

# One Habitue Walks from South Omaha at Night to Buy Five Cents Worth of the Seductive Drug.

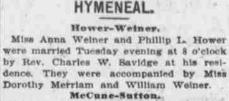
City Prosecutor Institutes Action

Against Druggists.

INSPIRED BY CRIMES OF LATE

snapped up quickly.

The wanton murder of Anton Kaspar supposedly by a colored cocains flend and the multiplicity of minor crimes traceable to the drug habit, have inspired City Prose-



Miss Flora E. Sutton, daughter of Walker Sutton of Lincoln, and William A. McCune were married at the residence of Rev Charles W. Savidge Tuesday evening at 8:30. Mr. Savidge performed the deremony.

Observe Golden Wedding.

Louis to the railway commission, notifies that body to eliminate from the Missouri PAWNER CITY, Neb., June 12-(Spe-cial.)-Fifty years ago David C, Stitt was Creary of Hastings, T. S. Allen of Lincoln, cutor Daniel to an effort at checking the matrice to Margaret E. Laird at Mays- Edgarr Ferneau of Auburn, H. H. Mauck distressing increase of this dangerous traffic wille. Ill. Yesterday the ceremony was of Nelson and F. H. Stubbs and G. W.

Omaha and Lincoln. The treasurer has a convent. checking accountwith the Omaha and

HOFFMAN IDENTIFIES THE BODY

Man Found Near Alda Frank Her-Vice President C. S. Clarke of the Mismann, Who Worked for Railroad. souri Pacific railroad, writing from St. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 12.-(Special Telegram.)-Julius Hoffman of Deshler was in the city today and after investigating Pacific pass list the names of W. P. Mc- into all the circumstances surrounding the finding of the badly decomposed body of a man in an old straw stack near Alda, is convinced that it is that of his half-brother, in which certain drug stores in the shadowy section of Omsha engage upon such large W. H. Laird, Maysville, Ill., and Elizabeth W. H. Laird, Maysville, Ill., and Elizabeth pocket was given to his brother by Hoff-Chauge in Report Forms Wanted. man. Officials from the operating and account-Hermann was last heard of by the railng departments appeared this afternoon to road department under which he worked discuss with the railway commission the as being shipped to work on the block sysform of weekly and monthly report to be tem work west of Grand Island. Mr. Hoffmade by their lines on cars, freight tonman and the local authorities are working nage handled at stations and charges upon farther, however, to ascertain more certhe same, together with receipts from pastainly the identity of the man.

YCIRK-At a recent business meeting of VCIRKI-At a recent business meeting of the Congregational church the trustees granted Rev. W. H. Medlar an eight months' leave of absence. Rev. and Mrs. Medlar will start next month for a Eu-ropean trip, and before they return home will make a trip around the world. BEATRICE-Leonard Reeder, the ll-year-old boy who was thrown from a horse three weeks ago and rendered unconscious, yesterday became conscious and is able to take - nourishment. The attending physi-cians, who pronounce the case a most re-markahle one, believe he will recover. BEATRICE-The total ansessed valuation BEATRICE-The total assessed valuation



A" case in police court Wednesday prompted immediate action. Ed Bextel. Dodge streets, was arrested on a complaint sworn to by Daniel Wednesday morning. Police court was continued until long after the usual hour in order that the druggist might be taken into court and arraigned case was set for hearing at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, with bonds at \$100.

Walks Six Miles to Get It.

The case which drove Prosecutor Daniel to take the action and Judge Crawford to prolong the court session was that of Judge Crawford his desire for the "coke" was so great he was obliged to leave his home at 300 Jefferson street, South Omaha, and, as no cars were running, walk to Omaha in order to buy 5 cents' worth of the stud. He said he bought it at Bextel's

After the close of court Williams was given his empty "coke" box and sent to ber company's yards. He had recently re-Bestel's store with two witnesses, who saw him hand the box over the counter with 10 health. Worry and brooding over financial cents and have it returned to him filled affairs is said to be the cause. An inquest without a word being said. The same per- probably will be held. formance was gone through with at Frank

W. Fogg's drug store at Twelfth street and the grusade against the evil in Omaha. Sev- gives relief? eral attempts have been made in the past

to have slaves of the drug turn witnesses, none of them would jeopardize his chances of being provided when the desire should come on.

