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For many years down to 1872 the  
wooden spoon was the most coveted  
honor of a Yale course. It did not  
necessarily indicate the highest schol-  
arship, but it was valued by the gradu-  
ating class to the most popular man.  
The "spoon man" of a class was its  
hero, according to the Hartford Cour-  
ant. The other boys loved him, and  
he was almost invariably a person who  
justified that affection. The list of  
"spoon men" would include some of  
the most eminent of Yale graduates.  
There were nine members of each  
class selected by their classmates, and  
these were known as "books," which is  
short and English for "scholarship."  
To one of these nine was awarded the  
spoon, and they all joined in a public  
performance called the wooden spoon  
exhibition, at which the ceremony of  
presentation was gone through with all  
the wit that a college class could man-  
age. The last "spoon man" was Robert  
B. Lee of Nashville, Tenn., of the class  
of '71. He died years ago in Paris.

## NEWS OF NEBRASKA.

### WORK FOR THE COMMISSION

#### Hearing on Railroad Rates & Classi- fications Up This Week

Lincoln, May 18.—This week will  
be a busy one for the state railway  
commission. A general hearing will  
be held tomorrow for the purpose of  
The railroads are expected to be rep-  
resented by some of their ablest men,  
who will try to show the board that  
rates must not be reduced by changes  
in classifications.

The request of railroad officers to  
postpone the hearing of the Grand In-  
quiry and rate has been rejected by  
the commission. Donatt & Porter  
company the Nebraska Mercantile  
company. The latter is a whole-  
sale grocery house, in which A. B.  
Cady of St. Paul is interested. The  
complaint will be heard June 2. The  
railroads of the west will take up the  
sugar rate at a meeting to be held in  
Chicago today.

The much talked of hearing for rail-  
way employees will take place in Lin-  
coln May 28. The date was set by  
the commission. If necessary the hear-  
ing will continue two days. The em-  
ployees of the Burlington will be heard  
first, then those of other railroad com-  
panies and last will come the hearing  
for representatives of a joint commit-  
tee of railroad employees. The em-  
ployees desire to protest against any  
reduction of freight rates in Nebraska.  
The express companies which failed  
to file reports as required by the  
state railway commission have de-  
clined to obey the order of the com-  
mission. A telegram received by At-  
torney C. J. Greene informed the board  
that the required reports will be filed.

### LANE CUT-OFF IS OPENED

#### Union Pacific Short Line Dedicated by Official Party Over It.

Omaha, May 18.—"I now declare the  
Lane cut-off officially opened." This  
declaration was made by A. L. Mohler,  
vice president and general manager of  
the Union Pacific, as the special train  
carrying the heads of departments of  
the Union Pacific completed the offi-  
cial tour of inspection of the ten-mile  
spur that reduces time, distance and  
passenger rates.

At an expense of \$3,500,000 the  
Union Pacific has built a new line  
which has attracted attention all over  
the railroad world. That the company  
should go to such an expense to save  
the miles seemed remarkable, but for  
the immense tonnage which the Union  
Pacific hauls that nine miles means a  
mint of money saved in the course of  
a year.

### RAY GREEN JURY DISAGREES

#### Cannot Decide on Seventy Thousand Dollar Damage Claim.

Omaha, May 15.—The jury in the  
case of Raymond Green against the  
Burlington railroad for \$70,000 dam-  
ages, after being out forty-eight hours,  
failed to agree and was discharged by  
Judge W. H. Munger in the United  
States circuit court.

Green lost both legs while employ-  
ed as a switchman by the Burlington  
at Ashland on Aug. 1, 1907. He is now  
permanently disabled, suffer-  
ing from a paralysis as a result of his  
injury and is partially speechless. He  
is only twenty-three years of age.

### Bryan Urges Instructed Delegates.

Lincoln, May 15.—In the Commem-  
oration today, W. J. Bryan, under a glaring  
caption, urged the instruction of dele-  
gates to the Democratic national con-  
vention. He said: "Instructions to  
delegates are the order of the day.  
Nearly all the states which have held  
home rule conventions so far have in-  
structed. This is as it should be.  
Instructions are imperative. The  
people speak through instructions—  
they cannot speak in any other way.  
A failure to instruct during the dele-  
gates' convention is a party loss."

### Gauging the Niobrara.

Lincoln, May 16.—State Engineer  
Dobson has sent his assistant, George  
Hates, to Niobrara to establish the  
state water gauging station in Ne-  
braska. The government pays half  
the expenses of such stations. Records  
kept for a long period of years are  
valuable to persons who desire to pro-  
mote irrigation or water power proj-  
ects. For several years there has  
been talk of a large power plant at  
the mouth of the Niobrara river.

