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## THE ELECTION NEWS.

A BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS.

Triumph for Tammony in Greater New York-Hanna a Probable Winner in Ohlo-New York State Democratic-Results Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3 .- With the dawn of day preparations for the opening of the polis began. The skies were dark and lowering and the falling rains presaged a long and disagreeable day for the workers at the polls. There is a weather tradition attached to New York state politics, which is believed by many to hold good in this municipal struggle. Fair weather is called "Republican weather" and rainy weather "Democratic."

Robert A. Van Wyck Democratic nominee for mayor, voted at 6:40 o'clock, casting ballot No. 19. He spent thirty seconds in the booth. There was no crowd at the polling place and there was no demonstration. Nearly two hours later Seth Low appeared at the place where he was registered. He spent two minutes in the booth. His coming and going were not marked by any demonstra-

The ante-election "claims" of the shairmen of the four leading campaign committees are as follows:

Democratie-Van Wyck a majority over all other candidates combined of 20,000, and plurality over Low, the the next highest, 130,000.

Republican-Tracy a plurality of Citizen's Union-Low a plurality of

Jeffersonian Democracy-George a

plurality of 65,000. ALBANY, Nov. 3. - The country roads are muddy and the rural vote will be

lighter than in several years. In some towns the vote will not run much over half that of last year. In this city it is generally conceded that John G. Gibson, Democrat, will be re-elect-

The following are the results of the election so far obtainable:

#### New York.

State democratic; estimated plural ity for Parker for chief judge of the court of appeals, 50,000. Van Wyck. Tammany candidate for mayor of Greater New York, wins by a plurality of 80,000. The total vote of the city being: Van Wyck 233,752, Low 146,821, Tracy 100,998, George 20,386.

#### Massachusetss.

Returns not yet known. Wolcott. rep., probably elected.

### Kentucky.

Returns meagre, Weaver, dem., elected mayor of Louisville by about 3,500. Shackleford, silver dem., for clerk of the court of appeals elected. Gold democratic vote extremely light.

### Ohio.

Result in doubt. Both sides claim the election. Returns coming in very slowly. Democratic gains are reported. Hamilton county elects fusion candidates for legislature

The election in Iowa has given the republicans a scare. Their majority of 65,000 last year has been cut down to 17,000 or less. Chairman Walsh of the democratic state central committee is making no extravagant claims. but thinks later returns will place the state in doubt. Chairman Miller of the republican committee claims the republican plurality will be 35,000.

## SULLIVAN SUCCESSFUL

Returns Indicate His Election by a Ma jority of 10,000 to 15,000

At this hour, 8 a. m. Wednesday, it is impossible to give a complete report of the returns received from the state of Nebraska. The vote of the precincts heard from a majority of which show fusion gains over the vote of last year, indicate Judge Sullivan's election by a majority of 10,000 and over.

Douglas county has probably elected republican county officers. The bonds are safe. In this county Sullivan ran ahead of his ticket

Lancaster county is undoubtedly republican, electing all county officers except register of deeds.

## Light Voting in Colorado.

DENVER, Col., Nov. 3. - The weather was clear and cool to-day, but the roads are so muddy in the city as well se in the country on account of the heavy snow storm a week ago that many voters will not take the trouble to go to the polls.

## Ralay in Pennsylvania.

PRILADELPHIA. Nov. 3.-Rain has failen almost continuously since yestorday morning. This had its effect, and even a lighter vote was cast in the early hours than had been anticipated.

Light Voting in lows. DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. .- To-day was cool and crisp in all parts of this state, but early reports from all towns showed light voting.

Mostrie Cars to Leavenworth. TOPERA, Kan., Nov. 5. - Articles of incorporation were filed to-day for the Kansas City-Leavenworth Electrie, Power and Mining company. The purpose of the company is to build, equip, operate and maintain a railway line commencing at a point in Wyandotte county, near the state line between Kansas and Missouri, running thence through Kansas City, Kan., Leavenworth, Fort Leavenworth and Atchison, in all seventyfive miles. The company is also to
mine coal and generate and supply
power. The capital stock is \$6,000,000.

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CINCINNATI. Nov. 3. - The polis spened promptly at 6 o'clock and in many precincts long lines were in waiting at that hour, but by 8 o'clock the crowds were disposed of and voting was proceding slowly with no manifestation of special interest in the way of bringing out the vote. The law prohibits crowds assembling nearer than 100 feet of the voting places and beyond that limit there was no disposition to assemble in the pouring rain.

