

THE DAILY BEE. Tuesday Morning August 12. LOCAL BREVITIES.

—Billings & Connor, Dentists, opp. P. O. —The churches Sunday were all unusually well filled. —The fire boys are getting lots of chance to exercise nowadays. —The morning train from the west brought in four car loads of fruit from California. —A number of Chinamen, bound for New York, came in from the west yesterday by the telephone and telegraph poles on Farnam street are being moved out to the carstons. —A party of Omaha gentlemen will, on August 15th, give a private midsummer night hop at the roller skating rink. —In the game of ball played yesterday afternoon between the Sherman and Union, the score stood 23 to 1 in favor of the former club. —The state fair is fast approaching, and the people all through the state are making big preparations for the same. It will doubtless be a great success this fall. —Two runaways occurred Sunday, one on Twenty-third street and the other on Dodge street. No one was hurt and no serious damage was done. —C. W. Baker, foreman for Drexel & Maul took a metallic casket to Tekamah yesterday which to place the remains of J. B. White, who died at that place on Saturday. —Deputy Sheriff Tom Peincent went to Lincoln yesterday, taking with him Hafke and Ryan, who will be incarcerated in the insane asylum in that city. —The train in from the west on the Union Pacific this morning was an unusually large one, there being fourteen cars attached, and all were well filled with passengers. The dining hall at the depot was filled to overflowing with the hungry travelers. —Dr. Putter, who for several days has been in the city, has not as yet determined to accept or reject the offer of the vacant episcopate of Nebraska. It is said he has a great desire to accept, but certain obligations entered into in the east before this was tendered him has deterred him from complying with his wishes. —Sunday two gentlemen, one of them a prominent saloon-keeper in this city, were racing horses on Sixteenth street and crossed Dodge street at a gallop which was not far from a three-minute one. They apparently had no regard for life and limb and as there were a good many people on the street at that time it is a wonder that some of them were not run over. No policeman attempted to stop them or arrest them for fast driving. It is only a few weeks since a lady was run over on Sixteenth street and if this reckless driving is continued some one will certainly be killed.

PERSONAL.

C. Clark, of Chicago, is at the Metropolitan. F. Enfield, Waterloo, is at the Metropolitan. James Marsh, of Blue Springs, is at the Metropolitan. O. Mattson, of Sheboygan, Wis., is at the Metropolitan. Sam Westfield, of Blair, is registered at the Metropolitan. E. Landemann, of Sutton, is quartered at the Metropolitan. W. W. Taylor, of West Point, is registered at the Metropolitan. F. W. Whipple, of Springfield, is registered at the Metropolitan. The leading members of Wallace's theatre company are at the Paxton. E. W. Lang and T. J. Chesney, of Beatrice, are stopping at the Metropolitan. Elder Bird Mitchell's church voted him leave of absence for a few days. He starts Tuesday. Major Armstrong, wife and daughter, left Saturday for Spirit Lake, Iowa, to be gone several days. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Adams, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lockwood, 1612 27th street. Miss Hurley, of this city, left by the noon train yesterday for a few weeks' visit with friends in Pueblo, Colorado. Mrs. Lilla M. Pavy, of Marysville, Mo., is in the city on a visit to her brother, Dr. R. M. Stone. Mrs. Pavy is the widow of Captain Pavy who was lost upon the Greely expedition. Hon. J. M. Woolworth and Bishop Potter left last evening for Ogallala. They will also visit Denver, Leadville, Gunnison and other places of interest in Colorado and return in ten days or two weeks. Miss Ida Hinton, Hubbard; Karl Lay, Stanton; H. C. Barnes, Norfolk; W. A. Watron, Beatrice; C. C. Crowell, Blair; Hon. A. G. Kendall, Lincoln; and J. C. Blackman, Fremont, registered at the Millard yesterday. Mr. John Rosicky, editor of the Pokrok Zpasu, returned Saturday from a trip through the east. He visited Milwaukee, Cleveland, New York, Philadelphia, Niagara Falls, and other places of interest and reports having had a first-class time. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. J. Waters wish to return their thanks to members and friends of the A. M. E. church for their kindness in their afflictions. Mr. Waters was hurt by falling from a tree on the 1st of August while preparing a swing for the Sabbath school picnic. Hon. Charles F. Manderson, who has been quite ill at a friend's home in Brooklyn, N. Y., telegraphed his secretary, Clement Chase, yesterday, that he is now improving and expects that he will go to Philadelphia to-day, thence to Washington, and as soon as possible will start on his return to Omaha. Mr. H. Gerner, Lincoln; N. S. Harding, Nebraska City; Frank M. Dinty, Tecumseh; F. L. Cameron, Blair; B. Goldenstein, West Point; J. H. Collins, Fremont; Pierson D. Smith, St. Edwards, and William M. Vastin, Hastings, were guests of the Paxton yesterday. Given His Liberty. The application of Henry Oster, for a writ of habeas corpus was yesterday heard before County Judge McCulloch. From the transcript of the justice before whom the case was tried, it appeared that the applicant was convicted of assault and battery on July 6th, and was sentenced to 60 days imprisonment in the county jail. July 6th being Sunday the court could have no jurisdiction, the county judge said. The writ was issued and Oster was discharged. There was no appearance by the state. N. J. Burnham appeared for Oster.

THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

Delegates Chosen for the State, Congressional and Judicial. Henry Estabrook Captures the Douglas County Delegation. The republican county convention met in the city hall yesterday. The convention was called to order by I. S. Hascall. W. F. Bechel was elected temporary chairman and T. W. Blackburn, secretary. A committee composed of the following gentlemen was appointed on credentials: E. M. Stenberg, Morris Morrison, Ed. Burke, John Baumer, J. M. Phillips, Henry Eicker, H. J. Rolf, J. T. Page and L. R. Wright. The committee reported the following named gentlemen as entitled to seats in the convention: First Ward—E. M. Stenberg, John G. Taylor, Josiah Kent, R. McDonald, William Doll, S. Jorgensen, J. W. Munroe. Second Ward—I. S. Hascall, Morris Morrison, Mike Laby, T. W. Blackburn, S. J. Larson, John Healy and Louis Berka. Third Ward—John H. Sahler, Price Sanders, Walter A. Moyer, W. F. Schmidt, F. D. Kent by Fred Nye proxy, Robert Saxauer by L. R. Wright proxy, Robert Green. Fourth Ward—Chas. H. Dewey, John Peterson, W. F. Bechel, R. O. S. Burke, N. A. Kuhn, Ed. Gorman, E. Haney. Fifth Ward—Henry Estabrook, John Quinn, John Baumer, George L. Redman, John Wallace, D. B. Houck, Wm. Butler. Sixth Ward—T. J. Stanley, Louis Kammer, A. H. Sander, D. W. Lane, N. J. Phillips, Benjamin Fulton and J. W. Nichols. Saratoga Precinct—John F. Page, Henry Rosenfeld by John F. Page proxy, J. G. Hopkins by J. F. Page proxy. Waterloo Precinct—G. A. Bryant, L. S. Smith, Fred Enfield. West Omaha—I. N. Pierce, C. F. Taggart, Wm. Brown. Douglas Precinct—Joseph Kavan, Daniel O'Keefe, Frank Walter. McArdle Precinct—Henry Eicker, Wm. Lewin, Pat McArdle. Platt Valley Precinct—Wm. Harrier, S. O. Knight, V. H. Thomas. Jefferson Precinct—H. C. Timme, John Bolmer, by H. C. Timme proxy. E. Aft, by H. C. Timme proxy. Elkhorn Precinct—Wm. R. Turner, Hiram Culp, Martin Richardson, by O. Whitney proxy. Chicago Precinct—H. C. Young, by H. J. Rolf proxy, H. C. Nolte, by H. J. Rolf proxy. Florence Precinct—J. H. Ransome, John Laughlin, A. C. Smith. Union Precinct—Lars Nelson, J. E. Shephard, P. Hilen. Upon motion of Mike Laby, the temporary organization was made permanent. It was next moved and carried that the convention proceed to the election of delegates to the state convention, selecting two from each ward in the city, five from the country and two at large from the county. A committee of five, consisting of Herman Timme, John F. Page, G. A. Bryant, Pat McArdle and I. N. Pierce, was appointed to elect the delegates for the county precincts. John M. Thurston and I. S. Hascall were elected by the convention as delegates at large. The various wards returned the following named persons