

AN ABANDONED BABY FOUND.

Bids Fair to Create a Sensation in High Up Capital Circles.

A SCIENTIST IN THE CITY.

Dr. Billings Comes to Consult With the University Regents—United States Officers Sentenced—Social Notes.

FROM THE BEE'S LINCOLN BUREAU.

Detective Littlefield, of the Law and Order League, is at work on a mystery which, if unraveled, will make a big sensation in the "high up" circles of society in the capital city. Thursday night a child about two weeks old was found in a barn at the corner of G and Fourteenth streets, where it had been left by a well dressed man who was seen lurking about the neighborhood just after dark. The child was comfortably clothed and wrapped in a drab mohair shawl. No one appearing to claim it yesterday morning was sent to the Home for the Friendless. Elder Howe, it is understood, had posted Littlefield some time before that matters were not just as they should be in certain quarters, and the object is now trying to connect this information with the incident of Thursday night. He has ascertained that arrangements were made for procuring an abortion, but the birth of the child a little before it was expected upset them. This child, if alive, would be about the age of the one found Thursday night. The publicity given the case yesterday attracted the attention of many charitable people, and the police were deluged with offers of adoption.

A SCIENTIST'S ARRIVAL. Dr. F. A. Billings, the celebrated pathologist, arrived in Lincoln yesterday to consult with the regents of the university about the starting of a school of tropical science in connection with that institution. Dr. Billings, it will be remembered, is the gentleman who accompanied the four children from Newark, N. J., to Paris, in January, to be treated by Dr. Pasteur, for hydrophobia. He is a man of 40, but with a very youthful countenance, wearing a sandy mustache closely cropped, and with hair mostly white, and with grey. His appearance is not conducive to great trust, but in the east, where he is well known, his opinions on the several special lines which he has studied are regarded with great honor, and he is looked upon as a savant by men many years his senior. In speaking of the Doudna case yesterday Dr. Billings said he did not believe the Windsor house engineer was bitten by a mad dog at all. "My study of rabies," said the doctor, "has led me to believe that it is the rarest of diseases, and almost doubt whether it exists. At the most, the number of deaths from so-called hydrophobia in this country does not exceed twenty-five yearly, which, in a population of 50,000,000, is infinitesimal. I am sure that the four children whom I took to Paris were not bitten by a mad dog, but by one which had been dosed with drugs and, of course, acted strangely. As soon as the child was taken to the dromphobia among dogs were supposed to exist near Newark, however, the parents of the children were justified in taking all possible precautions.

Just now Dr. Billings is interested in hog cholera, which he thinks is not a plague, as many believe, but is communicated to herds by actual contact with swine. He is almost sure that swine localities or by men hired to attend them. Strict quarantine, with the killing of all diseased swine, will in time eradicate the complaint, as glanders is gradually being fought out of the older communities.

THREE PRISONERS SENTENCED. In the United States court yesterday morning Judge Dundy called up for sentence the prisoners convicted in the present term. Sylvester Yundt, found guilty of conspiring with Frank P. Swindler and others, to defraud the United States by bogus land entries in Nebraska. Was ordered to pay a fine of \$100 and costs, and to be imprisoned for four months, dating from the 1st of December last. This gives Yundt about fifteen days in jail, which he will not object to. Erwin B. Heath, the young man convicted of stealing registered letters from the postoffice at Kearney, while employed as clerk by Postmaster Morgan, was given two years in the penitentiary at Detroit, from the 1st of December, 1885.

James Van Len, who for the third time had been found guilty of selling liquor to Indians at Fort Union, and sentenced to months imprisonment, and fined \$100 and costs. Van Len took the matter very philosophically, and when advised by Clerk Frank to warn his friends and abstain from their evil ways, said: "Not by a d—d sight. They can find out the folly of it just as I have."

Bloody Dick Seymour, a supposed pal of Scandaler, who was arrested on the land transactions, refuses to squeal and will be held in jail until the next term of court.

Young Tiersot, accused of stealing a registered package from Dr. Knorr, and postoffice, will be bailed out at Omaha by his father.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL. The progressive euchre party given by Dr. and Mrs. Hart, Tuesday evening, was one of the largest and most thoroughly enjoyable of the many similar affairs in the capital city this season. The list of guests was unusually large, and as who were hidden respondents. The royal prize for gentlemen was won by Mrs. Kiers, who entered the contest with the sterner sex, and defeated them. Mrs. Crosby was the winner of the ladies' prize, and our young friend E. B. Coon and Mrs. Espes were rewarded with the goose egg ambience.

