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Ids. Dated July 18th, 1896. H. C. RUSSELL. Commissioner Public Lands a

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WOULD KILL THE GUNNERS. A Test at Indian Head Disposes of a Navat

A very important test has been made recently at Indian Head, says the Washington Post, which will have a bearing on the con struction of the new battle ships, over which there has been so much contention. The tes was made under the direction of Captain Sampson of the ordnance bureau, and he has submitted a report of his findings to Secretary, pelled to do my duty, and that, if she will Herbert, who is now considering the rival submit to the inevitable, my stay and the plans of the battle ships. The bureau chiefs and the construction bureau of the Navy department differ radically on several features, one of the most essential being as to doublestoried turrets, endorsed by the bureau chiefs, and single-storied turrets, one in front for the heavy guns and the other elevated and just in the rear and containing eight-inch guns, which is the plan of the construction

It was claimed by the chief of the ordnance bureau that the eight-inch guns would be rendered useless in an engagement in which the vessel had her bow or stern toward the nemy, because if fired over the turret con taining the large guns the blast from the rear guns would kill the men in the sighting Captain Sampson ordered the test made by having an eight-inch gun fired over

an inch steel plate, the thickness of the plate designed to cover the sighting tower. The muzzle of the gun was twenty-four inches above the plate, and the first charge bent the plate diwn in the center four inches, while a second charge still further bent the white a plate eight inches on one end and nine inches on the other. This plate was about five by four and a half feet, and the supports were equal to those that could be placed on the

the concussion of the eight-inch gun would kill the men at work in the upper portion of the turret, and they point to it as proof of

ordnance bureau to renew their assertion that



"Could he not have sneaked in on the hand and restrained me preceding day and concealed himself." I "It is not necessary," all that I want to know. faltered.

"How do you know that?" I blurted out desperately. "Surely you cannot believe that in the superintendent's letter referring to in the superintendent's letter referring to the bad health of his favorite detective." any of us three let him in-"

his deductions.

his deductions.

"I did," he assented, "but was not your brother one of the inmates? I'm afraid you would not do for my profession. What do you suppose Mr. Robert Smith got up and dressed himself for at such an hour?—some time before daylight, remember. I saw by a short glance through his mealtains better.

"I did," he assented, "but was not your companion. My reveries were broken in upon, just as I was about to put them into words, by Phillips rising slowly.

"Will you pardon me," he said, "if I ask you to let me retire? I am not entirely well, as you know, but I imagine a full night's rest will enable me to do better work in the morning."

whom he admitted. That history seems to me to give a perfect explanation of everything, and no other chain of events begins to do so. If your niece, your servant or yourself had admitted this person, or if he fourself had admitted this person, or if he had broken in or been concealed in the house, surely your brother would not have been fully dressed before daylight to receive "And if some one inside had killed him."

added, "they could have locked the door again. "Yes," said Phillips, grimly; "if they were

foois they might have pursued that method of fastening the crime upon themselves. Your remark shows you just how stupid even the intelligent criminal can be and I felt myself flush at his words and tone

but it would have been worse than foolish to take offense, "Then it only remains," I said, "to identify the person who made the appointment to meet my brother."

"That is all," he replied, rather irritably, "but meanwhile I imagine it is nearly your dinner hour, and, with your permission, I will go to my room and wash up a bit."

To tell the truth, I was not altogether sorry to get rid of my slly for a few moments, until I could recover until I could recover my composure. I find himself entirely able to stand all that showed him to his room in silence.

