Bine and Nemaha Rivers Higher Than Known for Years.

NO TRAINS GET IN OR OUT OF BEATRICE

Many People Driven from Their Homes and Loss of Crops and Property Will Be Henvy.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 30 .- (Special.)-The west bottoms of Lincoln are under water. Sait creek rose two feet last night and in one hour this afternoon it rose one inch. It has reached the high water mark of last year and is still rising.

From the report of Government Observer Loveland, since the first of the month 10.61 inches of rain has failen in this city. This is the heaviest reported rainfall since 1885. Mr. Loveland made this report of rainfall

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from other districts tomorrow would be fair and that the rain was over.

All the residents of the flooded district have moved or have been moved out and have been given shelter in the court house six hours since any mail has been received. City High school were held at the opera live in the district, most of whom are Rus- eral days before the mall service will re- was delivered by James Hedley of Clevesians. Of these thirty families were taken sume its normal condition. from their homes last night and given shelter in the court house. Several families refused to leave their homes last night and as a consequence all day today the poilce have been taking these out in boats. It was only possible for the unfortunate peo- fort. ple to take with them from their homes blankets and bed clothing and much loss

Camp in School House. Early this morning a number of residents

of the districts who had been driven from their homes broke open the doors of the Longfellow school house and took possession of the building. They claimed they pay taxes and have a right to take charge of the school house. They remained there

Most of the livestock in the flooded district has been driven to the city park where it is quartered. Many calves and young stock were driven into the upper stories of the houses and their owners take food and drink to them in boats. In several instances owners carried their young stock through the water to safe retreats. One man did not wait for the boats of the rescuers, but built himself a raft of side-walk and pieces of timber and floated into shore with a family of six and most of his possessions. Many pathetic incidents occurred during the rescue of those in danger. One poor woman, bent with age, pleaded with the sightseers to get her small belongings from her submerged house. One old man who was brought forth left all his possessions in his house which was fast filling with water. He had not a cent to buy food and was too proud to tell it. A bystander discovered the man's plight and took him to the court house where he will be well cared for. Many of those taken from the water were sick and this made the work of the rescuers tedlous and slow.

moving horses from the Lincoln park stables. These were being trained and there were about forty of them. They had to be taken through the mud and water and on one occasion a bunch of them broke loose into the stables.

Like a Big Lake.

West of the O street viaduct is all a broad expanse of water, making one vast lake. Here and there a house is visible almost submerged. Only the roofs and a portion of the sides beneath the roofs can seen of the smaller houses. On many of the two-story houses the water reaches almost to the second story. Sidewalks many feet in length float along on the waves with other debris. The large plant of the Lincoln gas works is surrounded by water, which tosses against the brick structure. Many of the sheds in the railroad yards are standing in water two or three feet deep. Several wagons belong-ing to the Lincoln Storage company standof the wheels.

The water has reached the Central main line is covered to the depth of several feet. It has reached the coal yards south side of Seventh street, the lumber in a short time.

Outside of Lincoln.

At Waverly, a short distance from here, the condition is bad. The creek near the town has overflowed its banks and the streets are running water a foot and a half deep. Just this side of Sterling the train ran through water two feet deep,

At Ashland, Superintendent Bignell of the Burlington reports Salt creek higher than it has been for twenty years. At Schuyler track is washed out. To St. Joseph the Burlington sent its train via Pacoln to Wymore and from Wymore to Oxford much track is covered. The Atchison & Northern was open for traffic today. Passenger train No. 41, which should have arrived here at 1:05 this morning, did not the lack of warmth, arrive until 2 o'clock this afternoon. The local passenger that should have arrived here at 10 this morning got in at 3 this afternoon. The tracks of the Union Pacific out of Lincoln to the north are under water for over a mile. The Stromsburg train is hung up a mile and a half out of town, the company fearing to trust the tracks. The train from Beatrice to Omaha

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 30 -- (Special.)-The Nemaha river at this point is still on the rise. Many say it is higher now than in 1883, when it reached its highest mark. The Missouri river to the north is out of its banks and Fulla City is cut off from the south, west and north. The growing crops on the bottoms are ruined. Only about half of the corn is planted and The business men feel the effects of the that which is in is mostly covered with high water. Occasionally a farmer living beyond the river comes to town by means ing as soon as the ground can be worked.

