PITH OF THE NEWS

The City.

Omaha defeats Chicago—5 to 3.

The sad experience of Annie Oxy.

The call for the county convention.

The Northwestern sells one of its lines.

The case of S. L. Andrews and his creditors.

The First National bank throws open its doors.

Matt Wilber is seriously injured at the fair grounds.

Receipts of cattle at South Omaha, 1,350; hogs, 6,200.

Marshal Bierbower talks about the salary of his office.

Death of Mrs. Dr. McKenna, an old resident of Omaha.

A move is inaugurated to establish an annual fete in Omaha.

J. O. Phillipi returns to Omaha as a Missouri Pacific official.

Real estate transfers aggregated $40,347; but one building permit was issued.

The city council refused to confirm the nomination of Adams as a member of the board of public works.

Nebraska.

Chinch bugs are appearing in Nemaha county.

Young men horsewhip a justice of the peace at Syracuse.

John Anderson is still imprisoned in the well at Johnstown.

The Congregational church will build a college at Chadron.

The prohibitionists hold mass conventions at Geneva and Beatrice.

Lincoln stonecutters ask for an explanation of the court house contracts.

Young Davis, charged with robbing the postoffice at Waco, has been bound over.

The corner stone of the new Johnson county court house was laid at Tecumseh.

William Northrup, who was run over by the cars at Indianola died of his injuries.

The assailant of Mayor Sawyer, of Lincoln, was bound over to the district court on the charge of assault with intent to kill.

General.

The Iron Moulder's union elects officers.

Fire destroys a large shoe factory at Cincinnati.

History of the Brown poisoning case at Clear Lake, Ia.

Two more cases of yellow fever have appeared at Tampa.

A conference of colored men will be held in Indianapolis to-day.

Rich silver mines have been discovered in Washington territory.

Newton, Ia., merchants are suing the Rock Island road for rebates.

General Harrison was visited by another large Illinois delegation.

A couple of youthful elopers were arrested near Sidney, Neb.

Seven thousand Welch colliers have struck for higher wages.

Courtland Palmer, the wealthy leader of New York society, is dead.

Work on the new reduction works at Deadwood has been commenced.

The prospects for opening the Sioux reservation are not very flattering.

Ives and Steyner appeared in Cincinnati and gave bonds in $10,000 each.

Six persons were drowned near Los Angeles by the capsizing of a boat.

The Wisconsin state convention of the united labor party met in Oshkosh.

One hundred and fifty people were made homeless by the Rosly, W. T., fire.

Ed Carrigan, the horseman, made a brutal assault on Samuel Lavis, in Chicago.

It is thought that there will be no report of the tariff bill to the senate this session.

Labouchere makes a special speech on the commission bill in the house of commons.

The national grand lodge of United Brothers of Friendship is in session in St. Louis.

The fourth annual regatta of the Iowa Rowing association opened at Spirit Lake.

Crops in central Iowa were totally destroyed by wind and hail last Sunday night.

A drunken Alabama man shoots and kills three inoffensive citizens without provocation.

Mr. Blaine has not yet completed his arrangements for speaking during the campaign.

The case of the Iowa railroads against the state commissioners was postponed to next Friday.

Charles A. Dana delivered an address to the Wisconsin Editorial association at Milwaukee.

The house has passed the bill to forfeit the lands in Minnesota granted to the Hastings & Dakota railroad.

CORRIGAN'S BRUTAL ASSAULT.

He Uses a Club On the Head of Samuel Lavis in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 24.—Ed Corrigan, the Kansas City horseman, to-day introduced into his management of the West Side race tracks some of the tactics which have made him so notorious in the Missouri city. He took a fancied offense at a protest made by Samuel Lavis regarding the starting of horses in races, and raising a loaded cane, brought it down with full force on the head of the latter, laying his skull bare. Lavis fell as though he was shot, with blood streaming over his face and clothes. A crowd immediately formed, which proposed summary vengeance for the act, and had it not been for a number of Corrigan's friends, who hurried him off, he would have been roughly handled. Lavis was removed to his residence, where he was lying in an insensible condition at a late hour to-night. A warrant was sworn out for Corrigan's arrest, and eight officers are on the lookout for him, but up to midnight had not succeeded in finding him.

