

# News from Over the State

**Escapes From Insane Asylum.**  
David Mulcahey, of South Omaha, a patient in the insane asylum at Lincoln, made his escape from the institution the other night during a dance given for the amusement of the inmates. The guests from Mulcahey's ward at the dance numbered 20 and they were all counted as they left the ward and landed in the dance hall. Another patient who had been given permission to go to Lincoln during the afternoon returned while the frolic was at its height and incidentally dropped into the dance hall. Mulcahey, who is evidently not as insane as he might be, took advantage of the fact that 20 persons were in the dance hall and made his exit quietly and hastily, so much so that he was not missed until next morning when noses were again counted.

**Patent Medicine Fatal.**  
Byron, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ayres, of Kearney, died under peculiarly distressing circumstances. Saturday the child was given a dose of patent medicine which acted upon him as a violent poison. He was given the proper dose, but it seems that the condition he was in caused the medicine to act as it did and the little fellow soon developed all the symptoms induced by a violent vegetable poison.

**Settled Seven-Years' Quarrel.**  
The Guthrie brothers, Robert and David, of Superior, settled their long-standing differences out of court. For the last seven years these brothers have been at war with each other over the possession of the milling property at Superior, which is worth easily \$40,000. Their lawyers finally got them together and a complete and amicable settlement was made.

**Machinery for Starch Plant.**  
Two carloads of new machinery were received at the Argo starch plant at Nebraska City and will be installed as rapidly as possible. This machinery is for the manufacture of printed wooden boxes for the starch. The factory is now grinding 2,500 bushels of corn per day and expects in the near future to double the capacity.

**Application for Water Right.**  
C. C. Wright, of Omaha, as trustee for the Plattsmouth Power Canal company, has applied to the state board of irrigation for the right to use the waters of the Elkhorn and Platte rivers. The application proposes to erect a plant to cost \$1,500,000. Mr. Wright asks for 2,500 cubic feet.

**One Sow Sold for \$510.**  
George Briggs & Son, nine miles from Harvard, held their annual sale of Duroc-Jerseys Saturday, which is said to have made a record better than any other before made for this breed of hogs. Thirty-one head sold for an average price of \$108.50. One sow sold for \$510.

**Bartley's Bondsmen Want Free.**  
Unless plans which have been set on foot miscarry, a demand will be made upon the legislature to provide means for the release from their financial obligation to the state of the bondsmen of ex-State Treasurer Bartley.

**Anti-Swearing League.**  
Benjamin Mickey, a son of Gov. Mickey, has organized an anti-swearing league at the Capitol public school at Lincoln, and it probably will be extended to all the schools of Lincoln.

**Buffalo County Doctors Organize.**  
The physicians of Buffalo county met at the city hall in Kearney and organized the Buffalo County Medical association, according to the plans adopted by the state association.

**Dry Goods Firm Assigns.**  
The Dennis Dry Goods company, one of the largest mercantile establishments of Humboldt, assigned its stock to two trustees to dispose of in the interest of creditors.

**Richard C. Orr for Judge.**  
Richard C. Orr, of Hayes Center, was appointed judge of the Fourteenth judicial district by Gov. Mickey to take the place of Judge Norris, resigned.

**Plainview Hotel Burned.**  
The Merchants' hotel at Plainview burned Saturday. The cause of the fire is unknown. Loss, \$8,000. Fred Steinkrause, the owner, will not rebuild.

**Sunday School Convention.**  
The next meeting of the Nebraska Sunday School association will be held in the M. E. church at University Place June 23-25.

**Y. M. C. A. Convention.**  
The state convention of the Young Men's Christian association convened at Beatrice Thursday for a three days' session.

**Records Were Lost 25 Years.**  
The minutes of the Nebraska constitutional convention of over a quarter of a century ago, which it was supposed had by an oversight been burned at the time of the removal of the capital in 1875, were found intact Friday in a basement vault of the statehouse. For years an unsuccessful search has been made for the missing minutes, in order to settle disputed constitutional questions, and their resurrection is regarded as most timely as a source of information for courts and attorneys.

**Attacks the School Levy.**  
In a case filed at Lincoln, the Union Pacific Railroad company attacks the validity of the law relating to levy for school purposes. The company prays the supreme court to grant an injunction against the treasurer of Merriek county to prevent him from collecting from the company school taxes to the amount of \$366.93, which the company alleges was levied under a section of the statutes which is null and void.

**Governor's Annual Dinner.**  
The governor's annual dinner was given February 24 at the executive mansion. Gov. Mickey sent invitations to the following ex-governors: John M. Thayer, William A. Poynter, Silas A. Holcomb and Ezra P. Savage, Lincoln; Lorenzo Crouse and James E. Boyd, Omaha; Robert W. Furnas, Brownville; Silas Garber, Red Cloud; Albinus Nance, Chicago; Charles H. Deitrich and James W. Dawes, Washington.

