SHOT ON TOP OF A TRAIN

Strange Tragedy with but a Slight Clew to the Perpetrator.

MYSTERIOUS MURDER CASE NEAR VALLEY

Unknown Man Found Dead by Union Pacific Trainmen with a Bullet Through His Heart—Two Coroners Called to Investigate.

VALLEY, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—When freight train No. 22 on the Union Pacific pulled into this place at 2 a. m. from the west, Conductor Shoemaker, who was in charge of the train, informed the city marshal that he had found a dead man on top of the cars. As the train pulled into the yards the marshal removed the remains, which were yet very warm, and the blood was running from a large bullet wound over the heart. The body was placed in the baggage room at the depot, and County Coroner Maul was summoned from Omaha. He arrived at 11:20 and searched the body, but failed to find anything to identify the dead man. The trainmen said the shot was fired before they left Dodge county, so Coroner Maul notified the coroner of Dodge county to come down and take charge of the case.

Dodge County Coroner Martin and County Sheriff Milliken arrived at 2 o'clock and took the remains of the unknown man to Fremont on No. 29 freight. The sheriff also took in custody for witnesses three men who were beating their way on the same train on which the shooting occurred, and they all tell about the same story. They say that just as the train was leaving Fremont the man who did the shooting stole the hat from the man who is now a corpse. The hatless man secured a coupling pin and made for the thief, swearing that he would kill him. The crack of a pistol was the next thing heard, then a few groans for help when the train pulled out of the station. A short time after the shot was fired the witnesses saw a man jump from the car on which the dead man was found and run toward town. The witnesses climbed into a box car and came to this place, where they were taken and held as witnesses. Coroner Martin has called the inquest to be held at Fremont at 2 o'clock tomorrow. The conductor and brakeman on No. 22 freight have been subpoenaed as witnesses in the case.

FREMONT, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—As a freight train was standing at the Union Pacific depot at 1 o'clock this morning a pistol shot was heard and a tramp standing beside the train reported seeing a man running up the street and said that he heard men scuffling on the top of the cars. Upon the arrival of the train at Valley station the dead body of an unknown man was found on the top of the car. Coroner Martin was notified and is still on the ground.

SEIZED AN ILLICIT STILL.

Federal Authorities Capture a Moonshiners' Outfit at Indianola.

INDIANOLA, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—E. C. Ballew, deputy internal revenue collector, and A. J. Tomlinson, United States marshal, yesterday seized an illicit whisky still which has been in operation about four miles north of Bartley, on the farm of G. W. Argabright. It was operated by Argabright and J. Z. Teler, who were both arrested last night and taken to Omaha this morning. When found the still was full of mash, but the cap and worm were hidden. Argabright claimed that he used it for cooling feed for his hogs, but was finally persuaded to produce the cap and worm. The still was shipped to McCook last night and stored until the arrival of the proper officer to destroy it. The still was shipped here some time ago from Virginia, where it had been in operation for sixteen years.

Argabright has dependent upon him an invalid wife and seven children, who are practically destitute. His farm is mortgaged and the mortgage is due, and he has nothing to meet it with, while Teler, who is the real culprit, has no family.

FATAL NIGHT WITH THE BOYS.

Billy Holt Shot and Killed by the Marshal of Waverly, Neb.

WAVERLY, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—While resisting arrest at a late hour last night Billy Holt, a B. & M. section hand, was shot and instantly killed by City Marshal Kroesen. Holt, with his brother and three or four other young men, were intoxicated and making a night of it and disturbing citizens. The marshal urged them to disperse and threatened the party with arrest. They showed fight, and Holt, the marshal claims, struck and kicked him. He drew his revolver, firing to frighten them. Holt ran and Kroesen, so the bystanders say, fired a second time, the ball striking Holt just above the right nipple, causing instant death. Coroner Crim was summoned and held an inquest. The jury brought in a verdict exonerating the city marshal, as the shooting was done while in the discharge of his duty. Mike Ryan, who was arrested during the disturbance which resulted in the shooting, was discharged today, but Arthur Allen was fined $1 and costs by Judge Littlefield. Kroesen was not arrested.

Little Lawrence Personals.

LAWRENCE, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—Mrs. Flora McDonald of Oregon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Evans, of this place.

Mrs. Frank Kramer of Kansas, whose husband was formerly banker here, is visiting friends here.

Miss Lennie Purdy spent Sunday with Hastings friends.

Rev. A. M. Perry is attending the convention of the Ministerial association at Fairmont.

