BOARD ACCEPTS BOND

Preliminaries Concerning New Building Arranged.

L. G. Larson's Bond From the Guaranty Company Accepted and the Contract for Erecting the New School Building Is Signed - Other Interesting School Notes.

The school board met in adjourned session last evening, all members being present.

L. G. Larson presented the bond desired by the board from the guaranty company and the same was accepted. The contract which had been drawn up in harmony with the specifications and the guaranty bond was then signed by Mr. Larson and the board. F. A. Henniger, the architect, is to superintend the construction and to pass upon the quality of all material and the character of all work done, and will visit Plattsmouth once a week until the building is completed. Mr. Larson was given until May 15, 1900, to complete the work, but expects with favorable weather to complete it by April 1. The contract for Krug Brewing association, is having the heating was let to Balfe & Read of the ice house and storage room near Omaha, for \$750-this to include the Burlington depot repaired and covering of all pipes, making the cost placed in first-class condition. without furniture \$4,384, plus \$750, or \$5,134. The building will be furnished with the furniture in the high school at present.

Notes of the Schools.

The pupils in the upper grades are having some writing contests, each room selecting a judge and these two a third, and some very satisfactory showings are made. The last contest Isabelle Richey and the selection was between Miss Richardson's room, Eighth grade, and Miss Heisel's room, Seventh and Eighth grades, resulted in a tie. Messrs. Cox, Fricke and Waybright acted as judges. These Cough Cure is the best remedy for rooms are about to contest again.

to which the parents are cordially in- & Co. vited.

the last week of this month.

There is a considerable sense of re- 14 and 15 and buy of the Presbyterian lief to the eyes experienced by the ladies. pupils since the white walls and ceitings of the school rooms have given way to gray and blue tints, and the general appearance of the rooms has also been improved thereby.

first two school months has continued a nice decorated house, stylish and during the first half of the third, and up-to-date and save much money on as a consequence the amount of work it. Get your rooms painted and decoaccomplished thus far has been very rated in a modern style and you are encouraging. When pupils are absent through with your house for many ant. they require special attention from years. Don't paper every two years the teacher upon their return and and ruin your plaster with it. Call on the others, and when a number are the economy of frescoed rooms. He absent every day the work of the whole has the experience of many years and school is retarded. But when practically the entire school is present at least one-third more is accomplished than when a number are habitually

the schools. The deportment of the pupils has been most commendable trifling character. The work of the pupils is indicated by the fact that previous years.

the manner in which they have re- cated here. quired their childred to attend regularly and punctually, the support which they have given the teachers when notified of unsatisfactory work of the pupils; second, the excellent weather which has attended the school year thus far, and, third, the interest of pupils and teachers themselves. Thus far nothing has seemed to be lacking to make the results of many visitors were in attendance approval of the United States, by this school year most encouraging.

"Aberdeen" Tonight.

At White's opera house tonight "Aberdeen," with its wealth of roconstruction, will receive its first pubcomposed of some of the leading young ladies and gentlemen of Plattsmouth.

pretentious effort made by Plattsmouth folks in years, and the result of the Christian Science religion to will prove highly gratifying to the give the subject a thorough and reasonaudience that will witness the performance this evening.

Before the Insane Commission,

Frank Ptak, with being insane. Mrs. Ptak was examined by the board two was not granted.

body invited.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist.

Go to A. W. Atwood for wall paper. See Cooley for your pumpkins for

Call for the "Exquisito." Every retailer carries them

Oysters served in any style at Shinn's cafe. Perkins house block. Have Telfer & Sheppard do your fall house cleaning. Satisfaction

guaranteed. Nebraska telephone 79. -union made-you can find n

"Exquisito" is still the most popular today. A motion for continuance was 5-cent cigar on the market. H. Spies, submitted and the same was overruled. manufacturer.

A. H. Weckbach has been on the sick list for a couple of days. He is able to attend to business, but is not at 1:30. feeling as young as he used to.

