

times announced his intention of killing him. self if convicted, but his attempt before the trial was not anticipated.

Gorham Betts Case.

Gorham F. Betts' chief hope of getting out of the scrape he is in was crushed today when Judge Strode overruled the motion of his attorneys to dismiss the case. One of the points on which they relied was that the offense was committed before the law mak-ing the obtaining of a signature by fraud went into effect, but the court held that the word "effects" in the old law covered this case. The chief point made, and one on case. The chief point made, and one on which the court hesitated, was that claim-ing that the allowance by the Board of Pub-lic Lands and Buildings of Betts' claim was a settlement, an adjudication with him, and no charge of fraud could be maintained after such adjudication, which would have atter such adjudication, which would have left perjury the only offense on which he could be impaled. The defense cited a Massachusetts case, which fitted this case, but Judge Strode discovered, on looking it up, that four judges voted for and three

YORK, Neb., June 5.-[Special to THE BEE]

E. A. Armstrong & Co., manufacturers and dealers in society and military uniforms, have failed. Liabilities, \$500,000; assets, \$275,000. The firm has been in business for twenty years. An attachment was brought against the firm on Saturday and the sheriff

-The tollowing persons left here today for Chicago in a special car: Mr. and Chicago in a special car: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fender, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cowan, Mrs. Jerome, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ward and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Daggy, M. C. Frank and son, E. H. Stevens and wife, G. W. Post and family, Mrs. T. E. Sedgwick, C. D. Caspar, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wing, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. France, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Honnis, Guy Higby, Jess W. Detrick and W. G. Boyer.

was satisfied, but as others who had heard of the attachment threatened to psess their claims, it was decided to assign. The firm claims that the failure is only temporary. The property of C. A. Weisenbach, cloth-ing and shoe merchant, was seized by the sheriff this morning on judgments. Liabli-ities, \$75,000; assets, \$50,000. Bir Kansas City Failure. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5 .- The Kansas Grain company, which claims to be the largest purchaser of grain from producers in the world, has failed. The announcement was made on the board of trade this morning. The company is unable to meet contracts. The announcement caused great excitement. The main offices are in this city and Hutchinson, Kan. The officers here decline to make any statement of assets and liabilities till authorized by President Templer in charge of the office at Hutchinson.

witness, Sheriff Kelly, the prosecuting at-torney decided to move that a nolle proseque be entered. The case, however, went on. All day the court has been occupied in securing a jury. Besides the regular panel two venires for twenty-five jurymen have been examined and another for fifty men has been ordered for tomorrow. It is thought that Taggart cannot escape convic tion

ELGIN, Ill., June 5 .- Steady; sales, 3,240 pounds at 1814 cents; 3,600 pounds at 19 cents.

OPIUM AND ITS DISGUISES.

One druggist, who kept a record of his prescriptions for several years, assured a New York Herald man that nearly 2,000 out of 16,000 prescriptions he had

Dr. Galbraith wires from Denver that the surgeons excursion is a great success, everybody being well pleased with the attention shown the travelers. The second section left last evening at 9:20 for Omaha, all the doctors going around the Loop yesterday. There is some doubt, however, about the physicians going to Hot Springs as at first contemplated, many of them feeling the necessity of returning home. While on the

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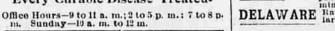
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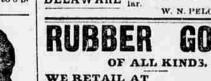
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plication in court, a receiver was appointed for the bank, on the petition of the members of the firm. The bill gives as the cause of the failure the inability to reorganize the bank after the death of one of the brothers

last February. The bank was established in 1860, by the father of the members of the present firm.

north of this city, committed suicide by hanging yesterday afternoon. No cause can be given for his act. In the afternoon his father and mother went over to one of

McCoos, Neb., June 5.- [Special telegram to THE BEE.]-William Rozelle, the 14-yearold son of William Rozelle, a farmer living

The attorney for the bank places the liabilities at \$250,000; assets at \$470,000. The latter consist chiefly of commercial paper, which is not now readily convertible into cash.

pasture to catch his horse and ride to church. When his father and mother returned in the E. A. Armstrong & Co., manufacturers and evening they were horrified to find him hanging suspended from the ceiling, having made a slip knot of the bridle reins and climbed into a chair and stepped off. He had been dead soveral hours when found.

Nothing unusual had been noticed regard-ing the boy, but from the preparations he had made it is evident that he contemplated the act for some time. York Citizens Visit the Fair.

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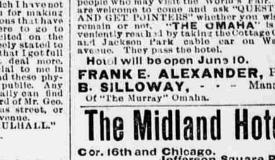
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against it, and among the dissenters was Judge Gray, now of the supreme court. Judge Strode held that the action of the board was not such a judicial proceeding as would preclude the bringing of such a criminal action as this.

