

THE CITY.

The regular meeting of the county commissioners will be held to-day at 2 o'clock.

Edward Myers is again in the toils for the alleged dispensing of alcoholic drinks on Sunday.

Commissioners Mount and Turner went to Elkhorn yesterday to inspect a bridge that has been reported unsafe.

Dr. W. J. Galbraith left Thursday for Bellevue hospital, where he will spend the next month studying a number of celebrated cases.

W. J. Mount, chairman of the board of county commissioners, received a telegram from Mr. Meyers, the architect of the new hospital, stating that the papers relating to the changes in the new building have been forwarded by mail.

Personal Paragraphs. Walt M. Seely, of Lincoln, is in the city. W. T. Clark, of Des Moines, is in the city.

Juan Boyle, of Kearney, is at the Paxton. W. A. McGrew, of Denver, is at the Millard.

E. M. Ford, of Des Moines, is at the Millard. M. Rhea and company are at the Millard.

Charles H. May, of Fremont, is in the city. T. S. Seely, of Santa Barbara, Cal., is in the city.

A. C. Noble, of Carlisle, Pa., is at the Paxton. E. C. Francis, of Sheboygan, Wis., is in the city.

E. S. Fletcher, of Eau Claire, Wis., is at the Millard. Thomas Macfarlan, of Mondak, Ia., is at the Paxton.

George D. Stevens and wife, of Crete, are in the city. C. J. McCarthy, wife, St. Paul, Minn., are visiting their friends in this city.

Hon. Aigerson S. Paddock, United States senator, left for Washington yesterday. L. D. Hill and wife returned yesterday from Chicago where they have been the past ten days.

Not Proven. No convicting evidence could be brought against C. M. Martin and Frank McCarthy, alleged diamond thieves, so they were given thirty and fifteen days, respectively on the charge of being vagrants.

Run Over. H. Altman was run over by a runaway team at the corner of Cass and Sixteenth streets yesterday and sustained serious injuries. He was taken to the police station and the city physician summoned.

Traveling Men. An adjourned meeting to take steps for the establishment of a traveling men's club, will be held at the Murray hotel this evening. The movement is well under way and a full attendance is earnestly requested.

A Missing Man. Mrs. Samuel H. Waters writes from David City to Chief Searcy seeking information concerning her husband, who came to Omaha a few weeks ago and has not been heard of since. He is described as a powerfully built man, about six feet tall, with Auburn hair and mustache.

Threatens to Murder Her. Ella Enslar, a stable maid who lives on Ninth and Grace, says that Charles Gordon, a white man, beat her most cruelly and then threatened to kill her if she informed the police. But despite his threat she went immediately to the police and caused a warrant to be issued for Gordon's arrest.

Corporal Tanner Coming. Paul Vandervoort, received a letter from James Tanner, superintendent of the penitentiary at Joplin, Mo., stating that he had accepted an invitation to deliver a Fourth of July oration at Crete. Tanner expects to arrive in Omaha three or four days before he will be Vandervoort's guest.

The Plumbers' Strike. An Englishman who is also a plumber, arrived in the city yesterday from New York, accompanied by his wife and child, with the expectation of going to work for some of the master plumbers here, with whom he had been in communication while in the east; but, as soon he learned that a strike was on among the journeymen, he refused to go to work, but joined their ranks.

Advice to Mothers. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. 25 cents a bottle.

Father Armster's Funeral. The funeral of Rev. J. J. Armster will occur this morning at 9:30 o'clock at the church of St. Mary Magdalene, on Douglas street. All the Catholic clergymen of the city will be present and take part in the services. The remains will be interred in the German Catholic cemetery.

The remains of Lizzie Cox, who died in San Francisco last Sunday, will arrive here this morning and be taken to the home of her brother, W. W. Cox, at the new Hanson park, whence the funeral will take place at 2 o'clock.

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses were issued by County Judge Shields yesterday:

Name and Residence. Age. Peter Peterson, Council Bluffs, 31. Mary Lagerholm, Council Bluffs, 27.

James Hansen, Omaha, 31. Christina Rasmussen, Omaha, 27. Carl Finch, Omaha, 30. Belle Miller, Omaha, 26.

John L. Pennington, Omaha, 33. Anna E. Bradbury, Denver, Col., 31.

Public Works. Bids were opened yesterday for laying sewer on Seventeenth street from Pierce to Center. The contract was awarded C. M. O'Donovan on the following bids: Eighteen-inch pipe, \$1.19; fifteen-inch pipe, \$3.90; ten-inch pipe, \$7.70.

The other bidders were: F. L. Reaves & Co., Canfield & Fleming, John F. Daley & J. O. Lorbey and Ed Phelan.

The following estimates were allowed: John P. Daley, sewer 75, \$324.01. E. Fanning, Co., sewer 85, 45.50.

