# THE IOWA PHARMACY LAW.

An Important Principle Settled in Regard to the Powers of the Commission.

A JOKE ON A TRAVELING MAN.

A Clever Swindler Works an Old Game on Capital City Ladies—Des Moines Becoming Popular For Literary People.

**The Pharmacy Commission's Powers.**

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 23.—[Special to the BEE.]—During the past week there has been settled, so far as the lower courts are concerned, a very important principle with regard to the new pharmacy law. The one thing which the commissioners have had most to fight is the tendency of certain druggists to sell liquors contrary to law. So the commissioners made a rule that suit might be brought directly before it, for violations of law, and if proven guilty the offending druggists would have their pharmacy certificates revoked. A case came up from Atlantic where two druggists were charged with selling liquor as a beverage to habitual drunkards. Just as the commission was proceeding to try the case, a democratic judge of this city issued a temporary injunction stopping the case on the ground that the commissioners had no power to revoke certificates until after the holders of them had been convicted in the regular courts of the state: in other words denying to the commissioners the functions of a court. The democratic judge went out of office at the beginning of the year and his successor, in passing upon the case, dissolved the injunction and held that the district court had no right to interfere with the pharmacy commission when it was sitting in a judicial capacity. The commissioners thereupon proceeded to revoke the certificates of the Atlantic pharmacists, which will compel them to go out of the business of selling liquors, for any purpose whatever. The understanding now is that in any locality where the local courts do not afford relief against law-breaking druggists, the people can appeal directly to the pharmacy commission without the intervention of a court, and if the charges are sustained can have the druggists' certificates revoked and drive them out of the business. It is a very important step gained, if the supreme court does not interfere, as is not probable.

VAUGHN'S RESIGNATION.

There was a large smile found lingering around the capitol the other day, when the mail brought a nicely printed and daintily ribboned communication to the governor from ex-Mayor Vaughn, late of Council Bluffs. The document purported to be a resignation by which the energetic rustler from the slope relinquished the office of "curator of the State university," which he recited had been conferred upon him some time before by the courtesy of the chief executive of the state. The joke of it is, that there is no such office as described, and the ex-mayor was either too ignorant or too little interested to know what he was giving up with so much ceremony. There is a perfunctory office known as curator of the State Historical society, an institution located at Iowa City, where the state university is situated, and Mr. Vaughn evidently had the two institutions mixed in his mind, and fancied that he really had been a trustee or regent, as it is called, of the state university. He was at one time appointed to the former perfunctory office, and it seems that he had never investigated it enough to know its nature. As he resigns it solely on account of his removal to Omaha, it is fair to assume that should Governor Thayer desire him to serve the state of Nebraska in a similar capacity he would kindly consent.

HE TOOK THE GOVERNOR AROUND.

A commercial traveler hanging about the Kirkwood rotunda the other day ran against an unexpected experience. He was remarking in rather loud and boastful terms about the number of places in the city he could find where liquor was sold openly by the drink. A plain, business-looking man standing by quietly remarked: "I heard you say just now that you could show any one a number of places in the city where liquor was sold by the drink?"

"Yes, I said so, and I can do it," was the reply.

"Well, if you have a few minutes to spare I wish you would go and show them to me," remarked the plain looking little man.

"All right, we'll start out now," said the tourist. They started and tramped, and tramped, up Walnut, down Locust, through Third, Fourth, Fifth and other streets, with the little man curiously interested in the outcome of the search. Not an open saloon did they find, and finally the plain looking man who was seeking information remarked, "Well, we have traveled for about an hour, and haven't found an open saloon, as you promised."

"No," said the tourist, "but if you would go into some other places where I could take you, you could get all the liquor you wanted."

"Exactly," replied Governor Larrabee, for he it was, "but no honest man wants to go into the underground apartments and sewer pits into which the traffic has been driven, unless he is a detective or some other officer looking for criminals." The next traveling man that undertakes to show a stranger where liquor is sold openly by the drink, will find out first whether he has tackled the governor of the state or not, for such bluffs don't go very far with him.