### Hardware Men Rejoice.

Lincoln, May 15.—Secretary J. Frank  
Bart of the Nebraska Retail Hardware  
association has pronounced the ques-  
tion upon the party's post in a re-  
cent letter mailed out to the mem-  
bers of the organization. He congrat-  
ulates the members upon the work  
done by their association and its re-  
lated bodies in other states against the  
"vicious scheme of the mail order  
houses."

### Bishop Bonacum Loses Suit.

Beatrice, Neb., May 18.—In the dis-  
trict court Judge Pemberton handed  
down his decision in the case of Bis-  
hop Bonacum against the heirs of the  
Lynch estate. He sustained the de-  
mand filed by the defendants' riding  
against the Lincoln bishop. The court

found it had no relation to the case  
and that the petition of the plaintiff  
did not state facts sufficient to con-  
stitute a cause of action in his favor.

### Jury Finds Fee Is Guilty.

Omaha, May 16.—The jury in the  
case of James J. Fee, charged with at-  
tempted blackmail of Luther Drake of  
the Merchants' National bank by  
threatening to blow up the bank with  
a bottle of "nitroglycerine," which af-  
terward proved to be colored water, re-  
turned a verdict of guilty.

### JURY SAYS KENISON IS GUILTY

#### Judge Sentences Him to 23 Years for Killing Editor Cox.

Kimball, Neb., May 19.—The jury in  
the Kenison murder case returned a  
verdict of murder in the second de-  
gree after being out three hours.  
Judge Grimes sentenced Kenison to  
twenty-three years' imprisonment in  
the penitentiary. Judge Hamer made a  
motion for a new trial, which was  
overruled.

Ernest S. Kenison was charged with  
killing Sam D. Cox at Minto in De-  
cember, 1906. The trial lasted four  
days, with night sessions.

### Taylor Again Escapes Officers.

Lincoln, May 19.—Bert Taylor,  
sought for the murder of his sister-in-  
law, Pearl Taylor, at Minden, has es-  
caped the officers of the law a second  
time. He wrote a letter from Earl,  
Iowa, to the sheriff at Minden, and  
the sheriff went to Earl, only to find  
that Taylor had spent some time there  
posting and drinking and had gone.  
Taylor was robbed of \$350 while there.

### One More Tornado Death.

Louisville, Neb., May 19.—The little  
daughter of the Hesters, who was in-  
jured in the tornado, died of her  
wounds. There are six families whose  
all was lost in the tornado, who, up  
to the present, have been cared for by  
neighbors. Assistance for these desti-  
tute people is needed, and aid for  
them should be sent to the Louisville  
commercial club.

### His Only Resource.

It used to be the rule in the navy  
that officers were required to defray  
traveling expenses out of their own  
funds, and upon reporting at the new  
station they were reimbursed from the  
United States treasury after the usual  
delay incident to "red tape." Unless  
officers had money put by they proved ex-  
tremely embarrassed to have to meet  
the expenses of a long journey. Naval  
officers tell of an incident that occurred  
some years ago, when a notably im-  
pulsive officer on duty in New York  
received orders to proceed to Sika to  
join one of the ships of the Bering sea  
patrol squadron. The officer, who had  
no ready money and could not persuade  
any of his friends to make him a loan,  
wrote a long letter to the secretary of  
the navy asking to be relieved of his  
orders or to be furnished with money  
to defray his traveling expenses. The  
secretary saw in the letter an attempt  
to get out of unpleasant duty, and a  
peremptory telegram ordered the offi-  
cer to proceed at once. He obeyed,  
first telegraphing as follows:  
"Have proceeded in obedience to or-  
ders on foot. Next address Harris-  
burg."

Needless to say, upon his arrival in  
Harrisburg he found a telegram au-  
thorizing him to draw travel money in  
advance.—Lippincott's Magazine.

### RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.

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## Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind,  
discourages and lessens ambition; beauty,  
vigor and cheer-  
fulness soon disappear  
when the kidneys are  
out of order or dis-  
eased.

Kidney trouble has  
become so prevalent  
that it is not uncom-  
mon for a child to be  
born afflicted with  
weak kidneys. If the  
child urinates too often, if the urine is  
by the flesh, or if, when the child reaches  
age when it should be able to control the  
passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wet-  
ting, depend upon it, the cause of the diffi-  
culty is kidney trouble, and the first  
step should be towards the treatment of  
these important organs. This unpleasant  
trouble is due to a diseased condition of  
the kidneys and bladder and not to a  
habit as most people suppose.

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able with kidney and bladder trouble,  
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