French Mistakes.

PARIS, July 24.—An American lady named DeVarney was arrested a week ago at the Arc de Triomphe on the charge of being a pickpocket. After three days' confinement she was liberated and told that her arrest was a mistake. Having forgotten her money and jewels, she returned to claim them, when she was arrested and sent to prison at St. Lazare. There she was kept one week in company with the vilest women. Her repeated demands to be taken to the United States consulate were ignored. The magistrate failed to have her papers translated, and did not apply to the United States consulate for information concerning her.

Seven Miners Suffocated.

PARIS, July 24.—Seven men have been suffocated by fire in a coal pit in the Monticeaules mines.

Care for the Children

Children feel the debility of the changing seasons, even more than adults, and they become cross, peevish, and uncontrollable. The blood should be cleansed and the system invigorated by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Last Spring my two children were vaccinated. Soon after, they broke all out with running sores, so dreadful I thought I should lose them. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured them completely; and they have been healthy ever since. I do feel that Hood's Sarsaparilla saved my children to me." MRS. C. L. THOMPSON, West Warren, Mass.

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OMAHA IS STRIKING HER GAIT

Chicago's Maroons Drop the Second Contest to the Locals.

THREE GAMES WON IN A ROW.

Shafer Gives the Visitors Four Little Hits—Des Moines Defeated By the Tail Enders—The Spirit Lake Regatta.

Western Association Standing.

Following is the official standing of the Western association teams up to and including yesterday's games.

	Played	Won	Lost	Pr Ct
St. Paul	59	39	20	.660
Des Moines	55	33	22	.600
Omaha	56	30	26	.535
Milwaukee	62	30	32	.483
Chicago	57	28	31	.476
Kansas City	55	26	29	.476
Sioux City	20	8	12	.400
Minneapolis	57	22	35	.385

Omaha 5, Chicago 3.

The Omahas and the Chicagos played a very pretty game at the ball park yesterday, and to the supreme delight of every one the local team again came out victorious. It was a fine day for ball playing, being of that peculiar temperature best calculated for physical comfort, but notwithstanding this agreeable condition of things, only a moderate crowd assembled to see the game. Those who were there, however, were fully repaid, for, as was stated before, the struggle was an especially fine one.

To everybody's suprise Shaffer went in and pitched a remarkably strong game, holding the Maroons down to three hits and striking out five. He also played a heady game, watching bases with lynx eyes and fielding nicely and effectively. Nagle, as usual, gave him fine support behind the bat.

The Omahas would have escaped without an error had it not been for a couple of costly fumbles by Cooney. They were upon viciously hit balls, however, and in consequence partially excusable. The balance of the team played without a flaw.

For the visitors Sprague pitched a good game also, and his support was fair. Brennan umpired, and it would be treachery to withhold the acknowledgement that he did finely, and his nice work evoked frequent bursts of applause. There was no kicking, and the game was a pleasing contrast with the one on the day before.

Here is the official score:

OMAHA.

	AB.	R.	B.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Burns, lf	4	0	0	1	4	1	0
Annis, m	4	1	1	1	2	0	0
Crooks, 2b	3	1	0	0	2	4	0
Miller, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
McCarr, rf	4	1	1	0	2	0	0
Nagle, c	3	1	0	0	7	0	0
O'Connell, 1b	4	0	1	0	9	0	0
Cooney, ss	4	0	1	0	1	3	2
Shafer, p	4	0	1	0	0	7	0
Totals	33	5	6	2	27	16	2

CHICAGO.

Moriarity, m	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rheims, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	4	2
Hannahan, ss	4	0	0	0	1	4	0
Hengle, 2b	2	1	0	0	2	7	1
Schoeneck, 1b	4	2	1	0	12	1	1
Dwyer, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hoover, c	4	0	1	0	7	0	1
Sprague, p	4	0	0	0	1	6	0
Cady, rf	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Totals	33	3	4	1	27	22	5

Omaha	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	—5
Chicago	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—3

Two base hits—McCarr, O'Connell, Rheims, Schoeneck. Bases on balls—By Sprague 3, by Shafer 1. Hit by pitcher—By Shafer 1, Sprague 1. Struck out—By Shafer 5, Sprague 5. Passed balls—Hoover 1. Wild pitches—Shafer 1, Sprague 2. Time—1:35. Umpire—Brennan.

