RAGAN SHUTS OUT DENVER

Pa's Pat Gives Teddy Bears Just Four Hits.

OMAHA BUNCHES 'EM ON ADAMS

Coming Champions Pound Out Three Runs in One Inning and Take Another Hitch in Pennant.

Omaha, 3; Denver, 0.

Pat Ragan was pitching king ball for Omaha Wednesday afternoon and as a consequence the Teddy Bears were shut out at Vinton street park by the score of 3 to 0. The Mountaineers came down with a solid front, but it did them no good, for Pat Ragan was at his best and allowed them but four singles, two of which were in the same inning. But one of the Mountaineers reached second base and he landed there in the opening inning on a base on balls to Murphy, the first man up and an infield out by Cassady.

All the runs of the Rourke family were made in the second inning, when Rick Adams was given a walloping he will remember for some time. A triple, two singles, a base on balls and a double steal netted three runs, enough to win. Ragan was the first man up and he flew out to Murphy. Belden was passed to first and went to third on Gonding's single. He and Gonding then executed a double steal which scored Belden and put Gonding on second. The double steal, however, was unnecessary, for Joe Dolan followed immediately with a three-sack drive which would have driven them all around anyway; as it was it scored Gonding. Austin was in the humor and thought he would add to the discomfort of Mr. Adams by making another hit, which he did, bringing in Mr. Dolan. It was just beginning to get good when Graham hit one to Murphy, which that youth copped after a hard run and doubled Austin at first. Austin thought Murphy had no chance to catch the ball and was around to third when he was put out at first.

Adams Settles Down.

After that splurge Mr. Adams settled down and there was nothing more doing for the Rourke family than there was for the Mountaineers. In the fourth inning Autrey beat out a bunt, was sacrificed on to second by LeBrand and went to third on Welch's infield out, but that was the nearest the Colts came to crossing the pan for the remainder of the game.

Gonding tried to start the runmaking in the first inning when he singled and stole second, and then tried to score from second on Austin's single to Cassady, but the man with the burnsides made a good throw to the plate and Gonding was out. Graham beat out a bunt in the second inning and was sacrificed to second by Autrey, but there he died, as neither LeBrand nor Welch could connect safely.

Franck Out of the Game.

The Rourke family presented a changed front, for Captain Franck was out of the game nursing a lame finger which was smashed in the game with Pueblo Tuesday by a pitched ball, so Dolan took his old position at short and LeBrand played first. He played the game, too, making several phenomenal stops, especially one which he nailed while lying face down at full length. Graham came in for a division of the honors by a remarkable stop he made of Wheeler's liner toward first in the eighth inning, but he spoiled the stop by not throwing it straight to LeBrand. He did not have much time to throw the ball, though.

The same teams this afternoon:

The score:

OMAHA.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Belden, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Gonding, c	4	1	2	3	1	0
Dolan, ss	4	1	1	5	4	0
Austin, 3b	4	0	2	2	2	0
Graham, 2b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Autrey, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
LeBrand, 1b	2	0	0	10	1	0
Welch, cf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Ragan, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	29	3	8	27	14	0

DENVER.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Murphy, rf	3	0	1	4	1	0
Cassady, lf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Cassady, lf	3	0	1	1	1	0
White, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	1
McHale, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lauterborn, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Kineally, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Zalusky, c	2	0	0	4	0	0
R. Adams, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	10	1

Runs—
Omaha ..... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 —3
Denver ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —0

Hits—
Omaha ..... 2 1 3 1 0 0 0 1 —8
Denver ..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 —4

Three-base hit: Dolan. Bases on balls: Off Ragan, 3; off Adams, 1. Struck out: By Ragan, 3; by Adams, 3. Left on bases: Omaha, 4; Denver, 5. Double plays: Murphy to White; Dolan to LeBrand. Stolen bases: Gonding (2), Belden. Sacrifice hits: Autrey, LeBrand. Time: 1:35. Umpire: Brennan. Attendance: 1,000.

