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Farmers in Western Nebraska Want Something Done in this Line.

GOVERNOR CROUNSE ON THE SUBJECT

Inclined to Think that Whatever is Done is the Premises Must Be Accomplished by the Commissioners of the Several Countles.

LINCOLN, June 14-(Special to The Bee.) Thomas J. Fort, president of the State irrigation company of North Platte, visited the state house today for the purpose of presenting to Governor Croomse a petition signed by about seventy-five farmers of Lincoln county, asking that an official investigation be ordered into the crop conditions of the middle west of Nebraska. President Fort reported to the governor that the farmers were leaving that part of the state by scores on account of the drouth, and that unless something was speedily done the state would not only lose a great many of its citizens, but those who remained would be reduced to the atmost extremity. At a mass meeting held yesterday it was resolved to mak the governor to call a special session of the legislature for the purpose of assisting in the construction of traigating ditches, ber of the farmers who are this year with-

Governor Crounse was coupliable in his assertion that it would be impossible to call a special session of the legislature. He stated that whatever was done for the re-Bef of destitute settlers must be done by the commissioners of the several countles. The governor was anxious, however, to intitute an official investigation into tent of the crup fallers of western Nebraska and conferred with the deputy labor com-missioner with a view to having the latter make a personal visit to the stricken coun-ties. The commissioner was unable to see his way clear to such an investigation, as traveling expenses.

President Fort stated that the corn crop would be a failure in many of the central and western counties, especially in Logan, Keith, Desel, Grapt, Hooker, McPherson and Thomas counties. Something must be done and at once. The farmers refuse to accept state and county aid, and want the state or the counties to issue bonds so that irrigation works might be started. The commissioners in a number of countles were discussing their right to bond the counties for the purpose of commencing work on irrigation ditches, but were not yet satisfied that they were permitted to do so under the state law.

WANTS A RECEIVER. W. E. Thomas, president and treasurer of the Southwestern Fuel company, today spplied to the supreme court for a receiver for that company. In his application Mr. Thomas makes some startling and serious charges. against P. Barton, the general manager of jury was not properly done. The commisthe company. He claims that Earton has from time to time used large sums of belonging to the company and had refused to render any accounting whatever to the company. He also claims that Barton has rendered fetitious expense bills, which the company has paid, and that he has mover furnished any detailed account of the Stems of expense, although repeatedly requested to do so. It is further alleged that the Southwestern Fuel company has been doing business at a great loss and that it has already incurred an indebtedness of \$1 500, which it has no means of paying. owing to the mismanagement of Barton. Barton is further charged with having approprinted to his own use \$1,200 in excess of his proportion of the profits of the com-He still retains possession of the books and continues to make colle-The company is composed only of Thomas and Barton and has never complied with the state law relating to corporations. The assets of the company amount to about \$2,500, which may be collected with careful

FROM THE POLICE COURT. Seven training are under arrest at the police station on the charge of breaking into a Rock Island freight car.

Annie Smith was sent up to the county fall this morning for ten days for manifesting a disposition to kill ber lover.

Ed Heniming, the colored consort of the potorious Nell Roberts, was sent up to the county juli for fifteen days for resisting an officer who undertook to place him under arrest last night.

William Rose and James Moore, the former white, the latter colored, participated in a wichous fight over the ownership of a bi-cycle this merning, and were placed under

An old colored woman named Smith, who claims to be the mother of twenty-two children, is under arrest for threatening to kill a colored man named Johnson, with whom she lives. She tried to shoot him, and hence her arrest. At the police station she tried to hang berself in her cell. TURNING OVER THE POLICE.

The Lincoln police force is indulging in considerable speculation today over the acion of Mayor Weir last night in making an entirely different disposition of the officers. In a letter to Chief of Police Cooper the mayor ordered a number of changes made, but stated that for good reasons his motives suld be kept to himself. Officer Pound, who has been the utility man on the force, and who is kent on detail at the station for the purpose of serving papers, notices and col-lecting licenses, is placed on the beat hereenjoyed by Officer Mitchell, while the becomes the utility man. Offir Grady, who has for so long time kept the culprits on the "bottoms" under surveillance, was sent to an uptown best, while Officer Williams took his Officer McMullen and Officer Knowlton were also required to change districts.

