Two Interesting Stories.

Two large congregations were present yesterday at the First Presbyterian church, despite the heat which prevailed. They enjoyed two very excellent sermons, the one in the evening delivered by Rev. Dr. Stookey of Bellevue college who paid his first visit to this city on this occasion. Dr. Stookey delivered what was considered by the congregation one of the very ablest addresses heard for some time in the city. He is a finished speaker and his address was very pleasing to all who listened to it. It is hoped to secure him for another address in the near future and in that event, he can return assured of a very warm and appreciative audience.

Bellevue college which Dr. Stookey presides over, is a very well and favorably known institution in this locality and has been the source of a great part of the college training for the youth of this city and vicinity. It has made a splendid record and ranks very high among the educational institutions of the state. Much of the good work which has been done in it has been the direct result of Dr. Stookey's personal efforts and he has made a great many friends throughout this portion of the country by his untiring endeavors. His visit yesterday was in the nature of a surprise to the congregation and the pastor and this made it so much the more welcome.

Take Notice.

Postmaster H. A. Schneider desires to call the particular attention to patrons of the postoffice to the fact that hereafter all box rent must be paid before the first day of the quarter on which it is due or the boxes positively must be declared vacant and rented to the first comer. This is not a move on the part of the postmaster himself but is an edict of the law and it has to be obeyed. The new law does not permit of the postmaster carrying people for box rent unless it is paid cash in hand and that, too, before the first day of the quarter. Therefore those who receive notice that their box rent is due for the quarter commencing July first, will do well to attend to it and pay up before that date, otherwise they may find the box rented to some one else. There is no reason why the rent cannot be paid as easily at this time as any other and it is merely in compliance of the law on the matter that this step is taken now. Large placards have been printed calling attention of the public to the change and these will be posted at the office.

SHOP NOTES.

James Jancek, a workman at the Burlington freight car repair department this morning sustained a scalp wound while at his work. He was working under a truck when his partner knocked a bolt out of the truck. The bolt flew out and struck Jancek on the head, cutting a gash about three inches in length. It took several stitches to close the wound but he returned to his work.

Frank Rauen who has been off his work for several days, suffering from mashed fingers, returned to his work this morning, being assigned another job where he would not have to use the hand for a while at least.

Albert Reinhackel is one of those who was unable to stand the heat at the shops today and who took a sick layoff.

Carl Hanecek is among those laying off this afternoon, a sufferer from the severe heat.

Fine Dance.

A very fine dance was given last Saturday night at the Catholic Sokol hall, there being a nice crowd present and a very enjoyable time had despite the hot weather. The attendance was not so large as hoper for on account of attractions in various parts of the city but in spite of this t was satisfactory and all who attended had a very fine time and enjoyed themselves hugely. The location of the hall is such that what breeze there was reached it and made it very pleasant for those who were enjoying the light fantastic. The music was excellent, being furnished by the Catholic Sokol orchestra composed of the very best musicians in the city. It was a late hour when the "Sweet Home" waltz was played and the dancers tripped home in the moonlight.

Finds For Plaintiff.

The forcible entry and detainer case of Devore vs. Hough from Greenwood which was on trial Friday before Justice Archer was decided by that official in favor of the plaintiff after he had listened to all the evidence in the case. He could not find where the defendants had paid any consideration for the rental of the property in question so as to hold it for another year and did not consider such a contract as existing. Messrs. Ramsey & Ramsey appeared for the plaintiff while D. K. Barr represented the defendants.

C. C. Wescott is a business visitor today in Omaha, going to that city this morning on the Burlington train.

To Enlarge Weekly.

