

LINCOLN CITIZENS PROTEST

Consolidated Street Railway Company Likely to Have Trouble.

SUBURBAN INTERESTS NOT PROTECTED

It Must Show Cause Why It Should Not Be Made to Replace a Line that Was Abandoned and Destroyed.

LINCOLN, Oct. 17.—[Special to The Bee.]—The Lincoln Street Railway company has been requested to appear in the supreme court and show cause why it should not be made to replace the portion of its line purchased by F. W. Little in trust for the company and afterward abandoned.

The line in question was built in 1890 and was known as the Capital Heights Street railway. It was consolidated with the City Electric Street railway and was operated by the company owning the latter. In 1892 the City Electric Street Railway company was reorganized under the name of the Home Street Railway company.

Later F. W. Little, president of the Lincoln Street Railway company, purchased the Home Street railway, paying \$20,000 for it. When the road was originally built the property owners along the line paid large sums of money to aid in building it. Little is now offering to sell the line for \$100,000.

At 11 o'clock this morning the jury panel was exhausted, and still there was no jury to try the case of Dan Lauer. Court adjourned after waiting a full hour.

Minor Court Mention.

Some time ago Lydia L. Hawkins asked the district court to give her a divorce from John Hawkins. Judge Strode heard the case this morning, and instead of giving the divorce to Mrs. Hawkins he gave it to Mr. Hawkins.

Mysteriously Missing.

Last Wednesday John McDonald of Exeter came to Lincoln with \$225 in his inside pocket. He was seen by a policeman with a breath pregnant with Lincoln whisky, and since that time he has not been seen.

Burned a Barn.

A lighted lantern in a barn at 159 F street caused a blaze about 7 o'clock last night. Mrs. John Aura was in the loft storing away a load of hay. She hung the lantern on a nail and in some way it fell and set fire to the hay.

Want a New Trial.

Marquette, Dewese & Hall, attorneys for the respondent in the Turner will case, this afternoon filed a motion for a new trial, alleging that the verdict was contrary to the law and the evidence.

Odd Fellows in Session.

The grand encampment of the Odd Fellows of Nebraska was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning by Grand Patriarch Heiler of Hastings. The morning session was devoted to appointing committees and hearing the reports of the grand officers and treasurer.

G. N. Nowlin in Brief.

G. N. Nowlin of this city is the author of the words and music of a waltz song that has just been published and is fair to make him famous. The title is "Always Together," and the music is unusually catchy.

CARLETON CROSS-EXAMINED

Gothman's Slayer Not Disturbed by the Efforts of the Prosecution.

EXPLANATIONS VERY PLAUSIBLY MADE

Suspicious Circumstances Surrounding the Prisoner's Story of the Tragedy Reported in an Indifferent Manner—Opening of the Arguments.

PRESIDENT, Oct. 17.—[Special to The Bee.]—The court house was crowded when court opened this morning, as it was expected that the cross-examination of Charles Carleton would be searching and thorough.

He did not finish his direct testimony yesterday, and it was completed this morning. He said he recognized the revolver exhibited in court as the weapon with which the shooting was done. He explained the positions in which the revolver was held in the tussle. He explained that the reason he grasped the revolver in his left hand was that he was left-handed.

He was defeated by the first shot fired near the report of the third shot. He didn't tell Mrs. Kimmel that he shot the tramp "until he got the revolver until it would fly." He didn't know what revolver it was until one of Midaugh's boys suggested that it belonged to Henry Lake.

On cross-examination the prisoner said he never told any other person than his attorney the story told on the stand. The other stories were not true where they conflict with this. There was not an unpleasant word spoken until he met Gothman with the pistol.

McCool Junction, Neb., Oct. 17.—[Special to The Bee.]—Yesterday morning burglars broke in the front door of George Knight's general merchandise store. About \$7 in pennies and nickels and a few cigars were about all Mr. Knight missed.

CITY HALL OPENING.

Formal Dedication of the New Building Will Take Place Soon. Councilman Jacobson, the chairman of the committee on public property and buildings of the city council, informs The Bee that the public opening of the city hall will occur Saturday. The day will probably be on a Saturday, and the hours from 3 to 10 in the evening.

MADE A DASH FOR LIBERTY.

Henry Hesse Escapes from Custody but is Captured by Citizens. Yesterday afternoon while a deputy United States marshal was taking a prisoner named Henry Hesse from the federal building to the county jail Hesse made a break for liberty and ran about a block on Sixth street before he was captured.