LINCOLN IN BRIEF. The trustees of the Young Men's Christian association have decided to ahandon the ladies' classes in athletics owing to the large number of male members who desire to use the gymnastum. The young ladies have an association of their own, but have been using the gymnasium at the building woted to the sterner sex.

The employes of the water department have been at work all day endeavoring repair a bursted water pipe at Twenty-fifth and Vine streets. The pipe is on the new line recently laid on that street, but it is not yet decided whether the responsibility for the break rests upon the contractor for the quality of the pipe or for the workmen who

Two burgiars named Sollivan and Russell today entered up a plea of guilty and were sentenced by Judge Strode to the penitentiary. Sullivan got two years and the other

ian states months.
The stock of drugs belonging to the defunct firm of McArthur & Son has been sold to the Columbia National bank, the principal creditor, for \$2,500.

Affairs at Falls City.

FALLS CITY, Neb., June 14 -- (Special to The Bee.)-Charles Green of Humbeldt pleaded guilty vesterday to the charge of burglary and was given eighteen months in the penitentiary. Pat Casey pleaded guilty to maliciously destroying property and was fixed \$40 and given five days in jail. was said see an given who was caught here on circus day for robbing the house of Mrs. E. Zumbeunn, was fined \$15 and given

The Catholic church gave a big picnic at Hinton's park today. Hundreds of the citi-zons and large crowds from adjoining towns were in attendance. Racing games, etc., were given and the picnic was a splendid suc-

Robert P. Wilson, a successful farmer residing west of town, and a resident of this county since 1875, died at 7.20 last evening. The immediate cause of his death was from white swelling. He leaves a wife and two children. The funeral was held

Mystic Shriners at Grand Island. GRAND ISLAND, June 14 - (Special to The Bec.)-Tangler temple of the Mystic Shriners owned the city yesterday afternoon and evening. A large number of visiting mobiles were present from Omaha, Lincoln, North Piatte, Hastings and other points.

THEY DEMAND IRRIGATI N All the aftermoon and evening trains were met by a committee of local Shriners, se-companied by the Pacific Hose Company hand, and the visitors escented to the Anin the evening, twenty-use novices were initiated into the rank. An elegant hanquet was spread and jullity reigned supreme until long after midnight.

CASHIER RORROWED THE MONEY.

Bank of Blue Hill Goes Into Voluntary Liquidation.

LINCOLN, June 14.- (Special Telegram to The Bee. |-- It was announced by the State Banking department late this afternoon that the Bank of Blue Hill has decaded to go toto voluntary liquidation. There is sufficient tush in the safe to pay all depositors and other creditors dellar for dellar. There are a number of interesting features in regard to the closing of the bunk. It has been closely watched by the banking board for a year past. It has not been making money for the past eighteen months and after an examination by the state examiner a week ago it was decided to close up business. The bank owed its depositors \$21,000 and had fl4,000 in the safe. Vice President J. C. Feirer, who has large interests in Omaha, went to the metropolis to secure the addi-Cornal \$7,000 necessary to enable the bank to pay out. The directors gave the cashler, O. Burgers, explicit instructions to make Dank to no one. When the vice predicti returned it was discovered that Casher Bergess had loaned himself \$2,500, leaving fourteen shares of bank stock as security. He would give no reason for taking the money other than that he needed it. Further investigation revealed the fact that the mashier had been manipulating the books and that be had taken a further sum of \$1,050. The bank directors will prisecute Cashler Durgess for embezzlement and misuppropriation of funds.