Commencing next Monday, June 27, the Plattsmouth Journal will enlarge its semi-weekly edition to 16 pages weekly, increasing the size of the Monday issue by four pages and making the paper eight pages on Monday and eight pages on Thursday. This is done on account of the pressure on news columns and to afford more room for country correspondence. The aim of the Journal is to furnish the people of Cass county with the best newspaper ever printed in the county and to give them the full worth of their money. The Journal has been very fortunate in the past in its patronage and it has tried to earn a continuance of the favor granted it. By giving the people the largest and best paper in the county it believes it will merit it. To the readers of the Semi-Weekly Journal is also desires to announce that it will commence the publication of that wonderful story of the air "Virginia of the Air Planes," by Herbert Quick. This story is guaranteed to hold the interest of the reader from start to finish. It will commence on next Monday, June 27th, issue and all subscribers are advised to keep their eye on it. With these two improvements the Plattsmouth Semi-Weekly Journal will challenge competition as a newspaper and it believes it can command the patronage which has been its lot in the past.

Colorado Land Going Some.

Col. John Franklin Swezey, agent for the Union Pacific Land company, came down this morning from Omaha to hold an interview with prospective land purchasers from this vicinity. He paid the Journal one of his usually pleasant calls and as usual descanted at length upon the many beauties of Colorado land that he is disposing of in large hunks. The colonel is a fluent and entertaining talker and when he cuts loose upon the many attributes which adhere to land in Colorado there is a boundless sublimity to his words which indicates that the mountain air and ozone has afected his parts of speech. He hopes to take a colony of good people from this part of the world out into Colorado within a few days and sell them the entire eastern end of the world if they want it. Seriously, the colonel reports business fine and encouraging and that Colorado land is a part of the great uplifht movment which has revolutionized the realty world.

Calvin Taylor of Union spent the morning in the city, being called here on business. Mr. Taylor is one of the graduates this year from the state university at Lincoln and a very bright and able young man. He passed the examination with high honors and bids fair to show water the immense benefits which an university education endows one with.

PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Nebraska,)
)ss.
Cass County,)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANN M. DAVIS, DECEASED

To all persons interested:—

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court praying that letters of administration be issued upon the estate of Ann M. Davis, deceased; that a hearing will be had upon said petition on the 28th day of June, A. D., 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., in my office in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on or before which hour all objections thereto must be filed.

Witness my hand and official seal this 3rd day of June, A. D., 1910.

(Seal) Allen J. Beeson,
County Judge.

Ramsey & Ramsey,
Attorneys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Nebraska,)
)ss.
Cass County,)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM P. BAILEY, Sr., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county on the 25th day of June, A. D., 1910, and on the 27th day of December, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims, and one year and six months for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 25th day of June, A. D., 1910.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 23rd day of May, 1910.

ALLEN J. BEESON,
(Seal.) County Judge.

Ramsey & Ramsey,
Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES AND NON-RESIDENTS DEFENDANTS.

To the unknown heirs and devisees of Lewis Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Margaret Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Seth Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of John Q. Johnson, deceased; and to Solomon Borbee, Mrs. W. B. Leach, first name unknown, wife of W. B. Leach; Mrs. William Johnson, first name unknown, wife of William Johnson; Frederick L. Eaton; William T. Eaton; Simon F. Eaton; G. R. Henry; Greensberry R Henry; A Lazenby; Ambrose Lazenby, and Mrs. Ambrose Lazenby, first name unknown, wife of Ambrose Lazenby, non-resident defendants:

You will take notice that on the 12th day of April, 1910, George M. Porter, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, in which you with others were named as defendants.

The object and prayer of said petition is to quite title in said plaintiff in and to lots ten (10) and eleven (11) in block thirty-eight (38) of the city of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, and to exclude the defendants from any interest therein.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of July, 1910.

George M. Porter,
By Burkett, Wilson & Brown, and E. P. Snavely,
His Attorneys.

ORDINANCE NO. 478.

AN ORDINANCE CREATING AND DEFINING PAVING DISTRICT No. 4, OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA, AND AUTHORIZING THE MACADAMIZING OF PEARL STREET THEREIN.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.

