CANNOT SAY WHAT STOCKS ARE WORTH

Papers in Dennison Requisition Not Received at State House-Precedent in Case Set by Iowa Governor.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 28 .- (Specias.)-Tax Commissioner Pollard of the Burlington, who has heretofore been an advocate of the plan of assessing railroads on the tangible property, took a hitch in himself this morning and told the State Board of Equalization that it was eminently fitting that the nct earnings of railroads capitalized should be taken into consideration as a basis of arriving at the true value of the roads. Mr. Pollard came to this conclusion after having returned empty handed from a quest of the value of the stocks and bonds of his company, having been sent out on such a mission by the board some days ago. At the same time R. W. McGinnis, apparently to offset the Pollard charge, filed with the board an unsigned brief entitled "The theory that capitalization of net earnings or that the price of the stocks and

erty for taxation, exploded." The board is tired of these "explosions," however, and one member stated to Mo-Ginnis that it was easy enough to find what the board could not do, but the board would appreciate it if the railroads would file a brief showing what it could do. Consequently the brief will not have the weight with the board that it might have had a few weeks ago.

bonds represent the true value of prop-

In agreeing that the plan of finding the value of the railroad property on the net earnings basis Mr. Pollard placed the net a mile. During the month of March he justice. said the earnings of the road west of the river compared with the same month of a year ago showed a decrease of \$283,000; in month last year showed a decrease of \$125,000; the operating expenses of the road decrease of net earnings \$301,000. For the \$125,000. Compared with the same three months of last year the total decrease for west of the river amounted to \$523,000, which was about 40 per cent of the entire system, the decrease on the system being over \$1,000,000. Mr. Pollard thought if there should be a bad year the decrease would much greater and apparently shuddered to think of it.

Finally Makes Estimate. As to the information required by the bonds. Mr. Pollard said it could not be ob-There was no stock of the Chieago, Burlington & Quincy on the market, as it had been merged into the Northern no one who could tell what it would be that Hill was buying up the stock of the neer days in Lincoln. company it was run up to \$200, but that, of course, at this time that was not its value. When a member of the board suggested that an arbitrary value would have to be singly misdemean; under the statutes arrived at by the board in the absence of the information Mr. Pollard said that if all the stock of the company was placed gun on all of them together they might on the market it would likely bring very have a cumulative effect in keeping them mark that if all the land in the state was thrown on the market at once it would not fine is less than \$100 the offense is outbring a very high price, but that it was lawed in one year, while where it amounts not necessary to discuss such a contin-gency. Then followed a dialogue of the value of stocks and bonds and Poor's manual between Mr. Pollard and Mr. Mortelling Mr. Pollard that the board wanted tensen, concluding with Mr. Mortensen still

No!

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OMAHA'S FAVORITE

to know the value of his stock's and bonds. which Mr. Pollard finally estimated at \$150.

Precedent for Dennison Case. Not having received a copy of the requisition papers issued by the governor of lows for the return to that state of Tom Dennison of Omaha, and having no knowledge of the grounds upon which the requisition was issued, Governor Mickey will make no statement of his intentions in the matter.

It is safe to predict, however, that if Governor Cummins issued the requisition upon a charge of complicity in the Pollack diamond robbery, it will have to be proven that Dennison was really in Iowa at the time of the robbery before the requisition will be honored. This prediction seems justified because of a precedent established in a case between the two governors several days ago. Governor Mickey issued a requisition for the return to Keya Paha county on a felony charge of two men, and the papers were served on the Iowa governor, the men wanted being in Iowa. Governor Cummins refused to honor the requisition for the reason that it was not proven that the two men were in Keya Paha county at the time the alleged crime was committed.

The extradition laws of Iowa and Nebraska are somewhat similar, it is said. and based on the action of Governor Cummins in refusing to honor requisition issued by the governor of South Dakota for the person of a woman charged with sending poisoned candy to a resident of that state, causing death, because there was no law on the statutes by which he had a right to interfere when the party wanted was out of the state at the time of the commission of the alleged crime, it is unlikely that requisition will be honored should that point be raised.