#### RECALLED THE PRELATES.

Church Trial at Nebraska City Continues to

Attract Much Attentio NEBRASKA CITY, June 14 .- (Special Telegram to The Bee :- Contrary to expectation Bishop Bonacum and Father Corbett were both recalled in the church trial this morning. They were examined as to the financial affairs of the Palmyra parish, and each subjected to a rigid cross examination, but nothing new was developed. Charles Royal and Mr. Fleming were also examined on the same point. The arguments were begun at 2.30 this afternoon, and may not be finished today. It is impossible to say when a decision will reached. Both sides are confident of a fa-

verable ruling. M. L. Hayward opened the argument for R. L. Hayward opened the argument to Bishop Bonacum this afternoon. He was followed by E. F. Warren, who made an eloquent appeal for his client. Judge Sulli-van followed for the bishop and Warren ended the great case. A decision is looked for tomorrow.

Jury Sciention Irregular. NAPER. Neb., June 14.-(Special Telegram to The Bee.)-The spring term of the district court will not come of this week. owing to the fact that the drawing of the sioners selected as jurymen certain men from each precinct who would be able to bear their own expenses, as the county warrants cannot be even discounted and are practically worthless. Judge Bartow decided that the process was illegal and dis-charged the jury. George T. Bastedo, ex-county clerk, and John H. Mosler, excounty attorney, whose claims for salaries were disallowed by the commissioners, secured judgments against the county yester-day for \$650 each. This will necessitate an additional levy to meet the judgment, and it is claimed will insure the defeat of the anti-

bond element in this county this fall. Postponed the Ordinance. LINCOLN, June 14 .- (Special Telegram to The Bee.)-After an exciting session tonight the city council, by a vote of 11 to 2, indefinitely postponed the street railway ordinance, which has provoked so much discussion during the past six weeks. The ordinance provided that the company might be relieved from the necessity of selling six tickets for 25 cents and that it might run its cars without conductors. It was evident be-fore the session commenced this evening that the ordinance would full and the attorney of the company appeared and asked unanimous consent to have it withdrawn. The council refused to permit this and after

a debate of two hours the ordinance was in-definitely postponed. Injured in a Runaway FREMONT, June 14 - (Special to The Bee.) -During a runaway Charles Dengler was thrown from his buggy this afternoon, receiving a compound fracture of the leg. A public meeting was held at Nickerson yesterday by farmers in opposition to the construction of the Reynolds ditch, which has been officially located and assessments de-termined. The opposition developed to the

enterprise suggests trouble. The annual normal teachers' institute for Dodge county will begin June 25, and will be held at the Fremont Normal building. Mrs. Darwin Forbes, aged 80 years, is suffering from injuries received by a fall and is not expected to recover.

Sixteen-Year-Old Boy Commits Spicide. GRAND ISLAND, June 14 -(Special to The Bee.)-Ernst W. Spiehs, son of a prominent farmer living near Abbott, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by hanging himself in the barn. He had been at work in the morning, and stopped as usual for din-ner. That was the last seen of him alive. The only theory advanced as to the cause of the ant is temporary aberration, caused by the intense heat. No quarrel had taken place with any member of the family, and his youth, only 16 years, makes the case a most mysterious one, if the above theory is not acceptable. His family is grief-stricken

and almost broken-hearted. Jail Breaker Arrested. FAIRBURY, Neb., June 14 - (Special to The Bee.)-Deputy Sheriff Wiatt returned last night from Memphis, Mo., where he rearrested Simon Pearce, the forger, who broke jall here a few weeks ago. Pearce has nothing to say criminating the parties who

helped him to escape. Sheriff Mendenhall today arrested Dr. Thomas of Norton, Kan, who is wanted there on a charge of criminal assault. The sheriff of Norton county will be here today to take his prisoner back.

Explosion of a Gasoline Stove. YORK, Neb., June 14 - (Special Telegram to The Bee.)-About 4 o'clock this afternoon fire destroyed the dwelling house owned by R. Kilbourne. The house was occupied by Rev. H. H. Maynard. The fire was caused by the expiration of a gasoline stove and Miss Mand Maynard was badly burned. The house was insured for \$1,000 in the Connecticut. No insurance on the goods.