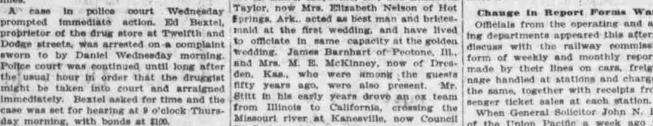
# Building Permits.

Carl T. Belf, frame dwelling, Thirty-first street and Meredith avenue, \$2,600; James Bribling, 2004 Patrick avenue, frame store building, \$760; 51. Rose's academy, Twenty-second and Binney streets, addition to

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

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Has been used for ever SIXTY-FIVE YEARS by HithLON'S of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILL TRETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS of WOTHER the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLATS all FAIN: CUREE WIND COLLC, and is the been remedy for DIARRHORA. Sold by Druggists in Femelw's Soching Syrup," and take no other kind. Thesiaw's Soching Syrup," and take no other kind. Fundaw's Soching Syrup," and take no other kind. Fundaw is bothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Fundaw is bothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Fundaw is bothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Fundaw is bothing Syrup, "and take no other kind. Fundaw is bothing Syrup," and take no other kind.



Bluffs. Ample preparations were made for the entertainment of the guests. A large tent sufficiently large to hold all being used. Mr. and Mrs. Stitt have been bleased George Williams, who was arrested at 3 with themselves, have the esteem of all o'clock in the morning by Patrolman Lahey who know them. Bestde securing a competence which will enable them to pass their declining years in comfort and plenty.

Valentine Man Hangs Himself. VALENTINE, Neb., June 12.-(Special Telegram.)-J. Allen Sparks, an old settler and prominent citizen of Valentine, com-

mitted suicide this afternoon by hanging himself from a rafter in the Ludwig Lumturned from Seattle and was in very poor

Why suffer from rheumatism when one Capitol avenue and he will be included in application of Chamberlain's Pain Baim very much like the Burlington's. He club, illegally, appeared in court today and

Elwood Wins Fast Game.

ELWOOD, Neb., June 12.—(Special Tele-gram.)—The Moorefield ball team, with a combination of Stockville, and Maywood players, was defeated today by Elwood in a players, was dereated tour, by up a good fast game, both teams putting up a good article of ball. It was the best game yet article of ball. Elwood ......0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 \*-1 6 1 Moorefield ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 Batteries: Elwood, McKibben and Atkin-son; Moorefield, Linn and Rupert, Struck out: By McKibben, 6; by Linn, 1 Umpire: Rhinehart of Eustia. played by any teams in this vicinity

Wahoo Takes One from Fremont.

Wahoo Takes One from Fremont. WAHOO, Neb., June 11.-(Special Tele-gram.)-Wahoo won in a walk today from Fremont. Score by innings: R. H. E. Wahoo .....0 0 4 6 1 0 5 2 0-7 5 6 Fromont ....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-1 2 5 Two-base hits: Wahoo, Bohner, Kirch-man, Simonydes. Double play: Johnson and Yarman. Struck out: By Ritaman, 11 by Gabbert, 4 Batterses: Ritaman and Bohner, Gabbert and Shea. Umpire: An-derson.



on which the commission would be able to base a judgment of the conditions affecting transportation at any given time. O. L. Dickson, assistant superintendent of transportation for the Burlington, made the first talk, stating that the proposed form of weekly car report would necessitate some changes in the system of accounting used by his road, though it would not call for any radical departures from

tions.

Lincoln banks.

Passes Returned.

When General Solicitor John N. Baldwir

trouble to make the reports. All they

It was proposed by Dickerson and othe railroad representatives to drop out the tem of "box cars loading at stations." Reynolds of the Northwestern was H of the opinion that this was an important feature, as showing up the ability of the roads to handle their traffic. An agreement was finally reached to include such cars as "empties."

One of the most important questions discussed was whether grain billed from a Nebraska station to Omaha and then to Chicago should be called a state or an interstate shipment. On the interstate shipment the Nebraska lines receive a smaller proportion of the total cost of transporting the grain to Chicago and consequently the question has a bearing, on earnings and rates to be charged.

