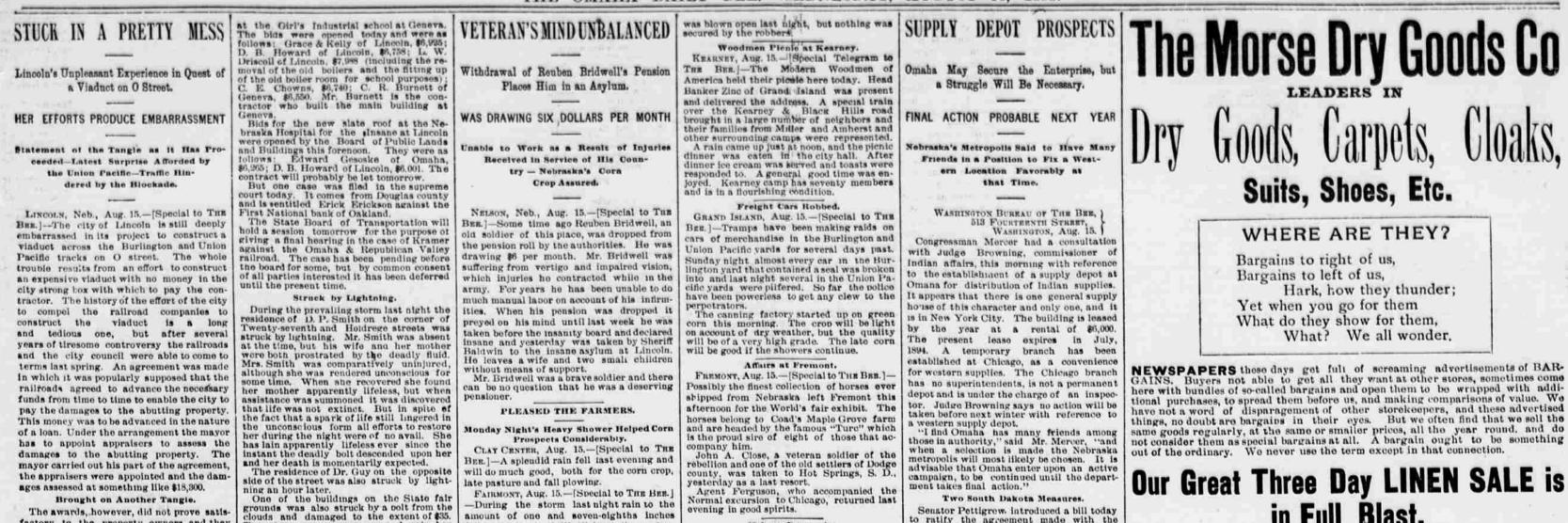
# THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 1893.



The awards, however, did not prove satisfactory to the property owners, and they The storm was a severe one and rain has been steadily falling all day with no appear ance of stopping this evening. stopped work after considerable progress had been made, and secured an injunction from the district court on the grounds that all such assessment sof damages should be Officer Dempsey came down from Omaha this evening and with a little assistance made by appraisers appointed by the judge from the Lincoln police succeeded in locating a man who is badly wanted in the metrop-olis. The man arreated gave his name at of the county court.

With this decision in mind appraisers were appointed in county court, and in due course of time they made their report, the details of which were fully reported in these columns some weeks ago. Then a new cause for controversy arose. The mayor insisted that the appraisement of damages was en-tirely too high and threatened to do all in his power to defeat the payment. The city council either neglected or refused to order the city attorney to appeal from the judg ment of the appraisers.

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Thus the matter stands. The city can either deposit the amount of the damages assessed with the court and take an appeal and go ahead with the work, or it can leave the work at a standstill, as it is at present, and take an appeal without depositing the damages or giving bond for payment. Or the railroad companies can, in pursuance of their original agreement, advance the money for the payment of the damages and permit the work to go ahead.

