

CANNOT EXAMINE THE BOOKS

Court Passes on the Rights of Depositors in Suspended Banks.

ENTITLED TO SEE THEIR OWN ACCOUNT

General Inspection of the Books Would Disclose Matters Concerning Others Which Applicants Have No Right to Know.

Judge Powell yesterday afternoon refused the application of certain depositors in the Midland State bank for permission to examine the books and accounts of the bank and all matters connected with the institution.

The relation existing between a bank and its depositor is in a strict sense that of debtor and creditor, with this qualification, that the bank must so subject to the rules of law obtaining between principal and agent.

CITATION OF AUTHORITY.

"The depositor not being in any respect responsible for the conduct of the affairs of the bank, not being a stockholder therein, or not applying to examine in that character, he is not entitled to examine the books of the bank in any respect."

RESPONSIBLE TO THE COURT.

The receiver in this or any like case, is appointed to take charge of and represent all interests. His sworn duty compels him to do everything possible to realize on the bank's assets and to pay the claims of depositors as his and the court's most sacred trust.

Just as Represented.

"Our daughter took Hood's Sarsaparilla after having the measles and it relieved her eruptions on her skin. We have used Hood's Sarsaparilla ever since and it has proved to be a most purifier and tonic and always find it to be as represented."

Hood's Pills are easy to buy, easy to take, easy to effect.

Johnson Bros., hard coal, \$9. Furnace coke, \$7; soft coal, \$5.50 to \$7. Cherokee Boiler coal, get winter prices William C. Goss, Phone 1307.

While in Omaha stop at the Elfreed Hotel, Delaware, opened August 10th by W. W. Coates, cor. 14th and Capitol Ave.

Sixth Ward Republicans. Mr. Emmet G. Solomon asks his friends to vote for him at the primary, Friday, October 9, as he will positively be in the race for councilman from the Sixth ward.

POOR FARM CASES SET FOR TODAY.

Supreme Court to Again Take Up the Much-Tried Controversy.

Among the important cases set for hearing at the session of the supreme court today is that of Keller and Doane against the county of Douglas, commonly known as the "poor farm case."

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, highlighting its benefits for various ailments and its award at the World's Fair.

HAS A LONG JOURNEY AHEAD OF HIM

Ambitious German Cyclist Starts Out to Ride 10,000 Miles.

The King of all bicycle globe trotters who have struck the city in their journeys since that form of amusement became a fad rode into Omaha yesterday afternoon. His name is Albert Fleck and he hails from Hamburg, Germany.

ORDINANCE HELD INVALID

Small Coal Dealers Win Their Fight in the District Court.

Contend that the fee is excessive. Judge Baker decides the position is well taken. City Gives Notice of an Appeal to the Supreme Court.

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ANNUAL MEETING

Forest Lawn Cemetery Association.

The annual meeting of the above named association, for the election of officers and other business, as may come before it, as provided by the bylaws, will be held Tuesday, October 6, at 8 o'clock, p. m., at the office of the association, No. 229 South 17th St., Bee building.

It Takes Two Limited Trains

Every day to accommodate eastern travel via "Northwestern Line." The "Overland" at 4:15 p. m. into Chicago 7:45 next morning and the "Omaha-Chicago Special" 6:20 into Chicago 9:30 next morning.

Six Thirty P. M. Train.

CHICAGO MILWAUKEE ST. PAUL RY. Best service. Dining car. City office, 1504 Farnam.

SPECIAL RATES

Via the Missouri Pacific Railway.

Round trip tickets to Kansas City October 4 to 10.

Round trip and one way tickets to St. Louis on every Tuesday and Thursday until October 10.

St. Louis Fair tickets on sale October 4 to 10.

Home seekers excursions to points south and southwest October 6 and 20.

For further information, land pamphlets, etc., call at city office, northeast corner of 15th and Farnam streets, or depot, Fifteenth and Webster streets.

T. F. GODFREY, P. & T. A. J. O. PHILLIPPI, A. G. F. & P. A.

ODD BOARD LEFT OUT IN THE COLD.

Second Chapter in the Litigation Over the Everet Signal Company.

Another chapter in the controversy between the stockholders in the Everet Railway Switch Signal Company was enacted yesterday when Judge Powell allowed a writ of mandamus to compel the old officers of the company, President James H. Winpear and Secretary Louis Betterman, to turn over to the new board of directors, Laban J. Everet, Charles P. Reynolds and George W. Ryan, all the books and other corporate property in their possession.