The papers have not yet arrived at the office of the governor, however, and until they do there is no telling on what grounds the requisition was issued. Governor Mickey stated that he intended to act after full deliberation in the matter and earnings of his road in Nebraska at \$2,500 would do what he thought was right and

Found Dead in Red.

Bernard Dolan, better known as "Barney," an old man who has lived in the April the earnings compared with the same city a long time at 101 E street, was found dead in bed this morning. The little son of Dennis Pottinger was playing around had been reduced \$167,000, making the total the house and saw through the window the man lying on the bed. He immediately first three weeks in May the decrease was told his mother and an investigation followed. Dolan was an old man and has lived alone at this plice since the death the three months just passed on the road of his wife a year ago last winter. She is supposed to have committed suicide by drowning herself in Salt creek. At least her remains were found frozen in the ice in the

Coroner Graham was notified at once and the body was taken to Roberts' morgue. One of the daughters of the deceased is at present housekeeper for Bishop Bonacum and another is said to keep house for a board showing the value of the stocks and priest near Davy. His nephew, Gorgonius Dolan, is engaged in the real estate busi-

ness in the city. Bernard Dolan was many years ago a section hand in the employ of the Bur-Securities company, he said, which was lington, but for almost or quite twenty now in litigation, and therefore there was years he has been known chiefly as a city laborer and was one of the unique and worth. He told that when it was learned familiar characters handed down from plo-

> When Misdemeanors Outlaw. This morning attorney General Prout

rendered an opinion holding that while a might outlaw in one year, where there are several offenses and prosecution was be Governor Mickey interrupted to re- from being outlawed in that time. The point involved is that where the maximum to more than that sum it does not.

sloner Carter this morning by the attorney general. The question rose in the case against A. E. Brigham, an Oconto merchant, who is being prosecuted for having had possession of 218 quail and prairie chicken during the closed season. He shipped them in February, 1903, before the complaint was filed, and when his case came to trial his attorneys moved to quash the complaint on the ground that more than a year had elapsed. It was on this point that Mr. Carter asked for an opinion, The effect of the attorney general's opinion is to make a person liable to prosecution more than a year after the commission of a misdemeanor if the penalty amounts to more than \$100 or if there are several offenses committed at the same time, the penalties for which amount to more than that sum. In this case the fine provided is \$5 a bird, making the total fine to which Brigham is liable \$1,090.

LET OUT ONE SUPERINTENDENT

Two Districts of the Northwestern to Be Consolidated June 1.

FREMONT, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-Some important changes will take place in the management of the Nebraska divisions of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad on June 1. The eastern district and the South Platte district will be consolidated with Superintendent Reynolds of the Eastern district in charge. Superintendent Mahanna of the South Platte district is let out. It has not yet been announced where the headquarters of the new division will be. If at Norfolk it will mean the removal to that place of the force in the dispatcher's office and a number of clerks from here.

Mr. Mahanna will probably retire from active business and expects to remove to Reading, Pa., about June 15. He has been in the employ of the Northwestern for thirty-seven years, beginning as a section hand. He later entered the train service and was promoted until about fifteen years ago he was made a superintendent and took charge of the Bouth Platte division of the old Elkhorn road. He succeeded Tom Horn, whose management had been rather loose, and soon had the division in first-class shape and was considered among railroad men one of the best superintendents on the system.

AGED MAN SHOOTS HIMSELF

Temporarily Out of His Mind He Put a Shot Through His Head. FAIRBURY, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-Luke K. Lee committed suicide by shooting himself through the head, dying in about an hour after firing the shot. Mr. Lee came here from Warren, Ill.; about two years ago and has since lived here with his daughter and son-in-law, Conductor Brill of the Rock Island railway. He was 73 years old, and for some time had been in poor health and despondent. He was evidently out of his right mind, as a short time before the shooting he was in the garden pulling up plants under the impression that he was destroying weeds. He was a member of the Masonic and Ancient Order of United Workmen orders and will be buried Sunday with Masonic

OSCEOLA, Neb., May S .- (Special.)-J. C. Rahe has sold the Shelby Sun to Henry Huckins of Lincoln and A. L. Clark of Stromsburg, and the new firm will be known as Huckins & Clark. Clark made a praiseworthy attempt to publish a republican paper at Stromsburg, and he deserves better support than he has had there at the hands of the Shelby people. It is not but with these gentlemen to run it. it will "hew to the line, let the chips fall any-

honors.

