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#### MINOR MENTION.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoist of North First street, a son, yesterday morning. Two children died at the Christian home yesterday. Their funeral will take place this

afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. John T. Hawkes and Elia Gleason, both of Cass county, Nebraska, were married yester-day by Justice Swearingen.

The enrollment at the teacher's institute yesterday numbered 238, an increase of forty over that of the first day of the term.

Joseph Snackelford and Lizzie L. Taylor, both of Fayetteville, Mo., were married by Justice Hammer yesterday afternoon. Superior court convened yesterday morn ing, but as there were no cases ready trial an adjournment was taken until Saturday morning.

The Salvation army will move its barracks to its oid stand in Dohany's hall, and will open there tomorrow evening with an ice cream festival.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to David S. Kerr and Carrie D. Campoell, ooth of this city. Mr. Kerr is a member of the lem of Kerr & Gray. Unity guild will meet in regular session tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. J. Bry-ant, corner of Pierce and Stutsman streets.

The Union Veteran Legion has moved its headquarters from the Grand Army of the Republic hall to that of the Knights of

Pythias, over 102 Main street. Harmony chapter, No. 25, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet in regular session this evening in Masonic ball. Visiting mem-

bers of the order cordially welcome.

The trial of John Madden on the charge of having stolen Dan Carrigg's horse and burgy was held yesterday in Justice Ham-mer's court, and Madden was discharged. George Haven was arrested yesterday

morning charged with obstructing the alley south of Broadway between Main and Pear streets. His hearing will take place today. A peach and ice cream festival will be held this evening in the pariors of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church by the Ladies' Aid society. A musical and literary programme

has been prepared. Invitations are out for the marriage of Rev. Charles W. Brewer, of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, and Miss Amanda E. Bullock next Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Oliver in Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. Brewer will be at home after August 10, at 1410 Eignth avenue.

A. M. Blair had replevin papers issued in Justice Hammer's court for the possession of the gambling outfit which was seized in William Probstele's saloon on upper Broad-way several days ago. He alleges that Prob-stele had no interest in the establishment, excepting that he owned the building.

An improvement is to be made in Fair mount park in the matter of lights. The city has put an are light at the entrance on Graham avenue, and the park commissioner have placed three about the pavilion at the end of the motor line, two inside and one or the roof. All the lights will be put in opera tion this evening.

The new fountains which were ordered some time ago by the city council for street use, arrived yesterday and will be put in place today. The old fountains will be removed and replaced by the new, which are very nice in appearance. Two extras have been bought, which will be placed on Upper Broadway and in Streetsville.

Mrs. Stack, who lives on Seventh street, filed an information in Justice Swearingen's court yesterday against A. J. McClaren, poll tax collector, charging him with assault. She claims that he called upon her with a view to collecing her son's poli tax, and that when she refused to settle he became abusive and drew a gun on her. McClaren was not ar-

The fire department was called out yester day afternoon by an alarm from box 35 at the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy switch tower. Five minutes after the alarm was given the bell tapped "fire out," and it was learned afterwards that the ringing of the bell had been caused by Electrician James Bradley striking one of the wires as he was climbing around on the poles in search of exercise.

Attorney A. C. McGuigan became engaged in a tariff discussion last evening in front of the Boston store, with a friend of his. The discussion waxed somewhat warm, and just as the two were about to come to blows Of-ficer Claar happened along and McGuigan spent the rest of the night in the city jail, with the charge of using loud and profane language on the street entered against him. E E. Sanborn, the owner of the lot at the

northwest corner of Broadway and Bryant street, will present a petition at the meeting of the council next Monday evening, for the vacation of a couple of strips of land, about a foot wide, running along the side and the front of his building. He claims that the land was appropriated by the city for street purposes, and he will enforce his claim to it Edward H. Butler had a hearing in super

for court yesterday on the charge of horse stealing. It was claimed that he took a horse and buggy which Peter Hansen left standing in front of Peterson's hall while a dauce was in progress, and drove off with it Hansen happened to see him as he was driv-ing away and went after him, overhauling him near the Methodist church. Butler was bound over to await the action of the grand jury, and in default of bail he was sent to the county jail.

