best test of all. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Try it when you have a cough or cold.

Musicians concert and ball, Auditorium, Monday, May 7. Entire receipts for San Francisco sufferers.

DIAMONDS—Frenzer, 15th and Dodge sts.

SEASONABLE FASHIONS.

NOS. 6389-6393—CORSET COVER AND CLOSED DRAWERS.

The varieties and styles of lingerie are many, but the requisites of all are daintiness and practicability. Most women take pleasure in fashioning this part of the wardrobe with a result that much originality is evident in the beautifying. Here is sketched a pretty corset cover, cut in low, round neck and closing at one side of the front. The peplum on the bottom insures its keeping place and does not add to the waist size because of its perfect fit. The drawers are closed ones, fastening at the side. They are of generous width about the bottom, shaping up on the side to give place for the garter when the garments are worn under the corset. For trimming a ruffle of embroidery or the tucked material will prove an effective finish, while the beading and ribbon finished in bows are always attractive. Nainsook, lawn and longcloth are the best materials for these garments. In the medium size 1½ yards are needed for the corset cover and 2¼ yards for the drawers.

No. 6389—Sizes, 32 to 44 inches bust measure.

No. 6393—Sizes, 20 to 36 inches waist.

The price of these patterns is 10 cents, but either will be sent upon receipt of 10 cents.

For the accommodation of readers of The Bee these patterns, which usually retail at from 25 to 50 cents each, will be furnished at the nominal price of 10 cents. A supply is now kept at our office, so those who wish any pattern can get it either by calling or enclosing 10 cents, addressed "Pattern Department, Omaha Bee, Omaha, Neb.

MR. CHAS. JORJENSEN formerly cutter and salesman for the U. S. Tailoring Company has accepted a position with MacCarthy-Wilson Tailoring Co. 304-306 South 16th where he will be pleased to have his friends call on him.

WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY.

Notwithstanding the cry of the opposition that the club movement is on the wane, the eighth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held at St. Paul, Minn., May 31 to June 7, promises to be the largest in point of attendance and in scope of interest of any in the history of the organization. While there are all manner of rumors afloat regarding propositions of a more or less radical nature to come before the convention, there has as yet developed no real issue. Appended to the call of the convention are several proposed amendments to the bylaws of the Federation, but in the main, with the exception of two, these are in fact of little importance. It has long been considered that the bylaws were poorly, even awkwardly, worded and the majority of the proposed amendments are to the end of clearer and more concise expression only.

There are two really important amendments, however, the first providing for an increase in the size of the board of directors and the second relating to dues. At present the board includes the seven executive officers and eight directors elected by the convention. Two means of increasing this board of directors are offered, the first by the addition of two vice presidents and the second by having a director from each state represented in the Federation, in addition to the regular officers.

There are also two propositions relating to dues. The first provides that clubs of from twenty-five to 400 members shall pay 10 cents per capita annually, and all clubs of over 400 members shall pay $40 annually. The second is that the dues of clubs of twenty-five and fewer than 100 shall pay 10 cents per capita, clubs of from 100 to 200 members $10 and clubs of more than 200 members 5 cents per capita. These amendments should be given careful consideration. At present the dues of clubs of less than twenty-five members is $2.50 a year and of all clubs of over twenty-five members 10 cents per capita. This assessment has been complained of as too heavy by the large city clubs and the argument that they can afford it is offset by the claim that the big city club has all it can do to meet the local demands upon it. These are demands of which the smaller clubs, and especially those of the smaller towns, know nothing, and while 10 cents per capita is a small amount when taken out of the treasury of the large club, it is a goodly sum.

Many club women are interested to know in just what form the much discussed English scholarship proposition will be presented from the Society of American Women in London. It was something over a year ago that the London organization made the rather extravagant proposition that the clubs of the General Federation establish scholarships for American girls in the English universities, the proposition, as generally circulated, being estimated at about $10,000,000. At first club women thought the report a mistake, so inconsistent did it seem considering the many other demands upon the Federation's treasury, and even yet the proposition as generally circulated is not accepted seriously. A permanent meeting place for the biennial and headquarters for the General Federation is another proposition that rumor has said would come up for consideration at the St. Paul meeting, but it is a question whether such a plan would ever be endorsed by the convention.