"We shall done in about fifteen minutes," said, as he closed the door. Then I went o my niece's room and knocked. At first there was no response, and I knocked again more decidedly. I heard her moving, and a moment later the door was opened a few nches. Her face was set in grim lines. "I came to see whether you were not com-ing down to dinner. There is a gentleman

I began. "I should think you would know better invite anyone at such a time," she said bitterly. "I certainly shall not come "But, Mary," I pleaded. "It is a detec-

tive from the city, a Mr. Phillips, and the best man in his profession." "So much the worse," and she shut the door in my face. I went down stairs again filled with new fears and anxieties. What would Phillips think of such actions? They could hardly fail to strike him as more than peculiar. Even in me they re-aroused vague suspicions which I had practically laid aside. Still, if the way woing to act we stranger.

see her. In this state of mind I sat down to dinner "Very natural," he replied, as I went on bers, o elaborate my apologies; "still, I hope to night.

don't know-" I began. "To tell the truth, Mr. Phillips, my niece is, as I believe I intimated to you, in a very peculiar frame of mind. Perhaps we should be surprised by nothing, considering the shock she has received; but I feel that I ought to tell you that she resents your presence here and

absolutaly refuses to see you." "Ah!" he replied, and then added, after a few seconds of thought: "That is rather unfortunate, for it is absolutely necessary that I should talk with her before coming to a definite conclusion." "Are you as near success as that?" I exclaimed, fairly startled by the assurance of

"I do not know how near I am," he answered, testily, "but surely you can see how absurd it would be to go away without examining every inmate of the house."
"I don't know how you can accomplish it. Mary is a very obstinate woman.'

that you frankly state the case to her. Say

his answer.



onsequent annoyances to her will be cut I acquiescel in the sound sense of this ad-

vice, and little more was said during our meal. When it was concluded I went up-stairs again to my niece's room and represented the situation as well as I was able. This time I found her, though indignant, yet more inclined to look at things reasonably.
"Very well, then," the said. "If I must see this—this man, I will do so; but be sure shall have nothing to say to him, nor will submit to being questioned."
"When will you come down?" I asked.

"Very shortly," sale replied, and again closed the door.

I returned to the Hbrary, where I foun't Phillips and acquainted him with the success of my mission. He bowed and made

cess of my mission. He bowed and made some remark expressive of regret at being obliged to trouble Miss Smith at such a time. Then we sat silent for a few minutes.

"I presume, of course, that you will examine Mr. Ralph?" I said at last.

Before he could answer we heard the rustle of a woman's gown in the hall, and Mary threw open the door and stood on the threshold. Phillips started to his feet with threshold. Phillips started to his feet with a short, inarticulate exclamation. His face was very pale, and I saw him clutch the table as if for support. My niece eyed him curiously with her head thrown forward and her lips slightly spart. Her look was at first vague and inquiring, as if trying to remem-ber something, and then partook somewhat

of the detective's agitation.
"I-I have nothing at all to say," she began, "and I won't may anything except their views in a report to the secretary of the navy.

This test adds another feature of perplexity to the plan of the battle ships, which is giving the department considerable trouble.

The test adds another feature of perplexity innocent."

In a moment she had turned and disappeared. I half rose to remonstrate and to Liberty; T. N. Burket, Lincoln.

"He could have," said Phillips, "provided at him wonderingly and apprehensively. He was now entirely composed and no sign of his late agitation remained except an in-"I don't," said he.

"But you said one of the inmates," I sersisted now anxious to know the worst of persisted, now anxious to know the worst of tirely ignored the physical condition of my

short glance through his medicine bottles that he was not troubled with insomnia—"
"Never in his life," I broke in.
"Well, then," pursued Phillips, "it is quite that he would sleep soundly, rise refreshed and not allow me in my eager selfshness to clear that he got up quietly, dressed himself, dive him harder than the condition of his admitted some one who came by appointment (probably asked for in that letter in led the way to his room, but he waived my the fireplace), and was killed by the man protestations aside and insisted that he would

could be put upon him. After seeing that he had everything he required I bade him

own room. Once there I found time to think over the curious scene in the library between my niece and the detective, and the more I thought the more it disquieted me. His last remark, too, seemed to me, to say the least, ominous, and altogether I slept little

Continued Saturday.)

rum Last Night. bers, an adjournment was taken to

The Tourists' Wheel club, some 100 strong, were at the beach last evening. The announcement made in The Bee last evening that the Courtland Beach association had concluded to open the gates for awhile at least had the effect, in spite of the threatening weather, to draw a good attendance.