The license petition of B. Buescher has been filed with the village clerk, and it is thought that the license will be granted.

J. Fitch has just completed a new storebuilding 25x60 feet.

Miss Pease of Deweese is spending the week with Miss Welkins.

Republicans at Red Cloud.

RED CLOUD, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—The Republican League club of this city held its annual election last evening, and also elected delegates to the state convention of Republican League clubs. The meeting was very enthusiastic, and positions on the delegation did not go begging. The following are the officers and delegates elected: President, M. R. Bentley; secretary, Randolph McNitt; treasurer, A. Galusha; delegates, W. S. Garber, Henry Gilham, Robert Potter, J. C. Warner, Porter Hedge and W. T. Thornburgh.

The newly elected president tendered the club the use of a hall in Bentley block free of charge, which was accepted with thanks.

Ex-Governor Thayer and ex-Commissioner Greer of Kearney are in the city.

Strange Suicide Near Winside.

WINSIDE, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Arthur Sines, 18 years old, son of R. G. Sines, living five miles west of this village, committed suicide today. He was not seen about the place after breakfast, and about noon his brother Frank found his lifeless body hanging by the neck in the tool shed. No possible reason can be assigned for his rash act.

Republican State Committee.

LINCOLN, May 9.—The republican state central committee is called to meet at the Millard hotel, Omaha, Tuesday, May 22, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

A full attendance is desired, as the time and place for holding the next state convention will be at that time decided upon.

BRAD D. SLAUGHTER, Chairman.

Farmer Hurt in a Runaway.

ST. PAUL, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—William Crow, a farmer living a few miles from here, was badly hurt in a runaway today while in town. He was thrown out of the buggy in a violent manner, sustaining two broken ribs and other injuries.

Bertrand Votes Down Bonds.

BERTRAND, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—At the special election held yesterday the proposition to bond the village in the sum of $1,800 was defeated by a vote of 37 to 35. The bonds were wanted to provide funds for paying indebtedness on a new engine house and to carry on further improvements.

HOT WINDS AND NO RAIN.

Nebraska Points All Crying for Moisture to Help the Crops.

BERTRAND, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—High winds from the south have prevailed here for two weeks, with no rain. Everything is dry and discouraging, although farmers report corn starting well.

NAPER, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Corn planting is about completed in Boyd county. Tuesday was the hottest day this year, the mercury touching 102 in the shade. A hot wind has been blowing nearly all the time, and wheat and other small grain is suffering from lack of moisture.

ST. PAUL, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—Small grain is suffering from the drouth and the hot south winds of the last few days. In the western half of the county especially the prospects are very gloomy. Today the weather is colder, with northwest winds, but still blowing.

DUNCAN, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—High, hot, southwest winds have been blowing steadily for six days. Farmers are complaining, saying that all kinds of small grain are suffering. The wind changed to the northwest this morning and has been blowing a gale ever since, doing injury to growing crops.

HE IS ON THE WAY TO MEXICO.

J. A. Preston of Broken Bow Said to Be Short in His Accounts.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Quite a sensation was caused here today. J. A. Preston, a prominent citizen of this city who has been in the employ of the Globe Investment company for a number of years as general agent for western Nebraska, has absconded. He left a week ago Tuesday, but no suspicions were mentioned until investigations revealed the fact that he had disposed of all his personal property and real estate, and that he is from $4,000 to $6,000 short with his company. From intimate friends it is learned that he has gone to Mexico. He leaves his family well provided for. I. W. Zimmerman, an officer of the Globe company, arrived this evening from Kansas City to investigate affairs.

Republican Club at St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—A republican club was organized here last night with 151 members, under the name of the St. Paul Republican League club. A. E. Cady was elected president, F. W. Crew vice president, T. Hemanson secretary, and E. Enevoldsen treasurer. The republicans here are aggressive, and one of the objects of the club is to invite their democratic opponents to meet in open debate and discuss the issues of the day. A ringing speech was made at the opening by Chairman Cady, in behalf of the republican cause, and the meeting closed with a fiery assault on democracy by Judge Hannibal.

Child Burned by Powder.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—This morning Allison, the 3-year-old son of Fred Barraclaugh of this place, was horribly burned by an explosion of powder. In some way, with a 5-year-old companion, the child secured a powder flask and some matches. Pouring the powder into his lap it was ignited, setting fire to his clothing. Before the blaze could be smothered he was badly burned, the skin peeling from his limbs and face. He will probably die. The other child was also burned about the head and face, but not seriously.