Minneapolis 6, Des Moines 3.

DES MOINES, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Bad errors by the locals and indifferent playing all through gave the game to Minneapolis to-day, none of the visitors' runs being earned. Sowders pitched a splendid game, though somewhat erratic, and was well supported. Traffley caught his fifteenth consecutive game. He is in bad shape and did poor work. Holliday and Alvord also are in poor trim from recent spikings. The score:

Des Moines	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	—3
Minneapolis	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	*	—6

Runs earned—Des Moines 3. Three base hits—Stearns, Brosnan. Double plays—Walsh, Brosnan and Hawes. Bases on balls—Cushman 1, Sowders 4. Struck out—Cushman 2, Sowders 7. Passed balls—Traffley 2. Wild pitches—Cushman 1. Time—1:50. Umpire—Hagan.

Milwaukee 5, Sioux City 4.

SIOUX CITY, July 24.—Result of to-day's game—ten innings:

Sioux City	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4
Milwaukee	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	—5

Pitchers—Fudger and Stephens. Umpire—Cusick.

No Game—Rain.

KANSAS CITY, July 24.—Rain prevented the Kansas City and St. Paul game this afternoon.

OTHER GAMES.

Yesterday's Winners in the National League Contests.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 24.—Result of to-day's game:

Indianapolis	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—4
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Pitchers—Shreve for Indianapolis, Krock for Chicago. Base hits—Indianapolis 8, Chicago 6. Errors—Indianapolis 2, Chicago 2. Umpire—Lynch.

DETROIT, July 24.—Result of the morning's game:

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	—7
Pittsburg	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

Pitchers—Conway for Detroit, Morris for Pittsburg. Base hits—Detroit 12, Pittsburg 7. Errors—Detroit 2, Pittsburg 3. Umpire—Kelly.

Afternoon game:

Detroit	0	7	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	—13
Pittsburg	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	—5

Pitchers—Baldwin for Detroit, Staley for Pittsburg. Base hits—Detroit 12, Pittsburg 10. Errors—Detroit 3, Pittsburg 2. Umpire—Kelly.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Result of to-day's game:

New York	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3—6
Boston	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—3

Pitchers—Welsh for New York, Madden for Boston. Base hits—New York 10, Boston 12. Errors—New York 7, Boston 6. Umpire—Daniels.

PHILADELPHIA, July 24.—Result of to-day's game:

Philadelphia	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	—5
Washington	4	2	1	1	5	0	0	0	1	—14

Pitchers—Buffinton for Philadelphia, O'Day for Washington. Base hits—Philadelphia 4, Washington 17. Errors—Philadelphia 6, Washington 6. Umpire—Arundel.

The American Association

BROOKLYN, July 24.—Result of to-day's game:

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	—4
Athletics	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—5

CINCINNATI, July 24.—Result of to-day's game:

Cincinnati	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	—6
Kansas City	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Leans 41, Fats 40.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The fat and lean stockholders of the base ball association played a game here this afternoon. A full summary is impossible. The features of the game were the errors and heavy batting. The score:

Leans	19	5	2	8	4	3	*	—41
Fats	10	2	11	3	3	10	1	—40

Batteries—Leans: Salsbury and Dovey; Fats: Smith, Donnelly and Mercer. Umpire—Chambers.

The English Turf.

LONDON, July 24.—At the Leicester summer meeting to-day the race for the Appleby plate was won by Ice. The race for the Midland derby stakes was won by Arrandale.

TURF EVENTS.

First Day of the Summer Meeting at Detroit.

DETROIT, July 24.—The summer meeting of the Detroit Driving club began to-day. The weather was fine, the track in good condition and the attendance large.

Three-minute class, trotting, purse $2,000—Guy won; Editor, Geneva, J W and Repetition distanced. Time—2:16¼.

