FIGURES ON REAL ESTATE

Comparisons Which Illustrate Discrepancies in Notions of Value.

VALUATIONS PLACED BY THE ASSESSORS

Wide Margin Between the Selling Price and the Assessed Value of Property in Omnha and Douglas County.

Johnathan Edwards, who has had charge of the compilation of the city tax lists for a number of years, is keeping up a system of statistical records that throw a good deal of light on the irregularities of the present assessed valuation of Douglas county. Mr Edwards' figures are based on the value of the property as indicated by the bonafide transfers of real property as recorded in the office of the register of deeds. These have been tabulated in connection with the nascased values in each case. Mr. Edwards started on this task December 4, 1895, and has prepared a tabulation of the result for the seven months ended June 30, 1896. At the end of the year he will begin the tabulation of the record for the last six months. which is expected to agree very closely with the record for the months already compiled.

The record is made by carefully preserving the record of transfers for each day, as This record is kept serap book, and in his spare moments Mr. Edwards looks up the assessed value of each piece of property that is sold. This, together with the price for which it is sold. is entered on a sort of balance sheet. this sheet and in another column is also recorded the location of the property as to ward and precinct and the percentage of the real value, as indicated by the sale that the assessed value represents. These results are again computed on another sheet, on which the sales are grouped into wards and cincts. The successive tabulations on transfers have occupied Mr. Edwards' spare time up to the present date. He has just completed the final tabulation.

The irregularity of the assessments in the various wards is plainly indicated. The tabulation includes nearly 1,000 transfers of Douglas county real estate, and the wide variation of assessments may be imagined from the statement that the record shows that the assessed value varies from 1 to 6 per cent on the real value. There are half a dozen instances in which the property is assessed at only 2 per cent of the price that it brought on the market, and cases in which the assessment is only 3, 4 and 5 per cent are very numerous. In several cases the real estate in question is very valuable. One big block of propert the Sixth ward which was sold for \$48,00 is assessed at only \$960, or 2 per cent of its

The fine work of the assessor shows up most wonderfully in the Sixth ward and in West Omaha precinct. In these two localities the property that is assessed at 5 per cent or less of the selling price seems to be almost in the majority. A piece of property in West Omaha was sold for \$1,000 cash and It is rated by the assessor as worth \$10. Such cases as this may be selected by the score and the average assessment as shown by the tabulation of all the sales during this period in the two districts mentioned ts only 7 per cent of the selling price. As the sales of real estate that were made during this period were generally at a very low figure the selling price is generally rather below the actual value. The Seventh ward shows the highest

assessment of any part of the county. Here the valuations average 22.6 per cent of the amount that the property brought on the market. The remainder of the county is more equally balanced and the variation is less than 3 per cent. The following table less than 3 per cent. The following tale shows the cumplete tabulation of the cl and country as prepared by Mr. Edwards: No. Values as Values as Per Cent. ales, Sold Assessed. Assessed.

Sold 2 3 35,855 129,947 857,693 \$ 5,500 17,850 118,290 21,845 Seventh 163,450 South Omaha. 129 West Omaha. 46 281.685 197,671 .. 73 210,302 precincts 29,585 Blood Is Life.

It is the medium which carries to every nerve, muscle, organ and fibre its nourish ment and strength. If the blood is pure rich and healthy you will be well; if in pure, disease will soon overtake you. Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to keep you in health by making your blood rich and pure.

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HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

Vin Rock Island Route. January 5 and 19, to most all points south southeast, west and southwest at about one fare for the round trip. For full intall at Rock Island city ticket office, 1602 Farnam street, Omaha; Neb. In the United States Court.

The arguments in the foreclosure case Brown against Stephenson were being heard in the federal court yesterday.

Nora Hite of Hastings, a young woman of about 20 years has been brought in and arraigned on the charge of depositing unmallable matter in the United States mail

Special Holiday Rates. The Chleago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Ry., will sell excursion tickets Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, 1896, and January 1st. good for return until January 4th, for one and one-third fares for the

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VILLAGERS ARE UP IN ARMS. Do Not Take Kindly to the Turning

of Their Petition.
The people in and about Benson held an refusal of the county commissioners to permit the incorporation of their burg into a village The meeting was held in the town hall and was well attended, despite the disagreeable condition of the weather.

