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MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co

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Miltonberger is the hatter, 502 Broadway

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Calanthe assembly, Pythian Sisters, will hold a regular meeting at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon in Castle hall.

The St. John's English Lutheran church and Sunday school will have their annual picnic this afternoon and evening at Fairmount park.

Charles Christenson took out a permit yesterday for the erection of a $2,500 dwelling house on First street, just south of the Broadway Methodist church.

Mrs. Mary McKenna and Miss Mary Donlon of Omaha, who were so seriously hurt while driving in this city last Saturday evening, are rapidly recovering.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Damewood, who live near the motor power house, is suffering from a pair of severely cut wrists, the result of a fall on a broken glass tumbler.

The coroner's jury held an inquest yesterday afternoon over the remains of Mark De Lisle. Several witnesses testified, but nothing was obtained in the way of new information. The verdict returned was death by suicide.

The two Rachwitz boys, who have been occupying a cell in the Manawa jail for assaulting Officer Bowling, broke jail yesterday and ran away. The guard claims that they jumped on him as he was taking in their dinner.

A lot of boys swimming at Courtland beach without even a suspicion of bathing suits on greatly scandalized some of the good ladies of the vicinity, and Justice Field was called over yesterday to sit on the boys. After hearing the evidence he decided to discharge the boys with a lecture.

The fire department was called out last evening at 8 o'clock to put out a blaze in the residence of a man named English, at the corner of Twelfth street and Fourth avenue. The fire had started in a cupboard up stairs which was filled with rubbish, but it was extinguished before the firemen arrived, and the damage was very slight.

John Bonemeyer and Hugh O'Donnell had a hearing before Justice Vien yesterday on the charge of being implicated in the recent East Omaha riot. O'Donnell was in the crowd at the time the riot occurred, as the evidence plainly showed, but it was difficult to get any one to swear positively as to just the part he had in the encounter. Both men were discharged.

C. F. Jones, charged with forgery, waived examination yesterday and was bound over to the grand jury of the United States court. O. E. Jones, his brother, who got into a little trouble through his well meaning but misguided efforts to run Deputy Marshal Richards, was discharged, the fright administered to him by the officials being sufficient, so it was thought, to deter him from any similar actions in the future.

A Fifth avenue motor killed a dog day before yesterday and allowed the carcass to lie on the track about twenty-four hours. A man was then sent to remove it. The body was taken over into the lot where the Stewart packing house ruin has been standing for the past three or four years, and a little earth was thrown over it. The people living in the vicinity propose to raise a howl over that way of disposing of death-breeding carrion.

Edward Fullager, jr., filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus yesterday in the district court, and he was taken before Judge Smith for an investigation of the case. He demanded a release on the ground that the committment and the warrant had not been defective. On looking into the case the court found that Justice L. B. Johnson, mayor of Neola, had overstepped the line, and he ordered the prisoner released. Fullager got rid of about a week of confinement in this way.

Sutorious Mandolin club at Manhattan beach, Lake Manawa, tonight from 7 to 10.

Greenshields, Nicholson & Co., real estate and rentals, 600 Broadway. Tel. 151.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. M. F. Davenport has returned from Chicago.

Master Albert Treynor is home from a visit to Glenwood.

Miss Roberta Hattenhauer left last evening for Chicago.

Mrs. Robert Huntington is home from a visit with relatives in Salt Lake City.

Miss Pearlie, the daughter of Ovide Vien, is recovering from a severe attack of the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McGee and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cooper are home from the World's fair.

State Secretary W. A. McGee of the Young Men's Christian association, of Des Moines, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkins, Dr. T. B. Lacey, and Masters Tom Lacey and Clarence Empkie are home from an overland trip to Spirit lake.

E. A. Robinson, a colored student in the Biblical institute at Evanston, Ill., has decided to put in some time and energy in helping along the African Methodist church in Council Bluffs. He will remain here at least until the fall term opens, and possibly longer.

C. S. Zorbaugh and family left yesterday afternoon for Fairfield, Ia. Mr. Zorbaugh will return in September to resume his place as instructor in the school for the deaf. Mrs. Zorbaugh will remain in Fairfield with her children, who will take a course in Parson college.

Rare treat at Manhattan beach tonight. You cannot afford to miss it. Omaha Mandolin club.