Another discussion took place over the item of "cars expected from other lines cast and west." There were several among the transportation embassy who declared that the best of information possible to be had on this subject would be very indefinite. They explained that cars in the possession of another road might be ordered and expected, but not delivered. One sug-

gestion was made that the words "east and west" he stricken out, as it would make no difference where the cars might come rom, so long as they should be available. Rate Expert Powell announced that the Rock Island and the Minneapolis & Omaha oads had filed their first weekly car reports for date of June 10, according to the the statements as received were full and satisfactory in every way. None of the

other roads have reported on cars. The railroad men present at the hearing yesterday were:

Burlington-O. L. Dickeson, assistant perintendent of transportation; W. Durkes, auditor. Missouri Pacific-8. B. Schuyler, auditor; P. H. Bevington, superintendent; J. O. Phillippi, assistant general froight agent; Balloy Waggoner, general attorney; Henry Juinn, local agent, Edneom.

Union Pacific-H. J. Stirling, auditor; Lincoln, superintendent of transportation; Editor Bich, legal department. Northwestern-C. H. Reynolds, superin-tendent; Ben T. White, general attorney; R. W. McGinnis, general agent.

Minneapoiis & Omaha-A. W. Trenholm, general manager: L. A. Bobinson, comp-troller.

## Farmers Engage in Fight.

of the Union Pacific a week ago yocifer-CENTRAL CITY, Neb., June 13 .- (Spe usly asserted that his road couldn't poscial.)-At the town of Syracuse, a few sibly furnish the information wanted even miles west of here, Saturday afternoon, two if it should fill up its whole office with farmers, John Slefken and F. Kehlbeck, clerks and work them overtime, the spokesgot into an altercation and a free-for-all nen of several roads who appeared at tofight ensued, and when the melee was over day's hearing said it would be very little Kehlbeck came out with a severe knife had wound in the back of his neck and extendto urge was that the blank forms be ing to the lower lobe of the right ear. He slightly changed so that the accounting nearly bled to death before medical aid departments could supply accurate data, could be secured and for a time his recovwas doubtful. Slefken was placed ery under arrest, but later was released on

hall. It is claimed that there has long been a foud between the two men. Both are well-to-do German farmers.

### Fined for Selling Boose

KEARNEY, Neb., June 12. (Special Telegram.)-George McCarter, Frank Prosser and Dan Rinehart, the Shelton men who the present methods. He stated, further- were charged with running a commercial more, that the Union Pacific system was club and farmers' association as a booze thought the roads would be willing to make pleaded guilty and were fined collectively the reports, but suggested a few altera- \$100 and costs, amounting to \$78.90.

### News of Nebraska.

GREELEY-Frank M. Owen and Irene Brewster of Ericson were married here last evening, Rev. Smith officiating. BEATRICE-Mary Catherine Kloepper, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Kloepper, living west of the city, died yesterday.

yesterday. PAPILLION-The Union Pacific railroad has a gang of men repairing the sidewalks across the right of way in town. They are using Sherman gravel. Dy Argentic Statement State

PLATEBNOUTH-A letter from Dr. S. K. Spalding, state health inspector, of Lincoln says in part: "I have made a careful examination of the cases of small-

### THE DOCTOR LAUGHED But the Woman Was Frightened.

A physician of Columbus, Ga., rather poked fun at a lady patient who insisted she had heart disease.

The trouble really was caused by coffee drinking, and the nerves were so affected that it gave her every indication of heart discase. This is true to thousands of people who are badly hurt by the caffeine of coffee, and it is understood that if continued long enough, real organic heart disease will set in.

The lady referred to above says: "I had sen running down in health for a number of years and suspected that coffee was hurting me, but could not get up courage to guit it. My heart troubled me so that I was very short of breath, and could do little or nothing that required exertion. form provided by the commission. He said I had fearful Nervous headaches nearly every day, and was exceedingly nervous, with indigestion and badly constipated. "The doctor laughed at my idea of heart

trouble, but knew that I was in a serious condition generally. Finally I was induced to quit coffee and take up Postum Fool Coffee. I feel like another person.

and the stomach and nerves are decidely improved. My head does not give me the old trouble it did, while the bowels are regular without any purgatives or medicine of any kind.