Auxious to Bond Boyd County. NAPER, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)-The county commissioners will again submit the question of bonding the county to the voters of Boyd county at the next election. The proposition carried last fall by twelve votes, but defects in the mannor of presenting them invalidated the insue and a new election is necessary.

Because the Water Pressure Was Weak. NERRASKA CITY, June 14.-(Special Telegram to The Bee.1-Mrs. Ann Walker, whose harn was burned Tuesday murning. has brought suit against the city for dan ages. She claims if there had been suffi-cient water pressure her building could have been saved.

Small Blaze at Hubbell. HUBBELL, Neb., June 14 .- (Special to The Bee.)-A cigar stub thrown into a box filled

with sawdust last night caused a small blaze which burned part of the counter and showcase, breaking a portion of the glass in Delinger's restaurant on Johanon avenue. Looked After by Uncle Sam.

NAPER, Neb., June 14.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)-William Schultz, who was indicted by the federal grand jury on a charge of selling liquor without a license, was taken to Omaha tonight.

Seen the new balloon yet? This eve at 8. Young Men's Christian association rooms.

AT IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Fifty Young Men and Women Graduate with Hences.

tertainments Among Students-

Pleasant Reception to the New

Class Last Evening.

plause. Iner Pannie Kelso talked of "In

the Fullness of Time." Glenn S. Noble dis-

cussed the "Necessity of Better Read Gov-

the "Relation of the Church to the Social

of an "Outlook," and Frank Woolston con-

the following: Thalia Cochrane, lowa City;

Edward Wildridge Mahood, Lakelet, Out. Alice Jane Mott, Faribaelt, Minn.; Alvin B.

The following prizes were given for theses:

Twenty-five dollars, offered by Prof. Per-kins, to Harry G. Plum; \$25, offered by M. L. Sears of Omaha, to J. L. Kunmouth.

The class of 1894 was as follows: Bach-

elors of Arts-Rose Blanchard, Harry Blunt.

J. Lynn Crawford, Arthur J. Holmquiet, Earl Palmer Hopkins, Henry C. Hull, Edwin

Fay Mutchler, Judson Walker Reynolds,

Albert T. Rutledge, Lars Shridahi, George Franklin Thompson, Edward Speer White,

Bachelors of Philosophy-Thomas R. Am-

lie, Frances Church, Annabel Collins, John Van Fleet Crum, George Cutler Fracker,

John A. Hornby, Elizabeth D. Jones, Inez

Funnie Keise, Eva M. Kleckner, Marshall

E. Lumber, Harry Grant Plum, Clara Agatha Siotterber, Virginia May Swan,

Bachelors of Science-Mant Bloom, Arein

Hamilton, Bertella Nelson Hendricks, Jessie

Rusnes Johnston, Willis Alvin Lomas, Rob-

ert P. Miller, Carl David Page, Stella Helen

Price, Leonard B. Robinson, Delanc Wilcox. Bachelors of Science in Civil Engineering

-Curtis Thompson Dey, John R. Gardner, Glen S. Noble, Frederick W. Lovell, Frank

Bachelors of Science in Electrical Engi-

neering-Beaumont Apple, Ray Parvin Lee, Ralph Elliott Noble.

Bachelor of Dedactics-Anna E. Shepherd.

Masters of Arts-Edward Wildridge Ma-bood, Alice Jane Mott, Frank Henry Noble,

TABOR COLLEGE.

Twenty-Eighth Annual Commencement Ex-

ercises of the lestitution.

Bee.)-The twenty-eighth annual commence-

ment exercises of Tabor college occurred

during the last week, beginning Saturday.

A free excursion to Tabor, consisting of over

A carriage ride, public dinner and speeches were features of the day. During the after-

noon athletic sports were also in progress

in the park. In the evening was given the recital of the conservatory of music. Sunday

morning the beccalsureate sermon was de-

livered by President Brooks. Sunday even-ing Hon. W. H. Alexander of Omaha ad-

given to the class day exercises of the grad-

the college: Frank Sheldon, Paul Fleming,

In place of the customary orations by the

graduating class on commencement day, Rev. Dr. S. Wright Butler of Omaha ad-

dressed the graduates Wednesday morning His subject was, "The Warting Niche." The

burn, Ill.: Sylvia Mabel Drake, Tabor,

HASTINGS COLLEGE CIRCLES.

