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MADE A GET-AWAY

Vic McCarty Escapes From the Douglas County Jail.

THE ESCAPE A MOST DARING ONE

Would Have Been Sentenced Monday By Judge Ambrose-Confirmation Services at the Bohemian Catholic Church--Notes

Vie McCarty Escapes.

Vic McCarty, the notorious Sarpy county desperado, escaped from the Douglas county jail last Saturday in the Neal case. The appeal motion curred last Tuesday at the county bas- himself; but the experience of Sheriff evening, shortly after six o'clock. The is resisted by Neal's attorney on the tile, and Alonzo Moore, the most im- Eikenbary has been such that it is escape was a most daring one, and ground that the appeal bond was not portant prisoner confined therein. was accomplished in the following filed within the ten days allowed by made good his escape.

McCarty was in the hallway, outside the iron grating which surrounds the cells, holding a conversation with his filed a petition for divorce from her wife, who had called to see him. It is husband, Thos. Laughlin. Plaintiff confined. He then locked the iron acting as deputy for the serving of usual to allow prisoners to come to this place when receiving callers. Jailor Miller was in the corridor, but filing of petition; that she was married had his back turned at the time, walk- to defendant Aug. 15, 1891, in the state him, went upstairs to supper, leaving it be some undesirable person. If no ing toward the west door. Assistant of Missouri; that plaintiff for several Jailor John Brandt was sitting in the years has been an habitual drunkard comparatively easy matter for Moore and THE JOURNAL has not been able chair on the west side of McCarty. and has failed to provide for herself McCarty was in the middle chair and | and their child; that defendant is a his wife was sitting in the chair near- man of vicious and vulgar habits and out into the corridor. Once outside With the advent of Judge Ramsey on est the door. Louis Miller, the son of is unfit to take care of children. For the cage, Moore broke a hole through the bench it is the general idea that a the jailor, opened the door to allow these and other reasons plaintiff asks the rotten floor and crawled out, a la good deal more economy will be exer-Mrs. Ish, who had been visiting her a divorce and the custody of the child. Ann Luce fashion, through the hole in cised about the court than has lately son, to go out. The moment that the young man held the door open proved to be a costly one. Vic jumped through the opened doorway like a flash and was soon outside.

Descriptions of McCarty have been telegraphed to neighboring cities, and the entire police force has been instructed to look out for him. He is so well known that his capture ought to speedily follow the announcement, providing he is in the vicinity of Omaha. He is thirty-three years old, hav ing come here from Missouri twenty years ago. Although he has figured as the principal in a number of fights and rows, and has appeared in the police court several times, this is the first time that he had gone as far as the county jail.

McCarty made his escape just in time to avoid a twenty-year term in the penitentiary, as he would undoubtedly have received the full extent of the law. He was tried on a charge of assault, with intent to kill.

Confirmation Services.

The Bohemian Catholic church was the scene of an interesting religious ceremony last Sunday. The day was celebrated in the church as Confirmation Sunday, and about fifty young people participated in the services.

Bishop Bonacumb of Lincoln, as sisted by Fathers Carney and Bor of this city, officiated. The city band nett, Ella Cooper, Byron Clark, H. N. and several Bohemian societies marched to the church in a body. At ceremonies Sunday were to have ocappearance of the bishop.

A Big Failure in Cedar Creek.

On last Saturday Fred Schroeder, the Cedar Creek miller, turned over his flour mill and stock of goods to his creditors. The liabilities are given at about \$16,000, while the assets will be considerably short of that sum. Mr. Schroeder's principal creditors are two Iowa men and a Sarpy county man. ing the building, Mr. Hartman made As far as can be learned, no one in this city will be loser by the failure. It is said that Mr. Schroeder has several times the amount of his indebtness in outstanding accounts, and that if these creditors would now come to his assistance, he would be enabled to pay every dollar he owes, and again resume business. It is hoped that this will be the case.

"Walloped" Over Again.

The High school foot ball team went over to Glenwood last Friday with the firm intention of slaughtering the eleven of that place. In fact, one of all nice fellows, and they (the Plattsmouth foot ball team) hated to do anything to hurt their feelings but it was their painful duty to go over there and "wallop" them, to even up a little. But, alas, when the smoke and dust of the conflict had lifted and the Plattsmouth High school team had drifted the saloons, swallowing bayonets and back across the river, it was found to swords, sticking a hat-pin through the been "walloped" to the tune of 6, to 0. Which was too bad.

In District Court. From Friday's Daily.

Five cases were filed in district court today. I. H. Dunn filed a suit The Rapist Escapes From the Cass in toreclosure against S. L. Greeson.