Lost-A small cloth purse containing \$18 in money-\$15 in gold and \$3 in silver. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving same at this office. Clint Thompson.

F. G. Egenberger, agent for the

The Plattsmouth Turnverein will give a ball at their hall Saturday evening, Nov. 18. The Turners always see that their guests are well entertained, and this will be no exception to sell in the Burlington yards last De-

Miss Ethel Dovey at the concert Tuesday evening were written by Mrs. given as a compliment to Mrs. Richey. It was very pretty.

J. D. Bridges, Editor "Democrat," Lancaster, N. H., says, "One Minute croup I ever used." Immediately re- motion to strike from docket. Nearly every room in the city is lieves and cures coughs, colds, croup,

The Ladies Aid society of the Pres-The general teacher's meeting will byterian church are making exten- missed as per stipulation on file. Judgbe held on Wednesday afternoon, No- sive preparations for their Christmas ment accordingly and against plaintiff freight for Union this morning to tracted a promise from Joe that he vember 29, at 3 o'clock at the high market. Thursday and Friday even- for costs. school building. A very close inspec- ings, December 14 and 15, they expect tion of the work in the schools is be- to offer for sale all sorts of articles tion for judgment on verdict sustained, of Weeping Water is in the city in at- ered and the prisoner set free. ing made this month preparatory to useful and ornamental, suitable for to which defendant excepts. Forty tendance at district court. the general examination to be held in Christmas gifts. Good things to eat days from rising of court allowed to reall the grades below the High school will also be on sale. Postpone your duce exceptions to writing and super-Christmas shopping until December sedeas, as by law required.

Do you want to fix your rooms up this season? Of course you do, and it is probably high time for it. You intend to buy wall paper? And buy another paper in two or three years? The remarkable attendance of the Now, let me talk to you about having a great many references in town.

Plattsmouth telephone 253. Prof. Blair In Charge.

The management of the Kharas Superintendent McHugh states that | Magnetic Infirmary has been placed the work of the teachers this year in charge of Prof. Charles E Blair, both in methods of teaching and and the former manager, Miss Brown, school room management excels that will occupy a position as matron. It of any year since his connection with was the intention of Prof Kharas to locate Prof. Blair as manager of the Kharas Magnetic Infirmary at Council and cases requiring discipline have Bluffs, but as his services were needed been, generally speaking, of the most at the office here the Council Bluffs office will be placed in other hands. Prof. Kharas places the office here

there has been not more than one-fifth under the management of Prof. Blair as many demoted or dropped from cer- and Miss Brown with perfect confitain work as during the same time in dence in their ability to keep his work up to the high standard of excellence The causes combining to bring and repute with which it is known all about this desirable condition have over two states. Plattsmouth is very been-first, the interest of the parents, fortunate in having an infirmary lo-

A. W. Atwood sells glass,

Judge Clarkson's Lecture.

The Christian Science lecture de livered at Waterman's hall last evenng by Judge J. R. Clarkson of Omaba was listened to by about 500 people. A special train of 240 people came down from Omaha about 8:30, and from Weeping Water and other which Samoa, with the exception of points in the county.

The speaker was introduced by Attorney J. H. Haldeman in a neat little mance, its clever character drawings speech. Judge Clarkson then proand excellent technique of dramatic ceeded to give his hearers an outline of what Christian Science is, the wonlic production at the hands of a cast derful healing accomplished by the Filday and were the guests of Mrs. application of its principles and the Woodford for a day or two. good work it will continue to do It will without a doubt be the most toward alleviating the sufferings of mankind. He asked all the scoffers able considerable before denounc-

Physic Street.