Sec. 1. That Paving District No. 4, of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, be and the same is hereby formed and created, and shall include the south half (s½) of block thirty-six (36), and the north half (n½) of block forty-three (43), and extending on Pearl street, from the west side of Sixth street to the west side of Seventh street, of said city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

Sec. 2. That that portion of Pearl street, with said Paving District No. 4, is hereby authorized to be macadamized with crushed rock laid tuirty (30) feet wide in the center of said street, and ten (10) inches thick, with surface of said street to be on the grade prescribed at the time of lowering Main street in said city.

Sec. 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

Passed and approved this 17th day of June, A. D., 1910.

John P. Sattler,
Mayor.

Attest:—
W. B. Elster,
City Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 479

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PAVING, CURBING AND GUTTERING OF FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS BETWEEN MAIN AND FIFTH AND AUTHORIZING THE PAVING, CURBING AND GUTTERING OF VINE STREET FROM THE EAST LINE OF FOURTH STREET TO THE WEST LINE OF SEVENTH STREET, INCLUDING PAVING OF INTERSECTIONS OF FOURTH AND VINE STREETS, OF FIFTH AND VINE STREETS, OF SEVENTH AND VINE STRETS, AND THE STREET AND ALLEY INTERSECTIONS OF THE EAST AND WEST ALLEY'S THROUGH BLOCK TWENTY-EIGHT (28) AND TWENTY-NINE (29), ALL IN PAVING DISTRICT NO. 3, OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA.

WHEREAS, Three-fourths of all the owners of abutting lots on Fourth and Fifth streets, between Main and Vine streets, and three-fourths of all the owners of abutting lots on Vine streets, between Fourth and Seventh streets, all of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska have petitioned the mayor and city council of said city to pave, curb and gutter said streets, including the intersections of Fourth and Vine streets, of Fifth and Vine streets, of Seventh and Vine streets, and the street and alley intersections of the east and west alleys, through blocks twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29), all in Paving District No. 3, in said city, and have in said petition selected the kind of material for such paving purposes, to-wit: "Suitable Paving Brick, with Concrete Foundation," and

WHEREAS, At a special election, held on May 3rd, A. D., 1910, in the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, a majority of the votes cast at said election authorized the mayor and council of said city to issue paving bonds of said city in the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars ($3500.00), for the purpose of paying the cost of paving the streets, the street intersections and street and alley intersections of the east and west alleys through blocks twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29), in said Paving District No 3, and

WHEREAS, Under direction of the mayor and council of said city, estimates of the cost of paving, curbing and guttering the streets, the street intersections and street and alley intersections, in Paving District No. 3, in said city, have been made, filed with, and accepted by the mayor and council of said city, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLATTSMOUTH, STATE OF NEBRASKA.

Sec. 1. That the following named streets, including street intersections and street and alley intersections, all in Paving District No. 3, of the city of Plattsmouth, state of Nebraska, be and the same are hereby authorized to be paved, curbed and guttered, to-wit: Fourth and Fifth streets, from the north line of Main street to the south line of Vine street and Vine street to the east line of Fourth street to the west line of Seventh street including intersections of Fourth and Vine street of Fifth and Vine street, of Seventh and Vine streets, and of the street and alley intersections of the east and west alleys, through blocks twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29), in said Paving District No. 3, in said city.

Sec. 2. That suitable paving brick, with concrete foundation, shall be used in paving said streets, the street intersections and the street and alley intersections, and all curbing shall be of concrete

Sec. 3. That all paving, curbing and guttering shall conform in all respects to the plan, specifications and requirements of the mayor and council of said city.

Sec. 4. That a contract be and the same is hereby authorized to be made and entered into for furnishing all material and labor necessary and for the construction and completion of all of said paving, curbing and guttering.

Sec. 5. That before entering into any contract, provided for in this ordinance, the mayor shall invite bids therefor, by published notice in some newspaper, for not less than four weeks, which bids shall be opened, examined and acted upon by the mayor and council at any regular or special meeting, the mayor and council reserving the right to reject any or all bids; provided, however, that no contract shall be entered into, unless the contractor shall execute and deliver to said city a bond with sureties to be approved by the mayor and council, in the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of such contract, by such contractor, or in lieu thereof shall deliver to the mayor and city council a certified check equal in amount of $15000.00, to be held by the mayor and council for said city, subject to the faithful performance of said contract; and provided further, that each bid so made shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $500.00.