The security is a lot in Richey addition, and the amount of the mortgage

Emma J. Kellog vs. Ellen and Arthur Spivey, a suit in attachment, was filed today.

Bank of Avoca vs. Fritz Gollmer and Henry Brockman, a suit in foreclosure, was filed with District Clerk Dearing today.

The Singer Sewing Machine company filed an appeal from the verdict against them in Justice Archer's court,

Viola Laughlin, through her attorneys, D. K. Barr and Geo. Clark, has placed the supper tray inside the steel now, it seems, there are plenty of men alleges that she has resided in Cass county more than one year previous to operate the bolts to the cell doors, the more onerous and less desirable

Some weeks ago some of Mr. and and Mrs. E. S. Greusel's old friends in this city got up an excursion to Havelock to surprise Mr. and Mrs. Greusel on the occasion of their silver wedding. Voluntary contributions of cash were made by the excursionists to purchase presents suitable for the occasion. After the committee appointed for that purpose had purchased the present, it was found that there was a neat surplus, and Saturday Mr. Gutsche, a member of the committee, turned the aforesaid surplus over to Miss Jones, city librarian, for the benefit of the public library. This sum, in addition entertainment to be given by the library board this week, will be used

The M. W. and W. Reception.

Mrs. Asher Clark and Mrs. Alf. White entertained the M. W. and W. at the home of the former Thursday afternoon, that being the second meeting of the season. They were ably assisted through the spacious rooms by Misses Ella Clark, Verna Leonard and Minnie White. The following ladies braved the inclement weather and were well repaid by a pleasant social afternoon: Mesdames Butler, Ben-Dovey, E G. Dovey, W. H. Dearing. Elson, Guild, Houseworth, Frank Wilthis service the participants are given | son, J. N. Wise, W. L. Pickett, Julius | his arrest. their second or middle name. The Pepperberg, J. L. Root, Dave Miller, Ami Todd, H. D. Travis, J. N. Sumcurred about two months ago, but mers, Frank Alshuler, W. K. Fox, W. were postponed on account of the non- N. McLennan and Miss Alice Eaton.

The Rate Reduced,

Saturday's Daily. insurance rates all over the state for for that short time, and, as there were the companies who are in the "com- now no prisoners there of any importpact." was in the city today. He came | ance, he believed the public would down at the solicitation of the school justify him in not making any change. board to see whether anything could If Mr. Holloway had some person sebe done toward lowering the insurance | lected for jailor, however, he would let rate on the high school. After inspect- him move right in now. a reduction in the rate which will result in a saving to the tax-payers of not a large sum, will amount up considerably in a few years.

What They Think in Lincoln.

Few things connected with the election have caused more comment in Lincoln than the defeat of Judge Chapman by Ramsey in the Cass-Otoe district. Lincoln is full of ex-Plattsmouth people, and they will never get over their interest in Cass county politics. They generally attribute the defeat of the judge to the influence of the boys announced at the depot before attorneys and others who have "had it starting that the Glenwood boys were in" for Chapman for several years and finally made a sort of informal combination to down him.-Lincoln Jour-

A Snake Charmer.

There was a combination swordswallower and snake charmer in town Friday night. He made the rounds of be a melancholy fact that they had muscles of his arms and legs, and through his tongue, and allowing the rattlesnake to bite him.

MOORE GETS AWAY

County Jail.

KEY WAS LEFT IN THE LOCK.

And He Simply Unlocked the Door an Went Through the Floor -- Queer Appreciation of a Favor-Other Local News.

Alonzo Gone From Us.

Owing to carelessness on the part of the jailor, another jail delivery oc-

The facts are about as follows: At about 6:30 o'clock Jailor Denson prisoners suggests such a thing! Just cage, where the county prisoners are who are willing to take the soft job of box which covers the lever used to papers; but none of them care to take and, instead of taking the keys with job of taking care of the jail-unless them lying on the lever box. It was a to reach through the bars, secure the to trace any down-the situation keys, unlock the cage door and step ought to be an easy one to solve. brick wall on the east side of the jail, prevailed. THE JOURNAL ventures made by that illustrious female, and afterwards made use of in the big jail to put himself in line with the prevaildelivery about two months ago.