**Parole for Charles Sharp.**  
Gov. Mickey paroled Charles L. Sharp, of Papillion, who is serving a term in the penitentiary for car robbery on the Rock Island. It was the daughter of Sharp who wrote a letter to Gov. Savage asking that her father be pardoned, and Savage refused to grant the request. Sharp's parole runs to the county judge of Sarpy county. Many prominent citizens of Papillion requested Sharp's release.

**Splits Hand With Ax.**  
While digging a grave at Howe, William Cooney struck the right hand of Charles Keyer with an ax, the blade passing entirely through the hand and into the handle of the shovel he was using, splitting the palm between the second and third fingers half way to the wrist, and injuring the knuckle of the third finger. The cutting was entirely accidental.

**Couldn't Control Appetite.**  
After driving his wife and step-son from the room with a revolver, Fred R. Ingalls, of Long Pine, turned the weapon on himself and inflicted a probably fatal wound in the head. Ingalls is the official watchmaker for the Elkhorn. An uncontrollable appetite for drink, which has ruined his health, was the cause of the deed.

**Broken-Hearted, But Determined.**  
Fay Smith, a broken-hearted but determined lover from Crete, arrived in Lincoln seeking his sweetheart, Anna Beardin, who after promising to marry Smith eloped with one J. B. Gaby. Smith said he would try to persuade Miss Smith to desert Gaby, and failing in that, would sue her for breach of promise.

**Reduced Preacher's Fine.**  
Rev. S. P. Benbrook, of Wymore, who was tried for shooting at Dr. Johnson with intent to kill, but who was found guilty of assault, was fined \$100 and costs and ordered committed to jail until fine and costs are paid. The total was \$438, but later the judge reduced it to \$121, which was paid.

**To Do Their Own Shipping.**  
Articles of incorporation were filed at Kearney for the Farmers' Grain & Live Stock company. The capital stock is \$100,000 and its purpose is to control the shipment of grain and live stock of the country by the farmers themselves instead of through middlemen.

**To Purchase Bust of Carnegie.**  
The Second regiment band will give a concert at Beatrice the proceeds to be used in assisting the Woman's club to purchase a bust of Carnegie to be placed in the new public library building.

**Lead Deposit Near Barneston.**  
What appears to be a very rich deposit of lead was discovered in a quarry a few miles west of Barneston and considerable excitement prevails in the neighborhood as a result.

**Willing to Vote Bonds.**  
Business men of Filley have offered to vote financial aid to the Kansas City, Beatrice & Western Railroad company for making Filley an objective point on the line.

**For Mayor of Lincoln.**  
The republican primary election at Lincoln resulted in the nomination of George A. Adams for mayor by 700 majority over H. J. Winnett.

**CORTELYOU IN OFFICE.**  
Secretary of Commerce and Labor Took the Oath Wednesday—Loeb as Secretary to the President.

Washington, Feb. 19.—George B. Cortelyou took the oath of office as secretary of the department of commerce and labor shortly, after 11 o'clock Wednesday. At the same time



GEORGE B. CORTELYOU.

William Loeb, Jr., was sworn in as secretary to the president. The oaths were administered by Chief Justice Fuller, of the United States supreme court.

## TO PLEASE THE MOROS.

**Capt. Pershing Signed a Treaty of Peace at Bayan Over a Copy of the Koran.**

Manila, Feb. 19.—While Capt. Pershing was at Bayan, the Moro stronghold in the Lanao district of the island of Mindanao, the Moros consecrated him a datto, which is a priestly office. After the consecration, the Moro leaders and Capt. Pershing subscribed to peace over a copy of the Koran. When the United States flag was raised over the Bayan forts, Capt. Pershing's batteries saluted it with firing shrapnel shells, having no saluting cartridges. The execution done by the shrapnel impressed the Moros wonderfully.

## REFUSED GLASS OF WATER.

**Thomas Butler, a St. Louis Laborer, Wantonly Murdered by Andrew Laumer, a Barkeeper.**

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—Because he refused a glass of water, Thomas Butler, a laborer, is lying dead at the morgue with a bullet wound in the heart. Andrew Laumer, a barkeeper, who offered the water and then shot Butler when he threw it on the floor, is under arrest.

## Chicago to Have \$10,000,000 Museum.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Chicago is to have the finest museum in the world and Marshall Field is to provide the funds to build it, according to plans now under discussion by the South Park commission. The lake front is to be the site and the maximum cost is to be \$10,000,000.

