to go to the hotel for breakfast, their meals being brought to them, and they were kept in the jury room, removed from any outside ation and under strict watch by two

Vesteriay afternoon, after holding a con-ference, the attorneys for Bariley decided to express the opinion that the rulings of the file a motion for a new trial, alleging errors. This will be filed in due time and if the new trial is dented by Judge Baker an appeal will be taken to the supreme court. It is quite apparent that the attorneys have little hope out the trial. of their motion being granted, for they have already instructed the court reporter to sup-ply them with a certified copy of the record, which means that they expect to go to the

county jail yesterday noon, maintained a 518 North Fortieth avenue, yesterday afterstudied composure. He was confined in one
of the larger cells in the front portion of the
jail and was frequently visited during the
afternoon by his friends from Lincoln and
his attorney in this city. In a conversation Bartley, from the time he was taken to the his attorney in this city. In a conversation with the jailer he stated that he expected to secure bands and would regain his liberty Upon retiring about midnight appeared restless and slept little during the

HISTORY OF THE BARTLEY CASE. Causes Leading Up to Ex-State Treas-

urer's Arrest and Conviction. The crime with which Joseph S. Bartley was charged and on which he was tried was the embezzlement of \$180,101.75, being the proceeds from the sale of a warrant drawn in accordance with the provisions of a law passed by the legislature of 1895. This legislature passed an act providing, among numerous other things, that the sinking fund of the state should be reimbursed for the money of that fund which had been tied up by the failure of the Capital National bank of Lincoln, which amount the legislature found to be \$180,101.75. April 10, 1895, a warrant was drawn on the general fund for this amount, the warrant being in the regular form, but instead of being made payable to Bartley as state treasurer, it was made payable to him individually. Bartley came to Omaha with this warrant and negotiated its sale through the Omaha National bank, the New York correspondent of this bank land, but was a most faithful and devout worshipper in the Presbyterian church. Durant its face. The notice ceived by the Omaha National bank April 26 and in the meantime Assistant Cashier Balch the Omaha National had asked Bartley hat he should do with the prowhat he should do with the pro-deeds when received. Balch testified on the trial that Bartley told him to "open account and pass it up to my credit" the books of the bank showed that Baich did exactly as Bartley had told him, the full amount of the warrant appearing on the books of the bank on April 26 to Bartley's personal credit. These same books of the Omaha National bank showed that Bartley was in the habit of carrying an enormous balance to his personal credit at all times, this balance sometimes running as high as \$250,000. It was also shown by these books that the personal account of Bartley had been closed temporarily a short time before this warrant was sold and the full amount of the warrant was checked out of the bank within a few months after the credit was last evening. transferred to the First National bank of produce checks which it alleged accounted for \$50,000 of it, these being checks distributing that amount among six banks in different parts of the state which were state depositories. The records of the treasurer's office, however, did not show any entry this amount, which, according to the claim all the western cities. of the defense, was transferred from Bartley's personal account.

WARRANT CONVERTED INTO CASH. this warrant and it was sent to the Omaha for the payment of the warrant and accrued interest, amounting to \$201,884.05. The tress. attention. before the latter's term of office ex- ing, a slave to destiny than its master,

The records in the treasurer's office do by giving its logical deductions in the influenct show any record of this warrant for ences thrown around a human being in its H. Dearing of Platsmouth were at the state \$180,101.75 with the exception of the war-rant register, which shows that the war-its birth. The evolution of physical forms. rant was registered for payment on account mind development, and the theory of the ing appointments of members of the visiting it, but this register does not show the name | one existence to enother in its effort toward the payee of the warrant or of the holder, perfection was dwelt upon although this data is entered regarding every ! other warrant passing through the office

\$164,000 of this money was used by Bartley fluence of our actious during an earthly exto pay for bonds of Saunders and Otoe coun-listence upon the lives of others. The disreand Funds ordered him to purchase with with disaster to the strugg money in the permanent school fund. The fought for supremacy in life. defense alleged that Bartley paid for these bonds out of his personal account, thereby returning to the state this amount from the amount realized on the warrant. The books of the treasurer's office, however, showed RECEIVED BY THE WOMAN'S CLUB. permanent school fund reduced by the amount required to pay for bonds, and the natural inference was that if Bartley had used his own money, as he claimed, he had taken an equal amount

not accounted for it. HARD FOUGHT BATTLE.

The trial of the defaulting ex-treasurer was one of the most hotly contested legal battles ever fought in Douglas county, if not in the state. Bartley's attorneys, T. J. Mahoney of Omaha and C. O. Whedon of scope of the Theosophical society, which s Lincoln, are admitted on all hands to be said demanded assent to but one article never seen a case where every step was so warmly contested as in the Bartley trial. week, when the same amount of testimony, an ordinary trial would not have oc too much to say that there were not a dozen questions asked by the prosecution during the whole trial which were not objected to by the defense and argued at length. The result was that there was a long delay between questions, and the technical points raised necessitated calling and recalling of witnesses in order to over-come technical points, and this confused the testimony to such an extent that it was almost an utter impossibility for a layman follow it in any connected manner. The multitude of book accounts introduced by The porting to show what had been done with Mr. Ashton is the county attorney nto an inextricable mass of figures.