Continued to the Next Term.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—The criminal cases against John W. West, defaulting city treasurer, were continued by the district court, Judge Kendall presiding, to the next term on the argument of the defense's counsel that several witnesses outside the state could not be secured, though the session of court has just begun and will not be likely to conclude for a month. West was placed under $5,000 bonds in each of two cases, one for embezzling city money and the other for school funds. He has failed so far to secure bonds and is in jail.

Good Fuel Made from Refuse.

FREMONT, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—Franklin Kersting of this city, who has been confined to his room for nealy twenty months by sickness, has diverted his attention from his suffering by inventing and patenting a system of manufacturing fuel from refuse and coarse material, such as coal screenings, corn cobs and stalks, sawdust, leached tanbark, sage brush, straw and coarse manure. He can convert these articles into fuel equal to the best of bituminous coal at a cost not exceeding $2 per ton.

Barns Burned by Children.

WAVERLY, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Reports have just reached here that G. L. Blanchard's barn was burned yesterday while the parents were away to town, through the children playing with matches. One span of mules and a large quantity of feed was burned.

YORK, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—A barn belonging to W. H. Reader was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Mr. Reader's little boy set the barn on fire while playing with matches.

Small Fire that Caused a Panic.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—A heavy northwest wind has prevailed here during the past two days, at times reaching a velocity of fifty miles per hour. During the worst part of the storm this morning a genuine panic was caused by a fire alarm turned in from a thickly settled residence part of the town. Fortunately the blaze was extinguished in its incipiency, otherwise nothing could have saved the southeastern residence part of town.

Badly Hurt in a Runaway.

SEWARD, Neb., May 17.—(Special to The Bee.)—Gustav Mix, a German living north of Germantown, was perhaps fatally injured yesterday in a runaway. He had been to the creamery at Germantown with a load of milk, and while on his way home his team ran away, turning the wagon over on him, breaking several ribs, cutting one ear nearly off, and breaking one of his wrists, besides injuring him internally. His physician has small hopes of his recovery.

Selling Liquor to Indians.

NAPER, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—D. H. Briggs and four others, residents of this place, accompanied by Deputy United States Marshal Cable of Springview, have been summoned to appear before the grand jury at Omaha to give evidence regarding alleged violation of the law prohibiting the sale of liquor to Indians. They left here this morning.

Section Hands Get a Shaking Up.

DUNCAN, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—While a section gang on the Union Pacific railway was returning from work at 6 o'clock last night, the car left the track at a point of a frog and scattered the men and tools around promiscuously. No one was injured beyond slight bruises and a general shaking up.

Died from Peritonitis.

NAPER, Neb., May 17.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Mrs. John H. Rhodes, wife of a prominent citizen of this place, died Sunday of peritonitis. She leaves four children, the youngest about a week old.

One word describes it, "perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures piles.

Building Permits.

The following building permits were granted by the inspector yesterday:

Andrew Nelson, two-story frame dwelling, 1325-27 South Thirtieth street	$5,000
W. E. Reid, one and a half story frame cottage, 2315 North Twenty-eigth avenue	1,500
John Reznichek, frame addition, 2945 Martha street	800
Five minor permits	820
Total	$8,120

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles.

SPOT CASH.

QUICK CASH-RAISING SALE BY THE MORSE DRY GOODS CO.

SPOT CASH.

A grand success. Store crowded all day Thursday. The second day cannot help beating record of the first. We offer the following under-cost values for Friday, the 2d day. ALL ADVERTISED BARGAINS FOR CASH ONLY.

Fancy Ducking, Ladies' Suitings. 7½c

Ladies' 7-hook Kid Gloves, 25c

Fine, very wide and fine Pelcale, 5c

2¼ yards wide. bl'chd Sheeting, 15c

Children's fast black Hose, 3c

Reversable Chambry, 5c

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER.

China Department Second Floor

Fine decorated vase lamp, large shade, brass oil pits, actual value $3.00, SPOT CASH PRICE $1.49.

English decorated toilet sets, full size, with slop jar, actual value $5.00, SPOT CASH PRICE $3.48.

Full size Mexican hammock, actual value 75c, SPOT CASH PRICE 49C.

Fine engraved blown glass tumblers, this is $1.00 goods, SPOT CASH PRICE 60C DOZ.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER.

