

MUST FIGHT FOR THE FUNDS

Residents of Nemaha County Will Test the Handley Bequest.

HOW THE ESTATE HAS BEEN DIVIDED

Law Suits in the Family Cause the Trouble—How a Nebraska Farmer Regarded the Efforts to Gather Agricultural Statistics.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 1.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The Handley bequest of \$60,000 to the Home of the Friendless in this city is not to be secured by that institution without a hotly contested legal battle. Mrs. Handley, the lady who bequeathed her estate to the home, was for many years a resident of Nemaha county and has a number of relatives living there now. It is stated that she has a number of sisters and other relatives who are not in good terms with her, and the contest will be instituted by these parties.

Her husband, who died some years ago, was a successful business man, and upon his death left his entire estate to her. His relatives contested his will and succeeded in getting a large share of it. It is stated that Mrs. Handley is said to have been on unfriendly terms with her relatives, and it has long been known that she intended to dispose of her property in such a manner that none of it would go to the parties she disliked so heartily. Some time ago she adopted a boy from the Home of the Friendless, and has always been a warm supporter of that institution.

Says It's None of the State's Business. Commissioner Andrews received the following letter today from a farmer, in response to an inquiry as to the cost of raising corn in his county: "I pay 7 per cent on my corn, and I have my own seed and my own fertilizer. I tilled my own corn. I kept no account of my time. I cut my own corn up. I can't tell you the business it is to you, white-shirted sharp, what I raise or how much I raise, as long as I support myself and pay my debts. I have no money for any of you money sharps. I will never leave from any of you sharps again."

Notary Publics Commissioned. Ten new commissions were signed for this morning. The list is as follows: S. W. Schooley, Cozart; J. A. Chambers, Herman; C. L. Wood, Ponce; J. D. West, Erickson; C. E. Cushman, Stromburg; C. K. Keith, Lincoln; L. L. Edwards, Hastings; A. Merriam, Crawford; Benjamin Lindsey, Pierce; Charles Altshuler, Alton.

State House Gossip.

Hon. Leonard Hahn of Hastings was at the state house this morning.

Postmaster Warren of Red Cloud was a caller.

Governor Boyd returned to Chicago this afternoon, where he will deliver an address before the banquet of the Ironsides club.

But one case was filed with the clerk of the supreme court today. It is entitled McCauley against Conley and comes from Adams county.

Labor Commissioner Andrews today received notice that the National Association of Commissioners of State Bureaus of Labor Statistics, of which he is a member, will be held at Denver May 24 and 25.

Superintendent Goudy returned today from Norfolk, where he had been to attend a meeting of the Northern Nebraska Teachers' association. Last night's session was the last of the annual session, which was held at the association was holding its meeting and an adjournment was taken until the morning, when the elements were not quite so enthusiastic.

Articles of Incorporation.

The Lawrence, Sweeney & Horn Live Stock Commission company of South Omaha was incorporated today under the laws of Nebraska. The capital stock is \$25,000.

The Farmers' Milling and Elevator company of Madison, Perkins county, filed its articles this afternoon. The capital stock is \$10,000 and the incorporators are A. Ellis, H. Carothers, C. J. Beale, M. Ellis, John Purnell and Charles Purnell.

Amended articles of incorporation of the Windom bank of University Place were filed with the secretary of state this afternoon.

Bud Lindsey's Liquor License.

When the time comes for the granting of liquor licenses in this city some lively times are expected over the application of Bud Lindsey. The law provides that if it shall be so ascertained by the board of supervisors that a license has been given to the violation of any of the provisions of chapter 50 of the compiled statutes of any law or ordinance within the space of one year prior to the date he files his application he shall be refused a license. Lindsey was a short time ago found guilty of selling liquor on an election day. He was fined \$100, and in order to test the case he carried it to the supreme court. His claim is that the law provides that saloons shall close only upon the days when a general election is to be held.

Odds and Ends.