for the relief from suffering brought on by the use of coffee, and I cannot thank Postum enough." Read, "The Road to Wellville," in plage. Physicians call it

BEATHICE-The total assessed valuation of personal property in Gage county as shown by the report of County Assessor' Scott, which was submitted to the Board of Supervisors yesterday, is \$9,470,212 Last year the assessed valuation of the county was \$8,687,957, showing an increase this year of \$756,255.

year of \$786,255. PLATTEMOUTH-Preparations are being made to entertain 150 delegates Thursday and Friday during the Cass county Sunday school convention which promises to be the best ever held in this county. E. C. Knapp, Hartford, Conn., one of the most enthusiastic and capable Sunday school workers, will be present. PLATTEMOUTH - "Grandma" Nolting.

workers, will be present. PLATTSMOUTH - "Grandma" Noiting, aged SI years, passed away in the home of her son August, five miles west of Platte-mouth. She came to this country from Wisconsin in 1865, where she has since resided, and was loved by all who knew her. Rev. F. J. Langhorst will conduct the funeral services Thursday afternoon. AUBURN-The weather, which has been so cold, dry and hackward for the last four weeks, has taken a decided change for the better. There has been several good rains and it is now getting summer weather in carnest. The furmers are all busy, as it is perfect weather for the growing crops, and the long neglected corn fields are now be-ing well patronized. BEATHICE-At a meeting of the city

the tong hogiected corn hends are now so-ing well patronized. BEATRICE-At a meeting of the city council last night Treasurer Jones sub-mitted his report showing that there was a bahance on hand May 31 of 515,132.20. A lengthy communication was read from ex-City Attorney Davis in which he took issue with the mayor on the vote of the ordinance levying an occupation tax upon public aervice corporations. YORK-Last evening N. A. Houser, a business man of York, had some business down town and drove his horse, tiaing the same in front of Kleinschmidt's store. On returning about 9.26 o'clock his horse and buggy were gone. Telegrams were sent out in all directions describing the property, and this atternoon word was received from Osceola that the horse and buggy were there but no trace of the party who stole it. YORK-Corn in York county is backward

there but no trace of the party who stole it. YORK-Corn in York county is backward and corn fields are quite weeds. The pres-ent warm weather is going to bring corn out in fine shape and every farmer is in the field fighting the weeds. The stand is good. Winter wheat is in fine shape and indications are that there will be an in-creased yield. Oats is said to be ein a bet-ter condition at this time of the year than over before. Farmers are very busy at this time cutting alfalfa.

BEATRICE-C. Lowe, secretary of the

BEATRICE-C. Lowe, secretary of the Lincoln Grain company, which owns ele-vators at Liberty and Barnsston, was be-fore the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization, and asked that the anseesment sgainst the company's prop-erty be based upon the average value of the stock during the year. The assessor has the property assessed upon the basis of the value of the corn in stock and the money in the bank April 1. The board took no action yesterday. AUBURN-Af a meeting of the directors Brownell

action yesterday. AUBURN-Af a mseting of the directors of the Auburn Telephone company last night, the contract for the building of a heautiful two-story cement block building was let to James Carman of this city. This building will be a beauty of its kind and will occupy a most conspicuous place in the town. Work will commence at once and it is expected that it will be ready for the installing of the new fl.000 switchboard, which was purchased some six weeks ago, by the latter part of August. EFERMONT-The Board of Equalization is

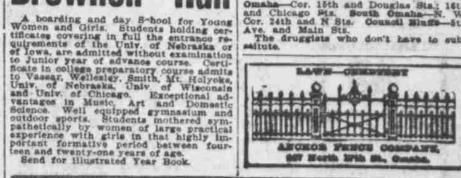
by the latter part of August. FREMONT-The Board of Equalization is in session at the court house and is not being rushed with business. So far only one protest has been made. The Western Union Telegraph company was down for \$40,500. It thought this excessive and that \$10,574.76 was the right figure. The same objection was filed last year and the value fixed by the court at the figure now given by the assessor, so the board rejected the application. District No. 2 of the city of Fremont is not tabulated, so that it is im-possible to give the entire valuation of the county. The total will considerably exceed that of last year. Including the increased railroad valuation, it will rules it over \$1,000,000.

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