AN OLD SWINDLE REPEATED.

A very clever swindler has been taking in some prominent people of the capital city in an old but often successful way. He was a book agent with the usual high priced book to be sold in installments, at 37½ cents a week, and $9 for the whole. He called on the wives of a number of prominent citizens and used the customary flattery, telling them how much he valued their influence and social standing, and how he had reduced the price of the book to them for that reason. The bait took, and the ladies signed little contracts for the $9 as they supposed, and Mr. Agent departed. Chapter two: Thirty-two husbands are notified to call at the bank and pay for notes drawn by their respective wives the amount of $36 each. The old story. The ladies' signatures had been affixed to the larger sum instead of the smaller, as they supposed, and thirty-two husbands have been making violent remarks about the rascality of book agents and the simplicity of women. The story has only leaked out by chance, as the families concerned are among the most prominent in the city, and the husbands are too much ashamed at being caught in this way to have the trick exposed. Among the thirty-two ladies are the wives of one bank president, two bank cashiers, one prominent railway man, and the rest are wives of leading business and professional men.

A PARADISE FOR LITERARY PEOPLE.

The capitol is becoming quite a resort for authors and literary people. Its law library, which ranks about fifth in point of numbers and completeness in the United States, is the constant resort of local attorneys, and receives many visits from lawyers in distant parts of the state who come here to consult its valuable books of reference. The law library had much to do with locating the supreme court permanently at the capital. The supreme judges spend a great deal of their time there, and no part of the building is more visited than the library. Letter writers find many sources of information under the great dome, and authors enjoy the quiet retreats it affords, and the opportunity for consulting its archives. At present there are one or two authors who have taken up semi-permanent quarters there. In one room set apart for his use, can be found ex-Consul General Byers, engaged in writing a war history of Iowa, or more particularly a history of the part Iowa soldiers took in the war. This will include a history of the public acts of the war governor, Samuel Kirkwood, and his relations to the conflict. The old governor was one of the noted characters of that epoch. He enjoyed personal relations with Lincoln that brought the two men very often together. It is known that Lincoln relied very much on the advice and counsel of Kirkwood, and some of Lincoln's letters to him, if published, would attract very general attention and be an important contribution to the documentary history of the war. Mr. Byers, who is writing the history, was lately consul general at Rome, and after the return of Mr. Astor was acting minister for several months. He has written a good deal for periodical literature, and has published one or two small volumes of poems. He expects to be engaged about a year in writing his present book, and he will endeavor to show in it the part taken by every Iowa regiment and command during the war.

Ex-Governor Gue is also at the capitol engaged in a work of somewhat similar character, though the book he is writing aims to be a general history of Iowa, and not of any one epoch. With the facilities for obtaining information which the library and the executive departments afford, the state house is likely to become a favorite resort of authors.

BASE BALL NEWS.

Manager Bryan, of the Des Moines ball club, has now signed twelve men, and is ready for the opening of the season. The men will report to him in New Orleans on the 5th of March, and from that time till the 25th the club will play exhibition games with members of the Southern league. An effort is now being made to arrange for a series of games with the Omahas on the 13th, 14th and 15th of April, and between that and the 30th of April for games with the Detroits, St. Louis, Chicago and Memphis. The regular season of the Northwestern league will open here in Des Moines on the 2d of May.

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W. L. MCCAGUE, Opp. P. O.

**250**

Lots sold in South Omaha this week. There are not many left. When these lots are selling at double their present price, within the next eight months, what will you say if you neglect to get one of them? The terms are easy. Take a ride from my office to the little city Monday. No charge, whether you buy or not.
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**People's Theatre.**

The "Silver Spur" closed their engagement of a week last night to a packed house. This has been the most successful week since Mr. Walton assumed the management of the house—people being turned almost every night. To-night the Georgia Hamlin Dramatic company commence a week's engagement. The Lincoln press, where this company has been playing during the past week, speak in high terms of their abilities. To endeavor to increase the attendance of ladies at this theatre Manager Walton will to-night only admit ladies who are accompanied by gentlemen free. This is a novelty and will doubtless attract a large number of ladies, as the performances are clean, moral and entertaining and any lady can pass a pleasant evening at this theatre.