The annual election of officers for the Omaha Woman's club, which takes place at Monday afternoon's meeting, has been the subject of much discussion among club women of late, and those most closely in touch with the club and its work feel that there has never been a time when the selection of a president has been of more vital importance than now. The disbanding of five of the departments and a considerable falling off in membership during the last two years has resulted in a scattering of interest and a small attendance at the general meetings that has materially weakened the club and its influence. Because of this scattered interest much depends upon the election of a president who will bring together all factions and all departments. Many members have felt that the intellectual side of the club has suffered during the last few years through the tendency toward the philanthropic, while others claim that the greatest possibilities of the club today lie along the lines of the altruistic.

Of the several women who are being discussed for the presidency Mrs. Edward Johnson has perhaps the largest support. From every department of the club she has been urged to accept the nomination and this general popularity is the result of her efficient work in both intellectual and philanthropic branches. During the week the report was circulated that Mrs. Johnson had declined the nomination, but this is a mistake. She has neither declined nor consented to accept. Mrs. A. B. Somers and Mrs. H. J. Penfold are the two other most talked of candidates and both have demonstrated their efficiency.

The probation system of the Douglas county juvenile court is promised material assistance from the volunteer service of a number of club women and prominent men of the city, who are willing to stand sponsor for juvenile delinquents while on probation. This system has been so successfully employed in Chicago, Denver and other cities that its adoption here is gratifying. Among those who have volunteered to serve are Superintendent W. M. Davidson and A. H. Waterhouse of the high school, Secretary Dennison of the boys' department of the Young Men's Christian association, E. E. Thomas, E. C. Page, R. M. Jones and Mmes. Draper Smith, M. G. Andrews, Fred Crowley, George Hoobler, T. R. Ward, Frank Haller, Roy Towl, H. C. Brome, E. M. Covell, Ada Walker, Clara Burbank, H. C. Marley, Merrill, Adelid Rood, Charlotte Adams and Miss Mary Scott of the Woman's club.

Rev. A. F. Sherrill of Atlanta, Ga., will speak at Sunday afternoon's gospel service of the Young Woman's Christian association at 4:30 o'clock. Mrs. Walter Dale will sing. The postponed annual meeting of the association will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the association rooms.

If you wish a fine piano at payments within reasonable bounds, at low prices, call at Bouricius' Piano house, 335 B'way, Council Bluffs, Ia., where the organ stands upon the building.

It is no trouble to recover a lost article—Put an ad in the "Lost" column of The Bee.

Wall Paper Burned.

Fire was discovered in the rear of Sam Newman's wall paper store, 119 North Twelfth street, about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night. When the fire department arrived the flames filled half the store, impetus being added by a quantity of benzine and paints where the fire had its origin. Much of the stock of wall paper on the shelves was damaged by the flames, smoke and the Sunday matinee, when he quickly made provision to entertain forty and invited the total membership.

The Studio club is made up of newspaper writers, actors, artists and a few others and is of recent formation. The men will gather at the organization's quarters, Fifteenth and Farnam streets, at 2 o'clock and go to the theater in a body.

ECHOES OF THE ANTE-ROOM.

Fraternal Union of America.

The May Pole party given by the guards of Banner lodge No. 11 Thursday evening was an interesting and successful social affair and one of the most enjoyable of the season. Miss Cecelia Barron was crowned queen. Eight young ladies in white executed the May Pole dance and the guards put on their new, fancy drill, after which all joined in the regular dance program of the evening.

Omaha lodge No. 211 has extended an invitation to all its members and friends to attend their card party to be held at its hall the evening of May 8. The place of meeting will be in Patterson hall, Seventeenth and Farnam streets. Refreshments will be served.

Loyal Mystic Legion.

A number of candidates were initiated at the meeting of the Omaha lodge Loyal Mystic Legion Thursday evening. Next Thursday evening the men's drill team will entertain at a dance in Hall No. 1, Patterson block, Seventeenth and Farnam streets. Refreshments will be served as an additional attraction.

Masonic.

