THE CITY.

The internal revenue collection yesterday were $14,404.04.

Judge Shields, yesterday granted a permit to a deaf and dumb man to get married.

John Williams, a colored man who has been in several times, was fined $25 by Judge Berka yesterday.

P. H. Allen, of 310 North Twenty-second street, reports a lawn mower stolen from his premises Monday night.

A single harness was stolen yesterday from the barn of H. E. Powers, at 2624 Leavenworth street. The bridle had glass rosettes bearing the letter P.

The total number of building permits issued during the past month amounted to 196, and the buildings to be erected will cost $535,230.

The expenses of memorial day were $549.50, and at a meeting of the committee every obligation was disposed of, there being sufficient money to go around.

Ella Frayzier, a notorious colored character of lower Capital avenue, succeeded in robbing F. P. Clark, a white man from South Twentieth Street, of $6, at her place yesterday afternoon. She was arrested.

The Lombard investment company of Lincoln has come to the conclusion that Omaha is the most central place for the transaction of their business and propose moving here as soon as suitable quarters can be secured.

A young tiller of the soil living in the western part of the county stepped into the office of the county clerk yesterday, planked down the scalp of a wolf and received as a reward, the usual fee of one dollar. He killed the wolf a few months ago.

Martin Hendrix, who runs a saloon at Twenth-eighth and Cuming streets, was run in yesterday for hitting a man on the head with a beer glass and cutting an ugly gash. The victim had been taken in the day before, and was registered at the Hotel de Seavey as John Doe, No. 2. The slugging was the finale of a quarrel.

"Elizabeth R. Wheaton, prison evangelist. 'Jesus is coming soon. Prepare to meet thy God,'" was the reading on a card presented by an aged lady, who was accompanied by two other women, to Sheriff Coburn yesterday afternoon. The visitors asked permission to pray and sing to the prisoners in the jail. Their request was cheerfully complied with and for an hour religious services were held.

Personal Paragraphs.

Wm. F. Bechel, president of the city council, is seriously ill at his residence.

C. S. Baldwin has returned from Kansas City, where he has been for a week in attendance upon his daughter, Mrs. Mertsheimer, who has been dangerously ill but who is now in a fair way to recover.

At the Hotel Barker: L. G. Felch, Salt Lake City; G. E. Hull, Burlington, Ia.; W. Bellenger, Cedar Rapids; K. Palmer, Schuyler, Neb.; M. M. Dunison, R. Stewart, George F. Work, Hasting, Neb.; J. Buck, Crete, Neb.; F. Watson, Salt Lake; Chas. J. Manning, Utica, N. Y.; E. Hise, San Francisco; W. H. Fairchild, Aurora.

To Compete For a Prize.

Ed Rothery is organizing a hose company to go to Deadwood, Dak., July 4, to compete in a tournament for a $500 purse. He expects to bring back the cash.

Where Is He?

WESTON, May 30.— To the Editor of THE BEE: Please enquire in your paper about Joseph Lemper, as I have not heard from him, since he started with a bridge gang out of Louisville towards Plattsmouth. Please answer soon. FRANK COPECKY.

No More Lunch.

The Paxton has abandoned its four-meals-a-day system, the noon lunch being dispensed with. Hereafter dinner will be from 12:30 p. m. to 2:30; and supper from 6 to 8:30 p. m. It is claimed the change has been made in response to the request of patrons.

Barrett's Inquest.

An inquest was held yesterday afternoon at Drexel & Maul's over the remains of J. W. Barrett, the man who was knocked down in the runaway on the corner of Eleventh. The verdict returned was that death ensued from injuries inflicted by a party or parties to the jury unknown.

They Were Probably Stolen.

Dr. Tilden left his horse and buggy tied in front of the Granite block yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, and on returning a few minutes later he discovered they were missing, and since then he has been unable to find any traces of them. The police are looking into the matter.

A Young Folk's Banquet.

At the close of the Ladies' Missionary society, of the St. Mary's avenue Congregational church, Monday June 3, the young ladies of the society and their friends repaired to the hospitable residence of Rev. Willard Scott, the pastor, where a banquet was spread, covers being laid for fifty. They enjoyed themselves as only young folk can, until the time for the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. F., when they returned to the church and spent a pleasant hour.

A Double Wedding.