The interests of the state were in the tice. The happy couple left on the noon hands of Attorney General C. J. Smyth and for Chicago and the lakes, and will County Atterney H. H. Baldrige, who did the active work in the case, with Assistant Attorney General E. P. Smith and Assistant County Attorney H. L. Day acting in an advisory capacity. The objections raised by HASTINGS, Neb., June 22.—(Special.) the defence came with such rapidity and involved such important technical points of criminal procedure that the counsel for the state were kept on the alert keeping their lestimony in line and overcoming the objections raised by the other side. ighly was this done that it almost passes the comprehension of some of the members of the bar who have watched the case how defence is going to find grounds to a motion for a new trial, every technical point having been argued and adjudicated progressed until there nothing left to which an exception may

The Medal Medicine Is the Model Medicine.

The only medal awarded to sarsaparilla at the World's Pair, 1893, at Chicago, was awarded to

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

be taken except the instructions of the The warmest praise is heard about the ation and under strict watch by two court house and on the streets for the able the criminal court, Earl Bone and manher in which Judge Baker has handled this case.

Veterans at the bar who have court have been eminently fair and im partial and the facility with which the contention was grasped by the court and disposed of was commented on through

DEATH OF RETIRED ARMY OFFICER Captain Sarson Passes Away After

Long Illness. Captain Horace B. Sarson died at his home and had been a great sufferer.

Captain Sarson was born in Birmingham, England, in 1836. In 1864 he enlisted as a private in company H. Sixteenth infantry, and was almost at once made sergeant major and in 1866 was second Heutenant. In 1869 he was transferred to the Second infantry, with which he was for the most part identified until his retirement about one year ago. In 1876 he became a first lieutenant and about ven years ago was promoted to the rank of captain. Eleven years ago his regiment came

son has been a resident of this city. Captain Sarson saw much active service. From 1868 to 1877 he served in the Department of the South at Savannah, Huntsville and Chattanooga. In 1877 he was transferred to Washington, Oregon and Idaho, and fought in the Nez Perces campaign, being in command of company F, of which company he was also in command from 1880 to 1885. For some years from 1877 he was stationed at Fort Stevens and Fort Harney in Oregon, during which time he saw a great deal of In 1886, after ferred to Fort Omaha, he took the field in command of troop L. Second cavalry, and again in 1888 was on the field from August to

class teacher in this church. same time he carried on a similar work

among the soldiers at the fort. Less than one year ago he acquired a beautiful home in which he hoped to reside for many years, after the uncertain life of a soldier, in the bosom of his family. His one purpose was to spend the remainder of his life in doing what good he could in the city in which he made his home. The funeral will take place at his late residence and the interment will be at Prospect Hill.

MRS. BESANT TALKS THEOSOPHY Explains the Principles of the Nev

Religion. Mrs. Annie Besant, theosophist, writer and lecturer, delivered a lecture on "Man, the Master of His Destiny" at Creighton theater

Mrs. Besant is returning eastward from a tour around the world in the interest of the Lincoln, which was not a state depository at that time. From here it was impossible to trace the money, the defense only being panied on her journey by Counters Wachtmeister and Miss Anna Wilson, both prominent leaders in the field of modern theoso-The tour began in this country in New phy. York City, and the lecturer has delivered addresses before all the prominent branches of the society of which she is a member in

In a conversation last evening Mrs. Besant spoke enthusiastically of the strides which theosophy had taken in America and was in-Just before Bartley went out of office, his clined to think that the societies with the term expiring January 6, 1897, he called in larger membership were encountered in the western portion of the new world. She is a National bank for collection. Bartley was in the Omaha National bank when he drew a check upon the general fund of the state night she held her auditors from the opening

urer's books showed this entry, Bartley's deputy testifying on the witness stand that forces met in life which mold the character he made the entries at Bartley's dictation of a person. "Man is, more strictly speak-The address dealt principally with the the speaker, and she defined this assertion of there being no money with which to cash | re-incarnation of the soul as it passed from

The three funamental laws conducing to ther warrant passing through the office.

A part of the line of defense was that be the power of thought, desire, and the inwhich the Board of Educational Lands gard of any of these principles was fraught with disaster to the struggling soul as I

The lecture concluded with a summary of the theories as advanced by modern theosophlats.

Mrs. Besant Explains Theosophy the Members.

A charming reception was given yesterday afternoon by the Department of Philosophy out of the school fund of the state and had of the Woman's club to Mrs. Annie Besant. Mrs. Andrews, the leader of the department, presented the women individually to the distinguished guest, after which she introduced her from the platform.

Mrs. Besant's address was devoted to the

scope of the Theosophical society, which she e most able criminal lawyers in faith, viz.: the brotherhood of man. It can Old practitioners at the bar were have no creed, for creeds are of the intellect unanimous in the opinion that they had and devisive, while spiritual life is of the never seen a case where every step was so soul, whose characteristic function is to unify. The Theosophical society comes not to No pretext for delay known to the intri-cacles of criminal law was left untried and which once belonged to all religions, but innumerable objections raised by the which have been lost. Mrs. Besant spoke defense to every step in the proceedings with the power of deep religious feeling, com-resulted in dragging the case into the third bined with logical and finished expression and at the close of her address she cleared away many a mystery of theosophy in her the time of the court and answers to the questions which came from more than three days. It is every quarter every quarter.