Mrs. Mary Ptak was taken before | Canton possesses the queerest street the board of insanity this afternoon, in the world in spite of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Pool have hosts of warm trusts. having been charged by her husband, in nearly all the big towns in this friends here who will gladly welcome country there are some remarkable them as residents of our city. streets. The chief thing attaching to this eccentric thoroughfare is the fact has received an appointment to a their country seats in the neighboryears ago and it was found that she that it is roofed in with glazed paper that it is roofed in with glazed paper lucrative position in the war depart- hood of the capital they keep large lucrative position in the war depart-Last March Mr. Ptak instituted di- signboards to the square foot than any ment at Washington. The honor flocks of pigeons. Whenever these vorce proceedings against her, but this other street in any other country. The came, we understand, through Secrenext interesting fact about this Canton tary Meiklejohn, who at all times byway is that, though a business street, stands up for Nebraska. The Turners will give an entertain- it contains no other shops but those of ment at their hall next Sunday even- apothecaries and dentists' parlors; no ing, November 19. Prof. Leischke's professional men but doctors. It is a "My wife had piles forty years. Declass of zither players will render the sick man's paradise and a Chinese phy. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her. the flying bird. program, assisted by Louis Otnatt. No sician's Klondyke. They call it Physic It is the best salve in America." It admission fee will be charged. Every- street, which is descriptive if not pic- heals everything and cures all skin turesque

DISTRICT COURT DOINGS

A Number of Prisoners Are Up Before the Judge.

John W. Barris' Trial Will Begin Next Tuesday-Buri Handy Arraigned, But Date of Trial Not Set-Case Against Herman Fields Dismissed-Other Court

From Thursday's Daily

When you want to smoke a 10-cent | John W. Harris, who shot and cigar try Otto Wurl's"Silver Wreath" killed George Jones during the solter diers' reunion at Elmwood last July, and who has since been in the county The campaign is now over, but the jail, was arraigned in district court serious nature. He entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree and the trial was set for November 21,

Burl Handy, the colored man who broke into the Rock Island boarding car at South Bend, was given a hearing in district court this afternoon. He entered a plea of not guilty and was taken back to jail to await trial.

Charles Sharp and David Campbell, spent the day in Omaha. who were held to the district court on the charge of obtaining money from ter were in Omaha today. George Bornman under false pretenses, appeared in court today and were given a continuance to the uext term of court, each giving a \$500 bond.

The case of the State vs. Herman Fields and Charles Powell, who were charged with assaulting Andrew Ruscember, was dismissed, County At-The words to the lullaby sang by torney Root being of the opinion that the state would fail in establishing a felonious assault. Powell was never visit. arrested, but Fields was arrested and gave bond for his appearance in court. The latter paid \$12 to apply on the

Court Notes.

James Pine vs. Mayer & Morgan; today. Seth Thomas Clock company vs

preparing to have Thanksgiving ex- asthma, pneumonia, bronchitis, grip Board of County Commissioners of ercises Wednesday afternoon, Novem- and all throat and lung troubles. It Cass county, et al.; motion for new ber 29, the day before Thanksgiving, prevents consumption. F. G. Fricke trial submitted and overruled, to which plaintiff excepts.

Emelia Helm vs. Jacob Lemon; dis-

Byron R. Sawyer vs. Village of Louisville; defendant has twenty days

D. O. Dwyer vs. Cass county; jury waived by consent and agreement of

parties in open court.

Ernest A. Wiggenhorn vs. William Neville, et al.; defendant Neville has thirty days to answer.

John Albert Bauer vs. Charlotte I. Smith; court finds issue in favor of thus interfere with the progress of Louis Ottnat for full explanation of plaintiff and that he is entitled to recover the sum of \$400 and an order and

> the trees and hedge causing said dam-Walt M. Seeley vs. J. L. Goldsbery, Gering and W. W. Coates, taken.

> Anna Goos, executrix, vs. Hans Goos, et al.; in hands of court. State of Nebraska vs. Burl Handy sory order for the attendance of witnesses, not exceeding fifteen.

INFORMATION AND OPINION.

