Mile and Furlong Covered in 1:50 Flat at Santa Anita Track.

FAVORITE FINISHES

Time Three-Fifths of Second Better Than Previous World's Record Made By Charles Edward Two Years Ago.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. M -A new world's record for one mile and a furlong, circular track, was made at Santa Anita park yesterday, when Vox Popull, carrying 110 pounds, won the Golden State handlenp for 3-yearolds and upward. He ran the distance in 130 flat, which is three-fifths of a second Keens Brothers were carried to victory by faster than the best previous time, made Racontour and Nagassam. Both were ridby Charles Edward at Brighton Beach, N. Y., two years ago. The fractional time of the race was as follows: 0:12, 0:23%, 0:35%, 0:47%, 0:39%, 1:31%, 3:24, 1:37%, 1:50. His victory was extremely popular and when Powers remrned to the scales he was loudly cheered.

Green Seal went out to make the pace and led by a length going around the first (103, turn, with Stanley Fay and Vox Populi heads apart. This order remained unchanged until the far turn was reached, when Powers sent Vox Populi into the lead. Green Seal began to quit and Stanley Pay Vox Popull led by a length turning into the stretch. Here Shilling, on the favorite, put him under the whip and Stanley Fay responded gamely. He gradually closed up the distance and just failed to get up. Vox Populi lasting long enough to win by a short nose.

Colloquey in the second race, the Quickstep stake, at five and a half furlongs. equaled the world's record for the distance made by Fern L. at Seattle, Wash., this summer, of 1:05 flat.

Jockey Howard was fined \$300 for allowing Waterbury, who was disqualified in the second race, to swerve, interfering with Gemmell, the favorita. Summaries:

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First race, seven furkongs: Duke of Bridgewater (166. Shilling, 2 to 5) won. Sonalto (196. Mussgrave, 59 to 1) second. L. C. Widrig (108. Powers, 1 to 1) third. L. C. Widrig (108. Powers, 1 to 1) third. Time: Li254. Frair of Eligin. Chief Desmond. Henry of Shennamera, St. Kilday. Catherina F., Bonton, Adriana and Garter Light also ran.

Second race, five and a half furionas, the Quickatep handleap: Colloquoy (166. McGee, 12 to 5) won. Genmel (110. Powers, 6 to 5) second, Golden Pearl (110. Preubel, 12 to 1) third. Time: 1.56. Redondo, Rapid Water, Pinkola and Colbob also ran. Waterbury finished second, but was disqualified for fouling. The time is a new world's record. Third, race, one mile and an eighth, the Golden State handleap: Vox Populi (110. Powers, 13 to 19) second. Green Seal (102. Martin, II to 5) third. Time: 1.50. Cloyne also ran. Time is a new world's record. Fourth race, one mile, the Garvanzea handleap, 51,500 added: Fritz Herbert (114. Philling, 4 to 5) won. Lee Rose (118. McGee, 8 to 1) second, Gerrymander (108. Powers 6 to 1) third. Time: 1.378. Tom Reid. Pair Annie, Dr. Halsberg, Friend Harry and Chaffinch also ran.

Fifth race, one mile and a balf, selling Henry O. (168. Frabell, 8 to 1) won. Alma Dufour (106. Powers, 14 to 5) second. Arcourt (138. Shilling, 4 to 1) third. Time:

RAILWAY TIME CARD

UNION STATION-10TH AND MASON

Maria Maria	Leave.	Arrive.
Overland Limited	8:50 am	a. 9:40 pm
Colorado Express	3:50 pm	a 5:00 pm
Atlantic Express		a10:15 am
Oregon Express		a 5:30pm
Los Angeles Limited		# 9<15 pm
Fast Master and and		4 5:45 pm
China and Japan Mail.s		a 5:50 pm
North Platte Local	7:42 am	a 4:45 pm
Colo,-Chicago Special	112:10 am	a 7:05 am
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Local	512:30 pm	b 1:40 pm
Chicago, Rock Island	A Pac	Iffe-
EAST		
Chicago Limited		all:06 pm
Iowa Local		a. 4:30 pm
Rocky Mountain Ltd		all:05 pm
Des Moines & Eastern	A 7:00 with	a 4:30 pm

Rocky Mountain Ltd...all:15 pm a 7:50 am Colo. & Cal. Express...a 1:25 pm a 4:25 pm Okl. & Texas Express..a 4:40 pm a 1:15.pm Chicago Great Western-St. Paul-Minneapolis ... 8:30 pm 7:30 am St. Paul-Minneapolis ... 7:30 am 11:35 pm Chicago Limited ... 6:05 pm 8:37 am Chicago Express ... 7:30 am 11:35 pm Chicago Express ... 7:30 am 13:36 pm Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul-Chicago & Colo. Special a 7:25 am all 50 pt Cal & Oregon Express a 5:00 pm a 8:25 pt Overland Limited ... a 5:58 pm a 8:30 at Perry local ... b 5:15 pm bil:25 at