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**A Profitable Visit.**

Dr. F. M. McCrea, formerly of Eddyville, Iowa, but recently moved to Omaha, called at C. E. Mayne's office one week ago to-day and selected fourteen lots in South Omaha without seeing them. He paid a nominal sum down to bind the bargain, and before he had received his contracts, within three days from the day of purchase he was offered $1,400 for his bargain. A number of others could be cited, who have either sold at a handsome profit or refused good offers.

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Mrs Edith Edwards Franko left on Saturday for New York, where she will visit relatives.

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**Guarantee.**

We guarantee that a street railway will be built to Benson connecting with the center of Omaha, that it will be completed and in operation before the first day of Sept., 1887. That 10,000 or more trees will be planted on the lots in Benson this spring, that all lots sold before the trees are put out will receeive their proportion the same as those unsold.
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**Chance of a Life Time.**

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## A SUCCESS.

**The Initial Concert of the Philharmonic Orchestra.**

The new Philharmonic Orchestra, under the leadership and management of Nahan Franko, made its first bow to the public yesterday afternoon, in the concert at Boyd's opera house. A very large audience, numbering fully 1,000 people or more, was present, this circumstance being a surprise to the projectors of the affair, as Sunday afternoon concerts have not been well patronized here.

The programme was a good one, several numbers being encored. It was as follows:

March.....“Greeting to America”.....Bial
Overture .....“Romantique”....Keler-Bela
Waltz .....“Wienerblut”.....Strauss
Air, Serenade — String Quartette — Bach, Haydn
Selections.....From “Carmen”.....Bizet
Intermezzio.....“Butterfly”.....Gungl
Cornet Solo.....F. Abt
“Sleep well, Sweet Angel”,
Mr. Henry Lutz.
Waltz.... “Sounds from the Main”.. Parlow
Introduction and Quartette.....Verdi
From “Rigoletto”
Violin Solo..“Fantasie Caprice”.....Hauser
Mr. Nathan Franko.
Lullaby, Love Song — String Quartette — Kjerulf, Taubert
March of the Priests.....Mendelssohn
From “Athalia.”

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# A NEW HOUSE OF PRAYER

The Church of All Saints Appropriately Blessed Yesterday.

DR. FOY ON THE MODEL HUSBAND

Christ As An Advocate—Sunday's Sermons and Sports—The Philharmonic Concert—Brevities and Other Local Items.

**The All Saints Church.**

Nearly two years ago the first announcement was made that there was to be a separation amongst the members of Trinity parish. This announcement was made so shortly after the consecration of Bishop Worthington, as also the dedication of the new cathedral, that it occasioned considerable surprise among many of the members of the church. It soon became evident, however, that the intent of those leaving Trinity was to establish another Episcopalian church, in the western part of the city, which, while being more convenient to their homes, might, at the same time, be blessed with the advantages which the wealth of its members could secure. It was decided to call the church All Saints. Since the time mentioned, the leaders of the movement have been working quietly, yet effectively, in fact so quietly, that the announcement, made a few days ago, that All Saints has been completed, took hundreds of people by surprise. Yesterday morning, the little edifice, which is situated on the corner of Harney and Twenty-fifth streets, was blessed in the presence of a large congregation. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Worthington. The new rector, Rev. Louis Zahner, was installed, and the sermon was preached by Bishop Seymour, of Springfield, Ill. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock the admission of choristers took place and this ceremony was followed by even song. The choir of this church consists of eighteen boys and nine men. They were first instructed by Carl Florio, of New York City, one of the most skillful trainers and accomplished musicians in this country. Since he returned home the boys have been under the instruction of Mr. Pennell, the choirmaster.

