THE OMARA DAILY BEE: THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1896. CORN CROP NOW ASSURED Bains of the Past Few Days in Nebraska Sufficient. SMALL GRAIN IS QUITE SATISFACTORY COMPANY TO PAY THE COSTS ments in Ulinois says that Chicago harbor, the unfulinked portion of the broskwater to be repaired, was completed. The 2,200 Unser feet of new superstructure contracted she came to her death by polson, but it was FAITH IN NEBRASKA LANDS FILLED UP THE CROSSINC same. for were constructed, and the as yet un-covered part of the breakwater was pro-vided with decking consisting of six-inch pine timber. Dredging in the channel at Nebraska Yews Votes. J. O. Milligan of Wakefield will crect an Terms on Which the Suits Against Union Rock Island Accused of Bad Faith by a Ohio Farties Invest a Fertune in the Vicinclevator and flouring mill at Pender. Pacific Landholders Are Dismissed, The Methodists of Nortolk will dedicate their new church edifice on August 2. pine timber. Dredging in the channel at the mouth of the river was also carried on Sarpy County Farmer. ity of North Platte. and practically completed in May. The ex-terior breakwater is reported to be in ex-One dealer at Creighton has sold over SATISFIES SECRETARY SMITH \$3,000 worth of binding twine this season. BASIS OF ROLF HARMENSEN'S COMPLAINT SALE OF THE COE-CARTER PROPERTY oat meal mill is now conning on full time, and so far only last rears' crop has been ellent condition. The easterly and south The sugar beet fields in the vicinity of erly breakwaters are in equally good con-Norfolk are reported to be in fine condition. dition as far as timber structures are con-cerned, but the stone filling has settled to ground HAYES CENTER, Neb., July 29.-(Spe-lal.)-Seventy-two hundredths inches of If Attorney General Harmon Assents With the Exception of Onts the Yield Fifteen repairers have been fixing the Consideration in the Neighborhood He Calls Attention of the State Board elephone line between Geneva and Fairthe Troubles of the Settlers Will is Good and Considering the lal.)of Transportation to an Alleged some extent and the latter is in some danclal.)-Seventy-two hundredths inches of rain fell here Saturday and Sunday nights. of \$250,000\_Large Tract to He mont Be Ended and the Com-Acreage the Farmers Are ger of being overturned **Violation** of Contract by Put Under Irrigation Most of the small grain is cut, most by headers, being short. Corn is in fine con-dition. A large crop is expected. Joe Morris of Madison was fined \$5 and pnny's Commenced. Not Disappointed. the Company. Ditches. Caring for Americans in Cubs. for inhumanly beating his little costs WASHINGTON, July 29 .- At the sugges daughter. In deciding a bet, a poll was taken o tion of General Miles, who has interested WASHINGTON, July 23 .- (Special Tele-PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 29.-(Spe-NEWS OF THE DAY AT FORT CROOK. LINCOLN, July 29 .- (Special.)-Two comtown of Hay Springs. It gave McKinley, himself in the case in behalf of the friends gram.)-General Solicitor Kelly and Land cial.)-The splendid rain of last night has plaints were today filed with the State 68; Bryan, 38. of the man, Acting Secretary of State Rock-Real Estate Boom Inaugurated in completely dissipated all fear of any dry The business men of Ohlowa have taken Commissioner McAllister of the Union Pa-Board of Transportation. Rolf Harmensen. that Locality. FORT CROOK, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)hill briefly telegraphed Consul General Lee cific Railroad company had a conference steps to provide that town with a system of fire protection. weather to affect the corn crop, as the cific Railroad company had a conference at Havana asking for information respecting with Secretary Smith and Land Commission Pearce Atkinson, a Chicago man serving owner of 329 acres of land in Sarpy county. farmers say that it was the last rain needed. says that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pa-The fort has a new addition to the band in The twenty-fifth annual camp meeting at signer Lamoreaux today with reference to with the insurgents, who was reported to The prospects in this county for corn never cific railroad traverses his farm to the ex-J. B. Duncan of Council Bluffs. He is a have been killed near Havana. The consul general reported that so far he had been Bennett will commence August 14 and condismissing the suite now pending in the have been so good as they are at present tent of one-half mile. He alleges that the young man of considerable talent as a cortinue for ten days. various United States courts against the and every farmer pleasantly anticipates a road was built in 1890, and at that time unable to obtain any information of the netist. Burglars entered the store of H. A. Wells. rallway company and purchasers of lands bountiful harvest. Will Oliver has a field matter after inquiry in Havana. the company constructed an under cross-There are a good many buildings starting at Palmer and stole sixty-seven pairs of tion of their holdings has been placed The petition by citizens of Key West and elsewhere in Plorida, asking for the in-tervention of the State department to erroneously patented to it under the grant. of early corn on his farm about five miles shoes valued at \$130. at Fort Crook City and a good many trans- ing for the convenience and safety of himsouth of here which he declares will be As a result of the conference the generatory fers of real estate in the way of building lots. Quite a number of the boys in blue A pontoon bridge across the Missouri at self and others in crossing the tracks of wrote a letter to the attorney general, agree-Decatur is one of the things likely to maamellorate the condition of Melton, one of the Competitor prisoners, has reached the ready for shocking in three weeks and said company. This under crossing was ing to dismiss the suits, provided the comwhich has been estimated will yield sevhave caught the real estate infection and terialize this summer. continued and kept in good repair by the are now investing in lots around the post A corps of sixteen engineers is at work pany would agree to pay all the costs of the enty-five bushels to the acre. Ed Oliver lepartment, but no action upon it has yet company until May, 1896, when it was filled about as fast as they are in bicycles. There surveying the route for the proposed rall-road between Norfolk and Yankton. sults. Judge Kelly agreed to this propositaken has 187 acres in corn which he believes will up. This was, according to the complaint Coo, Carter & Co., Mr. John Bratt, the sale The Department of State has been advised tion on behalf of the company. This action average sixty-five bushels to the acre, while South Sloux City men are working for by Consul General Lee at Havana, under date of July 25, that Mr. George Calvar, an