2:22 class, trotting, purse $2,000—White Stockings first, Little Nell second, Thornless third, Gene Smith fourth. Best time—2:18¼.

2:25 class, pacing, purse $2,000—Dr. West won, Dr. M second, Membrino Prince third, Billy the Kid distanced. Best time—2:19¾.

At Monmouth Park.

MONMOUTH PARK, July 24.—Summary:

Three-quarters of a mile—Little Minch won in 1:15, Aurelia second, Geraldine third.

Three-quarters of a mile—Felicia won in 1:16¾, Auricoma second, Stephanie third.

One and five-eighth miles—Starters, Prince Royal and Darlington. Prince Royal won in 3:57.

One and one-eighth miles—Rapine won in 1:55¾. The Bourbon second, Boaz third.

One mile—Luminary won in 1:43¼, Long Knight second, St. Valentine third.

Steeple chase, over short course—Westmoreland won, Bassanio second, Willie Palmer third. Time—3:14¼.

Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, July 24.—The introductory scramble for three-year-olds and upwards was won by Yum-Yum, with Egmont second. Time—1:04¼.

One mile and a furlong—Oarman won, Cruiser second. Time—1:57¼.

Travers' stake, one and three-quarters miles—Sir Dixon won, with Los Angeles second. Time—3:07¾.

Three-quarters of a mile—Joubert won, with Ballston second. Time—1:17.

Helter-skelter steeple chase, about one mile and a half—Tennessee won, with Abraham second. Time—2:16.

AQUATIC.

Fourth Annual Regatta of the Iowa Amateur Rowing Association.

SPIRIT LAKE, Ia., July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The fourth annual regatta of the Iowa Amateur Rowing association was favored to-day with perfect weather and good water. The hotels were overflowing, and among the spectators were many from Omaha. All the races were junior contests.

In the four-oared shell the Cedar Rapids crew led from the start. Council Bluffs was a good second, being only two lengths behind at the turn, but lost in turning and dumped the crew out in pulling to recover. Cedar Rapids won by twenty lengths in 10:05¾. Council Bluffs 11:27¾.

The double scull was won easily by McGregor in 11:39, Cedar Rapids second in 12:21¾.

The single scull was won by John Walters, of McGregor, in 11:42¼; William Greene, of Cedar Rapids, second in 12:18¾. It was a pretty race until Greene, on the home stretch, got out of his course into rough water.

The races were one mile and a half, with turn. George Hippee, of Des Moines, and Fred Benzinger, of THE BEE, were the judges. E. S. Phelps, of Burlington, was the referee. The three-quarter mile pair-oared consolidation race was won by E. R. Sadler and J. L. Dodge, of Council Bluffs.

The following officers were elected to-night: President, J. E. Hannegan of Cedar Rapids, Ia.; vice-president, C. M. Schenck of Ottumwa; secretary and treasurer, G. R. Turner of McGregor; commodore, E. P. Sadler of Council Bluffs; ensign, F. J. Howell of Dubuque. Executive committee: J. R. Donohue of Davenport; Bert Richards of Davenport; C. H. Wyman of Burlington.

The Northwestern Regatta.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 24.—In the twentieth annual regatta of the Northwestern Rowing association the junior four-oared race was won by the Moline Sylvans in 13:23 Owashtanongs second in 14:10; Wolverines last.

Four-oared Gigs—Sylvans won in 12:46; Owashtanongs second in 13:26.

Junior singles—Madder, of the Pullmans, won in 14:48; Malcolm, of the Modocs, second in 14:59¼. The race was declared off on account of McDowell fouling Malcolm.

The junior pairs was won by the Sylvans in 14:23¾.

The junior doubles was won by Toronto in 13:50, Jackson second in 14:36½, Owashtanongs third.

CUNNING MR. IVES.

His Sly Work Eclipses the Acumen of the Lawyers.