Card from C. F. Jones.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., July 25.—To the Editor of THE BEE: In view of what you have published about me in your Council Bluffs news column, I wish to talk through your paper as I have many dear friends and brethren in the track of the circulation of your paper, and in view that I wish no erronious impressions left, I wish to say the following: I am not a reverend nor pastor of a Christian church, neither do I minister to their spiritual wants each Lord's day. Neither did I ever forge the name of one Dennis F. Jones or any other Jones or any other person in my whole life of thirty-seven years. United States Commissioner Steadman of this city is not to blame for my arrest and disagreeable imprisonment. Neither is our respected United States Marshal Richards in fault. But Pension Examiner Brown of this city is to blame for this mistake and persecution, and false imprisonment.

I can prove a clear and conclusive alibi by the most truthful men and persons in the county in which I live, viz., Taylor county, Iowa, as soon as opportunity for preliminary trial appears, which will be at Marysville, Mo., as soon as possible. I am a member of the Church of Christ, worshiping at Bedford, Ia., and have done some preaching there, but no regular preaching, and am not a member of the modern Christian church. I also am a Christian writer, essayist and reporter for one or more Christian papers. I am also a general agent for a Christian paper; am also a careful, Christian, praying man, and I should have financial aid on account of my unfortunate false imprisonment and arrest.

Will my accusers and persecutors and my brethren everywhere help me in my great time of need? My address, Charles F. Jones, Bedford, Ia., or C. Fremont Jones. The last signature is what I use when writing for Christian papers.

I wish to further add that never in my life was I in the city of Marysville, Mo., and will reward any truthful person who will make such a claim and prove it. Never in my life had I any such temptation as to forge the name of any one or deceive in that way, and I thank God for it. C. F. JONES.

Manhattan beach — Manawa — Mandolin club tonight.

Smoke T. D. King & Co's Partagas.

Domestic soap outlasts cheap soap

NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Two Bridge Workmen Seriously Injured in an Accident Yesterday.

WAVE LASITER FALLS SEVENTY FEET

In His Descent He Strikes Andrew Wagner—Both Men Have a Miraculous Escape from Instant Death—How the Accident Happened.

Wave Lasiter, a young man who is employed by the Phoenix Bridge company at the new bridge, met with an accident yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock which in all probability will cost him his life. He was working on the iron frame work, engaged in making a coupling, when he lost his grip by the slipping of the iron and was hurled to the trestle work, about seventy feet below. In his descent he struck another workman, Andrew Wagner, and it was that fact that prevented him from being dashed to instant death, although the collision was disastrous to Wagner. Lasiter was picked up unconscious and the patrol wagon was called for to take him away for treatment. In the meantime everything possible was done to ease the suffering of the two unfortunate men.

Lasiter was taken to the Council Bluffs Medical and Surgical institute, as he was evidently much the worse of the two. An investigation showed that his injuries consisted of a dislocation of the hip bone, two broken ribs, a cut on the jaw and several teeth knocked out, besides serious internal injuries. Dr. Laugel, who is attending him, stated last evening that the man's injuries are very dangerous and his recovery is a matter of much doubt.

Wagner was taken to St. Bernard's hospital. He was conscious all the time, and his agonized cries for mercy as he was being carried through the streets turned the heart of more than one listener sick. When he arrived at the hospital Drs. Macrae and Carter found that he had sustained a compound fracture of the left arm between the shoulder and elbow. It was a very serious wound, but the physicians were in hopes that amputation would not be necessary.

Lasiter, who is most severely hurt, has been in the city only about a month, having come here about a month ago from Mount Sterling, near Mobile, Ala., to work for the the Phoenix company. Wagner's home is in Dubois county, Indiana. Both men are single.

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The Manhattan Beach company has 80 acres of land bordering on Lake Manawa, much of it covered with beautiful shade trees and accessible to the beach. Persons desiring to camp out are offered grounds for that purpose free of charge. Apply to G. M. Washburn, manager, at the bath house office, and select your location. Manhattan Beach Co.

Williamson & Co., 106 Main street, largest and best bicycle stock in city.

The best building sand in the market by carload. Address N. Schurz, 34 Baldwin Block, Council Bluffs, Ia.

ENCOUNTER WITH A BURGLAR.

Officer Martin Meets One and Brings a Scalp Home with Him.

Shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday morning Officer Martin of the city police force was walking along Eighth street near the corner of Broadway, when he heard a suspicious sound that seemed to come from W. H. Knepher's store, a short distance away. He placed himself in a position to watch, and a few seconds later saw three men moving about inside the building. They had forced open the double doors in front, and that was probably the cause of the noise that attracted the officer's attention. He tip-toed his way down upon the enemy and met one of the fellows just as he was coming out. Grabbing him by the shoulder, he marched him back into the store, keeping the burglar's body in front of his own as a shield against any bullets that the other two might send out in his direction in emphatic protest against being intruded upon.

As Martin entered the store he heard some one say: "Hands up." He obeyed the injunction, but the hand that went up had his steel cane, and when it came down an instant later it did so with a force that would have cut one of the burglars' head in two had he not dodged and thus escaped the full force of the blow. An instant later two pistol shots rang out on the night air. One of the bullets struck Martin on the left side a few inches below the heart, while the other whizzed past his ear with an angry hum. In the melee Martin allowed the two other burglars to get between him and the front door, and they both escaped.

As they were scuffling a huge pistol dropped on the floor, and Martin quickly put it in his pocket, supposing it to belong to the man who had done the shooting, but on examining it found that all the loads were still in it. He accordingly asked the prisoner if that was his weapon, and the prisoner acknowledged the corn without any parley.

When asked about the affair the fellow pleaded innocence. He told the usual story about his being a "Colorado sufferer," and had been traveling with eight other men. When they reached Lincoln he was the only moneyed man of the crowd, and his assets only amounted to $2.50. He divided his wealth with his companions, and when the crowd arrived in Council Bluffs 40 cents was all that was left. They went out and bought some stuff to eat in the afternoon, and along about midnight his companions told him they had made arrangements to get something for breakfast at Knepher's store. It never occurred to him that it was not customary for grocery stores to remain open until 1 o'clock in the morning, and he willingly started of on their ante-breakfast shopping expedition, with the results above stated. He said that he was ready to give the officers any assistance he could in running down the other burglars and furnished them with a description of them. His story has a fishy smell, however, and the officers are inclined to put but little faith in his advances.

Martin, strangely enough, was not seriously injured in the encounter. The bullet, although a large one and fired at short range, did not even penetrate his clothing. It struck him on the side below the waist a few inches, and glanced off, passing through the top of the door. Although it did not draw blood, it caused a spot of inky blackness nearly as large as the palm of his hand on the spot where it struck. The other shot, which flew past his ear, filled the left side of his face with powder marks, thus bearing evidence to the shortness of the range.

The man who is in custody gives his name as Pat Casey. He was given a hearing in police court this morning and bound over to the grand jury, his bond being fixed at $800.

Bartlett's grocery store, across the street from Knepher's, was visited by burglars at an early hour yesterday morning. An attempt was made to enter by forcing the front doors, just as was done at the other place, but the visitors were evidently frightened away, as they did not succeed in getting inside the store. Marks of a crowbar or some similar instrument were found plainly on the outside of the door.

Free concert. Sutorious Mandolin club at Manhattan beach tonight.

Great Reduction in Cedar Lumber Prices.

Our company having a large supply of red cedar in their yards in Arkansas, have concluded to greatly reduce their prices on red cedar for the next 60 days. Now is your time to get red cedar cheap.

W. F. BAKER, Agent,
Shugart Block, Council Bluffs.

Mandolin music in the moonlight on Lake Manawa tonight.

Another improvement to the popular Schubert piano. Swanson Music Co.

Seized a Train.

The Rock Island officials found it necessary to call on the police for assistance last evening. A crowd of tramps, thirty-seven in number, took possession of one of the freight trains which was standing in the yards and gave the trainmen notice that they intended to stay right with them. The trainmen telegraphed to headquarters for orders, and received word from the general superintendent to call on the police, and if necessary on the sheriff, for assistance. The police managed to put the unwelcome visitors to rout, and the train went out undisturbed.

MOTOR LEGISLATION.

Smith Gets More Time—The Ordinance Regulating the Speed of Trains Passed.

Alderman Smith, the chairman of the committee to which was referred the 3-cent fare ordinance, asked for and was granted more time in which to make a report at the meeting of the city council last evening. He fished out a large roll of typewritten manuscript and presented it to the gaze of the council, but he would not allow any one to come near enough to see what it said. "I want the minutes to show," he remarked, "that I, as chairman of this committee, am all ready to make my report, but the other two members are not, and therefore I want more time." As he said this he cast a malicious glance in the direction of newspaper row, and the request for more time was granted.