on the part of the Department of the Interior and Department of Justice will re-lieve the settlers of the fear that they were American citizen arrested in Manzanilla, district of Santiago de Cuba, in the month in danger of losing their boldings. After these suits are dismissed the land of April, this year, and Manuel Romagosa. also an American citizen residing in

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office will follow out the terms of the Mendell resolution, providing for the patenting of lands along the line of the Union Pacific which have been sold to bona ide putchas-ers. All the settlers will have to do will he to file proof that they are innocent pu chasers, and new patents will be issue It is understood to be the intention of Se retary Smith to recommend that new sults be brought against the company to . cover the value of such lands as have been erroneously certified to it. These lands tend along the line of road in lich aska. Yyonning, Colorado and Utah. Judge Kelly was elated when seen by Th

Bee correspondent over the apparent suc-cess of his interview with the officials of the Department of the Interior. Speaking of his visit and interview, Judge Kelly said SETTLERS' TROUBLE ENDED.

"The fairest treatment possible was as corded Mr. McAllister and myself today, not only by Secretary Smith, but also by Judge Lamoreaux, commissioner of the Land department; Judge Best, assistant com-missioner; Judge Little and Judge Brant. They were fully impressed with the strong equilities in favor of the people occupying these lands in Nebraska, Colorado, Utah and Wyoming, and after a full discussion Secre tary Smith said he would ask the attorney general to relieve holders of these lands by dismissing suits, providing the costs of the suits commenced by the government should be paid by the company, which we agreed should be done. I will have an in-terview with Attorney General Harmon in the morning, and I feel that the same action will be taken as in the Burlington cases, which are in the main parallel with ours. We have found Attorney General Harmon in sympathy with the officers of the Interior department, and when the papers come to him tomorrow the matter will be concluded and the relief sought fully accomplished. "In the four states there is something like 4,000 grantees affected, many of whom have lived on these lands for twenty years under patents issued by the government to the Union Pacific railway. The dismissal of these suits amount to an abandonment of the claim by the government against the

present land owners Judge Kelly and Mr. McAllister expec leave Washington tomorrow afternoon New York. Mr. McAllister stated tonight that after the interview with Secre-tary Smith and the introduction of evidence to show the good faith of the purchasers of Union Pacific lands, the secretary gave orders that all patents held up by his former order should be issued at once to the company. This is along the line of the Mondell resolution, which got through con-gress during its closing hours.

WHITCHER GETS THE PLACE. Minister Bartlett Tripp's candidate, Louis E. Whitcher of Highmore, S. D., was today appointed receiver of the Mitchell land office in place of the late receiver, Taylor. It is understood that residents of Mitchell had H. W. Kincaid o

filed papers urging the appointment of one stopping at the Barker. of the candidates from that town, B. Daniels and wife of Atlantic, Ia., John R. Webster and Alfred DeLong of Omaha are in the city on a tour of eastern cities. They expect to visit New York, Bos ton, Philadelphia and Baltimore. Mr. Web-ster, in speaking of the political situation. gave it as his opinion that McKinley is sure carry Nebraska.

H. J. Baldwin of Glenwood, Ia., was in the A. R. Garretson of Lead, S. D., was in the John A. Earhardt of Stanton was among H. W. Kincaid of Winona. Minn., is

PIERCE, Neb., July 29.-(Special Tele-gram.)-Reports from the country visited by the heavy hail storm and cloudburst last night continue to add to the ruin of crops. WASHINGTON, July 29 .- The president The path of the storm was through the northern part of the county and was from one to two miles in width. Corn, outs and has appointed M. M. Stephenson postmaster other grain were destroyed. BLOOMINGTON, Neb., July 29.—(Special.) -An inch of rain fell last night, which as-sures a full crop of corn. Old corn will be C. D. Ruther of Wahoo, Neb., is registered

shipped out as rapidly as possible. BEATRICE, July 29.—(Special.)—The rain fall in this vicinity last evening was 2.45 inches and was accompanied by sufficient

Many fields are yielding thirty-five to forty

bushels, with an average of about twenty-

WYMORE, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)-One

of the heaviest rains of the season fell here

last night. There was also a strong wind,

HOLDREGE, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)-

Phelps county has been visited twice the past week by good rains, and the corn is all

that alfalfa would not grow except on the

county know that it will.

five bushels.

it to the ground.

is a prospect of a little city starting up in the near future and the street car company should take more interest in getting a motor L. Young has a field in which nearly every line out here, as there will soon be great need of it. stalk carries three ears and its estimated yield is eighty bushels to the acre. The crop of small grain in this county was Companies B and D now have their billiard

tables up, and can while away the hours in the board grant him a hearing in the case. nothing very extra, the grain and the straw amusing themselves by punching the balls being of rather inferior quality. The corn acreage, however, is larger this year than around. The Post exchange issued the first of the

ever before and the anticipated crop will make this the banner county in the state. FAIRBURY, Neb., July 29.—(Special.)— Fort Crook canteen checks Monday evening and the boys are happy once more, although they cannot use the money outside the post. A heavy rain fell here last night, amount-ing to 1.93 inches. It was accompanied by It is the same as cash in the canteen, where they can get all the beer, cigars, cigarettes a hard wind storm, but no damage is re-ported except the blowing down of a small and tobacco they want. The police parties have cut down most of quantity of corn. The corn was beginning

the weeds and the post commences to look to suffer from lack of rain and this storm as neat as a new pin. has thoroughly soaked the ground and in-Company H is still at the head of the list sures a good crop. Wheat is being threshed with a better yield than was anticipated. as orderly buckers, as they rarely miss

catching orderly. Sergeant Otto Brietung of the band has been promoted principal musician, vice Mat-son, discharged. Private Herman Martin promoted sergeant, vice Brietung, made princi-pal musician. Martin is a very promising 'oung man, well worthy the honor done him which did much damage to corn by blowing by the promotion. He is one of the most popular young men in the regiment.

HOOVER'S CASE STILL PENDING.

Governor Holcomb Decides to Grant well cared out and will soon be in the roasting ear; in fact, some of it is at the present time large enough to roast. The acreage of a Further Hearing. LINCOLN, July 29 .- (Special Telegram.)corn in Phelps county this year is very large, and the corn, almost without excep-Governor Holcomb says he will not announce

his decision in the Claude Hoover case today. tion, is clean and well cared for. Threshing He has received telegrams from other has commenced, and the small grain is much above the average crop in quality and parties who desire a conference on the matter and he will give them a hearing. It is likely that the decision will be announced yield, some pieces of cats going as high as ninety-eight bushels to the acre. Winter tomorrow wheat is better than spring wheat, but spring

wheat in better than it has been here since Residence Struck by Lightning. 1891, and barley and rye are also a good PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.) crop. The farmers are sowing alfalfa and they find that it does well on the divide; in -Last night this section of the country was visited by a very heavy rain storm, and fact, it is the best crop for grass that can be raised. It was thought for a long time during its prevalence the house of John Fredericks in the precinct was struck by lightning and considerable damage done. river bottoms, but the farmers of Phelps Fredericks is an old bachelor and was sit-ting by a table with his feet resting upon There have been abundant rains here since March 1, and the ground is in the best of condition for the sowing of fall crops. the edge of the bed reading, while his dog was lying by his chair, under the table asleep. A blinding flash, with the electric fluid darting in every direction in the room, dazed the old man, but jumping up he discovered that his house had been struck and the building badly torn up, with splinters scattered ali around." The dog was still lying beneath the table, and Fredericks, trying to arouse it, found that it had been killed instantaneously at, his feet, while he was not even shocked. Alleged Murderers Plead Not Guilty.

NEBRASKA CITY, July 29.-(Special.)-Mrs. Anna Sopher and Ed Spencer, charges with the murder of John Ricker Sunday Inches and was accompanied by sumcient with the inurder of JOBB Ricker Summy he said he had fallen into a tight place with the international place into a tight place

of Mr. Harmensen, greatly to his inconvenience, and in violation of the contract flax mill plant to cost \$10,000 and which will consume the product of 1,500 acres. existing when the company acquired the Twenty-five years ago the Christ Lutheran church was founded in Norfolk. The quar-

right of way across his farm. He asks that Mr. Harmensen's property is the east half of section 25, township 14, north of range 12, in Sarpy county.

John T. Ritches complains against the Missouri Pacific Railroad company in general and one John Tye in particular. subject matter of the complaint being an elevator in the town of Wabash, Cass county. Mr. Ritches says that John Tye two elevators, located on the right of way of the Missouri Pacific Railway company and that but one of these elevators is in use. This one, Ritches says, is not sufficient to supply the demands of the pro-ducers of Wabash, and he has tried to rent the unused elevator of Tye, but the latter refuses to let him have it at any price, tually establishing a monopoly with the aid and consent of the railway company. Mr. Ritches circulated a petition to the company, which was numerously signed, asking that he be permitted to build an elevator, but no attention was hald to it. By the joint action of the railroad and Tye competition is prevented, and Mr. Ritches By the asks the Board of Transportation to take official cognizance of the case and grant him who was so seriously injured by falling from a fourth story window of a New York

tef. No time is yet set for the hearing hotel some weeks ago, has recovered from his injuries. relief. At a meeting of the State Board of 1117 gation held April 8, 1896, a resolution was passed authorizing the secretary of the passed authorizing the secretary of five per-ties from Omaha, Columbus, Lincolu, Sew-

purpose of investigating and suggesting for the improvement of the board such amendparticipate. atory irrigation legislation as might be township, Knox county, to enable the voters to say whether or not bonds to the amount of \$3,000 shall be donated to the Yankton emed advisable and to report the same

to the board that it may recommend it to the next legislature. Today Secretary W. R. Akers appointed as such commission R. B. Howell of Omaha, chairman; Joseph S. Hoagland of North Platte, A. L. King of Culbertson, F. M. Dorrington of Alliance and J. H. Edmisten of Eddyville.

Frank Ramsey, treasurer of a local tent of Knights of the Maccabees, who has lately left the state, is said to be a defaulter in the sum of \$96.35. The tent was recently suspended by the supreme council of the order for not having paid into the national treasury the sum of \$81.35. This was due for premiums of insurance policies issued to members in this city, and they were to members in this city, and they were obliged to pay the amounts themselves in to have the tent reinstated. order It appears that the warning message of suspension was sent to Ramsey and the members

and officers of the tent did not know that they had been suspended until after the notice had been received. When the attention of Ramsey was called to the matter he said he had fallen into a tight place

That all the eyes from the east which are turned toward Nebraska are not political is ovidenced by a recent transaction in realty located in the western part of the state. One of the largest bodies of land in the state in the possession of one person or company has been that owned by Coe, Carter & Co. of North Platte. A porunder irrigation ditches, but there is a still larger body which has not. For some time negotiations have been in progress for the sale of this land to Turple Brothers of Toledo, O. Through the manager of

has at last been consummated, the consideration being in the neighborhood of \$250,-

The land in question lies partly in the bottoms of the Platte and partly on the Dirdword, about thirty-five miles from North Platte It is in the east part of Keith county and the west part of Lincoln ecunty. A major portion of it lies in the bottom and can be irrigated without any serious difficulty. The soil is rich and with the water provided will produce crops that cannot be excelled for quantity or quality anywhere.

It is understood the purchasers propose. as soon as possible, to put the entire tract under ditch. This will mean an outlay of a large sum of money, but the purchasers are said to have unbounded faith in the financial success of the venture. On the portion of the tract which is now under ditch the crops are said to be so much superior to those on non-irrigated land, even n this year of promise, as to demonstrate the profit of irrigation even in the most favorable seasons.

During several years residence in the far west I had many opportunities for observ-ing the wonderful effects of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Its efficacy was demonstrated in the alkali re-gions, where the water produces violent purging. It allayed the attack when all other remedies failed. I repeatedly saw the greatest distress and diarrhoes cured in a few minutes. I used the remedy myself with the most satisfactory results, and can recommend it for the complaints for which it is indicated. H. Y. Gillingham, editor of the Republican, Phoenixville, Pa. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

New Insurance Company Organized. The Transmississippi Mutual Fire association was organized at Washington hall yesterday afternoon. A meeting of the apyesterday afternoon. A meeting of the ap-plicants for a charter was held and a con-stitution and by-laws adopted, after which a board of directors was elected. The com-pany has not fully complied with the laws of the state regarding the amount of premiums required, but the number of signers to the application is more than is required and it is expected that all re-quirements will be complied with before the expiration of the time in which a char-ter can be granted by the state authorities.