The meeting resulted in the passage of e Stenberg, Kierstead and Hoctor, the ones ed against the incorporation, were that the denial was in violation of the statutes and was without precedent and legal authority. In conclusion the resolution etated:

Whereas, The refusal to grant the prayer of the petitioners makes it necessary that some concerted or organized effort be made to compel all the saloons in our midst to operate according to law, therefore be it

operate according to law, therefore be it further Resolved. That we form an organization

According to the sentiments expressed a the meeting, the first object to be attained through the incorporation was to place the saloons under control. It was stated that in the past they have run on Sundays, to the great annoyance of the neighborhood, be-cause on that day the tough element of the city has visited them. This object was known to the saloon keepers and the latter therefore opposed the incorporation. The villagers, as they determined Tuesday night ropose to form a law keep the saloons within bounds, whether they succeed in securing the incorporation or not. It was stated that many of the residents had it seriously in mind to remove from the village entirely if the saloom were run dering the coming summer.

The villagers also proposed to raise some revenue by the incorporation. The saloons five in number, pay \$2,500 in licenses each year, which under the present condition goes into a county fund. The villagers have a good school, and have erected recently an \$8,000 school house, and they say that they deem it no more than justice that the licens money should go to the support of this school if they must endure the saloors. This revenue-raising object also arrayed non-resident property owners against the incorporation, as they feared additional taxation. Almost every one of the resident as they feared additional property owners, however, favored the scheme and signed the petition for incorpora-It is charged that the commissioners acted

illegally in refusing the petition, although the villagers see no remedy at law. They allege that their petition was an exact counterpart of the one upon which Dunder was incorporated. The commissioners held that it was illegal because some of the signers were outside the limits, but the villagers fail to understand how this car hold good when it is considered that the burg at present has no limits.

The residents of Clifton Hill are also up n arms, and it is over the proposed loca tion of a saloon at the junction of t nut Hill and Benson motor lines. dignation meeting was held last night at the Presbyterian church on Grant street for the purpose of taking action to protest loon at the point named. A formal protes was circulated several days ago, and the signatures af a large number of property owners in the neighborhood secured to the cument, which was afterward filed with the Fire and Police board as required by law. It is the intention of the callers of the meeting to have a strong committee ap pointed to appear before the board when the protest comes up for hearing at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and represent the sentiment of the residents of the reighborhood.

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BURDISH GOES TO THE ASYLUM Brought On by Excessive

Use of Liquor. Richard Burdish, better known in this city as "Dick" Burdish is now an occupant of a padded cell in St. Bernard Asylum for the Insane at Council Bluffs. He was taken there Tuesday afternoon to be treated for an attack of delirium tremens, brought on by excessive use of liquor. This action was taken on the advice of physicians.

The attack from which Burdish is suffer

ing developed alarming symptoms a few

days ago.

After abstaining from the use

of liquor for some time he indulged heavily on Christmas day. On the evening of that day he returned to his home and assailed He also made threats against his The police were finally called in and Burdish was arrested. He was in suc condition that he could not be tried for drunkenness and he was consequently re moved from the city jail to the county jail. He was examined by a physician, who advised that Burdish be placed in confinement. There being no place in this city where he could be properly cared for, he was taken to the asyium at Council Bluffs. present he is violent, but physicians have given it as their opinion that with medical care and with forced abstinence from liquor he will recover. Dr. Peabody, however, stated yesterday morning that there was some danger that he might lose his mind.
Dick Burdish is well known in this city. He came here some fifteen years ago and was first employed in the Union Pacific shops. About ten years ago he was appointed on the police force and served for some time. After he left the employment of the city he opened a saloon at Tenth and Davenport streets. He has remained in this business up to the present time, although his place is being run nominally by an-