FOR THE STATE'S BIRTHDAY

All Arrangements Complete for the Semi-Centennial Observance.

LIST OF COMMITTEES AND PIONEERS

General Committee Gives Out the Names of Those Who Will Have Charge and Be Guesta that Day.

All preliminaries at last for the semicentennial observance are now complete. the executive committee having named its full list of committees, the last being selected yesterday. This is the committee on arrangements, to have charge of matters at the hall, the seating and other details, and consisting of N. P. Dodge, ir. Charles H. Brown, Fred Lowe, George H. Pritchett and S. S. Caldwell, with Mr. Dodge as chairman.

Invitations have been sent to officers and dignituries of the state, asking their presence in the city on the day of the celebration. The general committees and the list of the ploneers of the territory now registered follows:

now registered follows:

President of the Day-George L. Miller.
Honorary Presidents-Governor John H.
Mickey, ex-Governor R. W. Furnas, exGovernor J. W. Dawes, ex-Governor Albinus Nance, General John M. Thayer,
Hon. J. E. Boyd, Hon. Lorenzo Crounse,
Hon. W. A. Poynter, Hon. S. A. Holcomb.
Wives or Widows of Territorial Officials,
Quests of Honor-Mrs. T. B. Cumings,
Omaha; Mrs. Jessle Lowe, Omaha, (Paxton
hotel); Mrs. A. J. Poppleton, Omaha; Mrs.
Alvin Saunders, Omaha; Mrs. Emma Morton, Nebraska City, Neb.; Mrs. E. Wakeiey, Omaha; Mrs. J. W. H. Patrick, Omaha;
Mrs. George W. Doane, Omaha; Mrs. S. D.
Bangs, Omaha; Mrs. J. H. Ish, Omaha;
Mrs. Byron Reed, Omaha; Mrs. St. A. D.
Balcombe, Omaha; Mrs. J. W. Paddock,
Denver, Colo.; Mrs. A. S. Paddock, Lincoln, Neb.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE. Chairman-Guy C. Barton. Allen, Edgar.
Andresen, E. M.
Brady, John S.
Belden, C. C.
Benson, E. A.
Bruce, E. E. Miliard, Alfred. Metz, Fred. Penfold, H. J. Pickens, C. H.-Peck, E. P. Patrick, R. W. Reed, A. L. Rogers, T. J. Saunders, C. Is Smith, A. C. Smith, H. B. Byrne, Thos. C. Brown, Charles H. Chase, Clement. Connell, W. J. Wallace, George G, Wattles, G, W. Weller, C. F. Wilcox, R. S. Wright, W. S. Wyman, H. F. Lininger, G. W. Martin, Euclid.

TERRITORIAL PIONEERS. Artman, W. R. Anderson, David. Avery, W. R. Bryant, B.
Barker. George E.
Burley, Alfred.
Beindorff, Charles,
Barkalow, S. D. Boyd, James E. E2.

Clarke, Henry T. Conkling, Dr. J. R. Connoyer, Charles Creighton, John A. South Omaha, Neb Crounse Lorenzo, Collins, John S. Curtis, Samuel S. Croft, John T. Coffman, V. H., Dr. Creigh, Thomas A. Clark, E. H. Downs, C. H. Dellone, Fred. Dickenson, W. R. Deuel, Harry

Dunham, Martin. Dellone, Frank X. Donecken, A. H. Doane, George W. Curtis, Neb. Edwards, Jonathan. Emery, E. L. Forsyth, James. Frenzer, Peter, Ferguson, A. N. Ferguson, A. N. Forbes, George W. Forgey, Samuel, Florence, Neb. Fisette, Charles H.