The church of All Saints is one of the prettiest in the city. It has about it an air of eloquence and refinement, which in every respect is emblematic of the taste and aspirations of the people who compose its society. The interior is very beautiful. The side windows are filled with Venetian glass in geomerical forms, with blue headings of neat figures. The west window is very rich in color and embellished by very many and beautiful jewels. It is a gift of a member of the vestry in memory of his little child. The east window is even more rich in color and decoration, and was the gift of several members of the vestry and gentlemen of the city in memory of Bishop Clarkson. The altar and reredos are of richly carved oak, in antique color, and the panels are, too, filled with brilliantly decorated metals. They are the gift of a lady of the parish, also in memory of of Bishop Clarkson. The choir and nave are separated by a large screen of oak, richly carved, which has been built in Chicago, but has not arrived. It will arrive in a few days and be in its place in due time.

## CHRIST THE ADVOCATE.

**Rev. Sherrill's Sermon at the Congregational Church.**

At the Congregational church yesterday morning the pastor, Rev. A. F. Sherrill, preached an interesting sermon from the text in John 21, "If any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ, the Righteous." The sermon is outlined as follows:

Job said: "Tho' I justify myself, my own mouth shall condemn me." He mourned there was no daysman "to lay his hands on us both," in reconciliation. The gospel is, we have an advocate—Jesus Christ—"Causæ Patronus" says one of the old writers, "A defender of my cause before the Judge." Before the Judge of all the earth, to whom each must give account, we cannot answer for "one of ten thousand" of our sins. Jesus Christ is entered into heaven, "to appear before God, for us."

What are His qualities, to recommend Him to us as an advocate?

1. He has great power. Jeremiah Mason, of Massachusetts, was a man of remarkable power. Daniel Webster said he would rather meet the combined bar of New England than Jeremiah Mason single handed and alone. Jesus Christ "appears before God," the Judge, in great power. He is "clothed with power," He has "all power" on earth and in heaven; able to defend, "mighty to save," and if you stand beside Him, you are as one in the shelter of a great rock.

2. He has "all treasures of wisdom and knowledge." He knows you and your case thoroughly, the law, the judge, all the environment. Once, in conducting a case, Lincoln found, at a late stage of the trial, his client had concealed damaging facts, which could not now be taken care of, and he threw up the case; but Jesus Christ will suffer no surprises. He knows every count against you, and how to meet it. Parker Noyes, of New Hampshire, had a clear, honest mind, and a thorough knowledge of the law, yet lacked power. Some advocates rarely fail to antagonize both judge and jury. But Christ, besides power, has perfect knowledge of your case; of the law, in its every application, of the judge, how to rightly and most successfully address him.

3. He takes a deep interest in your case. On the morning of trial, Rufus Choate said to the prisoner: "My friend, shall we make a pull for life, together, to-day?" He had such sympathy and deep interest in the case, He made it so completely his own before the court, gaining upon them, and centering all in himself, that an adverse verdict seemed like condemning him to death. Imagine the interest of Jesus Christ in the defense of John, the beloved disciple, or Mary of Nazareth, and how He would make the case His own. But He is "no respecter of persons." He is "not willing that any perish," and his mighty heart would be stirred to the same depths in your behalf.

4. He has suffered for us, and it was promised it should be atoning suffering. Paul makes this the chief element in his intercession that he pleads the eloquent reasons of his live wounds.

"Gread Advocate, Almighty Friend!
Our cause can never, never fail,
For Jesus pleads—pleads the full merits of his blood—
And must prevail."

5. He has never lost a case fully committed to Him and kept fully in His hands. He never will. Great generals are sometimes defeated. The ablest of earth's advocates sometimes fail. "He is able to save to the uttermost all that come unto God by Him."

What are His terms? Able advocates for important cases require large fees, Alas, then, for most of earth's children! But here comes the contrast and "good news" of the gospel. It's central word is "Whosoever will," "Without money and without price." You have only to come and fully commit your case unto Him, "trust also in Him and He will bring it to pass." Remember three things:

1. There is only one Advocate, one God and one mediator between God and man—Christ Jesus. "Neither is there salvation in any other, for there is none other name under heaven given among men whereby we must be saved."