# Repudiation by the Union Pacific.

Council O'Shea visited Omaha vesterday in order to hold a conference with the rail road authorities in regard to securing an ndvance of the money necessary to enable the city to take advantage of one of the several courses open to it. The city had already been given assurances from the Burlington people that they were ready and willing to advance their share of the funds and therefore it was believed that the Union Pacific only was to be consulted. Mr. O'Shea called upon Juage Kelly of the legal department of the Union Pacific and learned to his surprise that the Union Pacific knew nothing whatever about the willingness of the Burlington to advance any money. Judge Kelly admitted that the matter might have been referred to the general manager, Mr. Dickinson, who is just now absent from the state, but he disclaimed any knowledge

of the Burlington's intentions himself. Then another surprise awaited the coun-

identified Blanchard, who was stopping at the Merchants hotel in this city. yet it has added thousands of bushels to this production. FREMONT, Aug. 15.-[Special to TRE BEE.]-The high wind of yesterday played havoo with the sheds and open stables, at the fair Burt County Affairs. TERAMAH, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Tekamah is after the meeting of the state grange this year with good prospects eral acres. of success. A petition was circulated this week and generously signed and forwarded to the officers of the order, and a favorable reply has been received. The grange will number over 500 delegates, and will be in session four or five days.

session four or five days. Peter Mortinson, residing in the south-western part of the county, who was run over last week by a cornsheller and killed, left considerable property. The deceased was an old bachelor, about 50 years of age, but has no relatives that can be found or heirs for his property, and his neighbors have petitioned for the appointment of a special administrator to take charge of the dead man's property. The Swedish consul at Washington has been written to in hopes that some relatives may be found to claim that some relatives may be found to claim his estate.

Worked a Smooth Game.

the station as Doc Blanchard. He is wanted at Omaha for grand larceny. A week ago Saturday evening he accosted an express-

man named Cornisn and engaged him to haui a trunk from the Murray hotel to his room at 1623 Capitol avenue. Going to the Murray hotel he pointed out a large trunk on the identity. It must taken such that the

on the sidewalk. It was taken away by the

unsuspecting baggageman and duly deposited at Blanchard's room. It developed that the trunk belonged to Charles Reddington,

private secretary of General Manager Burt of the Elkhorn system. The expressman accompanied the officer to Lincoln and fully

# Youthful Tecumseh Burglars.

TECUMSER, Neb., Aug. 15.-[Special to THE BEE.]-Last Thursday night the Chicago Racket store, owned by W. M. Reynolds, was broken into and about \$30 worth o pocketknives, cigars, etc., taken. Suspicion was centered on two boys, Reuben Brott and Burt Carpenter of this city, and today suff-cient evidence was obtained to warrant their arrest and most of the stolen goods which were found in their possession, was recovered. Judge Foster gave Brott \$30 and costs and Carpenter \$20 and costs. The lat-ter's father came to his rescue and paid his fine, while the former was not so fortunate and was given lifteen days reflection in the county sweat box. This is not the first

grounds and scattered the lumber over, sev-Mrs. Rohr, northwest of the city, had 125 chickens that she was saving to pay her ex-penses at the World's fair, but the wind blew down the coop and killed them. Hail did great damage in Washington county. Fully eighty acres of Charles Johnson's corn are absolutely ruined. The hail not only knocked the leaves all from the

fell on the level. I. W. Walters, living four

miles north of this place, had his barn and

two large cornerios blown to pieces and

about 7,000 feet of lumber scattered in all

directions. Some of the lumber was picked

up twenty rods away. A platform eight

feet square, built of inch boards, nailed to

6x6 joists, was picked up and carried into a tree twenty feet high. The house was so

racked that nearly all the glass in the win-

dows was broken. Warrantoo, Neb., Aug. 15.—[Special to THE BER.]—About 6 o'clock last evening a heavy wind and rain storm visited this place,

doing great damage, crops, fences and trees

going down before it. At present no esti-mate of damages can be given, as some of the

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the rain was too late to save the corn crop.

stalk, but so bruised the car that it can stalk, but so bruised the ear that it can never mature. He thinks his section, how-ever, is the very worst of the hall-stricken area. When the storm commenced, Silas Deckerson, living northwest of this city, was in the hay field loading hay onto a wagon. The wind blew the wagon upside down, eatching him underneath and so commended infimite has the may die He

was picked up unconscious. Oxford, Neb., Aug. 15.-[Special to Thr BEE.]-The people here are feeling jubilant over abundant showers which fell at this place yesterday and today, as corn is greatly benefited thereby and now gives promise of

a good yield. McCool JUNCTION, Neb., Aug. 15.-[Special to THE BEE.]-Last night southern York

severely injuring him that he may die. He was picked up unconscious.

for dinner and was pouring oil on the flames,

Hebron Personals.