The mandamus was issued on the application of the three directors last named, they making affidavit that they had been summoned to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the company to be held last Thursday afternoon at Betterman's drug store for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing corporate year. They alleged that when they attended at the hour named in the notice they found no one at the place of meeting, and the books and records locked up. Having a majority of the capital stock of the company, they alleged that they then and there held a meeting in accordance with the call and elected a new board of directors, leaving the old board out in the cold.

This is the same corporation against which a restraining order was issued about ten days ago, and which was dissolved by the court. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results.

"Nebraska's All Right"

The above is the farmer's verdict. Oats, corn, clover, alfalfa, sugar beets, chieftain and vegetables of all kinds. Never did land produce more abundant crops than those of this season. The farmer's feeling is believing and all homekeepers who have tired of paying rent or wish a chance to cheaper than not poorer land, in that where climate is all that could be asked should see Nebraska's soil and crops.

The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railway, Northwestern Line, covers the best portions of the state and is offering most favorable rates to enable home-seekers from other states to see Nebraska. Ask any railroad agent for a cheap round trip ticket on September 29, October 6 and October 20.

For further information and particulars as to rates, etc., write J. H. Gable, Traveling Passenger Agent, F. E. & M. V. R. R., Des Moines, Ia., or the undersigned.

J. H. BUCHANAN, General Passenger Agent, Room 55, U. S. Nat'l Bank Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

WAS IN A HURRY TO REACH HOME.

Fast Driving Gets a Florence Farmer Into Trouble.

John Kittell, a farmer from Florence, is in jail on a charge of fast and reckless driving. Yesterday afternoon he met a number of friends and they indulged in a few "high balls" to use Kittell's expression for drinks, and he then stepped into his buggy which is drawn by two powerful black horses and turned them loose in the direction of home.

At the corner of Sixteenth and Chicago streets Dr. Solomon and a woman were talking, seated in the doctor's vehicle. Kittell came down the street as if answering a fire call and the wheel of his buggy struck that of Solomon's and a general smash up was the result. The doctor's rig was overturned and he and his female companion were thrown to the pavement. Kittell's rig was damaged and he continued after the fleeing farmer. Kittell was not overtaken until the Elkhorn railroad tracks on North Third street, where he was stopped and a general difficulty was under arrest. The doctor will appear against Kittell this morning.

Disastrous Fire in Detroit.

DETROIT, Oct. 6.—The five-story building at the corner of Larned and Bechly streets formerly occupied by the Free Press, was destroyed by a fire which broke out at 10 o'clock and was completely gutted. It is occupied by a number of job printers and the loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. The loss will be heavy.

MEETING OF REAL ESTATE MEN.

Plans for Holding a Convention are Discussed.

There was a good attendance and a lively meeting when the members of the Omaha Real Estate exchange came together yesterday afternoon in the Commercial club rooms.

CONTEND THAT THE FEE IS EXCESSIVE

Judge Baker Decides the Position is Well Taken. City Gives Notice of an Appeal to the Supreme Court.

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Martin's attorney contended that the ordinance was unconstitutional for two reasons: first, that it would operate to drive the small dealers out of business and was class legislation for that reason; second, that it would raise more revenue than was required to enforce the provisions of the ordinance.

The attorney quoted from the ordinance to show that its title proved that it imposed upon the coal dealer a tax levied on the weight and measured by the ton, and that the ordinance was simply designed to provide for a regulation of the coal business and prevent the giving of short weight by dishonest dealers. In response to questions asked by the court the assistant city attorney admitted that the enforcement of the ordinance might drive the small dealer out of the coal business, but he argued that this might be a good thing, as the dealers who sell by the ton or bushel generally buy coal by the load in open market and give a profit by charging a higher price or giving short weight.

Testimony was introduced by both sides along the lines indicated in their statements of the case, and the attorney for the defendants completed his argument before the noon adjournment. The city closed the case in the afternoon and it was submitted to the court.

Judge Baker rendered his decision, holding that the license was excessive and ordering that Martin be discharged. The assistant city attorney gave notice that he would appeal the case to the supreme court, but the other four cases now pending in police court were dismissed.

BOTH THE SMITHS FOUND GUILTY.

Sentenced to Ninety Days in Jail for Abusing a Child.

I find Frank Smith guilty as charged, and sentence him to ninety days in the county jail. I also find Bessie Smith guilty as charged, and sentence her to ninety days in the county jail.

The decision was rendered by Judge Gordon in a case which were filed against the two persons for the unnatural treatment of their 6-year-old daughter, Louise. The decision was handed down in police court yesterday morning.

Both Frank, the father, and Bessie Smith, the stepmother of the little girl, were present and appeared unaffected by the sentences of the court.