Ex-County Attorney Snell opened for the state, followed by Price and Clarke for the defense, Woodward closing. The case was given to the jury shortly after 6 o'clock and two hours later they returned a verdict, finding him guilty of obtaining \$560 on a false voucher and by false pretenses.

Claims it is a Forgery.

The Bes a few days ago told of a lively little row that took place in the city council over the Buckstaff paving bids. Councilman ster claimed to have the original paving dd of Buckstaff and it called for \$1.75% a yard, while Councilman Woods sprung one which he said was the original bid and it was for \$1.75 a yard. The difference of a half cent means \$1,000 to the city or the conractor. Now comes J. T. McDonald, who laims to have made out the original bids, nd claims that the half cent has been placed here. The bid was submitted to several ank experts and all declare it to be in a ifferent handwriting from the original with ifferent ink. The matter will be further fred tomorrow evening, and there's fun head for the councilmen.

CONGRESSMAN BRYAN.

He is Not an Aspirant for the Head of the Ways and Means Committee.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 31 .- To the Editor of he Republic, St. Louis: My attention was alled some two weeks ago to a letter writen from Omaha, Neb., to your paper, stating that I was being urged for the chairnanship of the ways and means committee and also spoken of for speaker. Not knowing from whom the letter came I paid no atcention to it until it was copied in other papers and commented upon. Not desiring thought so presumptuous as to aspire either of those places, I desire thus pub-

liely to correct the report. I believe that Mr. Crisp is entitled to a rerelection, both because of his admirable qual-uffications for the place and because of the excellent record which he made as speaker during the last congress. I also take it for granted that Mr. Springer will retain his place as chairman of the committee of Ways and Means. I think that he is the right n in the right place and that his health will be such this year as to allow him to derote his whole time to the work of the com In case for any reason he should ecline the honor there are other members of the committee older in service and more

serving than myself. As the result of favorable circum-As the tances, I have already received as much in the way of honors as I deserve, and my am-bition will be satisfied if 1 am able to repreent properly, as a member, the important interests of a western constituency. Very gruly yours, ______W. J. Bayan. truly yours,

Nebraska Graduates.

NELIGH, Neb., June 5.- [Special to THE BRE.]-The annual reception of the Alumni association of the Neligh High schools to the graduates of 1893, was given in the Masonic and Odd Fellows hall Saturday evening. Miss Helen Schultz of the class of 1803 delivered the address of welcome, and Miss Beulah Waerner of the class of 1893, the response. A large number of guests sat down to the banquet, and a very enjoyable time was had. The weather was very in-clement, as a heavy rain fell during the afternoon and evening.

News Notes From Hebron.

HEBRON, Neb., June 5.-[Special to THE BEE.]-The foundation for the new \$15,000 Catholic church is complete and the balance of the material is upon the ground. It will be built of St. Louis pressed brick and Colo-rado granite, and is to be completed by Sep-tember 15. When completed it will, without exception, be the finest church in the state West of Lincoln. A. R. White, manager of the Gen-

Nebraska Mortgage Indebtedness.

HEBBON, Neb., June 5 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-The mortgage indebtedness for Thayer county, Neb., for the month of April is as follows: Farm mortgages filed, 30, \$32,008.85; released, 34, \$19,306.95; city mortgages filed, 8, \$4,033.34; released, 12, \$3,492; chattel mortgages filed, 97, \$25,068.62; released, 62, \$15,929.50.

Nance County Bonds Defeated.

FULLERTON, Neb., June 5.-[Special to THE BRE.]-At the special election in this county the 3rd inst., to vote bonds to the amount of \$25,000 to build a court house, there was an exceeding light vote polled, a heavy rain prevailing nearly all day. The proposition was defeated by a small majority.

New A. O. U. W. Temple. McCook, Neb., June 5 .- (Special Telegram

to THE BEE.]-Today ground was broken and

excavating was commenced on the \$35,000 building for the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple.

BIDS ON ASPHALT. Paving Contractors Give the Board of Pob-

lie Works the Old Figures.

For the third time this year the Board of Public Works has received bids upon asphalt pavement, and the members are still dissatisfied with the prices submitted. The bidders yesterday were the Barber company, John Grant and the Standard company. The first time bids were received the Barber company was the only one to submit a bid. On the second occasion the three companies bidding yestorday entered into the competition. Both times the bids were rejected because the prices were considered too high and Major Furay and Birkhauser

thought it savored too much of a combine of the asphalt dealers. The bids yesterday were remarkable for The bids yesterday were remarkable for the similarity they bore to those submitted three weeks ago. With a few exceptions the companies bid upon the same districts as they did at that time, quoting the same prices. The Barber com-pany bid upon forty-six districts, and its prices were \$2.60 on class B, five-year guar-ants and \$3 on year year runty. The anty, and \$3 on 'en-year guaranty. The Standard company bid upon all of the dist. ricts on class A and B, five-year guaranty Spokane.