HEBRON, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Mrs. Jenks and daughter Miss Clara, who have been visiting the family of Mr. George M. Hunts for the past three weeks leave for their home this morning at Woonsocket, R. I., while her son Earl will leave in a few days for Denver and the mountains, before returning home. They are very much mpressed with Nebraska and are contemplating removing to this city. Casper Kiaes and his sister Colia departed

for the World's fair this morning.

# Suing for Attorney Fees. CLAY CENTER, Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BRE.]-The case of Hon. William M. Clark, ex-county attorney of Clay county, against Senator L. L. Johnson, for attorney fees, came up today before Justice of the Peace C. H. Treat of Edgar. This is a similar case to the one recently tried, in which ex-Speaker Elder was defendant and grows out of the Clay county contest cases in the supreme ourt last fall.

His Injuries Fatal. NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 15.-[Special Tele-

ram to THE BEE.]-Eddie Bigley, aged 7, died this morning from the effects of burns received while playing with a bonfire Saturday. He attempted to throw a cup of gaso-line on the flames and was burned nearly to a crisp. Walter Armstrong, a playmate about the same age, was badly burned while attempting to extinguish the flames.

Disliked His Accommodations.

PLATTSMOUTH, Aug. 15 .- [Special Teleram to THE BEE.]-Frank St. Clair, with a half dozen aliases, is said to be a bad man from Colorado with a record of a term or two in the pen. His last offense was horse stealing, for which he was arrested last night and lodged in jail. He was furnished tools to make his escape, which was effected by cutting a hole through the floor.

Fatal Accident at Hartington. HARTINGTON, Aug. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Mrs. Andrew Olsnass, living north of this city, met with a fatal accident today at noon. She had started the fire

Senator Pettigrew. introduced a bill today to ratify the agreement made with the Yankton Sioux Indians in South Dakota. Yankton Sloux Indians in South Dakota, and for the sale of their surplus lands, which was negotiated for December 31, 1892. The bill provided that these lands under the treaty shall be conveyed to the United States, and shall be subject to entry under the homestead and townsite laws except the 16th and 26th sections, which shall be reserved for school purposes. The homesteaders shall pay \$3.50 per acre for the land when residence is proved. The bill appropriates \$160,000 for the benefit of

Indians under the treaty. Senator Kyle introduced a bill establishing a postal savings bank system for the encour-agement of small savings. The plan is sim-liar to the one which has been proposed to congress a number of times, contemplating he purchase of postal savings cards and the issue of certificates of deposit in denomina-tions and multiples of \$20 and \$100, which shall bear interest at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. The bill goes further than the ordinary postal savings proposition and directs the secretary of the treasury to loan to farmers owning lands, the value of which does not exceed \$5,000, the postal savings funds at 4 non each interest. funds at 4 per cent interest.

# In National Banking Circles.

Comptroller Eckels expressed the opinior to THE BEE correspondent today that the suspended American National bank of Omaha would soon resume business. The comptroller has received a telegram from Omaha stating that the affairs of the bank are being gotten into a proper condition for the early resumption of business, and that it is almost ready to resume now.

The comptroller of the currency has been ad-vised of the following changes in the officers of national banks: Nebraska-The Saunders County National bank of Wahoo, Frank Koudle president in place of H. H. Dorsey; the Tecumseh National bank, A W Buffur the recumsen National John, A. W. Bullum vice president in place of Charles McCros-key, deceased. South Dakota—The Water-town National bank, no assistant cashier in place of C. F. Kendrick, resigned. Idaho— The Idaho National bank of Pocatello, E. E. Calvin vice president in place of A. B. Rich-

# ardson. In the Interest of Pensioners.

Senator Allen today introduced a bill securing the right of pension applicants to personally inspect and have attested copies of all affidavits and reports filed or secured

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P. S. Our Muslin Underwear Sale is drawing to a close, yet you have an elegant selection, among which we beg to mention the new TOBY FRILL Night Gowns.

It pays to trade with





that delicacy and candor for which the affa ble Judge Kelly has long been noted that the Union Pacific on its part had no idea of advancing any money with which to enable the city to pay damages to the abutting

# property. Left in Bad Shape.

The affable judge was certain that his company had no funds with which to enrich the property owners whose buildings and lots would be cast in the shade by the construction of the viaduct. He was equally positive in his belief that the damages had been placed at too liberal a figure and that the supreme court would not agree with the district court in holding that the original assessment made by the appraisers appointed by the mayor was illegal.