Colonel E. D. Webster was in from his Hitechook office Friday yesterday on route to Omaha to discuss a matter. Time dealing gently with the veteran politician, and he is still in appearance and actions as young as when assisting the famous William H. Seward in framing his thundering proclamation, or touching up the patriotism of New Yorkers through the columns of the Times in Raymond's day.

H. B. Granger of Lincoln was married at Wheaton, Ill., last week to Miss E. A. Norbury. Among the guests present were A. E. Hargreaves, Esq., Miss Blanche Hargreaves, and Mrs. J. H. Blair, all of this city. Miss Polly Gardner, so long connected with the Openheimer millinery store, has translated herself in Chicago.

The mother and father of L. S. and H. V. Hoagland have come to Lincoln to settle down with their sons. The departure of Miss May Goulding for her home in Springfield, Ill., was made the occasion of a farewell party Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barnard, whose guest she has been.

W. F. Phillips is home again after a three month's tour of the Pacific coast. Charles Dierich, of the Democratic, is keeping bachelor's hall during the absence of his wife and baby on a visit east.

Rev. Lipe has been sent to Springfield, Ohio, in the interest of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Lutheran church.

Hon. William H. Monger of Fremont, one of the few members of the legislature who is honestly out of politics, was in Lincoln Thursday arguing a case before the supreme court.

ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN, HAS CONCLUDED TO SUE IN LINCOLN.

After eighteen hours deliberation the jury in the case of Rowena Young vs. John C. Deputrin and others came into court at 11:30 to-night with a verdict for the plaintiff, finding her entitled to all the premises in dispute. The property consists of eighty acres of land south of Lincoln valued at \$80,000. Rowena Young claimed title direct from the original owner, Mrs. Irvine, while the present owners, John C. Deputrin, Harriet M. Leighton and the Lincoln Driving Park association, had title from Mrs. Irvine's attorney, James Donovan. This verdict will eject the defendants and put Young in possession.

The divorce suit commenced an action in the district court for a divorce from her husband, John. The plaintiff alleges that she was married to defendant in Lancaster county on the 14th of March, 1883, and that on the 18th of November following he deserted her without cause, and now remains in parts unknown.

The Indiana Home and Building association, with a capital of \$100,000, was incorporated yesterday. An extradition warrant was issued yesterday for the return to Wapello county, Iowa, of George Prince, who is wanted at that place for the murder of Prince is at present in one of the frontier counties of Nebraska.

The trial of Charles Vanderpool on a charge of stealing hogs from B & M, cars resulted in his acquittal. Vanderpool is the first man that has escaped from District Attorney Strode this term.

Hon. G. M. Lambert, attorney for Mrs. Snowden Cochrane, whose husband committed suicide while under the influence of liquor a few weeks ago, is about to bring an action for \$5,000 damages against Thomas Carr under the Slocumb law.

Lincoln people feel quite jubilant over the victory of the Fitzgerald Hose team at New Orleans, and will give the boys a public reception on their return.

Thirteen transactions of real estate, the entire value of which aggregated \$18,000, were made Thursday.

Dr. Gerth, the state veterinarian, says he is satisfied from the reports that Norman Taylor is suffering from brain fever, and not hydrophobia.

Twelve thousand leases of school lands in Hitechook county were signed in the land commissioner's office yesterday.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed March 11, with the county clerk, and reported for the BEE by Ames' Real Estate Agency:

Joseph Crobo (single) to John R. Webster, part of 7, Capitol aid, Omaha, w d—\$2,000.

Gustav W. Haegensen (single) to A. T. McDonald, 1/2 S. 6, 1/2 E. 1/2, town of Elk Horn, Douglas county, w d—\$1,000.

John Davenport, 1/2 Ira Davenport, undivided 1/2 of w 1/2 of n 1/2 of 22-10-9, Douglas county, q—\$1.

John J. Shane (widower) to Luther Drake, 1/2 1/2, 1/2 1/2, 4, and 37, 38 and 39, 3rd, 3rd, 3rd, Douglas county, w d—\$825.

Madame Marianne Leveille, who died recently at St. Michael's hospital, was born at the advanced age of 91 years, left 50 children and grandchildren.

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A woman in Lansingburg, N. Y., has closed with a coroner's jury, and is buried with her and her husband. The latter must find his house unusually quiet now.

Rhinestone spiders now ornament the outside of tiny velvet shoes, and also decorate the toes of the dainty gray French kid sandals worn over garnet silk hose at five-o'clock teas.

San Francisco has a curiosity in the shape of a young woman who can speak, but who will not. Seven years ago her lover, a sea-faring man, was drowned, and since that time she has not uttered a word.

THE HARD OLD MAN.

"A hard old man," the townfolk said, "Yes, a hard old man is he." And sighed for the doleful life he led in his lonely house by the sea.

