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ter embracing all the opponents of republicanism. All but one of the republican candidates were elected, J. F. Gerecke, citizens' candidate, being elected councilman in the Second ward over D. C. Gwartney, republican, by eight votes. Republicans elected two out of three members of the Board of Education. Those elected were: Mayor, William Redford; clerk, W. D. Bowers; treasurer, L. F. Schultz; police judge, J. W. Gladursh; councilman, First ward, J. P. Dunham; councilman, Second ward, J. F. Gerecke (citizens); members Board of Education, F. A. Marsh, C. E. Holland (rep.), H. B. Cummins (citizens.) An election was also held in Seward county on a proposition to levy a 5-mill tax for building a court house. The proposition received a large affirmative vote in this city, but is defeated on the total vote of the county by more than two to one.

SHELBY, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The entire citizens' ticket was elected. The other ticket in the field was the good government. The former is composed of high license men, while the latter favors prohibition. The town trustees elected were John Rathbun, Charles Krumbach, F. M. Leibee, C. H. Huckfeldt and Ernest Rogers. Both tickets were by petition and the license vote averaged about fifteen majority.

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Election yesterday passed off quietly. The issue was anti-license against license and a full license board was elected by about ten majority. The new board is S. C. Haney, A. G. Hamilton, M. G. Nicholson, J. G. Behm, T. J. Wright.

STANTON, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The election passed off quietly here yesterday. There was but one ticket nominated. A light vote was cast and no enthusiasm was manifested. The officers-elect are: Dr. E. C. Underburg, mayor; C. E. Beebe, clerk; Joseph Grattan, treasurer; H. H. Antles, police judge; C. E. Vaughn, city engineer; C. F. Kalk, councilman First ward; Dr. W. H. Person, councilman Second ward.

ST. PAUL, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The city election yesterday passed off quietly. The following were elected: T. T. Bell, mayor; O. V. Crow, city clerk; John Jensen, city treasurer; J. M. Bower, police judge; J. A. Miller, councilman First ward; Lars Larsen, councilman Second ward. With the exception of Mr. Larsen all are republicans and all in favor of license.

STROMSBURG, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The citizens' ticket won in this city yesterday except John Erickson for councilman in the First ward. The following were elected: John W. Hart, mayor; E. Hunner, clerk; Nate Wilson, treasurer; Harry Skelton, councilman in the Second ward. This indicates that there will be saloons for the ensuing year.

SYRACUSE, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The village election resulted in the choice of the following trustees for the ensuing year: J. H. Arende, H. J. Reif, W. W. Bell, Ad Walt and H. Holdernep. There was no other ticket in the field, although there were many scattering votes. There was considerable talk before election about putting up a no license ticket, but at a largely attended meeting of the people it was resolved to enforce the Slocumb law. That means license. There are now three saloons here and that number will undoubtedly obtain the necessary privilege for the next twelve months.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The election yesterday passed off very quietly, considering the interest manifested by every citizen in the result. The total vote cast was 179. The issue was license and anti-license, and while the contest was very close it resulted in a victory for the wets, who elected three of their candidates and tied for the fourth, and the antis elected but one of their men. W. N. Filler led the wet ticket, receiving ninety-eight votes, while the anti-license candidate elected, B. W. Ballou, received eighty-nine. William Pangburn, anti, and A. F. Hansen, license, tied, receiving eighty-six votes each.

TILDEN, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Practically a unanimous vote was cast here yesterday for the following license board: A. Edwards, J. H. Kierstead, C. A. Smith, W. W. Weaver and D. W. Whitney.

UNADILLA, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The village election at Unadilla was hotly contested. The temperance ticket was easily defeated.

VALPARAISO, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—At the election yesterday the anti-license party succeeded in electing three trustees, to-wit: W. P. Allen, C. W. Greeno and E. H. Hotchkiss. The license party elected William Giffin and Peter Skola. The town will be dry this year.