as delegates to the state convention and were elected by the convention: First Ward—E. M. Stenberg and John G. Taylor. Second Ward—G. Andreen and Morris Morrison. Third Ward—W. F. Schmidt and Fred Nye. Fourth Ward—R. O. S. Burke and W. F. Bechel. Fifth Ward—Joe Rodman and Dorsey B. Houck. Sixth Ward—J. W. Nichols and A. H. Sander. On motion it was ordered that the convention proceed to the election of delegates to the congressional convention the same rule applying to the selection of delegates from the various wards and country precincts as obtained in the selection of those for the state convention, the committee appointed to select those for the country precincts for the state convention to choose those for the congressional. William Turner and Dan O'Keefe objected to the last clause of the motion and were placed upon the committee. W. F. Bechel and William Coburn were elected by the convention as delegates at large to the congressional convention. The delegations from the various wards proposed the following named republicans as delegates who were elected by the convention: First Ward—J. W. Morrow and John Christopherson. Second Ward—M. Laby and T. W. Blackburn. Third Ward—John H. Sahler, and J. O. Adams. Fourth Ward—Edwin Haney and N. A. Kuhn. Fifth Ward—John Baumer and John Quinn. The election of delegates to the district judicial convention which meets in this city August 27th, to nominate a candidate for district attorney next followed. For this nomination there are three aspirants, Lee Estelle, of Blair, and Henry Estabrook and R. W. Breckenridge, of Omaha. As the committee to select delegates for the county precincts had not reported John Quinn moved that the candidates for district attorney appear before the convention and display their ability by speech making. Henry Estabrook being called for, responded, making a few brief remarks, but declining to make a speech. He was followed by R. W. Breckenridge, Lee Estelle, the candidate from Washington county, was called upon and stated to the convention that he had more delegates than any one candidate. Mr. Thurston was next called upon and responded in a brief and telling Blaine Logan speech, and was loudly cheered by the convention at the conclusion. The committee to elect delegates for the country precincts came in at this time and reported the following delegates to the two conventions: To the state convention, H. C. Timme, P. McArdle, J. F. Page, Will Brown and W. R. Turner. To the congressional convention, Henry Eicker, C. F. Taggart, Charles Nagel, E. A. Bryant and Dan O'Keefe. The report of the committee was adopted. The balloting by the convention for delegates to the district judicial convention next followed and resulted in the election of

