## COUNCIL WILL BE CAREFUL

Care to Be Exercised that Special Assessments Are Not Rendered Void.

WHO MAY SIGN PETITIONS FOR PAVING

City Attorney Connell Prepares an Exhaustive Opinion for the Guidance of the City Fathers.

Taking heed from the past the city council will go most carefully about the letting of the paving contracts petitioned for all haif-million dollars. It is proposed that all property-owners seeting such improvements be compelled to make full payment and that no special assessments be escaped through any legal quibble. On the council's instructions City Attorney Connell has outlined a course complying so far as possible with the charter and general statutes. and deciding the proper line of conduct in doubtful cases:

In answer to the council's question as to who is qualified to sign paving petitions for school property, the city attorney holds that whenever the title is vested directly in the school district the authority lies with the president of the Board of Education, under the authority of his colleagues. If the title is vested in the city, as in the case of the great measure stopped, and the cost of pros- yards, on front bargain square at 15c High school grounds, this signature must be supported by a resolution of the mayor

In the case of public parks the city attorney advises that authority to sign a paving petition can only be properly conferred by the Board of Park commissioners and the mayor and city council. If prop- They come to Omaha, buy liquor, get drunk sented on a petition for improvement by the signature of the chairman of the Board. of County commissioners after such authority had ben conferred by his colleagues. to property owned by the state, Mr. Connell sees no way for its representation on a petition except through action of the

and engineering department is ruled upon city of Omaha. Let him arrest the persons bric, long remnants, 2c yard. by Mr. Connell as follows: "Property belonging to the United States government upon which the city pays the special taxes can be embraced in a street improvement for these malefactors and save the expense sateen, 5c yard. would not necessarily be considered in determining the sufficiency of the petition. The property is not taxable and so under the charter would not be included in estimating by the grand jury should, if possible, be a majority of front feet. As to all other properly, owned by the city, county or other corporation the only safe plan is to regard it as taxable for a public improvement, making the frontage a necessary part of the majority petition." On this latter point hung the validity of the Cuming street payement from Thirty-second to Fortieth atreets. Without the Bemis park frontage the petition in cluded less than half the number of feet proposed to be improved.

The city attorney next considers the status of a corporation and gives the opinion that it should be represented on a petition by an official directly authorized by the board of directors. The directors' statement of assent should be attached to such signatures. In the case of husband and wife the city attorney believes the eignature of whoever holds the title is sufficient without regard

to dower or courtesy rights. If the precautions outlined are observed no further special taxes declared void and ments and pay their taxes promptly without will be read before the next meeting of the Bartley.

## Escaped from Sioux Falls, Is Arrested at Salem.

For the third time in his career, William Miller, alias Frank Lee, has been arrested on Nebraska soil. With three other men he has been arrested at Salem by Kansas officers on charge of robbing a merchant nt Sabatha, Kan. Monday night the store at Sabatha was robbed and bloodhounds were put upon the trail of the robbers. They were traced to Salem. When the men were taken in charge it was discovered that one of them was William Miller, the Morna and Farnam postoffice robber who had recently escaped from the Sigux Falls penitentiary. It is likely that the other men are those who escaped with Miller, but this cannot be determined until the arrival of a Sloux Falls officer.

Speaking of this third capture of Miller. Assistant District Attorney Rush telle a story of how he came to be convicted of is now about the only solvent person conthe Merna robbery. When he was arrested neeted with the defunct institution and will there was really no evidence of a conclusive nature against him. The person who had committed the robbery had whittled the handle of a hammer used in the crime. The postmaster at Merna noticed that the marks of the knife upon the wood showed that the writer was lefthanded. The suspects were called in and asked to write their names. Two of them took their pens in their right hands. When it came to Miller to write he took the pen in his left The persons in the room laughed, and Miller remarked:

"What are you laughing at? I can write as well with one hand as the other." But was the fact that he used his left hand that caused the United States attorney to request that he be bound over.

## British Aristocracy Blamed.

Many people attribute are recent reverses of the British to the degeneracy of the aris tocracy. The life of luxury certainly does not produce vigor. Indigestible suppers, late hours, constant nerve strain and lack of exercise upset the stomach and weaken both physical and mental vitality. The blood that makes men heroes must come from active, healthy stomachs. Hostetter's Stomach Bit ters purifies the blood and strengthens the stomach. It cures constipation, indigestion dyspepsia and biliousness.