CINCINNATI, July 24.—The sly work of Messrs. Ives and Stayner, whose extradition case at Albany yesterday occupied the attention of two distinguished lawyers and the governor of New York in an effort to decide whether it was proper to use the power of the law to compel the gentlemen to come to Cincinnati, has eclipsed the acumen of the lawyers. Ives and Stayner quietly entered Cincinnati this afternoon and, with their attorneys, appeared in the court room of Judge Shroeder and gave bonds in the sum of $10,000 each, with Messrs. Smith and Netter as sureties, for their appearance to answer to the indictments found against them. It is understood that Ives and Stayner will remain here until Prosecutor Pugh and two officers can be brought home, in order that exception can be taken as to the manner of giving the bond.

Railroad Wreckers Sued.

GRAND RAPIDS, July 24.—Sophia C. Hutchinson, of Sewickley, Pa., has begun suit in the United States district court against Henry S. Ives, George H. Stayner and Thomas C. Doremus, comprising the banking firm of Henry S. Ives & Co., and a long list of other defendants. The suit grows out of the alleged wrecking of the Mineral Range railroad and is brought to secure an injunction to distract the voting of certain stock, which, it is claimed, was fraudulently issued.

Kansas City's Grain Rate.

CHICAGO, July 24.—A delegation of Kansas City grain merchants were in conference with the freight officials of the southwestern lines to-day. They claim that the grain carrying rates from Kansas points to Chicago and St. Louis are so much lower than the sum of the locals, that Kansas City is practically shut out from a business to which it is entitled by virtue of its location. A committee of railroad men was appointed to consider the matter and report to-morrow morning.

Passenger Agent Phillipi.

J. O. Phillipi returns to Omaha as assistant general freight and passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific road.

Eight years ago, he was general agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, from which he returned to accept the assistant general freight agency of the Atchison and Santa Fe. His jurisdiction extends over all the lines of his road in the state, beginning at Falls City and covers both freight and passenger business. Mr. Phillipi's family still reside in Topeka, but they will remove here as soon as a home can be found.

Spikes.

President Charles Francis Adams of the Union Pacific will arrive in the city early next month.

Trainmaster Baxter has gone to Grand Island to direct the management of a special fruit train from California bound east.

Superintendent Blickensderfer, who accompanied Government Commissioner Joseph E. Johnston on his tour of inspection as far as Cheyenne, has returned to headquarters.

Mr. W. S. Howell has been appointed traveling passenger agent for the Chicago & Northwestern, with headquarters at Omaha, Neb., vice A. M. Gatlay, resigned. Mr. Howell's duties comprise advertising and soliciting passenger business in Nebraska and Colorado and on the line of the Union Pacific railway east of and including Laramie, Wyo. The appointment went into effect July 23.

At Fort Bennett.

PIERRE, Dak., July 24.—Over three hundred Indians are at Fort Bennett awaiting the arrival of the Indian commission. Their present disposition is not to sign the treaty, but those well informed say that this is a ruse to get presents, etc.

THE POWER OF A FREE PRESS

Charles A. Dana's Address to the Wisconsin Editors.

FUNCTION OF THE DAILY PAPER.

It Preserves the Liberties of the American People and Maintains the Republic in All Its Glory.

Dana on the Newspapers.

MILWAUKEE, July 24.—Charles A. Dana, editor of the New York Sun, delivered an address this evening to the Wisconsin Editorial association. The speaker said that he began newspaper work on a weekly literary paper, which meant that it was issued once every week. [Laughter.] In the modern newspaper the intellectual and mechanical departments joined to produce the daily paper of to-day, which was one of the wonders of the world. He paid a tribute to the reporters, who, he said, would see at once through a deception, and could on occasion set one up for themselves. A good word was also put in for the editorial writers and correspondents, the latter of whom covered the earth in search for facts. The modern paper is possible only in a thickly settled, civilized community, which demands it. It is a mark of high intellectual development that a country demands such a publication. As compared with Europe, America is far in advance. In the whole of the British islands there were not more than half a dozen papers which would compare with those of this country. The atmosphere of freedom was essential to the production of great newspapers. A distinction should be made between the American and European definition of freedom. In France the daily paper would have one well written essay, but the remainder of the sheet would be filled with matter which in America would be considered immaterial. The first thing looked for was news, and by that word the speaker meant anything which would interest the people. In this connection he said that whatever Divine Providence permitted to occur he was not too proud to report.