Senator Davis of Minnesota, in an article on arbitration and international it seems, had been attacked by problems, says the United States have swarm of caterpillars and other creaacquired the Philippines, will hold tures of the same species, and the them, and that an enormous increase foliage had already been destroyed; in trade will be the outcome.

The attention of the state department has been called to the case o Canada by Canadian officers, to answer | well as the trunk and the branches, a charge of stage robbery.

It was officially announced at Berlin that Germany and Great Britain had reached an agreement, subject to the scribed whiteness of its leaves, which Tutuila, becomes German territory.

WEEPING WATER NOTES.

From the Weeping Water Republican. Mrs. H. D. Travis and daughter, Helen, drove over from Plattsmouth

Judge Douglass has been offered \$10 a month rent for his residence, but he wants to see whether or not he can find a desirable house in Plattsmouth before he rents, and he will not move the family unless he finds one.

W. H. Pool and wife are talking who does not give his promise that no about retiring from their fine farm gum handled by him shall be manufacnear Wabash and moving to town. tured and put on the market by the

Our friend A. C. Wright of Elmwood

diseases. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Attorney O. B. Polk Knocked Down On the Streets of Greenwood. From Thursday's Daily.

Attorney O. B. Polk of Lincoln was in Greenwood on legal business today. and when standing on the street Bion | * Barr stepped up from behind, knocked | ? him down and kicked him viciously. It is said that the trouble grew out

of the fact that Mr. Polk, as attorney for the Westing-House Co., had re-

The injuries sustained are not of a

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Ella Clark spent the day in

Dr. E. D. Cummins made a business rip to Omaha today.

Omaha visitors today. Mrs. J. M. Leek and daughter, Lulu,

C. L. Graves of the Union Ledger

wis a visitor in the city today. G. N. LaRue of Union was among some cattle. Shepard, being the most the county seat visitors today.

M. L. Ruby of near Mynard made THE NEWS a business call today. Miss Alice Eikenbary spent the bed, still forgetting the man down in afternoon with friends in Omana.

Sperry Ruffner went to Council Bluffs this afternoon for a few days'

Dan Kirchner of the Alliance shops, formerly of this city, is here visiting

was in the city today and made this man who had been down in a well 22 H B. Groves took the early M. P.

transact business. A. R. Smith vs. R B. Wallace; mo. | County Judge-elect J. E Douglass | the surface. Then the rope was low-

P. F Zimmer of the United Mutual Hall lasurance association of Lincoln that the following recipe will cure a

company's business. John P. Kuhney, the tonsorial artist, went to Omaha to engage a barer. John is on the jury for the present term of court to get some one to work in his place.

Luther Schildknecht and wife of Maryville, Mo., are in the city the State of Nebraska vs. Gilbert Edger- guest of the former's uncle, Dr. Schildton; on motion of county attorney the knecht and wife. The young couple case was dismissed at cost of defend- are on their wedding tour, having been married on the 15th inst.

Smoke the "Exquisito."

CURIOUS ALBINO TREE.

decree directing defendant to remove One Discovered Growing In a Garden in London.

Much interest has been caused lately by the appearance of a horse chestnut et al.; answer of garnishees, Henry R. tree in the Thiergarten. The numerous branches around the lower part of the trunk have a pure white foliage, dark places, where no chlorophyll can on motion made, Matthew Gering is The same whiteness of the leaves is appointed counsel for defendant and also noticeable in a few of the neighordered that defendant have compul- boring branches through the crown to the top. People are often puzzled as to the cause of the peculiarity, and many strange explanations are sometimes given. The singular appearance for some years. This particular tree, but still masses of caterpillars continued to crawl up and down the trunk. and finally clung there in lumps. To preserve the beautiful tree, after other Mark Everett, an American miner, tion of acid was used, and the ground who, it is alleged, was kidnaped into all around was watered with it, as which were specially drenched. This which were specially drenched. This treatment proved successful. The tree gradually recovered, and now stands SATURDAY, NOV. 17 and 18 in its full strength and freshness, but has ever since shown the already depresents a by no means unpleasant contrast to the otherwise dark green foliage.-London Standard.

