company otherwise known exclusively as "the lawyers' irrigation company"; strictly a Pueblo enterprise, held its annual meeting yesterday at the court house. A board of directors of five members was chosen, a reelection in each instance, and following the meeting of the stockholders, the directors met and reelected the officers—John H. Voorhees, president; W. J. Brinkley, vice president; C. S. Essex, treasurer; A. L. Dotson, general manager. A. E. True, a prominent Pueblo county rancher, is also a member of the board. E. F. Nichols, clerk of the district court, was reelected secretary of the board.

Judge Essex in his treasurer's report showed how the company has invested $15,000 in improvements during the past year. Some discussion as to prospective improvements of the system was held but the shareholders voted to let the board of directors have sole charge of the plans for improvement for the ensuing year.

John H. Voorhees reported that he considered the crops raised along the Nepesta ditch this year as better than the average, and that the farmers of the vicinity are pleased with the year's showing. Several others gave reports indicating general prosperity among the Nepesta water users.

Of the total 6,006 shares, there were represented at the meeting 5,150 shares. Among the shareholders present was Judge S. H. White of the state supreme court, a former resident of Pueblo. Judge Cunningham of the court of appeals also is a shareholder but it was impossible for him to be present.

The ditch company was started five years ago by a number of Pueblo attorneys, and they have proven their ability at farming "by proxy." They have expended a total of $150,000 on the system which waters a total of 10,000 acres. The plan carried out has been to "pay as they go" on the bulk of the improvements, rather than to

The funeral of Mrs. Emma J. Rogers took place at the McCarthy funeral chapel yesterday at 2 p. m. and at 2:30 from the Mesa Presbyterian church. The Rev. Mr. Hatch officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Killin-Keough, Mrs. R. J. Weaver and A. Glenn Hoskins sang, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Nearer My God to Thee." The pall bearers were Percy Ely, Con Burns, John Dux, E. W. Wells, Guy Wensing and W. P. Kuplinger. Interment in the family lot in Roselawn cemetery.

Funeral of Alberta Serfling took place yesterday morning at 10:30 at the residence of her parents in the Wiley and Chamberlain addition, the Rev. Mr. Church conducted the services. The interment was in the family lot in Roselawn cemetery under the direction of the McCarthy Undertaking company.

The funeral of Russell Warren Church took place at the family residence, 2423 east Routt avenue yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in family lot in Mountainview cemetery under direction of the McCarthy Undertaking company.

The funeral of Mrs. Jennie S. Lockin, wife of John W. Lockin, will take place from the late residence, 2411 Greenwood street Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Cassidy will conduct the service. Interment will be in the family lot in the North Side cemetery in charge of McCarthy.

The remains of Ida E. Swadley, accompanied by his wife and Mrs. MacDonald, were forwarded to Lamar Sunday noon by Davis & Vories.

The remains of George C. Kelley, accompanied by his father, mother and several friends, were sent to Ordway by Davis & Vories, at 4:25 Sunday afternoon. The young man was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kelley, old time prosperous farmers of the Ordway district.