Nebraska lodge No. 1, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, elected officers Tuesday evening for the ensuing term as follows: A. W. Jefferis, worshipful master; B. J. Drummond, senior warden; E. L. Bradley, junior warden; Theodore Livingstone, treasurer, and E. L. McLain secretary. The new worshipful master will announce his appointive officers and committees next week. E. A. Northrup was chosen member of the library board.

Knights of Zion.

A mass meeting will be held Sunday evening, May 6, at Patterson hall, Seventeenth and Farnam streets, under the auspices of this order. Grand Secretary Leon Zolotkoff, district attorney of Chicago, will address the meeting in the Jewish and English languages. A musical program will be rendered by the Jewish Culture club and the Daughters of Zion. The public is invited.

Grand Army of the Republic.

The Memorial day committee of the Grand Army of the Republic has just issued the following notification and invitation to all concerned regarding Memorial day: "The observance of Memorial day to commemorate the memory of the nation's fallen heroes is again near at hand. As a patriotic people let us keep alive the sacred associations of this time honored occasion. To this end you are cordially invited to join the Grand Army of the Republic and participate with us in parade and otherwise, in the proper observance of Memorial day in Omaha on May 30, 1906. The services will be held in Hanscom park. Please inform the committee of your acceptance as soon as possible. Address G. P. Garlick, chairman, 3010 Pinkney street; G. P. Garlick, Crook post No. 262; M. J. Feenan, Custer post No. 7; J. T. Beatty, Crook post No. 262, committee.

Knights of Maccabees.

Omaha tent No. 75 conferred the degree upon a number of candidates Thursday, and several applications were read. The work is proceeding very encouragingly under the supervision of Commander Carothers.

The entertainment committee announced that preparations were being completed for a dance at Odd Fellows' hall for the evening of May 31.

Omaha tent has voted $25 for the relief of the San Francisco sufferers, and in addition to this each member will be appealed to to aid to this sum by individual donations. The supreme tent has donated $5,000 from its relief fund to the same cause.

Order of Scottish Clans.

Clan Gordon No. 63 held a good meeting Tuesday evening in the Continental building. Two new candidates were initiated and two more were proposed. The clan voted $25 toward the San Francisco sufferers belonging to Clan Fraser No. 78 of that city. A very good program of song and sentiment followed the regular proceedings.

The Ladies' auxiliary of Clan Gordon has voted $50 toward the relief of the clan and their families in San Francisco. The money in both instances has been sent on through John Hill, royal treasurer of the Order of Scottish Clans.

Clan Gordon will give a social in Edward Creighton hall, 210 South Eighteenth street, Thursday evening, May 24, in honor of the visit of Peter Kerr of Boston, royal secretary of the order. On the following evening Mr. Kerr will be entertained at dinner in O'Brien's cafe, to which friends are invited.

Knights and Ladies of Security.

Fully 300 members of the order were in attendance at the mass meeting and union class initiation of the Knights and Ladies of Security held by Omaha council 115 and Unity council 118 at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple Wednesday evening. Visitors were also present from the councils of South Omaha and Council Bluffs. The degree staff of Oak council 1332, South Omaha, had charge of the initiatory ceremonies. Addresses were delivered by National Representative R. B. Windham of Plattsmouth, W. H. Crothers, state commander of the Maccabees, District Deputy R. O. Bailey of Iowa and State Deputy L. M. Thomas of Nebraska. It is expected that another large class will be present for initiation on the evening of May 1.

The regular review of Omaha council 415 will be held at Ancient Order of United Workmen temple next Wednesday evening.

Ladies of the Grand Army.

Regular meeting of Garfield circle No. 11 at Red Men's hall, Continental block, Monday evening. The meeting will be an important one, as matters pertaining to the department convention will be discussed.

The Aid society met with Mrs. C. M. Peters Friday afternoon and enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Tribe of Ben Hur.

Omaha Court No. 110 will give a social and literary and musical entertainment Tuesday night, May 8. The proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the relief of a number of sufferers in the San Francisco calamity. Members and friends will show their sympathy by attending. Mrs. William Allen Challis, assisted by local artists, will participate in the program.

Mecca court No. 13 initiated twenty members at its last meeting. A class of fifty will be initiated next Thursday evening May 10. This court is making an effort to double its membership this year.