The case of Mrs. Ann Kane against the B. & M. railroad company was up before Judge Hall today. The plaintiff claims damages, which she claims to have received in a runaway caused by the company's negligence and carelessness.

County Attorney and this morning filed information against James Canney, George Metz, Robert Shepherd and Marshall Richardson. The former is charged with robbery and the latter three with grand larceny.

Frank Rocke was fined this morning for slapping the face of Hilda Schroeder and calling her names. The row grew out of a neighborhood quarrel.

General Wm. Wyck is in the city.

Supplies for State Institutions.

The Board of Purchase and Supplies held an all day session today to open bids for furnishing supplies to the various state institutions. The following is a list of the successful bidders:

Insane hospital at Norfolk: Coal, R. T. Shannon; meats, Fred Karo; dry goods, Johnson Dry Goods company; drugs, O. J. Kudzie; flour, Burchard, Briggs & Co.; groceries, Raymond Bros.

Insane asylum, Lincoln: Flour, F. S. Johnson; butter, J. M. Betts; drugs, Shilling Bros.; paints and oils, Shilling Bros.; dry goods, Bloch & Kohn; meat, Hubbard Bros.; groceries, C. H. Rhoman; coal, White-bread Coal company.

Home for the Friendless, Lincoln: Coal, Whitebread Coal company.

Blind Asylum, Lincoln City: Groceries, Dunn & Coleman; meat, Gardner; bread, T. Webering; ice, G. W. Leight; coal, Whitebread.

Incurable Insane, Hastings: Dry goods, Wolbach & Bransch; coal, Hastings Fuel company; bread, Agard Fisher; flour, Hastings mill; meat, Doyen & Kolp; drugs, Hurst & Co.; groceries, J. J. Benedict.

Soldiers and Sailors Home, Grand Island: Drugs, H. D. Boyden; meats, Fry & Corbett; clothing, S. W. McKee; groceries, H. B. Kerr; coal, R. T. Shannon; flour, Henry Glade & Co.

Institute for Deaf and Dumb, Omaha: Groceries, Courtney & Co.; coal, J. Redford; drugs, J. H. Fuller & Co.; paints and oils, J. H. Fuller & Co.; meat, S. Dreifuss; bread, Otto Wagner; dry goods, Hayden Bros.

Industrial Home, Milford: Groceries, W. T. Orcutt; dry goods, W. T. Orcutt; boots and shoes, W. T. Orcutt; meat, W. E. Daniels; flour, F. S. Johnson; coal, G. A. Raymer.

Institute for Feeble Minded, Beatrice: Groceries, Emil Lang; coal, M. T. Cummings; meat, J. J. Skow; bread, Brinker Bros.

Girls' Industrial school, Geneva: Flour, Geneva Rolling mill; groceries, Mohrman & Ahrens; dry goods, Mohrman & Ahrens; coal, F. F. Beas & Co.

State Industrial school, Kearney: Groceries, J. N. Wright; coal, G. H. Downing; flour, Kearney Milling company.

Rev. J. W. Burkha, Macon, Ga., says: "I have found Br. Weyreine an infallible and almost instant cure for headache."

Fenced in the City's Property. Street Commissioner Winspear yesterday finished his fencing and discharged the twenty-two men who have been in his employ.

As a result of the work Mr. Winspear has

RULES FOR THE DRILL

Regulations Which Will Govern the National Competitive Drill Association.

Since the establishment in the Paxton block of the headquarters of the National Competitive Drill Association Secretary John E. Aitchison is receiving many letters of inquiry regarding the encampment which is to be held at the old fair grounds in June. The inquiries come from the various military organizations of the country and from several of the adjutant generals of different states.

The Beknap Rifles of Texas and the Branch Guards of St. Louis, the best two companies in the United States, have already made application to be entered in the competitive drills. Of course, dozens of other companies have made application to compete for the generous prize offered by Omaha, but the two mentioned are the crack teams of the entire country, and one or the other keeps possession of the great Gavelston cup. This prize is considered by military companies as the greatest that can be won.