Blue River a Raging Sea.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 30,-(Special Telegram.)-Beatrice is in the grip of the worst fined known in the history of the city and the Blue river at this point is two feet higher than last year and still rising.

The electric light plant was shut down yesterday and this morning the water works was forced to suspend business. The city is now without fire protection. Trains on all railroads have been abandoned and the bridges are in danger of

NEBRASKA TOWNS FLOODED being swept away. The river at this point is a raging sea and is a mile wide in illes have been driven from their homes during the past twenty-four hours.

avorable, as the water began to slowly re- | Several bridges throughout the county are cede just before noon. Bradt's large ice washed out, and the public roads are in a EXERCISES house and several cottages near the Chau- horrible condition. All trains are from on auqua grounds were swept away and it is to twelve hours late, owing to washouts feared that the Court street bridge will go and the softness of the roadbed. have been abandoned.

Court street bridge in the heart of the of May eleven inches of water has fallen. business and residence portion of West

south side. will be very heavy. As far as known no fatalities have occurred.

The flood conditions here this evening are not materially improved since noon today. The Blue valley from De Witt to Creek valley from Pickrell to this city. The Union Pacific railway line is under

endangered. In this city the conditions are the worst in the history of Beatrice. It is now thirtyand various residences. About 1,000 people and from present indications it will be sev-

> The river has fallen about seven ings have been thrown open for the accommodation of the flood sufferers and everything possible is being done for their com-Several head of horses and cattle adds to the horror of the situation. burning in their places of business all propriate address.

night. FREMONT, Neb., May 30.-(Special.)-The weather observer here reports the nearly eleven inches, which is the heaviest over recorded here. More water is standing in the fields now than at any time since the ditches were dug through the Platte bettoms. The ground is so saturated that in some places in the northeast part of the city and south of the tracks celiars are filled with water.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-Another rain visited this section today and practically tied up all railway traffic. The temperature fell to 50 degrees and business is almost at a standstill. Landslides are reported on the B. & M. line running along the river south of this city, completely blocking the tracks. No train has come in over the Q road since Tuesday. The mail carriers who are enroute to the convention in this city are expected here this evening. The public reception has been abandoned. The business session of the convention will be held tonight and a banquet will follow at the account of the rain.

Farmer is Drowned.

AUBURN, Neb., May 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-August Heitzig, a prominent farmer of this county, was drowned in the from the men in charge and rushed back Longs branch, a mile west of this city. last night. He had been in town late Friday evening and it is said he was started home by the officers about 11 o'clock. This house just across the creek, while his load of lumber was on this side. It is supposed across and unhitched, intending to go mas. home with the team alone, and was drowned while crossing. Search was kept up all day for a distance of two miles down the stream for the body and it was High school was rendered at Krause's hall found about 6 o'clock this evening within last night. In spite of the continual rain class of the Wayne High school. 100 feet of the crossing.

Farmers Are Much Discouraged. SCHUYLER, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Thirteen inches of rain have fallen at ing beside the building south of the viaduct | Schuyler during the month of May and 26 are covered with water almost to the top inches during the last two days. Many cellars are filled level with the ground upon which the houses stand and furnaces Granaries company and has surrounded the in many of them are almost entirely subbuilding. Over 500 feet of the Union Pacific merged. The high school heating plant could not be used and the Methodist and Presbyterian church furnaces are standing of Huchins & Hyatt and is almost to the in two to three feet of water. Cement coal office of the Whitebreast company un- walks are covered with standing or runder the viaduct. Dierk's coal yard on the ning water and swiftly flowing streams course down many of the streets, in some yard of Foster & Co. and the coal yard of of which there is two to three feet of P. D. Smith are overflowed. There is no water and in many places block after, water in the Burlington switch yards, but block between the curbs is covered with it is believed that these will be overflowed water. There has not been in a long time such feelings of discouragement as now exist, mainly because of the inability of farmers to do their work. Corn planting was not more than half done and there is now no prospect of that work being finished in time to permit of a corn crop's properly maturing. Of the corn that was planted a great deal of it rotted, or was washed out, and what came up cannot be cultivated, the weeds getting such headway that it will be very difficult to conthe Swift icehouse there a portion of the quer them. Oats and wheat, which had such a fine start, are not making headway much of each being drowned out or suffercific Junction and Creston, Ia. From Lincessive moisture. Rye is said to be about the only thing above water and that is beginning to show weariness of the conditions. Grass is not doing well because of