J. Jones was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery, preferred against him by J. T. Lindley, a waiter at the Council Bluffs chop house at 15 South Main street. According to the story told by Lindley, Jones and several companions entered the chop house early yesterday morning and called for al. After they had eaten they gave him bill in payment. Lindley went out to get the bill changed, and when he returned Jone was making off with some of the table linen. He remonstrated, whereupon Jones laid him out on the floor and sat upon him. The case will be aired in police court this morning.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Lucius Wells has returned from a western

Farnsworth has returned from a six months' visit in the west. D. A. Farreil is home from a several mouths' visit to Salt Lake.

Mrs. Joseph Lyman leaves today for a visit

to her mother in Olney, Ill. J. G. Lemen of the Christian home left ver terday afternoon for South Carolina on busi

Mrs. J. R. Deitrich and children returned last evening from a visit with friends in Butte, Mont.

Mrs. C. B. Swan and daughter, Ethel, of Fromont, Neb., are visiting Mrs. H. W. Til-ton while Mr. Swan and Mr. Tilton are enjoying a few days at Colfax. Contractor M. A. Moore leaves this more ing for a trip of several days duration in the south. He will visit St. Louis, Louisville

and other cities where paving brick are being successfully manufactured. The object of his trip is to learn the secrets of the process, if there are any, and to incorporate the ideas in a similar plant in Council Bluffs. At the present time the combined output of all the brick yards in the city is not sufficient to keep the contractor at work on the streets ordered paved, and the necessity of establishing a plant that will turn out at least 50 000 paying brick a day is painfully apparent to the contractors and the city.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Chikiren, she gave them Castoria,

#### NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

Another Chapter in the Celebrated Schurz-Koblenz Damage Case.

SENSATIONAL ALLEGATIONS NOW MADE.

Judge Deemer Renders a Number of Important Decisions - Three Claimants for a Worthless Grip-Day at Chautauqua.

As stated some time ago in THE BEE, there s to be another chapter in the Schurz-Koblenz trouble, consisting of a damage suit, and this chapter is to be given to the public in the course of a day or two in the shape of a petition now being prepared in the office of Attorney Ware, who is handling the case for Koblenz. In the suit Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Koblenz are the plaintiffs and N. Schurz' is made defendant. The amount claimed is

The trouble out of which the present suit The trouble out of which the present sur-grew took place list winter when Schurz attached the property of Kobienz, a tenant of his, for rent, which, according to the term of the lease, would not come due for several onths. A motion to quash the attachment was made some time ago, on the ground that the household goods were not liable for rent not yet due, and this view of the case was sustained by Judge McGee, who charged up the costs of the attachment to Schurz

The attorneys for Schurz reopened the case on a motion to retax the costs, which were a deliar or two too much, and by so doing allowed Koblenz's attorney to intro-duce a motion to tax up an attorney's fee of \$100 for himself. This motion was also sus-tained, and in that way the costs of the suit were increased from \$9 to \$109. Since that ne nothing has been heard of the matter until now.

In the present suit it is alleged by pinintiffs that Mrs. Koblenz was so fright-ened by the serving of the attachment papers, that she left the house and went the same night to the house of a friend in Omaha, taking nothing with her. A day or two later she gave birth to a dead child, and the affi-day's of a physician is at hand to the effect that the death was due to the fright she sus-

tained that night.
The first of the story as given in the petition corresponds with the above account. Schurz' bondsmen are coupled with him as defendants in the damage suit to the amount of \$200, which is one-sixth of the bond given by him at the time the writ of attachment was issued. The rest of the claim is upon Shurz himself,

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you can get elegant summer suits and eastern prices at Reiter's the tailor, 310 Broadway. Famous Case Decided. Judge Deemer held a session of district court yesterday at which he transacted coniderable business. A number of decisions were rendered. Among the cases which he decided were several in which Mrs. Sallie Stillman was defendant, and which were

brought for the purpose of foreclosing mechanics' liens on a dwelling which is now occupied by Mrs. Stillman. The following are the names of the plaintiffs in the suits: A. Rosenburg, A. C. Raymond, Chicago lumber company, Woolsey & Long, B. Grahl and Wickham Brothers. In each of the cases a decision was rendered against the defend-ant for the amount of the claim, together

with the costs. with the costs.

In the case of Peter Wind against John Wagener et al., a judgment was rendered for the plaintiff for \$364.