New rules and regulations which have recently been adopted by the association will govern the contest at the encampment.

Camp Rules.

The camp regulations for companies are as follows:

All commands are requested to enter camp Sunday, June 6, and be required to enter camp not later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday June 13, and to remain until the end of the encampment. The regulations are as follows: All commands and special exceptions may be made only by the officers of the association or commandant of camp for such reasons as they may deem proper.

Officers will furnish to the secretary a roster of all the officers and men of their commands, and a list of all the employees and servants of that command.

Companies are requested to furnish roster not later than May 15, 1892.

All companies will be organized into battalions and regiments.

All organizations will be required to participate in such inspections, reviews, dress parades and other military exercises as may be ordered by the commandant of the camp.

Non-competing squads of any number of men from any military organization, under the command of a commissioned officer, who has received in the camp precisely as competing companies, and will be expected to do guard duty if called on, and will take part in reviews, dress parades, etc.

No other soldiers than those referred to will be permitted in camp or allowed to pass the boundaries of the camp, or to be employed on business, or when vouched for by an officer of the companies in camp.

All officers and soldiers belonging to the camp, in regular uniform, will, of course, be allowed free ingress and egress at all times, under such laws and regulations as the commandant of camp or the association may prescribe.

Commanding officers will be required to have their quarters policed daily, and will be held responsible for the behavior of their men while in camp, and all individuals and organizations will be required to perform such camp duties as may be ordered by the commandant of the camp.

Consistent with tactics and regulations and customs of service of the United States army.

Rules for the Drill.

The rules for the drill are here appended: All infantry organizations shall drill strictly in accordance with the new drill regulations approved by the secretary of War September 25, 1891.

The time allowed each company for competitive drill will be forty-five minutes, during which time the company will perform all the drills and evolutions of the manual of the arms, and will be required to perform such camp duties as may be ordered by the commandant of the camp.

Inspection of companies will be held in the morning, and companies will drill without music.

The program for infantry companies may embrace any movement in the school of the soldier, squad or company, excluding bayonet exercises and extended order drill.

The judges will be composed of United States army officers, who will make the program, and the program of drill for prizes in all classes except the novice class will be made by the commanding officers one hour before the time for their respective commands to drill, and the commissioned officers, non-commissioned officers and privates of such companies will not be allowed to witness the drill of companies prior to their own, and must pledge themselves neither to give nor receive any information relative to contents of said program until the drill is over, and at the completion of his drill the captain of each company will return his program to the judges.

Commands must report ten minutes before the time of drill, rain or shine, and those failing to do so will have lost time deducted from time allowed to drill.

Commands of companies competing for the grand national infantry prizes will not be permitted to drill their commands in practice drills during the encampment (prior to the time for entering the field for competition), except for one hour immediately succeeding dismissal of dress parade, and then only on the regular parade grounds. The manual of arms may be practiced at any time. All companies competing for grand national infantry prizes will be considered as pledged on their honor to observe this regulation.

In making up their score on inspection of arms and equipment, the judges will take into consideration age and condition of guns and equipment received by organization. (This rule is adopted owing to some of the companies having received old guns and equipment, which were in bad shape at the time of their issue.)

Artillery and Zouave Drills.

Drill for artillery will be in the manual and mechanical movements pertaining to the section, and will embrace the command, "Mount and dismount piece and carriage," and fire two rounds of blank cartridges. Each gun detachment shall consist of ten men, eight of whom shall be armed with guns.

The arm used shall be the muzzle-loading field piece, of the size applicable to be drawn by four horses, and shall be with gun, limber and caisson.

The drill will be by program, and officers of artillery will be subject to the same regulations as infantry officers regarding competitive drill.

Drill of section to include drill at and with piece, such as changing pieces, limbering and unlimbering, firing, in fact all movements that can be made without the complement of horses. Drill with diminished numbers, the cannons to be fired out, to be selected by the judges. The original number can be retained. Taking part, dismounting, remounting and assembling the piece. Gun detachment to consist of ten men, eight of whom shall be armed with guns.