> YORK, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Th continued excessive fall of rain is become ing serious in York county. Ninety-five per cent of the farm land of York county lies with a slight roll and was known to have standing water until this year. Many farmers believe they will have to replant hundreds of acres of corn. Wheat and oats are still looking well. Aifalfa on gently rolling land is making a great growth and hundreds of acres will be cut next week if there is a let up in the rainfall. Grasses never looked better,

All Farm Work Suspended. EDGAR, Neb., May 30 .- (Special)-The excessive rains for the last twenty days has put a complete stop to all farm work. water, and will require extensive replant-Nearly fifteen inches of water has fallen in the last twenty days and for the last week the fall has averaged over an inch a day. HUMBOLDT, Neb., May 30 -- (Special.)-The flood has reached the acute stage here and if the rise continues all residents of the lower part of the city will be compelled to move out, most of them having done so already. The Nemaha river is out, covering J. the entire valley, in places being a mile or

more wide. Twelve Inches of Rain in May.

May, the heaviest fall of any month in the DECORATE DESPITE THE DAMP places. The west and south parts of the history of the county. About two-thirds of ity are submerged and hundreds of fam- the corn is planted, but some of this is drowned out and will have to be replanted. Small grain, meadows and pastures never At 12 o'clock the flood situation was more looked better at this season of the year.

out. No mails have been received here for ELWOOD. Neb., May 30,-(Special.)-For twenty-four hours and rural delivery routes thirty-six hours there has been a steady downpour of rain, deluging everything. The The flood extends four blocks west of the entire country is affoat. During the month

Beatrice to the Chautauqua grounds on the BOYS AND GIRLS GRADUATE The damage in this section of the city High School Commencement Exercises in Many Towns of

Nebraska.

HASTINGS, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-A Holmesville is a vast sea, and the same class of twenty-eight was graduated from afternoon if the weather changes for the discouraging condition exists along Indian the high school here tonight. Hon. E. J. better. Hainer of Aurora delivered an address on water from here to Pickrell, as are the Graduate." Certificates were presented by gram was carried out. The principal ad-Burlington tracks from De Witt to this Jacob Bally, president of the Board of Edpoint. The same conditions prevail from ucation. Those graduated were: Madge of the First Christian church, who spoke this city to Holmesville, along the line of Bailey, Ruth Bates, Blanche M. Cantwell, on "Not by Gold but by Blood." Comthe Union Pacific ten miles south, and it Neoma Chapman, Bessie L. Duer, Nellie is feared that the roadbed is permanently Edith French, Abbie Mabel Hallock, Hale cation was by Rev. E. H. Willisford of injured. Bear creek, Cub creck and all M. Hunt, Mary Alice Jordan, Thomas B. streams contributory to the Blue river in Kerr, Helen Meston, Henry R. Sewell, this vicinity are out of their banks and Bernice Aldrich, Bessie Aldrich, Edwin C. bridges are washed away in all sections Boyd, Eugene Star Cole, Mildred Dunn. of the county. The Little Nemaha, in the Pearl Edna Farney, Lulu E. Funk, Cora north part of the county, is also on the A. Hutchinson, Ira S. Mansfield, Lauren O. rampage and the Atchison & Northern Millikin, Lydia A. Woodbury, Thomas A. railway readbed is under water between Atkinson, Mary Amelia Fawthrop, Harvey Adams and Firth, and the railway bridges | Howard Jones, H. Grace Lamoreoux, Kathryne Stichter.

DAVID CITY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The commencement exercises of the David house last night. The address to the class land, O., whose subject was "The Sunny Side of Life." Lewis Skinner was awarded inches since noon. The west school build- first honors and Miss Marie Reasoner second, both of these receiving a four-year scholarship

RUSHVILLE, Neb., May 20 .- (Special.)-The commencement exercises held in the were carried down stream this afternoon. opera house last night created more than The horses were saved, but the cattle were usual interest owing to the prominence of will be occasioned in the deserted houses. drowned. It has been misting rain all day the five young women graduates-Welma and this evening it is cold, which only Wood, Helen Dale, Mary Wilson, Ethel Patterson and Maggie Wohlford. The ex-Twenty special policemen will patrol the ercises were well received and the scene streets tonight as a protection for the was arranged with rare taste. Red and city in case of fire. Mayor Shultz has or- white were the class colors. W. W. Wood dered proprietors of stores to keep lights presented the diplomas in a brief and ap-