Rain fell all over the state this morning, making the outlook for a heavy vote in the country bad, but in the towns there was almost as much interest as ever.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 3 .- The day in Cleveland opened with a rain fall ing steadily and during the early hours the vote was slow in coming out. Voting up to 9 o'clock was light. There was some scratching. The interest in the contest was not as keen as it was a year ago by any means. There is some fight being made on Senator Hanna here, but his friends have no fear of the result in this

#### Kentucky's Hot Fight.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 3.-The election in this city and county is bitter. The Republicans and National Democrats, led by W. C. P. Breckinridge. have a fusion ticket opposed to the silver Democrats. Every hardware store yesterday sold out its stock of firearms. No trouble, however, had arisen at 9 o'clock.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 3.—Never in the history of the city have party lines been drawn so closely. The Repub-lican nominee, Mayor George D. Todd, has only a portion of the city machinery in his hands, the police and fire departments being controlled by the Democrats. In addition to the feeling between the two political parties the contest is made all the more bitter from the fact that the A. P. A. is solidly aligned for the Republican ticket and the Catholic vote equally as solidly for the Democratic ticket. Last year Mr. McKinley carried Louisville by over 12,000, but Mayor Todd carried it by only 4,500, falling away behind his ticket.

#### Bad Weather in Maryland.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 3 .- The polls opened this morning during a perfect deluge of rain that appears to have extended to all parts of the state and effectually checked the voting in the first hour. It also had a tendency to keep the party workers away from the polling places, and the result was one of the quietest times ever seen here on such an occasion.

#### Very Quiet in Virginia. RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 3.-The weather is cloudy in Richmond and all over the state, with rain upon the coast. The negroes are not voting and everything

is quiet. This morning at Staunton Colonel James Cockran, the Republican senatorial candidate for the Ninth district. expired suddenly, after a vigorous campaign.

## EXPERTS MUST TESTIFY.

Decision as to Professional Men. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 3 .- Dr. J. N. Dixon of this city, who was called as an expert witness in a personal injury case against the city, refused to testify unless he was first paid a reasonable fee for his service, claiming that his professional opinion was his own property and could not be taken away from him except by due process of law, as provided in the state constitu-

Judge Greighton ruled against him and fined him for contempt of court. The court held that his professional knowledge was not property within the meaning of the constitution and that in the exercise of the right of the court to summon witnesses and compel them to testify, no distinction could be made between kinds of knowledge. To make such a distinction would defeat the ends of justice.

The case was appealed and yesterday the finding of Judge Greighton was upheld by the supreme court.

## Murdered inCold Blood.

EUREKA, Kan., Nov. 2. - Joseph New, a well known farmer living thirteen miles southwest of this place, was murdered in cold blood last night about 10 o'clock. The family was awakened by the noise of someone prowling about the house. Then s stone was thrown against the building, whereupon New lighted a lantern and went out to investigate. When about fifteen feet from the house he was fired upon, a charge of buckshot passing through his stomach and liver. Death resulted almost instantly. A coroner's inquest was held, but no arrests have yet been made.

## Taking a Census of the Creeks.

MUSCOGER, Ind. Ter., Nov. 3 .- The Dawes commissioners have located here and rented offices in the court house. They will remain here until Congress meets next month. For the past month they have been taking a census of the Creeks, and will likely not complete the work until after Congress convenes, as the Creeks are very slow in enrolling and have refused to furnish the commission with a roll of their citizens.

Workmen Hurt by a Falling Scaffold. Sr. Louis, Mo., Nov. 3. -- While sixtyfive workmen were on a large scaffold extending the whole length of the Wabash building, which was recently partially destroyed by fire, a section gave way, carrying eight men into the debris on the floor below. Otto Leyh's skull was crushed and Herman Wertheim was internally injured. Four others were hurt.

## Miss Willard Re-Elected.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 3. - Miss Frances E. Willard was to-day re-elected president of the National W. C. T. U.

Freight on the Warsaw Road Derailed-The Engineer is Killed.