AMATEUR NIGHT AT ORPHEUM

Manager Reiter's Annual Jollification Proves an Entertaining Success.

Anticipating a carnival of fun an audience that taxed the capacity of the Orpheum assembled Saturday night to witness the amateur show Manager Reiter put together to provide his patrons with this annual jollification. The Black sisters opened the program with song and dance. Then came Atley Erwin, a baritone, who rendered "The Fatal Rose of Red." Here the audience took up the cause and abetted the fun-making in a merry way. Some of the aspiring amateurs were given a serious hearing, while others could be better seen than heard. Ed Erwin tried to recite, but his gestures were the only perceptible clue to an effort on his part. The Copelands, brother and sister, did a song and dance. Ruth Colon, a small miss sang. Others were Nellie Perry, a pretty little dancer; the three DeLano brothers, acrobats; Margaret Fox and Luella Brown, vocalists; Marguerite Faust and Maggie Gorman, duetists; J. W. Hubbard, elocutionist; Bush and Milk, comedians, and Billy Ward, whose imitations on the piano, singing and dancing was very clever.

Terrible Fate.

It's a terrific fate to suffer from serious bowel trouble. Ward it off, with Dr. King's New Life Pills, 25 cents. Sold by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

Studio Club at the Burwood.

The members of the Studio club and a few friends, to the number of about forty, will attend the performance of "The Cavalier" at the Burwood theater this afternoon as the guests of the management. It came to the ears of Mr. Burgess that many of the club members planned to be present at

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Kubelik at the Boyd.

It was rather a pity that two good concerts should have occurred on the same evening when Omaha is not blessed with an over plus of fine music. However, both attractions drew good houses and that is encouraging, especially at the end of the season.

Jan Kubelik, who played at the Boyd, has broadened and deepened in his art since his last appearance here, although he has not yet the passion and intensity which characterize most of the great violinists. His interpretations are ethereal to a degree, and one comes away with an exalted, uplifted feeling. In quality of sensation his tone resembles that of a pure boy soprano, but he has depth now which obliterates the first idea that he is peculiarly a technician.

He played last night the Spanish symphonie, by Lalo; concerto in D minor, Paganini; "Romance," in G major, Beethoven, and numbers by Hubay and Wieniawski, which showed his genius in all its different phases. The audience was warm and responsive and showed its pleasure in prolonged applause. Kubelik is always generous with encores. Last night proved no exception to the rule.

He has this season a most marvelous accompanist in Mr. Ludwig Schwab. He seconds Kubelik's mood and method absolutely, and one is divided in admiration. Kubelik's art is so fragile and weblike that even a fairly good accompanist might easily play havoc with his ideas. Mr. Schwab does some absolutely fairylike work. It would be hard to imagine a more satisfactory combination.

Mrs. Agnes Gardener Eyre is a disappointment. It may be due to the fact that she is traveling with such consummate artists. Her work lacks definition and depth. It is not clear, and hence unsatisfactory.

Dr. Baldwin at the Baptist Church.

At the First Baptist church a good audience greeted Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, whom Major Pond called the greatest American concert organist. This is really the first time that the beautiful organ in the church has been in first-class trim for a public recital. Dr. Baldwin played with scholarly feeling, bringing out all the resources of the instrument. His program was varied and greatly pleased his listeners.

Mr. Scherzel, the violinist, is a newcomer to Omaha, having arrived about six weeks ago, with his family, with the purpose of establishing a studio. Last night was his first appearance in public concert, and he demonstrated that he has talent, intelligence and temperament. His numbers ranged from the Wienalwski Russian airs to an Elfin Dance by Popper. Mme. Borglum added greatly to the artistic effect by her delightful accompaniments.

MARY LEARNED.

Bee Want Ads—Best Business Boosters.

Bicyclist Gets Hard Fall.

Frank Briggs, aged 21 years, received a severe scalp wound on the back of the head by being thrown from his bicycle at Sixteenth and Leavenworth streets at 8:15 o'clock Saturday evening. Briggs is employed on a farm at Fifty-sixth and Center streets and was coming into town on his wheel when he struck some obstruction and upset. Patrolman Egan and others took him into the drug store of Max Becht, 720 South Sixteenth street, and Dr. Schers was called. The police patrol with Police Surgeon Mormsan then arrived and the injured man was taken to the station where the gash in the scalp was sewed up. Briggs remained at the station over night.