During the greater part of his life in this city Burdish has been a resident of the Third ward and has figured somewhat in its politics. He served a term in the council in 1891 and 1892. He has run for the same office since. His name appeared on the ballots at the last democratic primaries for seat in the councilmanic body, but he

having refused to issue a license in his

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ELEVENTH STREET PAVING CASE. Judge Powell Holds that the Tax is

Valid. Judge Powell has entered a decree involving the tax levied for the paving of Eleventh street from Nicholas to Clark. The case was entitled Harriet N. Breasted against the city and was brought to set aside the tax levied for the pavement on the ground that t had been illegally levied. It was alleged that the paving contractor graded the street to the established grade under his paving ontract and that no contract had ever been to fix the damages resulting from the grad-ing. The plaintiff alleged to be the owner of two lots, on which a tax of about \$1.700 was levied, and the court was asked to de-clare this lax invalid.

The decree entered by the court finds that the tax is valid, but finds that the plaintiff is entitled to a reduction of about 42 per cent on the unpaid installments of the paving tax.

Burlington Route-Hollday Rates December 24, 25 and 31 and January 1between stations not more than 200 mile apart return limit, January 4. Call at ticket office, 1502 Farnam street.

> Six-Phirty P. M. Train. of the CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RY. ELECTRIC LIGHTS. Dining car. City office: 1504 Farnam.

CONTINENTAL OVERCOAT SALE

indignation meeting Tuesday night over the The Continental Closed Up Friday After noon to Prepare for the Sale.

GREATEST OVERCOAT SALE ON EARTH

set of resolutions, in which Commissioners Von Wanted an Overcoat for \$5-About \$10 Perhaps About \$15 Maybe Well, Here You Arc Sale Begins Saturday, January 2.

> If you don't buy an overcoat Saturday you ought to be ashamed of yourself. What's five dollars-Or ten dollars-

> > such overcoats as we will sell yo

even fifteen dollars?-

Saturday! It is to be a thorough clean-up of all the overcoats and ulsters in the house and the man-no matter if he lives 200 miles away-who falls to attend the Continental's overcoat sale Saturday will lose more than he can make in a week, for it will turn the overcoating business of this western country all upside down. It will do more than that —it will put a new overcoat on some men who never hoped to have a new one this year. Those who have waitel till now will not be disappointed, for overcoats that, early in the season, sold at a price, will go for a very little sum-not half or near it. overcoat sale, and have marked every over-coat and ulster in the house to go at

\$5.00-\$10.00 and \$15.00. regardless of value or style, and let us give you a little pointer, which you'll recognize as true; winter has but just begun. I'll be a long time before you can run around in your shirtsleeves, for there's a whole lot of colu weather between this and

This is also true—we will give you more for your money than you ever got at the Continental or anywhere else on top of the earth, for the identical overcoats and ulsters that we sold for twice and more money before Christmas are in these three lots Sat

Mail orders cannot be filled satisfactorily on these overcoats-but it will pay to comhundreds of miles to get one of these bar gains for the smallest amount of camoney ever known to the clothing world. Such radical cuts-placing the entire stock t your disposal at \$5, \$10 and \$15 for

choice of any overcoat or ulster in necessarily means cash selling. ould not be otherwise. Remember our recent sale of tailored to order goods—how thoroughly in earnest we were. This is another just like it-only it's

overcoats this time. Sale opens promptly at 8 o'clock Saturday morning and every overcoat and ulste-in the house is included in the sale at THE CONTINENTAL.

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South Omaha News.

The young women of the Ideal club will have charge of the dancing party to be given tonight at Masonic hall until midnight, a which time the male members will take charge. It is the custom of the club to have one party a year in which the young women act as managers in the first part of the even ing and the gentlemen the latter part. Refreshments will be served before the womer relinquish control of affairs and a pleasan time is promised the young men. The offi-cers and committees are as follows: Docia Carpenter, president; Jennie Graham, vice president; Ethel Honey, secretary and treasurer; reception committee, Cora Persons, Florence Smith, Tessie O'Toole, E. Blanche Williams, Katherine Allen, Mrs. J. G. Mar-tin, Mrs. J. B. Watkins; arrangements, Augdsta Clark, Franc Jacobs, Delia Devine Margaret O'Toole, Mrs. Bruce McCulloch