Notes of the Game.

LeBrand played first like a cyclone, reaching everything that was started in his direction.

Old Sport McHale was in the harness again Wednesday. He was not with the team on its last visit.

The home knockers were busy again Wednesday, but it did them no good, as the Omaha team went on playing winning ball anyway.

Dolan has clearly demonstrated he still has quite a wing. He made a couple of pretty and fast throws on slow balls which came his way.

Zalusky is imitating the great Roger Bresnahan by wearing shin guards. He may think he needs them in Omaha, for he was in the hospital for several weeks after the last game he played in this city.

Gonding was clearly robbed of a double by the umpire being in the center of the diamond when he hit the ball in the eighth inning. The ball struck three feet inside the line and then curved way out until it hit the bleacher fence, but Brennan had not seen where it struck and called it foul.

Champs Defeat Lincoln.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—After playing five innings without getting a hit Des Moines then landed on McKay of Lincoln for a scratch run in the sixth and six in the seventh, and two more came in for the Champs in the eighth. The score:

DES MOINES.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Wilson, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
McLear, lf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Hogriever, 3b	2	1	1	1	1	1
McLaughlin, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dexter, 1b	4	0	0	17	0	0
Andreas, 2b	2	1	1	1	4	1
Gochnaur, ss	4	1	1	4	3	0
Shannon, c	4	1	0	1	4	0
Clarke, p	4	2	2	0	3	0
Totals	30	9	8	27	15	2

LINCOLN.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
cKitchem, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Fox, 2b	4	0	1	1	5	0
Holmes, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Gagnier, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Fenlon rf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Thomas, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
Davidson, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Zinran, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
McKay, p	3	0	2	1	3	0
*Redick	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	8	24	15	0

*Batted for Zinran.

Des Moines ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 6 2 *—9
Lincoln ..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Earned runs: Des Moines, 5. Two-base hits: Wilson, McLear, Andreas, Clarke (2), Hogriever, McKay. Bases on balls: Off McKay, 5; off Clarke, 2. Left on bases: Des Moines, 4; Lincoln, 8. Struck out: By Clarke, 1; by McKay, 2. tStolen bases: Wilson, McLear, Hogriever, Andreas (2), Fenlon, Davidson. Double play: Gochnaur (unassisted). Sacrifice hits: Hogriever, McLaughlin, Ketchem. Time: 1:45. Attendance, 1,100. Umpire: Haskell.

GAMES IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wild Bill Donovan Stops the Philadelphias.

DETROIT, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The home boys walked all over their Quaker friends today, making them change pitchers and piling up six tallies in the first three innings. Nine hits made nine runs, and not an error was chalked against them. Philadelphia made two [illegible] only two scores out of eight swats. Score:

Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—2	8	2
Detroit	3	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0—9	9	0

Batteries: For Philadelphia, Waddell and Schreck; for Detroit, Donovan and Payne.

Chesbro Too Much for Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Under the leadership of Jack Chesbro the Gothamites turned the tables on Cleveland today, but in a little less violent manner than what they received themselves yesterday. The home team could not score until the fifth, and by that time New York had two laid away. After that things were quiet all the way through. Score:

New York	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—2	3	0
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1	6	2

Batteries: For New York, Chesbro and Kleinow; for Cleveland, Fieldman and Clark.

Browns Win Close One.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—One run in the second gave St. Louis a close victory over the Senators today, and after that neither team could come anywhere near home. The Senators had two hits the better of their vanquishers, but were unable to bunch them at the proper moment. Score:

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	8	2
St. Louis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	6	2

Batteries: For Washington, Johnson and Hayden; for St. Louis, Pelty and Spencer.

White Sox Finally Win.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The tables were turned on the Bostons today in a game that was something of a scramble, as the White Sox made four errors and won, while the Boston players landed two more hits, were guilty of only two breaks and then lost the game. The rally in the last two innings did the business for the Sox. Score:

Boston	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0—5	8	2
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	2—6	6	4

Batteries: For Boston, Glaze and Criger; for Chicago, Patterson and Hart.