Chicago & Northwestern-Lincoin-Long Pine ... a 7:40 am a 5:20 pm Deadwood-Lincoin ... a 3:00 pm a 5:20 pm Casper-Lander ... a 3:00 pm a 5:20 pm Fremont-Aibion ... b 5:20 pm b 1:55 pm b 3:00 pm b 5:29 pm

Louis Local (from S:00 am all:15 pm ... a 6:30 pm a 9:5 am ITINERARY OF DETROIT TEAM Stanberry Local, (from Council Bluffs)....... 5 5:00 pm 510:15 am

Chicago Limited....... a 6:00 pm a 5:30 am

American league base ball team was anMinn.-St. Paul Express b 7:15 am

American league base ball team was announced last night. The headquarters for
the spring practice will be at Ean Antonio,
Missouri Pacing.

will play at Oklahoma City, March 5 at

BURLINGTON STA .- 10TH & MASON | Joblin and March 6 at Springfield, Mo.

Burlington-	
Denver & California 4 19 pm Northwest Special a 4 10 pm Black Hills 2 10 pm Nurthwest Express all 15 am Nebraska points a 8 65 am Lincoln Fast Mail 5 19 pm Nebraska Express a 9 15 am Lincoln Local	n 3:45 p a 5:36 p a 5:36 p
Schuyler-Plattsmouth b 1:10 pm Bellevus-Plattsmouth a 8:00 pm Plattsmouth-Iowa b 9:18 am Bellevus-Plattsmouth	b10:30 a a 5:50 a b 1:06 r
Bellevue-Plattamouthc 2:25 pm	0 7:40 1

a 7.55 and all 45 pm a 4.59 pm a 3.55 pm a 6.50 pm a 3.55 pm a 5.15 am all 30 am a 4.46 pm all 30 am WESSTER STA .-- 15TH & WESSTER

Leave. Arrive.
Twin City Passenger...b 230 am b 230 pm last season at Drake, where he is taking a mithout reducing wages if the tariff is resioux City Local........ 5 35 pm b 230 am c 5 35 pm.
Emerson Local........ 5 35 pm b 230 am

WAUMOUTP THROWS PARDELLO Contemporary of automobiles for a 5 per cent

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis &

Auburn Local b 1:50 pm bil 25 am a Duily. b Duily except Sunday. c Sun-day only. d Duily except Saturday.

OCEAN STEAMERS

CANADIAN PACIFIC Weekly Sailing to Liverpool.
Write for 1909 sailing list, radio and

VOX POPULI MAKES RECORD silve Beauciers, Eather B. and Camique Sixth race, six furlongs, selling: Tailor socked; the socked (104, Shalling, 5 to 2) word, Ravaria and the third beadlock grip.

105. Wilson, 12 to 1) second, Grand Dame (127), truck, Guiding Star, Eurgher, Tavoria, lacithrop and Est E. sisc ran.

1 Reatigouche Wins Handlesp.

the betting he was heavily played. Fire-

stone went to the post a 9 to 5 first choice.

Restingouche went to the front early and

led all the way. Dorante closed gamely

under the vigorous riding of Lee and beat

outrun the first part. The handicap was

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, Sacra-

Results at Havana.

ares park:

wen, Ramble second third. Time: 1:00%.

HAVANA, Dec. 20 .- Results at Almand-

FINAL WORD FROM MURPHY

President of Chicago Club Comments on Ticket Scalping Decision.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20 .- "Now that the re-

time he had the tickets in his possession.

which had not been delivered in time by

Race from Six Days' Champton.

Charles Morgan of Worcester was second.

Headquarters for Spring Practice Will

Be at San Antonio, Texas.

and II; Columbus, April 12 and 13.

in Bough Match.

CHICAGO, Dec. Ble-Yoursoff Mahmout,

DETROIT. Mich., Dec. 20.-The itinerary

mile sprint was Tilele.

due much of the confusion."