WAHOO, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The result of the municipal election in this city yesterday was: H. K. White, mayor; Claude Cornell, clerk; E. S. Rand, police judge; Jacob Ort, treasurer; W. W. Alt, city engineer; councilmen, First ward, Edward Lehmkuhl; Second ward, James O'Donnell; Third ward, George F. Frush; members of the school board, Charles A. Wenstrand and Dr. J. E. Lamb.

WAYNE, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The electric light bond proposition carried by a majority of 176. At the election held yesterday political issues were not drawn.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The city election was a battle on the liquor question and resulted in a victory for no license. The officers elected were: J. E. Douglass, mayor; George Sawyer, treasurer; Hiram Peck, clerk; C. H. King, police judge; A. L. Upham, councilman First ward; David Woodard, Second ward; O. D. Smith, Third ward; for school board, Thomas Murtey and Q. N. Woodford.

WEST POINT, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The municipal election passed off very quietly, the contest being nonpartisan and very friendly. The following were elected: Mayor, Daniel C. Giffert; clerk, James C. Elliott; treasurer, C. W. Ackerman; engineer, C. A. Heller; councilman First ward, W. A. Black; councilmen Second ward, S. Reppert; councilman Third ward, W. Breidinger; for members of the school board, J. J. King and John Meier. A light vote was polled.

WILBER, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The old board, Messrs. Borecky, Grimm, Sadilek, Shackelton and Zwonechek were re-elected.

WOOD RIVER, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The old board, S. A. Sherrerd, W. T. Spelts, M. Diefenderfer, E. T. Rounds and A. C. White, were re-elected. There was no opposition and no issue. The board is high license.

WYMORE, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The high license people here are jubilant over the results of yesterday's election, which gave the high license ticket a majority over the temperance of over 300 and elected every man on the ticket. Following is the ticket elected: Mayor, Julius Neumann; treasurer, J. A. Reuling; clerk, J. Byers; city engineer, S. G. McKeever; police judge, M. H. Southwick; councilmen—First ward, long term, J. M. Tout; short term, W. H. Huston; Second ward, George Worth; Third ward, Joseph Nichols; members Board of Education, E. N. Kauffman, Daniel O'Shea.

YORK, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Yesterday's municipal election added another to the long string of republican victories. King, the republican candidate for mayor, received a majority of 198. The contest over the clerkship, which was the only one which had promised anything exciting, resulted in a majority of sixty-one for Newman, the republican nominee.

YUTAN, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—There was quite a surprise over the election here yesterday, there being two tickets in the field, one straight republican and one mixed by petition. The petition ticket won all except one trustee and clerk, which was a tie. Both were saloon tickets.

Court at Rushville.

RUSHVILLE, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The grand jury adjourned today, after being in session eight days. Thirty-six indictments were returned. It is supposed that they are principally against keepers of gambling houses and gamblers. A number of those indicted have voluntarily come forward, pleaded guilty and paid their fines and costs. Fines and costs in cash or secured by bond to the amount of $1,400 have been paid into court during the last day or two. Judge Sullivan of Broken Bow occupied the bench today in a case where Judge Westover had acted as attorney for one of the parties. Stevens was last night found guilty of cattle stealing, but has not yet been sentenced.

Mortgage Record.

FAIRBURY, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Jefferson county mortgage record for March is as follows: Farm mortgages, thirty-four filed, amounting to $48,530.25; sixty-four satisfield, amounting to $65,427.22; city mortgages, eight filed, amounting to $3,600; fourteen satisfied, amounting to $4,068.33; chattel mortgages filed, 118, amounting to $29,050.25; satisfied, 239, amounting to $75,770.67.

HARTINGTON, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The following is a correct report of mortgages filed and released in Cedar county during the month of March, 1898: Farm mortgages filed, fifty-six, $69,762; town, seven, $3,215; total, number, sixty-three, $72,927; farm mortgages released, sixty-six, $53,812; town, eight, $5,115; total, seventy-four, $58,927; chattel mortgages filed, 344, $110,127.53; chattel mortgages released, 459, $114,118.33. Two sheriff's deeds were recorded.