White rose soap under cost, SPOT CASH PRICE, 35C BOX.
La Parisienne soap under cost, SPOT CASH PRICE, 7C.
Chemisetts, with fancy tucking, SPOT CASH PRICE, 9C.
Twin dress stays, SPOT CASH PRICE, 9C.
Velvet dress shields, actual value 25c, SPOT CASH PRICE, 12C.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER.

Our popular No. 350 long waist corset of fine satin, with medium form, in black, white and drab, actual value $1.00, SPOT CASH PRICE 73C.

Equipoise waise style No. 603. This waist is endorsed by A. Jenness Miller, actual value $2.25, SPOT CASH PRICE $1.79.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER.

3 top capes of same material, turn over collar, under cost SPOT CASH PRICE $2.38.

Ladies' suits for street wear, all wool materials, SPOT CASH PRICE $4.98.

Ladies' laundered waists, SPOT CASH PRICE 57C.

Indigo Blue Calco, 2½c

All silk French baby Ribbon, 10 yds for 3c

French Sateen 35c quality, 18c

Pillow Case Muslin, 8½c

Mill Ends of French Satteen, 5c

Berkley Cambric, 8⅓c

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER

Dress Goods.

English whipcords, diagonals, etc., in all the new shades, actual value, 75c, SPOT CASH PRICE, 47C.

Fine printed cashmere, all new designs and colors, actual value $1.00, SPOT CASH PRICE, 57½C.

Black crepons, 42 inches, Black novelties 42 inches, fine English serge, 46 inches, and storm serges 52 inches wide, actual value $1.00.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER

Trimmings

Lot of fluted braid edgings, all colors, actual value 15c, SPOT CASH PRICE 8C.

Novelty in lace ruffling with crimped edge, actual value 25c, 40c and 50c, SPOT CASH PRICE 19C, 29C AND 35C.

Colored guimp trimmings, actual value. 25c, SPOT CASH PRICE 12½C.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER

Ladies' tan hose, fast colors, seamless, actual value, 18c, SPOT CASH PRICE, 9C.
Ladies' Swiss ribbed vests, finished neck and sleeves, actual value 35c, SPOT CASH PRICE, 17C.
Ladies' Egptian lisle thread drawers, knee length, actual value, 75c, SPOT CASH PRICE, 47C.
Ladies' fine lisle thread vests, ecru and white, actual value 50c, SPOT CASH PRICE 23C.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER

All shades colored satins, actual value 75c, SPOT CASH PRICE 35C.

24-inch light China silks, actual value $1.00, SPOT CASH SALE, 59C.

All our surahs, in all shades, actual value 75c, SPOT CASH PRICE 59C.

AT ACTUAL COST OR UNDER

Below cost men's summer undershirts, SPOT CASH PRICE 13C.

Below cost men's suspenders, SPOT CASH PRICE 19C.

The H. & W. underwaist, actual value 69c, SPOT CASH PRICE 48C.

Boys' three piece suits, all wool, $8.00 and $10.00 suits, SPOT CASH PRICE $4.98.

SPOT CASH.

SPOT CASH SALE a big success. The public appreciate our effort to raise money. Store crowded all day.

THE MORSE DRY GOODS CO.

SPOT CASH.

FIVE RIDES FOR A QUARTER

Lincoln Street Car Company Says that's All it Can Afford to Give.

TRYING HARD TO REPEAL THE ORDINANCE

Difficulty in Paying Dividends Makes Economy a Necessity—Conductors Also to Be Dispensed with if Present Intentions Prevail.

LINCOLN, May 17.—(Special to The Bee.) Another fight between the city council and one of the municipal corporations of Lincoln is on, and, as usual, the contest has taken the place of everything else as a subject of general conversation. The Lincoln Street Railway company has secured the introduction of an ordinance in the city council repealing the law requiring it to sell six tickets for a quarter and permitting it to place fare boxes in the cars and thus dispense with the conductors. The introduction of the ordinance has aroused a storm of protest, and, on the other hand, a very few people stand up for the street railway company.

When the Lincoln Street Railway company secured its charter the city council exacted a condition that six tickets should be sold on the cars for 25 cents. When the cars commenced running the company declined to sell six tickets for 25 cents on the cars, and sought to evade the law by placing tickets on sale at different stores around the city at the rate of twenty-four for $1. For some time the patrons of the line grumbled at the evasion of the law. One day a man tendered 25 cents for six tickets and was refused. He declined to pay 5 cents for his fare, but agreed to pay 25 cents for six tickets and give the conductor a ticket for the fare. A free fight ensued, and the conductor finally succeeded in ejecting the passenger from the car. The passenger sued the company, and the case found its way to the supreme court. That body decided about a year ago that the company would have to sell six tickets for 25 cents and that conductors must be supplied with tickets for sale to all who called for them.