Refreshments were served at 5 o'clock by Mrs. Damon, Mrs. Strawn and Mrs. Berry young women assisting were Squires, Miss Byrne, Miss Damon and Miss

HYMENEAL. Ashton-Wasmer.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) -Miss Carrie Wasmer and Mr. Fred W. Ashton were united in marriage at noon today both sides, with their hieroglyphic marks, at the Episcopal church, Rev. Mr. Beecher intelligible only to the elect, was another of North Platte officiating. The wedding element which served to confuse the jury, and was largely attended. Miss Wasmer is well when the defense introduced its evidence purknown in Lincoln and Omaha social circles he money the whole testimony resolved itself county, and in the few years of his residence here has built up a substantial pra-The happy couple left on the noon train

Harry A. Walters and Ida M. Dudley were quietly married last night. They immediately left for a two weeks sight-seeing trip and will be at home to their friends after July 10, at 132 East Third street.

To Write Up Omaha. Miss Eisle Reasoner, a member of the editorial staff of Travel, an illustrated magazine, is at the Millard. She is in the ity collecting material for an article on the city collecting material for an article on the history, resources, commerce, manufactures etc., of Omaha, to appear in an early num ber of her magazine. Miss Reasoner is at accomplished literary woman and the daughter of a prominent writer and jurist Judge Calvin Reasoner of Salt Lake City.

Choir Boys' Entertainment. A benefit entertainment was given in Tri Cathedral last evening for the choir boys of the church, in which Lu B. Cake, a forme r the church, in which Lu B. Cake, a former cell known Omaha man, and his wife. Ella une Meade Cake, took the principal roles, the entertainment consisted of character ketches, songs and recitations, many of hem original, by Mr. Cake and his wife. the benefit was well attended and a consid-rable fund was raised for Trinity's choir.

Elect a Condjutor Hishop. PROVIDENCE, R. L. June 22.—Rev David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's church, New York, was today elected i coadjutor to the Rt. Rev. Thomas March lark, bishop of Rhode Island, at an ad-ourned meeting of the Protestant Epis-cepal convention.

LUXURIES ESCAPE TAXATION GAZGITO.

Abstract of the Assessment Rolls Shows Some Singular Facts.

SCARCITY OF WATCHES AND DIAMONDS

Not Enough Listed in Nebraska to Stock One Good Retail Store, While Cash and Bank Stock Are Minus.

LINCOLN, June 22,-(Special.)-The assessment abstract as made up from the reports sent to the state auditor from the various counties of the state plainly shows some of the inequalities possible under our present assessment system. For instance, the abstract of 1896 does not indicate that a single bicycle was assessed, while the money invested in bicycles in this state is becoming something immense. It is said that last year in some parts of the state bicycles were assessed, but that they were not listed under a separate heading because the blanks did to Fort Omaha, since which time Captain not include bicycles in the printed titles. In Lancaster county, however an attempt to assess the wheels was made last year, the schedules being remodeled for that purpose. The result was that from the country precincts sixty-six bicycles, valued at \$605, were reported for taxation, while in the city of Lincoln 238 were found, valued at \$3,144. In the Fifth ward seventy-one bicycles were found, while this year the assessor failed to find a single wheel in that ward. The wheelmen of Lincoln boast that there are 5,000 bicycles in the city and none of them would be willing to estimate the average value at less than \$50.

Another curious thing shown by the stract is that last year there were but \$19,515 worth of diamonds and jewelry in the entire state, and of this \$8,041 was from Kearney county alone, indicating that that county owned almost one-half of the total amount of diamonds and jewelry in the state. uation on the same items in Douglas county was only \$4.824, and in Lancaster county only \$645. Dakota county had no watches or clocks, no diamonds and only seventeen sewing machines, valued at \$69. In Keith county there were forty-one watches and clocks, valued at 81 cents each, while Colfax county contained forty-four timepieces val-ued as \$294. Richardson county, one of the wealthiest in the state, shows only about \$15,000 deposited in banks, while in some other counties not a dollar is shown, and apparently no bank stock is owned by citizens the counties assessed.

STATE HOUSE GOSSIP. If the case of Broatch against Moores omes to trial in the supreme court under the rules of the court Moores will be en-titled to a jury trial, the case involving questions of fact as well as of law. If, however, a jury should be called in the case, he situation would be embarrassing, as there is no money wherewith to pay the expenses a jury trial in the supreme court, pointed out that in the case against E. Hill, when a jury trial was held, a special appropriation was made for that purpose.

The state committee of the silver wing of
the democratic party will hold a meeting at the office of the secretaries of the State Board of Transportation next Monday after-noon, when a call will be made for the

The following notarial commissions were issued today: Ed. M. Tracy of Tecumseh, Lester B. Weaver of Whitman, John P. Heald of Osceola, Walter S. McLucas of Fjarbury, S. D. Fitche of University Place, H. S. Craig of Ulysses, Wilbur S. Rosecranz

of South Omaha. Exhibitors' Agency of Omaha, with capital stock of \$7,000, has filed articles a capital stock of \$1,000, has med accelerated of incorporation with the secretary of state, the incorporators being O. C. Holmes, T. C. Havens, E. Barry, R. M. Bonnell and J. B. Porter. The business of the new company is to act as agent for persons or firms desiring to make exhibits at the Transmis-sicsippi Exposition.

house today Governor Holcomb announces the followand examining board for the soldiers' home J. C. Baird of Cedar Rapids, to succeed Morgan, term expires in 1900; Mrs. A. H Bowen of Hastings, to succeed Mrs. Bates term expires in 1900; O. S. Ward of Lincoln Omaha people at the hotels: At the Lincoln—Sol Bergman, C. C. Stanley, J. E.