CLYMER CONTINUES TO HIT BALL

Old Pirate is Still Leading American League.

Otis Clymer refuses to stop hitting the ball and, as a consequence, is still leading the American league batting table. He has played in twenty-seven games. Of the regulars Elmer Flick is the leader, batting .335 to Clymer's .372. Lajoie has been out of the game for some time, but still has a record of .293, dropping from .301. Niles has fallen off two points since last week and is now hitting .338. The American league has nine men hitting above the .300 mark, two fewer than last year. Fifty-one players are hitting above .250. Stone dropped back four points on the week.

Player.	Club.	Pct.	Player.	Club.	Pct.
Clymer, Washington		.372	Schaefer, Detroit		.224
Flick, Cleveland		.335	Stovall, Cleveland		.223
Cobb, Detroit		.333	Killian, Detroit		.223
Niles, St. Louis		.338	Smith, Chicago		.222
Crawford, Detroit		.319	Young, Boston		.221
Nichols, St. Louis		.316	Nill, Washington		.219
Parent, Boston		.306	Glade, St. Louis		.218
Donovan, Detroit		.304	Butler, St. Louis		.217
Orth, New York		.300	White, Chicago		.216
Lajoie, Cleveland		.293	Knight, Boston		.216
Pickering, St. Louis		.293	Bay, Cleveland		.215
Elberfeld, New York		.292	Mullin, Detroit		.214
Chase, New York		.288	Hoey, Boston		.211
Stone, St. Louis		.284	H. Hinchman, Cleve.		.207
Hickman, Chicago		.284	Howell, St. Louis		.206
McIntyre, Detroit		.284	Chesbro, New York		.205
Moriarity, New York		.283	Hogg, New York		.205
Wallace, St. Louis		.282	Rickey, New York		.204
Anderson, Washton		.282	Plank, Philadelphia		.204
Spencer, St. Louis		.282	O'Brien, Cleveland		.198
H. Davis, Philadel		.278	Wagner, Boston		.205
Collins, Philadelphia		.279	Downs, Detroit		.202
Oldring, Philadelphia		.277	W. Sullivan, Chicago		.200
McFarland, Chicago		.277	Quinlen, Chicago		.199
Hanley, Washington		.276	Cross, Philadelphia		.199
Kleinow, New York		.273	Shaw, Boston		.198
Clarke, Cleveland		.275	Rhoades, Cleveland		.196
Daugherty, Chicago		.275	Payne, Detroit		.195
Delehanty, Wash'ton		.274	Altrock, Chicago		.191
Altizer, Washington		.274	Leibhardt, Cleveland		.190
C. Jones, Washington		.270	Rohe, Chicago		.190
F. Jones, Chicago		.270	Thomas, New York		.190
Seybold, Philadelphia		.267	Stevens, St. Louis		.188
Memphill, St. Louis		.266	Doyle, New York		.180
Congalton, Boston		.265	Hayden, Washington		.180
D. Jones, Detroit		.265	Ford, Philadelphia		.178
Schreck, Philadelphia		.262	Moore, New York		.177
Rossman, Detroit		.262	F. Delehanty, Cleve.		.170
Hartzell, St. Louis		.261	Pelty, St. Louis		.168
Hartsel, Philadelphia		.261	Glaze, Boston		.167
Williams, New York		.260	Grimshaw, Boston		.167
Keller, New York		.260	Blankenship, Wash.		.167
Bender, Philadphia		.259	Schipke, Washington		.165
Laporte, New York		.259	Walsh, Chicago		.163
Hoffman, New York		.256	Tannehill, Boston		.163
Unglaub, Boston		.255	Elsver, Detroit		.161
Ferris, Boston		.255	Criger, Boston		.158
Demis, Cleveland		.255	Pruitt, Boston		.156
Conroy, New York		.252	O'Connor, St. Louis		.152
Hahn, Chicago		.250	Coombs, Philadelphia		.151
Winter, Boston		.250	Dygert, Philadelphia		.148
G. Lewis, Chicago		.249	Jose, Cleveland		.144
Hughes, Washington		.246	Falkenberg, Wash'ton		.140
Schmidt, Detroit		.245	Eubanks, Detroit		.137
Graham, Washington		.245	Waddell, Philadelphia		.129
T. Jones, St. Louis		.246	Patterson, Washing'n		.131
Barrett, Boston		.244	C. Smith, Wash'ton		.125
Donohue, Chicago		.244	Powers, Philadelphia		.113
Warner, Washington		.243	Dineen, St. Louis		.114
Turner, Cleveland		.242	Powell, St. Louis		.107
O'Leary, Detroit		.242	Hess, Cleveland		.100
Murphy, Philadelphia		.240	Kitson, New York		.243
Birmingham, Cleve.		.237	Cross, Washington		.226
Yeager, St. Louis		.267	Perrine, Washington		.177
W. Hinchman, Cleve.		.236	Buslow, St. Louis		.158
Isbell, Chicago		.235	Schlafly, Washington		.149
D. Sullivan, Boston		.233	Armbruster, Boston		.096
Bradley, Cleveland		.226	Keefe, New York		.043
Coughlin, Detroit		.226			

