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Many of our choicest goods were barely reached by smoke, and are practically as good as before the fire, still we have decided to sell the whole stock this month, not wishing to carry any thing over that was in the building during the fire and at the end of the month will sell the remaining goods at auction.

The only restrictions we make in selling goods at these prices are, they cannot be exchanged or returned—the identical articles purchased will in every instance be delivered, and we guarantee nothing as regards quality.

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The sale ends September 30th.

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### MADE UP IN POLICE COURT

How a Domestic Tragedy Was Narrowly Avoided in Lancaster County.

### MANY LINCOLN CROOKS CAPTURED

Several Burglars Who Expected to Profit by the Presence of the Fair Visitors Slightly Disappointed—Capital City Gossip.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 10.—(Special to The Bee.)—A wronged husband and an erring wife were reconciled in the police court this afternoon, and a case which for a few hours promised to end in a domestic tragedy was brought to a happy denouement. A young married woman named Mrs. Eva Martin was arrested at her boarding house at Twelfth and P streets last evening on the charge of adultery, the complaint being preferred by her husband, the correspondent being Edward Bancroft. Both of the men in the case are farmers, Martin living four miles east of Corvoss, in this county, and Bancroft five miles east of the same place.

The Lincoln police force was unusually vigilant during state fair week and as a result fewer robberies and burglaries were reported than ever. In several instances the police discovered gangs of crooks in the act of panhandling the premiums on county exhibits. The judges distributed the prize money as follows: First, Hart county, \$250; second, Kearney county, \$250; third, Dundy county, \$210; fourth, Douglas county, \$190; fifth, Gage county, \$170; sixth, Ida Willow county, \$150; seventh, Hitchcock county, \$130; eighth, Hayes county, \$110; ninth, Franklin county, \$100; tenth, Madison county, \$80; eleventh, Box Butte county, \$80; twelfth, Sioux county, \$70; thirteenth, Harlan county, \$60.

The gentlemen having in charge the Douglas county exhibit at the state fair have entered a protest against the decision of the judges in awarding the premiums on county exhibits. The judges distributed the prize money as follows: First, Hart county, \$250; second, Kearney county, \$250; third, Dundy county, \$210; fourth, Douglas county, \$190; fifth, Gage county, \$170; sixth, Ida Willow county, \$150; seventh, Hitchcock county, \$130; eighth, Hayes county, \$110; ninth, Franklin county, \$100; tenth, Madison county, \$80; eleventh, Box Butte county, \$80; twelfth, Sioux county, \$70; thirteenth, Harlan county, \$60.

annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture next January. Some of the officers of the association are of the opinion that the Douglas county people will withdraw their protest. The Douglas county people claim that their exhibit was discriminated against by the judges and they ask the board to either examine the exhibit or appoint a committee of experts to do so.

George Stone has commenced a suit for damages against S. M. Barker, a member of the State Board of Agriculture, pleading his damages at \$10,000. Barker caused Stone's arrest for selling watermelons near the entrance to the state fair grounds and afterwards the case against him was dropped. He thinks his character has been damaged to the extent of the amount claimed. Anna Silence today commenced an action for a divorce from her husband on the ground of non-support.

The supreme court today issued an order extending the hearing of C. H. Paul's application for permission to give a supersedeas bond until September 27 or until the application could be heard and determined upon.

Theodore H. Miller was today appointed receiver of the State bank at Crete upon the recommendation of the State Banking Board. Lincoln to trial.

### FOR OMAHA'S YOUNG MEN.

What the Young Men's Christian Association is Doing for Its Local Members. Citizens of Omaha who take an interest in the welfare of young men are justly proud of the work being accomplished by the Young Men's Christian Association. Never in the history of this noble institution have the efforts put forth seemed to accomplish the desired purpose so fully as they are at present, and the prospects for the future of the association are indeed encouraging.

Since the coming of Mr. Frank W. Ober last year and the beginning of his very efficient work as general secretary of the association has taken on new life and has been reaching out after young men in a way that means great good to the community. The central aim of the association is to benefit young men physically, mentally and morally. It is not a club, it is a place where the welfare of young men is made a specialty.

months has been the custom adopted by a number of the young men, known as the Outing club, of making evening excursions to various points of interest in and about the city. The smelter, the packing houses, Cut-Off lake and other points have been visited. Next Thursday night the club will visit the American water works plant at Florence.