Mrs. Sarah D. Way, whose suit for a divorce from her husband, J. L. Way, was

tried a few days ago, was granted the divorce as prayed,

A decision was also rendered by Judge
Thornell in the almost famous case of Woodward against Beach. This case was tried at
the January term of district court. It was rought to set aside the will made by the old man Woodward shortly before his death, in which he bequeathed all his property to Mrs. A. E. Beach, shuttin his heirs, M. F. Woodward, D. T. Woodward Persis W. Woodward, Calvin Woodward Lorena Householder and William Woodward, out in the cold. It attracted considerable attention at the time of the trial, by reason of the racy testimony which was introduced by the attorneys for the plaintiff to show that some of Mrs. Beach's actions toward the old man had been such as to lead to the opinion that she was working him for his money. Judge Thornell evidently was not impressed with this testimony as much as the court room spectators were, for in his decision he dismissed the petition of the plaintiff and ordered the costs of the suit

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m., 10:02 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 6:37 p. m., 7:30 p. m. Leave Chautauqua: 6:40 a. m., 8:20 a. m., 8:55 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:20 p. m., 5:35 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 10:15 p. m. Special train Thursday—Ingalis' day—and

Saturday - traveling men's day-at 12:30 Will Close Their Stores.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business from noon until five o'clock on Thursday, July 16, for the purpose of attending the lecture to be given by the Hon. John J. Ingalis.

Citizens State bank, Council Bluffs Savings bank, First National bank, Officer & Pusy, State Savings bank, Kimball & Camp, Cattlemen's bank, Ernest E. Hart, J. W. Squire, Odell Investment company, Union Abstract company, N. P. Dodge & company, Keystone Manufacturing company, Marseilias Manufacturing company, Wier Shugart company, Henry H. Van Brunt, Empkie Hardware company, Grouweg & Schornteren, Stewart Bros., Cole & Cole, Peres, oy & Stewart Bros., Cole & Cole, Perc, oy & Moore, Harl Haas & company, Shugart & Son, F. H. Evans, C. B. Carpet company, Metcaif Bros., W. A. Mauser, C. C. Cully, L. Kirmehan, Maudel & Klein, S. S. Keller, James Harverstock, Geo. Metcalf assignee, Milius & company, E. L. Sandsberg, Duquette & company, P. C. Deval, S. T. McAtte, F. W. Spetman & Bros., R. D. Amy & company, V. Haddoot.

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Three Hands to a Grip. A few moments before 7 o'clock last evening Constable Charles Nicholson, Deputy Marshal "Reddy" Fultz and Marshal Templeton afforded entertainment for a miscellaneous audience of about two hundred people and enough wagons, carts and carriages to block up Bryant street for balf an hour in front of the city jail. A battered old grip was the bone of contention. It sat in the street immediately in front of the city jail. Sitting astride and holding on with both hands, Constable Nicholson was en-deavoring to retain possession of it

## Deputy Marshal Fultz and Marshal Temple ton had grim but determined side holds and it was a matter of intense satisfaction to

the crowd to watch the trial of strength, skill and endurance of the three claimants. Nicholson had the advantage, having twined his arms, legs and body around the property and could not be dislodged. When the interest of the crowd was wrought up to the highest pitch and it was two to one in favor JUGGLING THE EM:CRANT RATES.

of Nick a temporary compromise was affected and the grip with the three hands still clutching it was taken into the marshal's office, where Attorney George Hoimes had been summoned to assist in settling the The grip was supposed to be the property of one James Wheeler, a street cane fakir, who was arrested a few days ago. It was

who was arrested a lew days ago, it was supposed to contain some gambling tools, a wheel, etc. Yesterday afternoon Frank Car-roll sued out a writ of replevin in Justice Hammer's court, claiming the grip was his property and had been stolen from him in Missouri Valley. The papers were served Missouri Valley. The papers were served upon Templeton, but he refused to obey the order of the justice court and relinquish the property. Nicholson, in obedience to his orders, seized it and had reached the street when he was compelled to come to a temporary halt or carry the marshal and his deputy off beddir.

The case bids fair to be of some importance as defining the powers of the marshal, and the prerogatives of the justices' courts. It has not been settled.

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Military capes, assorted sizes and colors, former price \$5.00, reduced to \$3.00.
Military capes, assorted sizes and colors, former price \$7.50, reduced to \$5.00, Military capes, assorted sizes and former price \$12.00, reduced to \$7.50. French flannel blaziers, light shades, former price \$5.00, reduced to \$2.95. All wool tan biaziers reduced to \$3.75.