ricts on class A and B, five-year guaranty and on several others on the ten-year guar-anty. The prices were the same as before with a very few exceptions. Upon classes A and B, five years guaranty, the prices were \$2.87 and \$2.63, and \$2.77 and \$2.57. On the ten years, classes A and B, \$3.29 \$3.06, and \$3.24 and \$3.01. John Grant bid upon the same districts and the prices quoted were from \$2.58 to \$2.67 on class B five years guaranty and on the ten years from \$2.95 to \$3.05. Major Furay immediately made a motion that the bids be referred to the council with the recommendation that they be rejected, the recommendation that they be

the prices named were excessive. Major Birkhauser seconded the motion and it pre-vailed. Major Balcombe voted in the nega-The contract for the south extension of the south Twenty-first street main sewer was awarded to J. L. Black for \$7,368.30 in Amer-ican cement and \$8,331.30 in Portland.

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as there was no show of competition, and

Notices of five lines or less under this head, fifty cents; each additional line ten cents.

LIPPINCOTT-Elizabeth, beloved wife of U. G. Lippincott, on Monday June 5, 1893. at 11 o'clock. Funeral services today at 2 o'clock at her late residence, 4223 Burdette street. Interment Philadelphia Pa.

It is presumed, however, they will be large. The company has elevators in over a hundred towns in Kansas, all containing grain. Tight money was the cause of the failure. An Associated Press dispatch from Hutch-

An Associated Press dispatch from Hutch-inson, Kan., says the suspension was due to the inability of the company to extend its paper in Kansas City. President Templar of the company says the assets are fully suffi-cient to meet the inabilities and that they will pay out dollar for dollar. The assets of the company are named at \$150 000 with line. the company are placed at \$150,000, with lia-bilities as follows: To Hutchinson creditors, \$20,000; to Hazard of Kansas City, \$25,000; to sellers of grain, \$12,000; to American Na-tional bank of Kansas City, \$45,000. All the

indebtedness is well secured. Drawing on Chicago for Gold. CHICAGO, Ill., June 5 .- For the first time in some months the Chicago sub-treasury has been drawn on to assist the depleted gold re-

serve in the east. Today \$1,000,000 in gold was shipped by express. There is still \$7,000,000 in gold here, and the amount is continually being increased by Chicago banks depositing gold for currency. Sensational Rumor Proved False. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5 .- The rumon

of a special cabinet meeting and of the in tention of the president to call a special ses sion of congress before September 15 in view of the financial situation, failed of confirmation at the white house this morning.

Made an Assignment,

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 5.-Butchers & Sons, an old established house in the provision trade, made assignment today. No statement of assets or liabilities is given. Tight money was the cause.

To Investigate the Plankinton Failure. MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 5 .- A sensation was created this afternoon by Judge Wallber instructing the grand jury to investigate the failures of the Plankinton bank and Lappen & Co.

Just a Small Fallure. PORTLAND, Ore., June 5 .- Private advices from Spokane, Wash., state that the Bank of Spokane, the oldest in the city, has suppended. It was one of the smaller banks of

Savings Bank Closed.

SANKUSKY, O., June 5.—The savings bank here was put in the hands of a receiver this morning.

ALL MORE OR LESS BRUISED.

Unpleasant Experience of Passengers or an fron Mountain Train. Sr. Louis, Mo., June 5.-Further details

from the wreck on the Iron Mountain road at Leper, Mo., reported last night, show that the baggage and express cars, the Missour' chair cars and three sleepers were thrown off the track. The passengers were jumbled about and given a good shaking up and very few escaped without a bruise or a contussion. The injured include: Lizzie O'CONNELL, Ireland, seriously.

PAT O'CONNELL, Ireland, seriously. CONDUCTOR BACON, serious internal in

iries. SHINT LAWYER, Philadelphia; leg and hip roken

PETER WARREN, Butte City, Mont., spine hurt.

Seventeen others suffered minor injuries. When the train had been brought to a blameless.

counted called for opium. But that is not all. When the patent medicines that go to make up three-fourths of the mer-

chantable stock of the chemist are gone over we run across more opium. With few exceptions, the patented cough balsams all contain opium. That's why they're so dear. The more expensive the preparation the larger the amount of opium it contains. It almost seems as if they were a cloak under which the unrestricted sale of oplum is carried on

in open violation of the law. Many fiends carry a doctor's prescription calling for half an ounce or more of opium in their pockets for years and have it replenished as often as they like. When the paper becomes old and faded they have it copied by an obliging druggist's assistant and it lasts for another year or so of daily use. They are the persons who sooner or later go to fill up our insane asylums and private retreats. If they are poor they become burdens upon the community. If they have influential friends they find a home in some retired retreat where the hope is kept green that they have not passed beyond human aid. By this time they are physical and moral wrecks, for nothing like opium will undermine a noble character and a strong will.