Gun detachments to bring their own piece and 1,000 rounds of blank cartridges suitable for firing in their piece.

Zouave drill will be governed by same rules as those made for infantry, except as to tactics. General military appearance, quickness in executing and work distinctly zouave, will be considered in awarding prizes.

The object of the National Competitive Drill association is the elevation of the standard of the military companies of the United States. All soldiers will appreciate the necessity of the need for a more correct military discipline in a camp so large as this will be and will cheerfully do all in their power to advance the object of the association. At the same time they will be no apprehension that there will be any shadow of a martinet severity, or anything, in fact, more than is strictly essential for the government of so large a body of troops when in camp together.

In view of the many companies coming in and the difficulty of providing them with a late date, no entries will be received after May 1.

Omaha compressed yeast strictly pure

HIS LIFE FOR HIS HAT

J. R. Farnam's Death Results from a Rather Peculiar Cause.

FELL BACKWARDS OFF A MOTOR TRAIN

Trying to Catch His Hat Which the Wind Lifted from His Head, He Tumbled to the Stone Pavement and Died.

J. R. Farnam was riding on the rear end of a sixteenth street motor car yesterday afternoon and when near Nineteenth and Cuming streets his hat blew off. In attempting to grab his hat, Farnam lost his balance and fell over backwards, striking his head on the stone pavement between the car tracks.

The injured man was carried into a store near by and a physician summoned. Farnam remained unconscious for nearly half an hour. The patrol wagon was sent for and conveyed him to his home, 1423 North Twenty-third street, where the doctor in attendance made an examination.

Everything possible was done for the sufferer, but in spite of medical treatment Farnam died at 7:30 o'clock.

He was a very heavy man, weighing nearly 250 pounds, and his fall must have been a very hard one. Dr. Davis said that his patient died from concussion of the brain.

Coroner Maul was notified and investigated the case. He examined the only eye witness to the accident and decided that an inquest was not necessary.

Not So Bad After All.

E. V. Wood of McKee's Rocks, Allegheny county, Pa., in speaking to a traveling man of Chamberlain's medicines said: "I recommend them to all my customers. I have tried myself and know them to be reliable. I always guarantee them to my customers and have never had a bottle returned."

Mr. Wood had hardly finished speaking, when a little girl came in the store with an empty bottle. It was labeled, "Chamberlain's Pain Balm."

The traveler was interested, as there was certainly a bottle coming back, but waited to hear what the little girl said. It was as follows: "Mamma wants another bottle of that medicine, as she says it is the best medicine for rheumatism she ever used."

50-cent bottles for sale by druggists.

SOUTH OMAHA.

Mistake in the Tickets.

It was discovered last night that there was a defect in the petitions filed by the candidates for the school board on the citizens' ticket, which raised a question as to the legality of their candidacy. The candidates are Fred Pearl, W. B. Cheek and Ivor Thomas. Two of them are to be elected for three years and the third for one year.

Through some oversight the term was not mentioned in the petitions and it was claimed by their opponents that the omission invalidated the petitions. A \$25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's medicine was sold for them for them could be contested and thrown out.

The candidates themselves were not quite sure that this was the case, but obtained a special order from Judge Elliot to cover the deficiency, and last night notice was served on the city clerk by a bailiff from Judge Elliot's office to put the names on the ticket.

Very Pleasant Social.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church gave a very enjoyable music festival and musical in the Ebers block last evening. There was a large attendance and the affair netted a considerable sum, which will be applied on the church debt.

The program was of exceptional merit, some of the best musical talent of the city participating. Mrs. E. J. Seikora gave a piano solo. Miss Susie De Groot a character recitation and Mrs. Dan Sullivan a dialect recitation. Dr. Berwick and Sigmund Lousberg contributed two piano duets and responded to an encore. A solo was also given by Mr. Abbott with well rendered, as was also a song with guitar accompaniment by Mr. G. R. Sutherland. J. C. Corley contributed a solo. Mrs. E. S. Slaughter and May Robinson, a pair of very small young people, gave recitations which compared favorably with the efforts of their elders.