C. E. Fanning & Co., North Omaha, 63.57. Hugh Murphy, alley paving Dist. 35, 174.59. Mount & Griffin, sewer 75, 430.15.

Missouri Valley Jobbers. The Missouri Valley Jobbers association was in session yesterday in the chamber of commerce, and had with them by invitation J. T. Drummond, president of the Drummond Tobacco company, of St. Louis, A. De Young and J. L. Curby, directors of the same company; Charles F. Bates, secretary of the Cattlin Tobacco company, St. Louis, and M. C. Wetmore, secretary of the Liggett & Meyers Tobacco company, also of St. Louis.

The members of the association from abroad who are present are: A. H. Symus, W. P. Dolan, F. W. Yale, of Atchison; G. B. Taylor, of Leavenworth; P. D. Ridenour, St. W. Gregory, O. V. Wilson, John Long, James Beckham, George C. Smith, I. A. Payne, Kansas City; Theodore Pochler, Lawrence; W. H. Davis, Topeka; Samuel N. Kaye, St. Joseph; C. Streiberg, and O. C. Toller, of Sioux City. There are others yet to come.

The members of the association and the tobacco men absolutely refused to say a word as to the object of the meeting.

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CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Thomas O'Brien Instantly Killed by a Union Pacific Engine. Thomas H. O'Brien, a section hand employed by the Union Pacific was run over and instantly killed by engine 1165 on the Union Pacific near Twentieth street, yesterday morning.

He was walking along the track in the direction of the depot, and in getting out of the way of a dummy train stopped on another track immediately in front of the switch engine and was run down. The engine ran over the engine, Nelson states that he was but a few yards from O'Brien when the latter stepped on the track. The alarm was given, but the unfortunate man failed to realize the danger. The engine reversed his locomotion, but did not succeed in stopping his until O'Brien had been mangled.

The remains were taken in charge by Coroner Drexel. O'Brien was a middle-aged man and upon his person was found a time-check on the Union Pacific, issued by James McDonald, foreman of section 11, which is about fifty miles from Omaha. There was also found an accident policy for \$500 on the Standard Life Insurance company, which is also fifty miles from Omaha. There was also found a pocket watch, which he had made out to him last Monday. It is thought that he has relatives residing in South Omaha.

Has No Right to Negotiate. Concerning the report of the deal between the Oregon Railway & Navigation company and the Omaha road, whereby a new transportation route would soon be opened, an associate of the Union Pacific says: "That is all nonsense. The Oregon Railway & Navigation company has no authority to enter into any transaction independent of the Union Pacific. The Oregon Short Line, which is a creature of the Union Pacific, is less than a shadow of the Oregon Railway & Navigation, hence you see that if any move was made in the direction of a conveyance, the Union Pacific would have to be a party to the agreement, which to my positive knowledge it is not. If anything of this kind was in view we would in all probability had some of our representatives in the Oregon Railway & Navigation, President Holcomb or General Manager Kimball, who are now out in that territory. You can say that any transaction in which the Oregon Railway & Navigation is interested is a movement on the part of the Union Pacific."

Still Unsettled. The contest between the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific is as yet unsettled, but up to the present time the former has won every advance made. The Northern Pacific has appealed to the Western States Passenger association, but as yet no decisive action has been taken by that body. A resolution was passed whereby each of the Chicago lines was to withdraw through the Chicago and North Western, which had recently been put on sale, but the Alton gave notice that, owing to an agreement with the Union Pacific, it could not agree to the action in the absence of the representatives of the latter road. This refusal of the Alton resulted in the action by other Chicago roads, including the Northern Pacific, a cut in transcontinental rates by the Northern Pacific is expected.

Resignation and Appointment. H. S. Wiggins, assistant auditor of the treasurer's department of the Burlington at this place, tendered his resignation, to take effect on once.

H. D. Allee, formerly private secretary of the assistant treasurer, has been appointed his successor. Mr. Allee is a young man of considerable ability, and his promotion is due to his accurate and important service of the post.

Railroad Notes. The Union Pacific will, in a few days, construct two spur tracks leading up from the lower yards to the smelting works.

T. W. Allee, assistant general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, has returned from St. Paul.

M. P. Moss, traveling passenger agent of the Union Pacific, is in the city.

General Traffic Manager Alton and General Purchasing Agent McKibben, of the Union Pacific, will return from Denver today.

Assistant General Freight Cassidy, of the Elkhorn, has gone to Chicago to attend a meeting of the Western Freight association.

A. G. Smith, of the general passenger department of the Burlington, has gone east.

Everything which belongs to pure, healthy blood is imparted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. A trial will convince you of its merit.

Mayne's Steeds. Thomas D. Crane has returned from Detroit, where, as legal representative of Joseph Barker and Charles Corbett, he tried two cases in which Dan D. Cox West, the pacer, and Tommy Linn, fast horses once owned by C. E. Mayne, were the subject of contention.