An event which will be memorable in the family history of Mr. E. B. Wood occurred yesterday at his residence on North Eighteenth street. His daughter, Fannie, was married to Mr. Frank D. Tenney, of Dakota, and his son was at the same time married to Miss Lucy Leese. These ladies have for some time been teachers in our public schools. The bridal party left last evening for Minneapolis and Duluth and other cities to the north. Mr. and Mrs. Tenny will return to their Dakota home, and Mr. and Mrs. Wood to Omaha.

That Fatal Gravel Pile.

The verdict of the coroner's jury, Monday, in the case of John Mack, who was killed in South Omaha, was a surprise to everybody. If the company had not unnecessarily allowed the gravel to lie between both tracks, the accident had not taken place, it is claimed, and gravel was no more allowable there than a pit into which he could have fallen would have been. The funeral of the poor fellow will take place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late residence on South Tenth street. It will be under the direction of the Switchmen's union.

Going to the Typos.

Mike Buckley, the foreman of the BEE'S stereotype room, has been elected delegate of the Omaha Pressmen, Stereotoper's and Electrotyper's union, to the international convention of the Typographical union, which is to be held in Kansas City commencing on the 11th inst., and continuing probably six days. Before the assembling of the convention, the pressmen and stereotypers will hold a convention of about four days and afterwards take part with their typographical brothers. Mr. Buckley will make an excellent representative. After the convention he will go to Chicago and return to Omaha with a bride.

A Morning Blaze.

A supply house of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, situated neat Cut-off lake, was discovered to be on fire about 6 o'clock yesterday morning. The building was about 40x30 and contained a large supply of engine, station and train supplies, among the latter about fifty barrels of oil. The flames rapidly spread and set fire to the oil and although fire companies 1 and 6 worked hard the building was burned to the ground. The structure was an old one and was not valued at more than $500. The loss in stock was probably double that amount.

Omaha's Races.

The array of fast horses for the Omaha June races is rapidly gaining magnificent proportions. The races will begin June 12 and continue till June 15. Among the flyers will be Elmwood Chief, Edgewood, McLeod, who was styled the Nebraska wonder in the east last season, and a host of others. Among the entries will be about twenty Omaha flyers, while in the slow classes there will be a number without a record which are destined to do some good work. It is quite probable that Westmont, with a record of 2.01¼ with running mate, will be secured for an exhibition of speed. The attractions will be trotting, running and pacing, and pools will be sold on the grounds. The races will be for a purse of $2,000.

REPUBLICANS.

Union Pacific.

"THE OVERLAND ROUTE,"

Will sell through tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip, from points in Nebraska and Kansas, to parties desiring to attend the National Republican Convention to be held in Chicago June 19th. Tickets good going June 16th to 19th, and returning June 20th to 25th inclusive, with continuous passage only in each direction.

I have opened my Woodruff granite quarries and can fill all orders of almost any dimensions. Rock can be seen at stone yards of Wm. Tyler, Lincoln, Neb. THOS PRICE.

Dr. McGrew. Rectal, urinary & private diseases only. Room 5, Barker bl'k.

AN UNKNOWN MAN.

Who is Pronounced Both Wealthy and a Pauper.

In Heafey & Heafey's there lies dead a man whose name is supposed to be Frank Murray, concerning whom somebody must be lying. He died at St, Joseph's hospital on last Sunday morning. The undertakers above mentioned were called to take charge of the body. They found present a man named O'Neill, who claimed to be a friend of the deceased, and who stated that he had watched over him for a short time. He said further that Murray's folks resided in Rochester, N. Y.; that he knew where Murray's trunk was; that he would get the trunk, open it and find the name and address of the dead man's friends. He said that Murray was well-to-do; that two weeks ago Murray had paid a Dr. Smith, who runs a highly advertised office in one of the buildings of this city, $200, to be cured of the dropsy, and that the cure had not been effected. He said also he (O'Neill) would see Dr. Smith and get him to surrender some of the money alleged to have been paid him by Murray to aid in the burial. As a proof of O'Neill's intimacy with Murray he paid Patrick Heafey, of the above firm, $45 in advance out of $50 of Murray's money, which he had with him at the time, saying at the same time he would keep the remaining $5 for himself. O'Neill left Heafey's to go to Dr. Smith's and Murray's boarding house, but has not since been heard of by Heafey. Why has he not returned? If Murray was well-off in life, his trunk would perhaps have some material, possibly money, which it might be thought advisable to make away with. But in so doing the scoundrel would consign the dead man to a grave among strangers. It was hinted that O'Neill had been bought up to disappear. But whether this were well founded or not can not be ascertained, because thus far no clue has been found as to where Murray boarded or removed before going to the hospital.