Sprace Gum Crop of Maine. The spruce gum crop of Maine for this year has been harvested and sent to market. It has proved to be the argest crop in the history of the state -turrty tons, worth about \$63,000. This s all collected by the lumbermen, and contains considerable bark and chips, but is sorted over by the thrifty Yankee, who sells it to the trust. An interesting and peculiar thing in connection with the gum crop of this year ts the fact that the harvesters have THE DRAMATIC SENSATION OF 1899 combined to crush the trust. They will sell none of their product to any dealer

Music in the Air. A curious custom is in vogue among the wealthy mandarins of Pekin, Upon flocks are allowed to fly those near can hear wonderful, sweet music, similar to harmonies of Aeolian harps. These sounds are brought about by means of George Noland, Rockland, O., says, strings which the Chinese fasten to in such a way as not to interfere with

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HE FORCED A COMPROMISE.

With His Antagonist in a Well, the Storekeeper Had the Advantage. From the Kansas City Journal: Charley Sheldon tells a funny story on H. D. Shepard, who is well known as president of the Burlingame bank. In Fred Krug, jr., of Omaha was in the the early days of Osage county Shepard kept a little store and tried to farm, and on one occasion he dug a well on his farm with the assistance of Joe Richards, a neighbor. One day Mrs. Henry Mauzy was among the Richards was working down in the well and Shepard was handling the windlass at the top, when a rancher came along and wanted something out of the store. Shepard shouted down Fred Lehnboff, wife and little daugh- the well to Richards that he would be gone only a minute and then went with the rancher to the store. While at the store another rancher came along and wanted to trade Shepard absent-minded man that ever lived, forgot all about poor, Richards and went with the rancher into the country. Returning at night, he went to the well. But about 4 o'clock in the

subconsciousness having brought him to a realization of the situation. Hastily dressing, he went out to the well Frank Boyd, wife and little son were and in frightened tones shouted down, visitors in the metropolis this after- "Joe, are you still alive?" Joe was still alive, but he had yelled so long D. W. Foster and L. G. Tood, two and he was able to reply only in a for help that he could scarcely speak pioneers from Union, were in the city hoarse and profane whisper. "When I get out of here," he said, "it won't be me that they'll get the funeral ready for." However, Joe was a man of his word and Shepard knew that he would keep a promise, so he sat down by the Cyrus Creamer of near Cedar Creek | wellside and opened negotiations. A hours without anything to eat or drink is not in condition to conduct a very extended debate and Shepard soon exwouldn't show fight when he got to

morning he awoke with a start, his

Simple Remedy for a Sty. New York Tribune: It is claimed was in the city today looking after the sty: Make a curd by mixing a small pinch of powdered alum with the white of an egg. Place between two pieces of soft lawn and bind over the eve before going to bed. The application may have to be repeated, but the treatment is sure to be successful.

> Pope's Automobile. The pope has received from an English Catholic a present of a beautifully constructed motor car. This automobile is seated for two. As his holiness has not for three years taken a carriage exercise, it is improbable that he will ever use the motor car.

Electric Street Sweepers. Electric automobile street-sweeping nachines are being prepared to clean the streets of Paris. The old clumsy dirt machines now in use are to be done away with.

Electricity in Glassmaking. E'ectricity has been applied to the manufacture of glass. A pot of "batch" can be thus melted in fifteen minutes that formerly required eighty hours.

A Main Point. From the Cleveland Plaindealer: What the United States bought of Russia and has held ever since must be retained, and if the case goes to arbitration it should only be after the United States has declared its boundary line in Alaska, and put Canada in the position of having to prove a right to strictly defined United States territory instead of claiming ownership of territory that has remained unsurveyed and unmarked by the United States.

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