Everybody seemed to appreciate the fact that the Courtland beach people had concluded now only do as much for us we will get a chance to visit Courtland."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. John Dwyer of Beatrice is registered at the Paxton V. K. Goudy of Lincoln is stopping at the Dellone.

C. D. Richards of Hebron is a guest at The St. Joe Base Ball club is quartered at the Barker.

the Barker. H. H. Robinson, a stockman of Kimball,

ing at the Millard. F. M. Moore, a mine owner of Sheridan, Wyo., is at the Arcade. R. F. Kloke, wife and child of West Point

E. M. F. Leffang and Hon, J. H. McColl of exington are at the Millard. George D. Darr and B. F. Krier of Lexingon are guests at the Dellone John J. Roche, a real estate dealer of Sloux

Albion on his wheel and is stopping at the Dellone. William J. Coombs, Mrs. Coombs and Mrs. Fox of Brooklyn comprise a party of E tynites who are stopping at the Millard.

are Nebraskans registered at the Barker.
At the Mercer-C. E. Latshaw, Chicago: B. W. Gamming, Lincoln; J. P. Kirk, Ta-coma; Ira Mallory, M. Carson, Des Moines; E. Escaving, Tampa, Fla.; August St. George, Chicago; J. B. Dallas, Hastings; J. M. Buck, Holdrage, Neb.; H. C. Wild, New York; J. M.

At the Paxton-James McNloy, Rel Cloud; Alex Bear, Norfolk; Ed S. Miller, Beatrice; James C. Dahlman, Chadron, At the Dellore-Jay H. Johnson, Lincoln; W. E. Cotant and wife, Alliance; Mrs. C. McMenemy and daughter, Binir, At the Millard-Ed F. Wright, Lincoln; F. M. Wetherold, Hebron; R. H. Townley, Lincoln; J. Clevenport and Quughter, West Point.

"It is not necessary," he said. "I know

crease of his pallor and a deepening of the lines of his face. I recalled the paragraph

good night.
"I think I can promise you, Mr. Smith," he said, with a peculiar graveness in his tone and manner, "that we are very near the solution of this matter." Then he closed the door and I went to my

SIMPLY MET AND ADJOURNED Board of Education Falled to Get a Quo-

The anticipated nonattendance of the memwhich I had practically laid aside. Still, if she was going to act so strangely, perhaps, after all, it was as well that he should not of Education from security. of Education from securing a quorum last not be sent promises of support were given, evening. Bandhauer, Tukey, Thomas, Andreas and Lunt were present and derson Burgess and Lunt were present and evening. Bandhauer, Tukey, Thomas, An-In this state of mind I sat down to dinner with my guest, pleading the excuse of a bad headache on account of my niece's absence.

derson, Burgess and Lunt were present, and. Ogalalla and Central City, on the St. Paul branch between Grand Island and Ord and of the control of

be able to see Miss Smith before my de- It was at first proposed to adjourn until to night. It was urged that the delay in selecting such an important official was merely child's play and that it should be settled as soon as possible. It was the general sentiment of the members present, however, that the absences should be given every opportunity to select a candidate. They had stated that they were unwilling to vote again until Rev. Mr. Cramblett returned, which would be Saturday night, and it would be more courte-bus to fix the date of the adjournment after that time. The motion to adjourn to Monday night was unanimously carried.

The Free Entrance

Mr. K. C. Pardee, Chicago, is registered at

W. N. Richardson of Red Cloud is on the Paxton's register. Dr. A. A. Hummell of Philadelphia is stop-

are among the Millard's guests, re registered at the Millard.

ity, is stopping at the Paxton. C. W. Booth, wife and child of New York are among the arrivals at the Paxton. E. M. Eldred and T. W. Lester, two stocknen of Alliance, are guests at the Arcade. O. M. Needham came to the city overland

Mr. T. J. Hickey, Lincoln; Mr. William Cahill, Grand Island; Mr. Charles Rollins, Grand Island, and Mr. A. L. Starr, Exeter,

At the Arcade-H. N. Miller, Yutan; William Hoagh, Alliance; H. D. Kelly, Norfolk; H. G. Mason, Chadron.

Nebraskans at the liotels

Pleming, Fremont.

Fish Exhibit to Be Better Than Ever Be fore-State Fair Notes.

W. L. May, the present fish commissione of Nebraska, has been appointed as superintendent of the fish department by the board of managers of the state fair. This appointment is preliminary to a vigorous effort to add to the importance of the fish exhibit at HOW THEY WILL REFORM THE CITY the state fair. In previous years the exhibit has been under the direction of the state commission, but it has been thought advisable to appoint a superintendent who would be directly under the control of the association and could

give his entire attention to the fair exhibit

Mr. May is corresponding with all parties

who might be induced to participate in the exhibit and he expects to work up the biggest

seen in this part of the country.

The Manufacturers and Consumers association will have more commodious and satia-factory quarters than was anticipated. It has been assigned the east half of the Manu-made to complete an organization, the meetfactures building and even then the members ing was devoted to speechers, among whom

expect to need more.

The alfalfa palace has been located at a point 100 feet northwest of the Manufactures building. It was at first intended to locate decided that it would be more advisable to of the ward constituted themselves the club have it in a more sightly location, where it and elected officers. Ex-Policeman Sam Du-

at the grounds during the session just closed tary and John Mattiesen treasurer. The and the members express themselves as well secret manner in which the election took

The state board of managers has placed the booth map on the market, where those de-siring privileges can pick their booths and make arrangements for occupancy.

Martin Dunham is still beeming the baby show and says it will be the happlest feature

of a big crowd of visitors.

The proceeds of the base ball game today go to the State Fair fund. The jobbing houses will close at 4 o'clock to give employes an opportunity to attend.

Hotel people are chuckling at the prospect

Country Dealers. There are a number of men in the city roads that run through the state regarding the managers this morning, when the conference will take place. Among those who were here last night were George D. Darr, B. F. Krier, J. H. McCall and E. M. F. Leflang, all of Valentine, where the movement started.

As soon as the Valentine people saw a As soon as the valentite people and the soon as the valentite people and the people are sent out to a large number of told a couple of smutty stories, but these did points, asking each to send a delegate to not go well with his listeners, and then he Omaha, the whole delegation to meet here very prudently started out on a roast in a

Loup City, and on the Kearney & Black Hills road between Kearney and Callaway. "There is every prospect that there will be n enormous corn crop this year," said Mr Darr last night, "and while the crop of small grain will not be as great or as extensive, it will still be very considerable. If the crops are large the prices for the grain will be correspondingly low, and under the present grain rates it will be impossible for the farmers in my section of the country to ship their grain to Omaha or Chicago. At present the rate is 33 cents per hundred weight to Chicago and 14 cents to Omaha. This is al most twice as much as the rate on live stock and such a difference between the two rates should not exist. We intend to lay this condition of affairs before the railroad manager and attempt to obtain some relief for our peo-

ple. The Commercial club and several prom nent men of Omaha will assist us in our efis to try to get the people of Omaha to erect more elevators. There is at present practically only one grain elevator in the city. It with no necessary expense but car fare, and as one man put it, "If the car company will surprising to me that these services and depending as it does largely on the grain country that lies behind, it is marvelously now only do as much for us we will surprising to me that these surprising to me that there are no more elevators. Surely if South Omaha had only

one packing house it would not be the pack ing center that it is today, "The western portion of the state," continued Mr. Darr, "is especially favored this year. There has been an abundance of rain and the fields are all looking remarkably well. The corn crop, particularly in the law lands is far advanced. In the eastern part of the state there seems to be less rain. Between Columbus and Omaha, and especially east of Fremont, the fields lock dry. In the west, however, we are not lacking for rain and the farmers are all joyful. On Wednesday night we had a splendid rain in my section of the

cuntry.'

Free admission to Courtland beach

Work of Thieves. P. Lorenson of Brick station, one of the northern suburbs of the city, has reported the police that on Wednesday night some one broke into his barn and stole a horse and buggy, a set of double buggy harness r. F. Riose, whe and called of West Point re among the Millard's guests.