The ordinance regulating the speed of motor trains was also brought up and passed unanimously. This provides that any one running a motor train at a rate in excess of eight miles per hour anywhere within the city, excepting on avenue A from Thirteenth street to the river, Fifth avenue, west of Twelfth street, and Sixteenth street, from Broadway to Fifth avenue, shall be liable to a fine of $25 for each offense.

A remonstrance against putting in curbing on Eighth street between Broadway and Avenue G, signed by property owners representing 1,000 feet of property, was read and filed.

Ex-City Poll Tax Collector A. J. McClaren presented a claim of $24, which he said he had overlooked in making his final report. "I hope this claim will be allowed and the matter dropped," his petition read. It was referred to the finance committee.

F. H. Guanella was awarded the contract for curbing.

Mayor Lawrence read a communication suggesting that the city improvement bonds, which are to be put on the market soon, be advertised for sale in the Wall Street Daily News, and such other papers as will be likely to assist in the speedy sale. The suggestion was concurred in.

The question of the purity of the city water then came up, and the petition which was drawn up by the regular physicians of the city at a recent meeting was read and referred to the Board of Health. The council adjourned and immediately reconvened as a Board of Health, and City Physician Macrae was called upon for his opinion of the condition of the water supply. He stated that he was afraid of the results of opening up a main sewer in Omaha above the source of the Council Bluffs water supply, and suggested that steps be taken to prevent, by legal interference, the city of Omaha from opening up the sewer in case a further examination should show that the emptying of sewerage would contaminate the water so as to make it unfit for drinking purposes. He recommended that the city procure samples of water from the hydrants in various parts of the city, and from the river at the same distance below Council Bluffs and Omaha as the Council Bluffs water works pumping station is below the mouth of the objectionable sewer.

Manager Hart of the water works company was called upon, and said that he had recently had a conversation with City Engineer Rosewater of Omaha, in which that gentleman said that a sewer was intended at present simply for draining off the lowlands in a comparatively uninhabited portion of Omaha. In time, however, when Omaha builds up in its northern part, the sewer will probably be used for house purposes. He also quoted Mr. Rosewater as saying that none of the dozen or more cities along the Missouri had been troubled with epidemics which were traceable to impurities in the water, in spite of the fact that they were all using the river as a source of water supply and also as a sewer outlet, and this, he thought, was as good evidence as is needed as to the purity of the water.

After the matter had been discussed at considerable length it was decided to instruct the city physician and water committee to get samples of water, as suggested by the city physician, and have them analyzed by the state chemist in order to set at rest the much vexed question, for the raising of which Manager Hart blames THE BEE.

The city physician called attention to the practice which now obtains of postponing the issuance of burial permits until the first of the month, very often until the corpse has been interred for thirty days. He stated that he had determined to make a change in this way of running things, and wanted the assistance of the Board of Health, which was promised.

Mandolin music in the moonlight on Lake Manawa tonight.

Notice.

To greenhouse men and lovers of flowers:

I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, commencing Tuesday, July 25, at 10 a. m., the entire stock of plants, tools, pots, wagons and horses, etc., contained in the greenhouse and used in the business of Foster & Son, No. 700 Harrison street, to satisfy a chattel mortgage held by Lewis Hammer. Said sale to be on the premises and in lots to suit purchaser. EDWIN J. ABBOTT,
Agent for Mortgagee.

Domestic soap is the best.

Carbon Coal Co., wholesale and retail coal. Removed from 10 Pearl to 34 Pearl street, Grand Hotel building.

TOOK FIFTEEN BIG ENGINES.

Pottawattamie County After the Union Pacific for Unpaid Dues.

The Union Pacific Railway company had a great deal of grief yesterday afternoon by reason of its refusal to pay to the treasurer of Pottawattamie county, the taxes of 1891. The taxes due for that year amount, with the penalties, to $8,083.75, but the company has steadily refused to pay them, claiming that the assessment of $125,000 was exorbitant. Yesterday noon County Treasurer W. B. Reed, accompanied by his attorney, Finley Burke, proceeded to the Union Pacific round house in Council Bluffs and seized fifteen of the engines. It has been the custom of the engineers since the very hot weather came on to roll their engines into the round house during the noon hour, so as to be in the shade while eating their lunches. This fact had been communicated to the county treasurer, so he planned his campaign with the end in view of making a big haul when he made any haul at all.