Past Week Has Reen Particulary Interest-

ing at this School.

HASTINGS, Neb., June 14 .- (Special to

The Bee.)-The past week has been busy in

Hastings college circles. Beginning on the

5th, the closing examinations were started,

calaureate sermon was preached in the morn-

ing by the president, Dr. W. F. Ringland.

In the evening the Christian societies of the

in the evening the juniors' reception to the class of '94. Tuesday afternoon the gradua-

ting exercises of the academic department

in the college chapel attracted a large at-tendance, and the concert of the musical

department in the evening in the Presby terian church was listened to by an audi-

ence of fully 1,100. Wednesday afternoon

the board of trustees met, and at the same time the Alumni association met and elected

as officers for the ensuing year: C. B. Attchtson, president; Miss Emma Nowin,

vice president; Miss Kathleen Hartigan, sec-

retary and treasurer. The executive com-mittee has not yet been named.

Last night came the commencement exercises proper. The Presbyterian church was crowded to the doors, fully 1,100 persons attrading. The class was composed of seven members. Miss Harriet T. Myers receiving

the degree of B. Sc. and Mr. William J. Little. Mins Bertha G. Green, Mins Laura W. Bailey, Mins Grace M. Shepberd, Harry B.

The college celebrated its twelfth year by

conferring its first honorary degrees, doctor of divinity on Rev. H. O. Scott of Hastings

and Rev. John Fleming of Ayr. The junior essay prize was won by Miss Martha Cun-

Platte Institute Exercises.

KEARNEY, Neb., June 14 .- (Special Tele-

cises at the Platte Institute were held in

the chapel this evening. This ends the

second year of the institution, and thirteen

account year of the instruction, and thirteen students were graduated. After the exer-cises closed a reception was tendered to Bishop and Mrs. Graves. Refreshments were served and tossts responded to by Miss Darby, M. A. Brown, Moses Sydenham,

about 200 guests present, and the prospects

are that the institute will be well patron

Political Economy.

Dr. Duryea's class in political economy will hold its second session tonight at the

Beeman and others.

See the animals at Courtland beach.

tsed next year.

gram to The Bee.)-The graduating exer-

This evening a very enjoyable reception

the new class was given by the alumni

Allen and Miss Etta Caton receiv

at the home of Miss Hartigan.

especially enjoyable.

sed the Christian associations on the sub-"Opportunities." Monday afternoon was

TABOR, Ia., June 14.-(Special to The

Master of Science-Carl Leopold Ende.

Flora Wambaugh Patterson

Cavana, Lee Wallace Dean, Arthur S.

sidered the "Railroad Question."

Wyckham.

Willis Walter Wilson.

Ellen M. Warren.

gree of master of arts was conferred

market 20 Go to Courtland beach tenight.

FARMERS FORE AGAINST IT. Emphatic No Registered on the Million IN THE COLLEGE CIRCLES OF HASTINGS Dullar Causi Supsidy.

VALLEY, Nob., Juge 44.—(Special Telegram to The Sec.)-Thute was a meeting of Past Week Crowded with Interesting Enthe representative farmers of western Bouglas county held here this evening for the purpose of discussing the good road question, the Platte river-Omaza canal acheme and other questions of importance to the agriculturists. On account of the extreme heat IOWA CITY, In., June 14 .- (Special Telethere was not as large a gathering as sotictpated, but those who did turn out were amply repaid for the effort it cost them. The gram to The Bee.)-An even fifty young men and women were graduated from the rvention was called to order by Hon. W. Whitmore and its objects briefly stated. collegiate department of the State university today. There were six cruturs out of the after which J. C. Ecobinson of Waterine and Dan W. Canon of Elkhorn were conted chairnumber and they were showered with bouquets and these honors recognized by ap-

man and secretary, respectively.