Mrs. J. S. Walters, Bessie Myers; music, Min-nie Kirby, Coe Hunt, Stella Campbell; floor Etta Thompson, Alma Calkins, Mayme Greist The arrangements of the male members part of the program is in the hands of the following committees; Floor, H. M. Christie, James Murphy, Roy Honey; reception, A. C. Dennett, W. S. Witten, J. B. Watkins, J. E. rangements, Ralph Hall, Herbert Broadwell F. W. Slabaugh, S. B. Christie, H. P. Con-

Trying to Locate a Stolen Watch. Gus Butzer was given a hearing in polic court yesterday afternoon on the charge of concealing stolen property. Chief Brennat. went to Omaha and brought down Nellie Braniff, who was expected to give some testimony toward proving that Butzer was concealing the watch stolen from A. Kritten brink by Matt Garner some time ago. The woman called at police headquarters last Sunday and made a statement to the effect that Butzer had stopped at her house the night before and had displayed the watch. She was very anxious to know if any reward had been offered for the return of the timeplece, and when told that there had not been she appeared disappointed. When placed on the stand the woman had forgotten all about her talk on Sunday and did not know anything about the watch. Butzer was taken back to his cell to await further de velopments and Garner will be brough down from the county jail to see if his tes will not unravel the mystery rounding the whereabouts of the watch.

Cattle Feeding in Colorado. F. R. Baker, mayor of Fort Collins, Colo., and vice president of the First National bank of that city, was a visitor at the yards yesterday, the guest of L. C. Redington. Larimer county, of which Fort Collins is the county seat, feeds more lambs yearly probably, than any other county in the west the number this year being estimated by Mr. Baker at 200,000 head. Alfalfa is fed in large quantities and some barley and oats are also fed, but the main feed is corn, which is shipped in from Nebraska. At the present time Nebraeka corn laid down at Fort Collins costs about 26 cents a bushel So far this year the season has been very favorable for feeding operations. Quite a large number of cattle are also being fed in Larimer county this fall. Mayor Baker said that cattle and sheepmen out his way had been favorably impressed with this mar ket and that large shipments of both sheep and cattle would be sent here next year.

Hospital in Financial Straits. The hospital association is in need of funds and unless citizens subscribe liberally the institution will have to be closed. The running expenses of the hospital amount to past has been contributed by those inter-ested in seeing a hospital maintained in this city. Donations have of late fallen off and now there is a small debt which must be provided for, besides a sufficient amount to keep the doors open must be pledged. Taxpayers Settling.

City Treasurer Broadwell and his deputy, Andy Gallagher, have been kept very busy the last few days receiving taxes. Many property owners are paying their taxes on real and personal property before January when the tax becomes delinquent. Interes at the rate of 1 per cent per month commences on all taxes not paid by January 1

Magie City Gossip. George Dare has returned from Carroll

J. M. Calder, a prominent stockman of John N. Thornton of Des Moines uest of C. A. Melcher.

John Enner of Weisert, Idaho, is here at Aimee Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston, is quite sick.

C. W. Buck, a Hepburn, fa., business man cas in the city yesterday. Ed Sheldon, special agent of the Depart ent of Agriculture, is in the city John Culkin of Carthage. Ill., is th

William Thicseen of Jansen brought thre cars of sheep to this market yesterday, J. B. Smiley has returned from southern Nebraska, where he went on a quall hunt. The reception to have been held Nev association has been abandoned on account

A warrant is out for the arrest of Jack Ester, who is wanted for assaulting Fred Ester, wh Lightfoot.

The King's Daughters will meet th's afternoon with Mrs. R. A. Carpenter, Twenty-Rev. John R. Jones, late of Auburn semi

nary, New York, preached at the revival at Dr. Wheeler's church last night. The attendance at the special services at the First Presbyterian church continued

good and considerable interest is mani-Frank Colley, traffic manager for Swift ar

Company, has gone to Washington, D. C. where he is to undergo treatment for an e

terday afternoon for Alex Sheeley, who is wanted here for burglarizing Jesse Redick's barber shop. "The New Road" is the topic at the Endeavor sunrise prayer meeting at the Presbyterian church New Year's morning. Harvey Presser will conduct the services.