His seizure of the engines caused a panic in the railroad camp. The company was short on engines at best and the yardmaster, who showed Reed about the house, pointed out this engine and that engine which, he said, the company must have to perform its work during the afternoon and evening. Reed waited until the list had been made complete and a lot of old and second class engines were left, which, the trainmen seemed to intimate, he was welcome to take, and then remarked:

"Well, I guess these engines that you need so badly are just the ones I need myself."

Their Bluffs Didn't Work.

Quite a bluff was run in by some of the trainmen when a certain engine was levied upon, which, they claimed, the American Loan and Trust company had a claim upon. "You will get yourself into trouble with the Loan and Trust company if you seize that one," one of them remarked.

"Well," was the reply, "there's no telling but the American Loan and Trust company may have a claim on a lot of the rest of them, so I guess I shall have to take some more of them, in order that I may be sure of having enough."

George F. Wright, the attorney for the railway company informed Reed that he was not entitled to more than twice the value of the claim, but he in turn was informed by Burke that the county had a right to five days possession of the property in which to make an inventory. This silenced the attorney, and he began to see that there was nothing to be done excepting to accept the inevitable. He accordingly began rustling around for a bond for the release of the property. He first secured a bond signed by the Council Bluffs Savings bank, countersigned by the president and cashier of the bank. This bond was not satisfactory, for the treasurer could have no means of knowing that the president and cashier had authority to sign the name of the bank, and he demanded something better. A lot more rustling was done, with the result at last that the company got possession of its fifteen engines at 7:45 o'clock last evening, giving in return a satisfactory bond.

The treasurer has merely begun his campaign against railway tax dodgers, and similar scenes may be looked for in the near future unless the companies come up to the scratch in much better shape than they have done for the past few years.

Manhattan beach — Manawa — Mandolin club tonight.

The Grand Hotel,

Council Bluffs. The most elegant in Iowa. Dining room on seventh floor. Rate, $3.00 and $5.00 a day. E. F. Clark, Prop.

Ask your grocer for Domestic soap.

Cook your meals this summer on a gas range At cost at the Gas company.

KEG CREEK SUICIDE.

Christian Bock, a Farmer, Tired of Living, Kills Himself with a Revolver.

News has just been received in the city of a suicide in Keg Creek township, which took place last Sunday morning, Christian Bock, a farmer of that vicinity, being the victim. At 5 o'clock he arose and asked Mrs. John Schildthauer, for whose husband he was working, to let him have a revolver, as he wanted to kill a rat that had been gnawing at his feed bin.

The woman got him the gun, and as he took it he asked her if she thought it would be a good one for him to kill himself with. "Try it and see," was her answer, she supposing naturally enough that he was joking.

Bock went on toward the feed bin and Mrs. Schildthauer went back to her morning work. A moment later she heard the report of a gun and running out to see what had happened she found Bock lying on the ground with the entire top of his head blown off in a most horrible manner. The man had put the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth and then pulled the trigger. The coroner's jury that was called together to make an investigation returned a verdict of death by suicide.

Domestic soap is the best.

Free concert. Sutorious Mandolin club at Manhattan beach tonight.

There is nothing in this country like the fruit kept in Wheeler, Hereld & Co.'s cold storage. No matter what the weather is it reaches the customer in perfect condition. Another car load of lemons was put in Saturday.

Dr. J. C. Waterman's office removed to No. 9 South Main street.

Stop at the Ogden, Council Bluffs, the best $2.00 house in Iowa.

Balloon, Courtland beach tonight.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA.

Punctuality Was a Feature of the City Council Meeting.

With keen remembrance of Conley's recent exploit, all the members of the South Omaha city council were present good and early last night, and, barring the fact that Mayor Walker was forced to leave his chair and ask the hoodlums on the stairway and sidewalk to "let up on their racket," matters passed along smoothly. City Attorney Van Dusen presented a number of ordinances he has revised. There is little or no change in most of them, but all the city laws are just now being revised with a view of having them printed in pamphlet form.

John Snively, the garbage master, was allowed a bill of $23.25 for catching dogs.

Ed Brennon gave notice to the council that the difference between himself and Parks & Co. had been settled and that so far as he was concerned the city could pay the money direct to Mr. Parks.

Mr. Conley, chairman of the committee on ordinances, reported that all dog tax should be paid to the city treasurer in the future. The matter was laid over for one week.

City Treasurer Hoctor reported on bonds now due and gave notice to the council that the money would have to be raised for the same. The matter went over one week.