A fire foot ball team has been organized and the coming season of foot ball will be made a bumper. The concert and lecture course for the coming winter is one of especial merit and deserves the patronage of the public in general. None but the very best of musical organizations and orators will be presented, and it is confidently hoped that this will be by far the most successful season ever enjoyed by the entertainment department of the association.

The association held the annual reception to the public last Tuesday night and the success of the event was unparalleled in the history of the association. The people are preparing for a general rally of religious interests in Omaha in October, when the annual convention of all the Baptist societies of the state will be held here. The convention will open on October 24 and continue four days.

Dr. Hoggatt of the South Tenth Street Methodist church makes a specialty of selecting trinity tonics and sermons. He will preach tonight on "Christian Championships." Taking his bearings from the great fact that the Sullivan-Corbett fight created, he will proceed to draw some valuable lessons for thoughtful and right hearers. The revival services at the First Christian church have been attended by good results during the past week. The attendance has been large and the interest very encouraging.

George W. Davis, a professional crook, escaped from the city jail last evening by prying loose a board from the top of his cell. This gaining access to the corridor, from which he walked into the open air without being noticed.

### IOWA'S CITIZEN SOLDIER

Part of Her National Guard in Annual Encampment at Sioux City.

### CAMP LIFE AND ITS MANY PLEASURES

Governor Hoies and Staff Review the Assembled Troops—Prizes to Be Contested for—Camp Gossip.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Sept. 10.—(Special to The Bee.)—Then come along with me, Governor Hoies and staff review the assembled troops—prizes to be contested for—camp gossip. There is Captain C. C. Serris, for instance, a nice lad, even in civilian costume, but mounted on a fiery steed, with brass buttons, gold fringes and jingling spurs, he is a sight to turn every girl's head, and he did, too, for they watched him with bated breath and breathless interest while he will proceed to draw some valuable lessons for thoughtful and right hearers.

There is an encampment in Sioux City. At present the Fourth regiment of infantry of the Iowa National guard is here; next week it will be the Third regiment. The encampment is held for the purpose of giving instruction in the regular army tactics, and the route to the camp from the city is a beautiful and romantic one. The program for the day at the camp is drilling, rifle practice, dress parade. Every evening there is a band concert by the Fourth regiment band of Sioux City.

An elegant silver cup, donated by the company of Sioux City and costing \$100, is one of the prizes to be competed for by the different companies of the regiment. The Sioux City Journal also has put up a magnificent trophy, a gold medal of rare workmanship, which will go to the best company team score. For the best score at 500 yards, open to all competitors, there is the Boeg gold medal, given by the Cashier, Stevens to pay Mr. Johnson, Stevens replacing this amount with his own note. There is \$3,500 of notes, judgments and other papers of doubtful value, the value of which, it is said, is \$15,000 in Mr. Stevens' own making.

battalion; Major John W. Scott, Elkhart, of St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church of the Third battalion; A. C. Berger, Sioux City, surgeon; Captain James A. Sherman, Cherokee, assistant surgeon; Captain William E. H. Morse, Arizona, assistant surgeon; Captain O. C. Lewis, Sioux City, adjutant general; Captain C. H. Stearns, Webster City; Lieutenant G. W. Avery, Sioux City, battalion adjutant; Captain C. D. Ham, Des Moines, inspector general Second brigade.

### AS DUN SEES IT.

Local Trade Affected by the Fairs and Reunions of the Week. "Local events affect local trade more than people generally suppose," said Mr. W. H. Robertson, manager of the mercantile agency of K. G. Din & Co. "The last week and that preceding were devoted to fairs and reunions. As a consequence orders in some lines of trade have fallen off, while in others they have been slightly increased. In drugs, boots and shoes and heavy hardware trade is considerably slower on this account, though still good, and better than a year ago. The effect upon the shoe trade has been perhaps still more noticeable. The grocers generally agree that the past two weeks have been the duller for months, notwithstanding the homecoming of most of the summer tourists. The dry goods people have enjoyed a better trade than for weeks, due to the fall buying by customers who have just returned from their outings. In the shoe trade, as might be expected, there has been special activity in children's goods, because of the opening of the schools. Speaking generally, however, wholesale trade has never been better and retail trade never duller than for these first days of September.