Sec. 6. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed

Sec 7. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

Passed and approved this 17th day of June, A. D., 1910.

John P Sattler,
Mayor.

Attest:—
W. B. Elster,
City Clerk

Theshing Machine For Sale

Owing to the fact that my work is in such shape that I will be unable to run my thresher this season, I have decided to offer the same for sale, and at a price that is right. This outfit consists of a 13 h. p. Gaar-Scott engine, one J. I. Case 32-52 separator, self feeder and wind stacker, also water tanks. This outfit will be sold at a bargain if taken soon.

Frank Vallery

S. M. Boyles, a very prominent citizen of Alvo, was a visitor today in the city, having matters to look after at the court house. Mr. Boyles is one of the most influential citizens of his neighborhood, being interested in the banking business in that place. He is quite well known here and has a great many good friends who were glad to meet him during his stay in the city.

SHOWS NEED OF NEW COUNTY JAIL

Structure Could Not Hold Any Desperate Criminals.

Public opinion as canvassed since the breaking of jail by Blunt and Morris is more pronounced than ever in favor of a new structure and that at once. Everyone feels that a step of the utmost importance confronts the county now and that the time is ripe to build a jail which wil hold something at least and out of which 15 years old boys can't make their way. That a good, substantial structure should be erected upon the county's vacant plat of ground north of the court house is the unanimous opinion of everyone who has learned of the escape and the quicker it is done the better for the public welfare.

The capture of Blunt at Nebraska City, spoken of yesterday was made by Sheriff Quinton and Constable Barton of Union who had been with him in the hunt. Blunt was taken from one end of a flat car loaded with water pipe. There was a considerable space upon each end of the car and in the middle between the pipes. Constable Barton was at one end of the car and Sheriff Quinton at the other. The sheriff discovered Blunt with a companion on his end of the car and took him into custody while Mr. Barton unearthed three other fellows on the other end of the car. They all seemed ordinary hoboes save Blunt whom they were looking for and whom they took into custody. He was brought back here by the sheriff yesterday morning as told in the Journal. The car from which he was taken was in a freight train headed south and he evidently figured on getting out of the country by that direction.

Morris was taken at the home of his mother by Deputy Manspeaker and Constable Barton who drove out there after the storm early Sunday morning. He had headed straight for home after getting out of the jail here and wanted to get some money from his mother for the purpose of making his escape. She had drawn some money from the bank in Union the day before and seemed to have had some knowledge of the projected escape. Blunt was with Morris when they arrived there but he pushed on, leaving the boy at home.

It is plainly evident had the boys been hardened criminals they might have made all kinds of trouble for the officers and it is this knowledge that has caused people to hope that a good safe place for this class of men is soon erected.

Public safety requires that the present dilapidated structure be done away with and that a jail of sufficient strength to keep criminals in be built. Those who were in the city today from Union were pronounced in favor of the new jail as they realize from this last case how dangerous it is to attempt to keep a really desperate character in the present structure. The county commissioners should submit a proposition to the people on the matter and find what public sentiment is. If the majority desire to try and get along with the present structure then no harm is done while if a majority believes the public interest requires a new structure a new structure should be constructed.

Lion Fondles a Child.

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is some times great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of Croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C., "We always give it to him when he takes cold. Its a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hemorrhages, Weak Lungs. 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke & Co.

To Organize Military Company.

There is a movement on foot in the city to organize a company of the state guard. All who are interested in the matter and desire to join the National Guard of Nebraska are requested to call at the barber shop of A. J. Trillety and leave their names with Prof. Stonehocker. There are a number of young men in the city interested in the movement and it is believed enough will soon be enrolled to permit the formation of a company here. Don't be backward but step to the front and give your name to Mr. Stonehocker who is promoting the movement.

