

PUNISHMENT PRONOUNCED.

Six United States Prisoners Receive the Sentences for their Crimes.

JUSTICE DEALT OUT MILDLY.

An Affecting Incident—The Rankin Cattle Case Goes to the Jury—Other Court Notes—Local News.

Received their Sentences.

Yesterday was sentence day in the United States court and seven prisoners were arraigned before Judge Dundy to receive the reward of their evil deeds.

The first prisoner to know his fate was George E. Crawford, who pleaded guilty to passing counterfeit money.

Charles F. Gordon was the next prisoner called before the bar. He had pleaded guilty to passing counterfeit money and had furnished valuable information to District Attorney Lambertson.

Joseph R. Hughes, of Alma, the scarred veteran of the late war who had been found guilty of making a false pension affidavit, was next called forward and announced that he was not guilty.

Howard S. Lovejoy, the defaulting receiver of public money at Delaware, was the next prisoner sentenced.

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NEW INCORPORATION.

The Union Pacific Empowered to build Branches.

Charles F. Adams, Jr., Eliza Atkins, F. L. Angus and P. Gordon Dwyer, through J. J. Poppleton clerk, yesterday in the office of the county clerk, an amendment to the articles of incorporation of the Omaha & Republican Valley railroad, which provides that that line (the Omaha & Republican Valley), "shall have and is hereby invested with a corporate right and power to build, maintain and operate a railroad from each point or points as may be designated by said company upon the main line of the Union Pacific railway company, through the state of Nebraska, to wit: Morrill, Hall, Buffalo, Dawson, Lincoln, Keith and Cheyenne counties, to the western, northern and southern boundaries of said state, with such branches and extensions as may hereafter be determined upon by the directors of said company; and through, in addition to the counties named in its original articles of incorporation, the counties of Greeley, Center, Loup, Brown, DeWitt, Kearney, Blaine, Logan, Sheridan and Sioux, and each other county as may be carved out of those hereinbefore named; and also through any unorganized portion of the state of Nebraska, and any counties which may be carved out of the same."

Personal Paragraphs.

Mrs. Eva Atkinson, of Denver, is visiting Mrs. Andy Borden.

A. E. Aitken, a prominent real estate dealer of Kearney, is at the Millard.

M. Hettlinger, president of the German Life Insurance Company of Freeport, Ill., is in the city.

Mrs. Claus F. Stephens left for Kansas City yesterday to spend New Year's.

Hon. George W. E. Dorsey, of Fremont, arrived in Omaha last evening, and is a guest at the Millard.

W. E. Brown, of the firm of W. F. Brown & Co., live stock commission, at the stock yards, has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mrs. John M. Thurston who has been quite low with the diptheria is yet confined to her room. This is her third week's sickness. Her many friends and out of the city hope her early recovery.

The Armour Packing company will open a storehouse with a full line of their product in a few days, with Joe M. Scott, of this city, as their agent.

A Small Robbery.

A quantity of goods were stolen from the rear of J. T. Robinson's notion store, Tenth and Harney streets, yesterday morning by unknown thieves.

The Japanese are rapidly adopting western civilization. Miss Linda R. Richards, late superintendent of the training school for nurses at the Boston City hospital, is going to Tokio for five years to establish and conduct a similar institution there. It will be partly under government patronage.

Excursion to Los Angeles.

The fourth of the series of winter excursions to California will leave Omaha and Council Bluffs on the Union Pacific rail way Wednesday morning, January 13, 1886.

Round trip tickets to Los Angeles and return, good for six months, only \$100. For full particulars call upon or address J. W. Morris, Omaha, Neb.

Putting them Through their Paces.

The city examining board, consisting of Hon. John Rush, W. W. Keyser, and Mrs. T. K. Sulborough, completed the work of examining the eight new applicants for positions as teachers in the public schools. Most of them passed a satisfactory examination.

Convalescing.

W. H. Bennett, the young man in Rosenberg's plumbing mill who was so seriously scalded in a vat of boiling water on Sunday last, is getting better. It is believed that his injuries will not, after all, prove fatal.

The Gutches Full of Gentlemen.

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He was the grandfather of the great composer, and the 135th anniversary of his birth occurs January 5. Services to-night commence at 7 o'clock.

A team belonging to Edwards & Fox, attached to a heavy wagon, was precipitated into North Omaha creek by the caving of the bank on Cuming street yesterday morning.

The people on South Thirteenth street are complaining not a little on account of the shameful way, as they allege, in which they are treated by the street car company.

Chief Butler Remembered. There was a gathering of representatives from all the fire engine houses in the city last evening at No. 3's house on Sixth street, and all the members of the latter company were also on hand.

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