Don't triffe away time when you have cholera morbus or diarrhoea. Fight them in the beginning with De Witt's Colic and Cholera Cure. You don't have to wait for re-Broken Bow for his new ranch in Colorado, traveling via the prairie schooner route. He sults, they are instantaneous, and it leaves the bowels in a healthy condition.

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER.

Thursday Afternoon, it is Promised. Will Be Cooler in Nebraska. WASHINGTON, July 29.-The forecast

Broken Bow people shipped a car load of four to St. Louis to be distributed among the cyclone sufferers of the Mound City. The flour was contributed within two days for Thursday is: For Nebraska and Iowa-Fair; cooler of the memorial disaster, but was not Thursday afternoon; variable winds, beshipped until the other day, owing to the

coming northerly.

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becoming northwesterly. For Kansas-Fair, preceded by showers in the southern portion; probably cooler Thursday afternoon or night; variable winds, becoming northerly. For Colorado-Fair; cooler in the south-ern portion; variable winds. For Wyoming-Generally fair; variable winds.

For South Dakota-Fair; northerly winds,

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU,

OMAHA, July 22.-Omaha record of tem-perature and rainfall, compared with the corresponding day of the past four years:

Condition of temperature and precipita-

tion at Omaha for the day and since March

Reports from Stations at S P. M.

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Local Record.

H. J. Hansen was today appointed post master at Greenfield, Clay county, S. D. vice Sven Swenson, resigned.

REVOKES SENTENCE OF DISMISSAL

## Past Assistant Paymaster Webster De clared Technically Innocent.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- The secretary of terday. the navy had disapproved the sentence of dismissal imposed by the court-martial held at Mare Island, California, recently upon headquarters at Laramie, Wyo., is in the Past Assistant Paymaster Webster, lately at-

tached to the Yorktown on the China station. The officer was accused of having retained a bond exacted from his pay clerk. W. J. Tobin, after having dismissed the

clerk The secretary finds that there were grave informalities in the proceedings of the court which convicted the officer and moreover inclined to the belief, based principally upon the testimony of Chief En-gineer Harrie Webster, a brother officer on gineer Harrie Webster, a brother omter on the Yorktown, that the money, amounting to \$2,500, placed in the paymaster's hands Tobin's mother, was technically a loan and not for a bond.

For these reasons he reversed the finding of the court and restores Webster to duty but takes occasion to say that the trans action, in any sense in which it may be viewed, is disgraceful to Paymaster Webster and to the navy and in a spirit of violation of the statute prohibiting any officer taking oney for procuring an appointment. It was scandalous in any case, says the sec retary, that Webster should fail to pay back

after the termiation of Tobin's service the money received by him in consideration of his appointment as clerk, and should he any great length of time persist in this failure the department may be expected to proceed further in this matter.

## Chiengo's Harbor Completed.

THE KIMBALL PIANO\_

WASHINGTON, July 29.-Major W. L. Marshall in his annual report to the War department on river and harbor improve- good.

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registered at the Barker. Hon. John C. Watson of Nebraska City was an Omaha visitor vesterday. W. J. McCrea of Newcastle, Wyo., came

same province, have been officially notified

Gold Reserve Grows Larger.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- Today's state-

ment of the condition of the treasury shows:

Available cash balance, \$261,324,860; gold re-

While the export of gold seems to have

been completely checked, for the time being

at least, there are signs that the hoarding

is still going on. Today's withdrawals, for

instance, show that of the \$321,000 of gold

coin and only \$16,200 was in bars for use

in the arts. During the day \$60,000 in gold

coin was received at the treasury, making

Presidential Pardons.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- The president

ias pardoned John Gallagher, sentenced in

Minnesota to six months imprisonment for

assaulting an officer, and H. H. Malory, sentenced in Florida to five years for rob-

ery. He has commuted to two years im-risonment the three years sentence imposed

in Mississippi, upon W. H. Gibbs for em-bezzlement of postal funds. Applications for pardons have been refused in the cases

of Thomas L. Eads, sentenced in Indiana to three months for violation of the postal laws, and James Moore, sentenced in Indian

Presidential Appointments.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- The president

has made the following appointments: John

Sheridan of West Virginia to be a govern-

ment director of the Union Pacific Railway

ompany vice Fitzhugh Lee, resigned; Lewis

E. Whitcher of South Dakota, receiver of

public moneys at Mitchell, S. D., vice Welch, deceased; Benjamin C. Ash of South Dakota

agent for the Lower Brule Indians, to fill

agency in Oregon, vice Petit, resigned.

