TRIPPING BACK TO TEXAS.

Des Moines' Phenomenal Southern Twirler Knocked to Pieces.

THEY WON'T USE HIM ANY MORE.

Five Singles, Three Three-Baggers, a Double and Twelve Runs, and Then He Retires From the Box.

Standing of the Clubs.

Following is the standing of the Western association clubs, up to and including yesterday's games:

Clubs.	Denver	Des Moines	Milwaukee	Minneapolis	Omaha	Sioux City	St. Joseph	St. Paul	Won
Denver		6	5	3	3	3	3	3	23
Des Moines	4		3	3	3	3	3	3	19
Milwaukee	3	2		2	2	2	4	1	13
Minneapolis	7	1	3		2	5	5	2	25
Omaha	3	4	8	7		2	5	6	35
Sioux City	3	7	5	3	4		4	3	29
St. Joseph	3	2	4	4		1		1	15
St. Paul	5	5	5	3	4	6	7		35
Lost	23	27	33	26	15	21	30	15	

SUMMARY.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Omaha	50	35	15	.700
St. Paul	50	35	15	.700
Sioux City	50	29	21	.580
Minneapolis	50	25	25	.500
Denver	50	23	28	.460
Des Moines	46	20	26	.435
St. Joseph	46	15	31	.326
Milwaukee	46	13	33	.283

Omaha 17, Des Moines 7.

The Prohibitionists had their new phenom, Michael Hennessey, of Texas, in the box yesterday afternoon. He opened up in a manner that justified the suspicion that he was a pitcher, but subsequent events completely dissipated this hallucination, and he is now dead—to the world.

Only sixteen men went to the bat in the eighth inning, and the way they sham, lam and harpooned him was enough to give an ordinary man the St. Vitus dance.

Five singles, three three-baggers, a double and twelve runs was the size of it, and after this Mr. Hennessey retired with but one man out, big Sam Smith taking his place.

Michael was aware when he had enough.

After the game he remarked to Manager Macullar, of the Des Moines:

"I was a little off this afternoon, cap."

"Yes, I noticed," rejoined Macullar, "but not as far off as you will be to-morrow afternoon—that is, if you can catch the train."

So from that one we would suppose that Michael is to be sent back to his sunny, southern home.

The Omahas, however, put up their usual magnificent game. Kid Nichols pitched in fine form, barring a little wildness in the first four innings, when he sent six men to first base on bad balls; at least, that is what Charlie Briody, the oleaginous umpire, thought.

Briody, by the way, is nearly, if not quite, as good an umpire as old Davy Force.

But to return to the Kid's work.

He finally got settled down to his work, and allowed the visitors but six hits off him, two of these being in the final inning, when Nick just tossed them over the plate for fun. The lad also had fourteen assists.

Joe Strauss did some clever backstopping, and some hitting of the same sort, making a homer and a single, three runs, ten put outs and three assists.

Joe Walsh, too, was full of ginger, and laced her out in magnificent style, as his corker over the fence for four bags and two singles fully attest.

Jimmy Canavan, fresh from the hospital, was also on deck. He was weak and timid as a school girl, and all he could do was to knock the ball a couple of miles in the fifth and two and a half in the eighth.

That isn't so bad for a sick man, is it?

Sam Morton viewed the game from the directors' box, and he remarked to President McCormick that Hennessey reminded him very much of a couple of pitchers he has with the Minnies. He jumped over the back fence in the middle of the eighth inning and ran up the alley. Nobody knows where he went, but it is supposed he wanted to get as far away from Mr. Hennessey as possible before the game closed, to avoid tampering with him—with a bat.

But here's the score:

OMAHA.

	AB	R	1B	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Willis, cf	5	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Cleveland, 3b	4	2	3	0	0	2	2	0
Strauss, c	5	3	2	0	3	10	3	1
Crooks, 2b	5	2	2	1	2	1	2	0
Andrews, 1b	5	2	0	1	0	12	0	0
Walsh, ss	5	2	3	0	0	1	3	0
Jevne, rf	5	2	1	1	1	0	0	0
Canavan, lf	5	2	2	0	0	1	0	0
Nichols, p	4	1	1	0	1	0	14	0
Totals	43	17	15	3	8	27	24	1

DES MOINES.

	AB	R	1B	SH	SB	PO	A	E
Patton, lf	4	1	0	0	1	3	0	0
Maskrey, 3b	3	2	1	0	1	7	2	1
Whitely, cf	5	0	0	1	0	3	0	1
Connell, 3b	5	1*	3	0	1	0	4	0
Traffley, c	4	0	0	0	2	2	1	1
Smith, 1b and p	3	0	0	0	1	11	0	0
Macullar, ss	3	2	1	0	0	0	6	0
Cody, rf and 1b	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Hennessey, p-rf	4	1	2	0	0	0	4	2
Totals	35	7	7	1	6	27	17	5

BY INNINGS.

Omaha	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	12	0	—17
Des Moines	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	—7

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Omaha 8, Des Moines 3. Two-base hits—Nichols 1.

Three-base hits—Canavan, Jevne, Crooks, Cleveland.

Home runs—Canavan, Walsh, Strauss.

Bases on balls—By Nichols 6, by Hennessey 5.

Struck out—By Nichols 10, by Hennessey 2, by Smith 1.

Time—2 hours.

Umpire—Briody.

Milwaukee 6, Sioux City 4.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 1.—The visitors carried off the game to-day by bunching hits in the third inning. Ed Glenn, Sioux City's left fielder, was carried off the field in the seventh inning in an unconscious state. He collided with Burks on a fly ball. He is supposed to be seriously injured. Score:

SIOUX CITY.	r	h	o	a	e	MILWAUKEE.	r	h	o	a	e
Cline, rf and lf	2	1	1	0	0	Poorman, rf	1	0	2	0	0
Glenn, lf	0	2	1	1	0	Sutton, cf	2	2	0	0	0
Crotty, rf	0	1	0	0	0	Morrissey, 1b	1	1	7	0	0
Powell, lb	1	1	9	2	0	Shock, ss	1	2	1	1	0
Genins, cf	0	0	3	0	0	Lowe, lf	1	1	6	0	0
Brosnan, 2b	0	0	2	2	0	Kirby, 2b	0	0	3	3	0
Burks, ss	0	0	0	4	1	Alberts, 3b	0	0	0	3	1
Bradley, 3b	0	1	1	1	0	Mills, c	0	2	6	1	0
Hellman, c	1	1	6	1	0	Davis, p	0	1	1	0	0
Flanagan, p	0	0	1	2	0						
Totals	4	7	24	13	1	Totals	6	9	27	8	1

BY INNINGS.

Sioux City	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—4
Milwaukee	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	—6

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Sioux City 2, Milwaukee 3. Two-base hits—Morrissey. Three-base hits—Powell. Stolen bases—Sioux City 5, Milwaukee 3. Double plays—Burks to Brosnan to Powell to Hellman. First base on balls—Sioux City 7, Milwaukee 7. Hit by pitched ball—Shock. Struck out—By Flanagan 1, by Davis 2. Passed balls—Hellman 1, Mills 3. Time—2:15. Umpire—Clarke.

St Paul 9, St. Joseph 6.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 1.—The worst exhibition of ball playing ever given in the world was put up by St. Joseph and St. Paul, and St. Paul came out of it a winner. Score:

ST. JOSEPH.	r	h	o	a	e	ST. PAUL.	r	h	o	a	e
Cartwright, 3b	2	0	4	1	0	Hawes, 1b	1	3	12	0	0
Curtis, lf	0	3	0	0	0	Murphy, cf	0	2	2	0	0
Ardner, 2b	1	1	2	1	1	Carroll, rf	0	1	0	0	0
McGarr, ss	0	1	2	9	0	Reilly, 3b	1	2	3	1	1
Shellhasse, c	0	0	8	3	2	Miller, ss	1	2	2	4	1
Kreig, 1b	2	3	10	0	1	Daly, lf	1	1	1	0	0
Hotaling, cf	0	0	1	0	0	Broughton, c	2	0	3	1	0
Snell, rf	1	0	0	1	0	Farmer, 2b	1	1	2	4	0
Crowell, p	1	2	0	4	2	Tuckerman, p	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	8	11	24	20	6	Totals	9	12	27	12	2

BY INNINGS.

St. Joseph	1	2	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	—8
St. Paul	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	*—	9

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—St. Joseph 2, St. Paul 1. Two-base hit Crowell. Three-base hit—Farmer. Home runs—Krieg 2, Ardner 1. First on balls—Off Crowell 3, off Tuckerman 5. Stolen bases—Cartwright 2, McGarr, Carroll. Double plays—Crowell to McGarr to Kreig. Struck out—By Crowell 4, by Tuckerman 2. Passed balls—Broughton 1. Wild pitches—Tuckerman 1, Crowell 1. Time of game—2 hours, 5 minutes. Umpire—Force.

The Corn Huskers To-morrow.

To-morrow Sioux City will be here for a game with the local team, and a large crowd will assuredly turn out to witness the game. Everybody wants to see whether they can do it again, Three straights, it will be remembered, the Corn Huskers took on their first visit here. On the Fourth these two teams play two games, one at 10:30 in the morning and one at 3:30 in the afternoon.

OTHER BALL GAMES.

The National League.

PITTSBURG, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

Pittsburg	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	—6
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Base hits—Pittsburg 8, Philadelphia 3. Errors—Pittsburg 2, Philadelphia 4. Pitchers—Galvin and Buffinton. Umpire—McQuaid.

CLEVELAND, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

Cleveland	0	0	2	2	0	2	1	1	0	—8
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Base hits—Cleveland 13, Washington 5. Errors—Cleveland 1, Washington 5. Pitchers—O'Brien and Healy. Umpire—Curry.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

Indianapolis	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	—6
New York	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—5

Base hits—Indianapolis 6, New York 9. Errors—Indianapolis 0, New York 3. Pitchers—Boyle and Keefe. Umpire—Fessenden.

CHICAGO, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

Chicago	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	—3
Boston	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	—7

Base hits—Chicago 5, Boston 10. Errors—Chicago 5, Boston 5. Pitchers—Tener and Clarkson. Umpire—Lynch.

The American Association.

ST. LOUIS, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

St. Louis	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	—8
Louisville	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	—2

KANSAS CITY, July 1.—Result of to-day's game:

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

Amateur Games.

O'NEILL, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The game of ball to-day between the Atkinson and O'Neill clubs resulted in a defeat for the visiting club by a score of 15 to 4. Kelley and Barnes formed the battery for the O'Neill club, and Blake and Butler for the Atkinsons. The West Point club came up this evening and will play a game here to-morrow and one Wednesday. They play Atkinson the 4th.

Too Much Praise to a Pitcher.

GENOA, Neb., July 1.—The report of the ball game between the Lafayetts and Indians, in yesterday's BEE, stated that the feature of the game was the pitching of Pemo, of the Lafayetts, which is far from correct. Mr. Pemo pitched a very good game, but nothing in comparison to that put out by Mitchell, as the following from the official score shows: Strike outs—Mitchell 19, Pemo 2; base hits—Indians 18, Lafayetts 8.

A Confident Ball Team.

NORFOLK, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Norfolk nine will do their prettiest to beat the Sioux City league team on the home grounds to-morrow. They have won twenty-two games out of twenty-eight played, and feel confortably strong.

The American Rifle Team Wins.

LONDON, July 1.—The Massachusetts rifle team contested with the Honorable Artillery company at rifle shooting to-day. The American team won by a score of 1,015 to 961.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

An Animated Discussion on the Question of the Removal of Buildings.

The board of education held its regular meeting last evening, Directors Coburn, Kelley, McConnell, Morrison, Parmelee, Rees, Saville, Sholes, Spalding, Spore, Wehrer and President Clark being present.

The board decided to remove two old buildings from the Paul school.

A motion to pay Attorney Webster $100 for legal advice concerning the purchase of paving bonds was lost.

Superintendent James requested that a committee be appointed to arrange for more commodious rooms for the high school. A communication from Principal Lewis, making the same request, was referred to a special committee.

Boiler Inspector Standeven reported that Center school needs a new set of flues and some brickwork. Omaha View needs a few fire bricks. St. Barnabas and Cass will need a valve above the main supply steam pipe of the building. Webster needs a new fire wall. The high school needs new fire walls for three boilers.

Prof. Lewis, principal of the high school, reported that the commencement exercises netted $83.

A report from Prof. Buman, instructor in manual training, recommending additional room and asking that more attention be given to manual training in the high school, was referred to a special committee.

Mr. McConnell, from the committee on claims, recommended the payment of claims to the amount of $2,682.55.

City Treasurer Rush reported that $8,500 district paving bonds of the city of Omaha have been awarded to the board of education at $1.07. The treasurer's report showed a balance in the general fund of $17,074.98; sinking fund, $9,910.41; site and building funds, $15,038.21.

The teachers who were absent on sick leave during the last term were allowed half pay for the time they were sick.

The motion of Mr. Sholes to remove the two-room frame school building on Davenport to West Omaha caused considerable discussion, most members of the board expressing themselves as opposed to the removal of the school houses from their present locations, and the motion was lost.

Mr. Sholes moved to have plans submitted for a sixteen-room school house on the Paul street site. Mr. Coburn spoke in favor of the building. Mr. Wehrer opposed it, saying, "You have squandered all the money and we have not anything to build a school house with, and I am opposed to it."

"You had better qualify your remarks," said the president.

"They are qualified," said Mr. Wehrer.

The motion was lost by a vote of 10 to 2, after which the board adjourned till next Monday evening, when the newly-elected members will begin their duties.

A Contractor Skips Out.

John A. Sauer, a grading contractor, is in trouble. He had a contract for grading a few lots near Thirtieth and California streets, and had employed about one hundred men, mostly Poles and Italians. Yesterday was pay day for the men, but Sauers failed to materialize, leaving the men in the lurch.

It appears that the contract was taken by the New York York Trust company and sublet to Sauers for 5 cents per yard. He represented to the men that he was receiving 14 cents for grading and 7 cents for loading.

Friday night Sauers obtained money to pay the men from the trust company and has not been seen in the city since Saturday morning. He was seen about 10 p. m. Sunday in Council Bluffs. It is estimated that he is indebted to his employes from $1,500 to $2,000. The men have engaged an attorney and will bring suit against the New York Trust company to recover the amount due them.

Ancient Egyptian Portraits.

A curious exhibition of portraits, more than two thousand years old, has just been opened in Paris. These are paintings which once ornamented Egyptian burial places, and which have been admirable preserved by the dry sand. They date from the Greek epoch in Egypt. There are more than one hundred of these portraits, which give an accurate idea of all the types, the costumes, hair dressing, etc., of the time.

SENT UP FOR A LIFE TERM.

Miles Henry Convicted of Murder in the Second Degree.

PARTICULARS OF THE CRIME.

The First Annual Brigade Encampment of the Knights of Pythias Opens Up at Columbus—Nebraska News.

Got Off Lucky.

GRANT, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Miles Henry, who murdered Edward C. Mahar, in Cass county, in April, was tried before Judge Cochran at Imperial Saturday, convicted of murder in the second degree, and sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. The circumstances of the crime are about as follows: Mahar went to Imperial to prove up on his claim, and Henry was a witness for him. Mahar secured a loan of $400. He left Imperial for his home and was seen no more until found with a bullet in his brain. Henry disappeared and suspicion rested upon him. He was traced to Box Butte county, where his wife was found, and lodged in jail. He wrote her a letter, which, falling into the hands of the authorities, led to his capture. It was expected that the jury would hang him, but it brought in a second degree verdict. It caused intense indignation. The prisoner was hustled into a carriage and spirited away to avoid a mob. He was brought to Lisbon, this county, and hidden in the baggage car. It is reported here to-night that a mob was formed at Madrid to lynch him, but he could not be found. The prisoner confessed his guilt after sentence had been pronounced upon him.

The K. of P. Engagement Opens.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The first annual brigade encampment of the Knights of Pythias of Nebraska convened in this city to-day. The first day of the encampment dawned with a clear sky and a gentle breeze from the south. Though the day was warm, the evening was cool and pleasant for the opening exercises, which began at 8 p. m. The knights began arriving on the morning trains and by night quite a number were in the city. The decorations were completed about noon and add materially to the appearance of the business portion of the city. They are on an extensive scale. Many private houses are elaborately decorated. The knights are not expected to arrive in full force before Wednesday. The camp was formally turned over to the brigadier general, with an able address of welcome, by Hon. George G. Bowman, and responded to in a fitting manner by Brigadier General W. L. Dayton.

Crete's Fifth Day.

CRETE ASSEMBLY GROUNDS, July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Sunday serene stillness that brooded over the grounds all day yesterday, making it, as several ministers were heard to say, "an ideal Sabbath," has this morning given place to the usual weekday briskness and bustle. Again the newsboy's cry is heard, again offices and places of traffic are open, again boats ply upon the river, and the lover of lawn tennis hies him to his beloved courts. The rain of yesterday "is over and gone," and this first day of July brings us bright, though rather warm weather. However, even sultriness is preferable to an over supply of moisture. Quite a commotion prevailed among the assembly reporters yesterday. The fact that the 3:30 p. m. train going east on the B. & M. does not run on Sunday was not generally known. Consequently some half dozen industrious reporters "got left," a very unusual thing to happen a reporter. When their carefully written manuscript was returned to them with the news of the recreant train indignation meetings were the order of the day. Condolences were exchanged and a business like rush for the telegraph office ensued. Chautauqua may talk about Sunday observance ad libitum, but so long as Sunday papers are published reporters want their mail carried on Sunday the same as any other day.

It is frequently remarked that people seem to enjoy the assembly even more than usual this year. There is such general and contagious cheerfulness and sociability, so many old friends meet and are so glad to see one another. This morning three fat men happened to meet on the outskirts of the pavilion, and immediately two of them clasped hands and indulged in a prolonged and very muscular shake, while their faces beamed with pleasure. "You see we are old friends," they explained to the third party. "So I see," said the third, and so did everybody else see, for such a handshake as that could not be hidden under a bushel.

"Missionary Work" was the topic of the morning prayer meeting. The importance and vastness of the work was dwelt upon, and much interested was manifested. One gentleman, evidently a Y. M. C. A. man who has kept his eyes open, declared there was plenty of missionary work to be done right here on the assembly grounds; that he knew there were a hundred young men here who have no pronounced religious views, are pledged to no christian work, and are regular attendants at no place of worship. The young men of the Y. M. C. A. are liberally represented at the assembly this year. Their headquarters building is always open, and they are striving to make their influence felt for good.

At the 8 o'clock rehearsal this morning Dr. Palmer's chorus class numbered 150. All the members were not present. The class is expected to be double the present number within a few days. Mrs. Raymond, of Lincoln, is the pianist; Miss Clark, of Boston, the cornetist, and Miss Rice, of Lincoln, the organist. Mrs. Powell, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Minkler and Madame Carrington, of Chicago, are the soloists. The chorus is one of the most popular departments of the assembly, and thoroughly deserves its popularity. The class in harmony meets at 9 o'clock each day, and the beginners' class in singing at 5 p. m. Both these classes are conducted by Dr. Palmer; they are well attended, and are doing good work. A Grand piano has been ordered from Omaha, and is expected to-day. The upright piano now used is not adapted for chorus purposes.

Prof. Beard's advanced class in drawing meets in the editor's building at 9 a. m. The tuition is $2 each, and the class now numbers twenty-five. The children's drawing class meets in the same place at 4 p. m. The tuition is $1 each, and the class is large and interesting.

The most popular class for little folk is Mrs. Kennedy's Palestine class, which meets at 9 o'clock in the normal hall. The lesson, as the name of the class indicates, is travels in Palestine, and the children greatly enjoy their daily journey in that far away, storied land.

The advanced Normal class met at 9 in the Congregational building. This class is now studying bible geography, and is taught by Prof. Jacoby, of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Duryea's bible class met at 10 a. m. in the hall in the Grove. The benches were well occupied, for the learned doctor always attracts a crowd. The lesson was a continuation of the series of the books of the bible. The historical order of the books of the old testament was given, and it was shown that the interest and importance of these books gather around the three figures, prophet, priest and king—all typical of Christ. This bible students' class is largely attended by teachers and ministers who are anxious to benefit by the instructions of one of the most profound bible students in America.

At 11 o'clock occurred Sprague's second lecture in the pavilion. At the beginning of the lecture Dr. Eddy, of Lincoln, sang a solo, "I Am Waiting for Thee;" Mrs. Raymond, also of Lincoln, played the accompaniment. Certain harmless monomaniacs exhausted themselves in the effort to prove that Shakespeare had twenty-seven occupations or callings. Dr. Sprague's lecture on "Shakespeare's Sword" was an effort to prove that one of the mythical twenty-seven callings was that of a soldier. In the beginning the lecturer referred to the four great soldier authors of olden times—Moses, David, Aeschylus and Julius Cæsar—men who combined loftiest thoughts with stoutest actions. Such men, however, are few, for severe physical labor is not conducive to mental activity. Yet such men as the above prove that a military life, if not too long or too absorbing, is greatly promotive of literary ability. Shakespeare, the lecturer affirmed, as also a good illustration of this statement. He then gave copious extracts from Shakespeare's writings to prove that he possessed extensive knowledge of military affairs, and was probably at some period of his life a soldier. The lecturer showed great knowledge of his subject, and his rendition of choice Shakesperian extracts was very fine. The noon hour was spent, as usual, in seeking refreshments for the inner man, and in posting up concerning the coming events, as stated in the programme. Great preparations are being made for Wednesday, which is set apart for lawyers' and editors' day. More representatives of the press and bar are expected here this year than ever before. Judge Morris, of Crete, will be the presiding officer of the lawyers' part of the day, and this is a surety that things will be conducted as they should be. Hon. J. W. Donavan, of Michigan, will deliver the annual address to the lawyers at 2 p. m., his subject being, "The Art of the Advocate." In the evening H. M. Bushnell, president of the Nebraska Press association, will deliver the annual address to the editors, his subject being, "In the City of Mexico."

Great expectations are entertained for the Fourth. Ex-Governor Cumbach and Corporal Tanner will be the orators of the day, and the evening concert by Dr. Palmer's large chorus will undoubtedly be worthy of the day we celebrate, so also will be the display of fireworks. Captain John Sherrell, of Crete, will be chief marshal of the day, and with a number of able assistants will see that the complicated machinery of the day runs smoothly.

It is fortunate for the lady reporters of some of the papers that publish penny wood-cuts of scenes on the assembly grounds, that a certain elderly artist is so susceptible to female charms. Cartoons and lead pencil sketches come cheap when wheedled out of artistic admirers, anxious to win the favor of the press and the reporters. At 2 p. m. to-day Prof. R. L. Cumnock, the elocutionist, gave a reading in the pavilion. In the announcements preceding the readings Dr. Dunning appointed a meeting of the C. L. S. C. at 7 this evening, and said that for the good of the state he was more anxious than ever before that much be made of the C. L. S. C., and hoped the membership would be largely increased this year.

After a solo entitled "Dreams," sung by Mr. Powell, Prof. Cumnock began his readings. The selections were as follows: "Henry V. Wooing," Shakspeare; "The Brakeman at Church," Robert Burdette; "The Night Express;" "The Low Backed Car," Samuel Lover.

At the stockholders' meeting at 3 o'clock to-day all the old officers were re-elected. The evening lecture was delivered by Dr. Hays, his subject being "Every-Day Reasoning." Before the lecture Madame Carrington sang a solo, "The Flower Girl," and received an enthusiastic encore. In his lecture Dr. Hays showed the methods of every-day reason to be the same as those of scientific reasoning, illustrated the different methods of reasoning, showed how to arrive at conclusions, and how to test their correctness. The lecture abounded in humorous and pointed illustrations, and both amused and interested the large audience. This is Dr. Hays' last appearance at the assembly this year. He takes his departure to-night and leaves many friends and admirers behind him.

To-morrow's programme is as follows:

TUESDAY, JULY 2—TEACHERS' DAY.

6:30—Prayer service.
8:00—Children's class.
8:00—Chorus.
9:00—Harmony class.
9:00—Normal class.
9:00—Palestine class.
9:11—Drawing class.
10:00—Bible student's class—Dr. J. T. Duryea.
10:00—Temperance class.
11:00—Pronunciation match—Prof. R. L. Cumnock.
2:00—Meeting of teachers of Nebraska, Principal Edward Healey, presiding. Address by Prof. J. T. McFarland, of Wesleyan university, Mount Pleasant, Ia.
4:00—Primary teachers' class.
4:00—Normal class.
4:00—Drawing class for children.
4:00—Chorus.
5:00—Conference of teachers, led by Prof. Edward Healey.—"Morals in the Public Schools."
5:00—Y. P. S. C. E. conference—Rev. Willard Scott.
8:00—Readings.—Prof. R. L. Cumnock.

A Peculiar Case.

LOUISVILLE, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Mr. A. Keeler, a widower with three children, all girls, has been charged with the crime of incest, and has skipped to avoid arrest and prosecution. Keeler has been making a living fishing, trapping and making willow ware, chairs, etc. He has always been a hard working man, apparently anxious for his children, and when the charge was made Saturday to a gentleman in town by an older married daughter he was loth to believe it and told the complainant to wait until he consulted with others, as it was a very serious charge. Mr. Keeler was informed of the fact by some one, or else suspicioned something wrong, for he disappeared from town, and this morning the following letter was received by his married daughter, Minnie Lish, postmarked Lincoln:

LINCOLN, Sunday morn June 30 Mrs Devil you have soute my ruin for the last 4 years you have worked your plans this time to Robb Me But my time comes next you shall suffer what you have made me suffer. I will spend the remaneder of my life In Seakin Revenge She Devil I will reduce you by flames and Death. hell shall Be your Doome I will tortur you hense forth and for ever I have taken you in as a child and you have acted like a serpent I will Be able to play my part from Know on if you can Beat me you are good one from a Mr Devil to a Mis Devil write sone from your most Deadly enemy Loock out for yourself I have warned you.

The girl has sworn out a complaint and the officers are looking for Keeler.

Madison County Crops.

NORFOLK, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The work of the assessor of Madison county has just been completed and put into available form. The figures show a tilled area for cereals of just about 100,000 acres, or a little less than one-third of the land in the county. The acreage of corn is 50 per cent more than that of all other crops put together, and 27 per cent more than that of the same crop last year. There is about 20 per cent greater breadth of oats, while the amount of millet is three times that of last year. The acreage of wheat is 1 400 less than last year. Grape vines are reported to the number of 5,350; fruit trees, 20,425; forest trees, about 2,450,000. Small grain will be rather a short crop in the county on account of the dry weather of the spring. Showers of late have been copious and the promise now is for an excellent crop of corn.

A Mad Dog Scare.

HARVARD, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Friday the little boy of William Brahm, a farmer living southeast of town, came to the house with a small scratch on his chin, saying the dog had scratched him. Saturday afternoon the dog ran at a neighbor's children and caught a little girl by the leg, dragging her down and biting her severely. Jumping into a pen it bit a number of pigs and then set off down the road, biting an emigrant's dog on the way. Word was sent to the neighbors, and Jacob Hamburger, a farmer living near, saw the animal coming and attacked it with a neckyoke, finally succeeding in killing it, but not until after it had bitten his own dog. The girl's leg is inflamed and badly swollen. The boy has shown no symptoms of rabies yet. The two bitten dogs are still at large.

Arrested for Bigamy.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Mack Golson, at one time a dry goods merchant at Fremont, was arrested to-day at Kearney on the charge of bigamy and brought to Lincoln for trial. Golson, some six weeks or two months ago became enamored of a black-eyed girl by the name of Minnie Heller, at Fremont, where he was engaged in business, and he won her affections, brought her here and married her. At the time he had a wife and two children, with whom he had been living in apparent happiness, but he deserted them for Minnie. After his second marriage he skipped for the west and finally pulled up where he was taken into custody. A few days ago he returned to Fremont to settle up his business when wife No. 2 found out that she was not his legal wife which so enraged her that she filed a complaint and he was arrested and brought here for trial as stated.

A Pretty Fair Showing.

OSCEOLA, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—For a long time there has been considerable dissatisfaction in this county, and a desire to have the records of the county officers investigated, and slurs were thrown out that our county officials had built nice houses, started banks and got rich robbing the people. The county commissioner employed John Palmquist and his assistant about four months ago, paying $10 a day, and they made their first report to-day. The report contains seven pages of foolscap, to which is attached fifty sheets of paper about four feet square, and nineteen smaller sheets. It embraces the time from April 1, 1870, to January 1, 1880, and shows that Hon. J. H. McKey, in his ten years as treasurer, owes the state $4.81, and the county $183.41.

Raiding the Prostitutes.

FREMONT, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—A short time ago the city council enacted a new ordinance providing for the regular monthly fining of all prostitutes found in the city, the marshal to arrest all such on the first of each month. Accordingly this afternoon Marshal Houck for the first time raided the houses of ill-repute and arrested their inmates, taking them before the police judge, who fined them in accordance with the ordinance. This is the first that has been done in Fremont for a long time to suppress prostitution.

Wanted What They Were Worth.

FREMONT, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Fremont city council held a meeting this forenoon for the purpose of disposing, to the highest bidder, of $110,000 worth of city improvement bonds. There were representatives of six firms present from abroad to bid on the bonds. The highest offer was par, accrued interest to date and $75. The council deemed this too small an amount for the class of security, and so rejected all bids and will advertise again.

A Judge Resigns.

SIDNEY, Neb., July 1.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—At to-day's meeting of the board of county commissioners, Judge Robert Shuman tendered his resignation as county judge, owing to his increased hotel business. The resignation was reluctantly accepted. Francis H. Decastor, one of the ablest attorneys of Cheyenne county, was appointed to fill the vacancy. Judge Decastro is well and favorably known throughout the state.

Both Legs Broken.

FREMONT, Neb., July 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Locke Moe, the nine-year old son of L. S. Moe, of this city, was this morning seriously injured by the kick of a horse which he was currying. The thigh bone of both legs was broken.

PURITY OF THE COURT.

Judge Wakeley Insists That It Shall Be Like That of the U. S. Mails.

Some Omaha lawyers received an unexpected scoring from Judge Wakeley yesterday morning in a decision for alimony handed down by him in the divorce case of Hull against Hull. During the trail a number of nauseating details were made public.

Dr. Wyman Hull resided at Norfolk and his wife, Eliza, left him there. She came to this city and instituted suit for divorce with alimony.

In his answer Hull inserted extracts from letters received from his wife which impelled the court to utter a quiet though cutting reprimand to the offending attorneys. Said he: "The party who wrote those letters ought to have been arrested for sending obscene matter through the mails, and for that very reason they should never have been introduced here. This court certainly ought to be kept as pure in character as the United States mails, and I have no patience with attorneys who seek to contaminate it by filing petitions that are filled with obscene literature."

Mrs. Hull was granted $25 a month alimony; also $100 for attorney's fees and some other expenses.

Judge Wakeley has granted a decree of divorce to Frank Bellamy from his wife. The father obtains the custody of the children and pays his former wife's attorney fees.

Some day this week, Judge Doane will hear a motion for a new trial in the case of Jensen against the city. Jensen secured a verdict for $3,000 some time ago. The ground on which Mr. Webster, the city attorney, bases his motion, is, that while the jury was out deliberating they were called in and given an explanation of certain portions of the instructions contrary to the usage.

Next Friday Judge Doane will hear arguments on a demurrer, in the cases of those who were injured in the Farnam street horror, February 14, against Max Meyer, the board of public works and building inspector.

How to Ascertain Damages.

Mrs. Johannah Schutt was granted an injunction, which prevents the city from opening an extension of south Thirteenth street without allowing her such damages as her property may sustain. Judge Wakeley held that in condemning property for its use appraisers should first be appointed to assess its valuation and then deposit in some bank the amount they return which may be used in paying off the claims. Damages should be pa