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den by Walter Miller. Summaries:

Bad blood made its appearance in the second round of the match and considerable rough work was engaged in by both men, culminating in Mahmout throwing OAKLAND: Cat, Dec. 38-Sam Hildreth's Restiguiche, carrying 128 pounds, Pardelle through the ropes into the seats ordering the ringuide. Both men wrestled won the Sagramento bandicap in easy style vigorously until Mahmout was declared the at Emoryville yesterday. The son of Commando opened an equal favorite with Firestone, but receded until at one stage 5 to 1 HIGHLANDERS WILL GO SOUTH was quoted against him. At the close of

ning the first fall in 3:32, with a hammer-lock hold; the second in 5:52, by a crotch,

and the third in 9:08, with a scissors and

Preliminary Practice of New York Americans to Be at Macon, Ga. NEW YORK, Dec. 20 .- The first of the big league base ball teams to announce spring training plans is the New York Eyebright less than a length for second Americans, which will go south to Macon, money. Pirestone was fourth, having been Ga., March 1, for the first practice games. Manager George Stallings gave out the worth E. 270 to the winner. The colors of itinerary of the club today, which contemplates games at Augusta, Atlanta, Athens

den by Walter Miller. Summaries:

First race, five furlongs, selling: Raconteur (198, Miller, 2 to 2) won, Priceless Jewell (197, Walsh & to 1) woon, Priceless Jewell (197, Walsh & to 1) third. Time: 1.91%. Adena, Gada, Abraham, Hush Money, Uncle Sam, Nebulosis, Aliadice, Crystal Wave and Lady Hüdredth also ran.

Second race, one mile, selling: Rankee Daughter (198, Butler, 18 to 5) won, Figent (198, Walsh, 5 to 1) second, Toll Bex (110, McCarthy, 6 to 1) third. Time: 1.92%, ARSar-Ben, Bishop W., Apto Oro, Lady Renssalaer, Harry Rogers, Foot Loose and Hoyle also ran.

Third race, futurity course, selling: Nagazama (198, Milher, 4 to 1) won, Anna May (112, Gilbert, 11 to 5) second, Pinikin (196, Post, 49 to 1) third. Time: 1.10%, Hereafter, Smiley Metaner, Woolma, Belimere, The Mist, Romaine and Transmute also ran. Monarch Pool Tournament. Monarch Pool Tournament.

Usher defaated Stephen, 100 to 18, Friday evening at the Monarch pool tournament before a large crowd. Stephen started out in the lead and looked like a sure winner up until the eleventh inning, when Usher passed him with a run of twenty-two balls, never losing his lead thereafter until the end, winning easily, Score:

Usher-1, 7, 3, 2, 1, 3, 10, 3, 4, 3, 2, 2, 10, 1, 14, 2, 2, 1, 4, 11, 3-100.

Stephen-2, 2, 2, 9, 2, 19, 9, 2, 5, 2, 1, 2, 3-50. Total, 58.

Scratches: Stephen, 2, High run: Usher, Scratches: Stephen, 2 High run: Usher,

Won, Lost. Pct. 3 0 10:0 2 0 1000 mento handicap, value to the winner \$2,700; Restigouche (124, McCarthy, 18 to 5) won, Dorante (117, Lee, 6 to 1) second. Eye Bright (82, Goldatein, 16 to 1) third. Time: 1546. Firestone, Royal Tourist, Don Enrique and Tonight's game will be one of the best nd hard fought games of the tournament etween Usher and Reynolds.

Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball. In the Young Men's Christian association basket ball league last evening two games were played, resulting: Winter Nights, 4; Swastikas, 16; Summer Days, 36; Y. Fives, 22. Following is a standing of the teams: Fight race, mile and seventy yards, selling: Legistills (114, Lycurgus, 2 to 2) won, Captain Kednedy (110, Walsh, 15 to 5) second. Miss Mazoner (166, McCarthy, 5 to 2) third. Time: 125%, J. R. Laughrey, Estells C. and Frank Lubeck also ran.
Sixth race, futurity course, Moore handscap: Jajorita (161, Taphin, 5 to 3) won, Smiley Chroett (112, McCarthy, 16 to 1) second, Berry Man (114, Lee, 5 to 1) third. Time: 126%, W. T. Overton, Roseben, Sugar Maid and Frank Neugent also ran. Following is a standing of the teams date: Played. Won. Lost. Pc to date: Pla Spring Zephyra Summer Days . Winter Nights . Autumn Gales Y. Pives . Swastikas

"Reddy" Foster Kills Himself. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 26.—Oscar E. Frater, better known as "Reddy," at one time base ball star and a member of the New York National league team, committed suicide by shooting himself. Foster was 41 years old and married. He formerly was a leading player in the Virginia league and was drafted by New York. He played for one season with New York, but on account of clashes with the umpires he was sent back to the minor leagues. First race, five and a half furiongs: Expect To See won, Malta second, Merrigo third. Time: 1165. Second race, five and a half furiongs: Guarda won, Moyes second, George Leiper third, Time: 1:13.
Third race, six furlongs: Elder won,
Whisk Broom second, Rexall third, Time: Fourth race, seven furlongs; Chief Hayes won. Battle Ax second, Roseboro third. Time: 1:20.

Fifth race, five and a half furlongs: Manhelmer won, Betievnt second, Clifton Porge third. Time: 1:20.

Sixth race, five furlongs: Autumn Maid way. Ramble second. Charlette Hamilton.

Donohue and Deshler Draw. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—Young Dono-nue of Boston and Dave Deshler fought ten rounds to a draw here tenight before the Royal Athletic club.

SOUTH FOR DUTY ON LUMBER Georgia Manufacturer Reguests that Schedule Be Not

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.-The timber port of the national commission has been made I want to fire a fareweil shot," said the house ways and means committee for a Charles Murphy, president of the Chicago short time today. H. H. Tift of Tifton, National league Saturday, commenting on Ga., who appeared at the request of the the decision of the commission in the committee, asked that the lumber schedule world's championship series scalping case, be left undisturbed.

"I could not well express myself while Chairman Payne asked Mr. Tift why th the thing was on. It would look possibly people of the south come before the comlike an attempt to influence the decision. mittee and ask for higher duties than the The paragraph of the commission's report people from any other section, and then to the effect that there was no ticket sale voted for a low tariff in the national elecat the park is incorrect. It is a fact that tion

ticket sales began at the park offices "Taft got 40,000 votes in Georgia," reat I p. m. and continued until the line of marked the witness. "Yes, but he should have gotten a mabuyers had melted away. The story that Mr. Cooke took a large package of tickets jority.

to the scalper has been refuted by the police officers who escorted him during the rejoined the witness. Otto Kirchner of Detroit asked for spe The fact that the tickets were not on sale cific duty on seeds instead of the ad valdown town at the advertised time was due orem rates. to delay in the preparation of the tickets,

readjustment of the cotton schedule, claimthe printer. To my Whees was doubtless ing it should be simplified. He declared if any changes are made in the rates of duty on cotton goods they should be made grad-TAYLOR DEFEATS. M'FARLAND ualty.

Colored Bicycle Rider Wins Pursuit Harvester company, was similar in many BOSTON, Dec. 20.-Floyd MacParland of respects to that of Judge E. H. Gary of San Jose, Cal., winner, with James Moran the United States Steel corporation yesteras partner, of the recent six-day race in day. Mr. Metcaif said his company is so New York, was defeated by Major Taylor well entrenched in the agricultural impleof Worcester Saturday at the Park Square ment business that it does not need the Coliseum in a match sprint race. Taylor tariff, and that it is immaterial to it how won two out of three heats, the first, a the tariff is changed. He did not deny that one mile sprint race, in 2:43, and the third the laternational Harvester company manuheat, a one-half mile sprint in 1:07. Mac- factures over 50 per cent of the harvesters. Parland won the second heat, which was mowers, etc., made in this country. "Can you manufacture cheaper than th a one mile pursut race. The time was

English and French makers?" asker Rep-A ten mile open professional race was won resentative Crumpacker. "I think we can, from the fact that we by Floyd Krebs of Newark, N. J., in sell our goods in those countries. We 23:51%. Worth Mitten of Davenport, Ia., have improved methods in all lines of was second and George Wiley of Syracuse, manufacture in this country which bene-James Haisted of South Africa won the fits us in the manufacture of our goods." "You have not suffered as a result of two amateur races from a big field of local

the tariff on steel and on iron ore?" asked starters. The first was a five mile open. Mr. Crumpacker. "I cannot see how the fariff can be Time: 15:07%, Haisted's time in the one responsible for the fluctuations in the prices of steel and iron. It is due to the demand and supply."

The witness said that American manufacturers of agricultural implements are obliged to pay the maximum tariff in Prance, while British manufacturers enjoy

Tex. The players will leave Detroit March plaints of several manufacturers of agri-K. C. & St. L. Express a 9:00 am a 6:45 am i for the south. March 4 the second team cultural implements that the cost entering K. C. & St. L. Express all:15 pm a 5:50 pm will play at Oklahoma City. March 5 at into the manufacture of their products has into the manufacture of their products has increased. He declared that the prices of The first team will play Washington at these raw materials had steadly decreased. San Antonio March 30 and 21 and will play at Austin, Tex., March 27 and 28: Dallas, the cause of the smaller manufacturers. April 3 and 4: Wichita, Kan., April 5; claiming they cannot compete with the In-Topeka, April 6; Indianapolis, April 7 and ternational for the foreign business. He s; Fort Wayne, April 9; Toledo, April 10 said the amount of their business did not been killed in a mine disaster. justify their making use of the drawback President Navin today received a check provision of the tariff. Mr. Metcalf defor Ira Thomas, who goes to the Phila- clared himself in favor of taking off the delphia Americana President Navin denied tariff on farming implements, claiming this the report that Pirst Baseman Moriarity would open the American markets to for-