SEWARD, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The following is the official report of the mortgages filed and released during the month of March in Seward county: Farm mortgages filed, $25,343.99; released, $41,979.80; city mortgages filed, $5,190; released, $1,630; chattel mortgages filed, $14,630.76; released, $36,483.64; sheriff's deeds, farm, one; city, two.

Purchases at Exeter.

EXETER, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Prof. J. T. McKinnon last week purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kittlewell, paying $3,500.

M. W. Dinneen has purchased a dwelling in the northwest part of town of Miss Mary Smith and moved his family there this week.

Jacob Pflug has purchased the old post-office lot, south of his present location, and will build an implement shed upon it.

J. P. Wilson has purchased a lot on East Main street and is building a restaurant thereon.

Held for Grand Larceny.

BLAIR Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The Daniels brothers, arrested here for stealing carpenter tools, had their preliminary trial before Judge E. C. Jackson on Monday and were bound over to the next term of the district court on a charge of grand larceny.

The effects of the curfew law, that was passed by the city council about ten days ago, are noticeable around the church and opera house doors and street corners of evenings.

Improvements at West Point.

WEST POINT, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Hon. Uriah Bruner has commenced the erection of a two-story and basement brick store building, 22x80 feet, on his lot on the corner of Main and Park streets in this city. The prospects for further building improvements are good.

Court at York.

YORK, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—The district court has concluded its jury cases and the jurors have been dismissed. The docket is a short one and none of the cases present very interesting phases. Yesterday a divorce was granted Joseph Wochner from Lillie Wochner.

Engineer Hurt.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—While working at a switch in the Cotton brick yard a B. & M. engine jumped the track and the engineer, Charles Wands, fell from the engine on a pile of ties and sustained a sprained back, but was not seriously injured.

Loses a Leg.

STROMSBURG, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Noah Graham, living two miles southwest of here, met with a serious accident yesterday. The team ran away and threw her from the buggy and broke her leg in several places, necessitating amputation.

Child Badly Burned.

TILDEN, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—May, the 4-year-old child of G. A. Shippee, was badly burned this morning.

JAPANESE PUBLIC IS EXCITED.

Demands that the Government Secure a Foothold in China.

LONDON, April 7.—The Yokohama correspondent of the Times says:

For the first time public opinion in Japan is vehemently excited. There is no general opposition to a British occupation of Wei Hai Wei, but there is a feeling that Japan must assert itself and secure some other foothold on the Asiatic continent.

The government is hampered by financial considerations, but will probably be obliged to yield to public pressure. Sober people and the officials generally favor a British occupation of Wei Hai Wei and an Anglo-Japanese entente.

The Daily Mail says this morning:

We learn from an authoritative source that England and Japan are in complete accord regarding Wei Hai Wei, but secrecy is entailed until a complete settlement has been achieved, which it is believed will include an arrangement whereby England will advance the money to enable China to pay the indemnity in full and thus to obtain a Japanese evacuation of Wei Hai Wei.

Carr's Story is a Fake.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 6.—The story told by Carr, the United States mail carrier, that he had news from Andre, proves to be a fake pure and simple. Carr got the idea from a little paper published in St. Michaels, which recently published a highly improbable story regarding the missing aeronaut.

Dreyfus Trial May Be Annulled.

BRUSSELS, April 6.—The Soire of this city declares that the Dreyfus trial will shortly be annulled by the French court of appeals on the same grounds as the Zola trial.

Turning to Sugar Beets.

STOCKTON, Cal., April 6.—(Special.)—The loss of the greater portion of the grain crop in the vicinity of New Hope has caused the farmers to irrigate their lands and plant sugar beets. The factory at Crockett has been making an effort to pledge the landowners in San Joaquin county to plant beets and before the close of last year had secured about 8,000 acres. The dry season changed their plans, as some of the property without water would not produce beets.

Olivette Sails for Havana.

TAMPA, Fla., April 6.—The steamship Olivette sailed tonight for Havana to bring over Americans desirous of coming. This ship has been undergoing repairs and it was with the greatest urgency that it was made ready for the trip.

Congressman Faris Renominated.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., April 6.—Congressman Faris of the Fifth Indiana district was renominated today on the 272d ballot.

RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICANS WIN.

Secure the Legislature, Which Will Return Senator Aldrich.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 6.—The state election resulted in an overwhelming republican victory. Neither party conducted a live campaign, the success of Governor Dyer and his associates being a foregone conclusion. The socialist labor vote shows a large increase, while the prohibitionists beat the democrats in several towns as usual.

The legislature will be republican, insuring the re-election of United States Senator Aldrich. The democrats in the two houses will number only about twelve, and as no democratic candidate for the senatorial nomination has appeared Senator Aldrich may be unopposed.

...AMUSEMENTS...

Last evening at Boyd's theater "The Barber of Seville," an opera by Rossini, was presented by the Damrosch-Ellis Opera company in the presence of a large and discriminatingly appreciative audience. The opera was first produced at the Argentina theater, Rome, February 5, 1816. The plot is founded upon a comedy by Beaumarchais and has served as the inspiration of a dozen composers during almost a century. Rossini was a gleaner, and a skillful one, too. He had a confirmed habit of borrowing successful numbers from his own works, and his "Aureliano" is responsible for the overture and several vocal numbers in the "Barber." The trio "Zitti, Zitti" is based upon a theme from "The Seasons" by Haydn, and the comic aria sung by Berta is borrowed from a Russian melody. Several numbers of the original work have been lost and others are substituted at modern performances. The music lesson scene has come to be an always improved chance for the prima donna to sing something which will show her off to the best advantage, the opera being for the time being converted into concert.

The performance last evening was in many respects remarkable. Mme. Melba as Rosina was quite in her element and sang and acted the part in a manner to captivate any one with eyes, ears and a reasonable amount of intelligence. The beauty of her voice has been eulogized until nothing new can be said. Those who heard it do not need to be told and those who did not hear it would be no wiser when told. There is a delicious quality in her tone, from second space A to high C, that is inexpressible. The lower tones are not so good and would be better if the lower register were not carried so high. Once out of these and all the colors of the rainbow blend and contrast till one is utterly bewildered. In the music lesson scene these were most in evidence, and the Mattinati by Tosti, to which she played her own accompaniment upon a piano, was almost the gem of the performance. In response to enthusiastic applause she sang a verse of "The Old Folks at Home" with a tenderness that was wonderfully effective. Her pronunciation of English was almost perfect and caused one to fervently wish that the whole opera were sung in our own tongue. At this point the delight of the audience reached its highest point and the singer had the poor taste to throw cold water upon it by refusing to sing again and finally seeming to submit to an ungrateful necessity. The enjoyment of the second verse was only possible by disassociating the song from the singer. The opera ended with the vocal waltz "Rosebuds," by Arditi, sung in a charming manner. At its close Mme. Melba took the E flat above high C with as clear and beautiful tone as one needs to hear.

Next to the prima donna the interest and admiration of the evening centered in the baritone, Signor Campanari. His rendering of Figaro is a work of art that is seldom equaled. His voice is rich and ringing and the upper tones, even to A flat, are under perfect control. His singing of Largo al Factotum will not be forgotten soon by those who appreciate the difficulties which he overcame with the greatest ease.

M. Salignac, as the Count, sang artistically with a voice of clear quality and moderate power. His execution is fairly good and in the ensemble work he was especially satisfactory.

Signor Carbone as Bartolo gave a rendering of the part that causes one to doubt that anyone else could do it better. The remainder of the cast was satisfactory and Signor Bimboni conducted with energy and decision. There were times when the orchestra would have done well to have watched his beat. Their mind-reading powers were not sufficient to produce perfect rhythmic unity unaided by the sight of the baton.

The "Barber" is a comic opera that De Koven, Herbert and others would do well to study. Its melodies are characterized by grace and brilliancy. It is full of laughable situations and, even though done in a foreign language, afforded the audience no end of amusement. The company left last night for Kansas City and will make a tour to the Pacific coast. Would that it could stop here for another performance on its way east. Are two performances of grand opera in one year too much for Omaha?