All this is the pernicious side of opium. Now what good can be said of it? A great deal. It is beyond question a valuable drug, and no doctor can af ford to be without it for a moment. To relieve excruciating pain, which of itself may kill a person, it has no equal as a sedative, a sleep producer and a tonic. If wakeful nights have sapped a sufferer's vital force until there is little left, nothing like opium will bring on rest and freedom from pain. There are many kindred conditions in which the use of oplum is indicated, yes, demanded, but rarely has it any other value in the therapy for the cure of disease. It is seldom more than a remedy of expediency. As a rule it disguises the very symptoms that enable a thoughtful, competent doctor to strike at the root of the evil, as he should, and it is precisely for this reason that its apparent haphazard use is so much to be condemned in medical practice.

WICKED POSTAL EMPLOYES.

Kansas City Men Lose Their Jobs for Conspiracy to Rob Money Lenders.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5 .- As the result of an investigation of the Kansas City postoffice, which has been pushed by three government, experts for the past three days, several employes were today dismissed from the service. Some removals as a result of the investigation had previously taken place and to-day three chiefs of departments, day three chiefs of departariors eight clerks and five carriers were let out. Four clerks were suspended and five carriers were suspended for thirty days each, and a general disciplining and reorganization of the force was begun. The investigation showed that thirteen clerks and carriers had pledged the same month's salary to different loan brokers and absolutely "efused to make any settlement whatever on the strength of their being government employes and as such could not be held responsible for their mis-deeds. The investigation, it is further learned beyond a question, also brought out the fact that there has been a ring formed among the postoffice employes to systematically rob money lenders. Postmaster Nofsinger has heartily entered into the investigation, and he is held

trip around the Loop a vote will be taken whether to continue or not to Hot Springs, the feeling being that the excursionists will return home, from Denver.

The Surgeons' Junket.

Rallway Notes.

Mr. Clark is still confined to his hotel. E. L. Lomax left for Chicago last night. G. W. Vallery, general agent of the Burlington at Denver, was in the city yesterday. Mr. F. L. Ames is expected to arrive in Omaha today, and after several days spent in looking over his interests here he and Mr. Clark will make a tour of the Union Pacific system.

George Forsman, who has been connected with the Elkhorn for some time, leaves the service of that company to take the position of general agent of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie ("Soo" line) July 1, with headquarters at West Superior, Wis., the road that W. F. Fitch, an old Omaha resident, is now general manager of. Mr. Forsman left last evening for Chi cago.

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt' Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Sick and Injured Will Be Taken to Hospitals Hereafter-Routine Matters. The Board of Health held a short meeting

yesterday afternoon, at which the reports of the heads of the committees were received.

By a recent act of the city council Plumbing Inspector Duncan was made a member of the board and was present at the session. Reports of deaths for May showed three accidents and five suicides. The total number of deaths was 105, 61 males and 44 females. There was 127 births reported. Officers having in charge the contagious diseases reported 125 cases of diphthoria with one death, scarlatina 33 cases with no deaths and typhoid fever ten cases, no deaths. Chief Inspecter Sherrad served 377 written notices to clean up premises and 375 verbal

He also caused 195 vauits to be ones.

garbage, wants the city to pay him \$250 for his two horses and wagon, which were blown into the river at the Jones street dump April 30. The board ordered his re-quest filed.

Chief Seavey has been requested to issue orders to his officers, who have charge of the patrol wagons to have sick and injured people patrol wagons to have sick and injured people taken to the nearest hospital instead of carting them to the jail. This order was made at the request of Dr. Somers, who thinks that needless suffering may be saved and better treatment given quickly. Meat Inspector Frank condemned 2,240 pounds of beef, 500 pounds of sausages, 4,593 pounds of fish and 1,117 cans of canned vecetables last month.

vegetables last month. The board talked some of putting on an-other meat inspector during the summer,

but did not reach any decision. Piles of people ave piles, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

MORE MURRAY CHANGES.

Colonel A. B. Davenport May Take the Management of the Hotel.

It is quite probable that within two weeks the low voiced dove of peace and the soothing aroma of a settled condition will be found at the Murray hotel, where for well nigh a month troub.e and uncertainty have

Mr. Tom Murray has sent for A. D Davenport, the well-known hotel man of Ablene, Kan., formerly of the Millard in Omaha, to come up and "set a spell" and consider a proposition to take the manage-ment of the Murray into his hands. Mr. Davenport has arrived and now all that remains to be settled is whether Mil-lionaire Tom will consent to give him full control, with no reservations whatever. In case Mr. Davenport takes hold of the hotel, he will be here with his family about the 15th of the present month.

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