The Doctor Smith above referred to was seen by a BEE man yesterday. He has resided here three months. He formerly resided in Denver, went thence to Leadville, coming thence to Omaha. He said he knew Murray as a miner, under the name of Kokome, in Denver; treated and cured him of the piles; was paid $25 for same. In Leadville Murray sought relief for another internal ailment. The doctor said he could only give him some medicine because, he (the doctor) was about to move to Omaha and could not wait to cure. "Kokome" said he thought he would come to Omaha too, as it was as good as any place. This was a strange resolution for a miner to make. The doctor moved here. Marray followed, and a couple of weeks ago, the doctor says, called on him. His bowels and liver the doctor says were in a horrible condition. He had no money, his landlord or landlady did not want to keep him longer. The doctor suggested that he go to the hospital and make application. Murray was admitted and the doctor says he paid $10 for Murray's board and attendance for two weeks. Murray died. The story is still incomplete. Its lack of completeness suggests several querries. Who is Murray? Did he live in Rochester? Was he a miner? If so, why did he move to a town around which no mines are located? If Murray had no money, where did O'Neill get the $50 which he claimed to be and gave up as Murray's? Where did Murray board or room in Omaha? Where is O'Neill now? O'Neill is described as a short, thick set man, with chin beard, dark brown and soiled clothes. It is possible that some person who may read these lines, if he should see the remains, would be able to identify the same, or tell where the unfortunate boarded in life. There are some strange circumstances connected with the affair which warrant investigation.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Union Pacific.

"THE OVERLAND ROUTE,"

Will sell through tickets at one fare for the round trip, from points in Nebraska and Kansas to parties desiring to attend the meeting of the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, June 12th to 16th inclusive. Tickets good going June 8th to 13th and returning June 13th to 19th inclusive, with continuous passage only in each direction.

Shetland pony for sale by George A. Keeline, Council Bluffs.

THE RAILROADS.

Not so Stupendous After All—General Items of Interest.

On several different occasions the "only great" railroad organ of the city has printed leaded items concerning a scheme of the Santa Fe in obtaining a continuous route across the continent. A traffic contract has been made, so it was asserted, by which the Erie road was to carry east bound freight from Buffalo, while the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern was selected as the Chicago-Buffalo line.

First vice-president, C. W. Smith, says there is no truth whatever in the report, and further that the Santa Fe has no intention of extending its system east of Chicago, or of making any traffic arrangements whatever with any other road. The report, so Mr. Smith asserts, must have originated from the recent arrangements made between the Erie and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, which operates over the Santa Fe system, and which has no more interest than other companies and does business with the road on the same terms.

So it will be seen that the "stupendous scheme" mentioned is not so stupendous after all.

FOUND DEAD.

Conductor Farrell of train 19 on the Union Pacific found the dead body of a tramp lying beside the track at Ames, a point about fifty miles west of this city. There were no marks on his person to indicate that he had been struck by a train.

WILL NOT RIDE ON THE "Q."

The following correspondence passed between Mr. George R. Dunne, of the C. B. & Q., and a principal of one of the schools in Chicago relative to the National Teachers' association in California, in July.

C. B. & Q. R. R. CO.

Mr. E. A. Barnes, principal Webster school, Chicago, Ill: Dear Sir—I wish to see you regarding the teachers' trip to California in July next. Kindly advise me when it will be most convenient for you to have me call, and oblige.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE R. DUNNE.

The following is Mr. Barnes' reply:

CHICAGO, Ill., May—Mr. George R. Dunne. Dear Sir—So far as I know the sympathies of the public teachers are with the Brotherhood and decidedly against the C. B. & Q. So long as there are other routes to travel we shall never board a "Q" passenger train.

Respectfully,
E. A. BARNES.

REPUDIATING THE ACTION.

