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BARTLEY FOUND GUILTY.

Jury in the Bartley Case Brings In a Verdict of Guilty of Embezzlement. The Bartley jury reached a verdict at 10:45 o'clock yesterday morning...

Nearly twenty minutes was consumed in notifying the defendant and his attorneys and getting them into court. After the verdict was read by clerk Frank the jury was polled at the request of defendant's attorneys...

The defendant has three days within which to file a motion for a new trial, and the hearing on this motion will undoubtedly be had before court adjourns for the term. In case the motion is overruled sentence will be passed, and this will unquestionably be followed by an appeal to the supreme court...

It was learned that on the first ballot after the jury retired Monday night the jury stood nine to three, the three being for acquittal. It is stated on good authority that the three men who voted for acquittal were John W. Stiles, Charles Tompsett and Christ Steiger...

After the verdict of the jury had been entered in the record Judge Baker issued an order releasing Bartley's bond for his appearance in court and remanded him to jail to await sentence. This proceeding was something of a surprise to the defendant and his attorneys...

SAVAGELY BITTEN BY A DOG.

Pearl Weldy, One of 'The News' Carrier Boys, Severely Injured. Yesterday evening, Pearl Weldy, the 10-year-old son of Mr. Weldy, the electric light man, started out with a bundle of evening papers...

Both limbs were terribly lacerated and the boy would unquestionably have been killed had not Mr. Young looked back and hurried to the scene in time to beat the blood-thirsty brute off. He loaded the boy into the wagon, took him home, and Dr. Schindler was called who soon had the wounds nicely dressed...

The Police Kept Busy. The police had a joyous time last night. Two specials were sworn in, and as a result of their industry, five disturbers of the peace were gathered in. John Carnes was arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace...

Elf Birdsall and Gid Archer were found guilty and assessed \$10 and costs each, amounting to \$15.30. Their fine was a little larger on account of obstreperous conduct.

Cliff Benfer and Ross Little pleaded guilty and were given \$5 and costs each, amounting to \$10.30, which they will board out.

In the Ingwersen-Harshman case, tried by Chapman while on the bench, an appeal was taken to his allowance of \$75 to A. N. Sullivan and the supreme court again reversed the noted jurist. If any of Chapman's decisions are found to be correct, we will call attention to the fact.

IN MEMORY OF JOSEPH FLANSBURGH

By his comrade, C. W. Green. At rest, at rest in peace with God, One comrade more beneath the sod...

WOMAN ASSAILED BY AN EAGLE.

An Aged Lady Near Council Bluffs Has a Desperate Encounter. Word came from Honey Creek, near Council Bluffs yesterday, says the Omaha Bee, that Mrs. Martenson, nearly 70 years old, had a desperate encounter with an immense eagle...

The eagle has been seen in the vicinity a number of times. Several farmers have gone gunning for the bird, but have never been able to get within rifle range of it. Those who have seen it say it is a golden eagle, the largest of the family of the king of birds...

An Interesting Service. We attended the festival of Corpus Christi at the Catholic Bohemian church, of Plattsmouth, Sunday last. Entering the church we found the inside beautifully decorated with branches of forest trees, in fact it reminded us of being in a forest grove...

Robinson Kent. Fred O. Robinson, one of the best of Plattsmouth's boys was married today at 3:30 p. m. in the parlors of the Hotel Plattsmouth to Miss Mollie Kent, Rev. H. B. Burgess officiating.

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Remaining uncalled for at the post-office at Plattsmouth, June 16, 1897: Ethel Henry, Hepler E., Jones C. D., Lucy L. W., Manley J. P., Switzer John, Smith George S., Snyder Det. Admitted list, June 23, 1897.

Cyclone in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, June 24.—A special to the Star from Salina, Kan., says: News has just reached here of a terrific cyclone which passed fifteen miles northwest of this city about 10:30 o'clock last night. As far as heard from three are dead and a number dangerously injured. The dead are: Mrs. Anna Geesy, aged 34; Nola Geesy, aged 13, and Ida Geesy, aged 9.

Frank Hill, of Curtis, was bitten by a tarantula while handling a bunch of bananas. He experienced no serious results. Alabmas has lost its giant, who was seven feet two inches tall. It is considered that he had a dread of snake bite, and used the antidote too freely in anticipation.

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Choice Cherries. Choice ripe cherries will be delivered to any part of the city in half bushel lots or more if desired by leaving orders at F. S. White's. Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an execution issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction...

INFORMATION AND OPINIONS.

The light rains which eastern Nebraska has been receiving lately serve to greatly encourage the farmers, and it is now thought that fair crops will be harvested. A singular thing is that all parts of the state except the extreme eastern portion received frequent and copious rains...

The wheat situation has undergone but little change, either at home or abroad, so far as the near future is concerned. Stocks continue to decrease and a few crops of new wheat have been received at some of the primary markets.

Speculation is daily drifting into the Southern future, although there is great interest manifest in the course of the July option, which at times has seemed to be subject to manipulation. There is but little, however, to warrant the assumption, and the erratic course of the market is not unnatural when the paucity of supplies, as compared with the volume of trade, and the persistence with which the claims of a "squeeze" are pressed, are considered.

Weather conditions which have been so beneficial to growing wheat have also benefited the growing corn, especially in sections where the abundant rainfall was followed by high temperature, and where drouths and misgivings prevailed, on account of the retarding influence of unfavorable weather, hope and confidence have been restored.