The company now states that it cannot pay dividends and must do something to increase its revenues and cut off expenses. It desires to repeal the six tickets for a quarter ordinance and wants the privilege of running its cars without conductors. The ordinance will be hotly contested in the city council, but it is generally believed that it will pass.

REFUSED TO PRODUCE ITS BOOKS.

A case of considerable importance to Lincoln newspapers and saloons is in progress before Justice Spencer of this city, and the proceedings came to a somewhat abrupt termination this afternoon because of the refusal of the manager of one of the newspapers to produce evidence of the circulation of his paper. One of the Lincoln saloon keepers sued the Daily News for $10, that being the amount in excess of the fee charged by the State Journal for printing the annual notices of applications for saloon license. When the printing was done the notices were all inserted in the News, for the reason that that paper claimed to have the largest circulation in the city. The notices were also published in the Daily Journal and the daily call because those papers also claimed to have the largest circulation. The News charged the regular legal price of $7.50 for each notice, while the other papers charged but $2.50 for each notice. H. Waltemade brought suit to recover $5 each on two notices he had published in the News. In the trial before Justice Spencer Waltemade alleged that the News' publication of the notice was illegal because it had not the largest circulation in the city. The business managers of the three papers were called into court and instructed to bring their circulation books. The News responded, but Manager Sechrist of the State Journal refused on the ground that the Journal was not a party to the suit and could not, therefore, be compelled to give testimony. Justice Spencer then asked the Journal manager to submit his circulation books to the court and the attorneys for each side. This offer was also refused. The case was then adjourned until next Tuesday afternoon, before which time Justice Spencer will make up his mind whether he has the right to compel the Journal manager to produce his books.

MORE CAPITAL NATIONAL SUITS.

Receiver Hayden of the Capital National bank today commenced suit against J. W. Latham to set aside a transfer of Latham's property to a relative named J. W. Perry. Latham was one of the stockholders of the Capital National bank at the time of its failure and held 100 shares. He refused to pay the 100 per cent assessment levied by the comptroller of the currency, and when the receiver commenced suit transferred all his property to other parties. The property at Tenth and N streets was transferred to Perry, other property in Lincoln was signed over to his daughter, while still more in Harvard and Sutton was transferred to N. D. Laughlin. The above transfers were all executed on April 17, 1893. On July 21 of that year Receiver Hayden attached the property for the benefit of the creditors of the bank. In the suit commenced today the receiver alleges that Latham transferred the property with the purpose of defrauding his creditors, and that the property is still managed in Latham's interests.

PREPARING TO GRADUATE.

The program for commencement week at the Nebraska State university was issued today. It is as follows:

May 25—Annual gymnasium exhibition; young women's classes at 8 p. m.

May 26—Competitive drill, university cadets, artillery at 9 a. m., company at 2 p. m. Dress parade of the cadet battalion at 5 p. m. Annual gymnasium exhibition; young men's classes at 8 p. m.

May 30-June 2—Annual encampment of battalion.

May 31—Presentation of theses, senior laws at 8 p. m.

June 4-8—Closing examinations.

June 9—Joint program, literary societies at 8 p. m.

June 10—Annual sermon before the Young Women's Christian association and Young Men's Christian association, Rev. Henry Hopkins, Kansas City, Mo., at 4 p. m. Baccalaureate sermon, Rev. Frank Crane, Omaha, at 8 p. m.

June 11—Annual concert, department of music, at 8 p. m.

June 12—Class day exercises at 10 a. m.

June 13—Commencement at 10 a. m. Oration by Prof. George D. Herron, Iowa college, Grinnell.

PYTHIAN SISTERHOOD.

The grand lodge of the Pythian Sisterhood closed its annual session this afternoon. There were twenty-one grand lodge members in attendance out of about thirty in the state, and a very satisfactory session is reported. The election of officers took place this morning, when the following grand officers were chosen: Grand chancellor, Mrs. W. A. Dilworth of Lincoln; grand past chancellor, Mrs. F. M. Martin of Madison; grand vice chancellor, Mrs. J. L. Grant of Madison; grand prelate, Mrs. Will Hopkins of Lincoln; grand keeper of records and seal, Mrs. D. A. Guldin of Hastings; grand keeper of the exchequer, Mrs. James Holloway of Gibson; grand mistress at arms, Mrs. E. O. Hostetler of Shelton; grand assistant mistress at arms, Mrs. Strong of Holdrege; grand inner guard, Mrs. Smith of Shelton; grand outer guard, Mrs. G. B. Tyler of Hastings; grand organist, Mrs. C. L. Alexander of Hastings.