SHOOTS HIMSELF WITH A RIFLE

Eyler, John A. King.

Resident of Sargent Commit Old Suicide Very Deliberately. SARGENT, Neb., June 22 .- (Special Tele gram.)-Job T. Leadbetter, and old resident of this place, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself with a rifle twice near the heart. He placed the butt of the gun on the ground and leaning over the muzzle pulled the trigger with his toe, having removed his shoe for the purpose. The first shot entered about two inches from the heart. He remained standing and worked the lever with his foot to reload the gun and then shot as before. This shot also entered near the heart, but did not instantly kill him though he was too weak to shoo He remarked that he shot as long could, but could not hit the heart again. Mr. Leadbetter talked freely for a time after respected citizen and no reason is known fo his committing the deed. He refused explanation except to say that he had medi tated it for some time.

PONCA SUBSCRIBES TO RAILROAD.

Donald McLean Talks About His Project in Dixon County. PONCA, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-A large number of representative men of Dixon county greeted Donald McLean and others interested with him in the Transcontinental railway project at the opera house here yesterday. They were anxious for some definite expression from him in regard to the proposed road. He was able to tell them that the Milwaukee would build a line from Elk Point or Jefferson, S. D., to connect with th proposed road, and the terminal point would be on this side of the river, and that the Mil-wankee would pay one-half of the expense of a bridge across the river at this point Several thousand dollars was subscribed in he fall.

In response to a telegraphic request from he Board of Trade of Sioux City, a committee was appointed from here to meet with them at Sioux City today to discuss plans or measures regarding the building of the

Intense Heat at Fremont FREMONT, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)—C E Parcell the state agent for the Stempel fire extinguisher, was overcome by hea vesterday afternoon and narrowly escaped sunstroke. He is recovering rapidly and will soon be around. The heat for the las two days has been very oppressive, as much of the time there has been but little wind The mercury this afternoon reached 94 In those portions of the country reached by the rain Friday crops and particularly corn are improving. The damage by hall Friday greater than at first reported, partic

ilarly to corn. Kicked by a Large Stallion CLAY CENTER, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) -Mr. Charles Campbell, a farmer living wo miles northwest of here, was kicked y a large stallion yesterday and seriously njured. He is still unconscious and fears are entertained for his recovery. The in-tured man is the eldest son of Representa-

tive Campbell of this county Summer School in Greeley County. GREELEY CENTER, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-The Swedes of Greeley and vicinity have organized a summer school. The school pened this morning for an eight weeks A considerable number Swedish children were in attendance and the school

promises to be a success. Many Postoffice Aspirants. NELSON, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) -- The Nelson postoffice is now being eagerly sought after by numerous candidates, among whom the following are most promi-

Gazette, W. T. Bottenfield, Clark R. Stoner.
A. G. Robinson, E. W. Imler, Burr Gardner and J. M. Hall. At present the race seems to be between Bottenfield and Scherzinger.
The present incumbent, Ira G. Foster, has nearly a year yeld to serve.

SHOWERS KEEP THE SOIL MOIST. Corn and Office Crops Grow Well In

Nebraska. color. The small grain crep promises to be an immense yield. Early potatoes will be acter. fair crop.
BANCROFT, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)—

severe electrical storm passed over this icinity last night between 11 and 12 o'clock. A barn belonging to James McKezon, farmer living a mile and a half north town, was struck by lightning and burned. About one half such of water fell, which will be of much benefit to growing crops. TRENTON, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)— Farmers are looking anxiously for rain, which is badly needed in some localities. though crops are not suffering yet. Grass-hoppers are reported as still doing some damage in some localities, but are said to be leaving and are now mostly doing their Lincoln work on the grass lands, having abandoned the grain fields. This is the season of the year when farmers are fearful of hor and dry weather, but so far no indications of hot winds are apparent, though the thermometer registered 102 on Sunday, in the shade

MINDEN, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) -A severe electrical storm passed over this city last evening, followed by a light rain Small grain in this locality is in need of rain, but the outlook for a big corn crop was never NELSON, Neb., June 22.-(Special.)-

Nuckolls county never had finer prospects for crops of all kinds than now. The weather during the past ten days has been very warm and corn is making a rapid growth. Rye is ripening and is of fine quality. All other small grain is also in the best of condition and fruit is in abundance. WAVERLY, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)—In this immediate locality six to eight miles

around town there has been no rainfall for several weeks, and the soil was so wet in early spring that corn has a hard rustle clods aside from the absence of rain. Pastures are cut short, wheat and rye are now ripe and not filled, and oats is about twelve to fifteen inches in height and now EDGAR, Neb., June 22,-(Special.)-An

lectrical storm of unusual magnitude visited this section of Nebraska last evening. Lightning began flashing brilliantly about 9 ary and benevolent organizations of the o'clock. Rain began to fall heavily from 10 Christian church, and it is believed that from until after 11, the fall exceeding one and one. until after 11, the fall exceeding one and onequarter inches. The rain was timely and will greatly benefit the crops.