Musicians to Help San Francisco.

On Monday evening next the Omaha musicians will give a promenade concert and ball at the Auditorium for the benefit of the San Francisco sufferers. All the professional musicians of Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs will donate their services. This charitable act ought to appeal to not only the musicians, but to all, and the public doubtless will respond by buying tickets liberally. This undertaking is endorsed by the citizens' relief committee and all the receipts will be turned over to that body.

OMAHA HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The high school was honored during the past week by the presence of President Churchill King of Oberlin college, Oberlin, O. President King spoke briefly on "What Is Really Worth While," deducting therefrom the sum and substance of true happiness. He urged upon his audience the absolute necessity of engaging in true and noble work in order to attain in some measure to perfect happiness. Among the other speakers of the morning were Colonel Fogeland, president of the National Curfew association; President Perry of Doane college, Crete, Neb., and Superintendent Davidson of the Omaha schools.

At last the prospects of the annual encampment loom up with a degree of certainty. It was but one week ago that it seemed that the encampment would not be held, as $300 was still lacking then. However, during the past week, by dint of strenuous work on the part of the officers of the companies, the required sum was raised. At the beginning of the school year instructions were issued by Principal A. H. Waterhouse that the funds needed for the encampment this year would have to be subscribed by the cadets themselves and that unless 300 cadets signified their willingness to go the encampment would not take place. As a result of this order the burden rested entirely with the cadets. Each cadet was requested to contribute $5 to this fund in order to defray his railway fare and cost of living while in camp. This end was achieved and $908 was raised by Friday evening. The encampment will probably be held at Blair, Neb., on June 7, 8 and 9.

A large division of Mr. Nathan Bernstein's physics classes was enabled on Friday afternoon by the kindness of Dr. J. P. Lord to witness a Roentgen X-ray apparatus in action. The next division will visit Dr. Lord's office on Monday afternoon next.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Slander is a sort of black whitewash.

Stolen sweets are often hard to digest.

Frequently the base ball score is 18 to 1 against the umpire.

A lazy man always believes that a thing of duty is a bore forever.

Don't think, because a man offers an apology, that he really means it.

A whipping doesn't hurt a man so much as the thoughts of being whipped.

Mixed drinks have about the same effect on a man as too many love affairs.

Men who are always attempting to kill two birds with one stone never bag much game.

When anything happens to a married man his wife always remembers that she told him so.

A girl is apt to protest if a young man attempts to kiss her and a young widow is apt to protest if he doesn't.

If a man would put only his own property in his wife's name it wouldn't be so bad, but as a rule the most of it belongs to other people.—Chicago news.

STORY OF A STINGY TEACHER

Parsimonious Indiana Professor Files Last Straw on Generous Hatter.

In a small city in eastern Indiana there lives a professor who is notorious for his parsimony. One day he stepped into a hat store and after rummaging over the stock selected an ordinary hat, put it on, ogled himself in the glass and then asked the very lowest price.

"But," said the hatter, "that hat is not good enough for you to wear; here is what you want," showing him one of his best derbys.

"That's the best I can afford, though," returned the professor.

"Well, there, Mr. ——, I'll make you a present of that derby if you'll wear it and tell whose store it came from. You can send me customers enough to get my money back with interest; you know pretty much everybody."

"Thank you, thank you!" said the professor, his eyes gleaming with pleasure. "But how much may this be worth?"

"The price of that hat is five dollars," replied the salesman.

"And the other?" asked the professor.

"Three."

The professor put on the derby, looked in the glass, then looked at the $3 hat.

"I think, sir, that this hat will answer my purpose just as well as the other," said he, taking off the derby and holding it in one hand as he put on the cheap one.

"But you better take the other, sir; it won't cost you any more."

"But—but," replied the professor, hesitatingly, "I don't know but—perhaps—you'd just as soon have me take the cheap one—and perhaps you wouldn't mind giving me the difference in cash."—Stanger's Weekly.