East St. Louis, III.

Barker guest.

at the Barker.

city yesterday.

city yesterday.

an original vacancy; Joseph Emory of California agent for Indians on the Klamatn

Postmaster at East St. Louis.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

George Chapman of Rockford, Ill., is

Territory to six months for larceny

the balance stand at \$106,200,704.

taken from the treasury \$305,400 was in

serve, \$106.801.144.

unconditional release from prison

down on the evening train yesterday. John A. Harmon of O'Neill was in the city for au few hours yesterday morning. K. C. Moorehouse has gone to Chicago, where he expects to remain several days. Brad Slaughter came up from Lincoln yes-

erday and was looking around between trains.

R. H. Townley of the State Banking board was in the city for a few hours yes-

James A. Gillis, eastern division superin-tendent of the Pacific Hotel company, with city. General Passenger Agent E. L. Lomax of

the Union Pacific returned last evening from Salt Lake, where he has been for several days. Nebraskans at the hotels: Frank Con

ior, Crete; Dr. G. H. Simmons, Lincoln; Frank Malloy, Ord; Robert Byers, Hold-rege; P. T. Burchard, Norfolk. Mrs. S. G. Joyce, accompanied by her

daughter Susie, left last evening for Grin-nell, Ia., where she will visit the family of Mrs. M. A. Lacey for a fortnight. Mrs. J. W. Gill of Plattsmouth was in

the city yesterday on a short visit with friends while on her return from an extended pleasure trip through the Black Hills region E. M. Barnes, grand master workman of

the Ancient Order of United Workmen, left last evening for Denver, where he will address the lodges of the order to which he belongs. C. F. Weller, with the Richardson Dru

company, and president of the Commercial club, has just returned from an outing at Spirit Lake, Ia. Mr. Weller leaves for Sait Lake on a business trip the latter part of the present week.

Frank Harris, formerly of this city, and a graduate of the local High school, came in from Chicago yesterday morning. He has been sick for some time and will go to the farm of his uncle, A. S. Potter, at Calhoun, in the hope that the rest there will do him

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serious damage. The precipitation was an inch and one-half and greatly benefits the

corn STERLING, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.) - A

bountiful rain fell here last night of 3.15 During the first of the rain the nches. electrical storm was very severe. Corn is

looking fine. PERU, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)-The severest electrical storm of the season raged for two hours here last night. The heavens were one continual glare and a heavy rain feil. So far as reported the only damage

done was to the farm house of Robert Ratler, which was struck by the lightning and damaged considerably. The inmates were

all stunned, but not fatally. HEBRON, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)-Nearly four inches of rain fell during last night, washing out numerous bridges and forcing the Little Blue river out of its banks. Some damage is reported to corn on side hills and low lands. Threshing has commenced in earnest and wheat keeps

up to former predictions of twenty to thirty bushels per acre, while oats and rye are not as good as was expected, but in the main farmers have no complaint to register, save the price, and that, too, has gone up a few notches.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July 29.—(Special.)— There will be many fields of oats in the western and central part of this county which will never be cut and some of them will be burned, as the straw is unfit for

use. The best oats are light and only weigh twelve to twenty pounds to the bushel. NEBRASKA CITY, July 29.-(Special.)-A heavy rain of several hours duration fell last night. The storm was accompanied by a very brilliant display of electricity. Sidewalks were washed away, cellars flooded and small creeks are bank full. The corn

crop is now practically assured. FAIRMONT, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)-This place was treated to one and a half

inches of rain last night with some heavy thunder, but no wind. The corn crop bids fair for the largest yield here in twenty years.

-Hall county was visited by a fine gentle rain of about half an inch last evening.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., July 29.-(Special.) Try it. Once used it takes the precedence of all others-Cook's Imperial Extra Dry Corn promises to be an enormous crop. Chan KEARNEY, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)- quet. Champagne. It has a most delicious bo-

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rain and electrical storm last evening. Corn is reported as having been blown over, but not seriously damaged and will straighten up. Much fruit was blown from the trees, windmills, sheds, trees, signs, awnings, etc. dallow the law to take its course. In the windmills of the prisoners last night. The excitement of the prisoners last night. The excitement and the prisoners last night. The excitement of the prisoners last night. The excitement and and the prisoners last night. The excitement and and the prisoners last night. The excitement abated, and they have apparently decidel to allow the law to take its course. In the windmills, sheds, trees, signs, awnings, etc. were blown down. The lightning struck in several places in the county, but did no caution to protect the lives of the suspects. caution to protect the lives of the suspects. well, Annis Field. Jewelry Thieves Quickly Caught.