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All Aboard for Colfax. For health and recreation seek the waters and rest of Colfax Spring, Iowa. The Chi-cago & Rock Island is selling round trip tickets from Council Buffs and return for A. T. Elwell, ticket agent, No. 16

Union Park races, Omaha and Counci Bluffs, September 8-11, \$6,500; October 20-22 \$4,000. For programmes address Nat Brown Merchants hotel, Omaha.

Council Bluffs souvenir spoons at Burl. orn's

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#### IOWA VETERANS.

Close of a Two Days' Meeting of the Association at Dunlap.

DUNLAP, Ia., July 15 .- [Special Telegram THE BEE. |-The Western Iowa Veterans association closed a two days' meeting here this evening which was well attended, over two hundred veterans appearing in the pa The city was finely decorated and the

During the exercises addresses were made by Colonel J. J. Steadman of Council Bluffs, George L. Wright of Denison, Rev. Crofts of Council Bluffs, Colonel D. B. Dailey of Council Bluffs, Commander C. L. Davidson of Hull, Attorney General Stone of Glenwood and others.

Harvest Machines Scoree. FORT DODGE, Ia., July 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. ]-Harvesting has begun in this vicinity and it is predicted that by the time the oats are ripe harvesting machines will be selling at a premium. Nearly all of the leading companies have notified their agents to take no more orders for new machines as they cannot be filled. Local agents are kept busy hunting up all old or unsold machines in their terri

tory and disposing of them. A well posted harvester man suggests that the various companies are making a desperate effort to sell off all old stock with a view to reorganizing the mammoth trust next fall and manufacturing only one kind of har-

Strange Cattle Disease.

BURLINGTON, Ia., July 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-Much uneasiness is oc casioned among the farmers of this vicinity by the breaking out of a foot and mouth disease among cattle. The disease comes or suddenly and consists in ulcerated mouth and jaws and swollen feet. Death often follows in a day or two.

The disease is extremely contagious and every effort is being made to quarantine the present numerous cases. Fears are ex-pressed that the disease will become general throughout this part of the county.

I obbed a Prohibition Joint. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., July 15 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE |- Last night the saloon which had been run by Harry Winters was broken open and a supply of the wet goods taken. James Harver and a party named Eagan were arrested today for the theft. Harver pleaded guilty and was fined \$100 or thirty days in jail, taking the latter

Eagan was given twelve hours to vamoose

Mayor Roger is making it warm for this

Horribly Mangled.

DES MOINES, July 15.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The body of a stranger, horribly mangied, was picked up on the Rock Island railway tracks in East Des Moines early this morning. The only clue to his identity was a small memoranda book with the name J. H. Keily, 33:1 Laurel streat, Chicago, written in it. He was about thirty years old and poorly dressed.

Held for Murder. DES MOINES, Ia., July 15.-[Special Tele gram to THE BEE. ]-The preliminary hearing of ex-Constable Frank Pierce for the murder of E. H. Wishart, June 30, was concluded today before Justice Dodson. The defense of-fered no testimony. Pierce was held to the grand jury without bail on the charge of murder in the first degree.

Must Pay the Bill. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., July 15 .- | Special Telegram to Tus Bus. | - Harry Winters, who created the disturbance in the city yesterday, waived examination in Justice Rayi's court today and was held in default of \$1,000 bond for the action of the grand jury. He was taken to the county jail.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Best little pill ever made. Cure constipation every time. None equal. Use them now.

Poisoned a Whole Family. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 15.-Near Russellville yesterday, the family of J. H. Cornelius, a farmer was, poisoned at supper. Bernard Cornelius, a nephew, died, and five others are dangerously ill. The poison is supposed to have been in the mills to have been in the milk.

### TRAFFIC RATES ENCHANGED.

Central Association's S. Sign Concluded Without the Formation of a Pool.

Western Business Ordered Divested to a Single Line-It May Cause Trouble-Business for

the Maple Leaf.

CRICAGO, July 15 .- The freight department of the Central Traffic association closed its meeting today. The question of devising a plan for a legal division of competitive raffic, or, in other words, forming a blind pool, was discussed at considerable length, but was finally referred to the managers of the lines for consideration and action.

Correspondence relating to a meeting to be held in Memphis tomorrow with a view to advancing the rates on cotton was read, and resolutions were passed en dorsing the objects of the meeting and. pledging the co-operation of the lines in the Central association in any action that may be taken looking to the advancement and maintenance of cotton rates from Mississippi valley territory.