Corbett held a mortgage for \$20,000, transferred to him by Barker, on Dan D. and Tommy Linn, to his judgment, and, by garnish process, took possession of the animals. They are now owned in Detroit. John Riley, Chicago, is the owner of Doc West. To secure himself in the payment of a debt C. H. Solomon swore out attachment papers and had them served on Riley and got the horse into a sheriff's keeping. Not long ago he entered Doc in a pacing race and won \$12,000. In the mean time Riley brought suit against Solomon for false seizure of property and damages. Crane received a telegram yesterday notifying him that the jury had returned a verdict for Plaintiff, and that he has damages against Solomon at \$1,000.

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A Memorial Day. While Ed Ball was roaring drunk on the evening of Memorial day, he created a great disturbance on Sixteenth street near Nicholas, and was arrested for it by Officer Curry. Frank Knight, who was also badly intoxicated, attempted to interfere with the officer, and Curry declared him under arrest. Both drunken fellows then united their forces and commenced to beat the officer and then attempted to escape. Knight succeeded in getting away through the

crowd that had assembled, but Curry held on to Ball. Later, Knight was hunted up and also jailed. The policeman's face was badly disfigured but he has no fear of credit for making a plucky fight. On arraignment, Ball and Knight were each fined \$10 and costs. As they have no money they will be held out in jail.

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THE BANKING LAW.

It is to Go Into Effect in the State To-day. The state banking law passed by the last session of the legislature goes into effect to-day. Its principal provisions are set forth in section one which specifies the capital which banks shall have and of what that capital shall consist. In section ten it provides for reserve funds. The law having been published, it is presumed that the commercial community is more or less familiar with its provisions. The only question that seems in the minds of the city bankers is as to whether the examiners, who are to be appointed by the auditor, state treasurer and attorney general or any two of them, will be what the law requires—men having practical knowledge of the banking business and not, in any way, connected with politics. Fear is expressed that, in the execution of this law, the influence of private bankers not in good and solvent condition will be brought to bear upon the appointment and work of the commissioners to render them lukewarm in the discharge of their duties. If the state banking law, it is held, is carried out as the United States banking law, which is in this numberless rotten banks doing business in this state on paper capital, will be wiped out and banks throughout the state will be left in a state of ruin. "There is no doubt that the law, if honestly executed," said a merchant this morning, "will cause many private and state bankers throughout the state to increase their capital or go out of business, and there is also no question that a decrease in the number of wild-cat bankers in this state is very much to be desired. While there are a great many solvent and sound concerns in Nebraska, there are more managed without either capital or integrity."

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THE CRONIN MURDER.

Tiernan Thought to Be Hero and Pinkerton Actor Him. The mission of William A. Pinkerton and five of his men in Omaha has been the cause of much conjecture, but information of a startling character has been received which explains their object of the visit. It is said that they are searching for James E. Tierman, who is said to be directly connected with the murder of Dr. Cronin in Chicago. Tierman was, until recently, in the employ of Sullivan, the ice dealer, who figures conspicuously in the case. Shortly after his arrest, it is claimed, Tierman was shot and his whereabouts since have been shrouded in mystery.

It is said that Tierman formerly resided in Omaha, but not being employed as a street driver about eight months ago. He continued in employment for a considerable length of time.

It is also stated in this connection that Tierman is wanted in this city for disposing of mortgaged property. In some manner he came into possession of four horses while here and worked them on the grades. He negotiated a loan of \$700 from John Lindnerholm, of the Union block, giving a mortgage on the animals. While he suddenly disposed of stock and left the city, Lindnerholm's transaction occurred last January. He is now in the hands of the authorities, but the whereabouts of Tierman were not known until his connection with the Cronin murder, although he was traced to Chicago by the police.

Tierman resided on Hill street, near Park, in Shrivier place.

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A GIANT UNDERPAKING.

The Effort to Compel the Making of Sewer Connections. Speaking of the order recently issued by him at the instigation of the board of health, ordering all owners of buildings in sewer districts to make connections with the same, Chairman Balcombe, of the board of public works, said that he had issued the order under protest, as he thought under the ordinances that the work could be exclusively done by the city.

There are eighty-eight sewer districts in the city, covering all the territory from Vinton street to Kountze Place and from the river to Thirty-sixth street. Of the residences within this territory not to exceed 1 per cent have connection with the sewer, and to enforce this order would be a herculean task, and call for an immense expenditure of money.

There seems to be a general feeling among property owners that the order will be enforced only so far as vaults which have actually become nuisances are concerned, and that it will be carried no further.

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In Police Court. Richard Joseph was fined \$25 and costs in police court yesterday afternoon for abusing his wife.

The next man called was George Corbett, who got drunk on Memorial day and lost a borrowed lawn mower.

"You here again?" said Judge Berka. "It's too bad you didn't lose yourself."

"I didn't come here myself," replied Corbett. "A copper nailed me. I wasn't drunk, either, judge. Why, I only had a pint bottle of whiskey and two beers."

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