Garrett, Frank.
Glover, Sam G., Ar-Gilmore, William, lington, Neb.

Hoagland, George A. House, J. E. Hascall, I. S. Haskell, H. A. Hanscom, A. J., New Hoel, A. R. York. Headrick, Dr. C. M. Hall, Thomas F.

Kennedy, Howard. King, Jacob. Kennedy, W. J. Kennedy, B. E. B. Kosters, Henry A. Kountze, Herman. King, F. M., Fior-Krug, Fred. ence, Neb. Kuony, John B.

Lake, George B. Livesey, Henry, Lyman, C. W. Light, C. R. Leary, C. A. Lytle, John W. Link, Harvey, Mil-lard, Neb. Lawton, W. H.

McGuire, EHsha, Te-McCreary, John. kamah, Neb.

Markel, J. E. Munger, W. H.
Mercer, Dr. S. D. Mercer, J. J.
Murphy, Frank. Maul, W. G.
McArdle, Patrick, Moore, Dr. B. C.
Benson, Neb. Mount, D. T.
Megeath, James G., Millard, Joseph H.
Salt Lake City, Michaels, Laurence. Nolan, J. F. 0.

Orchard, Sam A. Palmer, Capt. H. E H. Peabody, Dr. Jas. H. Patrick, Al S. Pickard, Hiram. ge, Fratt, Col. E. D. Paxton, W. A.
Patrick, J. N. H.
Happy Hollow.
Pickard, Oscar.
Plambeck, George,
Millard, Neb. Redman, Joe.

Resd, Lewis, Redick, John I. Rosewater, E. Rush, John. Renner, Dr. I I. Redman, Joe. Rogers, Samuel E, Riley, Thomas. Risdon, M. R. Fred-Richter, Henry. Rose, Cyme. Sutton, W.

St. Smith, E. V. Simpson, A. J. Swift, Thomas, Snowden, W. P. F. Slaven, Owen, Stephenson, James. Edwards, Neb. Sutphen, D. C. Stone, E. L. Sweesy, William F. Sharp, William A. Shull, D. W.

Turner, Charles. Thompson, Chas. R. Woolworth, Jas. M. Wakeley, E. Wheeler, D. H. Wallace, William. Whitney, David. Willis, John G. Whitel, Frank.

Yost, C. E. Yates, H. W.

Note-Where name of town and state is omitted resident of Omaha, Neb. BROOM FACTORY OF THE WORLD

Biggest Concern of Kind to Be Opened

at Deshler. DESHLER, Neb., May 28 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The new Deshler broom factory, now in course of construction, will be the largest in this country, if not in the world. The walls of the main building are of massive brick and 334 feet long, from 50 to 90 feet in width and 30 to 36 feet high. The factory will be equipped with the most nodern machinery and the engine and boller rooms will be a separate structure immediately adjoining the main building. It is said by the management that no expense will be spared to make the ventilation and light all that could be desired for the comfort of the employes. Fresh air will be admitted by means of ventilators and the plant is to be lighted by electricity. When in full operation from 400 to 50 men will be employed and a capacity of one carload of brooms and whisks is expected. This means an output of about 18.000 brooms and whisks every day when

the plant is in full operation. It is stated from reliable sources that an ncrease of 10 per cent in wages will be made when the new factory opens. Citizens of Deshler feel justly proud of this immense enterprise and are looking forward with interest to the opening of the plant.

Girl is Thrown from Horse PAPILLION, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-Miss Ruby Coleman, living near Springknown what name will be given to the Sun. field, was dangerously injured by being thrown from a horse. The animal took fright while she was riding and threw her headlong into a barbed wire fence with so

much force that she rebounded tweive 'ter, as Alma Blake, the charming young feet from the fence. When picked up the widow, captivated the audience in her girl was unconscious, one ear was torn | natural spirited manner, not at all amanearly from her head, besides other severe | teurish, and was ably supported by Eugene injuries. Twenty-two stitches were neces- Tighe as Rev. Dr. Dozey. Miss Margie sary in order to sew the ear back onto the Walker as Mrs. Dozey did herself proud; head, which was done before she had re- when not sleeping she was watching her covered consciousness. Trouble is being husband and the widow. Homer Sanders, experienced in establishing the circulation husband of the supposed widow, as Tom through the ear. Chances of recovery are Porter did well, as did all the other characagainst the girl.