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.) The eighth annual commencement of the the cemetery to decorate the graves of the Springfield High school was held last night total rainfall for the month thus far at at the opera house. Rain was falling in only about forty members of the post now, sheets, but the house was crowded and while there are nearly twice that number the program was an excellent one. Two of veteran graves in the cemetery. Megirls and seven boys constituted the class, morial services were held in the Parmele as follows: George D. Clement, "A Review of Labor;" Thomas F. Hamilton, "The Great Men of Today;" Lewis C. Johnson, "Our Rank Among Nations;" Fra E. Smith, 'One Unwavering Aim:" Chester G. Keyes, 'America's Need of a Larger Navy;" Lina the state legislature. The Burlington shops, S. Calhoun, "The American Fault;" Ross W. Bates, "The Negro as a National Factor;" John R. Quinley, "The Young Man and His Road to Success;" Gus W. Peters, "Modern Knighthood." Presentation of diplomas by I. L. Freeman. SCHUYLER, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-

Schuyler High school occurred last night, a class of sixteen striving to solve the serious and perplexing problems of the day, and receiving diplomas. The program included a debate on otic program was rendered at the Meth-the question, "Should the Monroe Doctrine" odist Episcopal church, including addresses Masonic hall. The Decoration day exer-cises planned for today were abandoned on as follows: "Yes, for the Safety of the NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., May 30.—(Spe-Kohout; "No, in the Interest of Our Na- on account of the rain. tion," Harry W. White; "No, in the Interest of Mankind," Ethel C. Dane.

The names of the other graduates are: Lydian B. Shultz, Josephine Trachts. Gladys M. Dawson, Elizabeth Margaret At 2 o'clock the old soldiers formed and Woods, Fannie B. Davis, Neilie M. Wells, Marcia Louise Webber, Nona E. Zentmeyer, morning his team was found at a farm Clara B. Guidinger, Irene May Coles, Winifred Tooher, Bert R. Chilcoat. The exercises were interesting in spite of the great that when he came to the swollen stream | length. Mr. F. J. Everitt, vice president he decided that he could not take his load of the school board, presented the diplo-

WEST POINT, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The program for the fifteenth annual commencement exercises of the West Point the auditorium was well filled with school patrons. Following the program Rev. A. B. Leamer of the English Lutheran church gave a short class address, which was highly appreciated by the audience. Mr. Leamer's popularity as a speaker and pulpit orator is growing and the demand for his services on public occasions is constantly increasing throughout northern Nemade the class presentation speech, after which Mr. P. M. Moodie, president of the school board, in a very happy manner presented the diplomas to the twelve gradu ates, who are as follows: Lena Yunek, Kathryn Meier, Blanche Shearer, Mary Chambers, Flora Melcher, Emma Ackerman, Alvin P. Jaeger, Malachi O'Sullivan, Edmund C. Jaeger, Glen Losch, William Theisen and Noah Thiele.

ARLINGTON, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.) The graduating exercises of the Arlington High school were held in Masonic hall on Thursday night. The graduates were: Don Williams, Clarence R. Miller, Oscar E. Claycomb, Frank S. Reynolds, Keokee V. Hagenbuck and Raymond F. Roberts. A splendid program was well arranged by Prof. R. V. Garrett and successfully carried who were reared west of the Mississippi. out. Superintendent Carroll G. Pearse of the Omaha public schools delivered an ad-

HEBRON, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The High school were held at the Methodist church last evening. An address was given by Rev. A. K. Myattway and Rev. R. A. Schell presented the diplomas. There were fifteen in the graduating class, ten boys and

FAIRBURY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)commencement exercises of the Fairbury High school were held last evening, the graduating class numbering twenty-one. An address was delivered by Judge Paul Jessen and Hon. C. H. Denney, president of the Board of Education, presented the

diplomas. EDGAR. Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The lumni of the Edgar High school held its annual meeting and hanquet in the opera house last evening. Sixty members of the alumni were present out of a membership of 160. An excellent program was rendered, after which the graduates of 1903 were duly

Widow Escapes in Wind Storm. HUMBOLDT, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Mrs. John Mehlin, a widow of this place arrived this forenoon from Upland, where she went a month ago to spend the summer with relatives. She was right in the path of the tornado which did so much damage there. None of her relatives lost M. Johnson, another resident of this city. DAVID CITY, Neb., May 30.—(Special.)— narrow escape by crawling into a culvert. killed and died in service in the Philippines.