A vigorous protest is being made by several divisions of the order of Railway Conductors relative to the action of the executive officers in issuing a circular which purported to give some facts concerning the strike on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, but which are in reality alleged to be a tissue of falsehoods. Wasatch Division 124, in its meeting at Ogden, denounced the action and claim that an almost irreparable injury has been done the order by their action.

The Brakemen's Journal severely scores the executive officers of the O. R. C. for implicating the B. R. B., and asserts that the circular issued is "full of nauseating drivel and has brought nothing but odium upon its promulgators."

SPIKES.

T. J. McIntosh, chief clerk in the general passenger office of the Utah Central at Salt Lake City, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. P. S. Eustis, the general passenger and ticket agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, enters upon the duties of his office on Monday next.

J. F. Griffin, president of the Griffin Car Wheel company of Chicago, accompanied by J. K. Cullen, of the Niles (Mich.) steel works, is in the city.

Preparations are being made by the B. & M. folks for the Chautauqua assembly at Crete, June 28 to July 10. A large attendance is anticipated.

Two washouts are reported on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad. One of them, near Emerson, caused a delay of trains for a few hours. The other is on the Randolph branch, and has temporarily stopped the running of trains.

TO SALT LAKE AND RETURN.

The Union Pacific.

"THE OVERLAND ROUTE,"

Will sell tickets from all Kansas and Nebraska points for the special excursion to Salt Lake City and return, June 6th, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets going good five days, and returning fifteen days, extreme limit thirty days. Stop-over privileges allowed within these limits. Parties desirous of visiting Garfield Beach, on Great Salt Lake, the famous watering place of the west, should improve the opportunity now offered.

Smoke Seidenberg's Figaro and get the best 5-cent cigar in the world. Max Meyer & Co., wholesale depot.

MORTUARY.

PICKERING.

The remains of Mrs. H. J. Pickering, who died at her late home, 1214 Virginia avenue on Sunday, were sent to Philadelphia Monday evening for interment.

JOHNSON.

The body of Mrs. J. N. Johnson, who departed this life Monday morning, were sent to Harrisburg, Pa., her old home, where the burial will take place.

THRANE.

The funeral of C. C. Thrane, late councilman of this city, took place yesterday at 10 o'clock from the residence of the deceased on South Tenth street. It was largely attended, among those present being the Danish society and Keystone lodge, I. O. O. F., of both of which organizations Mr. Thrane was a member. The remains were interred in Prospect Hill cemetery.

DEMOCRATS.

Union Pacific.

"THE OVERLAND ROUTE,"

Will sell through tickets to St. Louis, Mo., to parties desiring to attend the National Democratic Convention, to be held at that place, on June 5th, at one fare for the round trip, from points in Nebraska and Kansas. Tickets going good June 2nd to 5th, inclusive, and returning June 6th to 11th, inclusive, good for continuous passage only in each direction.

When you come to Omaha stop at the Globe, the best located $2-a-day hotel in town. Between 13th and 14th streets on Douglas.

John S. Walker and Miss Annie Rasnick, both of Omaha, were married last evening at the residence of J. E. Wright, 1415 South Sixth street, Justice A. C. Read officiating.

Stop at the Globe hotel

BENCH AND BAR.

United States Court.

WANT A NEW TRIAL.

The attorneys for the defendants in the case of Ley against Groneweg & Schoentgen which was tried last week and a verdict rendered for the plaintiff in the sum of $3,000 have filed a motion for a new trial in the case on the grounds that the verdict is not in accordance with the law, the evidence, the amount of evidence, the instructions of the court and that the court erred in overruling the motion of the defendants to have him instruct the jury that a verdict be returned for the defendants. The motion has not been argued or passed upon.

Millard Mills, the soldier under indictment for murder, was Monday ordered to be turned over to the military authorities. The order was made on account of the lack of funds to procure witnesses for the trial of the case in this court.

Miller Miles, held for murder, will not be tried this term on account of the exhaustion of the fund for witness fees, and Monday he has been handed over to the authorities at Fort Robinson for safe keeping.

The creamery case of Davis against Ellis was given to the jury yesterday afternoon without argument.

