

THE DAILY BEE.

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The Chicago city council has adopted a uniform saloon license of \$500. This has been done under the high license law of Illinois.

MR. GLADSTONE is doing a very extensive credit business. He asked for \$50,000,000, and the house of commons voted it without a word of objection.

Two small job printing presses have been ordered from a New York manufacturer by the Russian government for use in Afghanistan. They are probably intended for printing the general orders of the army.

The Herald still harps on the dismissal of Gorman. The only fault that can be found with Marshall Cummings is that he did not dismiss him long ago.

If the auditor and clerk are to occupy the same room in the new court house, as is now proposed, there will be a spare room at the disposal of the city. It occurs to us that the board of public works should have that room because they will have to frequently consult the city engineer and his records.

WHEN Mr. Paxton takes charge of the old court house property the city will have to vacate the jail. This will compel the city to make some arrangement for a station house, and steps should be immediately taken in that direction.

The Western Union company is entitled to a great deal of credit for expediting the special dispatch which was telegraphed exclusively to the BEE, giving the full report of Gladstone's speech on the \$55,000,000 war credit.

MARY ANDERSON recently presented Alf. Tennyson with a bottle of old Kentucky whisky. He took one drink, and then immediately produced his poem on "Freedom." His latest effort, the "You" poem on the British fleet is the result of a second drink.

MR. FRITCHETT has filed his application at Washington for the office of United States district attorney of Nebraska. Warren Switzer is also an applicant for the place.

THERE has been some objection raised on the part of people living near Fort Omaha against having the rifle range located in that vicinity. The rifle range as now located, however, is perfectly safe, and no reasonable objection can be urged against it.

MAYOR BOYD has sent in only four out of the dozen or more appointments which the mayor is required to make at the beginning of his term. Two of these, the chief of the fire department and his assistant, were re-appointments that were made as a mere matter of form because there were no other applicants for the positions.

THE FENCES MUST GO.

If there is wanting any proof that Senator Van Wyck is a true and faithful representative of the people, whose sole aim is to secure the public welfare and exercise his influence in the interest of the state, it will be found in his latest effort to invoke the aid of the president in behalf of the settlers of western Nebraska against the encroachments and high handed outrages of land-grabbing syndicates and cattle companies.

General Black, the commissioner of pensions, is evidently determined to drop all frauds from the rolls. His investigations have already been rewarded by the discovery that at the Philadelphia agency 102 pensions have been drawn for some time in the names of pensioners who have long since died, some of them having been dead ever since 1871.

THE action of Attorney-General Garland in countermanding his pneuro-pneumonia decision within six hours after it was issued naturally created some surprise, and the public was at a loss to account for this sudden back-action.

to be killed. Such a course is simply making the government to the extent of its funds for this purpose an insurer of live stock. If live stock owners want to insure themselves against loss, let them patronize companies that are organized for that purpose.

HOME TRAVEL.

The fear of cholera will greatly diminish the tide of travel from this country to Europe this season, but that is no reason why Americans, who are fond of traveling, cannot travel and see something that they have never seen before.

The attorney-general of Dakota, who has investigated the matter of the Crow Creek reservation, says that the number of claimants number about two thousand, and probably representing three to a family or six thousand actual settlers in all.

THE appointments of Mayor Boyd have very properly been referred to the appropriate committees. There is no need of any haste, as the public interests cannot suffer by delay.

COL. GUY V. HENRY, major of the Ninth cavalry, who has just been assigned to duty as instructor of rifle practice at Fort Omaha, is a very distinguished soldier.

Crook's campaign against the Sioux in 1876 Colonel Henry was most dangerously wounded at the battle of the Rosebud. He was shot through the face, and was carried from the field a distance of forty miles on a travois, and was then conveyed 240 miles to the railroad, a trip which under the same circumstances would have killed any ordinary man.

Tax voluntary increase of wages on the part of the Lowell carpet manufacturing company created a great deal of agreeable astonishment not only among the 1,700 employees, but among the entire population of the great manufacturing center.

STATE JOTTINGS.

Brown county will have a big fair next fall. Kearney's liquor license is \$1,000, spot cash. Liquor license costs \$500 cash, down in Miamar.

REPORTS are received from Culbertson stating that the killing of four farmers by cowboys, and the killing of a long continued quarrel between cattle men and settlers.