Robert Mantell, the dashing romantic actor, will be at Boyd's theater for four performances, beginning tonight. The opening play will be "Monbars" and it will be repeated at the matinee Saturday. On Friday and Saturday evenings we will see "A Secret Warrant" which left a very favorable impression last fall. These high class dramas will be enjoyed by the lovers of the historical stage and probably no player of our country stands in greater favor among women than Robert Mantell. Since his advent as a star he has been a continuous producer of those scholarly works which make the theater a temple of art and education. Not only is he himself an able stage manager and sincere student, but he surrounds himself with actors of acknowledged ability; his mountings are finished and correct and the ensemble of his presentations perfect. He carries a large equipment and costumes the play with marked taste and fidelity. Shakespeare of course is his great master, but, acknowledging the ability of the modern writers, he selects from the best; Dumas, D'Ennery and Sardou are his favorite authors, and their best works have received conscientious care and have never been better produced in America than by Robert Mantell.

Old Officers Are Re-Elected.

MONTREAL, April 6.—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific railroad today the old board and the old officers were re-elected. The annual report was adopted and the proceedings were unanimous throughout.

President Van Horne, in his annual address, referred to the rate cutting war, defending the action of his company in the matter. He said the last year had been a prosperous one for the company, nearly $1,000,000 having been carried forward to the surplus reserve after the payment of 4 per cent dividends.

Despite the low rates prevailing the company's revenue during the month of March was $54,000 greater than during the same period last year.

GORDON GETS HIS SALARY

Police Judge Wins His Suit in the District Court.

CITY MUST PAY HIM AT THE OLD RATE

Judge Baker Issues a Writ of Mandamus Directing that Pay at the Rate of $2,500 a Year Be Allowed.

Judge Baker has directed that a writ of mandamus issue against the mayor and the city council of the city of Omaha, requiring them to pay Police Judge Gordon a salary at the rate of $2,500 per year from April 1, 1897, to January 1, 1898.

Police Judge Gordon was in office at the time of the adoption of the new charter of the city and in April, 1897, he was a candidate for the same office. He was elected and qualified and continued to serve. On January 1 he demanded that instead of a salary at the rate of $1,200 per year, as provided for by the new charter, the council pay him according to the terms of the charter under which he was serving prior to the time when the new charter became operative. This the council refused to do, holding that when Gordon accepted the office of police judge last April he accepted it with the salary attached and was estopped from claiming under the provisions of the old charter. He refused to accept the terms proposed and brought mandamus proceedings. The case came on before Judge Baker, who held that under Gordon's prior election he was entitled to all of the emoluments of the office unless he had resigned. It was shown that he had not done so and the writ was ordered to go out against the mayor and the council.

City Attorney Connell contends that when Gordon went into the campaign last spring and was elected he surrendered all claims to the office as provided for under the old charter and has no right to ask for the salary that was attached. He has taken exceptions to the decision of Judge Baker and will appeal to the supreme court.

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VETERAN FIREMEN'S MEETING.

Omaha Association Working for a National Gathering Here.

Owing to a communication from F. A. Wood of Cedar Rapids, secretary of the National Fireman's association of the United States, the Veteran Fireman's association at its monthly meeting last night decided to postpone until next month's meeting the matter of holding a reunion of veteran firemen from all over the country during the exposition and forming a national veteran firemen's association.

Secretary Wood announced that he would be in the city on next Saturday with the board of directors of his association to consult with President Wattles on the matter of holding a tournament and meeting here this summer. The National Fireman's association is a new organization, its charter list not yet being closed, although it was instituted at Chicago last year. It includes in membership both volunteer and paid firemen.

Secretary Koesters read a number of letters received since the last meeting, in which the movement to form a national firemen's association was commended. A communication from State Fire Marshal E. J. Lawyer stated that the Omaha firemen could count on the support of all volunteers in Maryland, Pennsylvania, New York, Virginia and Massachusetts. A letter from Portland, Ore., urged the local association to go ahead with the plan and promised the support of the volunteers of the far west and northwest.

William A. Kelly and Ed Leeder were elected to membership. The application of M. A. Burke was referred to the usual committee.

Resolutions of regret and condolence over the deaths of M. Parr and Henry Tagger were passed.