In passing upon the case Judge Gordon stated that he had been guided entirely by the testimony of the neighbors and the presence of indignation, feminine neighbors of the Smiths, who had in the course of the trial given expression to their disgust at the treatment of the child and the Smiths' excuses by hisses.

Continuing Judge Gordon said: "I can see how parents of depraved nature and wicked character might be misled by the testimony in the case shown. It is beyond my comprehension, however, to understand how parents of such a high and high standing of the defendants, could be guilty of such abuse. I do not care to say anything more."

The decision of the police court must stand unless it is reversed by the district court. The defendant's attorneys are endeavoring to get the case set aside by a writ of habeas corpus.

CHARGED WITH NUMEROUS CRIMES.

Lundgren Will Be Held at the Station for a Time.

John Lundgren is the name of an individual at the police station who has a number of offenses charged against his name. He is wanted in the city for robbing the room of A. Wallace of some clothing and a gold watch. The taker was found on his person and the clothes were later recovered from a pawn shop. The prisoner also had a suit of clothing and a watch, supposed to have been stolen by him at Missouri Valley. Finally, the police are inclined to hold him on suspicion that he is one of the persons who over \$1,000 the latter part of September.

Lundgren is very noncommittal, but states that when "men are in want they may be driven to do things that are not right, anything." He will be prosecuted for the local robbery while his past record is being investigated.

Marriage Licenses.

Permits to wed have been issued to the following parties by the county judge: Name and Residence, Age.

George W. Stewart, South Omaha, 21; Mary Linn Turpin, South Omaha, 21; Arthur L. Morley, Omaha, 21; Mary Barak, Omaha, 21; Lorlan E. Longenecker, Omaha, 21; Anna C. Pfeiffer, Fort Wayne, Ind., 21; Bertie H. Resney, DeWitt, Neb., 21; Arvilla Craft, DeWitt, Neb., 21; Thomas L. Vaughan, Omaha, 21; Arthur L. Morley, Omaha, 21; John Kramer, Humboldt, Neb., 21; Anna Ninger, Omaha, 21; Joseph C. Pfeiffer, Fort Wayne, Ind., 21; Anna B. Helman, Omaha, 21; Albert L. Howard, Omaha, 21; Bertha K. Carter, Omaha, 21; Neil P. Hansen, Elk City, Neb., 21; Mary J. Pierce, Elk City, Neb., 21.

Trial of a Big Locomotive.

One of the largest locomotives ever operated in the west was given a trial run from Pueblo yesterday morning. It pulled a train of forty-five cars over a steep grade. It is estimated that the trip from Pueblo and return, 2 miles, can be made without replenishing the water or fuel supply. The locomotive meets the expectations of Henry Schlocks, superintendent of motive power of the Denver & Rio Grande road, by whom it was planned, the running time of the fast train between Denver and Pueblo will be reduced to a mile a minute.

Amxious to Hunt the Soldiers.

A merry fight is going on among transcontinental lines for the transportation of the government troops from New York City to San Francisco. The railroadmen are anxious to get the soldiers who are to go from San Francisco to New York City. The Union Pacific will take one company to Pueblo and the other to Fort Sal Lake City, where the loading will be begun today.

Meeting of Local Passenger Men.

The local passenger association met yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. It was a regular meeting and nothing of unusual interest occurred. The provisions of the Western Passenger association concerning the employment of special agents were rehearsed for the benefit of the local ticket men and when Secretary Munn asked if they understood them they all responded "Aye." The method of handling the expenses of the association was also discussed for a short while and then the ticket men adjourned to go to work.

RETRENCHMENT OF THE SANTA FE.

Road Closes Up Its Office in This City.

The policy of retrenchment in the operation of the Santa Fe system is being carried on as effectively as when it was inaugurated at the beginning of the year. Its effects were felt in Omaha in March last, when considerable reductions were made.

The axe has fallen again, and the Omaha office is to be abandoned entirely. For a long time past a building term of years passenger agent here, will remove his headquarters to Des Moines. There he will manage the general agent of the passenger department. The change is effective at once. Mr. Palmer's family will remain in this city, and he will be completely satisfied with the decision.

Mr. Palmer was given charge of the passenger business in Nebraska and South Dakota. Soon afterward the office at St. Louis was closed, and the territory of the office added to Mr. Palmer's field. Then the Atchison office was shut up, and its territory added, so that a part of Kansas was added to the other states which he had to look after. Now the head of the man who has looked after the Santa Fe's interests in Iowa for the past ten years has fallen, and the state is tacked on to Mr. Palmer's steadily increasing territory. His territory is about doubled by the change. General Freight Agent Wood of the well-known agency, Omaha railroaders, and they all express the greatest regret that he should be dismissed. He has not yet decided into what business he will embark.