The case of Fairbanks & Co. of St. Louis against the city of Blair, Neb., was called. The suit is to recover $10,386, a balance claimed to be due for the construction of a system of waterworks for Blair. The contract, amounting to something over $18,000, was made in 1885 and the works tendered to the city in December of that year. Water was obtained from driven wells. The contract called for 800,000 gallons per day, but the works did not furnish a quarter of that amount. It is also claimed by the defendant that the pipes leaked and had to be uncovered and recalked. The plaintiff maintained that the required amount of water could not be obtained from driven wells. In March, 1886 the city of Blair took forcible possession of the works, had the pipes recalked and engaged Joseph Burns to put down additional wells. It is asserted that Blair now has a successful system of waterworks, such as it should have had under the Fairbanks contract.

H. Haldame of Council Bluffs and W. H. Farnsworth of Blair were admitted to practice before Judge Dundy yesterday.

The Smith-Lowy-Cole case was set down for a hearing Saturday morning. Smith and Attorney Tenney, who had come to Omaha in the expection that the matter would be taken up yesterday, returned to Chicago by the afternoon train.

District Court.

VAN ETTEN'S LAST BLOW.

The cold nerve exhibited by David Van Etten Monday, in his appearing in the court as an attorney in a case pending the last ruling in his case, and his departure for the state penitentary to serve a year's sentence, was too much for the judges on the bench, and yesterday Judge Doane announced that Mr. Van Etten's name had been stricken from the list of members of the bar until the last legal decision should be made in his case, or until such time as they saw fit to reinstate him. The announcement was no surprise to the members of the bar, as some such action on the part of the court was expected.

ROBERTS' TRIAL.

The case of the state against Joseph Roberts, charged with criminally assaulting Anna Bellman, an eight-year-old child, was called yesterday before Judge Groff. Roberts appeared in court dressed in his coarse, blue flannel shirt and rough clothes. His wife, who is a bright-looking woman of about thirty years, occupied a seat near him. She was neatly dressed and seemed to take a close interest in all the proceedings of the trial. Anna Bellman, the little child upon whom the outrage was committed, also occupied a seat inside the bar rail and was accompanied by her mother. The victim of Robert's lust is a bright, strong-looking child for her years, and seemed to understand the proceedings about her even beyond her years. Her mother sat near her, waiting to answer her call as a witness in the case. The greatness of the crime for which the prisoner is to answer made the work of securing a jury a very tedious one, and over twenty men were called before twelve men competent to try the case were found. The foul story of the crime as it was perpetrated was told by she child in her direct examination. She stated that the defendant had called her into the barn fr where she was playing and accomplished his vile purpose on her. Her testimony was weakened very much on cross examination. The state also attempted to prove by the evidence of Mrs. Roberts, the wife of the defendant, that she rushed to the barn in response to the screams of the little child and caught her husband in his outrageous work and that she called him a brute and told Mrs. Bellman what she had seen her husband doing and what had taken place.

The evidence was closed before the dinner hour and the arguments to the jury were begun at the opening of court. Mrs. Roberts' testimony was very much different from what it was on the preliminary hearing. The jury went out at 3 o'clock and returned an hour later for information relating to the testimony of the victim. They again retired and were not ready to report when court adjourned until this morning.

PERRY WAS IMPOSED UPON.

Perry Landon alleges that he traded a piece of property in Himebaugh and Patterson's addition with Charles M. and Mary E. Waldron, receiving in exchange 160 acres of land in Pierce county, 85 acres of which was represented to be under cultivation, and having a house, 300 trees and other improvements upon it. He now finds that the representations were false, and he begs of the court to have returned to him his land.

SWORN OUT AN ATTACHMENT.

An action in attachment was filed yesterday by Stone and Syone against Charles M. Clark to recover on a promissory note overdue, amounting to $756.

THE JURY OUT.

The case of Burmeister against Munger was called before Judge Hopewell yesterday afternoon. The suit is brought to recover $16 for the sale of some goods and $80 on a promissory note. The jury were deliberating on a verdict when court adjourned.

HE WAS SLANDERED.

Samuel Cohen began suit to-day against Joseph Furguson for $5,000 damages for slander. Furguson used the following words about Cohen: "He stole a quilt from my store." He also caused the following to be published in THE BEE the 19th of May, 1888: "Cohen went to Furguson's the other day to settle, and got into a dispute about a quilt, which he says he purchased of Mr. Cody, one of the clerks, but which Mr. Furguson claims he stole from in front of his store." It is for the above utterances the plaintiff claims the $5,000.