CROWDS ENTERTAINED AT SALEM. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)-John Jones and James Sullivan stole Interstate Chautanqua Presenting a a dozen studs and pins from a traveling man Number of Attractive Features.

Snobbery.

feathers.

named Lowenshein, while he was displaying the same at a local clothing store vesterday afternoon. They were apprehended five min-utes later with the goods in their possession, and fined \$50 and \$20. Not being able to pay, they were jailed. Both are believed to be professional crooks.

Bound Over for Deadly Assault. FAIRMONT, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)-Sam Davis, the man who struck William Schroder on the head and fractured his skull last Saturday, was arrested yesterday on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill. His hearing was set for Thursday. He could not give

bond and was left in the custody of the sheriff. Shipment of Fine Nebraska Cattle.

FALLS CITY, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)-The largest shipment of cattle from this point for some time was started Tuesday to Chicago. The train consisted of twentythree cars and went in two sections. The cattle were weighed and averaged 1,300 pounds.

Prospecting for Oil at Kearney. KEARNEY, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)-For some time H. A. Barney, living in the east part of town, has been bothered with oil in his well, and he has now started to sink it still lower for the purpose of finding if there is oil there.

McCook Merchants in Trouble.

M'COOK, Neb., July 29.-(Special Tele-COLUMBUS, Neb., July 29 .- (Special.)gram.)-The general merchandise stock of The air has been full of grasshoppers today the McCook Mercantile company of this city was seized this afternoon under an attachment issued on the petition of Franc passing south and southeast. They were visible for several hours. J. Chandler.

Death Results from Poison

WYMORE, Neb., July 29.-(Special.)-At

POINTEDLY

Air Full of Grasshoppers.

funded the price of the seed grain.

of Nebraska in congress.

A Remarkable Cure of Dysentery. John Peterson of Patoutville, La., suffered with dysentery for eighteen years and tried

ter century was appropriately celebrated.

Two tramps cleaned the valuables out of Fred Wixer's house near Tekamah and were

captured with the stolen goods in their nos

A young man named Kroeger, living in

C. A. Robertson has issued the first num-

her of the Review at Herman. The initial

number shows a handsome, well edited news-paper, strictly republican in politics.

populist paper at Seward, is now canvassing for subscribers to a much body canvassing

which he proposes to establish in the sam

Miss Edith Pray, for some time owner and editor of the Geneva Gazetis, has been

by O. D. Wilson, a farmer from Madiso

succeeded in the management of that paper

Councilman L. P. Hanson of Fremont

A special election will be held in Eastern

& Norfolk Railroad company to construct

A Broken Bow hotel keeper deserted his wife last week and left for parts unknown, taking with him a good looking young woman who had been employed as a do-

mestic. The deserted wife will make no at-

R. P. McCutcheon of Grand Island pur-

chased a bottle of stuff guaranteed to wean

him from the use of tobacco. He kept the bottle in the barn. The other night he got

hold of the wrong bottle and swallowed a

big gulp of spavin cure. He still chews to-

Congressman Kem has started from

expects to remain at his new home in Color

Washington to represent the Sixth district

go to

ado until December, when he will

tempt to reclaim her recreant spouse.

its proposed line into Nebraska.

drowned while navigating a pond in a horse

WHE

the eastern part of Seward county,

trough which he had adopted as a beat.

Sunday with elaborate services

session after a two days' chase.

town.

county.

bacco

For Montana-Fair; variable winds. For Montana-Fair; variable winds. For Oklahoma and Indian Territory-Fair Thursday morning; increasing cloudi-ness, with possibly light showers with cooler Thursday; southerly winds, becomthree of the best doctors in New Orleans; also half a dozen or more patent medicines. SALEM, Neb., July 29 .- (Special Tele-Very little relief followed until he began gram.)-Much credit is due Manager Davis using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which effected a permaof the Interstate Chautauqua for the magnificent program he has presented from day uent cure.

to day. Yesterday an excellent entertain-**GUMP'S SCHEME DOES NOT WORK** ment was furnished a large and delighted

Plans to Get Out of Jail Are Likely audience. Colonel Copeland of Pennsylvania. who is new to the platform here, delighted to Fail.