FAIRBURY, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)—
Rain fell last night amounting to 28 inch,
making over one-half an inch since Satur-

day. The ground is in fine condition for growing crops. CRAB ORCHARD, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-A heavy storm came up last night about midnight, and rain continued

The rain was much needed, as the weather has been exceedingly warm, hot winds prevailing Sunday. CARROLL, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)— Another fine fain fell Monday evening, and crops are growing rapidly. Corn has all been plowed over once, and some farmers have cultivated their corn a second time. TECUMSEH, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-Corn and other growing vegetation was im-proved in condition last night by a one-inch

fall of rain over Johnson county.
PIERCE, Neb., June 22.—(Special.)—A heavy rain fell here last evening about 10 o'clock. The lightning was very bright.

Some hail also fell.

HASTINGS, Nob., June 22.—(Special.)

—Another fine rain fell in Adams county last night, a fall of over half an inch being recorded. All the rain that has fallen recorded. around here recently has come in the night and has seldom been accompanied by heavy winds as has heretofore been the case. Thi accounts for the "abundance" of fruit in Adams county this year. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 22.—(Spe-

cial.)—Another half an inch of rain fell in this county last night. It was acompanied by a severe wind and electrical storm. of the First Methodist Episcopal was struck, and the Union Pacific freight house also received a touch. An awning pole, in front of Held's jewelry store, was broken and blown into the heavy plate glass window, the falling glass breakng a show case on the inside. The local elephone company reports seventy burned out. The damage to trees and crops

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) Pawnee has been having an abundance of It has rained every night since Fri lay last.

CUTTING A FINE CROP OF BARLEY Thirty Bushels to the Acre Being Har-

vested in Furnas County. CAMBRIDGE, Neb., June 22 .- (Special relegram.)—Harvest has commenced here. L. D. Hollingsworth is cutting as fine a quality of rye as was ever grown in Furnas county. It will average thirty bushels per acre. Corn is looking fine. Winter wheat never looked better and will make a large

West Point Will Celebrate WEST POINT, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-West Point has decided to celebrate the Fourth of July. The West Point Liederkranz has assumed charge of all arrangements, and judging by the success of similar efforts on their part in the past, the celebration bids fair to be a grand success. Arrangements have been made to run special trains and all the usual and necessary adjuncts toward the proper celebration of our natal day have been fully provided for.

Illinois Party Stops Off at Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., June 22,-(Special.)-The excursion party, composed of twenty four Illinois gentlemen, a majority of whom are practical farmers, arrived in Beatrice at 2:35 yesterday and departed at the same time today. They were extended a hearty welcome, and entertained without expense to themselves. The Beatrice club placed at their disposal its spacious club rooms,

Summer School for Nuckella County NELSON, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-County Superintendent D. S. Dusenbery will egin a summer normal school in the High chool building at Nelson July 5, to continue six weeks. Prof. W. R. Hart will be th principal instructor. Immediately following he summer aprmst Prof. Dusenbery will onvene the Nuckolls County Teachers' institute, to last one or two weeks.

Union Pacific Pioneers Picnic. COLUMBUS, 1 Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) The Union Pacific Pioneer Employes' association has chosen this city for its annual outing, and will be here some time next month, the date not having been fixed as yet. The city is fixing up the park and making everything ready for their enter-tainment. The pieneers have been here on

hree former occasions. Plans for Humboldt's Fourth. HUMBOLDT, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-Extensive preparations are being made for the Fourth of Jely celebration on the 3d. A sum of \$300 in parses is offered for the trotting, pacing and bidycle races, to be held under the management of the Humboldt Driving Park association. There will also be balloon ascension and parachute jump by Convent School Graduates.

YORK, Neb., June 22.-(Special.)-The ommencement exercises of the Ursuling Convent school are to be held Thursday even ing. A program consisting of musical classics, recitations, living pictures and a pantomime from mythology is to be given. This school has students from all over the west to the number of nearly a hundred. Sunday Schools Will Picule. LYONS, Neb., June 22.- (Special.) -- Com

cided to hold a union picnic July 7, neighboring Sabbath schools will be vited to take part. Prof. McMurray Lectures. HUMBOLDT, Neb., June 22.- (Special.)

Prof. A. McMurray delivered an address on

dist Sunday schools met last night and de

Seven Con-Prizes eratory. CRETE, Neb., June 22.- (Special.)-In con nection with the graduation exercises of Doane college last night was the presenta-LYONS, Neb., June 22 - (Special.)-A good tion of a diploma from the musical departrain fell here last night. The top of the mont to Miss Josephine Rademacher, Though ground was beginning to get dry. Corn is there was but one graduate this year the small, but invelent of weeds and has a good work of the department is deserving of commendation. All the music for the week is furnished by it and it is of a high char-

The Dawes oratorical contest took place this morning at 10 o'clock. Much interest taken each year in this contest, the prises which are given by ex-Governor Dawes. The well and the ranks for first and second place. only differed by one-fourth of 1 per First place was awarded to J. C. Lin second place to E. W. Ellis and third place to J. R. Ellison.