CASE DISMISSED.

The case of Durr against the Omaha and Grant Smelting and Refining company that was on trial all day Monday before Judge Hopewell was dismissed yesterday on the ground that the above named company was not in existance at the time plaintiff's petition states that he was working in it and that he never worked for the above named corporation, but had been in the employ of the Omaha Smelting and Refining company.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

The jury in the case of David A. Nelson against Robert E. Livesley that was on trial before Judge Doane returned a verdict yesterday for the plaintiff in the sum of $349.96.

SUIT FOR POSSESSION.

The case of John I. Redick against Elias Russell for the possession of lot 103 in Cassady's addition to the city of Omaha was begun yesterday. Russell, who has been employed about Redick's barn for some years, is in forcible possession of the lot and claims that he owns it, having paid for it by his work The plaintiff claims that he was allowed to build a shanty on the property to live in as a matter of friendship and charity from him.

County Court.

DOCKET CALLED.

The docket in the county court was called yesteaday by Judge Shields and an assignment of cases made. No cases in the call were ready for hearing.

APPLICATION TO BE APPOINTED.

Peter Peterson yesterday made application to be appointed administrator of the estate of Martin Skow, deceased.

SUED ON A PROMISSORY NOTE.

James Morton & Son yesterday brought suit against Cyrus Rose to recover $159 due on a promissory note, with interest at the rate 10 per cent added.

JUDGMENTS RENDERED.

Judge Shields called the June docket yesterday and rendered the following judgments: Oscar Hollander et al, $257.48 against the West Davenport Furniture company; Richard Wolfsheimer, $1,000 against Moses Levy; Midland Electric Light company, $307.37 against C. S. Higgins; The American Hosiery company, $523.27 against H. B. Hudson; Jacob L. Hauer et al, $382 against Anthony Houser et al; Mashall Field et al, $342.10 against M. Levy; Carlton, $254.95 against Waddell.

Police Court.

When the bars were let down yesterday thirty-five sinners filed into the dock to answer for the misdeeds committed during the last twenty-four hours.

The first of any importance was Wilson Lindley, who figured as a disturber of the bivouac of the Salvation army. His conduct had been such as to cause his ejectment from the hall. Outside he attempted to terrify the doughty salvationist by his yells, but a policeman soon put a stop to his antics by placing him under arrest. While waiting for the patrol wagon a comrade of Lindley's came up and insisted that he be released. He gave as his reason for the request that he himself had made the disturbance, and as he spoke the words he picked up a bottle and struck one of the Salvation soldiers over the head with it, inflicting a severe cut. He then turned and ran off before the officers could catch him. Lindley attempted also to get away but failed. This morning he was fined $15 and costs.

Fighting—Henry Jones, $12.50; Chris Davidson, $12.50. John Brogan, $25.

Drunk—Ed. Wren, $10; Peter Jones. $5.

Vagrants—Dick Owens, fifteen days; Harry Richards, a drunken printer, one day.

Playing piano in house of prostitution—Charles Wilson, $6; C. M. Dresbach, $6.

Spilling dirt on the street—Charles Thompson, $1 and costs.

Stop at the Globe hotel.

WRONGFULLY REPRESENTED.

Mr. Starks Not the Wicked Man He Has Been Painted.

THE BEE some weeks ago stated that Fred M. Starks, a traveling salesman, was illegally collecting money for the Jones & Primley Drug company, of Elkhart, Ind., and converting it to his own use; that he had "done" the Richardson Drug company out of $100, and was conducting dishonest methods with other druggists. Mr. Starks arrived in the city yesterday, and, according to his story and the statement of one of the officers of the Richardson Drug company, an injustice had unintentionally been done him by THE BEE in printing the matter in reference to him. He was in the employ of the Jones & Primley company as a salesman at $1,500 a year and traveling expenses, and on the 12th of last month he sent in his resignation to take effect June 1, as he had accepted an offer from another house at a better salary. On the 18th of that month he collected $100 from the Richardson Drug company for a bill of goods furnished for them, and forwarded a receipt for the same to his employers in Elkhart. From here he went to Norfolk, and as there was some delay in the mails his house did not receive the receipt and they telegraphed the authorities at Omaha relative to Starks' movements. Everything was explained satisfactorily, and a few days later the Richardson company had forwarded to them from the Jones & Primley company an acknowledgement of the payment of the $100. From Norfolk Starks sent a statement to his house of his expenses and cash account, and expressed back his sample case.