Notes and Personal.

Today is the last day of registration. J. L. Carey of Pender was in the city yesterday.

J. M. Callahan of Muscatine, Ia., is visiting Miss Redmond.

Mrs. E. J. Vaughn of Fremont is the guest of her son, C. C. Vaughn.

Mrs. David Anderson is quite ill at her residence, Twenty-fifth and M streets.

Inspector Howard yesterday killed twenty-six jump white cattle during March.

There will be a special meeting of the Live Stock Exchange at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Arthur E. Burnham and Miss Sadie James, both of this city, have taken out a marriage license.

Miss Nellie Rhodes of Pittsburg, Pa., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. L. Bishop, of this city.

H. C. Moore of Hickman and George Stocking of Lincoln were among the visitors in the Magic City yesterday.

The republican primaries for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention will be held April 3.

Harry Dunbar of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting his sister, Mrs. D. S. Plancy. He will probably remain in the city permanently.

Al Coughlin of the Stockman left yesterday for Atlantic, Ia., where he will spend Sunday with his family, who are visiting there.

The meeting of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church which was to have been held last night was postponed for one week.

The April Fool joker was an unknown quantity in South Omaha yesterday. The average joker and enough to do to keep his hat on.

The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle will meet next Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Temple, Twenty-fourth and N streets.

There will be an important meeting of Robert Livingston post, Grand Army of the Republic, Monday night. The members of the Women's Relief corps are also requested to be present.

E. J. Freeman, telegraph operator at the Exchange building, died at his home, Twenty-first and S streets, yesterday morning of consumption. The funeral arrangements have not been decided on.

Mr. Thomas H. Haden entertained a number of his friends from Omaha at South Omaha at his residence, Twentieth and Brown streets, Thursday evening. The occasion was in honor of his 21st birthday.

Constable Martin of Wahoo arrived in the city last night and will return this morning, taking with him Ed Fitzgerald, who is wanted for the robbery in a car at South Omaha and stealing a quantity of clothing valued at \$15.

C. M. Sanford runs a grocery at Thirty-first and H streets. John Hawkins is one of his customers. Hawkins obtained a warrant for Sanford's arrest yesterday for assault and battery. According to his story, Sanford hit him with a weight.

That cough of yours can be stopped surely, quickly, by Piso's Cure for Consumption. Pleasant, effective. 50c. All druggists.

One Man Blown to Atoms.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., April 1.—The mixing

house of the National Dynamite and Powder company at Pottsville blew up today. The explosion left a huge fifty feet square in the earth. Loss, \$30,000.

A Close Call.

Mr. J. P. Blaine, an extensive real estate dealer in this city, narrowly escaped one of the severest attacks of pneumonia while in the northern part of the state during the recent blizzard. Mr. Blaine had occasion to drive several miles during the storm and was so thoroughly chilled that he was unable to get warm, and inside of an hour after his return he was threatened with a severe case of pneumonia, or long fever. Mr. Blaine sent to the nearest drug store and got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, of which he had often heard, and took a number of large doses. He says the effect was wonderful and that in a short time he was coughing quite easily. He was on taking the medicine and the next day was able to come to Des Moines. Mr. Blaine regards his cure as simply wonderful, and says he will never travel again without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—The Des Moines, Iowa Saturday Review. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by druggists.

BANK ROBBERY MAKES A HAUL.

They Secure a Nest Sparrow of Money at Elroy, Wis.

Elroy, Wis., April 1.—About 1 o'clock yesterday morning the Bank of Elroy, owned by Edmund Hart, was robbed of over \$5,500, of which \$2,400 was in gold, about \$330 in silver and the balance in paper. The bank is centrally situated, about a block from the depot, where there are always about twenty-five men all night, but none of them heard or saw anything unusual during the time the robbery is supposed to have taken place.