The Board of County commissioners was nvited to be present and take part in the discussions and was represented by Chairman Stenberg and Members Williams and Livesey. A letter was read from Mr. Jenkins expressing his regrets on account of ernment." Harry Grant Plum considered Problem." Miss Stella Helen Price spoke

Whitney, C. E. Byars, E. S. May and J. W. Hall. The county commissioners also made a few remarks on the subject. Allow Jane Mott, Parthault, Minn., Afvin B. Noble, Lansing Mich., Frank Henry Noble, Casey, Ia.; Flora Wambaugh Patterson, Cambridge, Mass. Carl Leopold of Burlington was granted the degree of master of sciences. The degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon Hon. J. B. Edmands, Washington, D. C.; master of science, Henry F. Weithau When the Platte-Omaha canal scheme subject was opened up the chairman of the hoard of county commissioners was kept busy answering questions relative to the proposition filed recently by the promoters of the canal enterprise. After the matter had been fully explained all those in the audience who favored the scheme as sub-mitted to the board were asked to say aye and those who were opposed to it as it now stands were instructed to say no. The noss were in the mijerity. The thief op-position to the proposition is against the county putting up the \$1,000,000. The conthe county putting up the \$1.000.000. Inc. while an exact estimate of the residual vention then adjourned to the Reids hotel.

"While an exact estimate of the impossible where a banquet was spread. It was an the police from these sources is impossible at this stage of the investigation, enough at this stage of the investigation, enough the stage of the investigation.

#### MORE COPIOUS RAINS.

Crops in Several Portions of the State Benefited. LONG PINE, Neb., June 14.-(Special Telegram to The Bee.)-Copious rains lasting several hours visited Brown and Rock countles today. Small grain in a few places was past redemption owing to continued winds, but the rain will help a large acreage of wheat. Corn looks fine, but was in need of rain, and now bids fair to turn out a good

During the storm lightning struck a dwelling here, doing considerable damage to the property, but injuring no one. ANSELMO, Neb., June 14 — Special Tele-crum to The Ben.)—A good general rain fell today. All prospects changed for the

DUNNING, Neb., June 14 - (Special Telegram to The Bee. A heavy rain fell here tonight. The ground is thoroughly souked NORTH PLATTE, Neb. June 14 - (Special Telegram to The Bee ) - The drouth was broken in this section for the first time this season by a fine rain. Corn will be benefited considerably, though some fields are almost SIOUX FALLS, S. D. June 14 - (Special

Telegram to The Bee.)—The first rain in east-ern counties of South Dekota since May 17 began at 9 o'clock tomight and poured orrents for twenty minutes, then stopped till eleven, when it began again. The sky is all overcast with rain clouds and the pros-pects are good for rain all night. The raina hundred delegates from the Congregational makers were engaged to come here Saturday, Home Missionary society, which met in Omaha, was very successfully carried out. but will probably be telegraphed not to come." Some small grain is past redemption, but most will make half crop. Corn and potatoes will be a full crop-

SIDNEY, Neb., June 14.-(Special Telegram o The Bee.)-The floodgates of heaven were opened at 6 o'clock this evening and the heaviest rain in years fell. It drenched the city and surrounding country. It was impossible to see across the street, and indications are for an all-night rain. There is much rejoiding.

usting class, which were held on the campus.
In the evening occurred the entering ex-Elkhorn Bresities. The Bee. - Confirmation ceremonies were class is one of the largest in the history of conducted here at the Catholic church today. Edson Damon, Harriet Fleming, Jennie Sie-cum, Louise Moulton, Dell Brooks, Cloid Hall, Bryant Drake, Ed Schneider, Elsie Bishop Scanlan of the Omaha diocese conferred diplomas on twenty-one. Rev. Futhers Fitagerald, Walsh and Burke assisted in the ceremontes.

Faurote, C. Mae Welpton, Anna Barnard. Tuesday morning the board of trustees A farmer lost \$30 through a pickpocke met in annual session. The afternoon was devoted to the alumni. A large number of while witnessing the circus here yesterday.