The next meeting of the association occurs on May 4.

Thousands of sufferers from grippe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe, asthma and all throat and lung diseases.

W. O. W. Finance Committee.

The finance committee of the Woodmen of the World is in session at the offices of the sovereign camp at the present time. The sovereign officers are presenting most encouraging reports of the progress the order has made during the first three months of this year. March was the biggest month in the matter of membership in the history of the order, 4,568 applications having been received. April promises to do as well if not better, for during the first four days of the month 600 applications were received.

Police Relief Association.

At the annual meeting of the Metropolitan Police Relief association held yesterday afternoon the election of officers was held for the ensuing year. Captain H. P. Haze was re-elected as president and the following were selected as the board of directors: F. J. King, Captain H. P. Haze, Sergeant Iler, Detective Dempsey, Patrolmen McCarthy, Dillon and Boyle.

MINNIE STEVENS SOON CAUGHT.

Woman Who Robbed Old Man Beaber Taken in Chicago.

Word was received by the chief of police last night that Minnie Stevens, who is charged with the theft of $360 from F. C. Beaber, had been arrested in Chicago. She was apprehended by Chief of Detectives Colleran of Chicago as she left the train. A detective will leave today with the necessary papers to bring her back.

A demand was made upon Sergeant Iler, who is acting for Captain Mostyn, by Attorney Charles F. Tuttle to be permitted to talk with Stortz and his wife, who are prisoners on a charge of being accomplices of the Stevens woman in the robbery. The sergeant informed the lawyer that the police department was not through investigating the case and consequently he would not be permitted to see the prisoners. Then Attorney Tuttle went before Police Judge Gordon and asked him to issue an order requiring the prisoners to be brought into court. This request was granted, and Captain Sigwart was served with the order. He refused to produce the prisoners, and there being in the mind of the police judge a question as to his jurisdiction in the case so long as no specific charge had been filed before him against the prisoners, he did not insist upon the enforcement of his order. Attorney Tuttle then went away.

Stortz and his wife were "sweated" by the officers in charge of the case several times during the day, and both of them stoutly maintained that they knew nothing about the whereabouts of the Stevens woman, or the robbery.

The police learned that instead of going west, the Stevens woman boarded a train for Chicago. Finding out that she would reach that city at 2 o'clock in the afternoon Chief Gallagher telegraphed to the authorities there to intercept the train at the depot and arrest the woman.

During the evening an attempt to smuggle a note into Stortz was defeated by the police who searched the food. The note was concealed in an egg sandwich. It was from Stortz's mother, who advised him to hire an attorney who was ready to provide bail at once.

PLANING MILL IS OBNOXIOUS.

People Out on Davenport Street Complain of Hamilton's Plant.

A number of residents in the vicinity of Twenty-eighth avenue and Davenport street appeared before the Advisory board yesterday to protest against the existence of the saw and planing mill belonging to Hamilton Bros., which does business near that corner. The petitioners complain that the song of the planers disturb their after-dinner siestas, while the adjacent sheds harbor an army of tramps, who make life a burden at night. The accumulation of sawdust and shavings increase the fire risk of the surrounding locality and the soot that emanates from the big chimney accumulates on the clean clothes which the housewives hang out to dry. For these and sundry other reasons they demand that the industry should be deported to some locality where it will be less obnoxious. The matter was referred to the building inspector and health commissioner, who will report at the next meeting.

Building Inspector Butler reported that he had condemned the one-story frame buildings at 804-806 North Sixteenth street and 1604 Burt street. He declared that they are in a dangerous condition and asked the board to approve his action. The owners will be notified to appear before the board next Wednesday and show cause why the recommendation should not be carried into effect.

State Relief for Cubans.

W. N. Nason, treasurer of the State Cuban Relief committee, has received the following cash contributions: C. Dowles for citizens of Scribner, $30.75; A. M. Ehrhardt for the Woman's club of Stanton, $40. Supplies have been received as follows: One car of shelled corn, 33,600 pounds, from the citizens of David City; one car of shelled corn, 60,000 pounds, from the citizens of Octavia, Butler county; 38,000 pounds of shelled corn and 200 pounds of flour from citizens of Shickley; 24,000 pounds of flour and 880 pounds of sundry provisions from Tecumseh.