Races at Waterloo.

WATERLOO, Neb., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Some races were held here today. A foot race between Ray Leach of Fremont and Clarence Seeley of Waterloo at 100 yards for $25 a side was won by Leach. A number of Fremont bachelors of the latter were here and there is a good crowd in town. A horse race was won by the Elk City horse owned by Charles Cobb, $10 purse. A series of races will be held in connection with the reunion next week.

EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACK

Vails, the Favorite, Wins Delaware Handicap at Saratoga.

TIME IS NEAR THE RECORD

Three-Year-Old Covers Mile in 1:38 Flat—Cedarstrome, 6 to 1, Wins Empire City.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Vails (11 to 5 favorite, won the Delaware handicap, covering the mile in 1:38, which is within ⅖ of a second of the record. Results:

First race, 3-year-olds and upwards, six furlongs: Belle of Iroquois (20 to 1) won, Anna May (5 to 2) second, Loyal Lady (1 to 4) third. Time: 1:15.

Second race, 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile: Darkie (8 to 1) won, Fancy Bird (5 to 1) second, Possessing (2 to 1) third. Time: 1:40.

Third race, 2-year-olds, five and a half furlongs: Big Chief (even) won, Polly Watts (8 to 5) second, Belle Weather (3 to 5) third. Time: 1:08.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and upwards, Delaware handicap, one mile. Vails (11 to 5) won, Dr. Gardner (6 to 1) second, Sir Lynnewood (7 to 5) third. Time: 1:38.

Fifth race, 2-year-olds, five and a half furlongs: All Alone (5 to 2) won, Single Stone (1 to 3) second, Black Mary (7 to 10) third. Time: 1:07⅗.

Sixth race, maiden 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile: Easton (3 to 1) won, Pins and Needles (3 to 1) second, Sam Bernard (1 to 3) third. Time: 1:40⅘.

Results at Empire City.

EMPIRE CITY, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Results:

First race, 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile: Dinnepee (6 to 5) won, Bizzy Izzy (3 to 1) second, Jobstown (10 to 1) third. Time: 1:42⅘.

Second race, selling, five and a half furlongs: Servile (11 to 10) won, Bounding Elk (3 to 1) second, Emma G. (7 to 1) third. Time: 1:08.

Third race, Bronxville handicap, 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile and a sixteenth: Cedarstrome (6 to 1) won, Carthage (2 to 1) second, Polly Prim (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:40⅕.