The foregoing are the facts as related and substantiated by competent and reliable witnesses, and are cheerfully printed in defense of Mr. Starks, who is represented to be an honest and upright young gentleman and enjoys the esteem and confidence of the best business firms throughout the country.

Real Estate Transfers.

W J Warner and wife to Alice Kendall, lot 6, blk 2, Bowler Place, w d	$ 600
Calin & Wasmer to Chris Peterson, lot 1, 2, 22, 23, 24, blk 6, Granmercy Park, w d	4,000
Wm G Albright to A A Meyers, lot 10, blk 9, sub blk 30, Albright's Choice, w d	500
M R Pruitt to H Johnson, part of tax lot 24, s e 9-15-13, w d	
W A L Gibbon, trustee to J W Paul, lot 17, Burdett Court, q c d	1
H Johnson and husband to F M Hammond, lot 17, Burdett Court and part tax lot 24 in s e of s w of 9-15-13, w d	2,500
L P Hammond and wife to H Johnson, lot 3, blk 1, L P Hammond's add, w d	3,000
Henry J Voss and wife to B C Voss, w ½ lot 2, blk 2, Pratt's sub div, w d	1,000
Henry J Voss and wife to R Keef, middle ½ lot 2, blk 2, Pratt's sub div, w d	500
John Jenkins and wife to E J Pollock, e ½ lot 36, Hornbach's 1st add, w d	
E J Pollock to J M Jenkins, e ½ lot 36, Hornbach's 1st add, w d	
E V Thompson and wife to R L Gerlichs, s 25 feet of w ½ lot 1 and n 25 feet of w ½ lot 12, blk 15, Imp Assn add, w d	4,500
S O Patrick to F B Patrick, lot 6, blk 5, Patrick's 2nd Saratoga add, w d	
R C Patterson to J Bonewitz, lot 5, blk 1, Patterson's sub div, w d	200
R C Paterson to J Bonewitz, lot 4, blk 1, Patterson's sub div, w d	700
W B Cowles and wife to R Major, lot 85, 86, North side add, w d	800
C F Harrison to H C Van Anderson, lot 5, blk 7, Dekerman's Place, w d	400
A C Wakely to Chas H Dewey, lot 6, blk 10, Kountz's 4th add	3,250
Wm G Albright and wife to Mary Atkinson, lot 12, Clark Place, w d	1,650
D C Patterson and wife to S J Kingsbury, lot 1, blk 2, West Side add No. 3, w d	500
H Kountz and wife to P R Selden, lot 1, 2, blk 13, Kountz Place, w d	3,500
M S Jaffey and wife to O H Ballou et al, s 30 feet of w ½ lot 29, Reddick's 2nd add, w d	3,000
Twenty-two transfers	$25,800

Building Permits.

The following permits to build were issued Saturday by the superintendent of buildings:

North Side Building association, cottage, Twenty-seventh, near Pratt streets	$ 1,700
William Petersen and J Christiansen, double tenement, Twenty-ninth and Coats	600
J. W. Baldwin, cottage, Nineteenth, near Costellar	600
Lewis Kersgaard, cottage, Thirteenth, near Dominion	800
Ed Stericker, barn, 2218 Capitol	100
F. W. Simpson, barn, Forty-second and Cass	100
Charles Gardner, barn, 1238 North Nineteenth	100
John Shelby, barn, Park, near Hickery	100
Dr. H. P. Jensen, two brick stores and flats, Seventeenth and Leavenworth	16,000
John Claeson, cottage, Fourth and Dorcas	800
Mary E. Beatly, three cottages, Twenty-eighth and Sahler	2,100
James W. Karel, cottage, Elm, near Twentieth	1,200
Arthur Goodell, cottage, Elk, near Otoe	1,000
Arthur Goodell, barn, Elk, near Otoe	100
Fourteen permits aggregating	$ 24,470

Do not allow the young trees to bear fruit the first year. The production of fruit will be at the expense of growth. The peach will often bear the second year after planting. If kept back in that respect it will be in better condition for fruiting the next season.