In the meantime the traffic over O street is seriously interfered with by the fact that work has been commenced and that matters are now at at a standstill. The street is obstructed by great piles of dirt and huge holes dug at intervals for the formation of the immense stone plersare fenced up, thus completely shutting off travel over that

Judge Kelly promised, however, to indulge in another conference with the Burlington people and the talk will take place in T. M. Marquetta's office is rquette's office in this city next Saturday.

# Lively Political Sparring.

There are evidences beneath the surface in Lincoln that some pretty political sparring is going on between the rival loaders of at least two political parties. It has been an open secret for some time that the independent leaders were about equally divided between an early and late convertion and that the result of the committee's action in calling the gathering for September 5 is not entirely satisfactory to all interested parties. The independent leaders them-selves are divided as to the particular choice of the convention for justice of the supreme court and it is not denied that a strong fac-tion exists which will insist upon the nom-ination of Judge Maxwell. But the men who really want Maxwell nominated are the ones who wanted a late convention. It was It was

not so much a matter of politics with them as a matter of securing a good man for the office. On the other hand, one or two of the most prominent advisers in the independent ranks assert openly that the convention was called early in September by the men who are adverse to the nomination of Maxwell but who are willing to sacrifice the interests of the party and place a weak candidate in the field in order to enhance the prospects of men who claim no allegiance to the party. It is openly asserted that several of the in ependent leaders have sold themselves to the enemy.

On the republican side of the fence it is whispered quietly among the faithful the state central committee will not be called together until there is no longer any possi-bility that the date of the independent convention can be changed. The idea, as expressed by a prominent republican in this city this afternoon, is to encourage the independents to nominate Maxwell and then the way will be clear for the nomination of a candidate who will be much more acceptable to the men who have always endeavored to manipulate the supreme court in their own interests. The republican contingent that is always perniciously active, but which is never active for the best interests of the never active for the best interests of the state, are rubbing their hands in cheerful anticipation over the prospects of a divided independent party with Judge Maxwell leading one of the factions. They say that in such a contingency Maxwell can no longer lay claims to the support of the re-publicans. Although no one is talking openly and above board it is certain that a great deal of very ould work has been going great deal of very quiet work has been going on within the past two weeks.

### Gossip at the State House.

Superintendent Johnson of the Hastings Asylum for incurable insane was at the state house this forenoon. He states that the asylum farm has raised this year twelve acres of as line sugar beets as can be found in any county in the state. The beets will net the institution at least \$50 per acre. The superintendent states that if he was provided with the laud he could profitably provided with the land he could profitably cultivate 100 acres of sugar beets and make for the state from \$2,500 to \$3,000 per annum. Attorney General Hastings is at Omaha today for a final conference with Hon. J. L. Webster over the injunction proceedings. The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings will hold a session tomorrow for the purpose of awarding the contracts for or the purpose of awarding the contracts for

precting the new boiler house and laundry

# county sweat box. This is offense for either of the lads. Horrible Discovery of a Wife.

HARTINGTON, Aug. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Herman Wiebelhaus, a farmer who resided north of this city, met with a peculiar accident last Sunday evening. That evening at 10 o'clock he was missing and although his folks made a diligent search he was not found. Yesterday his wife saw a dark object lying out in the stubble field and sent the children to see what it was. They returned and notified their mother that it was their father's body. His face was en-tirely eaten away by the hogs. The coroner's jury returned a verdict stating that the decased came to his death from the bursting of a blood vessel. How the old gentleman came to be out in the stubble

### field is a mystery. Dakota County's Picnic.

DAROTA CITY, Aug. 15:- [Special to THE

BEE.]-The executive committee of the Pioneer and Old Settlers association of Dakota county met in this city yesterday and perfected arrangements by appointing committees, etc., for the twelfth annual re-union of the association to be held on the banks of Crystal lake, three miles from this was ordered to send out 1,000 invitations to the pioneer settlers removed from county, and to friends and relations of the It is expected that this will be the largest attended reunion ever held.

#### Bridging the Republican.

place,

tlers.

OXFORD, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE ]-Yesterday there was commenced the construction of a substantial combination bridge across the Republican river just west of town. The approximate cost of the structure will be \$2,500. A Falls City firm has the contract.