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All persons, resident in Omaha, who are lineal descendants of soldiers, sailors or mariners, who served in the army or navy of the United States during the civil struggle of 1861-65, are hereby requested to meet at St. George's hall, corner Farnam and Fourteenth, Tuesday, August 12th, at 8 p. m., to organize a camp of Sons of Veterans of U. S. A. By order and under the authority of a committee appointed for this purpose by George A. Custer Post, Grand Army of the Republic. GEORGE M. O'BRIEN, SIMON BLOOM, ALBERT N. CLARK, Committee. The objects of this order are to keep green the memories of our fathers and their sacrifices for the maintenance of the union, to aid the members of the Grand Army of the Republic in the caring for their helpless and disabled veterans, to extend aid and protection to their widows and orphans, to perpetuate the memory and history of their heroic dead, and the proper observance of Memorial day, to aid and assist needy and worthy members of our order, to inculcate patriotism and love of country not only among our members but among all the people of our land, and to spread and sustain the doctrine of equal rights, universal liberty and justice to all. F. C. BRISTOL, Recruiting Officer. Police Court. This being Monday the court room was crowded. It seems as if no one has anything to do on Monday and all gathered at police court. James Kelly was the first man called and he was charged with having been drunk. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs. 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way for fully fifteen minutes, much to the delight of the spectator. The judge told him that he was as slow as the snail, and that he was as stupid as the ass, and that he was as ignorant as the donkey, and that he was as foolish as the crow. He was then committed to the jail for 24 hours. MR. CLARK'S RETIREMENT. S. H. Clark's Connection with the Union Pacific Severed. It is now pretty generally known at Union Pacific headquarters that Mr. S. H. Clark, for some time past general manager of the road, has tendered his resignation and has completely severed his connection with the road, and will only remain long enough to fully straighten out matters. As yet his successor has not been named and it is thought that the office will be done away with. Mr. Clark's health is poor and he has a large personal business to attend to, hence, this move. Fire at Ogallala. At 1 o'clock Friday morning a fire broke out in Ogallala and destroyed a considerable portion of the business portion of the town. The fire originated in a saloon, where a lamp exploded. The wind was blowing quite strongly at the time and no water was obtainable. The most desperate efforts to stop the flames were unavailing. The blaze quickly spread and soon enveloped the business portion of the town. The following business places and buildings were completely destroyed: Swick's store. Ogallala house. Cowboy saloon. Tucker's saloon. Windsor restaurant. Postoffice. Barber shop. Railroad depot. The loss is \$14,000. Ladies should reflect before using any preparation that is applied to so delicate surface as the skin. Any cosmetic that at first imparts a beautifying effect and not apparently injure the skin, but in a very short time little blotches and discolorations appear on the face which conclusively show the poisonous drugs in that composition. It can be safely said the more than two thirds of the face powder contain these injurious ingredients. Pezoni's medicated complexion powder is not only absolutely free from all deleterious matter, but its principal ingredient is an active curative for all diseases of the skin. It has stood the test of years. Sold by all druggists. me-eady1 Seal of North Carolina tobacco is the best. PREPARING FOR PAYMENT. The Several Insurance Companies Adjusting Their Losses. The thirty-one insurance companies that sustained losses by the late Leighton & Clarke fire, held a meeting only a short time ago and elected seven of their number to adjust their losses. This committee has been at work ever since it was appointed, and will not conclude its labors before next Saturday. The books and all goods are being gone over the same as if they were being inventoried. The companies are only waiting for the completion of the adjustment when all claims will be satisfied. Yesterday several of the adjusters belonging to the losing companies by the late refinery fire have arrived in the city to begin their labors. The balance will arrive to-day and the work of adjustment will begin at once. Left on the Steps. As Officer Hinchey was standing in front of Parr's drug store on St. Mary's avenue last night, a young man passed by who told the policeman that a baby was lying in the yard of St. Mary's convent. Mr. Hinchey went to the place, but was unable to find the little one, after searching for it some time. About 1 o'clock as he was passing the place he was attracted by a child's cries and going up the steps of the convent found the little one comfortably wrapped in a shawl. The little one was given by the officer to the Sisters who agreed to care for it until this morning, when it will be turned over to the proper authorities. Omaha Creamery and Milk Depot. Morgan & Hendrix, 503 south Thirteenth street, have on hand at all times, and will deliver to any part of the city Sweet Milk, Sweet Cream, Butter, Cottage Cheese and choice Gilt Edge Creamery Butter. j29-eod-4f. MARRIED. WRETLIND—HEDENDAHLE.—August 9, 1884, at the residence of Mr. Chas. Johnson, Thirteenth and Howard streets, by Rev. J. Detweiler, Mr. Knut E. Wretling, Swedish and Norwegian vice-consul at Omaha, and Miss Anna M. Hedendahl of Guttenberg, Sweden. CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, & C. 13TH ST., BETWEEN FARNAM AND HARNEY OMAHA, NEBRASKA. Established in '88. THE LEADING CARRIAGE FACTORY 1409 and 1411 Dodge St. Catalogue furnished on Application. Omaha Neb

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