OLD BOARD WILL NOT GIVE IN

Lincoln's New Charter is Not Yet Fully Recognized. LINCOLN, June 22 .- (Special Telegram.) The Fire and Police Board, under the new charter, met this forenoon and appointed P. H. Cooper chief of police. Without waitkeys. force is still in possession.

Mayor Graham and the other members of he excise board declare their intention to fight the authority of the new commission and retain possession of the police department until the supreme court renders its decision. There are rumors that the court way attorneys talked to Mayor Ensor about will meet soon to render decisions in the the matter, and this will be done. charter cases, but the rumors cannot be traced to an authoritative source.

MEET ON CHAUTAUQUA GROUNDS Convention of Christian Missioners

Society to Be Held Next Week. BEATRICE, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-The Nebraska Christian Missionary society heading. If rain does not come soon there will hold its annual meeting at Beatrice next week, beginning Tuesday evening and clos-ing the following Sunday evening. The co-complaints came in, a committee was ap-

ciety is made up of all the different mission All sessions will be held upon the Chantau-qua grounds. Rev. A. W. Davis of Falls will open the meeting Tuesday evening with an address. Dr. A. McLean, secretary of the national organization, will be n attendance, speaking both Friday and unday evenings.

Robbers Surprised at Their Work. PIERCE, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) -- Con stables Chris Ohlen and M. G. Rohrke brought up two tramps from Hadar yesterlay who were charged with breaking into Mr. Rohrke's house on Sunday, while Mr. Rohrke and his son were at church at Hadár. Church let out about half an hour earlie than usual, and on returning home, they surprised the robbers. The man who was watching outside, made his escape, but was overtaken by Rohrke's son on his bicycle. The other tramp was caught in the cellar,

Barn Destroyed by Lightning. STERLING, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) Sterling and vicinity was visited last night by a light shower, but a very severe electrical storm lasting from midnight till 2:30 ing to about \$20, and he wants the police The fine barn of John Eller's, three miles west of town, was struck by lightning and burned. The barn was 50x70 feet. A span of valuable mules and one horse, 600 bushels of corn and ten tons of hay were destroyed. The loss is partly covered by insurance in the Farmers' and Merchants' of

Boy Steals His Employer's Horse, COLUMBUS, Neb., June 22,-(Special.)-Burt Sayers, a 15-year old boy, who had been raployed by H. B. Reed, a farmer, near the city, ran away Sunday with a horse belonging to his employer. The boy is described a shabbily dressed, knee pants, barefooted, dirty slouch hat with a hole in the crown animal was a 600-pound pony branded "L" on the shoulder. Sheriff Kayanaugh offers to pay all expenses of arrest and Mr. Reed offers a liberal reward for the return of the animal.

Grip Induces Insunity. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 22 .- (Spe cial.)-William B. Cox, a farmer, residing near Doniphan, this county, was brought pefore the Commissioners on Insanity last night, and adjudged insane. He has been approaching this state since October last then he had an attack of the grip, followed by nervous prostration.

Held for Assault on a Young Girl. AUBURN, Neb., June 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The trial of Thomas J. Majors, jr. and Roy King, charged with statutory es sault on Ruth Ellis, aged 14, terminated this evening. Both the boys were held to the district court with bonds placed at \$2,000. Hal Majors, who escaped arrest, is still at

Will Celebrate on the Fifth. FAIRBURY, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.)-Fairbury will celebrate this year on Monday July 5. Money has been raised to defra expenses, and an elaborate program, em-bracing many novelties, has been prepared neluding bicycle and horse races at the fair grounds.

Carryall and Motor Collide BEATRICE, Neb., June 22 .- (Special Tele gram.)-A motor car and a carryall collided this evening near the Sixth street bridge causing the death of one horse and derailing the car, which was loaded heavily and route for the Chautauqua. No one was injured.

Cattle Killed by Lightning. CARROLL, Neb., June 22 .- (Special.) During the electrical storm Monday night ighteen head of steers were killed by lightning in the pasture of J. R. Manning. They were near the wire fence

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., June 22.—(Special. The June term of district court opener here today with Judge Letton on the beach The Osgood case, transferred from Johnso county, will be on soon.

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., June 22 .- (Special -The Epworth league held a lawn socia ast night at the residence of Dr. J. W Bullard. The band concert was the feature

Completing the Arrangements. The committee having in charge the ar angements for the campaign to secure the National Educational association for thi city next year held another meeting at th Commercial club last evening. J. F Buchanan and Arthur B. Smith, represent Commercial club last evening. It Buchanan and Arthur B. Smith, representing the passenger departments of the Elkhorn and Burlington roads, respectively, were present. A proposition was agreed upon which will be made to the association at its meeting in Milwaukee next month. Superintendent Pearse thinks the proposition meets all the requirements and is hopeful that it will be accepted. An effort will be made to get as many business men to go to the convention as possible that a strong showing may be made to the teachers. The committee was continued in service till after the convention adjourns.