The Furnas county teachers' institute is in session at this place with an enrollment of over sixty. Superintendent Hanning is anly assisted in the work by Profs. Bigelow of Minden, Mayer of Cambridge, Mrs. Guttery of Wahoo and others.

#### Pawnee County Teachers,

PAWNEE CITY. Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special relegram to THE BEE.]-The county institute opened here today and ninety persons enrolled themselves as teachers or ex-pectant teachers. C. O. Brown, the county superintendent, is ably assisted by the fol-lowing instructors: Prof. C. G. Pearse, principal of the Beatrice schools; Prof. W. K. Fowler, principal of the Scribner schools and Prof. H. M. Brayton, principal of the Pawnee City schools. The enrollment will exceed 125 before the close of the two weeks session.

#### Was Afraid of Hard Times.

DAVID CITY, Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-George Baldwin, a resident of the western part of the city, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself twice through the head. He was a laboring man and had for some time been very despond-ent over the business outlook, although no ent embarrassment threatened him. He leaves a wife and three children.

### To Entertain A. O. U. W. Members.

DAVID CITY, Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-J. G. Tate will speak here tomorrow at the picnic of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, held in Thorpe's grove in the north of town. A large attendance is ex-pected and the committee is making every arrangement to ontertain all that may

# Cut His Throat While Insane

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-George McConnell of this place attempted suicide this morning by cutting his troat with a razor. He is about 20 years old and has been partially insane for over a week. There is but little hope for his recovery.

county had its first good rain since June 3. Corn averages from nothing to five and ten bushels per acre. NICKERSON, Neb., Aug. 15.-[Special to THE

BEE. |-- A heavy rain, accompanied by much thunder and lightning, occurred here last night. The residence of J. H. Peters was struck by lightning. The kouse was dam-aged considerably, but none of the family was injured, though feeling the shock keenly DAVID CITY, Aug. 15.—[Special to THE BEE.]—An inch of rain fell last night, reviv-

ing the coru and the drooping spirits of the farmers, who had become alarmed at the prospects, caused by the hot sun and drying inds of the past two weeks. HASTINGS, Aug. 15.—[Special to Tirg BER.] -Last night a fine rain fell over the south-

ern and western portions of the county which will do a great deal of good. Hat fell in some places so that there will be a TERAMAH, Neb., Aug. 15.—[Special to THE

BEE.]-The fine rain last evening, which was general over the country, has placed the corn grop 'way ahead and is now des ined to be the very best the country has had for years. The other farm products will not turn out

so well. Farmers have about completed threshing, taking the grain direct from the field. Of wheat the yield is about eighteen bushels to the acre, threshers measure, field. which, if the perry is plump and full, would be something like twenty bushels to the acre. Of oats the report is not so good, for

# the continued heat has caused a shrinkage and will not weigh over twenty-eight pounds to the measured bushel, instead of the law ful thirty-five. The yield of other small cereals is about an average one, barley being a triffe rusty, but of corn, one seutence in the tale-no such crop has been raised in the Missouri valley for ten years.

STRATTON, Nob., Aug. 15.-[Special to THE BEZ.]-A good shower fell here Saturday. and that, with the two heavy rains a short time before, is helping the crops wonder-fully. There will be considerable corn here and a good crop of hay. Farmers are plow-ing and getting ready for fall wheat sowing. The ground is in five condition for working.

The last three weeks have been fine for The last three weeks have been fine for growing crops of all kinds. NELSON, Neb., Aug. 15.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Nuckulls county has suffered some-what from drouth this year, but last night there was a general rain over the county and prospects for corn at least are much

# better than heretofore. Farmers are pre paring their ground for fall wheat. Yonk, Aug. 15.—[Special Telegram to Tm

BEE |-A three hours heavy rain was glad] received at this place this afternoon. The fall was two and four-fifths inches. Farmers think that the rain will help corn to fill and that some fields will make good yields, while others will have but little corn in them Hastings Notes of News.

