

TRYS THE INSANITY DODGE

New Feature Comes to the Front in Kerr Murder Case.

DEFENDANT NOW POSES AS A LUNATIC

Testimony is brought out to show that the defendant is a lunatic.

The evidence for the defense in the Kerr murder case is accumulating slowly, as it is met with vigorous resistance at the point by General Cowin, who has apparently assumed charge of the state's side of the case.

State Tests Its Case.

The attorneys engaged in the prosecution decided to rest their case yesterday morning and the evidence for the defense was begun.

SUIT AGAINST THE WATER COMPANY

Amy E. Hopkins alleges damages in an insane asylum for \$50,000.

Another suit has been filed against the Omaha Water company as the result of the Patterson block tragedy.

Question of Insanity.

In the afternoon the defense called Dr. R. M. Stone to the stand to establish the contention that the insanity of other members of the family, as well as the father, is of importance in considering the mental condition of the son.

Evidence for the Defense.

This ended the depositions for the time, and W. H. Koenig was called as the first witness for the defense.

WALTHAM WATCHES

The best and most reliable timekeepers made in this country or in any other. The "Riverside" movement is jeweled throughout with rubies and sapphires.

UNITED STATES COURT BUSINESS.

Judge Shiras of Dubuque Arrives to Assist Judge Munger.

Judge Shiras, of Dubuque, Ia., arrived here Sunday night, and yesterday went to the office of Judge Munger in the trial of cases in United States court.

Minor Court Matters.

Laura E. Hawkins has been granted a divorce from Frank Hawkins for non-support.

AN EXCELLENT COMBINATION.

Successful Enterprise Based on Merit. The few remedies which have attained to world-wide fame, as truly beneficial in effect and giving satisfaction to millions of people everywhere, are the products of the knowledge of the most eminent physicians.

Some Changes in Plans.

At the final conference between the city and the railroad a rather decided change was made in the plan of the new viaduct in one respect.

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Captain William M. Swaine, who was recently promoted to that rank, has been transferred to the First Infantry, stationed at Pinar del Rio, Cuba, and has been ordered to join his regiment.

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SIXTEENTH STREET VIADUCT

Old Structure Over the Railroad Tracks to Be Removed.

NEW BRIDGE IS TO BE ERRECTED AT ONCE

Railroads and City Get Together on Plans and Decide to Make Some Changes in the Manner of Construction.

Within the next day or two the sixteenth street viaduct will be closed to traffic and the work of tearing down the structure will be commenced in order to make way for the new viaduct which the Union Pacific and the Burlington railroads have agreed to build.

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YOUNG WOMEN AS GYMNASTS

Interesting Entertainment Given by the Gymnastic Section of the Y. W. C. A.

The members of the gymnastic section of the Young Women's Christian association gave an interesting entertainment last night in their rooms in the Paxton block, which was largely attended. The affair was under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Fish, physical director, and was started off with a military drill by sixteen young women who went through the evolutions in true military style. This was followed by club swinging by a class of eight and then came the stroboscopes by the class of sixteen, which in turn was followed by the bar bell drill by sixteen of the girls.

The Delaware posing was loudly applauded and was one of the features of the evening. The young women taking part were the Misses Howard, Carey, Slade, Bruner, Morrison and Hale. The poses were "Salutation," "Triumph," "Listening," "Abhorrence," "Defiance," "Invitation" and "Supplication." The young women were clothed in pure white and when seen under the rays of the lime light they had every appearance of statues of marble.

The entire class participated in a club swinging drill and the entertainment closed with a spirited game of basket ball between teams selected from the classes.

Y. W. C. A. Annual Election.

The annual election of the board of directors of the Young Women's Christian association was held yesterday from noon to 5 in the evening. Three hundred members voted during the time the polls were open. The result was practically unanimous, only a few scattering votes being cast. The directors elected for three years were: H. J. Paul, P. H. Gates, G. F. Bidwell, J. O. Phillips, Dr. D. A. Poole, C. E. Morgan and H. L. Kreider. Those selected to fill the term expiring May, 1901, were S. P. Bostwick and W. S. Stewart.

Marriage Licenses.

The following licenses to wed were issued by Judge Baxter yesterday:

Joseph N. Stewart, South Omaha, 27; Max Steffen, Omaha, 23; Fred G. E. Kuehn, Omaha, 28; Elizabeth K. Richter, Omaha, 21; Charles B. Moran, South English, Ia., 28; Clara W. Smith, South English, Ia., 24; John Coetax, Omaha, 27; Mary Oswald, Omaha, 25; John T. Clifford, Sheldon, Ia., 25; Mary Cavanaugh, Albia, Neb., 26.

GIVE THE CHILDREN A DRINK

Called Grain-O is a delicious appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and made by all who have used it because of the finest coffee, but is free from all its injurious properties. It is a health builder and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs all out one-fourth as much as coffee. 15c and 25c.

Women's Eyes

Tired and overworked eyes they are as a rule. Don't seem able to stand the strain of former years. Women's eyes overworked by hard work, sewing or reading, should be attended to promptly. A pair of perfect-fitting glasses should be secured and the strain relieved. We make a special study of this matter.

THE ALOE & PENFOLD CO.,

Leading Scientific Opticians. 1408 FARNAM, OMAHA. OPPOSITE PAXTON HOTEL.

OMAHA REAL ESTATE MEN

Big Picnic to be Held at Arlington in Near Future—Regulation Butten Adopted.

The Real Estate Exchange set the preliminaries in motion at its meeting in the Commercial club rooms yesterday for a great picnic at Arlington. All the real estate dealers of the city and state will be given a cordial invitation to be present. Special trains will be run to Arlington so that accommodations will not be lacking. A committee consisting of W. H. Green, A. P. Harty and G. H. Shriver was appointed to prepare the way.

Resolutions expressing the esteem in which George L. Green was held by his old business associates and the regret they feel over his death were presented and adopted.

A solid gold button with background of blue and white enamel and bearing the letters "O. R. E." was adopted as a distinguishing emblem, to be worn by the members of the exchange.

A resolution requesting the street car company to extend its line to Forest Lawn cemetery so that the citizens may be enabled to visit it without the use of other vehicles was presented by H. H. Harder. Some opposition was expressed on the ground that other cemeteries ought to be included. The resolution was adopted, however, and a committee consisting of Mr. Harder, John W. Robbins and W. H. Gates was appointed to present it to the officers of the street car company.

Dent's Toothache Gum, the only perfect toothache remedy. All druggists, 15 cents.