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SPECIAL MARKET LETTER

The following market letter is furnished us by McLAIN BROS. & Co., Commission Merchants, 1141to Building, Chicago. Financial circles during the past week have been undisturbed by anything of a sensational character, and thereby, and in the absence of any disquieting incidents to check the increasing demand for all classes of remunerative securities. There are good reasons for anticipating a renewal of gold shipments in moderate volume, and some fears that railway rate wars now being waged may eventually develop unprofitable antagonism between the great trunk lines.

The persistent claims of promising crop conditions along the lines of the great western and northwestern roads, which are no optimistic than either government or private information, has contributed to the improvement in business in wheat, and has imparted greater confidence in the future of the general security list. The recent drenching which almost the entire grain belt of the country has received allays all fears of crop damage for the present, and unless storms become destructively frequent, crop advances will doubtless become more flattering; for the present, however, the market is not materially checked by the possibility of insect life, and reduced the possibility of damage from that cause to the minimum.

The demand for old wheat for milling purposes is fairly liberal on soft spots, but abates as soon as any advance in price is demanded. Many mills are idle, awaiting the advent of the new crop, and as the consumption of flour goes steadily on the milling demand when it begins will probably absorb a large proportion of the earlier receipts.

Foreign advices reiterate the claims of damage in Bulgaria and Roumania, and state that reserves in these countries and in the interior of Russia are small. European markets do not reflect any great apprehension of inability to secure adequate supplies, either for present or future consumption, and their apathy tends to discredit the reports of serious damage in the Danubian countries.

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Not a Tax.

The London paper, quoted in yesterday's Journal, gave the usual testimony in the case of tin, that has become so monotonous in the mouth of the professional free trade advocate. It called attention to the fact that the American workmen in our tin plate factories get 100 per cent higher pay than the workmen in the British establishments, and holds that the additional pay must be a "heavy tax on the American consumers." However, as tinware has been uniformly cheaper in this country since the success of our tin plate mills under the McKinley act, just where that heavy tax comes in is not apparent to the naked eye.

That is what they said would be the case when the heavy tariff of \$17 a ton was laid on steel rails more than twenty years ago. "That is a tax," said the free traders, "of \$17 on every citizen who buys a ton of steel rails, for ever and ever." But instead of rising, the price fell until from upwards of \$100 a ton it was only \$17, the exact size of the first tariff. And it dropped afterwards down as low as \$15. So the tariff on tin and steel rails wasn't a tax, so far as the American consumer was concerned. The same rule will be found to work in almost every branch of industry that has been protected by a tariff.—State Journal.

Charles Ross' Father Dead. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 21.—Christopher K. Ross, the father of Charlie Ross, whose abduction on July 1, 1874, from his parents' home, became a matter of world-wide interest, and still remains an unsolved mystery, died shortly after midnight this morning, in his seventy-fourth year, at his residence in Germantown, after an illness of three weeks. Mr. Ross' death, while in a measure sudden, was not unexpected. He was not known to have heart disease in any form until three weeks ago yesterday, when he suffered the first attack of the fatal malady.

The position of master warden was the only public office ever held by Mr. Ross. He was a republican in politics, but took no active interest in party affairs. He is survived by a widow, two sons and three daughters. It will be twenty-three years on July 1 since the commission of the crime which broke down the health and spirits of Christian K. Ross, and made his name a household word of the country over. The abduction of Charlie Ross occurred on July 1, 1874. While a vast majority of people have long since believed that he is dead, there are many who still think he lives. The preponderance of evidence goes to show that the curly-haired boy whose abduction furnished the most sensational incident in the annals of American crime met his death under the waves of North River while his abductors were eluding pursuit. And all for the greed of a ransom that would have been paid tenfold if the eager rush of the detectives for the reward had not compassed the boy's death, which was the only alternative to the escape of the abductors.

Charlie Ross and his brother were taken from their home in Germantown by two men in a wagon. Walter was abandoned by the men after they had driven eight miles. Three days later a letter was received saying that the child would not be returned without a large ransom. Although a large reward was offered by the mayor for the restoration of the child and the arrest of the thieves, it was not until August 2 that a clue was obtained, implicating William Mosher and Joseph Douglass. On the night of December 14 the house of Judge Van Brunt at Bayridge, N. J., was entered by Mosher and Douglass as burglars. The former was instantly killed, and Douglass, who lived only two hours, confessed that he and Mosher stole Charlie Ross. The boy was never found, and the theory of the police was that he was murdered.

St. John's School. The following program will be rendered at commencement exercises this evening: Greeting.....Chorus Instrumental Trio—Quickstep.....Harmonious "Frisles".....Josephine M. Murphy Beautiful Songs.....March and Song "All Change Tends to Perfection".....Catherine P. Houk Chorus—Merry Little Frogs.....Westendorf Concert Recital (musical solo)....."Bay Billy" Fairy School.....Lady Mab and Her Flin Band "Waiting".....Nellie J. Gottmann Piano Duet.....Airs from "Il Trovatore" A Fante....."The Glass Man" Overture.....Barber Seville.....Kossint "Stepping Stones".....Catherine E. McCollan Song and Chorus....."The Violet" "Out of School Life, Into Life's School" Valedictory.....Anna M. Knofelch Confering of Diplomas.....Hon. Matt Gering Address.....thirty-five cents. Children—ten cents.

To Whom It May Concern. It has been circulated that when ex-Treasurer Eikhoff went out of office that the county commissioners allowed him \$400 more than was due him. Such a report is false and if the person circulating the same will step into the treasurer's office, he can convince himself of the facts. J. P. FALTER, J. C. HAYES, GEORGE YOUNG, County Commissioners.

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