of New York had been purchased by De- eign manufacturers and the American

a duty of 26 per cent should be imposed DES MOINES. Dec. 20.-(Special Tele- on the agricultural implements from that gram.)-Guy Craw, foot ball coach at Belle. | country. rue in 1967 and assistant coach at Drake Representative Mondell of Wyoming. this year, has received an offer to coach speaking in the interest of the coal mining the Creighton track team pext spring. He interests of Wyoming, asked that the duty has a similar offer from Fairmont college on coal be kept where it is, claiming that

manufacturer increase his export trader

at Wichlita, and has not decided which he the Rocky mountain miners could not com-

MAHMOUT THROWS PARDELLO facturers of automobiles for a 6 per cent duty was not for the benefit of American Turk Disposes of Italian Champion labor, but was because of "extravagant management and enormous profits." americd that in a \$1,400 machine the cost the wrestler, hat high: defeated Leo Par- of labor is \$100 and that other manufacdella, announced as the champion of Italy, in three straight falls, in one of the roughest contests ever held in tills city.

The forms of agreement made it incumbent upon Mahmout to throw Pardello
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three times times times attained product for
the sake of labor. He avoided answering
with a sectous attack of kidney trouble.

Mrs. L. Pitman was quite ill this week
with a sectous attack of kidney trouble.

Mrs. Henry Block returned to her home
in Denver last Sunday after a visit at
the hospital tills week with a complication
of diseases.

Miss Receiver, teacher of West Center
Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kilker, left last Wedfells, announced as the champion of Italy, turers have really asked for a duty of

Water Rates

The Water Board of the City of Omaha gives notice to the consumers of water that a representative of the Water Board will be present at its office, in Room 210 in the City Hall, and a representative of the Water Board will also be present at the office of the Water Company, commencing Tuesday, December 22d to give the water consumers information as to water rates established by the Water Board.

> **MILTON T. BARLOW, Chairman** ARNOLD C. KOENIG, Secretary

Home Folks Welcome Wanderers for Holiday Time.

BELLEVUE HALLS ARE DESERTED Christmas Festivities Being Planned -Benson Commercial Club Keeps Itself Busy Over Municipal

Bellevue.

Improvements.

Miss Farley has gone to Bancroft. Mrs. Albert Jones was extremely ill last Paul Paulsen has gone to Omaha to visit Miss Sadie Gillan is spending a few weeks out of town, visiting friends at South Auburn.

Mr. Dean Mohr is visiting relatives at Ponca, Neb. Mrs. Charles McGinley visited Omaha elatives Sunday. Miss Elta Huntsberger was here from Pender last Wednesday. Miss Ida Hayward will spend Christmas

Mr. Homan, er., was in Papillion las L. M. Purcell went to Papillion Tuesday conclude some urgent business. Benjamin Swanson will spend a few weeks Kearney, where his parents live. M. D. Enfield has gone for a few days at the home of his parents in Lyons. Miss Abbie Robertson is spending a few weeks at her home in Atkinson, Neb. Miss Dessie Ohman has left to spend the holidays at her home in Pilger, Neb. The Ladies' Aid saciety spent the entire day Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. H. Betz.

Miss Gwendelyn Yarlow of Omaha was Bellevue visitor last Wednesday. She was present at the Milton program given Miss Cora McDonald is spending the holi-cays at the home of her parents in Tilden. Cassidy Larson is away for a few weeks. He will visit friends and relatives at Plattamouth.

While enjoying a buggy ride Sunday Charles Peterson was thrown out and badly bruised. Mrs. Louis Kyle of Cedar Creek is here nd a few days as the guest of the

Miss B. L. Hatfield is spending the holi-Mr. Paul Johnston is out of town for the holidays. He will spend Christmas with his parents in Omaha.