WARSAW Mo., Nov. 3.-The mixed passenger and freight train on the Sedalia, Warsaw & Southwestern railroad, was wrecked at the trestle three miles north of here at about 12 o'clock to-day. The fast freight car jumped the track near the center of the trestle, taking the engine and eight freight, baggage and passenger cars from the highest point of the trestle, which is about forty feet above the ground.

The engineer jumped to the right and the fireman to the left. The train fell to the right and the engine fell on the engineer, John A. Miner, killing him instantly. One leg of the fireman, Charles McComas, was broken. An ankle of William Price, head brakeman was broken: W. L. Bass, the conductor, was slightly injured about the head and legs; Fred. Schweetman, of Lincoln, Mo., whose head was injured, was the only passenger burt, the other passengers escaping by jumping.

#### BRAVE OFFICER KILLED.

One of the Captors of Emory Norman of Renton County Accidentally Killed. WARSAW, Mo., Nov. 3. - Yesterday afternoon Constables Reeves and James Griffin brought here Emory Norman, who killed Creed Moore in the southwest part of Benton county Sunday and defied the officers for a time, but was finally forced to surrender.

Late last night as the two men were returning home they became cold and stopped to make a fire. In getting out of the buggy Reeves' revolver fell out of his pocket and it was discharged, shooting Griffin through the neck, causing death in an

#### RIOT IN KENTUCKY.

A Frankfort Fireman Killed and Three

Other Men Expected to Die. FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 3.-Ben Marshall and other Democratic political workers started about midnight to the country with a load of negroes. Frank Egbert, a fireman of this place, organized a band and started in pursuit. As Marshal and John Smith were returning from the country Egbert fired, wounding Smith, probably fatally. Marshall recognized Egbert.

Marshall s friends and the friends of Smith armed themselves and from 12 till 1 o'clock fifty men were located may be advanced. in various parts of the town, commissioned by County Judge Williams as deputy sheriffs. At 1:45 o'clock Egbert came down Main street with Walter Coins, both brandishing their revolvers. Egbert began firing and Deputy Sheriff Deakin fell mortally wounded. Instantly fifty shots were fired and Egbert was riddled with bullets. Walter Coins fell close by Egbert.

## BURIAL OF HENRY GEORGE

Final Ceremony Over the Body of the Dead Philosopher Very Simple.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3. - After a short simple funeral service the body of Henry George was finally laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery yesterday. Only a few persons were present at the family residence. The ceremonies were the antithesis of Sunday's. In the home overlooking the Narrows. where Mr. George had lived and worked, there was no trace of mourning. In obedience to the expressed wishes of the dead man, every trace of mourning had been removed from the house. Dr. Kramer, of Bath Beach, conducted the funeral service. After reading part of the Episcopal service for the dead. Dr. Kramer paid a touching tribute to Mr. George.

After the Lord's prayer had been said by all, Rev. Dr. McGlynn also paid a personal tribute to the de-

## THE COMPETITOR CASE.

Spanish Cabinet Decides to Yield to the Demand of the United States.

MADRID, Nov. 3.—The Competitor case was taken up by Foreign Minister Gullon, Colonial Minister Moret and Naval Minister Bermejo, to whom the matter had been referred by the cabinet. The communication from the United States government touching the affair was carefully examined, together with the Spanish evidence that the Competitor was a filibuster. After mature consideration, the ministers named reached the conclusion, in view of the precedents established in the case by the Duke of Tetuan while he was foreign minister and by the Conservative cabinets of Senor Canovas and General Azcarraga, that Spain must satisfy the demands of the Amer ican state department.

Shemeld's Cutlery Trade Injured. SHEFFIELD, Eng., Nov. 8 .- The ex ports of cutlery from Sheffield to the United States amounted to only 960, 000 for the last quarter, as compared with \$150,000 for the same quarter, July, August and September, of 1896. This is the worst showing made of the cutlery exporters of this city for seven

## May Prohibit Football.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 3. - In the house of representatives to-day a resolution was introduced to abolish football playing in universities and other institutions in Georgia receiving aid from the state. Senator Allen introduced a bill in the Senate prohibiting football playing in the state.

A Postal Clerk Cuis His Throat. ATCHISON, Kan., Nov. 5. -- William Williams, a postal clerk committed suicide at 8 o'clock this morning by cutting his throat with a razor. Domestic trouble was the cause.