Fourth race, 2-year-olds, five and a half furlongs: Colonel Bob (6 to 5) won, Skyo (11 to 2) second, Stanley Fay (11 to 5) third. Time: 1:06⅘.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and upwards, about six furlongs: Oak Grove (6 to 1) won, Wood Witch (7 to 1) second, Escutcheon (7 to 1) third. Time: 1:09⅘.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and upwards, one and one-eighth miles: Beldmoore (11 to 5) won, Monacodor (5 to 1) second, Flavigny (13 to 5) third. Time: 1:52⅘.

RESULTS OF THE IOWA LEAGUE

Zackert for Waterloo Holds Marshalltown to One Run.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Following are the results in the Iowa league.

At Waterloo—	R.	H.	E.
Waterloo	1	0	1
Marshallt'n	0	0	0

Batteries: Zackert and Lizette; Slapnicka and Burns.

At Ottumwa—	R.	H.	E.
Ottumwa	0	0	0
Oskaloosa	0	1	3

Batteries: Flemming and Weigart; Coates and Moody.

At Quincy—	R.	H.	E.
Burlington	0	0	0
Quincy	0	0	0

Batteries: Green and Bruggeman, Rose and Jameson.

Fair and Races at Shenandoah.

SHENANDOAH, Ia., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—Today was the first day of the fair here and 2,500 people were present. One of the big events was the Strobel airship, which made a very successful flight despite the high wind that was blowing. Captain Jack Dallas operated it and went about 200 feet high, but was prevented from flying over the city by the wind. He will make two trips each of the succeeding three days of the fair. He was a special delight to the spectators because there have been several unsuccessful airship trips attempted in southwestern Iowa during the last few weeks. The exhibits are full in all departments. The best that has ever been in Shenandoah. A special attraction on the streets at night, in which Legare walks up a spiral tower on top of a ball amid an electrical display, is proving a great feature.

In the ball game today Shenandoah won over Essex by a score of 12 to 1. There were no accidents.

Race results: In 2:22 pace, Billy Pardin won, Teddy M second, Nixon Boy third. Lord Direction fourth. Time: 2:21¾, 2:21¾, 2:20, 2:21.

Trotting, 2:29 class: Park Sign won, Drift Allerton second, Pat Gray third,. Robert Byers fourth. Time: 2:25¼, 2:24¼, 2:23¾.

O'Neil Cleans Up Plainview.

O'NEILL, Neb., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—O'Neill cleaned up the fast Plainview base ball aggregation on the Plainview diamond yesterday afternoon. Bradley pitched a swell game for O'Neill and would have had a shutout, but three errors in the first inning allowed Plainview to score. The score:

O'Neill	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	0	0—8		
Plainview	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1		

Hits: O'Neill, 8; Plainview, 4. Two-base hit: Bill Wilson. Struck out: O'Neill, Bradley and Wilson; Plainview Johanson and Jewett. Umpire: D. H. Cronin of O'Neill.

Grand Island Wins in Ninth.

FRIEND, Neb., Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.—Grand Island won a fast game of ball in the ninth inning from the locals this afternoon. The same teams play here again Thursday and Friday. Score:

Grand Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2—4	3	
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	2	1

Batteries: Grand Island, Williams and Zalusky; Friend, Weaver and Whitcomb. Struck out: By Williams, 10; by Weaver, 6. Two-base hit: Linch. Time: 1:25. Umpire: Eckhard.

Indians Fail to Appear.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—The first day of the base ball tournament and carnival opened under adverse circumstances, the threatening weather detaining many persons who would otherwise have attended. Then the Kickapoo Indians from Norton, Kan., who were scheduled for the opening game, failed to put in an appearance and the time was too short to fill the vacancy, so the people were compelled to be satisfied with a band concert at the city park.

Social Time Between Races.

KIEL, Aug. 14.—The American yachtsmen lunched with Prince Henry of Prussia at the castle today, the occasion being the prince's birthday. The next race in the Sonder class series for Emperor William's cup will be sailed tomorrow.