Dr. J. R. Bromwell and wife of Washington front door of the residence of C. R. Bauserman at 2409 Hamilton street and stole a watch chain from Mr. Bauserman's vest, which was hanging in the hallway.

W. J. C. P. Cramer reported that some one had stolen a young St. Bernard pup from

his premises at 3418 Burt street.

The police were notified last night that A . Hudson, who has been missing since Wednesday night and was thought by some people to have committed suicide, had turned up. He left a bundle of clothes on the bank of Cut-Off lake, to which he had pinned a m and Mrs. note asking the finder to return the bundle to 2316 Spencer street. From this kindly of Brook- act of forethought it was not considered imgriefs in the muddy waters of the lake.

Marriage Licenses.

sued by the county judge yesterday:

Name and Address.

The following marriage licenses were is

George Prokselj, Omaha.... May Vahal, Omaha..... Nels Miller, Council Bluffs...... Gertrude Brisbane, Council Bluffs He Dealt in Wheels

William McCoy bought a bleycle from the

Western Electric company. He made one

a charge of larceny as bailee.

MEYER—Mrs. Jeanette. aged 84 years, mother of Max Meyer and brothers. Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. Rehfeld, 412 South Twenty-fourth avenue, to Pleasant Hill cemetery, Sunday, July 21, at 10 a. m.

KOZIE—Maggie, July 18, 1836, at 2109 South Eighteenth, aged 33 years. Funeral from Castellar Presbyterian church, July 19, at 2 p. m. Interment Forest Lawn.

WILL MAKE IT A GREAT SHOW. GHOST DANCERS KEEP BUSY

> Ike Hascall and His Friends with the Grand View Republican Club.

Several Ex-Office Holders Explain the Detalls of the Deal in Confidence to

the Fuil Membership of Two Dozen.

The Grand View Republican club of the show in his department that has ever been First ward held its first meeting in the National hall, at Thirteenth and Williams streets, last night. After a little pre-

the ghost dancers numbered largely. The early portion of the meeting was occupied by a little skirt dance. It appears the palace near the alfalfa field, but it was that on Wednesday a half dozen republicans have it in a more signify location the alfalfa Bois had himself elected president, David industry.

Bots had himself elected president, David
The board has spent a good deal of time Watts vice president, John Cathrow secreand the members express that has been satisfied with the progress that has been made. There is no doubt but that everything an hour of hot discussion things were berivals of exhibits.

The local committees on collection report good progress and the money is coming in promptly.

The Knight of the Mystic Brush who is at the confirmed and the motion carried with a

work on the parade floats says that they will be confirmed, and the motion carried with a be grander and better in appearance than they were at the New Orleans pageant.

Lee Estelle was present and was called they were at the New Orleans pageant.

Commissioner Utt is at work looking for Nebraska born orators and a young woman who looks like Trilby to be the Goddess of the individuals he saw, and confined himself to a few remarks. He urged republicans to Liberty.

The Peast of Mondamin will be given at Boyd's and an immense temporary floor will without going into the byways after can-

Boyd's and an immense temporary floor will be constructed to cover the seats and transform the theater into one large ball room.

Who will be King Kornkrop? This is a question discussed very much around the Commercial club. King Kornkrop will be the title of the Nebraska King Rex.

The Knights of Aksarben report that the costumes to be used in the parade will be the finest of the kind ever attempted.

There is some talk of establishing a wag-

Then Ikey Hascall, who was itching on his There is some talk of establishing a wag-onette service between the city and the fair grounds, but it is purely an individual enhim call for him, and with commendable alacrity he jumped into the ring in his shirt sleeves. He started out as usual with a smutty story, which was hissed, and then he roasted for an hour the citizens' movement, Rosewater and the police commission. After he had made a number of good points—in his mind—he noticed that the audience was talking to itself and was not paying much atten-tion to him. Gathering himself together he started on the home stretch with a startling variety of sentences on honesty and good gov-ernment which showed his unfamiliarity with the subjects, and came under the wire in a

burst of appliause.