#### B. S. HELLER ACCIDENTAL. LY KILLED.

The Victim of a Flying Switch - Falled to Cross the Track With His Team Was a Prominent Farmer.

A pall of gloom was cast over Ceresco late last Thursday afternoon when B. S. Heller, a prominent farmer and one of its most respected citizens was thrown under the cars at the crossing in the northeast part of the town and instantly killed.

As near as could be learned at this writing, the freight crew was making a flying switch. The engine and part of the train had passed the crossing The trouble which caused a warrant from the so-called disadvantages of when Mr. Heller either did not notice the car approaching and started to drive across the track, or the team beame frightened and unmanageable and ran in front of the loaded car which was being switched. The car collided with the wagon, carrying it with the water mains. several yards along the track, completely wrecking it, and throwing Mr. Heller under the wheels, three of which passed over him killing him instantly and mangling the body in a fearful manner. The horses escaped.

#### WILL TRY IT OVER.

Bartley Case to Be Heard Late in Novem ber Before Judge Dickinson.

The dismissal of the suit against ex-State Treasurer Bartley and his bondsmen at the request of Attorney-General Smyth, and the filing of a new suit, is to be followed by a motion to set the case down for trial November 29. Attorney General Smyth prepared such a motion Friday and it filed in the distriet court. Notices have been sent to attorneys of Bartley's bondsmen that this motion will be called up before Judge Dickinson on November 27. The case is now on Judge Dickinson's dockct. It was not put there at the request of either side and even the state's attorneys are quoted as saying they would rather try the case again before Judge Powell because he is more familiar with the subject. The motion to set the case down for trial on November 29 is made by the attorney general under section 1113 of the civil code of 1897, which provides that state cases and cases of public importance

### FEELING STRONG AGAINST.

Trial of George Knight to Begin Novem-

ber 4.

On September 28 the little town of Arlington lost over half of its business houses by fire. Last Tuesday Sheriff Mencke arrested George Knight, a business man, whose buildng was among those burned, and Mrs. he case which set aside all doubts as to the origin of the fire. Mr. Knight, loss. she says, is the guilty person. He saturated the store building, she sags with kerosene, and shortly after 4 to Lincoln. He is over sixty years old Feeling is intense against him.

## INSANE ON THE TRAIN,

Lady Traveller Has to be Locked up at

Omaha Mrs L. Malcomson, a middle aged cific train at Omaha Friday because she had become violently insane, and its presence known. Trains are de was en route from her home in San | aded. Francisco to York Pa., and her malady first manifested itself as she was crossing the mountains. All that was found in her possession was her ticket and her gold watch.

Dropped Dead. Daniel Campin, an old Lancaster county settler, dropped dead at his farm two miles south of Raymond last Friday. His home is at another farm two miles north of Raymond, and he had gone to the second place to look after some things requiring his attention. He was engaged in grinding an axe when he fell over. He had been in the very best of health, so his death came unexpectedly. He was about 45 years of age and had been a resident of the county for over eighteen years. He leaves a wife and several children.

Like Nebraska Benton Maret, the governor's private ecretary, the other day received a letter from Ed. S. Blackburn of Point, Bedford county, Pennsylvania, who de-

sires to send a colony of twenty persons to Nebraska. Arrangements will probably be made to have the party settle at Lexington.

Will Nelson of Butte broke his arm while wrestling with a heavier man.

Monumont Fund Started. NEW YORK, Nov. ) .- The World has opened a fund for the erection of a

memorial to Heary George. Joseph Pulitzer subscribed \$1,000, Mayor Strong \$50, Mayor P. J. Gleason, of Long Island City, \$50, and Charles Steckler, leader of the Manhattav Democracy, \$25.

An Insano Girl's Crime. MEXICO, Mo., Nov. 1 .- Miss Lizzie Gibson, daughter of T. Gibson, of this her little baby brother. She was turned over to the sheriff.

# WRECKED ON A TRESTLE, UNDER THE WHEELS HOME PATRONAGE PEOPLE

Banquet of Manufacturers' and Consumers' Association

The Nebraska manufacturers' and consumers' association held its annual meeting and banquet at Omaha last Tuesday night at the commercial club See Approaching Cars and Tried to rooms. About a hundred were present. N. B. Kendall of Lincoln, president of the Nebraska millers' organization, discussed "The Nebraska Miller." and Chancellor MacLean delivered Jured two others with a knife before an excellent address on "A Nebraska- he was struck. Officers have gone to made Education." W. S. Poppleton discussed the exposition and its relation to the association.