Neighbors Get Into Court. John Davenport, living at 2218 Pacific street, was arrested yesterday at the instance of Mrs. Lena Langston, a neighbor She alleges that Davenport disturbs her peace of mind by loud and unusual noises and otherwise makes himself disagreeable About an hour later Mrs. Langston was arrested on a similar charge on a complaint sworn out by Davenport. The affair is the outcome of a neighborhood row. nittees from the Presbyterian and Metho-

Tea Palls Relow the Standard. FRANCISCO, June 22.-About ounds of tea brought to this port since May has not been allowed to be imported, be cause it did not come up to the standard of quality established by the secretary of the reasury in April. The importers are pro-esting. ARTHROP THE THE THE PROPERTY DAMES South Omaha News .

Bearing of the Party of the Bearing The city officials propose to make another attempt to enforce the ire ordinance and will appeal to the district court for an injunction ompelling Crosby & Rich to desist from selling ice within the city limits. Mayor Ensor said yesterday that he had taken the ordinance to a couple of well known Omaha attorneys and they had given as an onlinion that it was perfectly good and would hold in the upper court. This question decides the mayor and he at once announced that he would enforce the ordinance in order rotest the city from damage suits. The dis-riet court will be asked today for an in-unction against Crosby & Rich, and if this s not obtained the firm will be arrested here again.

In order to make a proper showing in the district court the mayor directed Inspector Carroll to obtain five or six samples of ice from the ice houses of Crosby & Rich, Tuese samples are to be taken to one of the This evening the anniversary exercises because to be taken to one of the colleges in Omaha and melted, after which the proper commenced. President W. F. Slocum of Colorado college gave an address and also Rev. Lewis Gregory of the First church of Christmann last week the court held that the testing of one sample was not sufficient.

so six samples were ordered taken.

Two chemical tests of this ice were made last winter before it was cut by a firm doing businesss in Omaha, who in ended purchasing the crop if it was all right. The analysis made at that time was so unfavorable that this firm abandoned the idea of making the

purchase. Mayor Ensor said that unless the ordinance was enforced, now that it had ing to file the required bond to be approved passed and become a law, the South Omaha by the council, Mr. Cooper went to the lee company could sue the city for injuring police office this evening and demanded the its business and very likely recover dam-He was refused and the old police ages. On the other hand, if the ordinance is still in possession. chance to sue the city for damaging their business and causing to be made public the chemical analysis of their product. The only way the city can protect itself will be to enforce the ordinance, at least that is the

> Trouble with Mud Creek. A number of complaints were made to

Mayor Ensor yesterday in regard to the insanitary condition of Mud creek, and his honor has announced that he will call lowa City for interment. the attention of the council to the matt-As the council does not meet again until June 30 the mayor is seriously considering the advisability of calling a special meeting cointed to investigate, and located the scat of the trouble at Swift's. A connection with the sanitary sewer was made by Swift an1 Company, at the request of the council, and it was thought that there would be no more complaints, but this year they come in stronger than ever. The mayor says that he is satisfied that the ill smelling refuse which runs into the creek, is washings from the stock yards. He proposes to have this stopped, and will appeal to the courts if cessary. The stock yards company, he id, will be compelled to abate the nuisance. He thinks that should the stock yards off ials refuse to obey an order of the council n regard to the matter, that they can be brought to time by proceedings in the dis-trict court. The creek, as it is now, is a disease breeder and a menace to health, and something must be done, and that at once Lost His Money at Draw.

Henry Durgan called at police headquar ters vesterday afternoon to tell some of his troubles to the officer on duty. He said that he had been working on a cattle ranch out near Huntington, Ore., and was now on his way to his home in Maine. He stopped off here to see some friends and hunted up a quiet game in a lower N street resort. Of course he lost his money, amountto arrest somebody for filmfamming him. Durgan cannot give any kind of a description of the men he claims robbed him and admits that if he had won out, the police would never have been called upon to listen to his tale of woe. Very few cases of this kind have been reported to the police lately, as quite a number of the tin-horn gamblers have left the city, and those who remain are very quiet. No licensed gam-bling is now permitted, though it is re-

ported that several quiet games are running behind closed Corrected Assessment Figures. The corrected figures of the 1897 assessment are as follows: Lots, improved and unimproved, \$1,028,601; lands, improved and unimproved, \$308,980; personal property, \$293,109; total, \$1,630,690. To this amount must be added the assessment of the railroads, Puliman cars and telegraph comwhich amounts to \$67,703, thus makng the total valuation, \$1,698,393. The returns of Assessor Cress show a reduction in the valuation of lots, lands and personal

property of about \$50,000, as compared with Boy Burned by Powder. Charles Lindsey, the 10-year-old son o

Mrs. Lindsey, a widow living at Twentyfourth and K streets, was badly burned b powder yesterday. The lad purchased nickel's worth of powder from a hardward store and placing it in a pan, touched match to it. The flash burned his righhand, his face and eyes. It is feared that he may lose the eight of one and possibly both of his eyes. Last evening Chief Bren-nan took the boy to the South Omaha hospital, where he will be cared for,

Badly Wounded Hand Isaac Young, of the Hammond retail mar ket force, is laid up with a badly cut hand While trimming a quarter of beef the knife slipped and cut his left hand in the palm Blood poisoning set in

and serious results are feared. Magie City Gossin Mrs. James Cobrey has gone to Plattsmouth o visit friends.