Democrats in Pierce Find it Hard to

Muster Delegates. PIERCE, Neb., May 28.-(Special Telegram.)-The democrats of Pierce county net here this forenoon. Two sets of deleeight out of thirteen precincts were represented and some of these were only pardemocrats and populists have held conven- the School board. tions on the same day. This year there has been no call for a populist convention. a place on one of the democratic delega-tions. Louis Lederer, who was the popu-COZAD, Neb., May 28.—(Special.)—The tions. Louis Lederer, who was the populist candidate for county clerk last fall. was also given a place on one of the democonvention was very small and they failed to arouse any enthusiasm.

KEARNEY, Neb., May 28 - (Special Telepurpose of selecting delegates to the state City platform. convention will be held in Kearney in Sepember.

CHADRON, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-The vention this week failed to nominate a eight girls and one boy. candidate for county attorney, owing to date suggested at the democratic conven- neva school are now members. tion was A. W. Crites, but the democrats feared populist opposition, and a commitulists when they meet. The populist convention is not yet called.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.) The democrats of Furnas county held of Beaver City was nominated for county cipal for another year. attorney. The balance of the ticket was left blank to be filled by the populists should they so desire.

WEST POINT, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-D. Hunker was chosen chairman and J. F. were elected. State Convention-J. B. Lane, John Fischer, Joseph Pekarek, A. Sorenson, W. A. Smith, J. H. Emley, Hugh Magill, Charles Graff, C. W. Gannon, F. D. J. F. Zajicek, Robert Kelly and J. W. Hodges. Congressional Convention-S. S. Krake, Wenzel Mally, Carl Meyer, George P. Hoy, W. A. Smith, J. E. Melcher, Henry Miller, J. E. Albers, H. W. Frances, J. E. L. Carey, F. L. Gallagher, J. F. Kaup and J. C. Pinker. Resolutions were passed reaffirming the Chicago and Kansas City platforms. W. H. Green of Creighton and L. ing the pupils. Riley of Wisner were endorsed for district delegates for the St. Louis convention and W. J. Bryan was unanimously endorsed for chairman of the Nebraska delegation. W. A. Smith was elected chairman of the new county central committee and J. C. Pinker secretary.

ALLIANCE, Neb., May 28.-(Special Telegram.)-The Kansas City platform was reaffirmed in its entirety with a will by the di mocratic county convention held this afternoon. An invitation to return was extended to those who for conscientious reasons saw fit to differ from it in the past, but a severe denunciation was given to all 'egotistical traitors who were recreant to democracy in the days of her tribulation" and whose return now would make the name of democrat "a stench to the nostrils and a byword among honest men " Delegates were elected to the state, senatorial, representative and congressional conventions. The name of J. O. Keefe, editor o the Alliance Herald, was submitted as delegate of the Sixth congressional district. SIDNEY, Neb., May 28 .- (Special Telegram.)-At the county democratic convention held here this afternoon delegates were chosen to the state convention at Omaha. Joseph Oberfelder was endorsed as a delegate to the national convention. There was a large attendance and harmony pre-

RETURNS WITHOUT REQUISITION

College-Bred Young Lawyer Charged with a String of Burglaries. FREMONT, Neb., May 28.--(Special.)-Sheriff Shipman of Kalamazoo, Mich., left Goldburg, alias Quinn, alias Quigg, alias without requisition papers. Goldburg confessed to Sheriff Bauman that he had been implicated in a dozen different burglaries in | tained. that state and the Micnigan sheriff says that he is supposed to have been concerned in a number more. He is apparently only about 23 or 24 years old and from his con versation has evidently had a college education. His true name is not known. His pal, John Leonard, who is now serving a fifteen-year term in the Michigan penitentinry under an habitual criminal act, is a graduate of Northwestern university at

worked as a clerk and student in his office Graduating Class Presents Play. PLATTSMOUTH. Neb., May 23 .- (Special.)-The seats in the Parmele theater were all taken last evening, the entertainment being the class play, in which Miss Ethel Dovey presented ten members of the gradutaing class of the Plattsmouth High school in an original comedy in three acts, entitled "The Silver Shield," by Sidney Grundy. The different parts were well taken and much enjoyed by all present. Miss Elizabeth Dovey, the leading charac-