#### D. E. Thompson Fined.

D. E. Thompson, the Lincoln gas block, which is controlled by Thompber 7, 1897, although still connected

#### 10.669.353 Acres.

The annual report of Commissioner Herman of the general land office at Washington, just made public, shows that there are 10,669,353 acres of publie land in the state of Nebraska that station from the effects of a dose of are vacant and open to settlement. These lands are located in all sections of the state and it is expected that in the course of time they will be taken for homesteads by future settlers. The report also says that during the year ending June 30 last, patents were issued to the Union Pacific Railroad company for 995,455 acres of land in Ne. appears to have been an estrangement braska.

#### Trouble for the Bonds.

The carpenter's union of Omaha met last Tuesday night and appointed a new strike committee to look after the strike now on at the exposition. Rep- leading farmers, with his family was presentatives of all organized labor sitting in a spring wagon in front of are to meet tonight, Wednesday, to Franc's jewelry store when another take final action as to whether to vote farmer drove up behind him and for the \$100,000 bonds for the exposition or against them. It is believed breaking of the spindle and throwing that trouble is in store for the bonds, as organized labor is opposed to the Both wheels of the wagon passed over superintendency of Dion Geraldine.

#### Attempted Bank Robbery.

An attempt was made fast Tuesday night to burglarize the Bank of Bromfield, as Bromfield, ten miles southeast of Aurora, which was unsuccessful. Mary Cloos were severely injured late The burglars succeeded in forcing open Sunday evening at Fremont by being the outside vault doors, but they either thrown out of a buggy. Mr. Froeshel could not get any farther or were was driving a frisky horse, and in frightened away. They then stole a prancing about the horse tipped the team belonging to Mr. Chrisholm, and rehicle over. Mrs. Cloos was injured took their departure. There is no the most, her right arm being broken trace of them.

## Burn Horses and Barn.

The large farm barn belonging to bruised badly but no bones were bro-Mike Collean, a mile and a half north ken. of Fairbury, was entirely destroyed by Barbour, a woman with whom it is fire the other night, together with its charged he lived, as the fire bugs who contents, consisting of a fine team of Four young people at Norfolk, D. fired the city. Yesterday Mrs. Bar- horses, a lot of farm implements, and Hooker, G. Farly, Agnes Hogg and anbour made a confession of the facts in grain. The building was insured for other girl named Simpson, on the way its value, but the contents were a total to a dance in the coutry, came into col-

## Ex-Mayor Stricken.

Carl H. Korff, of Nebraska City, near the rear, wrecking it and throwo'clock in the morning he applied the while sitting at the dinner table last ing the occupants out. Farley and match. The trial is set for November Tuesday, fell backwards and after a Miss Hogg were considerably cut and t, at which time, it is believed, Knight few gasps was dead. The cause of his bruised, and Hooker was hurt in the will be placed on the road that leads, death was heart failure. The deceased was an old citizen, having been a resident since 1859. He was mayor of the city one term, in 1873. His age was 67 years.

# Snow, Sleet, and Rain.

Word was received in Omaha Tuesday night from many points in Nebraslady evidently of means and refine- ka to the effect that the storm of ment, was taken from the Union Pa- snow, sleet and rain that has been traveling eastward had been making is now confined in the city jail. She layed and in some instances are block-

## Negro Shot.

William Crutchford, colored, who ended the pool rooms in a saloon at I'welfth and Dodge streets, Omaha, was shot Tuesday night by the bartender, Tom Lewis. The ball struck Crutchford over the heart and he will die. It is claimed that the shooting was accidental.

A furious storm prevailed at Ainsworth Tuesday. Over twelve inches of snow fell, accompanied by a cold wind.

A Foot of Snow.

# BREVITIES.

The Beatrice Korn Karnival which was to have been held Thursday, Oct. 28, has been postponed to Friday, November 5, owing to inclement weather.

Wallace has a full crop of rattlesnakes this season. The other day Ted Funk shot nine of the shiny reptiles within a few rods of the school

A hunter at McPherson lake, east of Columbus, shot and killed a fine specimen of a bird of the grallatores, or wader, variety. It measured five feet, nine and a half inches.