The Sunday school children will give a Christmas cantata at the Presbyterian church Thursday night. Miss Margaret Johnson spent the latter

part of the week visiting relatives in Omaha and South Omaha. Mr. A. C. Barry has gone to his home in Maywood. He expects to enjoy a trip through Kansas with his father. Believue business men are asking for change in rates on the interurban road i equal rates offered to other points. Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, who has been visit-ing with relatives in lows and Illinois for the last month, has returned home. Mrs. I. D. Keller left Friday for her home in Dallas, S. D., after an extended visit with relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Baker and family, who moved to Kansus some three years ago, have returned to live in Bellevue. The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Monroe is quite ill. Mr. Monroe has been forced to leave his work for some time. Mr. M. Pearson will be away from town for the holidays. He will spend some time in Lyons visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Shrum has gone for two weeks the home of his parents in Omaha. Hwill be there for the Christmas holidays. Dr. Richie, a state officer of the Anti-Saloon league, delivered a stirring lecture at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening Special singing services were held at the Preabyterian church last Sunday morning

Preabyterian church last Sunday morning A special meeting was h ld 11 e evening Rev. R. M. Braden Tuesday morning made a trip to Crescent. Saunders county, purpose of marrying a couple of

Mrs. George Sloan has returned to her home at Chariton. Ia., after spending sev-eral days with her mother, Mrs. Fletcher

Representative Crumpacker championed calls for the completion of the work to be done within thirty days.

Mr. George Graham will be out of town for a week or two visiting friends and rela-tives in Omaha. He will spend the Christ-mas holidays at home with his parents. Frank Homan, who was taken suddenly ill Sunday, was removed to the South Omaha hospital Monday, where he was operated on for appendicitis. He is now

recovering rapidly. CREIGHTON MAKES CROW OFFER

He made this suggestion with the provise a traveling salesman for an Omaha steel that if any foreign country does not give tank company, was a caller at the Waltenath home Sunday. He had an exhibit a duty of 26 per cent should be traveling salesman for an Omaha steel tank home Sunday. He had an exhibit at the Omaha Cern show.

at the Omaha Corn show.

J. R. Giynn came from Kansas City Friday to visit his family. He unexpectedly found an opportunity of profitably renting his residence here, and did so. He and his family will go back to Kansas City to remain several years. He expects ultimately to return here to live.

A company of twenty-three women and men from Omaha and South Omaha, together with Dr. Stephen Phelps and Mrs. Dora Harnish of Bellevue, assembled last Thursday evening at the residence of J. G. Gess. Short speeches were made by several members and W. S. Heller gave a few rectiations in his inimitable menner. The assembly included those friends of Mr. and Mrs. Goss who aided them in restoring their home after the disastrous tornado which partially wrecked it last May. The company adjourned after singing "Auld Leng Syne."

EVENTS IN OMARA SUBURBS school, will spend her Christmas holidays

Mr. I. Howland and sons are improving their spare time by cutting and hauling saw logs to the mill. Frank Wallace is able to be at again and is back at his old job as man of the street cleaning gang. Mrs. R. M. Henderson entertained her Sunday school class of ten young ladies at her home on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Boyer of West Side had a serious ttack of her old enemy, heart trouble, on donday night. She is somewhat better at

Joseph Beyer has succeeded in catching the two boys who permisted in breaking the globes in the electric lights on West Center street. Mrs. Givens entertained the weekly cot-tage prayer meeting at her home on Fifty-first and Leavenworth streets, on

Wednesday evening. Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Butts and Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Groves and little daughter
were the guesta of their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. John Blake, Sunday. James Halpine and wife had as their est Miss Aughe at the corn exposition d took in the "Pioneer" program, as all e old settlers in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blakeley entertained their friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Aughe, for luncheon at their home near Evergreen cemetery the last of the week. Miss Marie Carisen of St Joe and brother Fred and family from lows, will arrive this week to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Carisen.

James Halpine, sr., has his new St. Louis fait, on Twenty-ninth and Harney, up to the first story, and is compelled to wait for the pressed brick work from Ohio. Mrs. George Blakeley received the news that her sister, Miss Lee of University Flace, had fallen on the ice and seriously injured her back to the extent that she

thjured her back to the extent that she had to submit to an operation.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, who was operated on recently for a growth on the back of her neck is improving slowly, though still taking treatment from the family physician. ment from the family physician.

By the unanimous vote of the Sunday school and church the Christmas entertainment and Christmas tree will be given at the Southwest church Christmas night, December 5, instead of Christmas eve, as was planned, and the pastor, Rev. Wetherell, desires all individual presents be brought to the church and put on the tree, in connection with the general treat for the children.

for the children.

Dundee. The Bellevue boys and girls are at hom for the holidays. Roy Anderson is recovering from an

Mrs. G. N. Douglas has returned from visit in Hastings, Neb. The Harmony club met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Benson. Mr. James W. Hamilton was in Chicago on business during part of the week. The Ladies' Aid society of Calvary Bap-tist church met on Friday with Mrs. Sype. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Selby returned dur-ing the week from a visit in Houston, Tex. The Dundee school closed on Friday and vill not open till the Monday after New Lilas Willard is at home from Galesburg

there he attends Knox college, for the holidays. The Dundee Sunday school will give an entertainment at the Dundee hall Christ-

mas eve.