NO FURTHER CUTTING OF RATES.

Prediction Made that the Bottom Has Been Reached.

Assistant General Freight Agent Wood of the Union Pacific has returned from the Chicago meeting of freight men, but Freight Traffic Manager Munroe is still there. None of the conferences that have yet been held have resulted in the adoption of any agreement. The roads that were held together by the Western Freight association, whose death has been duly noticed. Another meeting has been set for Wednesday morning.

Regarding the rate war that has been in progress for the past ten days, Mr. Wood predicted that the bottom has been reached. For the reason that rates were down to a point where it was almost impossible to cut them any lower. He thought coal rates would not continue to go down, as was expected by the dealers and consumers, and felt quite positive that the rate of \$1 a ton, which was in vogue last season, would not be reached this year. In the belief that the rates, and consequently the price of coal, would go no lower, he said he had already put in his stock of coal for the winter.

THE OCTOBER SALE

FURNITURE.

Out October sale will continue throughout the month.

The sale includes furniture of all grades and of every description.

The prices this year are the lowest ever quoted and all customers should take advantage of our special prices this month.

CHAS. SNIVERICK & CO.,

12TH AND DOUGLAS STREETS.

Can You Fill This?

We mean this pair: The big stores in the middle of the block and the corner stores. Possibilities are great, but we are adding to our stock of goods from the corner stores. Then you have the three big P. P. P's.

Albion's Plaster 12c  
Carter's Laver Pills 12c  
Paine's Hair Compound 12c  
Vino Kofka's 12c  
Scott's Emulsion 12c  
Bostwick's Bitters 12c  
Elixir Bitters 12c  
Harris' Sarsaparilla 12c  
Juffy Malt Whisky 12c  
Harris' Sarsaparilla 12c  
Gem Cutlery Powder 12c  
Pyrantel's Cure 12c  
Harris' Sarsaparilla 12c  
Camole Juniper 12c  
Syrup of Figs 12c  
Harris' Sarsaparilla 12c  
Williams' Pink Pills 12c  
Coca-Cola 12c

SCHAEFER CUT PRICE DRUG STORE.

16th and Chicago.

One Thousand for One.

(Trade Mark)

ACCIDENT TICKETS.

THE INTER-STATE

Casualty Company of New York.

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Beer Business for Sale.

Good Trade, Splendid Location. Price \$2,500.00. Write for particulars.

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A Tremendous Butter Sale

Good Country Butter, to 9c

Pansy Separator Creamery 15c

Our Fresh Watering goes at 15c

Strictly fresh Watering goes on hand.

Remember these prices will not last always. Put your supply in now from the great Transmississippi headquarters.

MADAWASKA

207 South 15th St. KARBACH BLOCK.

A GREAT COAT--

The Nebraska has been selling overcoats in Omaha for—let us see—even years, and in all that time it has never sold an overcoat, never seen an overcoat, that was as big value as the coat we will sell this season for \$9.50.

It is a remarkable coat. It is made from a fine high grade all wool Kersey, finely tailored, finely finished and the unusual part of it is the lining, which in one sense isn't any lining at all. It is self lined. It is double thickness. It is doubled material—just like having two coats made up as one. It is a sort of a continuous coat, if you can understand that any better—for the Kersey on the outside of the coat continues on the inside for sixteen inches on each side and is joined to a single strip of satin on the back, thus giving you a double material double comfort, and double value for the single price. We expect to sell these coats to people of taste. We expect to sell them to people who will differ on the money question, when it comes to politics, but who will have no trouble about the money question, when it comes to seeing their money's worth in this coat. Yes, this is a great coat. But it isn't our only great coat.

Nebraska Clothing Co

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are certain to have the best of the world's goods to choose from—are certain to enjoy the fair prices made possible by large buyings. We sell the Butterick patterns

Ladies' Garments--

Ladies' fine silk Waists, made of extra fine quality taffeta, well lined and bound, in black and colors, at \$4.50; worth \$8.00.

Ladies' Corsetry Waists, white linen collars and cuffs, the correct thing, at \$3.00 and \$4.00.

Fur Capes--

In electric seal and astrakhan, length 36 inches, full sweep, ripple cape, lined with fancy silk, at \$17.50; worth \$35.00.

Ladies' Fur Capes, lined with extra fine quality fur, satin, tulle, trimmed, full sweep, at \$5.50.

Jackets--

Ladies' new Empire Jackets, in imported kersey, lined throughout with silk, for \$9.00.

Ladies' Jackets, in beaver, boucle and other English hosiery, long sleeve, new back, high storm collar, at \$3.00.

Dress Goods Specials--

THREE BIG BARGAINS.</