Redfield was called for, but did not want to WANT GRAIN RATES LOWERED talk. Not so V. B. Walker, ex-police officer of unsavory police court fame. Walker was Object of a Visit to Omaha by Interested pleased to see the vast gathering that had come to greet him. He, together with a few from various points in the state who have others, was going to knock out the citizens' come to see the managers of the various rail-movement and nothing would stop him. He gave it out cold that he would lead all of the colored voters, 1,500 in number, with the exa reduction in the grain rates. It is expected ception of some half dozen, to the poils to that there will be quite a delegation to meet vote for the ticket the republican party would nominate. Especially was he going to put such a good man as Judge Scott on the bench again. In the recent action of the pulice commission he saw a nigger in the woodpile. With these brilliant bits Walker sub-

> very dramatic manner. He was very young and he admitted that he did not know much. but he was perfectly willing to tell all he did know, and it didn't take long to tell either. He was particularly sore on the police commission and on Chief White, concerning whom he very dramatically remarked

Some unknown with whiskers sprung an-

other smutty story, and with that the meeting ended, to convene again in two weeks. AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA. Liquor Dealers Object to the Running of an Unlicensed Saloon Liquor dealers on Twenty-fourth street who paid their \$600 license fee are kicking hard

because Tom Beard is allowed to sell beer

and whisky without a license. Beard never

made an application to the city council for a

that his days were numbered

On July 4 Beard sold, so it is claimed, eight half barrels of beer and it is no trick at all now to go in there and get a glass of liquor, it is said. Several councilmen and some members of the Board of Education as well as chief of police are aware of the

condition of affairs.

About two weeks ago President Cheek of the Board of Education stated that the board would go after Beard, but nothing has been done about the matter Pencil Pushers' Outing. Yesterday the Press club met to perfect arrangements for the picnic which comes off at Sarpy Mills tomorrow after-

great preparations for a grand spread in the park at 6 o'clock. Admission to the park only upon presentation of invitation ticket at the gate Departed During the Night.

Joseph Potack, Fifteenth and P streets,

noon. The wives of the members have made

reported to the police yesterday that his daughter Mary, 14, was missing. The girl went to bed as usual Thursday, but when the family arose at 5 o'clock yesterday Mary was gone. Th police are looking for the girl. Magic City Gossip

James Pivonka is in Kansas City.

her daughter, Mrs. Bruce McCulloch.

A glue factory is being built at Cudahy's. Mrs. Henry Laufenberg is visiting her sis-ter at Fort Calhoun. Carriages will leave the Press club rooms for Sarpy Mills at 12:30 and 4 p. m. Mrs. C. M. Hurlbut of Chleago is visiting

The town is overrun with Omaha gamblers,

died last night. The funeral will be held this afternoon. Perry Bros., the stock commission firm, which had some financial trouble recently, are going out of business. C. A. Evans will give a private dance at the Metropolitan hotel, Twenty-eighth and R streets, Saturday night.

Otto, the 3-year-old son of W. H. Goodman

W. N. Bahcock, general manager of the Union Stock yards, will make a short address at the Press club picnic. J. A. Hake's team ran away on Twenty-fourth street yesterday evening and smashed the carriage. No one was injured.

Made it Warm for the Bugs. Wednesday afternoon a girl in the family of F. J. Lewis, who lives at 2116 California street, was trying to clean out bedbugs by a free use of kerosene. In some unaccountable manner the oil was set on fire. A portion of the flames communicated to the bangs and eyelashes of the girl, and she is now without those ornaments, although she was not injured. The fire spread to several rooms and he department was called out. flames were extinguished some \$200 damage

Stub Ends of Thought Many a corn may lurk behind a polished payment on the wheel and sold it. Now he is in jail, having been arrested last night on man's dollar.

owner of the building is Mrs. Detwiler.

Detroit Free Press: A pretty woman is never quite without hope. Not every woman is glad she is a wife,