TENDER OF AN EXPOSITION SITE

County Commissioners Propose

Offer the Poor Farm Grounds. "Resolved, That so much of the county poor farm and Douglas addition as is now owned by Douglas county, and for which no deeds or outstanding contracts for sale We are desperately in earnest about this exist, except that portion of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 29 township 15, range 13, as lies west of the Belt Line railway tracks, and forming the county paper. hospital grounds, be and is hereby tendered to the directors of the Transmississippi Ex position association for the purpose of hold ing said exposition, the lots and real estate covered by this offer to be free of rent, and the said board of directors of said exposi-tion to have the absolute and exclusive control of the same until after the holdin of said exposition, it being understood, however, that so far as it is practical to do so any extension of pipe lines shall be within existing streets and changes and improve ments shall be made, so far as practicabl with reference to the existing and estab lished grades of streets.

The foregoing resolution was introduced by Commissioner Kierstead at the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners yesterday morning. Mr. Kierstead asked that the resolution be adopted at once, but Chairman Jenkins objected to its consideration, and it was laid over until the next meeting which will be held Saturday morning of this week.

The report of the committee of the whole refusing to grant the petition of the in-corporation of the village of Benson was idopted without discussion, the only vote against it being that of Williams. Two protests were filed against granting

license to Fred Koch of Douglas precinct. They were set for hearing Satur-A. H. Burnett and W. O. Gilbert, at-

torneys for C. H. Ellictt, convicted of murder, rendered a bill for \$350 for their It was referred. Sheriff McDonald presented a bill of \$40 for sheriff's fees for the execution of Claude

Hoover. Referred to judiciary. A delegation representing the Nebraska Children's Home society appeared before the beard and asked the county to co-operate with the society in taking care of home-less children. The work of the society was explained briefly by Rev. Quivey, the state superintendent of the society; by G. S. Benawa, treasurer, and by L. D. Holmes, the vice president of the state organization They explained that the society takes home of the state organization. less children and secures homes for them in other parts of the state where they will no become county charges. A proposition was submitted, asking the board to pay the society an amount to be agreed on for each found a good home by the society. Mr. Benawa stated that during the three years the society has been in existence it has taken care of 227 children and found all of them good homes. He said the society could take children which would otherwise become charges upon the county, and would agree to find homes for all of them at a much smaller charge to the county than would follow any attempt to maintain them as

county charges. The matter was referred to the charity

NO PUBLIC FUNDS ON DEPOSIT.

Omaha Savings Bank Never at Any Time Had Any. Concerning the public money now on deposit in the Omaha banks, General Manderson, who for many years has been the president of the Omaha Savings bank, when interviewed yesterday, said:

"No, sir. The Omaha Savings bank has not now and never has had a dollar of pub He money on deposit. When the bank was started about fifteen years ago its managers determined that no city, county or state funds should be received on deposit from any treasurer, because it could not be con-sidered a legitimate savings account and our determination was to do a strict convervative savings business. Such an would be legitimate for a commercial bank out not for a savings institution." "Is the Omaha Savings bank still requir-

ng the sixty days' notice?" 'No! We required such notice but twice in our fifteen years of business. The first time was in 1893, when there was great financial excitement and under the ions of improvement during the early fall of that year we no longer required the no-tice of sixty days, which we are privileged to require under the law. In September of this year, in view of the excited condition of the public mind because of the approach election and the disposition to take out and hide away money, we again required the notice, but abandoned it when the election was over and since election day have paid money to all our depositors upon de-mand without reference to notice. By the way, I think Omaha is to be congratulated upon its banks. The statements lately pub lished are admirable and show clearly their sound condition. The weak banks have been weeded out and the splendid institutions that are left are standing by Omaha and are a strong support to every interest here and

Evidence Not Forthcoming. The cases against William Bouquette and Jack Priest, the back drivers arrested for violating the ordinance which forbids hackmen from going ten feet from their vehicles when about depots, were dismissed in police court yesterday morning for lack of evidence.