Moore was held to the district court recently upon a charge of rape, his sensible thing for him, if possible, to victim being a fifteen-year-old girl induce his father, S. P. Holloway, to named Veroncia Patterson, residing at Rock Bluffs, and, as the state had a good case agasnst him, he would undoubtedly have been given a term in

the penitentiary. Frank Abel, charged with horsestealing, who was also confined in the steel cage, says that he repeatedly called loudly to the jailor before Moore employ some capable person to do the got out, but "Crum" Stewart, who was also in jail, accompanied by his to the proceeds to be derived from the usual jag, made considerable noise, and, while Denson claims to have heard someone calling him, he supin the purchase of new books for the posed it was Stewart, and did not papers himself. come down at once. The escape was made in about thirty minutes, as the jailor came down stairs immediately after supper to take away the tray and | pense. dishes, when the escape was discov-

> Sheriff Eikenbary was at once notified of Moore's escape and by eight o'clock had a force of men searching the railway yards and suburbs for the escaped prisoner, besides going himself to Rock Bluffs, the fugitive's home, but all to no purpose, as up to the present writing no clue to his whereabouts is obtainable. The sheriff has offered a reward of \$25 for the capture of Moore or information that will lead to

In speaking of the matter of dismissing the jailor, Sheriff Eikenbary said he had talked to the county board about it. He presented the fact that he had but a month and a half to serve and it would cost him considerable to Chris. Hartman of Omaha, who fixes | move his family into the jail building

A Queer Appreciation.

Engineer Sales and a brother were about \$100 per year. This, although in town last Tuesday, and apparently imbibed too freely in the flowing bowl, thereby accumulating a jag. One of their horses, which was tied on the street, broke loose, and was afterwards captured by Clint Billings and re-tled. that their horse was again safely tied, Charley said he would have them arplaint in police court.

For farm loans, see J. M. Leyda. Reliable abstracts also furnished.

A Rare Chance. The McCann. property, corner of Vine and Sixth streets, consisting of three business lots, will be sold at sheriff's sale to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, Saturday, Nov. 16, at ten o'clock a. m. Anybody looking for a bargain should attend this sale.

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Holloway's Perplexities.

THE JOURNAL bears through various sources that Sheriff-elect Holloway is enjoying the luxury of the perusal of numerous letters and the personal solicitations of various gentlemen who are anxious to serve the public in the capacity of deputy sheriffs, bailiffs, etc., and the public can well imagine that the new sheriff enjoys his situation immensely. The chief thing that makes the situation perplexing, it is understood, is the question who is to be the jailor. Heretofore the sheriff has been able to get a man to take the jail and attend to it after a fashion, for the profit there was in boarding the prisoners while he pocketed the jailor's fees safe to say Mr. Holloway will not be likely to repeat that experiment. At least an eye to the safe keeping of the ante-election promises were madeto suggest that if Mr. Holloway wants ing spirit of economy it would be the natural, (and, it may be said,) the take charge of the jail, and board the prisoners. Nobody would blame him for that, and nobody would be as likely to make as good a jailor as he. because of the interest he would have in his son's success. If that problem were solved, the impression is abroad that the sheriff would be likely to clerical work in the office, so that the records would be in shape presentable to the commissioners at their stated settlements, while he could do the

tion to disappoint a host of fellows who would like soft places at his ex-

His Chips Recognized.

Last evening John Karnes and his wife were airing their family troubles over in the Third street cut, when Henry Sitzman, who resides out south of town, happened along and "stuck in a few chips," asking to be enlightened as to the cause of the disturbance -and shortly afterwards he was sorry that he spoke. His chips were recognized "in a most horrible manner" by Karnes, and Sitzman was given a vision of stars and fireworks for a few minutes. As no complaint was filed in police court, the matter was presumably dropped.

Some Old Voters.

The Union Ledger says: At the election last week five men voted whose combined ages are 418 years, their average ages being nearly 84 years. The names and ages are John F. Buck, 82; John Ervin, 89; Abram Hathaway, 83; Isaac Dye, 84; Joseph Houtz, 80. With the exception of Mr. Dye these men have resided in this vicinity about forty years, and at present are in "a good state of preservation," considering their advanced ages and the trials and troubles they endured in the early days.

Lost a Satchel.

Five weeks ago Saturday last I was in town, having a black satchel with me containing some clothing, shirts, some underwear, a razor and strap. Charley Edgerton informed them I made arrangements to go home with Jacob Luft, and put my satchel into a whereupon they jumped upon him and | wagon standing in front of Hassler's smote him several times in the face. blacksmith shop, supposing it to be Luft's wagon, but found out after I rested, but as yet has filed no com- got to Luft's house that it was the wrong wagon. I will be much obliged to the finder of my satchel for its return to the Journal office.

JACOB YAHN.

Lamps! Lamps!

Bennett & Tutt have just received a new supply of banquet, stand and hanging lamps of the very latest patterns and designs. They are beautiful. Call and look at them.

They have also been adding to their already large stock of china and queensware many new patterns.