Evanston, Ill., and a lawyer. Goldburg

FAIRBURY, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)gates were elected, one for the state and last evening, the graduating class numberone for the congressional convention. Only ing fourteen. The exercises were interspersed with vocal and instrumental mutially represented. For several years the diplomas by H. F. Hale, the president of

CHADRON, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.) Wednesday was the class day of the Chad-

the difficulty of reaching an agreement with the alumni banquet held in the Congregathe populists. Two years ago E. S. Ricker tional church last night an unusually large of the Chadron Times was the candidate. number were present and an enjoyable He was nominated by the populists and the evening was spent. A good spread was populists charge that he was defeated by served by the women's society of the the democrats. This year the only candl- church. Over 190 graduates from the Ge-

HEBRON, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-The twentieth annual graduation exercises of tee was appointed to confer with the pop- the Hebron high school took place at the opera house last night. The diplomas were presented by C. L. Richards. The class consisted of three boys and three girls. SUTTON, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-The their convention today. The candidacy of annual exercises of the Sutton High schools W. J. Bryan as delegate to the national were held yesterday evening in the opera convention was endorsed, as well as that house. They were unusually meritorious of A. C. Shallenberger for governor and and were listened to by a large house. R. D. Sutherland for congress, C. M. Kelly Prof. Clippinger has been retained as prin-

CRETE, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.) -- The graduating exercises of the Crete High evening. The class was composed of eight The democratic county convention was held boys and thirteen girls. Mr. Taihelm was at the court house Thursday afternoon. F. the winner of the joint scholarship, entitling him to free tuition in any of several Zajicek secretary. The following delegates Nebraska colleges. At the close of the exercises a banquet was tendered the graduates by the alumni.

boys and five girls will graduate next Fri-Hunker, B. J. Herman, P. F. O'Sullivan, day from the Osceola High school. Mrs. Dr. L. M. Shaw will present the diplomas. HARTINGTON, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.) -Last night the graduating class, assisted by other pupils of the Hartington public gave "Mrs. Wiggs Cabbage schools. The Union opera house was Patch." crewded and the play was enthusiastically received. Special credit is due Mrs. George L. Nelson for her splendid work in train-

CRAIG, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-Commencement exercises were held last evening at the opera house. There was a large attendance and an excellently rendered program. The address was given by Rev. A. Markley of Tekamah. Six girls and one

STOCKMEN WILL QUIZ KINKAID

Bill Are Exaggerated. ALLIANCE, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-Elaborate preparations are being made for the reception of the Nebraska Stock Growers' association convention, which will be held in this city Thursday and Friday of next week. Congressman Kinkaid will be one of the principal speakers and great interest attaches to his address, for it is a matter of discussion in the minds of many stockmen whether his new 640-acre homestead bill has in it all the merits for stockmen it is claimed. The commission firms of South Omaha, and also of Denver, will be fully represented, a special car coming from South Omaha on Thursday,

WHY FOX IS OUT OF ASYLUM

Suit for Divorce. fit of insanity tried to saw through his making a bad wound in the side, was today taken back to the asylum at Lincoln, The asylum officials sent a man after him as soon as the act was learned. Fox was for that place last evening with Jacob paroled through the efforts of a South Jury Quing, the latter having consented to go obtain a divorce for Fox's wife, it being asylum before such a decree could be ob-

Berries Are Ripe and Plentiful. ground is in excellent condition for farmket in a few days.