A number of applications for reduced rates on oil were submitted but none of them contained arguments strong enough to convidce the traffic managers that there was any necessity for a change in the published tariffs. TRAFFIC ASSOCIATION AFFAIRS.

The fact that nothing was accomplished at The fact that nothing was accomplished at the meeting of the advisory board of the Western Traffic association in New York causes no surprise in railroad circles hero. The president's agreement is still looked upon as a makeshift to tide over a crisis in railroad affairs, and as the crisis is supposed to be virtually passed, it is believed that the organization will be permitted to gradually

ink out of sight.
It is said that the disposition made of Jay Gould's pet scheme for the establishment of joint agencies was premeditated. Those who were opposed to the scheme did not want to antagonize Gould openly and so hit upon the plan of postponing the consideration of it from time to time and thus defeating the pro-

ject without killing it suddenly.

No doubt the secret of this opposition is a distrust of anything proposed by Gould. The recent rate cutting performance of the Missouri Pacific has apparently convinced the managers of western roads that Gould is looking after Gould's interests exclusively and they are prepared to believe that if joint agencies were established the wizard would find means to soon manipulate them so that Gould's interests would be taken

care of at the cost of those of any other roads that might be in the way. Another reason given by many railroad men for predicting the early downfall of the Western Traffic association is the failure of every effort to bring the Alton, the Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City and other important roads into the combine,

JUGGLING EMIGRANT TRAFFIC. The advisory board of the Northwestern The advisory board of the Northwestern blind passenger pool issued an order April 20 to the effect that all west bound emigrant business handled on split orders drawn on Chicago by A. E. Johnson & Co., destined to or through St. Paul or Minneapolis, should be diverted in equal proportions to the Chicago, Burlington & Northern and the Rock Island, Chargan Finley has now issued a caro, Burlington & Northern and the Rock Island. Chairman Finley has now issued a new order directing the pool lines to turn over all this business to the Chicago, Burlington & Northern. He has also addressed a letter to the traffic manager of the Wisconsin Central reminding that official that no statement has been made by him of any diversion of the emigrant business under the order of April 20. order of April 20,

HOTEL TICKET OFFICES. One of the questions to be considered at the meeting of the Western Passenger asso-ciation tomorrow is the re-establishment of ticket offices in the leading hotels. The Illinois Central has applied to Chairman Finley for relief because the Monon and Chicago, Evansville & Indianapolis have placed their tickets on sale in the Auditorium hotel. If relief is granted there is not much doubt that the agreement offered over a year

BUSINESS FOR THE MAPLE LEAF. The Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City has been designated as the line officially author-ized to handle the excursion to St. Paul on the occasion of the Hall-Fitzsimmons ath-letic exhibition, July 22. The rate will be a fare and one-third for the round trip.

Important Railroad Invention. Indianapolis, Ind., July 15 .- What is pronounced by leading railroad men the most important invention during the last twentyfive years applied to railroad business, was exhibited for the first time in Indianapolis today. It is a car scale, and is a simple piece of mechanism which can be attached to any car, the weight of which and its contents is shown with perfect accuracy. The weighing of cars heretofore, where given any attention at all, has been chiefly a matter of guessing and the consequent losses of the railroad com panies from overloading have been enormous By this new invention, which is controlled by the Wanamaker car scale company, the weighing device is permanently attached to the car without necessitating any change in the present construction, and it requires but a moment to ascertain the weight.

Sarcastic Flings at Finley. St. Paul, Minn., July 15.-F. I. Whitney, general passenger agent of the Great Northern road, has written Chairman Finley a sarcastie letter, in which he contrasts the promptness with which the Western Passenger association granted reduced rates for the Hall-Fitzsimmon fight and the delay of the association in granting the application for reduced rates for laborers to work in the harvest fields of Minnesota and the Dakotas. Mr. Whitney intimates that the roads in the northwest will be forced to take independent action and makes such rates as their inter-

#### FORMALLY IN TALLED.

Father Hoeffer the New President of Creighton College,

The ceremony was very simple and brief.

Father James Hoeffer, recently of St. louis, was installed as president of Creightou college vesterday at noon.