A hard old man, with searching eye And flowing beard of snow; With never a kind word in reply To the greeting of high or low.

With never a word or smile for any. He lived to himself as a miser may; And gave of his cheer not even a penny, To enrich the world from day to day.

One night a gallant barque, storm-driven, In winter's cold and gloom, Came onward to her doom.

Then up he rose, that hard old man, With iron face and form; And launched his great upon the wave In all that blinding storm.

And through the midnight, and the roar Of breakers on the sand; He rescued all that drowning crew, And brought them safe to land.

"Twas a noble deed and nobly done," 'Tis thus the townfolk say; And the hard old man of yesterday Is the "brave old man" of to-day.

HONEY FOR THE LADIES.

Long and short draperies will be equally in style. Some of the straw hats have Rembrandt brims. Plain and figured velvets have illuminated effects.

Gold and silver tinsel is seen in all the new trims. Dresses are trimmed with lots of little ribbons. Shirts are either plain or laid in perpendicular pleats.

The short spring wraps will have long front tails. The rage for making paper flowers is on the increase. Surahs and rhadames in delicate tints continue in favor.

Alcoholic handkerchiefs are most suitable with full dresses. Jet and oxidized silver beads are combined in the new galleons.

More artificial hair is worn than has been the case for some time. Mantel lambrequins are made quite and in irregular shapes.

Many dresses are made with long waists pointed from front and back. House dresses are still the most popular style for young children.

Sailor hats with broad brims are among the various shapes in vogue. The collars, cuffs and chemises are made of printed cambric. The collars worn at costly buttoned bodices often open at the side.

A Fresno nurseryman offers to give to any old maid over 50 enough trees to set out a small orchard. It is safe to say there will be no takers.

Figaro jackets of dark velvet, slashed from the throat to the bust, worn over light silk vests with afternoon dresses of wool or silk. The slashing on the sleeves corresponds to that on the front.

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YOU WOULD BE. NO ONE CAN CARRY ALL THE LOAD YOU DO WITHOUT BEING TIRED.

"There are times," says Gail Hamilton, "when a woman does not feel like learning a language or saving money. It is just after she has pounded her finger with a tack hammer."

A St. Louis dealer advertises: "I am selling fine corkscrews in their parts at 25c. Unless there is a loaded flask in the hip pocket the inducement of a fine corkscrew in the parts will not capture many purchasers."

"Are you a prohibitionist?" asked Col. De Stone, posing his pocket flask in the air as he regarded his change acquaintance suspiciously. "Any time, then, you will excuse me if I drink before passing you the flask."

A Hoboken father, who has a beautiful daughter, has repined the "God Bless Our Home" motto, which hangs in the parlor, with an illuminated card bearing Ingersoll's remark: "When the Dog Barks It is a Sign That I Am Moving East. Its effect on Sunday nights is thrilling."

A minister who recently held a four weeks' revival at Buckhorn, Brown county, Ill., reports that 1,000 converts were made. He reports two marriages at \$5 each; a benefit supper, the net proceeds of which amounted to \$200; a donation of one hundred dollars to an exciting contest for a cake by two handsome young women, \$33.30.

The gentleman who committed suicide the other day in the Quarter St. German, called the attention of his servant to the fact that he was about to leap through the open window of the dining room, and so there came a knock at the door. A friend came in and asked the servant, "Where is your master?" "He has just gone out, sir," was the calm reply of the valet, pointing to the open window.

To a Pedagogue-Benedict. Dear CIPHER, you've naught left to sigh for, Since units unite when they marry. And you will be quite to see why, For you are not a unit, but a triad.

But when you behold the first baby— I'll tell you in your adding to Larry. The arithmetic changes; and may be You'll add one and have two carry.

IMPIETIES. "Which is right, Edward, 'the wages or sin is death,' or 'the wages of sin are death'?" "Neither, Annabel; the wages of sin is suffering, and the wages of suffering is death."

"Are you a marrying man?" was asked of a some-looking gentleman at an uptown reception. "Yes, sir," was the reply, "I'm a clergyman, and I've just been ordained."

Evangelist Moody objects to church fairs where "any girl can be kissed for twenty-five cents. He is right to object. Twenty-five cents is too good a price for a kiss."

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a chocolate at an early date. It will be served at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith, at a table set out in the parlors of the church. The ladies of the church are to be congratulated on their success in raising money for the support of the church.

A little girl whose father had been reading to her a story of a child who was eaten up by a bear could not see the end of the story. "Oh, papa, wasn't that a dreadful story. And then the poor child couldn't get out of the bear's mouth. It is terrible. There she is inside the bear!" (Boston Record.)

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