An ineffectual attempt was made some time last night to crack the strong box at the Union Pacific depot. Entrance to the building was effected through a window. old graduates were present and the banfollowing the literary exercises was The crowning musical event of the week Being unable to open the safe the cracksmen secured a couple of express packages containwas the commencement concert Thesday evening in charge of the conservatory of ing ladies' and gentlemen's wearing apparel he anticipated death from dropsy. and made their escape. An interesting program was ren-

Funeral of Miss Lucy Cole. JUNIATA, Neb., June 14 - (Special to The Bee.)-One of the largest funeral services ever held here was that of Miss Lucy, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Cole. class numbers six: Louise Allen Fairfield. Washington, D. C.; Frederick William Long, Hillsdale, Ia.; Annie Louise McCredie, Mihtoday. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Curtis. The lady was 22 years of age, well known and beloved by all. She She died last Priday at her uncle's, George Crane, is Missouri, where her mother had taken her but a few days before in hopes of Myrtie Foote, Corning, Ia : Winifred Floy Mills, Taber, In.

The presentation of diplomas closed the most promising year in the history of the benefiting her health.

Ord Masons Elect Officers. ORD, Neb., June 14 .- (Special to The Bee.)-Ord lodge No. 165, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, held its annual election of officers last night. The following were elected: James C. Heddle, W. M.; James P. Colby, S. W.; Edwin N. Mitchell, J. W.; George T. Hather, treasurer; Charles W. Burrows, secretary; William Weare, tiler; trustees, William D. Ogden, Charles B. Coffin and James A. Patton.

closing on the 9th. The 10th, the buc-Neligh News Notes. NELIGH, Neb., June 14.- Special Teleschool were addressed by Rev. Mr. Irwin of Hiawatha, Kan. Monday morning came the annual field day and tennis towney, and gram to The Bee.)-The county supervisors adjourned today. The court house building committee will visit Pierce tomorrow to examine the court house there.

District court met here this evening.

Junge Robinson presiding, for the purpose of charing up the equity docket. The drouth still continues, but corn is looking fine.

Will Celebrate the Fourth. SURPRISE, Neb., June 14.-(Special to The Bee.)-There is to be a grand Sunday school celebration at Surprise the Fourth of July, consisting of several Sunday schools from surrounding towns. The dam on the Blue river at this place was undermined and washed out last night. The damage is \$250.

Seen the new balloon yet? This eve at & He is Dr. Butler Now.

Rev. S. Wright Butler was given the degree of D.D. last Tuesday by Tabor college of lows. This college is very caution in bestowing degrees, and on that account he honor to Dr. Butler is enhanced.

## It is expected that the pext books will be been, and those destring to the mark pro-

Raksoffs of the Pinest Amount to Something Worth Having.

HOW NEW YORK'S POLICE GET RICH

Estimates Based on the Evidence Already Given Before the Legow Investigating Committee-Figures that Tell Hig Tales Sude Revenues.

NEW YORK, June 14 -- A New York paper which has heretofore been regarded as favorable to Tammany prints over a column under the head of "Police Revenue."

It seeks to show in this article the amount of illegitimate revenue said to have been received by the police of New York annually, and this showing is based upon the testimony thus far taken before the Lexuw invest gation committee.

The paper starts out with an explanation

of the number of men employed on the police

The good roads question was discussed that the amount appropriated by the board in all its bearings by Messra. Whitmore, Ackerband, C. C. Turner, Issae Noyes, Omer \$5,128,147. This amount is entered upon force, which is 3,600. The fact is cited \$5,135,147. This amount is entered upon as the legitimate sum received by the police force for its maintenance. To troduces its showing as follows. "The testiminy brought out by the Lexiw investigating committee shows that the police, in addition to their salaries from the

city, have had an additional income excitibuted by the keepers of disorderly houses, tributed by the keepers of disorderly houses, salsons, gambling bouses, merchants and push cart peddlers. This extra income is called paying for protection by those who pay. By the public it is sometimes called biackmail. The police probably call it perquisites. If the test mony is true the police were very vigitant in locating all persons who could be forced to contribute to

it was enormous, and approximately cor-rect figures can be made."