The market gardeners seriously interfere with local trade in this line. California fruits, especially peaches, have been higher and not so plentiful. Eggs and butter, as usual, hold pretty well up. Potatoes and corn are generally higher, and all other fruits except grapes, raisins, and wild luxuries are coming winter.

Money continues easy, though more inquiries are reported since September 1. As an instance of the slack demand for the surplus funds of the banks generally, it is noted that within the week a prominent banker from the interior practically concluded negotiations for a \$15,000 loan to a responsible and well known citizen of Omaha at a low rate of interest, showing that money lenders are hunting for customers more than borrowers for bankers.

The State Bank of Crete is now in the hands of a receiver, Mr. T. Miller, Chief Justice Maxwell having made the appointment today. It is stated upon good authority that the nominal assets of the bank are \$441,000, and total deposits \$31,500. The assets are subject to a large shrinkage. The capital of the bank was reduced a few months ago when Mr. Johnson, the president, retired from \$75,000 to \$20,000 and \$15,000 of bank funds are stated to have been taken by Cashier Stevens to pay Mr. Johnson, Stevens replacing this amount with his own note. There is \$3,500 of notes, judgments and other papers of doubtful value, the value of which, it is said, is \$15,000 in Mr. Stevens' own making.

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place yesterday forenoon, Rev. Mr. Butler of St. Mary's Avenue Congregational church officiating at the residence and at the interment at Prospect Hill. The attendance was large, showing how highly the deceased was esteemed in her life and in her comparatively brief residence in Omaha. The most beautiful floral tribute to her memory was a large "Fates Ajax." Among the other pieces were a cross, a crown, a heart, a pillow, an anchor and several wreaths, besides many cut flowers. The pall bearers were her brothers, E. L. Robertson, J. M. Robertson, C. W. Robertson, and George W. Loomis, Charles W. Loomis and T. L. Phelps, the last three being relatives of the bereaved husband.

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

South Omaha's School Fund Passed Upon—Some Grading Matters. If the Board of Education of South Omaha expects to build any new schoolhouses, or if it expects to purchase any schoolhouse for the county, the county commissioners have refused to take hold and make the necessary levy for this purpose. This was settled yesterday afternoon when the board refused to levy \$35,000, the proceeds to be turned over to South Omaha when collected.

Last July, when the annual levy was made, the commissioners failed to make this levy for South Omaha, holding, upon the advice of the county attorney, that South Omaha being a city of the second class it devolved upon the city to make the levy for the purchase of all school sites and for the construction of all buildings. The case was discussed pro and con and yesterday it was again, but the county attorney told the members that the time for doing anything had passed and all of the papers were placed on file.

County Treasurer Gray informed the board that he had not had time to ascertain just how much of the county road fund should go to the city of Omaha, but he thought it was safe to pay over \$10,000. The paper was referred.

The public library people have decided to move into their new quarters in the city hall on October 1, where they will occupy the entire west half of the fifth floor of the building. The large room in the southwest corner will be used for the book room; the small room to the north will be used as a reference room, while the large room in the northwest corner will be the reading room. The library board will go to no expense in the way of putting in furniture, but will use the old street cases and tables now in the rooms in the Paxton block. The moving of the books and furniture will require several days, but it is thought that the reading room will have to be closed not to exceed two days.

The following permits were issued by the superintendent of buildings yesterday: First, Perry, two-story frame dwelling, \$1,000; Thirty-second and Pacific streets, \$1,000; G. W. Sabn, repairs on dwelling, Huntington, \$2,000; B. F. McDougall, one and one-half story frame dwelling, Eighteenth and California streets, \$2,000; One minor permit, \$100. Total, \$7,000.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Judge Eiler yesterday: Name and address. Age. Frank Julekovic, Omaha, 21; Hermina Njuger, Omaha, 21; Tom O'Grady, South Omaha, 21; Mary Valena, Omaha, 21.

### "HIGH FIVE"

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