2. The time to secure Him is now. Once two sailors, ashore on a Pacific island, ventured a robbery, relying on Rufus Choate, a relative of one of them, to clear them if detected. The ship which brought them in irons to Boston, sailed into port just as the bells of the city were tolling the death of Rufus Choate, and they went to prison for life. Jesus Christ does not die, but you do, and you do not know what a day may bring forth. Come to Him now; commit your case to Him today, lest too late you find yourself condemned to an eternal prison house.

3. This is the way you may know he has surely become your advocate and will defend you—when you are following his directions for conduct as given in His New Testament.

## "THE MODEM HUSBAND."

**The First of a Series of Sermons on the Domestic Relation.**

The Rev. Dr. Foy preached an excellent sermon last night at the Christian church, corner of Twentieth street and Capitol avenue, on "The Model Husband," taking his text from Eph. v:2 2-33, wherein husbands are instructed regarding their duties to their wives. The discourse was the first of a series on the domestic relations. The young people were largely represented in his audience.

The bible declares that marriage is "honorable in all" and classes its prohibition with "the doctrine of devils." There are circumstances where celibacy is a duty, as where a party has constitutional weakness or disease of a character to make short and miserable the lives of his descendents or when a person is conscious of peculiarities of temperament that render constant association with others a source of wretchedness. But to any man possessed of a healthy, mental, physical and moral organization, marriage is not only a blessed privilege but a duty which he owes to himself and to society. He is at once riveted to his place in the system of things by unspeakably tender ties. He cannot afford to be a weathercock, carried about by the pressure of vagrant fancy. Such a man goes forth with the morning sun, determined "in the world's broad field of battle" to "be a hero in the strife."

A wife, when she occupies her true position, is neither the superior nor the dependent of her husband. She is his helpmate, his companion, the partner of his toils, sacrifices, joys and sorrows. She is equally interested with her husband in the success or failure of his life-work, and therefore entitled to his confidence. The marriage covenant is a mutual agreement, and the obligations arising from it are reciprocated and he who wantonly violates this covenant or treats it as a one-sided affair, is no better then a seducer. He has falsely won confidence basely to betray it. If there is on the earth a being who deserves the appelation of a "worm," it is the man who after his pure wife has parted with her virgin charms in his service, in wearisome vigils and domestic drudgery in behalf of her family and his, abandons her society and amuses himself in dancing attendance and lavishing attentions on other women.

But suppose a well-meaning man finds himself disappointed in the woman he gains as his wife? He had no right to expect an angel but a woman, a being of like imperfections with himself. But if a man has allowed the glamour of youthful fancy to obscure the imperfections of the woman he has chosen to share his lot, he should do as noble souls have always done; make the best of a bad bargain. Woman possessed of a far higher idea of the sacredness of the marriage relation, though she shrinks more than the man from any publication of her shattered ideas, is the most frequent sufferer. Let such a man listen to the voice of Jeptha—mistaken, austere but truthful, promise keeping Jeptha, "I have opened my mouth to the Lord and I cannot go back."

Again, an obligation rests upon the husband to give his wife his cheerful, loving, sympathetic society and to consult her regarding to his associates. Love gives a woman perspicacity that pierces appearances and out does a man's laborious logic.

It is not required of a husband that he be a love lorn Romeo, inditing amatory verses to his wife's eyebrow or that he parade in public to the disgust of sensible people; caresses and endearments too sacred for the general eye. His conduct should be distinguished by a manly courtesy removed alike from the gush of the spoony lover and the brutal coarseness of the conjugal bruin.

The model husband gives to his wife the honor of maintenance and he does it ungrudgingly. His chief solicitude is not that he must provide for her but that he cannot provide as elegantly as her merits and sacrifices demand.

The model husband recognizes that a woman's spiritual nature is strong; that religion and philantrophy form part of her endowment at the hands of her Heavenly Father. He has no sneers for the church and its ministry; he does not retail every instance of the weakness of a private member and every exposure of clerical hypocricy with annotations and sweeping generalizations to the soul who clings despite her mighty disappointment to her faith in purity, in virtue and in manhood.