Mr. Wallace Chickering of Chicago was
the guest all week of Mr. and Mrs. F. H.
Chickering.

The Dundee drug store has an attractive vindow display, representing a typical

Mr. A. L. Corey of St. Paul was the ruest during part of the week of his sister, Mrs. D. S. Johnson. Reed Peters and Frank Selby are ex-pected home today from Amherst college to spend the Christmas holidays.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Dunde-Presbyterian church gave a reception Fri-day atternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Peters. The Saturday Evening club organized by some of the men of Dundee to meet formightly and discuss current events, met last evening at the residence of Mr. B. C. Peters. Mr. Clement Chase gave a talk on "Waste Hanking Methods." Early Banking Methods."

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Lemere and Mrs. Van Glesan were the guests at dinner Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mrs. Henry C. Van Gleson left on Wednesday for Haneford, Cal., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Stewart, and Mr. Stewart.

of Bellevis.

Mies M. S. Kirk is spending the helidays at her new home in Plainview. She will again until after the holidays, when Mrs. visit a few days in Pilger at the home of Ella Schneider.

The Round Dozen club will not meet again until after the holidays, when Mrs. S. R. Rush and Mrs. W. H. Pindell will be the hostesses. The Round Dozen club will not me

The contract for the refixing of the court house was let Tuesday and the contract calls for the completion of the work to be done within thirty days.

Mrs. H. Harnish received word Sunday that her brother-in-law, Mr. Galloway, a miner in the Cripple Creek district, had been killed in a mine disaster.

The Dundee Bridge club, which meets every other Saturday afternoon, met last week at the home of Mrs. F. O. Pahs. The members of the club are: Mrs. W. E. Shep-hard, Mrs. O. P. Goodman, Mrs. S. R. Rush, Mrs. Frank Carmichael, Mrs. E. E. Kimberly and Mrs. F. O. Pahs.

Benson. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Baker will spend the colldays in Euld, Okl.

The high school gave a drama at the school on last Friday afternoon. Mr. W. F. Springmeyer entertained A Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Evans have returned from an extended visit in Valley, Neb. M'ss Mable Jacobson arrived home from Fort Sill, Okl., to spend the holidays. M. Bunkel of Galesburg, Ill., made a short visit last week at the Corbalcy home. Miss Bessie Keilar is making a two weeks' visit with relatives in Rockport Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry entertained ast Sunday for S. Lentman of Concordia.

J. B. Jendre fell last week and is now confined at his home with two sprained ankles. E. P. Clarks left for his home in Moquet, in, last week after a visit at the M. L. Fred Moore of Brockfield, Mo., was a great of W. E. Johnson while attending

mesday for Robstown, Texas, as Mrs. Emile
Wiseman, the wedding having taken place
clothes pin to a set of crystal berry dishes,
torium on Friday and Saturday evenings
It was a three act comedy, "Fanchion, the
The women of the Presbyterian church

A girt was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson and a son to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Haver last week.

Haver last week.

A program. "Christmas Bells," will be rendered at the Lutheran church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A number of the friends of Maris Wampler pleasantly surprised her at her home last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler entertained at dinner last Sunday in henor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corkill.

Mrs. M. Lebason of Crate. Nob. 1985.

Mrs. H. Johnson of Crete, Neb., spent last Wednesday in Benson as the guest of her friend. Mrs. M. Alford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs of Fairfield, Neb., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cooper during the past week.

L. M. Smith returned to his home in Bilt. Neb., after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Smith. Miss Alice Lancaster arrived in Benson last Friday evening, to be at the home of her parents for the holidays. Mrs. Sarah Courter and son of Downs, Kan., are guests for the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hull.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Gallier of Newport.

Neb., and J. Alderman are guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Scaback left last Sunday
for Missouri Valley, where they will spend
a week at the home of their daughter.

The Benson Dramatic company gave the
second play of the season, at the AudiMr. and Mrs. C. J. Farrel left last Thursday for their home in Hay Springs, Mo.,
after a visit at the A. H. Heyden home.

Mrs. P. Borenson entertained last Sun-Mrs. Ed Sorenson entertained last Sun-day in honor of her husband's birthday, dinner being served to about ten guests. The Modern Woodman lodge gave a smoker and social time last Tuesday even-ing. Prizes were given at cards and story teiling.