Farm loans made at lowest rates. T. H. Pollock, over First Nat'l Bank.

WAS VERY LUCKY

Off While Hunting.

The Cumings Murder Case Will Come up For Trial Again Next Monday-Other Local Happenings Around Town.

siding elder of the Nebraska City methodist district, was the victim of a very painful accident last Tuesday afternoon, just before dusk. Dr. Britt Mr. Hansen's misfortune. who was visiting at Pawnee City with his friend, Rev. J. H. Presson, formerly of Plattsmouth, was out hunting with the latter near Pawnee City, and while in search of quail, had occasion to crawl through a barbed wire fence. Mr. Britt's gun, which was cocked, was accidentally discharged, the trigger catching on his coat sleeve, and the entire charge of shot entered his left foot, at the inside of the instep. The flesh was torn from the under part of his foot, but, luckily, the bone was not struck. Had the charge entered his foot half an inch higher, that member would have been entirely torn | Monday, and, Iowa style, was not long

Rev. Presson hurried home, and police gathered him in he was trying soon had Mr. Britt under the care of a to give away \$10 bills, but he was not couple of physicians. The injured successful, as the people around here gentleman was brought to this city (in this office) didn't know what \$10 last evening, accompanied by Dr. Bul- bills were. This morning he conlard of Pawnee City, and will receive tributed \$1 and costs to the city's every attention possible. The only danger is from secondary hemorrhage, the wound being so near the main artery of the foot, and, unless this happens, Mr. Britt will be able to get around again in a few weeks.

cident was not more serious, and Mr Britt is to be congratulated upon his lucky escape from being at least maimed for life, and probably killed.

Will Be Arraigned Again.

them."-Omaha Bee.

was in the city today summoning the state witnesses to appear at the court house in Omaha next Monday.

under arrest for stealing chickens. He | molasses, honey drip syrup and black was identified by a charge of shot that strap can be had at lodged in the back of his neck.

A Serlous Accident.

Dr. L. F. Britt of this city, ex-pre-

with the murder of Judd Vance of der in the first degree, whereas he was bound over by Judge Berka for murder in the second degree. The new information is being made out and Cumings will be arraigned in a few days. The trial of the case is set for Monday morning. There are about a dozen witnesses for the state, the majority of whom live in Plattsmouth, and a deputy sheriff will serve subpænas on

Rev. Britt Nearly Shoots His Foot

It was very fortunate that the acci

The deputy sheriff of Douglas county

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ity. Only a few It is quite t. NAL chronicled never come singly, Claus Brekenexcluded in this c ant, and last days ago THE JOUR the business failure of feld, the hardware mercl. Monday Fred Schroeder's added to the list. Tuesday L was learned, with considera prise, that P. J. Hansen, the known groceryman, had turnet stock of goods over to a receiver

the First National bank of this city. The amount of the note due the bank is \$1,300, and the stock of goods will amply cover that indebtedness. It is reported that there are several smaller amounts due other parties. Depressing times and long, outstanding accounts is given as the cause of

Mr. Hansen has been in business in Plattsmouth for many years, during which time he has established a good reputation for fair dealing, and his friends hope to see him resume business in a short time.

In Justice Archer's Court.

The suit for a labor account of Julius Ramge vs. Ed. Oliver was mutually settled, the defendant paying Ramge \$10 and half the costs in the case. Plaintiff sued for \$15.

E. H. Britton, a cigarmaker from Red Oak, Iowa, was in town last in accumulating a jag. When the officers, amounting to \$5.25.

Made Good Time.

A remarkably fast run was made last Thursday by engine 512 on the Burlington road. What is known as the "Katy flyer" was turned over to the Burlington considerably late. The train consisted of four cars-a baggage car, two coaches and one sleeper. It made four stops at stations, one crossing stop, and two slow-ups between Galesburg and Mendota, a distance of "Charles Cumings, who is charged eighty miles. It was made in eightyfive minutes, including the stops. necessary outside work of serving Plattsmouth, has been arraigned once From Mendota to Aurora, a distance and will have to be arraigned again. of forty-five and one-half miles, the Mr. Holloway is in a splendid posi- It has been discovered that he was ar- run was made in forty-three and oneraigned on information charging mur- half minutes, including a stop at a railroad crossing at Earlville .- Lincoln Journal.

> Daniel D. Andrews, a farmer living near Manley, was found dead in his bed Monday morning. He went to bed apparently in his usual state of health but died during the night, apparently from heart failure. Mr. Andrews was a good citizen and a successful farmer. It is a rather strange incidence that Wm. Ossenkop, a neighbor of Andrews' died a week ago under similar circumstances.

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