Veterans in Many Nebraska Towns Remember the Heroic Dead

HELD UNDER

In Plattsmouth Prudence Prevails and the Pilgrimage to the Graves is Postponed-Business is Generally Suspended.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., May 56.—(Special.)Memorial services were held in Lincoln today, but the usual ceremonies were not carried out. Owing to the heavy rain and the muddy condition of the roads, it was impossible for the old soldiers to go to Wyuka cemetery as they proposed. This, however, will be done at 2 o'clock tomorrow

This afternoon the old soldiers met at "The Opportunities and Obligations of the the auditorium where an appropriate prodress was by Rev. N. S. Haynes, pastor mander Trimble presided and the invothe First Baptist church. Adjutant Howe read the Memorial day order and J. D. Underwood read Lincoln's address at Gettysburg.

The offices of the state house were closed and a general holiday was observed all over the city.

FREMONT, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Decoration day services were held at the opera house today on account of the rain instead of at the park. Only a few people besides the members of the Grand Army and the signal corps were present. Mayor Wolz presided and Congressman Hitchcock delivered the address. At the close of the exercises the Grand Army took carryalls for Ridge cemetery and the Catholic cemetery, where the graves were decorated and the usual ritualistic exercises performed. Taps were sounded and a salute fired by a detachment from the signal corps. On account of the rain there were no races or ball game at the racetrack as had been arranged. In spite of the deep mud a good many people drove to the cemeteries today and the floral decorations were as extensive as usual. Business was suspended this aft-

Graves Not Decorated

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 20 .- (Special.) The Grand Army post and the Woman's Relief corps met in their hall this foreoon, but owing to the rain did not go to deceased veterans and members. There are theater this afternoon. Hon, George M. Spurlock paid a glowing tribute to the old soldiers and presented to McConhie post the large silk flag that was used in representative hall during the last session of the banks, the county and city offices and the postoffice were closed during the day. The Stars and Stripes floated from the flagstaff on the courthouse, the high school building and many residences.

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Decoration day was duly observed in this graduating exercises of the city in spite of the floods and bad weather. In the morning the old soldiers met at their hall and marched to the cemetery where the graves of deceased veterans were decorated. In the afternoon a patri-United States," Anna McPherson; "Yes, for cial Telegram.)-The Decoration day exerthe Protection of South America," John W. cises planned for today were abandoned

WAYNE, Neb., May 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-Decoration day was duly observed here today under the auspices of Casey post No. 5, Grand Army of the Republic. marched to the cemetery, accompanied by citizens, and the graves of departed comrades were strewn with flowers. After the ritualistic exercises at the cemetery the procession again formed and marched to the opera house, where Governor Mickey delivered the address of the day to an unurually large and appreciative audience. The governor, who is the guest of Prof. Snodgrass, will deliver the baccalaureate adtomorrow evening before the graduating

Elaborate Program at Schuyler.

SCHUYLER, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.) The local post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the Woman's Relief corps prepared for today one of the most elaborate Decoration day programs that has ever been arranged, but the rain last night and the threatening weather of today prevented its being carried out in full. The march to braska. Superintendent R. H. Graham the cemetery had to be abandoned. Dr. F. H. Sanderson of Fremont delivered an address at the Presbyterian church at 1 o'clock, a selected choir singing two anthems, "Remember Now Thy Creator" and "Peaceful Sleep."

> HASTINGS, Neb., May 30 .- (Special Telegram.)-Memorial exercises were held here today regardless of the inclement weather. The line of march was from the Grand splendid program was rendered. Hon, John M. Ragan presided. The address was delivered by W. F. Gurley of Omaha, who gave a tribute of patriotism to the soldier dead. He emphasized the inspiration which the Spanish-American soldiers derived from the veterans of '61. The peroration was an eloquent recounting of the illustrious men

Hold Exercises Indoors.