THE SPEAKERSHIP.

Sam Randall and His Enemies, and What is Ahead. New York Sun.

Randall corded the President in Thompson's case, and in other matters, through the aid of an extra session, which the Pennsylvania leader could not prevent, by reason of his control of the appropriation bills.

The fact that Randall declined the Treasury portfolio, together with the strong probability that Manning will retire from the cabinet after the wedding process is over in his department, leads many to predict that the former will finally take the place.

It is entirely probable that Mr. Manning may retire soon and that Whitney may succeed him. This would leave the Navy Department to some neglected statesman who could do the most good there.

INTELLIGENT ANIMALS.

Sagacious Traits Manifested by the Fire Department Horses. "Fire horses ain't taught the tricks they used to be a few years ago," remarked a veteran in the service as he victoriously threw a quid of tobacco at a little black standing in the doorway of the engine house.

"No, we never found it so. On the contrary it is very simple. A groom horse when first purchased is placed in a stall. Then he is led to his position several times and each time led back to his stall and the door closed.

MORE TROUBLE EXPECTED AT PANAMA.

PANAMA, (via Galveston), April 28.—Cambria, messenger of the diplomatic corps of Bogota, arrived at Panama this morning with the National troops, who consist chiefly of volunteers from Cauca under command of Hernandez.

POLICE COURT.

William Parker was brought face to face with Judge Stenberg yesterday morning charged with running an express wagon without a license duly received from the city.

Charles Landis and John Johnson were arraigned on the charge of being vagrants and suspicious characters. The former gentleman was released on a promise to leave town immediately, while his comrade was sent up to the county jail, to fare for the space of ten days on the sumptuous menu there provided by Chief-de-cuisine Miller.

Robert J. Skyles, charged with forgery, was arraigned in court and gave bond in \$500 for his appearance. Gen. Howard being one of his bondsmen.

COURT LORE.

The District Court—The Chase Matter—Uncle Sam Out of Court Funds.

In the district court to-day a sealed verdict was rendered in the case of Estabrook vs. Doble to recover value on some bricks sold, a judgment of damages being allowed plaintiff.

Messrs. Connell & Doane have returned from Lincoln where they finished the arguments before the supreme court in the appeal case of Harmon vs. City of Omaha.

FEDERAL COURT.

United States Marshal Bierbower rec'd Tuesday evening the following self-explanatory telegram, in answer to one which he sent in the morning:

ARMY SUPPLIES.

A New Bidding for the War Department on the Purchase of Uncle Sam's Stores. General Howard issues to this department the following important decision of the secretary of war upon the rules governing the purchase of army supplies:

offered in open market, the purchasing office can legally, and should at once, proceed to make the purchase in open market in the manner usual among business men.

THE COURTS.

Although Each Local Court Was in Session Yesterday No Great Amount of Business Was Done.

Judge Neville was still engaged in another county and therefore only Judge Wakely's court was open. He determined several questions of no public importance and heard motions and arguments upon legal questions during the day.

There were filed the following new cases yesterday in this court: Wakely vs. Schwok, for work, etc., \$110.67; Chicago Lumber Co. vs. Minckler, same cause, \$83.23; G. M. & J. G. Hitchcock vs. City of Omaha. This is an appeal from the award of damages to them on account of the extension of Douglas street. The amount awarded was \$700, which the appellants think too little. Hence this suit.

GRANT'S KINDNESS.

An Incident Illustrative of the Tender-Heartedness of the Great General.

Dr. John W. McLeish, of this city, formerly of the Twenty-sixth Iowa volunteer infantry, Third brigade, First division, Fifteenth army corps, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, relates the following pathetic incident, showing Gen. Grant's kindness of heart, which at this time will be appreciated by all his old soldiers: The army was encamped at Young's Point, La. An order had been promulgated by the general to the effect that no officer should be allowed leave of absence until after the capture of Vicksburg. I had a little girl named Estelle, who was my pet and idol, and she was very much attached to me. I had a wife who was with me, but she was so much attached to me that she was almost constantly with me. I had a little boy named Willie, who was my only child, and he was very much attached to me. I had a little girl named Estelle, who was my pet and idol, and she was very much attached to me.

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DEPT. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE. Realed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M. Friday May 1st, at which time they will be opened in the presence of witnesses for government supplies of the following kinds: