

CORPORAL CARTER'S DEATH.

Testimony All Taken in the Trial of Trumpeter Dixon.

SLIGHT EVIDENCE FOR THE DEFENSE.

Claims That Carter Had Made Threats—Good Character of the Deceased—Story of the Accused.

The trial of Trumpeter Dixon in the United States court was continued yesterday morning. Private Lorenzo Walters was the first witness called.

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used in a case in which the Benjamins Self Adding Cash Register company was plaintiff and Grotmick & Hanson were the plaintiffs.

But refused to appear and a constable was sent after his body, which in due time was found and conveyed to the court. His presence did not serve the purpose, as he would not tell what he knew. Immediately thereafter he was fined for contempt and committed to the county jail.

Over 50,000 Howe scales have been sold since their introduction into the country. Sold and sold continuously. Borden & Seligson Co., Chicago, Ill.

Don't fail to see William Gillette's great play, The Private Secretary, at the Farnam Street Theatre today. Twenty-five cents for any reserved seat in the house. Prices of this theater are never advanced.

Samuel Burns regrets that the bad weather kept many of his friends from the "opening," and has concluded to continue it all the week, every afternoon and evening.

THE SENTINALS CONFESSION.

The New York Herald will on next Sunday print one of the most remarkable newspaper articles ever published by an American daily. It will add another brilliant page to the history of Liberty prison, the everlasting shame of the confederacy. It will detail the escape of Colonel Rose and comrades with particulars of thrilling interest of the assistance rendered by a confederate sentinel who signs his confession. This act has never before been made public, and the Herald's information is exclusive.

The Bee expects to succeed in purchasing the right to publish this distinctive feature next Sunday.

Don't fail to read it.

Five Hundred Million Dollars.

will be spent at the "World's fair." Now is the time to secure a hotel, boarding house or other business to make a fortune. Address James Pearce & Co., Traders Bldg., Chicago.

Samuel Burns is having a piano lamp sold.

This lamp is a \$100 lamp, \$80.00; \$10.00 lamp, \$8.00; \$5.00 lamp, \$6.00.

ON THE TOP WAVE.

Northwestern Nebraska Riding on Prosperity's Crest. Ex-Senator Charles H. Cornell, now registrar of the Valentine land office, is in the city, having come down several days ago to testify in the trial of Trumpeter Dixon for murder.

His testimony was needed to officially locate Fort Niobrara reservation, where the supposed murder was committed.

"The era of good times has already reached the country 'round about Valentine," said Mr. Cornell in conversation. "We have more money up there now than at any time for the last five or six years. It was a pretty poor army when they raised about 1,500 bushels of wheat, not to mention other crops, and they have been averaging 60 cents a bushel for their wheat. They haven't got through the winter yet. Several new machines were bought for this season, but the crop is so big they haven't been able to get all around. On plenty of farms up in that country this year's crops were worth more than the land that raised them. Corn has hardly begun to move yet, and we haven't sold a third of our grain, so the outlook is very bright indeed. Money is plenty and collections are easy. The farmers are getting a good price for their wheat of old notes, the merchants are cleaning up their accounts, and our section of the state is putting itself into good financial condition. This general prosperity is a hard blow to the calamity party, and it is dividing out of sight."

Gessler's Magic Rheumatism Wafers.

Cures a headache in 30 minutes. At all druggists.

Wegman piano. New scale. New tuning device. Sold on installments. Hayden Bros.

OMAHA READS.

Evidence of Literary Ambition Given by the Public Library. "If you think we are not hurried here just come in some afternoon about 4 o'clock when the school children strike us," said Miss Allen, warden of the public library, yesterday afternoon.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has just made a change of time. The train that was due to leave Omaha at 12:15 noon, now leaves at 1 o'clock.

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FOR EXPERT GUN HANDLERS.

Omaha Will Make Next Year's Competition a Very Attractive One.

LIBERAL PRIZES WILL BE OFFERED.

Citizens Take Hold of the Plans for the National Drill with a Vim That Insures Success.

Great preparations are being made and much interest manifested in the national military encampment which is to be held in Omaha the third week in June of next year.

One hundred military companies from all parts of the United States are expected to participate and contest for prizes to be offered by the National Competitive Drill association of which Captain H. B. Mulford is president.

Both of these gentlemen are residents of Omaha, and last year at the national encampment held at Indianapolis, by their efforts the new drill association was organized.

In order to get the citizens interested in the gigantic undertaking a joint meeting of the various committees of different organizations was held at the Board of Trade rooms.

The secretary, Mr. Altheimer, stated that the purpose of the meeting was to secure for Omaha the national encampment, and to cordially invite all to come.

NEBRASKA SHIPPERS SUFFER. Local Effect of the Car Famine—Broad Notes.

Mr. H. C. Miller, the well known Board of Trade grain man, made a tour of all the railroad freight offices yesterday in the interest of the grain trade of Omaha, which is seriously affected by the car famine.

At no office could he get any reliable information as to when the blockade would be raised, but the Canadian Southern People thought it would loosen up by the end of the week.

There seems to be a profound ignorance as to the probability of getting a supply of cars, and about the only consolation the freight agents have to offer is: "The blockade must end some time, it can't last always."

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This doesn't appear very conspicuously in the reports of the speculative markets, because the cars used for Board of Trade deals is mostly No. 2. That is a rather fancy grade established by the Board of Trade for the benefit of speculators to enable them to bleed gullible suckers.

Of the 400 or 500 cars received in Chicago yesterday only eighteen graded No. 2, just enough to make a profit for the speculators of bushels of corn raised in Nebraska would grade No. 2 at Chicago except by the whim of the inspectors at that point.

It is now 3 cents off as a result of the blockade and a drag at that. There is a little bit of hope that some of the speculators are quietly allowing cars to go east. Of course this is not generally known, but it is helping out the western shippers somewhat.

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conducted by the local board and the applicants sought only positions in the local office as mail clerks. The examinations were in orthography, penmanship, copying, letter writing, arithmetic and geography.

Those who make an average of over 70 will be placed upon the eligible list and as clerks are needed the highest are selected.

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Special Suit Sale.

Today we will begin on our first floor our regular annual sale of winter suits for men. The thousands who have taken advantage of these sales as they have occurred yearly almost to the very day, will read this announcement with interest. They know what it means. They'll all be here. The simple announcement that the sale was to begin would bring 'em. To the newcomer since our memorable sale of a year ago, as well as to the few old-timers who have'n't taken pains to investigate former sales, we will say this: Every year since we began business we have held a special suit sale at about this time of the year. Each succeeding sale has seen the crowds grow larger, until last year we were hardly able to wait upon the good-natured mob around the special tables. We have always offered extraordinary values at these sales; this one will be no exception. If you've never attended one of these sales this will be a good one to begin on.

\$5.50

Gives you your choice of about three hundred strictly all wool fancy plaid cassimere suits, and two hundred and fifty very desirable fancy striped chevot suits. These suits are lined with a fine twilled lining, well trimmed throughout, and were made by tailors who knew their business. The regular price is just eight-fifty.

\$7.90

Is the price of a splendid all wool cassimere suit, without any exception the best value we have ever offered at a moderate price. The goods were made in a mill where they have never been introduced to cotton. The pattern is a neat plaid; the linings, trimmings and making are all substantial, and the man who has laid aside twelve dollars for a suit of clothes will get twelve dollars worth of suit for seven-ninety in cash.

\$9.50

Gives you your choice of three styles of suits worth thirteen-fifty to fifteen dollars. They come in fine cassimere and fancy striped and plaid chevots. They are cut, lined, trimmed and made by workmen who can "hold their job." They've got the style to them. They've got the wear in them. They've got the shape that you'd get with fifteen dollars anywhere but here.

Nebraska Clothing Co.

Cor. DOUGLAS & 14TH STS. Till after Christmas open till 9 p. m. Saturday 10 p. m.

For Suffering Women. DR. MILES' Restorative NERVINE. Cures: Sleeplessness, Nervous Prostration, Sick and nervous headache, etc. After four years treatment by the best doctors in the land, but without any relief, have used your Nervine for one week and have not had an attack since.

Dr. DOWNS 1316 Douglas Street, Omaha, Neb. The eminent specialist in nervous, chronic, private, blood and urinary diseases. A regular and registered graduate in medicine, anatomy and orthopedic (toe) shoe. He will treat with the greatest success catarrh, spermatorrhoea, lost manhood, seminal weakness, night losses, impotency, syphilis, stricture, etc. A new treatment for loss of vital power. Parties unable to visit may be treated at home by express parcel. Medicine or instrument sent by mail or sent securely packed, no marks to indicate contents of container. Our services are preferred. Complete satisfaction. Correspondence strictly private. Book (Mysteries of Life) sent free. Office hours, 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sunday, 10 a. m. to 12 m. Send stamp for reply.

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W. BAKER & Co.'s Breakfast Cocoa. The Original and Genuine (WORCESTERSHIRE) LEA & PERRINS SAUCE. Imparts the most delicious taste and zest to SOUPS, GRAVIES, FISH, MEATS, GAME, WELSH-RABBITS, &c. Beware of Imitations; see that you get Lea & Perrins' Sauce.

Drs. Betts & Betts. Kings of Specialists. Unrivaled. For their success in the treatment and cure of Syphilis, Gonorrhoea, Gleet, Stricture, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Piles, Fistula, Rectal Ulcers, Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhoea, Lost Manhood, Errors of Youth, Excessive Sexual Indulgences, Kidney, Urinary and Bladder Troubles, Blood and Skin Diseases, Nervous Diseases, Chronic Diseases, Private Diseases, Sexual Weakness and Diseases, Diseases of every nature.

No Chemicals are used in its preparation. It has more than three times the strength of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, costing less than one cent a cup. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, EASILY DIGESTED, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

DISCUSSING NEXT YEAR'S WAGES. The bricklayers and the brick contractors will get together Saturday afternoon to agree upon a scale of wages for the season of 1902. The question of hours will also be discussed and agreed upon. Last season eight hours and eight hours pay with seven hours and eight hours pay on Saturday constituted a day's labor, but that agreement expires next month.

MOORE'S TREE OF LIFE. Monmouth, Ill., Feb. 11, '80. Dr. J. B. Moore, -While suffering from a severe cold, I was induced to try Moore's Tree of Life Catarrh Cure, and it afforded almost immediate relief; and while I have been a sufferer for years from catarrh, since using this remedy I have not been affected in any way with this decidedly annoying disease.

CONSTITUTIONAL TONIC. Constipation poisons the blood; DeWitt's Little Early Risers, constipation. The cause removed, the disease is gone. Four hundred and fifty dollar piano. Warranted seven years for \$187.50. New scale. Hayden Bros.

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