It consisted of reading the decree by which Father Hoeffer was appointed or transferred from St. Louis. There were but a dozen Patner Fitzgerald, who has been president

of the college for two years, and several members of the faculty were present and welcomed Father Hoeffer to his new posi-

Father Hoeffer s a man about forty years old, but looks younger. Ho appears to be a man of great energy and is a scholarly and refined geatleman. He has a classic face and is biessed with graceful and maniy physique, although he is not large. His voice is clear, strong and pleasant, and it is said that he is a very fine pulpit orator. His work in the educational field has been marked by very pronounced success at every step, and in addition to his work at St. Louis in the college he became the founder of the well the college he became the founder of the well known Marquette club, which has now a membership of 500, composed very largely of prominent business and professional men of

Father Fitzgerald was in Chicago last veek and was installed as president of St. Ignatius co.lege. The college is a very important one, and the calling of Father Fitzgerald to its presidency is looked upon as quite a compliment to his ability. He has

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been at Creighton college about two years and has met with excellent success in building up the school. Speaking of the college yesterday, Father Fitzgeraid said: "I have great hopes for the future growth and prosperity of Creighton college. It is destined to become one of the foremost colleges that we shall have in this country. The fact that the tuition is free to all students who enter from Omaha, without regard to their religious belief, has made Creighton college a great many friends. Last year we had twenty-five protestant boys in school and they were all well pleased with the instruction they received.

Testimony on the Question of Jurisdiction in East Omaha.

braska, and Pottawattamie county, Iowa, for possession and jurisdiction over a large por tion of what is now known as East Omaha is nearing a close,

court at Washington at the October term will be commenced today before commissioners appointed by the supreme court These commissioners are Howard B. Smith The question involved is an old one but it

tween the intersecting lines arose, and have been going on ever since. In the meantime the bed of the river kept changing until it ake, and the former was that lying between Cut-Off island, as it was known, was in the jurisdiction of Iowa, and the land directly east of it belonged to Nebraska. During the

suddenly transferred a large tract of land to the Nebraska side of the river.

The question of jurisdiction then assumed a more serious aspect, it being held by many able people that the boundary line between the states changed with the channel of the river, while as able minds held the opposite. As improvements grew on the disputed terri

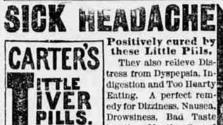
It is claimed by the representatives of the Nebraska side of the case that the boundary line between the two states, having been fixed by congress in the middle of the river, changed with the gradual change in the channel, such as took place during the years previous to 1877, but did not change with the sudden breaking through of the river which occured during that year, hence the boun-dary line is held to be in the middle of the channel of 1877, before the cut-off. This would place the old island under the jurisdiction of Iowa and would give Nebraska jurisdiction over the land whereon are located the fac

The Iowa side of the case, however, holds that the changes between 1851 and 1877 were sudden and considerable at times, so that the sudden and considerable at times, so that the doctrine of accretion, or gradual change in the channel, does not apply. Therefore, the boundary line is located exactly where it was originally established by the acts of congress creating Iowa and Nebraska.

If this doctrine is good, however, the com-nonwealth of Nebraska will lose jurisdiction over East Omaha, but it will acquire jurisdiction and control over a large tract of land along the river front on the Council Bluffs side, including both the Union Pacific and Douglas street bridges and a large portion of the Iowa "bottoms." It is thought by peo-ple familiar with the matter that the Iowa authorities will be willing to concede their claim over East Omaha provided the claim of Nebraska to the lands on the bottoms is not

Little Early Risers cure constinution, cause removed, the disease is gone. Street Car Strike at Toledo.

TOLEDO, O., July 15 .- All the street railway employes in the city, numbering 482, struck this morning for an advance from \$1.65 to \$2 per day. The company attempted to run a car early in the morning, but was prevented by the strikers. Since then traffic has been entirely suspended.



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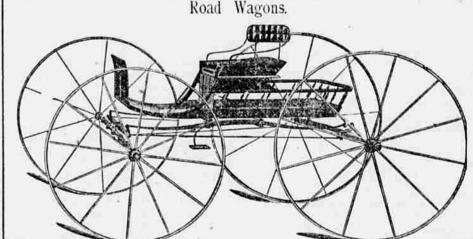
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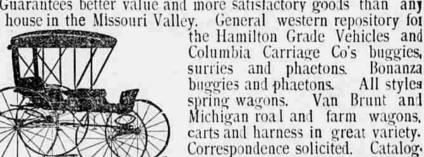
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