HASTINGS, Aug. 15 - [Special to THE BEE.] The city council held a meeting last night. at which the most important business trans acted was the adjournment until this even ing. There was a disposition to investigate the present job of paving, it being claimed that the brick furnished is not that required by the contract. The special committee ap

by the contract. The special committee ap-pointed to investigate the proposition of the Library association was not ready to report. The ladies of the association offered to give the city their collection of books if the city would maintain the library and gradually add to it. It is understood that the committee will report unfavorably on the ground of the cost of maintenance, but the great mass of the citizens of Hastings are strongly in favor of accepting the gift. The premium lists of the County Fair as-

sociation are now being mailed and dis-tributed. The fair will be held for three days preceding the state fair, and, for the first time in many years, Adams county will coatest for the prize offered for exhibits. S. J. Mattocks, C. B. Wahlquist and H. S. Dungan of this city went to Omaha today to contest for the state laws, the state of the state of

contest for the state lawn tennis champion ships It is currently reported that this city soon to have a new daily which will be issued to "fill a long felt want," and whose lease of hife will probably be limited to the

fall campaign. Stern and family went to Omaha to at M. Stern and family went to Omans to ap-tend the funeral of S. Altschula, the Mc-Cook merchant who died at Holdrege. A safe m the B. & M. depot at Blue Hill belonging to the Adams Express company

when the fluid exploded, burning her in a horrible manner. The house and contents were entirely destroyed. The attending physician says the woman cannot recover. Criminals Bound Over.

### NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 15.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. ]-James Edmonston was words. bound over to the district court today in the sum of \$500 on the charge of stealing a bi

sum of \$100 on the charge of scaling and from the penitentiary. John Thompson, colored, was held in \$1,000 bonds on the charge of stealing \$700 from the Adams Express company.

# Thayer County Mortgages.

HEBRON, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-The recorded mortgage indebtedness for Thayer county, for the month of July is as follows: Farm mortgages filed, \$38,314.20 released, \$10,635; city mortgages filed, \$2,320 released, \$930.40; chattel mortgages filed, \$26,327.56; released, \$8,305.04.

### Illegal Liquor Traffic.

CRAWFORD, Aug. 15 .-- [Special to THE BEE.] -Two cases of alleged violation of the law regarding the sale of liquor to Indians are reported from this county. United States Attorney Baker arrived vesterday morning to give the accused a trial on their own grounds under the new law.

# Killed While Hording Cattle.

NELSON, Neb., Aug. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-Monday, while herding cattle on the prairie north of Nelson, James, the 16-yeardd son of E. H. Kirk of this place, thrown from a pony and received injuries from which he died last night.

#### Nuckolls County Republicans.

NELSON, Neb., Aug. 15 .- Special to THE BEE. |-The republican central committee of Nuckolls county met Saturday and fixed September 5 as the time for holding the county convention.

Death of William Bricknell, NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 15 .- |Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-William Bricknell, an old resident of Otoe county, died last even-He was one of the most highly ing, aged 80. respected residents of Otoe county.

Courtland beach tonight, the greatest outdoor attraction in the world, Leuvenmark, the champion high diver.

# Courtland Beach Ripples.

There was only a small attendance at the beach last night and no fireworks display however, a large crew is expected tonight when the fireworks will be shown. Tonight Manager Griffiths gives the

patrons of Courtland beach the greatest ating in the store. traction of the season. In anticipation of this extra occasion the street car company will bring out its extra cars and Mr. Do Long of the East Omaha car lines says he is fully prepared to handle the crowd.

This big attraction is the world's chamdon high diver, Joseph Leuvenmark, who is o dive from a tower sixty-three feet in height into the lake. The water where he expects to strike is only eight feet deep and some of those connected with the beach say that the little Swede will never come up, but Leuvenmark, says notwithstanding the only eight feet of water, he will astonish them and that he will only go down six or seven feet. He is an expert swimmer and also performs all kinds of tricks, one of his favorite feats being to dive under the water, coming up sixty or seventy feet away. He claims to be able to swim ninety feet under water, taking only forty-five seconds to do it. That he is a great attracseconds to do it. That he is a great attrac-tion there is no doubt, the press all over the country being in high praise of his great dives. His exhibition will take place to-night after dark, the beach being all lighted by electricity for the occasion.

# Baneful Habits Condemned,

Colonel Alexander Hogeland, the "news boys' friend," addressed a large crowd at the corner of Fifteenth and Farnam streets last evening.

He gave the boys some advice on cigarette smoking and novel reading and illustrated the baneful effects of both on mental and physical conditions. The colonel had several charts. While they were not Florentine studies in art, they "got there just the same" in impressing his audience.

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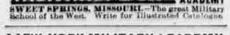
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