Frank Pivonka's claim for damages was returned without the endorsement of the city attorney. Pivonka's claim was for damages by bad paving and curbing.

City Attorney Van Dusen introduced a number of ordinances which he has revised.

Nineteen property owners in the Fourth ward filed a protest against the council granting right-of-way to the railroad about to cross the boulevard at Thirty-second, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, unless the streets are kept open and passable by placing a viaduct. Placed on file.

The Nebraska National bank has a judgment for $4,484.10 and $266.72 interest against the city. The manager of the concern gave notice that the bank wanted its money.

Judgments have been rendered against the city of South Omaha in the district court for $4,750.87. Upon motion of Wyman, a warrant was ordered drawn for the amount.

An estimate of $1,267.93 was allowed Parks & Co. for repairs on the Q street viaduct.

Another judgment for $966 in favor of John Richhart has been rendered against the city in the district court. Upon motion of Wyman, a warrant was ordered drawn for the same.

Next came a judgment in favor of the South Omaha National bank for $2,601.41. This was also ordered paid.

Alice Sullivan secured a judgment for $907.35 in the same court and the amount was ordered paid over.

All the above are old judgments, which have been hanging fire for years.

Councilman Schultz desires to have section 6 of the fire ordinance knocked out, and offered a resolution to have the city attorney draft an ordinance to that effect. This section gives the fire chief authority to call on a bystander to work at a fire, and in case he refuses, the guilty person is subject to arrest and fine.

Z. Cuddington presented a final estimate for $3,405.24 for sewer work on J and other streets. Allowed.

The grading contract and bond of J. Owens was approved.

After considerable discussion it was agreed to purchase one copy of the State Code for the benefit of the council and the city officials.

The request of President Cheek of the school board to have the council direct City Treasurer Hoctor to deliver the orders of the school board in his possession to Mr. Cheek or the school board, was brought up. City Attorney Van Dusen gave it as his opinion that it would be unwise at the present time for the council to direct Mr. Hoctor to do so. Bruce said that he had been told that the school matters were "none of our business, and if that is a fact we had better keep our hands off entirely." Bruce thought the councilmen were doing well to keep their own heads above water and ought not to meddle with school board matters. Mr. Hector's reasons for hanging on to these orders have been published in THE BEE.

The South Thirtieth street matter, out near Jetter's brewery, was brought up in committee of the whole. Wyman said if it were not for Jetter's dam the street would be all right. He, therefore, thought Jetter should be asked to bear half the expense of putting in a culvert. The council could not legally repay Jetter for money already paid for grading, but thought he would be willing to dedicate the street, as the opening of the street would prove beneficial to him.

Mr. Jetter addressed the council and said that the city had never done any work on that road. He wanted to know why he was paying city taxes if he could not receive some benefit. The roads, he said, were far better from his brewery to Papillion than from the brewery into South Omaha. John J. O'Rourke said this matter had hung fire long enough and the people were getting very tired of being put off from week to week. Bulla, chairman of the committee on streets, was not present and no report could be made. Conley moved that the city attorney begin condemnation proceedings on the street in question, and here the matter rested.

The street commission was instructed to repair or rebuild the walk in front of 320 South Twenty-sixth street. The city attorney also reported that there was a bad place at Twenty-fourth and F streets, also another in the center of Twenty-third street, between L and M.

Board of Education.

The South Omaha Board of Education held a lengthy session last night.

Eggers & Bock were allowed $1,500 on estimate for work done on the new school houses.

The bid of R. A. Forsythe for finishing the Fourth ward school was the lowest and the contract was awarded to him at $600. The bids for furnishing the slate black boards for six buildings were as follows:

C. B. Aschenbock—School seats, $3.85, $3.90, $3.60, $3.25. Black board slates per yard, 34, 35 and 36 cents.

Lincoln School Supply Company—School seats, $3.20, $3.10, $3, $2.90; blackboard slate, 33½, 24½, 35½ cents.

United States School Furniture Company—School seats, $2.60, $2.70, $2.90, $2.80; blackboard slate, 32 cents.

Washington Slate Company—Blackboard slate, 27 and 23 cents.

On motion of Bulla, the slate board matter was put over until Tuesday and the bids on seats were taken up. The representatives of each company took turn in explaining the merits of their stock and the bids were thoroughly discussed. An informal ballot showed that four of six votes were in favor of the Grand Rapids seats, and upon motion of Mr. Bulla the secretary was instructed to enter into a contract with the United States School Furniture company for what seats are needed.