N. B. Falconer's Hospitality.

J. J. Stork, representing the Royal coat factory of C. J. Van Zon & Zoon of Holland, has been in the city the past few days arranging with N. B. Falconer by which the customers of that enterprising dry goods house will throughout the season be served with a cup of chocolate free of charge.

Found the Door Open.

Officer Bruce found the door of Lally's saloon standing open early this morning. The door had been locked without being closed. A window in the rear of the German Savings bank and the front entrance of the Mammoth store were also found open by the special and regular officers on those beats.

One word describes it—perfection.

We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures piles, hemorrhoids, itching, etc. The Madison (family hotel), 21st and Chicago. Transients, \$2.00 per day.

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PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE STATE PROPOSE THAT IT SHALL BE A GRAND SUCCESS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Bourke Cockran, the famous Tammany leader, went to the fair today. He is here as a member of the committee to make New York day a success, and made his headquarters at the New York state building. Mr. Cockran had intended returning to New York before Manhattan day, but has decided to remain over and join with his state in making the day a grand success.

FRATERNAL PUBLICATIONS.

New Rating of the Post-office Department Increases Their Expenses. Pursuant to instructions from the Postal department, Postmaster Clarkson yesterday morning stopped the passage of fraternal organs through the mails at this point as second-class matter.

A Mechanical Marvel.

The Automatic exhibition at 1211 Farnam street. If an Omaha man or woman traveling in Europe should see the unique and marvelous mechanical construction, such as is now on exhibition on Farnam street, he or she would recall it in memory as among the most wonderful things of the world.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday by the county clerk: Name and Address. Age. Charles H. Schulte, Omaha, 25; Gertrude M. Schulte, Omaha, 20.

Lawrence Notes and Personals.

LAWRENCE, Neb., Oct. 17.—[Special to The Bee.]—Mr. Frank Wiebeler, the oldest general merchant in Lawrence, died Sunday of kidney disease, aged 83. He was born in Cleveland, 18-year-old son of Ben Cleveland, died Sunday of consumption, having lingered at death's door since last February.

Not Favorable to Free Silver.

MULLEN, Neb., Oct. 17.—[Special to The Bee.]—George A. Abbott, an independent, spoke at the court house here Monday to a small audience. Although the speaker had been announced for a week he was not present to hear him. He gave a few statistics from the Congressional Record to show why free coinage of silver would bring good times, and free and unlimited coinage would keep silver on a parity with gold.

Arranged a Strong Ticket.

HARRISON, Neb., Oct. 17.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—A county ticket for Sioux county, made up of six republicans and one democrat, will be nominated by petition as follows: Clerk, M. B. Lewis; treasurer, H. S. Woodruff; judge, O. J. Gowry; sheriff,

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river, a little above Crow Creek agency. In a few days work will begin on a number of the buildings to be constructed at the new agency and by November 1 work will be under way on ten additional buildings at the same place. From now on the construction of the new agency will be rushed as much as possible in order that most of the work can be completed before severe weather sets in and delays it.

NO WONDER.

The prices are trade earnings in every sense of the word. Good Blankets 55c a pair. No trash either. 4 pound Blankets 98c; regular value \$1.25. 10-4 good Blankets \$1.15; regular value \$1.50. Fine 10-4 Blankets \$1.39; regular value \$1.75. 11-4 Blankets, 5 pounders, \$1.49; regular value \$2.10. 11-4 Extra good white blankets \$1.85; regular value \$2.50. 10-4 scarlet all wool blankets \$2; regular value \$2.75. 11-4 all wool 5 pound blankets \$3; reduced from \$4. Our \$5 blankets all go at \$3.79. Our \$6.50 ones at \$5. Our \$7.50 one at \$6.50. We never had such a day in underwear. Busy from morning until night. Splendid values at this sale for ladies and children.

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Interior Decoration.

Every lady is making more of a study today than ever before of Home Decoration. The manufacturers are paying more attention to design and color. The result: More Artistic Homes. And More Housefurnishings Sold. We now have plenty of room and good light, and have on show the complete new lines, which you are invited to see. We quote the following to show progress in prices:

New Moquette carpets - \$1.15 Per Yard. New Axminster carpets - \$1.25. New Gobelin carpets - \$1.40.

An Awful Headache

It is not strange that some people do wrong through ignorance, or to the right or wrong of a matter. But it is strange that individuals and firms, who to be fully aware of the rights of others, will persist in perpetrating frauds upon them.

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