The Columbus school board claims to have discovered a trust among the local coal dealer and likewise to have outgeneraled the trust in getting coal cheaper than hitherto for the school buildings.

Action has been brought against the commissioners of Boone county to recover to the county the money invested in the poor farm, stock and improvements for the same, and enjoinining them from expending more money; city, became insane and tried to kill also to declare the deed null and void on the ground that they exceeded their authority in these transactions.

### KILLED WITH A CLUB.

Fight Retween Boys in Nemalia County

Ends in A Tragedy. Word reached Auburn late Saturday evening that the twenty-year-old son of Heny Taylor, an old resident of Isiand precinct, Nemaha county, was killed by means of a club in the hands of a neighbor boy. A fight was in progress and the Taylor boy had inlook the matter up.

#### Held a Union Meeting.

A union meeting was held at the authern church at Yutan recently in in the interest of the American Bible magnate, paid a fine of \$5 and costs in society. Their secretary, E. C. Condit. police court Tuesday evening for using gave a good lecture on the Bible, givlanguage liable to provoke an assault ing a history of the same, showing the towards George J. McArthur, inspect- advantages of having the Bible in or of the Lincoln water department. every home and knocking the spots off to be issued for Thompson's arrest same that is brought forth by the arose over a report made to the coun- ingersollites. Mr. J. Bender, reprecil Monday night by Inspector Mc-Arthur which stated that the Brace tained as president of the society there: I. W. Mengel, representing the Free son, had paid no water rent since Octo- Methodist church, was elected for vice president; and Julia Duerrbaum of the Reformed church was elected as secretary.

#### Died of Stiychnine.

James Fagin who has been in the mploy of Hugh Murphy, an Omaha paving contractor, died at the police strychnine taken with suicidal intent. Unrequited love is the cause of the act. Several years ago Fagin lived at Tekamah, where he became attached to s young lady with whom he has ever since corresponded. He was simply a aborer and was not possessed of means to visit her frequently. Recently there and to this is attributed Fagin's down-

#### Little Girl Badly Injured.

Quite a serious accident occurred in Humboldt Saturday evening. Arnold. Schwetz, one of Richardson county's raught his wheel in that of Schwitz. his little eight year-old girl out. her body and she was picked up unconscious. She was soon restored by a physician.

# Victims of a Frisky Horse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Froeshel and Mrs. and bad bruises about the head. She was taken home in an unconscious con sition. Mr. and Mrs. Froeshle were

# Collided with a Train.

lision with an incoming Union Pacific train south of Norfolk, the other evening. The engine struck the wagon chest. Miss Simpson escaped with slight bruises.

## Hurt in a Runaway.

While out in the country near Waverly a Mr. Clark's horse became frightened at some dogs, and in the melee the harness broke, the horse began to kick and Mr. Clark, in jumping from his car, fell, bruising his shoulder and injuring his spine, compelling him to use a walking stick.

Charity Ball. The annual ball given by the ladies harity club of Fremont has been arranged to be given on the evening of Tuesday, November 16. This ball is always the social event of the season.

#### Killed by the Cars. While switching in the yards at Al

Alliance last Saturday forenoon, S. R. Cannon fell in the center of the track in front of an engine. He received internal injuries from which he died. Guilty of Assault and Battery.

In the case of Joseph Richards of

#### DeWitt charged with assault on Mrs. Riese with eriminal intent the jury found him guilty o assault and bat

Ran Over by a Team. Saturday noon last Tike, the sevenear-old son of Liveryman G. T. Dustin of Auburn, was run over by an unknown man driving a gray team to a spring wagon. The boy became un-

#### and his recovery is doubtful. Guilty of Bastardy.

Herbert Perkins, a resident of Sew ard county, charged with bastardy on complaint of Miss Helen Milton of near Friend, was found guilty at Wilber. The parties are of good social standing and in comfortable circumstances.

# BREVITIES.

Leon, the little son of H. F. Cady, a well known Omaha lumberman, who was attending the Worthington military academy at Lincoln, died the othday from an attack of typhoid fever.

George Cranson, on trial at Harrison for murder of a neighbor, was the otherday acquitted of the charge. The testimony of his wife, who was an eye witness, and his own confession, made before the coroner's jury, was excluded, and as this was the testimony or which the state elected to stand, it lef the prosecution without a case.