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Boys Fall Among Thieves.

E. H. Malloy and G. H. Wilson, two farmer boys from Richfield, Neb., came to the city yesterday to look for work and brought along $26 as a reserve fund. Wilson acted as treasurer and carried the money in an inner pocket. During the evening they visited a house at 101 North Ninth street occupied by colored women and one of them soon had her hands on the pocketbook. Wilson protested and called on his friend for assistance. The women secured the money and was about to hurl a lighted lamp at her guests when she was interrupted by Patrolman Ryan. She gave the name of Annie Nelson and was charged with larceny from the person.

Brings Gold from Australia.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—The steamer Alaska arrived today from Sydney, N. S. W., and brought forty-four bars of gold, valued at $327,375, from Auckland and $2,000,000 in sovereigns from Sydney. Its passenger list was very large, there being 107 cabin passengers.

The Klondike craze is unabated in the colonies and twenty-five Australian miners, who intend to leave as soon as possible for Alaska, came today.

Jumps Under a Train.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., April 6.—C. Howbaker jumped under the wheels of a Santa Fe train as it was leaving Fountain today. He was ground to pieces. A note was found in his grip on the train saying he was from Emporia, Kan., and was going to Portland, Ore. He had written that he was losing his mind and would take his life at the first opportunity.

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Mme. Yale's Skin Food (small, for wrinkles)	1.50	1.19
Mme. Yale's Skin Food (large)	3.00	2.29
Mme. Yale's Bust Food (small, for developing Neck, Bust and Arms)	1.50	1.19
Mme. Yale's Bust Food (large)	3.00	2.29
Mme. Yale's Complexion Face Powder, three shades—pink, white brunette	.50	.35
Mme. Yale's Complexion Soap	.25	.18
Mme. Yale's Complexion Bleach (for Moth Patches and Liver Spots)	2.00	1.79
Mme. Yale's Complexion Cream (for softening and refining the Skin)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Eyelash Grower (promoting growth of the Eyebrows and Lashes)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Special Lotion (Pimple Cure)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Special Ointment (Black Head Cure)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Blood Tonic (purifying the Blood)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Hand Whitener (makes hands soft, delicate and white	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Elixir of Beauty (Skin Tonic)	1.00	.69
Mme Yale's Magical Secret (for Softening Water)	1.50	1.19
Mme. Yale's Great Scott	5.00	3.39
Mme. Yale's Great Scott (small)	1.00	.48
Mme. Yale's Jack Rose Leaves (Liquid Rouge)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Jack Rose Buds (Lip Salve)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Face Enamel, white and pink	1.50	.95
Mme. Yale's Eyebrow Pencils	.25	.15
Mme. Yale's Fertilizer (for Constipation)	1.50	1.19
Mme. Yale's Mole and Wart Exterminator (large)	3.00	2.29
Mme. Yale's Mole and Wart Exterminator (small)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Lily Skin Whitener	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Skin Refiner	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Complexion Brush	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Antiseptic	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Digestive Tablets (for Indigestion, etc., large size)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Digestive Tablets (for Indigestion, etc., small size)	.50	.35
Mme. Yale's Complexion Tablets (large size)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Complexion Tablets (small size)	.50	.35
Mme. Yale's Fertilizer Tablets (large size)	1.00	.69
Mme. Yale's Fertilizer Tablets (large size)	.50	.35

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COMMISSARY IS GETTING READY.

Overhauling Equipment and Preparing Supplies for Marching Orders.

Preparations have been made at the government corral to respond instantly if marching orders are received. Captain Jones of the commissary department said last night that he had recently obtained data regarding the cubic measurements of railroad cars and had completed other details necessary when the transportation of a depot of supplies is contemplated. The soldiers at Fort Crook have been instructed to overhaul their canvas and a supply has been furnished in a number of cases where the equipment has been found short. A requisition has also been received from Fort Riley for a supply of camp stoves. A shipment of Buzzacott ovens of the latest pattern has been sent in response to this request. Captain Jones says that in spite of the increased activity in the quartermaster's department no orders have been received to prepare for an emergency. He expects that there will be little warning, however, if they do come and consequently the department has endeavored to be prepared.