P. T. Soper and William Major of Kear-ney, Mo., are guests at the home of the former's daughters, Mesdames Orindult and Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Otto, who have been visiting in Beuson while attending the corn show, returned to their home, Sunday, in Aurora, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kaley and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bean of Omaha were guests at dinner last Sunday at the home of C. E. Rean and family.

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We are despit grateful to our road for the control of Christmas exercises were held in the sublic schools of Benson last Friday after-toon, when they were dismissed for a two-reek holiday season.

week holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kethnhoff of Wathins, Kan., and Mrs. C. F. Spencer of Raymond. Neb., have been guests at the R. C. Wallace home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Coison entertained last week in honor of their son, Lynn's birthday, and their niece, June Grove's birthday anniversaries.

W. H. Hackman of Shelton, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. F. Hampton and Mrs. C. Hampton of Omsha were guests at the home of James Howard last week.

Mrs. L. I. N. Goodin entertained at din-

James Howard last week.

Mrs. L. I. N. Goodin entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Hogue of Crete, Neb., and Miss Amy Wilson of Gotherburg. Neb. the same day. Mrs. Wiseman grew up in Benson and was well known and popular among the young people.

The Women's Christian Temperance union met last Tuesday afternorn at the home of Mrs. E. J. Whistler, the county superintendent, Mrs. Covall, was present.

The members of the Lutheran Sunday. The members of the Lutheran Sunday school will present the cantata. 'In Dreamland,' at the Auditorium next Friday, Christmas night. The public is invited to attend

At the meeting of the Commercial club Monday evening, R. B. Cartar acted as chairmen. The car service, sewerage system, gas system and other questions were discussed.

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"The Methodist Ladles" Aid society met at the home of Mrs. F. E. Young last Wednesday afternoon, after the business session a ten-cent lunch being served, the proceeds to go to the Crowell home fund.

C. D. Keilar and family went to Rock-port. Mo. last Sunday, where they were called by the death of a nephew, who contracted diphtheria while visiting in Benson. They returned home last week. Mrs. William Wardiau entertained the Benson Kensington club at her home last Thursday afternoon. A dainty lunch was served, and the Christmas grab-hag was the chief feature, and making dolls for the Santa Cluss fund.

The drill team of the Modern Woodman of America lodge gave a hard times social and dance at the Odd Fellows' Hall.

The women of the Presbyterian church held a fancy bazarr in the church basement last Thursday and Friday evenings, in connection with this an oyser and chicken pie supper were served on different chicken pie supper were served on different evenings, and a program of music was rendered. It was largely attended as the proceeds go towards the building fund.

Miss Mable Kilker and Mr. Emile Wiseman, beth of Benson, were married last Wednesday, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kilker. Alice Kilker and Fred Kilker, sister and brother of the bride, were the attendants. Dean Beacher read the ceremony, which was in the presence of a few relatives and intiThe Luberan Sunday school will give a Christmas program. "Christmas Bells." a Christmas program, "Christmas Bella," at the church this evening at 7:30 c'clock, and on Friday evening a cantata at the Auditorium, the Presbyterians will give a program at their church Wednesday evening, and the Methodists a program at

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Write legibly on one side of the paper only, with name and address appended.
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OMAHA, Dec. 12.-To the Editor of The Bee: In behalf of the Women's Christian association permit me through the columns of your paper to thank the Omaha public for the generosity exhibited by them in the

of the founding of the Old Peoples' home. The public was most kind in giving their dollars and their mites; the press, to whom much of the success is due, willingly alloted valuable space, calling attention to the anniversary; the various women's organizations sacrificed themselves to hold the stations assigned them and the merchants were most courteous in allowing

Mrs. George A. Joslyn, for her munificent gift of \$1,000. Mrs. Josiyn has always been interested in the Old People's home and many times in the past has shown

her interest by substantial gifts. The Douglas, Raber and Omaha Printing satter; the Carpenter Paper company and and boxes; J. L. Brandels & Sons, the ribbon used in the cards, and the Baker Bros. Engraving company the cut of the

The total donations amounted to \$2,026, and we wish to express our heartfelt sinere thanks to each and every one who siped remember the twenty-fifth annisupunies kindly donated necessary printed versary of the Old People's home. Most MAUDE M. JOHNSON,

Corresponding Secretary. Wife's Signature is Necessary. STRATTON, Neb., Dec. 18, 1808.-To the Editor of The Bee: Where husband and wife are non-residents, is it necessary for he wife to join husband in execution of deed to real estate in the state of Neraska, or can husband convey absolute

title without wife? Answer-In Nebraska the wife has a lower right in all her husband's property. nd he cannot encumber or alienate his oldings without her consent. The husband cannot convey absolute title to real property without consent of the wife.

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