Announcements. The Jeffries-Corbett prize fight will be reported by rounds at the Creighton-Orpheum this evening. The last amateur perform ance of the season takes place tonight. The following amateurs will participate: Myrtle Brice and Ethel Smith, Harry McMullen, Leroy Bremfield, Luiu McDonald, Robterson and Brown, Marie Taylor, Mary Tonsey, W. E. Cornwell, Jackson Cady, Le Petite Mc-Cain, Walter Bell and company, Frances Messeraul, George Lathrop and company, Eva Meyer, Ora Dare, A. A. Tracey, Johnson and Devany.

Of the production of the "Passion Play." which will be presented by the Katharine Ertz company at Kountze Memorial church on May 14, 15 and 16, the Rev. W. O. Ruston, paster of the First Presybterian church, Dubuque, Ia., writes: "The enasterpieces of art represented in the transparencies are an aesthetic discipline, well worth for that alone the entrance fee. The lecture is a work of art. Your lecture and exhibition have given gratification here."

Henrietta Crosman, the most popular of the comediennes of her class of the day, will be seen tonight and Saturday night at Boyd's in the comedy "One of Our Girls, the latest offering of Bronson Howard. In it Mies Crosman is seen as a self-reliant Amer-tean girl abroad. William Courtleigh is her leading man and Beaumont Smith, seen here this season with Stuart Robson, is also with the company. Ou Saturday a bargain matinee, the last one of the season, will be

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enough to watch for them. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA. N. W. Cor 16th & Douglas Sts.

## GET DRUNK TO MAKE MONEY

The Noble Red Man has a Purpose When He Absorbs Firewater. United States Commissioner Gustave An-

ecuting lawbreakers of this class materially yard. reduced.

"The sale of liquor to the Indians has nereased greatly in the last ten years," said Mr. Anderson,"and the cost of convicting persons has not decreased materially. The Indians get drunk to make money erty is held by the county it might be repre- and then inform against those who have bargain counter at 5c, 19c and 19c for sold it to them. They are, of course, re- entire remnant worth up to 75c. tained as witnesses and their fees amount to more than they can make on the reservation. I have had Indians come to me and tell me if I would give them a dollar they would give me a case.

"My idea of the way to suppress the sale of liquor to Indians is to give the Indian hams, to yard. A point which has long puzzled the council agent the powers of a police judge in the found selling liquor or furnishing it to Indians and summarily sentence them to jail. Let jails be established on the reservation district, but the frontage of such property of bringing them to Omaha or Lincoln. If this can not be done the United States commissioners might be given power to sentence violators of this act, and presentation ing. 10c yard. abolished. There should be a law against Indians getting drunk. The agent should certainly have power to send them to jail long remnants, 5c yard.

> Judge Anderson has been a United States commissioner in Omaha for about twentysix years and his remarks on the subject are ham. 814c yard. with the "Indian whicky" question, al- percale, 814c though it is said by some that the terms of the federal constitution makes such a ment today. law as the judge suggests impossible of en-

### DEPOSITION FILED MANGLED Interesting Inside History Anent the

Placing of State Funds in Alma Bank.

A deposition on behalf of the defendant in the case of the State of Nebraska against the city attorney believes that there will be the First National bank of Alma was placed on file and opened in the United States cirthat freeholders may petition for improve- cuit court Thursday evening. In this deposition Atwell L. Burr, president of the bank fear that their neighbor will escape his part at the time of the failure, testifies as to the of the burden. The city attorney's report relations between the bank and ex-Treasurer He says that the arrangement was made by the treasurer in Lincoln and under its terms the bank was to pay 6 per RUNAWAY CONVICT CAUGHT cent on the money of the state deposited by the treasurer in the bank; that 3 per cent to the state; that at that time Bartley gave him \$10,000 of the state money and that he secured from Alma certificates of deposit for that amount, which he gave o Bartley and which were after deposited n the Alma bank by Bartley.

Burr also says that no one knew of the arrangement except himself, Bartley and Dan Sullivan, the cashier of the bank; that none of the funds of the state deposited in the bank was deposited under the terms of the bond upon which the state of Nebraska aues to recover its money alleged to be it the bank at the time of the failure. He further swears that all of the money of the state had been withdrawn by Bartley before the failure, the amount being \$25,244.76.