Sporting Gossip.

It will be a happy day for the White Sox when Deacon McGuire's Beaneaters leave town.

The Detroit team as a club is hitting at .258, while the Naps, in club hitting, bring up the rear with .232.

Cleveland lambasted Mr. Hogg and Clark Griffith finished the game himself, rather than send one of his twirlers to the slaughter.

By beating Detroit Tuesday the Phillies showed that they really meant to win when they copped the game Monday and went into first place.

Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of America, is to meet Farmer Burns and Emil Plank at the Holdrege opera house Tuesday and Wednesday nights, August 27 and 28, for a purse of $700.

The tennis tournament for the club championship at Dietz park is finished, with Newel the winner, who is now the challenger to meet Readinger, the present holder of the championship.

The way entries are coming in for the tennis tournament is most encouraging to the directors of the Middle West and to the tennis committee of the Omaha Field club, which has the tournament in charge.

The last three days of the last week in August is the time set for the third annual tournament of the Nebraska Golf association. The tournament will be held on the links of the Omaha Field club.

Rich men of Saratoga are raising a purse of $5,000 for a boxing exhibition between "Fighting Dick" Hyland of California and Bert Keyes, the Australian. Dick wanted the Omaha sports to raise a purse for him while in Omaha.

Standing of the Teams.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	69	39	.639
Detroit	59	39	.602
Chicago	63	44	.585
Cleveland	59	44	.573
New York	48	54	.469
Boston	44	57	.436
St. Louis	37	57	.394
Washington	29	68	.299

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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

House Burglar is Giving the Police No End of Trouble.

NO CLUE TO HIS IDENTITY

Visits the City About Every Ten Days, Takes Nothing But Cash and Makes Good His Escape.

Another of the mysterious housebreaking jobs which have baffled the efforts of the police for several months was perpetrated in South Omaha Monday night. The residence of Mrs. A. Rowley, 1510 North Twenty-fourth street, was entered at a late hour and $40 in cash secured. The midnight operator dragged the clothing from the various sleeping rooms to the dining room and there he spread the contents of the purses on the table and took all of the money. He molested none of the other articles of value in the house. He made his entrance through a window. The police think it was the same man who has done similar work for two or three months and who has been exceedingly troublesome in Omaha lately. He seems to pay a visit in South Omaha about every ten days. He must have come in about 2 a. m., for the family were out at a reception or party until 1 a. m. The police have never been able to get the slightest clue of the man. They are almost convinced that he must have used chloroform in many of the cases. One of the members of the family at the Rowley residence was mysteriously ill, such as commonly follows excess of chloroform. The use of such a drug possibly accounts for the fact that in some of the houses visited matches have been struck by the dozen without detection, and other things done which could not be explained on any other theory.

Mrs. Morgan to Fight for Child.

Mrs. Effie Morgan, whose affairs have lately been told, has been summoned to appear before the juvenile court this morning to face the information which would deprive her of the custody of her little 5-year-old daughter. She spent all day yesterday in the South Omaha jail, refusing to go to the South Omaha hospital. She was given a room at the Allen house last night. So far she has not heard from her second husband. Contrasted with her downheartedness Monday, she was most cheerful and planned to meet the ordeal this morning with considerable spirit. She is far from lacking in resource.

Church Congregation Buys Lots.

The Austro-Fransiscan Lutheran church has bought six lots at Forty-sixth and Q streets and expects to erect a large frame church on the ground. The church will be a frame structure and will cost about $8,000. While the congregation is not large in South Omaha, yet there is much enthusiasm for the movement.

Magic City Gossip.

Glynn Transfer Co. Tel. So. Omaha 364.

Martin Wilg is building a $1,000 cottage at Eighteenth and Missouri avenue.

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

H. L. Smith is on the sick list. He has been confined to his bed for several days.

George Parks & Co., plumbers, received $689 for the plumbing work of the city hall.

