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The Bankers Savings and Loan Association have moved to their new quarters in the Douglas block, Sixteenth and Dodge, and are ready to make loans to home bullders.

Concert at Council Bluffs-The Concordia Ladles' Singing society of Omaha. in connection with Arion Maennerchor of Council Bluffs, give a concert at Dohany theater, Council Bluffs, Monday evening, March 20.

Travelers Will Elect-The annual meeting of Omalia Post & of the Travelers' Protective Association of America will be held Saturday night, March 18, at the Commercial club. New officers will be elected and delegates to the state and national conventions chosen. Refreshments will be served.

Sues Street Railway Company-John F. Waller of Council Bluffs has begun action in United States circuit court against the street rallway company for \$10,009 damages for personal injuries received in Council Bluffs last October. He claims that the motorman of the car he was about to board started before he was firmly on the platform, throwing him to the pavement and injuring him permanently.

Men Sell Goods Without Right For Omaha Firm

Insist on Collecting in Advance-Letter from Western Buyers' Association Furnishes Clue.

RENO, Nev., March 10 .- (Special Telegram.)-Sheriff Harris returned from the orth on last night's Tuscarora stage with R. C. Hall and R. Vincent, who claimed to represent the Western Buyers' association of Omaha and who were selling groceries for future delivery and collecting cash for the same. They passed a worthless check and were arrested at Mountain City. Escaping from the officers in the night, they started on foot toward the Idaho line, but the sheriff found their trail and folremedied. lowed them to an old capin in the mountains about ten miles distant, where they were in a freezing condition three days during a tremendous snowstorm without food. They willingly surrendered in the face of death.

When searched about \$700 in money and checks was taken from them. Whenever they sold a bill of goods they demanded and received payment in full.

A letter from the Western Buyers' anso ciation at Omaha says the company does not know such a man as R. C. Hall, but described R. V. Haller, who worked the same game through Kansas and Colorado. The description fits Hall perfectly. Cards. bearing the name of R. V. Haller were found on Hall. Hall is about 33 and Vincent 50

Clyde Rock of the Western Buyers' asso ciation, Omaha, says the company had trouble with Haller in Pueblo and at one time tried to prosecute him. He sold goods, collecting in advance. He was never in any way connected with the company Mr. Rock thinks the sheriff of Keya Faha county has a warrant for Haller for disposing of a carload of potatoes without

Root President of Carnegie Endowment

Authorities to Prevent Congestion of People in Houses.

SANITARY OFFICER MAKES TRIP Discovers Unusual Condition Pre-

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

vailing, Which Prosecutor Will Try to Remedy-Stonek Hit

by Meat Hook.

Head of the Conservation Congress Action is about to be taken by the city authorities to bring about better conditions of living in certain districts of the city in habited by foreign colonies of laborers and colored people. It has long been a wonder Conservation of soil fertility and not the to those acquainted with life as lived here protection and development of natural rethat the overcrowding, which it is now sources will be the chief material for deaimed to prevent, has been allowed to conliberation at the 1911 Conservation continue, and it is hoped that the steps now gress. Henry Wallace says so. He adda about to be initiated will have the effect the suggestion that Omaha is an ideal of changing a state of things which is not place in which to hold the convention, exreditable to the city.

plaining that this city is the pivotal point Chris Porina, sanitary officer, has had of the greatest agricultural producing area. notices made out for service, as a start in the world. in the campuign, upon ten owners or rent-"Why not hold the next meeting

ers of property to relieve the situation the Omaha," declared Mr. Wallace, sanitary officer has found to exist. The "The executive committee of the con complaint is that there is overcrowding. gress had a session in Washington rethat the general state of the dwellings is cently, but the next meeting place was not unsanitary, that the houses are not suffidesignated." said Mr. Wallace. "Personciently heated and that they are in a damp ally, I prefer the west for the reason that and dilapidated condition. The people emphasis will not be on conservation of against whom the law is being put in force resources by the government, but by the live in the vicinity of Twenty-sixth and states, especially as to the conservation M and N streets and Thirtieth and R of soil fertility. President Taft's attitude streets, and the houses are occupied by positively settles that argument, and it is Bulgarian, Austrian, Lithuanian and Greek perfecty satisfactory to Gifford Pinchot as laborers, as well as colored people.

well as the rest of us. "I have found." said Officer Perina, "as "There is no reason why Omaha should many as eighteen or twenty-four living in not bld for the coming convention. There seems to be no doubt but that it will be a five-room house and one can imagine the sanitary state of living under such circumheld somewhere in the west, and the only western city that will be in the field will stances. What with from ten to a dozen most likely be Kansas City. Citles along people, if not more, sleeping in one room, the city is forever in danger of an out- the Missouri river are especially desirable, break of disease. In many of the places and Omaha would be the best of all to atthere are no beds; the men lis on mattresses tract the greatest number of persons inrested in progress and soil fertility. on the floor and in some places they have

not even this accommodation-they lie on "We do not expect to have a political the bare boards, and probably their clothes jamboree at the next convention such as characterized the St. Paul meeting. There are never off them from one week to the will be no politics in it at all if I have other.

tained a severe scalp wound.

infuriated assailant.

sault and battery.

one in which the request was made. The

my way, and I think I will. What we City Prosecutor McNally stated that he want to do is go right to the heart of is determined that the law shall be enthings that should interest the farmer, forced, and what should lead to energetic for upon his success depends the success action is the fact that smallpox has apof the nation. His prosperity depends on peared in several parts of the city. "Such fertility of the soil, and on this propoonditions of living," said Mr. McNally sition the west has prior claim on the "are a menace to the public health of the next convention. Washington, D. C., and city and we will try and have them Rhode Island both want the next meet-Struck with a Meat Hook.

ing, but I prefer to come west. If a convention place should be selected out Because he asked Pat Meehan, who has this way the convention would probably charge of the elevator in the sweet pickle be held in September, while Washington department at the Armour packing house. would wait until February of 1912. to hurry, Thomas Stonek, another worker

> Doubt Thrown on Manner of Injury.

levator was not long in returning, and mmediately Stonek proceeded to enter he Bleeding profusely from a wound at the was struck with the hook and knocked to base of his skull, J. W. Wheaton, 32 years his knees. He made a grab for the weapon old, a railroad switchman of Toledo, Ia., as Mechan attempted to strike him, and. was found at \$:30 o'clock last night lying although his hands were badly lacerated, in a dying condition on the sidewalk at he succeeded in getting it away from his Twelfth and Harney streets. The man was hurried to St. Joseph's hos-

By this time the row had attracted the pital in the police ambulance, attended by attention of other workers and the men Dr. O. C. Bishop, where it was found he were separated, Stonek taken away to have was suffering from concussion of the Little hope is given for his rehis wounds dressed and the police inbrain. formed. Captain Dworak soon arrived and covery Whether Wheaton had been slugged and arrested Meehan, who is charged with as-

robbed and left lying on the walk whether he stumbled and fell, hitting his Meehan, in justification of his conduct, head upon the curbing, is a mystery. states that Stonek accompanied his re-Weight is added to the latter theory by quest to hurry with insulting language. the fact that the man wore a wooden right He lives at Twenty-fourth and 8 streets and Stonek at Twenty-sixth and G streets.

No valuables or money was found on his of 609 South Michae

Horrors of Famine to State

Department.

WASHINGTON, March 10,-More stories

f the horrors of the Chinese famine

reached the State department today from

the consul general at Shanghai, who suma

Dr. Cochrane, an American Presbyterian nissionary, said that in the whole afflicted

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El Tello Cigar

there, was felled with a meat hook and sus-J. W. WHEATON MAY DIE OF WOUND IN HIS HEAD Found at Twelfth and Harney and

lics that thieves had entered his house at 731 North Nineteenth street and stole money, a 38-caliber revolver and some old colum. Entrance was effected by the rear door and the thieves appeared to have used

a skeleton key by which the back door was

Omaha May Get the

Next Conservation

Says This is Ideal Place for

Convention.

Congress-Wallace

The elevator was ascending as Stonel ame to the door with his truck. He shouted to Meehan to hurry, and the flery tempered Irishman evidently resented the

First Meeting of Board of Trustees

Results in Steps Preparatory to Beginning Active Work.

WASHINGTON, March 10.-Steps initial beginning its active work in furtherance of international peace were made by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace at the first meeting of the board of trustees of the body held here today.

Senator Elihu Root was chosen president of the Endowment, Joseph H. Choate. vice president: James Brown Scott, secretary, and Walter M. Gilbert, treasurer.

The executive committee will consist of Scnator Root, Nicholas Murray Butler. president of Columbia university; John W Foster, former secretary of state; Andrew J. Montague, former governor of Virginia: Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teachers, and Charlemagne Tower, former American ambassador to Austria-Hungary, Russla and Germany.

The finance committee will be George W Perkins, Robert A. Franks and Samuel Mather

BOWMAN ACCEPTS PRESIDENCY

Secretary to Carnegle Foundation Will Be Youngest College Presi-

dent in United States.

NEW YORK, March 10-John Gabbroth Bowi inn, secretary of the Carnegie foundation, will be the youngest college president street. in the United States, so far as statistics

Mr. Bowman, who is \$3 years old, accepted the presidency of the Iowa State university today in a letter sent to the lews State Board of Education.

Mr. Bowman is a graduate of the university whose affairs he will direct. He came

to this city in 1904, took a post graduate course at Columbia university and was uppointed to his present position in 1906. The owa State university, which has nearly 1 800 students and 100 instructors, sent him a call to the presidency several weeks ago.

KENDRICK CONSIDERED FOR

MISSOURI PACIFIC HEAD

Cable Measage Said to Have Been Sent to Vice President of Santa Fc.

NEW YORK, March 10-Now that Howard Elliott has refused to accept the presidency of the Missouri Pacific to succeed George Could If became known today that one of the men under consideration for the position is John W. Kendrick of Chicago, vice president of the Atchison. Topeka & Santa Fe. Mr. Kendrick is in Europe on a leave of absence and it is

The following births are reported: H. B. Beruitat, boy; Oto Hackenholz, Twenty-direct, BOCK Birth, and Jefferson streets, girl; William Miller, Twenty-sixth and L streets, boy; Nou can bank on one absolutely senuine bock heer in Omaha. THAT'S STORZ
BOCK Birth, and there is more of it brewed and sold than any other in the city. On draught March 2 and thereafter. In bottles from CHAS, STORZ, Phones; Web. 1290, Ind. B-USE. Web. 1290, Ind. B-1281.

wage bill was held last night in the Havstreet stumbled over Wheaton's form in rly hotel, and Rev. James Aherne, Rev. the dark. Pappas said at first he thought Dr. Wheeler and Jerry Howard were apthe man intoxicated and started to walk pointed a deputation to go to Lincoln on, when he noticed blood flowing across Tuesday to advocate its adoption. the sidewalk. He notified the police

Minimum Wage Bill.

A meeting in behalf of the minim

School Board Funds.

Dr. Bishop estimated that the man had The report of City Treasurer Gillin, exbeen lying in that condition for more than officio treasurer for the school board, for a half hour before he was found. he month of February shows that the balance to the credit of the general fund. HUNGRY CHINESE STRIP March 1, was \$5,347.89, against \$5,396.11 on February 1. The balance to the credit of TREES OF LEAVES AND BARK the interest fund March 1, was \$186.25, and of the sites bond fund, \$124.51. February 1 **Consul General at Shanghat Reports**

t was \$374.51. Magie City Gossip.

Oscar the Tailor, real good clothes maker. J. V. Vacek has gone for a trip to New Orleans

That Stetson shoe for men at \$5 is just \$1 saved to you. Cressey. The annual entertainment of Bes Hive

Masonic lodge will be held March 30 up conditions at the beginning of Febru 'Phone Beil South 868-Independent F-1868 for a case of Jetter Gold Top. Prompt de-livery to any part of city. William Jetter. ary. One traveller reported passing fifteen dead hodies in fifteen miles on the road The missionaries tell of the natives eating Prof. Paul H. Grumman's lectures on 'Midern Literature' begin Monday in the cakes made of leaves and stems mixed tigh school.

with millet chaff which they buy with the A special meeting of Winona lodge No. 206, Modern Brotherhood of America, will be held this evening. allowances from the government of : cents apiece. The trees had been stripped of bark, which had been esten.

See our big girls' button shoes, special values at \$1.75 and \$2 Cressey.