So important was the function of the newspaper that colleges were establishing classes for instruction in journalism. Notwithstanding this, Mr. Dana had heard an old newspaper editor say that such classes were useless, because the only place to learn the business was in a newspaper office. A remarkable thing about the sort of education of newspaper men was that it should be universal. There was no chance for an ignoramus in that profession. A newspaper man must know whether the theology of the preacher is sound, whether the physiology of the doctor is good, and whether the logic of the lawyer is good for anything. If possible, he should be sent to college. But what was more important, he should be sent to the school of practical life. How was a professor of good journalism going to help an ambitious young man to draw a prize in an intellectual lottery? The speaker did not think a college course in journalism would be of much value. The one school is the newspaper office, and without it no man could become a thorough journalist. There were no set maxims and rules for journalists. The doctor and the lawyer might have rules but there were very few rules that could be used by newspaper men. Mr. Dana, however, submitted the following:

First—Get the news, and get all the news, and nothing but the news.

Second—Copy nothing from anyone's publication without perfect credit.

Third—Never print an interview without the knowledge and consent of the party interviewed.

Fourth—Never print paid advertisements as news matter. Let every advertisement appear as an advertisement—no sailing under false colors.

Fifth—Never attack the weak and defenseless, either by argument, by invective or by ridicule, unless there is some absolute public necessity for so doing.

Sixth—Fight for your opinions, but don't believe they contain the whole truth or the only truth.

Seventh—Support your party, if you have one, but don't think all good men are in it and all bad ones outside of it.

Eighth—Above all, know and believe that humanity is advancing, and that there is progress in human life and human affairs, and that, as sure as God lives, the future will be greater and better than the past.

Continuing, he said:

"There is one other point that I would touch upon, and that is the question of the power of the press. We know the press is a very powerful agent. It takes men, when their information is incomplete; when their opinions have not yet been fixed, and it suggests and intimates and insinuates an opinion and judgment which oftentimes a man unless he is a man of very great force of character, adopts as something established and concluded. That is part of the power of the press. It is a power, an influence, which is exercised over the minds of people often without the knowledge of any criticism on the part of the person who is subjected to its power. In that way there is a considerable power in the press, and it is a power that inspires me always with a very solemn sense of responsibility. I remember when, a few years ago, we had a controversy which took hold of the hearts and lives of the whole people over the question of slavery. Then the press was divided—some on one side and some on the other. There was a great power, and for the most part it was exercised for the good of the people, and we rejoice now, as we look back upon that great controversy—we whose fortune it was to bear some part in it—at the great result that was finally achieved—achieved, as it was, through blood, and fire, and tears that have left upon this country and upon the history of the world a mark that will never be obliterated. That is what I mean by the power of the press—the power of speaking out the sentiment of the people, the voice of justice, the aspiration of wisdom, the determination of patriotism, and the hope of a whole people.

"There is another function of the press which is perhaps even more important. In this free country, our constitution puts into the hands of the executive officers of the government, an immense authority. There is no king, no emperor, no autocrat in the world who wields such a power, for instance, as the president of the United States. Suppose a time should come that there should be in the post of president a man who has gained such an influence over the hearts of the whole people that they become deaf to the suggestions of wisdom and give to his ambition free sway and an open field. Suppose he sets aside, little by little, the restraints of the constitution. Suppose that he tramples upon that great principle of personal liberty, which is the noblest inheritance our fathers have left us. Suppose he tramples down that principle. The executive power is in his hands; the army follows and obeys him. Where, then, is the safeguard of the public liberty against his ambition? It is in the press. It is in a free press.

When every other bulwark is gone the free press will remain to preserve the liberties which we shall hand down to our children and to maintain the republic in all its glory."

Upon the close of Mr. Dana's address the the audience broke into a wild burst of cheering, and the editor took his seat visibly affected by the reception with which his effort was rewarded. The exercises concluded with a lecture by James Whitcomb Riley.

The Ninth Ward Meeting.