SUTTON, Neb., May 30 .- (Special Teleannual graduating exercises of the Hebron the Methodist Episcopal church here today, the most favored county in the state this the weather preventing outdoor exercises or a march to the cemetery. A grave was erected on the rostrum and was decorated. symbolizing the spirit of the day. Edward Rosewater of Omaha was the speaker of the occasion, and delivered an address of Army of the Republic, of which Dr. M. V. Anthem-"Hushed O'er These Sacred Fleid of Mounds".......M. E. Choir Prayer...Charles Newman, Post Chaplain Reading-"Mr. Lincoln's Address at Get-

YORK, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Rain and the muddy condition of roads prevented the great preparations and part of the program of the Grand Army of the their lives, but their property was swept Republic in observance of Decoration day. away, and Mrs. Mehlin lost all of her Large numbers gathered at Grand Army clothing except what she had on. She was hall this morning, where carriages were thankful to escape with her life and tells waiting, and a procession was formed a graphic story of the horrors of the storm. which started at 10 o'clock for Greenwood cemetery. Large bouquets, wreaths and representing a machinery company at hundreds of flowers were carefully laid Campbell, writes home that he was in that upon the graves of old soldiers and graves city when the wind passed over and had a of the brave young York soldiers who were

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Those participating were members of the Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief corps, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Daughters and Sons of Veterans and members of Company A who went to the Philippines. Services in the afternoon were held in the Methodist

THREE DIVORCES ARE GRANTED Three Other Cases Also Pisposed of

Before Floods Cause an Adjournment of Court.

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-District court was held only two days this week and then adjourned until June & on account of the high water, as many jurymen and witnesses could not get here. The following cases were disposed of: Harry Mosena was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for petit larceny.

court found for the plaintiff in the sum of \$75 and costs. This was a suit brought by Stanton against Gist for a board bill in Kansas City. Lemp Brewing company against E. K.

In the case of Stanton against Gist th

Kertner. Sult on note. Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$1.716.28 Nellie Alexander against Charles Alexander. Decree of divorce granted. Amanda Miller against Charles Miller.

Divorce granted. Samuel Deffenbaugh against May Deffen baugh. Divorce granted and property settled by agreement, name of defendant, Mary McCann, restored, and plaintiff to pay costs.

dress at the Methodist Episcopal church FALLS CITY WANTS CARNIVAL Petition of Remonstrance Only Receives a Half Dozen

Signatures. FALLS CITY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-At the beginning of the week a petition remonstrating against the Collins Carnival company being permitted to give its show at the street fair which is to be held from June 15 to 25, inclusive, was signed by only about half a dozen persons. Another paper was circulated later asking the city council to grant the carnival company the use of Stone street on the dates mentioned, under the supervision of the police and a committee of citizens. This paper was signed by nearly every business man in town. The matter will be brought before the council

Army hall to the opera house, where a BOUNTEOUS RAINS AID CROPS Sheridan County Sends Up a Shout of Joy-Crops All in and Are Doing Finely.

Monday evening.

RUSHVILLE, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-Sheridan county never looked finer than it does today. The bounteous rain supply has stimulated all growth. Coming after the rop is nearly all in it is making the hearts of our farmers jubilant. The present indigram.)-Memorial exercises were held at cations are that Sheridan county is perhaps

York Druggists Get Licenses. YORK, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The city council has granted druggist permits to all adopted. It showed that a grand total of Maximum temperature ... of the druggists of York and imposed on much interest to the veterans and the them conditions and rules under which younger people as well. The exercises were they can dispose of intoxicating liquors under the auspices of Mead post, Grand which makes it nearly impossible for anyone to buy liquor unless for purely medic Clark is commander, and the program was: ina! purposes. The prohibitionists are still active and today are soliciting funds to carry on the campaign against the issuing of permits. They claim to have evidence to convict druggists of selling contrary to the Slocumb law.

Site for Fairbury Postoffice. FAIRBURY, Neb., May 30 .- (Special.)-The postoffice will be located in the new building which the Harbine bank will erect on the corner of E and Fourth streets on the site of the burned postoffice building. The new building will be 142 feet in depth, one-half to be used for a banking house and the balance for postoffice.

D. J. St. C'air of the Postoffice department is in the city making examinations with the view of establishing free delivery.

Cass County Sunday Schools. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 30,-(Special.)-The annual convention of the Cass County Sunday School association will be held in Louisville on Monday and Tuesday, June 15 and 16. Every Sunday school in the county is expected to be represented.