## Differences Peacefully Settled.

Panama, Colombia, Feb. 19.—A cable message from San Salvador says the relations between Salvador and Guatemala, which nearly ended in war, have now completely changed, Presidents Regalado and Cabrera having peacefully arranged their differences.

## China Pays for a Massacre.

New York, Feb. 19.—Claims aggregating \$34,663, growing out of the massacre near Peking of the Atwater family while the boxer rebellion was at its height, have just been settled by the Chinese government through the state department.

## Believed to Be "Bossie" Francis.

Warrensburg, Mo., Feb. 19.—William "Bossie" Francis, the negro who murdered Miss Mary Henderson near Columbus, Mo., on August 27, 1901, is believed to be under arrest at Oceana, W. Va.

## Grand Stand to Seat 30,000.

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—Arrangements for the erection of a huge grand stand on the world's fair ground to seat 30,000 spectators at the pyrotechnic display of dedication week are now under way.

## Indian Maiden Found Dead.

Eufaula, I. T., Feb. 19.—Eliza Thomas, a full-blood Indian girl, 17 years old, was found dead in a field in the southern part of town. Marks were found upon her body indicating that she had been murdered.

## Against Bill Prohibiting Sunday Baseball.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 19.—At its meeting last night the house committee on criminal jurisprudence decided to report unfavorably on a bill to prohibit Sunday baseball.

## Thirty-Two Horses Burned.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 19.—The livery and feed stables of George Morgan burned here yesterday and 32 good horses were cremated.

## A Receiver for E. J. Arnold.

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—The United States district court has appointed a receiver for the estate of E. J. Arnold, of turf investment fame.

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SALEM, IND., Feb. 5, 1903.—"I received the trial package of Doan's Kidney Pills and I must confess they did me wonderful good. It seems strange to say that I had tried several kinds of kidney medicines without doing me any good. I had backache, pain in my bladder and scalding urine, and the sample package sent me stopped it all in a few days, and with the package I am now using from our drug store I expect to be cured permanently. It is wonderful, but sure and certain the medicine does its work. I was in constant misery until I commenced the use of Doan's Kidney Pills."—CHAS. R. COOK, P. O. Box 90, Salem, Washington Co., Ill.

SOUTH BARTONVILLE, ILL., Feb. 8, 1903.—"I received the trial package of Doan's Kidney Pills and have bought several boxes of my druggist. They have done me much good. I was hardly able to do any work until I began taking them; now I can work all day and my back does not get the least bit tired." BRID GRAY.



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"I wish to give my testimony to the efficiency of the Cuticura Remedies in what seems to me two somewhat remarkable cases. I had a number of skin tumours—small ones—on my arms which had never given me serious trouble; but about two years ago one came on my throat. At first it was only about as large as a pinhead, but, as it was in a position where my collar, if not just right, would irritate it, it soon became very sensitive and began to grow rapidly. Last spring it was as large, if not larger, than a bean. A little unusual irritation of my collar started it to swelling, and in a day or two it was as large as half an orange. I was very much alarmed, and was at a loss to determine whether it was a carbuncle or a malignant tumor.

tended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

"About five or six years ago my sister had a similar experience. She had two large lumps come under her right arm, the result of a sprain. They grew rapidly, and our physician wanted to cut them out. I would not listen to it, and she tried the Cuticura Remedies (as I did a few months ago) with magical effect. In six weeks' time the lumps had entirely disappeared, and have never returned.

"I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies, and I believe they might be as efficacious in similar cases with other people, and thus save much suffering, and perhaps life. I have derived so much benefit from the use of them myself that I am constantly advising others to use them. Recently I recommended them to an office boy for his father, who was disabled with salt rheum. The man's feet were swollen to an enormous size, and he had not worked for six weeks. Two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment worked a perfect cure. You never saw a more grateful man in your life.

"I am very much interested in another case where I have recommended Cuticura just now. My housemaid's mother has a goitre which had reached a very dangerous point. The doctors told her that nothing could be done; that she could live only two or three weeks, and that she would die of strangulation. She was confined to her bed, and was unable to speak, when her daughter, at my suggestion, tried the effect of the Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent. Strange to say, she was very shortly relieved of the most distressing symptoms. The swelling seemed to be exteriorized, and she is now able to be around her house, and can talk as well as ever.

"It seems to me that I have pretty good grounds for believing that Cuticura Remedies will prove successful in the most distressing forms of blood and skin humours, and if you wish to use my testimonial as herein indicated, I am willing that you should do so, with the further privilege of revealing my name and address to such persons as may wish to substantiate the above statements by personal letter to me."

Chicago, Nov. 12, 1902.



"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated boil and tumor. The soreness that had ex-

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