

TO BE WEDDED SOON.

"Hard times" seem to have only a stimulating effect on that remarkable colony of young people that dwells in New Brighton, S. I., and seem to have become possessed with the matrimonial fever during the past few years, for there are no less than three large and fashionable weddings announced to take place at that charming suburb during June. The first will be that of Mr. Randolph St. George Walker and Miss Helen Janssen, on June 5; the second, that of Mr. H. W. Tillinghast and Miss Clara Rich, on June 6, and the third that of Mr. Willard S. Brown, son of Mr. Vernon Brown of New York, and Miss Gertrude Williams, sister of the Baroness Zerdobin, on June 20. These three young couples are popular and have a large number of friends in New York as well as on Staten Island, so that their weddings "in the country," as New Brighton is sometimes called will undoubtedly be numerous attended. Staten Island is looking particularly beautiful this year in its spring and early summer dress, which of itself is an attraction.

Van Dusen & Brydon is the style of the new firm which have opened up at 1141 O street, with a line of millinery, gloves and hosiery. Mr. C. E. Van Dusen has had quite an extensive experience in the city of Lincoln in the glove and hosiery line. He has been connected with the Famous and Bazar for the last six years in this city in charge of the glove department. Mr. R. J. Brydon has been connected with the Famous for fourteen years past in the millinery department and is a thorough man in his line. The above firm are young men of the city of Lincoln, and are starting out in the right way and deserve success in their undertaking. They have two floors and the largest show window in the city. The main floor will be devoted to the retail millinery, glove and hosiery trade. The second floor will be devoted exclusively to the wholesale trade. They have a very fine designing room enclosed entirely by glass, which will be in charge of Mrs. R. J. Brydon, who is well known to the ladies of Lincoln.

T. J. Oakley Rhinelander and Miss Sands are to be married June 6. Since their engagement was announced, thirty-five congratulatory dinners have been given in their honor.

Follow the procession and order your Sunday ice cream and fruit ices of Sisler. Phone 630, 133 south 12 St.

The celebrated P. D. and W. C. C. corsets at the FAMOUS.



One result of wearing blue glasses when you go fishing.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION STANDING.

Following is the standing of the Western Association clubs up to and including Thursday games:

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
St. Joseph	14	3	.824	Peoria	9	8	.529
Rock Island	10	6	.625	Jacksonville	8	8	.500
Lincoln	9	7	.563	Des Moines	4	13	.235
Omaha	9	7	.563	Quincy	3	14	.176

Prince Poniatowski, who is not to marry Miss Burke, of California, is to be editor of a French magazine to be published in New York, under the name, the *French Review*.

NOT HIS FAULT.

Reginald—Bah Jove, Miss Ederly, do you know, I had some cards engraved recently, and the beastly stationer made a mistake and put on "Miss" instead of "Mr."

Miss Ederly—You must have ordered them in person.

SODA WATER FREE.

Ode Rector has made some substantial improvements in his drug store at Twelfth and N Sts. His soda water fountain particularly is one of the finest equipped in the city. To make the people thoroughly acquainted with his facilities for serving all kinds of drinks, he will, on Tuesday serve soda water and all other drinks free of charge to all visitors to his store; the ladies especially are invited to make their wishes known at the soda fountain. Any kind of drink will be served free. Some of Rector's favorites are Delmonico Flip, Henrietta, Mignonette and pineapple float; if you have never tried any of these do not fail to call for one of them. Mignonette is a very popular drink. Free soda water is a novelty and Mr. Rector's liberality is sure to crowd his store all day Tuesday. The public is cordially invited.

Millinery at a discount of 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ to 50 per cent at the FAMOUS.

Ladies' button Oxford, two large buttons, narrow square toe, the newest thing out. LE GRANDE M. BALDWIN'S, 1129 O St

They all say that Sisler's ice cream is the best. Made from the best separated cream. (New quarters, 133 south 12 st.

LOVE vs. BOODLE.

"LOVE rules the world"—thus runs the song.
The man who wrote it was a noodle;
For Love, to-day, would not stand long
Against that rival power—Boodle!

USELESS TO EXPERIMENT.

JAYSMITH: Wonderful thing, this hypnotism, isn't it, McCorkle?
McCORKLE: Very wonderful, indeed.
JAYSMITH: Something like mesmerism, I understand?
McCORKLE: Yes, very similar to it.
JAYSMITH: I see by the newspapers that a skillful operator, after putting a person into a hypnotic trance, can make him do whatever he tells him to.
McCORKLE: Yes, I understand that is the way of it.
JAYSMITH: And the subject is utterly unable to resist.
McCORKLE: Just so.
JAYSMITH: Do you know I've often wondered if I possess the power of putting persons into the hypnotic sleep?
McCORKLE (a trifle wearily): I wouldn't be surprised if you do.
JAYSMITH: Do you really think so?
McCORKLE: I'm almost sure of it.
JAYSMITH: Suppose you let me try on you, just for the fun of the thing?
McCORKLE (hastily): O, it wouldn't be of any use for you to try it with me, Jaysmith. You wouldn't have any success whatever. Even if Mr. Hypnoter himself were to try it he'd fail. I couldn't lend you a fiver even if you did hypnotize me, for I haven't a dollar about me.

Wm. H. Siviter.