It was intended to test the ordinance by means of the case.

Marriage Licenses. ollowing parties by the county judge: Name and Residence.
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Helen McLain, Omaha.
Edward Muenster, Omaha.
Anna Hampel, Omaha Thomas H. Lewis, Omaha..... Mrs. Mattie T. Thomas, Omaha

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arrived so far in Omaha, the rest is expected tomorrow. The date of the beginning of this sale will be announced in tomorrow evenings

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A Perplexing Problem.

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J. A. KUHN, General Agent.

G. F. WEST, C. P. T. A. A Perplexing Problem.

SWOBE QUITS THE MERCER HOTEL Wink Taylor from Georgia Takes the

Thomas Swobe, manager of the Mercer hotel, this city, has severed his connection with that house. He will be succeeded by Wink Taylor of Georgia, who has already arrived here to assume the management of the hotel. The new manager is an experienced hotel man and comes from the For several years past Mr. Taylor has had charge of the Armstrong house at Rooney, Ga., and before that conducted management of the Atlantic botel at Moor-

head City, N. C. Mr. Swobe has been at the head of the Mercer for a year past and has given great satisfaction in that position. For a number of years he was proprietor of the Millard hotel. He has not yet decided what business be will take up, but it is understood that will enter some calling other than hotel manager.

The king of pills is Beecham's-Beecham's ROOMS FOR EXPOSITION OFFICES.

cutive Committee of Association Readvertises for Bids. The members of the executive committee of the Transmississippi Exposition, to whom were referred the bids for rooms for headquarters for the association, have decided to readvertise for bids, to be opened at the meeting to be held Saturday of this week. Bids will be received until noon of

Lieutenant Edgar F. Koehler, quartermaster of the Eleventh Infantry, stationed at Little Rock, Ark., has written to Secretary Wakefield, suggesting that a local com-mittee of residents of Little Rock be appointed to act with a committee to be sen from Omaha to secure an appropriation from the legislature of that state for an exhibit

at the exposition DISTRICT COURT JUDGES MEET. Will Fix Dates for Holding Court and

Assign Dockets. The judges of the district court will mee Friday afternoon, as required by law, to fix the terms of court, also to make the assignments of dockets for the year. There has been considerable talk about a change in the assignments of the dockets, but all the judges deny that there is any concerted movement in this direction. So far as can be learned there does not seem to be any probability that the assignments will be

The present term will be extended until some time in January. Judge Keysor has a number of cases set for hearing after the first of the year, and an adjournment will not be taken for that reason. All of the jury courts are at a standstill, so far as trying cases are concerned, for the reason that there is no jury panel on duty.

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ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Candidates Before the Builders' and Traders' Exchange. The Builders' and Traders' exchange will hold its arrual election of officers in the exchange rooms in the New York Life building between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. next Monday. There will be elected one president, one vice president, one treas-urer and six directors. The candidates are President—John H. Harte, J. F. Smith.
Vice President—A. J. Vierling, A. Bloom.
Treasurer—W. C. Bullard, C. W. Hull.
Directors—G. C. Bassett, H. F. Cady, H.
V. Barnum, W. E. Carter, J. M. Dow, J. A.
Fuller, Charles Morton, J. E. Merriam,
Inches Cities, John Row, W. P. Britann,
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Spencer Oitis, John Rowe, W. B. Ruther ford, R. C. Strehlow. Bucklen's Arnien Salve. The best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed

Engel Goes to the Hospital. Ernest Engel, the young farmer from Peru, Ill., who seriously cut himself Tues day night at the European hotel by try day right at the European hotel by tryling to jump through a transom during
terror engendered by a nightmare, was
yesterday afternoon removed to the Methodist hospital, it was discovered that a
number of the large arteries of the wrist
had been severed and that he would require surgical attention for some time to
come. His condition, however, is not considered serious.

BEECHAM'S For Billou: and Nervous disorders such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Sick headache

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