Don C. Rhoden came up this morning from his home at Murray and was a passenger for Glenwood, Ia., where he had some business matters to look after.

MORRIS GOES TO REFORM SCHOOL

Judge Beeson Sends Boy Burglar to Kearney Reformatory

From Tuesday's Daily.

Judge Beeson this morning held the hearing on the application for the commitment of Earl Morris, the 15-year-old boy who robbed the store of L. R. Upton at Union last March of a few articles of hardware, to the state reformatory at Kearney. There were a great many witnesses present who were interested in the matter and considerable testimony was adduced on the hearing. The boy did not deny the charge which was made against him but his mother made a strong effort to have him paroled in her care. Judge Beeson heard the testimony and the evidence in the case and decided that it would be for the best interests of the lad to have him committed to the reform school. The testimony tended to disclose a rather pathetic condition of affairs so far as the lad was concerned, he seeming to have been neglected from his early days by the mother who had not brought him up in the way he should have been. The general opinion of all who were informed on the conditions surrounding the matter was that the boy was really less to blame in the case than the mother. There was no disposition to do him any wrong or injury but the family history seemed to indicate that a term in the state reform school would be best for him. It appears that the boy has an elder brother who is now serving a term in the federal prison at Leavenworth for robbing a postoffice somewhere out in the state. He was apprehended by the federal authorities and received a severe sentence. Talking with many of those who came up from Union a number of statements were made which reflected strongly upon the mother as being directly responsible for the downfall of the two boys and they condemned her treatment of them severely.

The boy will be taken to Kearney by Sheriff Quinton within a few days and will remain until he becomes of age.

D. W. Foster, the Union citizen, spent last evening and this morning in the city, coming up to attend to some business matters and returning to his home on the morning M. P. train. While in the city Mr. Foster paid the Journal a pleasant and very much appreciated call as is his custom and found everyone glad to see him as always.

Dr. I. C. Munger of Elmwood spent last evening in the city, being among those registered at the Hotel Riley for the night.

Short Locals

From Monday's Daily.

Frank H. Smith of the Journal, spent Sunday in Union where he visited with his mother, Mrs. Claude Everett.

C. E. Campbell and wife of Murray were Saturday visitors in the city, coming in and remaining over night.

George S. Smith and family of Rock Bluffs were Saturday visitors in the city, coming up from their home about noon.

Mont Robb, the Mynard grain man, spent a few hours in the city Saturday evening greeting old friends and looking after business.

A. E. Taylor, one of Union's well known citizens, spent Saturday in the city attending to business in county court, returning to his home during the afternoon.

Philip H. Meisinger and daughter were visitors during Saturday afternoon in the city with friends, coming in from their home in Eight Mile Grove precinct during the earlier part of the day.

C. H. Vallery and wife and Mrs. Rummell were visitors last week in Lincoln where the latter lady is to be treated at a sanatarium for a complaint. Mr. Vallery returned home Saturday evening, leaving the ladies there.

Adam Schaffer, one of the best known and most popular residents of the country southwest of the city, was in Saturday looking after business matters. Mr. Schaffer paid the Journal a very pleasant and much appreciated call and had an enjoyable time with the proprietor. He is invited to call at any time when in the city. While here he renewed his allegiance to the Journal which will enter his home another year at least.

Chris Mockenhaupt and son Walter of the neighborhood of Louisville, came down this morning on the Schuyler train to spend the day in the city with relatives and friends and to look after some business matters. While in the city the gentlemen paid the Journal a very pleasant and much appreciated call. Mr. Mockenhaupt is one of the Journal's friends whom it is always a delight to welcome. They returned home this afternoon on the Schuyler train.

Reported Killed by Auto.

A report is current on the streets this afternoon that William Krug, head of the Fred Krug Brewing company, of Omaha, was struck by an automobile upon the streets of that city and killed. Particulars could not be obtained in time for this evening's issue but the understanding is that he was struck by an automobile running at high speed upon one of the principal streets.