May Build a New Jail. YORK, Neb., May 30.-(Special.)-Owing to the easy manner in which the bank rob- gram.)-Memorial day was generally ob-

time. Electric light-water and janitor service free. R. C. Peters & Co., Rental Agents. Ground Floor, Bee Building.

bers broke out of the county jail, the served in this city by the decoration and county board will consider the advisabil- closing of business houses. The address ity of building a new jail building on a lot of the day was made at the state house owned by the county on Nebraska avenue by Hon. C. H. Burke. between Fifth and Sixth streets. The sher iff has over \$300 in cash bellonging to the FORECAST OF THE WEATHER bank robbers. It will cost the county over \$500 to repair the jail.

THE SCRUBWOMAN

FOR CLOSER CHURCH UNION Southern Presbyterians Appoint Com mittee to Meet in Conference with Reformed Church.

LEXINGTON, Va., May 30 .- At today's session of the general assembly of the day; Monday fair and warmer; fresh to Southern Presbyterian church the foreign correspondence committee reported relative to a communication from the synod of the Reformed Presbyterian church, asking that a committee be appointed to consider, with like committees, closer union with the Reformed churches.

The report recommended that the appointment of such a committee be not made, as there was no evidence in sight that justified the assembly in hoping that the object proposed might be gained in this way. It was adopted.

In accordance with the recommendation of the committee on Sabbath schools, Dr. A. L. Phillips of Richmond was retained as general superintendent of Sabbath schools and young people's societies. The report on systematic beneficence was \$466,753 had been given for specific causes during the year ending March 31, which compared with last year's report showed net gain of \$13,975.

KILLS SELF IN CATHEDRAL Unidentified Woman Jumps from Spire of Church at Rouen.

(Copyright, 1939, by Press Publishing Co.) ROUEN, France, May 30.—(New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-The town of Rouen boasts of one of the most terrible tragedies in France's recent his-

that of a young woman it had reached the April 15 earth and was literally broken to pieces. Who the suicide was is still a mystery.

Sixty Dollars an Acre. TYNDALL, B. D., May 30 .- (Special.)-James Benesh has sold his farm for \$60 per acre and bought a 240-acre farm of C.

Trowbridge for \$40 per acre. Decoration Day at Pierre. PIERRE, S. D., May 30 .- (Special Tele-

Fair Sunday Except Rain in Southeast Portion of Nebraska Predicted.

WASHINGTON, May 30 .- The forecast: For Nebraska-Fair Sunday except rain in the southeast portion; warmer; Monday fair. For Indiana and Illinois-Clearing Sun-

brisk north winds along the lake. For North and South Dakota-Fair and warmer Sunday, Monday fair. For Missouri-Clearing Sunday; cooler in

east portion; Monday fair and warmer. For Colorado and Wyoming-Fair Sun day and Monday. For Kansas-Fair, warmer Sunday and Monday.

For Iowa-Fair in north, clearing in south portions Sunday; Monday fair and warmer For Montana-Fair Sunday and Monday Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 30.—Official record of tem-perature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day since March 1, 1963. Normal temperature 66
Deficiency for the day 16
Total excess since March 1 215
Normal precipitation 16 inch
Excess for the day 26 inch
Precipitation since March 1 11.34 inch
Excess since March 1 197 inch
Deficiency for cor period, 1902 441 inch
Deficiency for cor period, 1901 2.41 inch

June Averages. The following data for the month of June covering a period of thirty-two years, has been compiled from the weather bureau records at Omaha: Temperature-Mean or normal, 72 degrees terrible tragedies in France's recent history. About 7 o'clock one evening when the streets were alive with people a dark obect was observed hurting through the air from the great spire of the Gothic cathedral.

Almost before the terrified onlookers had realised that it was a human body and that of a young woman it had reached the

April 16.

Precipitation—Average for the month, 5.36 inches. Average number of days with, 61 of an inch or more, 11. The greatest monthly precipitation was 12.70 inches in 1883. The least monthly precipitation was 1.43 inches in 1897. The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any twenty-four consecutive hours was 5.02 inches on June 17, 1875.

Clouds and Weather—Average number of clear days, 3; partly cloudy, 18; cloudy, 8. Wind—The prevailing winds have been from the southeast. The highest velocity of the wind was sixty miles, from the south, on June 16, 1875 and June 5, 1880.

Local Forecast Official.