Mrs. Frank C. Sweetman has started on a visit of a month's duration in California.

It is reported that Grant Caughey is to be married August 28 to a young woman of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Boyd, 1421 North Twenty-fifth, have gone on a two weeks' outing to Lake Okoboji.

Charges were preferred yesterday by H. H. King against William R. Reed for alleged robbery and assault.

John Duff and wife have been the guests of J. L. Duff for a few days. They have now gone to Centralia, Ill.

Richard Novak has returned from his vacation. He says he is still unmarried in spite of misleading reports.

C. M. Andrews, 3621 Q street, has gone to Cheyenne county to purchase land. James Philipot is with him.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles has determined on August 18 as the unalterable date of its picnic at Sarpy Mills.

James McNinnie left yesterday afternoon for Chicago, where he is to accept a government appointment as an inspector.

James Denney was fined $25 and costs for assault and battery on an old man. His attorney appealed the case to the district court.

Mrs. Kalista Doris was sentenced to five days in jail yesterday for disturbing the peace. She lives at Thirty-fourth and J streets.

The amount of money spent by the charity committee during the last fiscal year was $4,717.89, as compared with $2,585.29 the year before.

The appraisers of damages for the change of grade at Nineteenth street, north of Missouri avenue, will meet on the ground at 2 p. m. August 24.

Joe Lincovski, 511 North Twenty-seventh street, has a son. Joseph Soek, 608 North Thirty-fourth street, reported the birth of a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck of Kansas are the guests of Mrs. Peck's brother, J. G. Martin, and family. The Pecks rode up from Kansas in an automobile.

Jakie Vertzkinwicz fell into a cut at Thirty-sixth and S streets while on his way to Sunday school last Sunday and had his shoulder dislocated.

A. L. Johnson of Winnipeg is the guest of his half brother, Fred Fero. He will be here a week. Mr. Johnson is in the government immigration service in Canada.

Peter Aubernathe was granted a decision in a suit brought against the street railway yesterday morning. He was hurt at Twenty-sixth and Q streets, having a shoulder dislocated. The court allowed him $200 damages.

John Meyer, Thirty-eighth and Q, who was mysteriously assaulted at Thirteenth and Castellar streets, after a trepanning operation a week ago has partially recovered consciousness and has a chance of recovery.

JOHNSON RILED AT MURPHY

President of City Council Filled with Wrath on Harney Street Work.

Contractor Hugh Murphy has started work on Harney street, between Twentieth and Twenty-fourth streets, and the long delayed paving of that thoroughfare soon will be completed. In starting the work the foreman brought down upon himself the wrath of President Johnson of the city council, and for a time it looked like some one would have explanations to make in the police court.

The first work to be done in the street is the removal of the old wooden pavement and a lot of earth which has accumulated since the old paving was practically destroyed. Wagons which started to remove the first debris carried it to the alley between Farnam and Harney street, just west of Twentieth, and dumped it in the public way. Mr. Johnson's place of business adjoins this extemporaneous dumping ground, and he objected to the presence of the debris, saying that it would tend to stop the free operation of storm water which would flood the cellars along the street. The first driver to whom he spoke called upon the foreman of the crew and this foreman instructed the driver to empty the wagon despite the protest of Mr. Johnson. A policeman was called and secured the name of the parties in order to secure a warrant for arrest. The matter was then brought to the attention of the assistant city engineer, who ordered the contractor to dump the earth in some other place and Mr. Johnson decided not to push the case against the foreman if this order is carried out.

The Texas Wonder

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. and Owl Drug Co., or two months' treatment by mail, for $1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 3926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

MUST BULLETIN ALL TRAINS

Kansas Railway Commission Enters Order Regarding Notice to Public.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—The State Board of Railroad commissioners has decided to order the various railroads in Kansas to bulletin the time of arrival of all passenger trains, whether delayed or on time, and if late to post the time of delay. The law was passed by the lower house last winter, but was killed in the senate.