The burglars gained an entrance to the bank by prying open the front door with a pickax, which they took from a blacksmith shop near by, together with a number of other tools. After getting inside the building they drilled a hole in the wall, and by the use of the combination lock and by the use of an explosive they tore the combination off, giving them access to the interior.

The cashbox was open and there was a large safe, which they opened in the same way. The cashbox was inside another combination, which was blown to atoms. The money, bonds, mortgages, bonds and other valuable securities were thrown promiscuously about the vault, some of them being torn to shreds. The clock stands directly over the vault door and it is supposed the jar of the first explosion stopped it. The hands pointed to exactly 1 o'clock.

Will Not Cripple the Bank.

The damage to the vault and safe will reach \$8,000, but no passenger or other business of the bank is interrupted. The transaction of business, as it is the only bank in the city. The financial loss will not inconvenience the bank, and the depositors will lose nothing. The bank has about \$50,000 and its books show deposits of about \$10,000.

The robbery was first discovered by Cashier George Clark when he went to the bank yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. The news of the burglary soon spread and business was almost suspended during the day in consequence.

The cashier had quite a collection of rare coins which were taken and which he can estimate at about \$250. Some of the coins had marked in a peculiar manner, and which if found would afford a clue to the thieves. There was also stolen from the vault a gold watch belonging to the Catholic priest at Kendall. The bank officers have the numbers of the movements and the cashbox.

The burglars left pieces of their tools in the vault, and from their appearance it is thought that the job was done by experts. There is only one person known to have been here between 1 o'clock and morning, which is the Northwestern limited, going south, at 2:15, and railroad men report that several men were seen loading the train between the engine and the express car. Police officials all over the state have been notified and are on the outlook for the robbers.

A Mystery.

There is a rumor floating about in fashionable circles that, if true, will cause quite a stir in society's fashionable circles. Dame Rumor has it that a well known young man of good family, a society swell, in fact—a protégé of Ward McAllister—has eloped with a young lady connected with the theatrical profession. It seems they became acquainted while the young lady was filling an engagement at one of the theaters some time ago. A regular correspondence has been kept up since, and the climax of this love affair was reached when the lady returned here and the young man, rather than risk the consent of his father, eloped. Watch Sunday's paper. The Mystery explained.

HALF FAIR EXCURSION

To the Hot Springs of Arkansas via the Wabash Railroad.

On April 7 and 8 the Wabash will sell round trip tickets to the hot springs, returning until May 10. April 12 the government will commence sale at auction of town lots from the reservation. Only 37 hours from Omaha to the springs via the Wabash. For tickets, sleeping car accommodations and map showing location of the property to be sold, with description of the springs, call at Wabash office, 1502 Farnam street, or write G. N. Clayton, N. W. P. Agt., Omaha, Neb.

C. D. Woodworth & Co., successors to Welty & Gay, 1316 Farnam street, manufacturers and dealers in harness, saddles, etc.

The Mortgage Record.

The records in the office of the county clerk show the following schedule mortgage transactions during the month of March:

Mortgages filed, \$14,130,523. Mortgages released, 272, \$70,978.

Dr. Cullimore, oculist, 303 building

DEATHS.

Notices of funerals or last undertakings held, \$100 cents; each additional line ten cents.

RAT.—Dr. Henry Thursday March 31, at 4:30 p.m., of pneumonia, at his residence, 1423 North Twenty-third street. Funeral Sunday morning at 10 o'clock from family residence.

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All druggists. Price 25 cents a box. New York Depot, 36 Canal St.

INDIAN DEPREDAATION CLAIMS

Persons who have lost property from Indian raids should file their claims under the Indian Depredation Act of March 3, 1875. The time is limited, and the claims are taken up by the court in the order in which they are received. Take Notice that all contracts entered into with attorneys prior to the Act are null and void. Information given and all claims promptly attended to by the

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