The case in which this deposition is filed is one against the Bank of / ma and William Gaslin to recover about \$25,000. Gaslin was surety on the bond of the bank. He be forced to bear the entire burden if the case is decided in favor of the state. His defense is that the bond he signed specified that the bank should pay but 5 per cent that the bank should pay but 5 per cent interest, when in fact it paid 6 per cent. The bank's books show that the money spoken of by the former president was never withdrawn from the bank, but at the time of the failure was deposited in the bank to the credit of the treasurer of the state.

I wish to thank the officers and members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and especially North Omaha lodge No. 159, for their care and kind attention during the illness and death of my husband. I also wish to thank the city firemen for their kindness, and also the many friends for the flowers in 25c Sanitol Tooth Powder. emembrance of my husband. MRS. GERTIE M'CUMBER.

Graphophone Co., 15151/2 Farnam, Omaha.

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TERIALS

all plaids with pure silk. A lot of imported French plisse, pure linen gingham, floral designs; also checks and plaids for skirts, extra heavy quality of linen, linen colored dress goods with silk plaids derson has a plan by which he thinks the silk stripes, silk embroidery, every yard sale of liquor to the Indians can be in a worth up to 50c, in lengths from 2 to 10

50C SILK MOUSSELINE DE SOIE, 15C. A new lot of silk mousseline de soie in plain colors, and light and dark grounds with floral designs, always sold at 50c yard;

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One big counter burlaps, 5c yard, One big counter very finest drapery tick-

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## BY SAVAGE DOG

Mrs. Enroist Alleges that Her Little Daughter Was Bitten by Dr. Christie's Canine.

Mrs. Belle Earnist, living at 2719 North Twenty-fourth street, complained to City Prosecutor Thomas yesterday that her little daughter, Steila, 7 years old, had been severely mangled by a savage dog owned by Dr. W. H. Christie, Twenty-fourth and To Maple streets. Stella was on her way home from school with several other children Wednesday afternoon, said Mrs. Earniet, when, in passing the doctor's residence, the dog leaped upon her, seized her y the leg and fore the flesh quite seriously.

One of the doctor's neighbors, however who claims the honor of an intimate a quaintance with the dog, has informed the prosecutor that the animal is known throughout the neighborhood for his amiable temperment, so the attorney is undecided as to whether to issue a warrant for the doctor'

and bladder troubles, is to take a safe, surmedicine like Foley's Kidney Cure. It al ways benefits the Kidneys. For cale by Myers-Dillon Drug Co., Omaha; Dillon's Drug Store, South Omaha. Wanted-A star tea, cigar and spice sales

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## MR. JOHNSON SURE GOT GAY Took His Trusty Revolver and Made

His Neighborhood Tempo-

rarily Uninhabitable.

The monotony of life in the vicinity of Twenty-fourth and Davenport streets was broken Thursday afternoon by Charles Johnson drawing a revolver and threatening to shoot into a gang of workmen who were making a water connection in the street. and Harney. 'Phone 883. The workmen scattered in every direction One man, a telegraph operator named E. L. Huntley, who had been looking on at the work, attempted to stand his ground, but Johnson thrust the muzzle of the weapon in his face and told him to make tracke. which he did, with the armed citizen in ot pursuit

laundry, in the Tizard block, Twenty-fourth and Davenport streets, and is known in the neighborhood as a man of trascible temper. Several things had happened during the day to upset his equanimity. First, his landlord had brought proceedings in the court evict him from the block. And then a woman living across the alley had the presumption to hang her clothes on a line in his back he charged the gang of workman as Don work. Quixote charged the flock of sheep. The ment of neighbors say that when these moods are on him it is the part of wisdom not to infest his environment

The contract for the three electric elevators for the old Mercer Hotel building and also in the old postoffice was let to the Warner Elevator company of Cincinnati, O., through its local representative, Mr. D. V. Munro, 112 North Fourteenth street.

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May 21, 22, 23, Detroit and return, \$22. June 2, 3, 4, 5, Milwaukee and return, City ticket office, 1504 Farnam street,

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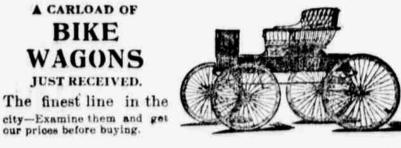
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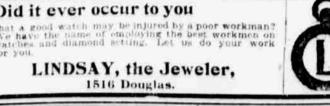
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