The fact is cited that there are 7.000 salocus in the city of New York, and the paper reckens that the alleged police charges for protection for wide doors open on Sun day is \$10 a week for each saloon. Allowing Allowing that only one-half of the saloons puld these charges, the total for one year is arrived at. 6 Wit-\$1,820,000

The paper quotes an official of the police department, who estimates the numb degraded women in the city to be 45,000. Upon the basis of the last census an estimate of five persons to a house is made and upon this basis it is stated that the 45,000 immoral women in New York are quartered in 9,000 disorderly houses. ording to the alleged police schedule prices for opening disorderly houses the in come to the police from this one source is estimated by the paper to be \$3,600,000 After the opening of these immoral houses, according to the evidence before the Lezow committee, the keepers of the houses ar required to pay from \$50 to \$100 per month and the paper making these estimates reckons that from this source the police receive an annual income of \$5,100,000.

Four hundred and fifty thousand dollars a

year is estimated as the amount of the alleged extra charges for special favors and protection from the police. The estimated income from gambling and policy shops is \$185,000 a year. There are reckoned to be other specia

rates levied upon merchants for of putting boxes upon their sidewalks, mer chants who want to keep open on Sunday and push-cart peddlers who want to evade the city ordinance that prohibits them from standing more than five minutes in one place The paper states that 2,500 new policement are placed upon the force each year, and esti-mates upon the lusis of the alleged rate of \$300 to get on the force that the income from this source is \$60,000 a year.

The grand total made upon the bests of the testimony presented before the Lexow com-mittee, including the legitimate appropria-tion made by the state to maintain the police. and the other items above referred to, aggregates \$15,254,147. The following are the items which enter into this total: From the eity, \$5 129,479.64; disorderly houses, \$8,120, ELKHORN, Neb. June 14.—(Special to 600; maloons, \$1,820,000; gambling houses, \$165,000; merchants and peddiers, \$50,000 new members of the force, total theome. \$15,154,147.64.

See the animals at Courtland beach. CHARLES W. MEAD DEAD

Formerly Superintendent of Union Pacific and an Omaha Capitalist.

A dispatch received last night annsunced the death of Charles W. Mead at Los Angeles, Cal., of dropsy. Death was sudden and Mr. Mend left a card stating that

In the 70's Mr. Mead became general so perintendent of the Union Pacific road at the same time that Mr. Hammond became general manager. On retiring from the railroad business he bought Mr. C. B. Rustin's interest in the amelting works, and about eleven years ago sold out to Mr. Guy C. Barton At that time he owned seven-twelfths of the stock. He then engaged in an unanmining venture in Mintana, and from there went to California. He had no property in Omaha at the time of his death, all of his capital, which was considerable, being invested in California.

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### ELLER TOLD HIM NOT TO.

Mr. Buck Declines to Answer Question Concerning an Estate.

George W. Buck, the administrator of the estates of Platt W. Saunders and Francis McNamara, deceased, was cited to appear in the probate court yesterday afternoon in the probate court yearcrasy missission and answer questions regarding what disposition he had made of the property, the records failing to show that he had ever made a fanl settlement. On his way to the office he concluded that he wanted to see expending Elier, who was succeeded by the present incomplaint of the county today's office. ent incumbent of the county judge's office. Together they went before Judge Baxter, where Eller advised his client not to answer any questions. Judge Baxter insisted upon having Buck tell what had become of the properay. Eller inelated that he had to de nothing of the kind, and the bearing went over until this morning.

An Echo from the World's Fair. The Lake Shore route has recently gotten out a very hardsome lithe-water color of the "Exposition Flyer," the famous twenty-hour train in service between New York and Chicago during the fair. Among the many wonderful achievements of the Columbian year this train-which was the fastest long distance train ever run-holds a prom-inent place, and to any one interested in the subject the picture is well worth fran ing. Ten cents in stamps or silver sent to C. K. Wilber, western passenger agent, Chicago, will secure one

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