The unanimous opinion of those familiar with the situation is that the greatest need of the Piasa Chautauqua Assembly is a new hotel. This is to be the first improvement to be made by the company. A modern summer hotel of from 75 to 100 rooms, will be built upon the river front. It will face the railway, and be convenient to the station. It is to be located at the mouth of the west valley, and will be swept by the breezes coming down from the highlands, and by the cool river air. A beautiful view of the great river stretches before the hotel. This site has been selected as the best for Hotel Chautauqua, and the Assembly has made a lease of the river front to the company for 99 years for a nominal sum.