LINCOLN IN BRIEF.

The National Wall Paper company today commenced suit in district court to set aside the bill of sale of the Clason & Fletcher stock of books and wall paper to W. E. Burlingim of Omaha on the ground that the sale was made with intent to defraud creditors. The stock was first transferred to the Columbia National bank for $10,200 and by the bank sold to Burlingim. The plaintiff in the suit commenced today alleges that the stock was worth $21,000 and that eastern creditors were purposely defrauded in the transaction.

The law against leaving teams untied on the streets is being rigorously enforced. Several prominent business men were arrested today.

The case against A. S. Jones, charged with the murder of Jerry Peck at Sprague last February, has been continued until the September term.

The contract for Lincoln's new High school building has been let to Triche & Oleson for $67,020. The bid does not include heating and ventilating.

The Lincoln Board of Education has issued warrants to the amount of $59,029 in excess of the general fund. A deficiency of $65,000 at the end of the fiscal year is estimated.

The Elite castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of Omaha, and Red Cross castle of this city united in a picnic at Lincoln park this afternoon. Both lodges paraded the streets with bands and banners before taking the cars for the park. At the park Mayor Weir delivered a brief address of welcome, Deputy Supreme Chief Haas of Omaha responding. Adresses were delivered by Victor Seymour and C. W. Berry. After a basket dinner the afternoon was given up to the enjoyment of athletic sports and games.

PARK IMPROVEMENTS.

Funds Will Not Warrant the Carrying Out of Early Plans.

The plans of the Board of Park Commissioners are likely to be seriously embarrassed by the recent decision against the city in the case where Clark, Dumont and others brought suit for additional damages growing out of the condemnation proceedings at Riverview park. According to the report of the appraisers the damages in the case were assessed at about $40,000. The plaintiffs refused to accept this estimate and brought suit for additional damages. The verdict in their favor was for $15,000, and as there is only $37,000 in the park fund, nearly half of the available funds for this year's improvements are disposed of. The result is that the board will follow a very economical policy for the remainder of the year. No further improvements will be attempted and it is likely that some of the men now employed will have to be dismissed.

Superintendent Adams was at the High school grounds yesterday preparing to begin the improvements contemplated by the Board of Education. These will be pushed forward at once, and will be completed during the summer vacation.

The park board is beseiged by scores of men who want work. There are a good many men employed in the work now going on at various places, but as the force will be diminished rather than increased all applicants for employment are turned away.

We could not improve the quality if we paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

LIEUT. MAXWELL'S DEFENSE.

Will Plead Irresponsibility to the Charge of Duplicating Pay Checks.

Nothing was done yesterday in the Maxwell court martial case at Fort Omaha.

Lieutenant Maxwell has sent to Chicago for depositions bearing on his case and it is understood that he will make a hard fight for his job. It is reported that Sergeant Tom Ormsby of the Omaha police force will be called as a witness for Maxwell. The defense wants to prove by Ormsby that Maxwell was at a downtown hotel for nearly a week when absent without leave and part of the time was on the verge of delirium tremens.

This testimony, Maxwell thinks, will prove that he was not responsible for his acts and therefore did not know what he was doing when he duplicated his pay accounts. The board will convene as soon as the Chicago depositions arrive.

Be On Time to Catch that Boat or train or you'll be left. Moreover, if you're sick on the way to your destination you'll be "left" if you haven't Hostetter's Stomach Bitters along with you. That protective agent relieves you promptly if you are troubled with "travelers' sickness." Take it along. Cramps, colic, disorder of the bowels, malaria, rheumatism, dyspepsia are all remedied by it. It is a good traveling companion.

Pleaded Not Guilty.

Ex-County Treasurer Adam Snyder was arraigned in police court yesterday on the complaint filed by County Commissioner Jenkins alleging the embezzlement of $6,000 of county money.

Mr. Snyder heard the reading of the complaint and pleaded not guilty. Bail was fixed at $4,200 and the bond for this amount was signed by W. I. Kierstead.

DIED.

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

GREGG—Daniel D., May 14, 1894, at Greenville, Ill., son of C. A. Gregg of 1411 North 25th street, Omaha, aged 3 years. Interment at Greenville.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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J. B. REDFIELD, Secretary.

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