Quick Shine Shoe Polish

is the best for ladies, men's and children's shoes, oils and polishes and is water-proof.

PURE FOOD LAW UNDER FIRE

Claim is Made that it is Discriminatory and Therefore Invalid.

MAY TAKE MATTER INTO COURT

Superintendent of School for Deaf at Council Bluffs Looking Over Furniture for New Building Just About Completed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special.)—Iowa's pure stock food bill is unconstitutional, according to Frank F. Reed, counsel for the Millers' National federation. The federation, it is learned, is seeking to obey the federal law in relation to pure feeding stuffs and thus escape the state laws, which it claims are difficult to comply with. The opinion of the counsel was asked and he has reported that the Iowa law is discriminatory, requiring things of stuff shipped in, that are not required of that made in the state, and that it is therefore unconstitutional. The Iowa law exempts from the payment of inspection fees, but not from inspection the stuff manufactured in the state.

Whether attempts will be made to carry the matter to the court or not is not learned, but it is expected that this will be the action when the state attempts to enforce the law. The state food and dairy commissioner, whose duty it is to enforce the law, announced some time ago that he would proceed to enforce the law. This law went into effect July 4 in reality, but firms are given some time after that in which to comply with all the provisions of the statute and he cannot therefore take any action till all this time is expired.

Newspapers Cut Out.

Associated Press operators in Des Moines reported for work today, but no news is reaching any of the local newspapers by that source, the operators at Chicago and Omaha being out. It is expected that official orders will be received calling out the operators here. The commercial operators at both the Western Union and Postal are out today, but men are at work at both places and messages are being handled with some delays.

Contempt of Court.

Max Freeman was arrested today on a charge of arson and contempt of the United States courts. A little over a year ago Freeman was in business at Eagle Grove, Ia. He bought extensively of wholesale houses and there are clamoring creditors to the extent of $25,000. Bankruptcy proceedings were started and an investigation failed to disclose what became of the goods. He was ordered to appear and tell where the property was, but disappeared and the officials have been hunting for him ever since. He is wanted in Michigan on the arson charge.

Schools Will Open.

Litigation over the question of consolidating all the school districts within the city limits of Des Moines will not prevent the schools opening on time the second Tuesday of September. Arrangements were perfected today and the West Des Moines Board of Education, which under the consolidation becomes the board in charge till the next election, will proceed at once to hire teachers and arrange for the opening of the schools.

Their Fight Serious.

For the love of a woman two men with romantic names, Johnson of Winnipeg and Ottavio Laprovitera, fought Monday night on Pelton avenue. As a result Screivino was shot in the side and the wound may prove fatal. The woman in the case was Laprovitera's wife.

Board Buys Furniture,

Superintendent Rothert of the School for the Deaf at Council Bluffs is in the city and, with members of the Board of Control, is looking at samples of furniture at the furniture houses here for the new main building of the school which is just being completed. The contract will be let shortly.

S.S.S. PURIFIES THE BLOOD

Bad blood is responsible for most of the ailments of mankind. When from any cause this vital fluid becomes infected with impurities, humors or poisons, disease in some form is sure to follow. Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Boils, Pimples, etc., while they show on the skin, have an underlying cause which is far deeper—an impure, humor-infected blood supply, and until this is corrected, and the blood purified, the distressing itching and burning symptoms will remain. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Scrofula, Blood Poison and all other blood disorders, are the result of a vitiated, poluted circulation, and will continue to grow worse unless the poison is removed from the blood. In all blood and skin diseases S. S. S. has proved itself a perfect remedy. It goes down into the circulation and removes all waste matter, humors or poisons, and makes the blood pure and health-sustaining. Nothing reaches inherited taints and old chronic troubles like S. S. S.; it cures because it purifies the blood and restores lost properties to the impoverished circulation. Not only is S. S. S. a blood purifier of