The indications are that Morrell Gump, the people with his lecture on "Snobs and Snobbery" An amusing hour was the one the Bolln juror who said he was bribed, An amusing hour was the one spent by the clergy, in which they discussed "Protective Tariff from a Christian Standhas been trying to fool everybody about the jail where he is confined. In the point." At times the air was filled with opinion of a member of the board of phy-In the evening Mr. Roberson presicians, who made an examination of the sented his last illustrated lecture on India. Before the closing of the lecture a heavy rain storm broke upon the camp, bringing Gump is likely to inflict the community for the lecture to a close. Notwithstanding the | a long time with his presence. The paroxheavy rain of last night, the crowd holds ysms and hemorrhages with which he has its own. Dr. Parkhurst is pleasing the peo-ple with his delightful exposition of the been apparently suffering have been largely the result of violent efforts on the part of scripture and control of the ministerial con-ferences. The concerts by the Salem Ring-those around him. This member of the ferences. The concerts by the Salem Ring-gold band, given three times daily, are board says: "There is no question but that worthy of especial mention. The 11 o'clock the man has a very bad throat, but his hour was occupied by Mrs. Clara Hoffman lungs appear to be perfectly sound and he hour was occupied by Mrs. Clara Hoffman on the "Social Life of England and Amer-

has not, apparently, lost an ounce of fiesh since his incarceration. His hemorrhages ica. At 2 p. m. Colonel Copeland lectured on the "Future of America." It is amusing how opinions on the ' It are believed to be entirely from the throat the and to be very slight, the flow of blood

is amusing how opinions on the currency question creep into the lectures and addresses. The lecture of the evening by Hon. W. F. Collins of Lincoln on "Mind and Morals" called out a large audience. The day has been fine. Imaha. Omaha, clear North Platte, clear Sait Lake City, cloudy Cheyenne, clear Rapid City, part cloudy Huron, part cloudy Cherene clear him removed to one of the front rooms of the fall in the part set aside for bays, where he will be well cared for and have Huron, part cloudy Chicago, clear St. Louis, clear Davenport, part cloudy Kansas City, clear Helena, cloudy Havre, clear Hismarcic clear a pleasant room. He will be given medical attention and will be watched cherely, and the board expects to see a marked change in his condition. The members have no fear that he will die very soon, and one of them expressed the belief that formp was trying to get out to the county heapital. Bismarch, clear

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the inquest held yesterday evening over the where he would have an opportunity of body of Maud Eaders, the jury decided that skipping.



WHERE SHALL WE EAT\_

Balduff's-of course-that's the only first class place in town now-those who



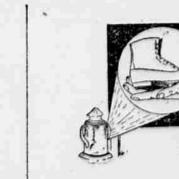
AND

OU MIGHT SEE MORE. If you consulted Dr. Seymour-our expert optician-of whom such men as Auditor Taylor of the B. & M.-Superintendent Hughes of the Elkhorn-Superintendent Korty of the Western Unionsay-He's all right-he does his work scientifically-ours is the only real opti-



THEY WILL WASH\_

The most beautiful line of string ties and pretty bows that will wash-two of them for a quarter-even the Persian effects-something new-in the case on the sidewalk-they're two for twentyfive-and our tan and black sox-they are also two pairs for 25c-a special

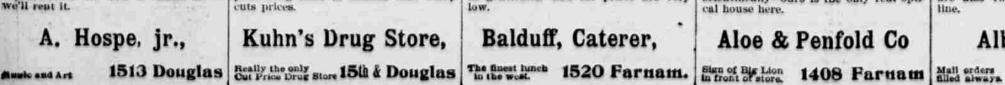


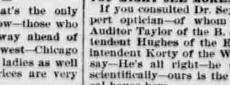
MISSES' SHOES DISCOUNTED.

Tan shoes-all the tan shoes and oxfords for misses' and children cut 20 per cent in price-and the prices were only \$1.50 to \$2.50 before the cut-all new-this season's best styles cut just 20 per cent-it's the last week to get a wheel for nothing.

Omaha Carpet Co., Drexel Shoe Co. 1322 Farnam Carpet House here. 1515 Dodge fond for our flue. 1419 Farnam

REAL GOOD SODA WATER\_ The best grade plano-the lowest in The finest that money and ex price-sold on the easiest of terms-the perience can make-all the flavors of sweetest of tone-with as perfect a finthe very purest-fresh crushed fruits eat there know it-it's away ahead of ish as the most elegant-the plano that every day-the only genuine Frozen Fos- the town-the best in the west-Chicago carried off the highest awards at the fates in Omaha at Kuhn's-the only cut has no better-a place for ladies as well World's fair-we sell it-trade it-or price drug store in Omaha that really as gentlemen-and the prices are very low. cuts prices.







CURTAIN EFFECTS HERE\_

The nice-new-beautiful-adorning kind-the low priced kind-the kind you have to pay more for-because they're real-Cluny and Saxony lace curtainsthat you'll not see this season-except here-every day brings in some newunthought of design for home decora-

Albert Cahn,

tine. cal house here. Aloe & Penfold Co