BARELY A CORPORAL'S GUARD YOUNG PEOPLE COMMENCE LIFE Boys and Girls Leave School to Take

> Commencement exercises of the Fairbury high school were held at the opera house sic. The graduates were presented their

Frank Pilger, county superintendent, who ron high school. The program included a was supposed to be a populist, was given farce, "The Unexpected Guests," by W.

commencement exercises of the Cozad high school were held in Independent Order of cratic delegations. The attendance at the Odd Fellows hall last evening, a large audience being in attendance. The class was composed of eleven girls and one boy. DAVID CITY, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)gram.)-The democratic county committee This was commencement week of the David met in this city this afternoon for the City High school. Sunday night the baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. convention. The delegation is for W. J. G. A. Smith, pastor of the Baptist church Bryan and the reaffirmation of the Kansas Thursday night the graduates, assisted by The county nominating the freshmen, rendered a class play entitled "Diamonds and Hearts." Friday night the graduating exercises were held Rev. Frank E. R. Miller delivering the addemocrats of Dawes county, at their condress. There are nine graduates this year,

boy graduated.

Some of Them Think Benefits of His

Wife Needs His Liberty to Assist Her

PAPILLION, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-Frank Fox, the Fort Crook man, who in a ribs with a razor to take out his heart, Omaha attorney, who was endeavoring to necessary for the man to be out of the

Nebraska News Notes. CHADRON, May 28.—Two of Chadron's best teachers, Prof. C. E. Foster and wife, have returned home from a successful year's work at Newport, Neb. WAHOO, May 28.—At a called meeting y Mayor Perky the business men decided o hold a rousing Fourth of July celebra-on. A hustling committee is now out. OSCEOLA, May 28.—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young, who were poisoned by eating canned goods, are recovering. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Young will be any the worse for their scare.

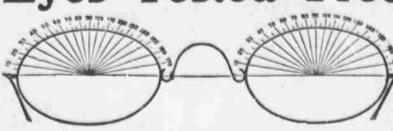
PLATISMOUTH, May 28.—The Fraternal Order of Elks is preparing an interesting program of athletic sports for

Part in the Battle.

GENEVA, Neb., May 28.-(Special.)-At

school were held at the opera house last OSCEOLA, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-Five

AUBURN, Neb., May 28 .- (Special.)-A steady rain has prevailed all day. The ing purposes. The farmers, as a rule, are through planting corn. Small fruit of all kinds is in splendid condition. A large crop of strawberries and raspberries seems assured. Strawberries will be on the marEyes Tested Free



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a grand Fourth of suty celebration at Plattsmouth. WAHOO, May 28.-Wahoo and vicinity has been visited by a continuous shower for the past twenty-four hours. Crops are in fine shape. Most of the corn is planted in this vicinity.

planted in this vicinity.

BEATRICE, May 28.—A mass meeting of the citizens of Beatrice at the Paddock opera house appointed a committee of six business men to consider plans for a Fourth of July celebration. BEATRICE, May 28.—Mrs. Eliza Rile, in old resident of Sicily township, was pronounced insane by the Board of Inanity Commissioners yesterday afternoon and ordered taken to the asylum.

BEATRICE, May 28.—The 6-year-old daughter of A. J. Jones, a farmer residing near this city, was thrown from a wagon here yesterday and sustained a broken arm and numerous bruises. GENEVA, May 28.—Miss Buchanan, who has taught one of the primary schools here since Christmas, sails shortly for the Philippines, where she has accepted a position in the government schools. BARTLEY, May 28.—Jones & Crawmer are establishing a plant at this place for the manufacture of concrete stone and expect to commence operations in a very tew days, or as soon as machinery is re-

BEATRICE, May 28.—Considerable corn has been marketed here the past few weeks. The price ranges from 33 to 45 cents per bushel, and farmers have no trouble in disposing of their grain at

BEATRICE, May 28.—At a meeting of the Board of Education Burr L. Boylan of Muskegon, Mich., was elected super-visor of drawing and instructor of music of the Beatrice public schools at a salary of \$70 per month.

of \$70 per month.