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**A Letter From Sullivan.**

P. Fallon yesterday received a letter from John L. Sullivan. In it the champ says he expects to make a trip to Winnipeg with the combination, which will then return to Minneapolis and disband next week. Sullivan and Sheedy will then go to Chicago and in two months the combination will be reorganized in stronger shape than ever at Minneapolis. Sullivan says that his arm is very badly injured. He thinks that it will require two months for the bones to knit together, and months of rest after that for a complete recovery.

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**Train Robbery in Texas.**

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 23.—At 3 o'clock this morning, as the east bound Texas Pacific express was pulling out of Gordon, a small station five miles west of here, two masked men jumped on the engine and covered the engineer and fireman with revolvers. The engineer was compelled to pull ahead till the train reached a high trestle. As soon as the engine and baggage and mail cars had passed over the train stopped, leaving the passenger coaches on the trestle. At this point the masked men were reinforced by half a dozen assistants. The robbers then went through the express car, taking all the money and valuables in the safe, estimated from $2,000 to $15,000. The robbers then proceeded to the mail car, where they rifled twenty-eight registered packages. The passengers were not disturbed and their coaches being on a high tressle they could not get out to render the train men any assistance. No clue to the robbers.

# IMPORTANT PRESS MEETING

Call For a Gathering of the Nebraska Association On Urgent Business.

A NEW LINCOLN NEWSPAPER.

Strong Talk of Establishing a Morning Sheet Which Will Give the News—Mr. Dempster Set Right—Lincoln Happenings.

[FROM THE BEE'S LINCOLN BUREAU.]

A meeting of the Nebraska Press association has been called to meet at the Capital hotel on Thursday evening of this week. At the Omaha meeting, the annual meeting of the association, a committee on matters of legislation was appointed, and this committee has prepared several matters of importance to the press and the people of the state. It is absolutely necessary that the members of the association and the publishers of the state place the seal of endorsement on the work prepared, if the good results are to come, hence the necessity and the call for this meeting. The bill for the publication of the laws of the state in the newspapers, as recommended by both the retiring governor and Governor Thayer, is now on its way in both branches of the legislature. The bill as drafted is practically the same as the laws in the state of New York and Minnesota, covering the ground and which are received with satisfaction by the people of those states. In the house this bill was introduced by the Hon. J. C. Watson, of Otoe, and in the senate, by Hon. T. J. Majors, of Nemaha. The house bill is now in the hands of the committee on printing, and the senate bill is in the hands of the committee on finance, ways and means. There are also many vague matters and discrepancies in the present laws in regard to what proper legal rates are and a careful and systematical revision of these for the common good will be attempted. The publishers of the state are therefore urged to attend this meeting of the association.

A MORNING PAPER FOR LINCOLN.

Parties of means have been in Lincoln the past two weeks taking a careful review of the field, as they have reached the conclusion, as it is privately given out, that they consider the city a good field for a morning newspaper. There are a great many citizens of Lincoln who believe the city has reached the population limit when a morning newspaper is demanded, and they are in a quiet way giving the project a warm endorsement. It is understood that the State Journal, to meet this encroachment, as they term it, will the coming month publish seven days in the week. But the gentlemen having the project in view are not at all worried over what may be done in this line, their object being to give the Lincoln citizens a morning newspaper with the news.

A CORRECTION.

In the key-hole report of the celebrated caucus that settled the senatorial fight there were some errors that crept in owing to the difficulties in getting reports at all through such an indistinct way. In the published reports of the caucus it was given out that Representative Dempster, of Fillmore, was making motions for a secret ballot, and as this report was directly opposite to the stand Mr. Dempster has taken in the entire contest, the fact as published places him in an entirely false position. Mr. Dempster was elected to support Senator Van Wyck and all the way through the memorable contest he was with the general's forces and was a party to the agreement that if they joined the caucus the ballot should be an open one and his vote when this rule was subjected to attempts at breaking it was always for an open ballot.

ABOUT TOWN.

The Lincoln branch of the Irish National League of America held a meeting at their hall at 3 p. m. yesterday, presided over by Hon. Patrick Egan. A number of new members were enrolled, and steps will be taken at once for a mass meeting to raise funds for the anti-eviction fund.