J. S. Hawley, Percival, Ia., is in the cit

for a few days. The new smoke house at Swift's is rapidly learing completion. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Cole have returned from their wedding trip. Wilbur Shaffer returned yesterday from

nonth's visit in the east. Miss Fay Paddock, who has been danger ously ill, is reported better. J. K. Bronson of Grand Island is her ooking after business matters.

Mrs. William Berry entertained the King' Daughters yesterday afternoon. T. H. Minor of Duell county is here, look ing after his property interests. Mrs. A. T. Everett has returned from Den

ver, where she spent a month Mrs. Nina McCandless of Clarinda, Ia who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Scott

ROBERT J. BURDETTE.

Noted Humorist and Lecture Gives Good Advice to His Hearers. "Bob" Burdette in a recent lecture said hat it was not work that killed people one ever died from hard work. It was in pure foods and bad habits that caused

large per cent of the deaths. The coffee drinking babit has slain mi lions. A well known physician said a shor time ago that he believed it caused mor deaths than the late civil war. But few people know of the long train of disease that follow the constant pouring in of the poisonous alkaloids of coffee into the stom

Some time ago a specialist, after a gres deal of study, discovered that the mixing of a number of grains and their proper prepara tion would produce a beverage that had th deep seal brown color of Mocha coffee and he taste of the milder and more expensive grades of Java, but instead of tearing down he system it would build it up. He called t Postum Cereal Food Coffee and started in small way at Battle Creek, Mich. takes two large factories to supply the denand. Physicians who have tried it are recommending this healthful beverage as cure for nervousness and dyspepsia. It is more economical than coffee, a 25-cent packuge making more than twice the amount beverage than the same value of coffee will

The success of Postum has led imitator to put substitutes on the market. He sure you get the genuine. Look for the red reals and the trade mark, "It makes red blood."

Harrell, Twenty-third and I streets, returns.

A boy's dormitary, to cost \$5,000, is to be uilt at the Bellevue college this aummer The Masons install officers Thursday night

instead of Tuesday night, as erroneously announced. Frank Wallweber has struck a flow of

nineral water on his place at Twentleth and City Clerk Carpenter writes from the wilds

Wyoming that he is having a great time hunting big game. The sidewalk on the west side of Twentyfifth street, between L and M streets, is in

very bad condition. Edward Stephen, cattle buyer for Swift and Company, at Chicago, was a visitor at the exchange vesterday. The metabers of the Republican club will

meet Saturday night to select delegates to the state meeting of Republican clubs. Gus Seidler of Friend, Neb., is here, looking after his property. He soid a big slice of his Q street property yesierday to local buyers.

Little Pannie Darrow, who was badly burned Monday, has been taken to the South Omaha hospital. She was resting easily last night, and hopes of her recovery are enterbonis

The Epworth league will give a dime social at the home of Mrs. Ogg on Twenty-third street, between J and K streets, Thursday evening. An interesting program has been prepared and refreshments will be served. While digging a well on his property at Twentieth street and Missouri avenue yea-terday Frank Wallweber struck a flow of mineral water. The flow was struck at a epth of twenty feet and there appears to be limit to the supply. Mr. Wallweber in tends having the water analysed.

Fannie, the 2-year-old daughter of John Darrow, Twenty-sixth and J streets, fell into a pan of boiling water last evening and was badly scalded. The child was playing about its mother when it stumbled and fell into dies applied, but it is feared that the child The members of Alpha Rebekah lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet at Mrs. Peek's, on Twenty-fourth street, Thursday afternoon, at 1:30, to at-

tend the funeral of Mrs. John Gorman, Services at the house, Twenty-third and J. at 2 o'clock. Remains will be taken to Mrs. John Gorman died at her home, Tweny-third and J streets, yesterday afternoon, the cause being internal hemorrhages. Mrs. Sorman was taken ill Sunday and yesterday the attending physicians decided that an operation was necessary. The patient never recovered from the shock, dying an hour

after the operation was completed. Compliment the Trustees. ST. PAUL, June 22.—At today's session of the United Lutheran church the trusces of the Augsburg seminary reported. the convention adopted a resolution expressing gratitude for the exertions of the trustees in the effort to come into possession of the teal and personal property of the Augsburg seminary. The mission committee proposed that the work in the field at Madagascar be continued. Rev. Drear insisted that as the work had not been a success it should be given to the Norwegian Mission society, which was able to carry it on, Mr. Drear's motion was lost by an almost unanimous vote.

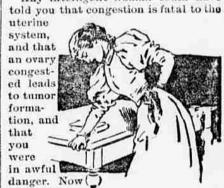
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If You Have Any of These Symptoms Act at Once.

Do you know the reason why you will go to the hospital, my poor friend? Because you have allowed yourself to go from bad to worse. You did not

derness in your left side were all signs of congestion of the ovary. Any intelligent woman could have

know that that heat, swelling and ten-



danger. Now () you will have to undergo the operation of ovariotomy. the cutting out of the ovary.

Yes, you will recover, at least I hope you will; but you will never be quite the same woman again. Congestion of the ovaries is fatal to health. If you have any such symptoms be advised in time; take a medicine of specific powers! You can find none better than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, prepared especially to meet the needs of woman's sexual system. You can get it at any good druggist's.

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