The women of St. Martin's church will ave a fresh fried cake sale at 1018 North "wenty-second street Saturday. region there were 2,000,000 starving people MV0 H In one village of 100 families one-third were dead of hunger and pestilence. Snow was

The funeral of Ivery Thompson will be held this afternoon at 2 o clock from Brower's chapel to Laurel Hill cemetery. falling and many were without proper shelter or clothing. The King's Daughters of the First Pres-byterian church meet this afternoon with Mrs. W. D. Watson, 410 North Fifteenin The missionaries have attacked the work of relief with the greatest system and di-

rectness Our boys' shoes are great values this season. Cressey,

MASONS Miss Elin Tawney of Cedar Rapids, Ia., s visiting with J. W. Cress. She is a sis-or of Congressman J. E. Tawney of Great Brotherhood Banquet Held In nesota.

The new Lutheran church at Twenty-fifth and K streets will be dedicated Sun-day, the special services being held at II a. m. " p. m. and S p. m. Just received: Ladies' fine button velooze, Auditorium of Masonic Temple by Scottish Rite Members.

Reunion celebrations of the Scottish Rite also high tan button shoes; see them. W sell them a little below others. Cressey. Masons were brought to a close last night Rev. C. C. Rollit of Minneapolis, secre-tary of the Sixth Missionary department, will be the special preacher in St. Martin's church Sunday evening. The public is cor-

Saturday afternoon Miss Alfreda Powell will tell the Bible story at the Children's Hour for the children of St. Martin's church. The subject of her talk will be fwo Chuma

Invited

Low shoes are all the go for ladies this season. See our nobby anklet in suedes and patent, also the new two strap and buttor fraction (Consult, Neb.; and Judge Charles Morgan of Bassett, Neb. button suedes. Creasey. Misa Anna Linnemann of Bellevue died

yesterday in St. Joseph's hospital, aged 29. The funeral will be held Sunday at 2 o'clock at the Union church, Sarpy county. The burial will be in the Balley conterry. chestra.

Heaford, Iowa.

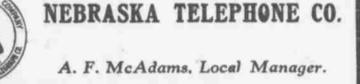
Douglass 119; Ind. A-2119 Bubonic Plague Near Amor.

AMOY, March 10 .- A severe ep A. T. Black yesterday reported to the po-

"I don't know what I would do without my tele phone," said the busy houswife, when her husband called up and told her he would have a friend for dinner

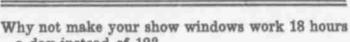
"When I need something for the kitchen in a hurry, it saves me a lot of trouble and worry; then, too, it helps me out of numerous tiresome tasks every day."

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Mr. Merchant!



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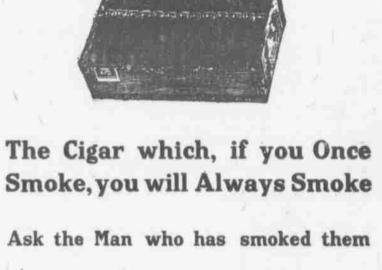
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by a prodigious brotherhood banquet in the auditorium of the Masonic temple, Sixteenth street and Capitol avenue. The principal speech of the evening was made by W. N. Davidson, superintendent of schools. Mr. Davidson talked on Masonry. C. E. Herring acted as toastmaster.

END CELEBRATION

Those who responded to toasts were Judge R. E. Evans of Dakota City, Grand Masand Judge Charles Morgan of Bassett, Neb. Some splendid music was offered by the

Peter Pan quartet and the Shook's or-

Dental Societies' Officers.

The funeral of James Hilburn, who was for twelve years connected with the com-mission business at the Inion Stock Yards, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence. Twenty-third street and meeting in lows. City for the last two Avenue C. Council Bluffs. days, closed its session here today by days, closed its session here today by Europe on a leave of absence and it is understood that a cable message has been sent offering him the position. Other names under consideration are Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president of the Union Pacific: Heary Miller, vice president understown will be "Conventionalities of Lafe" The following officers for the en-sent offering him the position. Other names under consideration are Julius Kruttschnitt, vice president of the Union Pacific: Heary Miller, vice president and general manager of the Wabasil, and the following officers for the en-sent offering him the position. Differing the president of the Humah Eoclety." The topic for Friday might will be "Conventionalities of Lafe" Dr. N. S. Hoff, Michigan; Dean W. S. Dr. N. S. Hoff, Michigan; Dean W. S.

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