BEATRICE, May 28.—Patriotic services were held in all of the schools in this city yesterday afternoon. Addresses were given by W. S. Tilton, J. R. Craig. David Dorn. W. H. Edgar, Samuel Eccles, Alex Graham and John Jackson.

GENEVA. May 28.—Last night Silver Link, Rebekah lodge, elected the following officers: N. G., Joy Hart; V. G., Pearl Sager; recording secretary, O. D. Curtiss; financial secretary, Grace A. Flory; delegate to state assembly, G. A. Flory.

PETERSBURG, May 28.—At a meeting of business men Wednesday night it was de cided to celebrate the Fourth of July her this year. A committee of three, consist-ing of L. E. Hailstead, J. H. Nieman and O. K. Fuglei, was given full charge of ar-

HASTINGS, May 28.—The annual conven-tion of the German Evangelical confer-ence of Hastings district is in session, with Rev. F. H. Doescher as presiding elder. The quarterly meeting is held in connection with the conference. The meet-ings are well attended. angements.

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BARTLEY, May 28.—The machinery for the new mill at this place has arrived and is being placed, with the expectation of being ready for business in about one month. The mill will have a capacity of about seventy-five barrels per day, and is being fitted with the latest machinery.

HARTINGTON, May 28.—At the last session of the city council action was taken condemning the Union opera house for want of proper exits in case of fire, and notice was served upon the proprietor, John Krause, to conform with the state laws relative to opera house requirements.

PLATTSMOUTH, May 28.—The fourth annual convention of the Cass County Sunday School association will be held in Murdock, June 9 and 16. State association workers will be present. Every school is expected to send one delegate for each fifty members. Entertainment will be provided for delegates.

BEATRICE, May 28.—District court ad-

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BEATRICE, May 28.—District court adjourned Thursday evening until next Tuesday, after disposing of the case of Mrs. Amanda Bail against General L. W. Colby. Suit was brought by plaintif to recover \$850 alleged to have been retained by defendant as plaintiff's attorney. The jury found for the defendant.

HERBON May 28.—A large audience HEBRON, May 28.—A large audience was present at the opera house Wednesday night to hear the lecture of C. H. Gamel on "The American Boy." This was the last of the series of eight lectures of this season. The committee has given botice that a more expensive course has been arranged for the coming season.

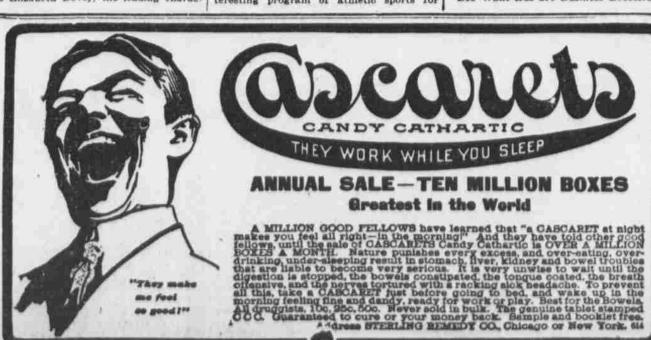
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FAIRMONT, May 25.—Yesterday afternoon patriotic programs were rendered in
each of the rooms at the school house.
The Grand Army of the Republic post
and Relief Corps attended the exercises
in a body. Department Commander Bross
of Lincoin gave inspring talks to the
children. After the first part of the excroises the graduating class gave a play,
"Mrs. Mulcahy," which was well rendered. The play was repeated in the
evening to a large and enthusiastic audience.

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ST. PAUL. May 28.—Last night the Danish population of St. Paul and vicinity tendered a reception in the operahouse to Mr. and Mrs. T. Hermanson. Mr. Hermanson, who has been court reporter to Judges Kendall and Paul, was recently appointed reporter to Judge Hostetler at Kearney, and is about to remove to that city. Three hundred people attended the banquet, after which Peter Ebbeson and S. M. Friis delivered addresses and presented, in behalf of all the participants, a splendid present to the honored couple. Mr. Hermanson feelingly responded. The evening closed with a ball.

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