A called meeting of the republicans of the Ninth ward resulted in bringing together a good-sized audience at Johnson's store for the purpose of discussing the feasibility of a permanent organization. A number of committees were appointed, which are to conciliate the antagonistic elements in the ward, and make other provision for entering into more effective work. Mr. M. L. Lindsay is the president of the club and Charles Johnson the secretary.

The many remarkable cures Hood's Sarsaparilla accomplishes are sufficient proof that it does possess peculiar curative powers.

Republican Call.

To the Members of the Republican County Central Committee: There will be a meeting of the county central committee in the Millard hotel on Saturday, July 28, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m. All the members of the committee are requested to attend.

JOHN RUSH, Chairman.

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An Armed Mob Takes Complete Possession of the Place and Begins a War of Extermination.

Race War in Arkansas.

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—A special from Springfield, Mo., says that Traveling Auditor Townsend, of the Gulf road, arrived in that city at noon from the south and verifies the report of one of the negro county officials having been lynched by a mob of white men. Townsend says that it is a difficult matter to get any details of the proceedings at Marion, which is under a guard of armed men and a general state of excitement prevails. Neither couriers or messengers are allowed in or out, and the telegraph operator is confined to the sending of train orders. The mob seized the victim while he was endeavoring to effect an entrance to the court house, dragged him to the woods at the edge of town, and then, after a desperate struggle, strung him up. It is claimed that Governor Hughes has been called upon for protection and that an armed force of white men has gone from Walnut Ridge to Marion to aid the whites, who look for a serious uprising of the negroes.

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LAYING OFF FOR A DAY.

The Members of the Bench Take a Vacation.

The courts will meet to-day for the final hearing of two injunction cases. That of Byron Reed and others will be taken up before Judge Groff. Mr. Reed asks to restrain the city from paving Twenty-second street, near California.

Joseph Meyer was granted a divorce from Anna Meyer on the ground of adultery and desertion.

A decree was entered for $921.78 in the case of Robert E. Livesey against Fred C. Festner, and the plaintiff was granted a lien on a lot owned by Festner to satisfy the same.

The motion for a new trial in the case of George A. Hoagland against Nelson Fadden and others was overruled.

Katherine Wehrer began suit against William Wehrer for divorce. The grounds upon which the application is based are drunkenness and cruel treatment.

Anna M. Althans filed an application to be allowed to sell real estate belonging to her three minor children.

An order was issued yesterday by the clerk of the district court to Charles N. Snell and Mary Hornberger to bring Henry C. Snell, a three-year-old boy, into court Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and show cause why they detain him from his mother, Jessie Snell.

County Court.

The case of Lee against Bernade & Jones for $1,000 damages, which has been on trial for the past two days, was continued until this morning at 10 o'clock when it will be argued before the court.

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THE ARMY.

Major James S. Casey, Seventeenth infantry, Captain William P. Rogers, Seventeenth infantry, Second Lieutenant James T. Kerr, Seventeenth infantry, have been appointed a board of survey, to convene at Cheyenne, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1889.

Second Lieutenant John S. Mallory returned yesterday from the Winnebago Indian reservation, where he has been attending to the Indian's interest as regards the amount of provisions and rations they should receive.

The right wing of the Second infantry now at Bellevue will leave the range at 4 o'clock Friday morning and arrive at Omaha at 9 a. m. Colonel Joshuah S. Fletcher will command the march.

The evening concerts by the Second Infantry band will take place every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the weather permitting.

Six People Drowned.

LOS ANGELES, July 24.—About a week ago A. Lund and brother with four others, left San Pedro in an open boat for a trip around the Catalina islands. Yesterday the boat was found bottom up on the island. Several fishermen who arrived at San Pedro Sunday reported seeing a boat containing five or six persons capsized during the gale, but were unable to rescue the occupants. It is believed this was the Lund party and they were all drowned.

A Revenue Report.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Joseph S. Miller, commissioner of the internal revenue, has made a preliminary report of the operations of the internal revenue bureau for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1888. The total collections for the year were $124,325,000, being an increase of $5,850,000. The collections were greatest in Illinois and smallest in New Mexico.

W. A. Ross, auditor of the Fort Worth & Denver railroad, is in the city for a few days on a visit to his family.

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