Major Andrews of the adjutant general's branch said: "There is absolutely no truth in the rumors so far as this department is concerned. It is very natural that at all times the army should be prepared to move at a moment's notice, and that at this particular time, when there is so much war talk, the soldiers should be worked a little harder than ordinarily, so that there would be no delay in moving to the front should the order be received. But everything so far as the departments of the army are concerned has been held in abeyance pending the message of the president, which goes to congress today, and the action that the legislators take upon it. Should this branch of the army eventually be called into service in case of war between Spain and the United States it would be ready to move within twelve hours if necessary. Until such orders are received, however, the department will not work out of the groove of routine business."

FIRE RECORD.

Residence of a Railroad Man.

BALTIMORE, April 7.—The residence of Charles K. Lord, former vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, at 1124 St. Paul street, was gutted by fire at 2 o'clock this morning. The members of the family escaped safely. Loss about $10,000.

Town in Michigan.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 6.—A dispatch received since midnight from Hastings, Barry county, thirty miles southeast of here on the Michigan Central, states that the city is being destroyed by fire that started at 11:30. Assistance was asked from this city and an engine has been dispatched.

WEEKLY PACKING HOUSE OUTPUT.

Supply of Hogs Liberal for the Time of Year.

CINCINNATI, April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Price Current says: The supply of hogs is liberal for the time of year. Western killings are 335,000, compared with 335,000 the preceding week and 245,000 last year. From March 1 the total is 1,785,000, against 1,510,000 a year ago. Prominent places compare as follows:

	1898.	1897.
Chicago	585,000	500,000
Kansas City	288,000	248,000
Omaha	145,000	125,000
St. Louis	138,000	123,000
Indianapolis	73,000	48,000
Milwaukee	82,000	55,000
Cincinnati	61,000	63,000
Cedar Rapids	39,000	42,000
Ottumwa	53,000	41,000
Sioux City	32,000	20,000
St. Joseph	24,000	17,000
St. Paul	37,000	14,000

Wheeling Miners Strike.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 6.—A strike is on in the Wheeling mining district, the operators having declined to treat with the miners collectively as to the details of the Chicago agreement. The men at the Richland, Boggs and Moundsville mines are out and committees have been working on the men at Elm Grove and Glendale mines, whom they expect to bring out before the end of the week. The miners insist upon every term of the Chicago agreement. The operators want a screen of slightly larger opening.

Strike May Be Settled.

SACO, Me., April 6.—Indications tonight point to a speedy settlement of the three months' strike in the York cotton mills. The backbone of the strike seems to be broken and it is expected by the majority of the textile workers that if Agent Page consents to open the mills next Monday the mills can be started in every department.

Will Meet in Saratoga.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 6.—The general committee of the Young People's Christian union of the United Presbyterian church met today and decided to hold the national annual convention at Saratoga Springs in August instead of at Albany, N. Y.

Republicans Name Their Candidate.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., April 6.—The republican congressional convention for the Third Kansas district today nominated S. S. Kirkpatrick as a candidate for the seat now held by E. R. Ridgely, populist.

Postpone the Arguments.

The arguments on the application of the government in the federal court for an injunction against the South Omaha Live Stock exchange, which were to have been made today to Judge Munger were postponed until tomorrow on account of the inability of Special Counsel Cathers for the government to be present.

Drex L. Shooman has a little message that's of as much interest to the ladies as the president's message on Cuba—It's a $3 message—Last fall we had the greatest kind of success on a welt shoe at $3—so much so that we've duplicated it in a tan for spring and summer wear—Nothing we could offer would give more satisfaction than this $3 welt tan—All we ask is for you to see this shoe and compare the value with the higher priced ones—Our line of Easter shoes is complete in all colors—styles and prices—Price will always be found the lowest for the value given.

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