Passengers on the outgoing noon train yesterday saw a very narrow escape on the part of a passenger. Notwithstanding that the day was Sunday, this man had secured more liquor than he needed, and when the train was getting up to good rate of speed going out of the city westward he made up his mind he wanted to stay in Lincoln. In getting off he turned a half-dozen times heels over head, and crawled out of the ditch in a badly bruised condition.

The next attraction at the Funke opera house is booked for Thursday evening, the 27th, it being the first visit of Miss Minnie Maddern to this city, who will present to Lincoln for the first time the fireside idyl "Caprice."

The divorce mill was reinforced Saturday by the addition of another case to the long roll of litigants for liberty. The family name of these parties in trouble is Robinson; brutal and violent assault of the husband against the wife is the allegation set forth as the grounds for divorcement.

A party who was making himself obnoxious at one of the boarding houses in the city was rather roughly handled by the proprietor yesterday. He was cursing and abusing every one and he received a square knockdown to quiet him. No complaints or arrests were made.

**A Vicious Virtue.**

CORTLAND, Neb., Jan. 23.—[Special to the BEE.]—This town was thrown into considerable excitement by the arrest of Joseph O'Brian, a leading merchant, and reported to be worth $20,000, by a railroad detective named Mullen, for stealing a wagon load of coal from a car, assisted by a barber named John Kniper. O'Brian admits taking the coal, but claims he took it for charity and drew it to a widow's house, where he was boarding.

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**Resolutions of Condolence.**

The following resolutions of condolence were unanimously passed at the last meeting of the Omaha Association, No. 1, N. A. S. E., held in their hall January 21.

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty God in His divine wisdom to take to Himself the beloved son of our worthy and respected president and brother, George Bruin; be it therefore

Resolved, That the officers and members of Omaha No. 1, N. A. S. E., do sincerely sympathise with our brother and family in their sad bereavement in this, their hour of affliction, in the loss of an unusually bright and beloved son, and commend them for consolation to Him who does all things well, and who alone can heal their lacerated hearts; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to our beloved brother and family, accompanied by the prayer that God, in his allwise providence, may see fit to quickly restore the remaining members of his family who are afflicted to their customary health.

Signed in behalf of the association.
CARL BENSON, Past President.
E. C. LAMSON, Vice President.

**Carriages.**

Free rides to and from Benson Monday. Remember this will be the last day on which no interest will be charged on deferred payments. C. E. MAYNE,
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W. L. MCCAGUE, Opp. P. O.

**Saved at Niagara's Brink.**

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 23.—A sewer a quarter of a mile in length running under the town forms a part of the bed of a muddy creek which, during thaws in winter, is swollen into a rushing river of large volume which empties into Niagara river over the precipice near the whirlpool rapids. The river was running fifteen miles an hour last night when Bertha Farrell, aged four years, who was seated in a hand sled, slid into it. Her sister Blanche, aged ten, jumped in after her, and both were swept into the sewer. A rush made for the other end, and men secured by ropes jumped into the water and waited for the children to appear. Bertha came first, under water, and Blanche followed on top. When taken out both were apparently lifeless, but after much difficulty they were resuscitated. The children were in the water ten minutes, most of the time submerged.

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**Preaching to Deaf Mutes.**

Prof. McDermid of the Iowa deaf and dumb institute, was in the city yesterday and preached to the deaf mutes of this city at the St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church. Prof. McDermid's subject was "Be Watchful," upon which he preached an excellent discourse.

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**Ways That Are Dark.**

William Anderson has caused the arrest his two sons, W. H. and Lewis Anderson on the charge of threatening to kill him. The boys, it is charged, drew a gun on their father as the culmination of a family row.

Ben Conlin was arrested yesterday on a charge of embezzlement made by A. S. Dobson for whom Conlin has been selling rugs and door mats.

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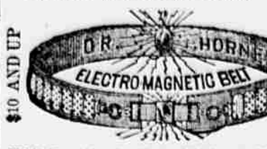


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