Insurance was ordered taken out on the West Albright school house.

She Wanted to Die.

Rose Florence is the name given by a brunette woman of the half world who attempted to commit suicide in a bagnio on Railroad avenue last evening.

The girl came to South Omaha about two weeks ago. She has been in a despondent mood ever since her arrival, but has had little to say in regard to her troubles. About 7 o'clock she was found in her room by the landlady, Madame George, in a stupid condition. With considerable difficulty she was aroused, and after being walked until 2 o'clock this morning she was out of danger.

The matter was reported to the police, but when the female was questioned she would say nothing except that her life had been full of trouble and that she did not care to live any longer. It was stated by one of her acquaintances that the girl had but recently been jilted by an old lover whom she had supported for months, and that this was the cause for her rash act.

Tried to Break Jail.

Another attempt was made at a jail delivery in South Omaha Monday night. Charles Bovee was on Monday bound over to the district court on the charge of adultery. About midnight Officer Thomas entered the lockup and found that the fellow had pried off two of the iron bars, and in five minutes more would have been a free man.

It has only been a short time since a successful job of this kind was worked. The difficulty is that no jailer is kept at the station day or night. Occasionally the captain drops into the station and one of the police, who is also given a beat, is supposed to show up there at different intervals during the night. There are also long periods in the day time when no person is left in charge of the jail.

Bombarded with Bread.

The Salvation army pitched its tent in South Omaha last night at the corner of Twenty-sixth and M streets. About 8 o'clock C. Schammer drove by in his bread wagon and stopped. There was a crowd around and Schammer began throwing loaves of bread into the gathering. Others helped him get away with his supply and in five minutes Schammer had no bread and was locked up for disorderly conduct. He gave bail and was released.

Beat His Wife.

Mike Bradley, a burly denizen of the Fourth ward, is in limbo for beating his wife with a club. According to the woman's story the assault was brutal and uncalled for. Mrs. Bradley is a gray haired woman and has the appearance of a quiet, inoffensive person.

Balloon, Courtland beach tonight.

CRIME IN HIGH PLACES! It is not strange that some people do wrong through ignorance, others from a failure to investigate as to the right or wrong of a matter. But it is strange, that individuals and firms, who are fully aware of the rights of others, will persist in perpetrating frauds upon them. High-toned, wealthy manufacturing firms will offer and sell to retail merchants, articles which they know to be infringements on the rights of proprietors, and imitations of well known goods. We want to sound a note of warning to the retailers to beware of such imitations and simulations of "CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS." When they are offered to you, refuse them; you do not want to do wrong, and you don't want to lay yourself liable to a lawsuit. Ben Franklin said "Honesty is the best policy"; it is just as true that "Honesty is the best principle."

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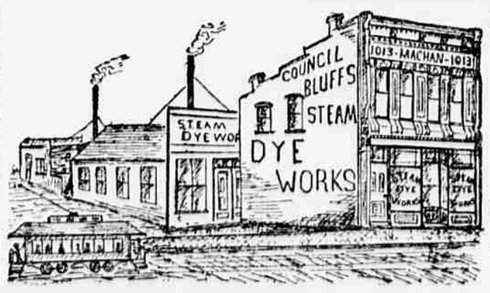

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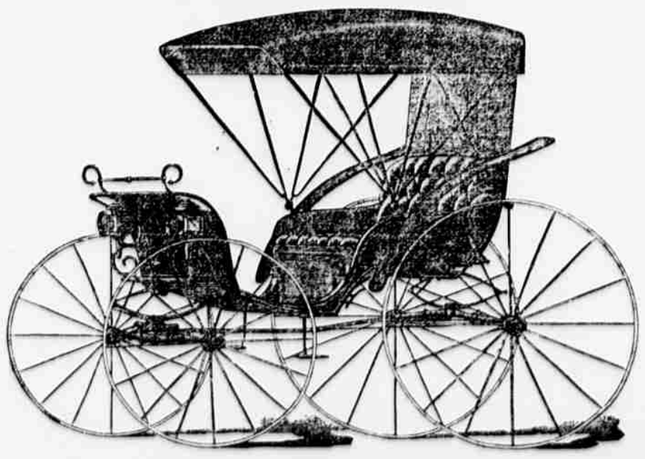

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