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JUST TWO JUICE JOINTS, City Council Rejects Proposal for a Third Saloon.

The city dads met in extraordinary session Wednesday evening and at once took up petitions of our saloon men to retail liquors for the ensuing year. The first to hand was that of Oscar D. Franka and it was railroaded through with dispatch. Then came Herman Milder's and it would have been equally as fortunate only his petition and bond each read "for one year from the first Tuesday in May." Herman got his license but the Palace saloon will be closed until next Tuesday, all owing to the blundering work of the party who drew up the documents. The petition of Charles Johnson was then taken up and examined as to the freeholders, etc. It was found ok, but a motion by Alderman Piepenstock that the petition be accepted met with a deathly stillness. There was no second to the motion and after waiting a proper length of time Alderman Beebe moved that the petition be rejected, which was seconded by Craven. A vote being taken all present voted aye except Piepenstock, and thus was the fate of the third saloon decided.

A resolution of respect to the memory of the late ex-city clerk, Everett Laughlin, was read and passed. Marshal Miner was recommended to succeed himself by Mayor Ley, which met with a hearty acceptance from the marshal and the approval of the council. Charles Johnson, who was present, asked why his saloon proposition had been turned down, and was told that the council did not want a third saloon, an answer that ought to satisfy Johnson, eh! The DEMOCRAT has also interviewed the members of the council and received the same reply. If anyone else wants to know just tell them its none of their darn business. The city council knows its business.

Wanted to Go to Heaven.

A shocking affair occurred at Winside last Wednesday morning, when Theodore Erich, at an early hour in the morning took a dull hand ax and chopped at his left wrist until the hand was severed. Later he was found sitting on the sidewalk, having nearly bled to death from the operation. Sheriff Cherry was called and the man declared to be insane. When asked why he so mutilated himself he replied that he "would rather go to Heaven with one hand than to hell with two." Had he used a sharp ax and made a clean cut he would have "gone" before being discovered and receiving medical assistance. Sheriff Cherry took him to the asylum at Norfolk yesterday. He is a middle-aged man and had been in the employ of Frank Kauff the past year. Sheriff Cherry said he had not been drinking as stated by a county paper.

Villainous Butter Color.

A two-year-old son of Rev. Gubknecht, who is pastor of the German church seven miles northeast of town, drank a quantity of butter coloring last Tuesday, and prompt medical relief not being thought necessary the boy died Wednesday morning. Otto was a bright little fellow and his death from such a cause is a terrible affliction to his parents. Beware of the deadly butter color.

The best cultivators on the market for sale by J. W. MCGINTY.

Council Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the city council held last Monday night the following batch of bills were allowed:

Mrs. Dineen	\$104 55
Wm Piepenstock	10 85
H Claybaugh	1 00
J L Payne	12 85
F H Weeks	87 95
Joe ? shop	32 00
H S Kingland	30 00
F H Fultz	78 80
Peter Coyle	45 00
E J Raymond	13 00
H S Ringland	1 80
H S Ringland	25 00
Frank Fuller	31 25
G L Miner	50 00
Gen Elec Co	37 15
W N Thompson Co	2 55
Standard Paint Co	1 05
L W Roe	156 65
H G Leisenring	342 75
E Cunningham	9 00
W B Sherbahn	3 00

BUYS \$1 BEST PATENT Flour, Rundell's

Oom Paul Captured

Oom Paul Kruger, the bowling alley maguante, was taken by the Wayne police last Tuesday and put in the city bastle. Marshal Miner and Oom Paul have been at loggerheads for some time, as will be noticed by an account of their differences over a slot machine in another column. Tuesday afternoon Oom was basking in the effects of a mild drink, but was in his place of business and so far as the DEMOCRAT has been able to learn was not disturbing the peace in any particular. Marshal Miner sat on the steps of the bowling alley as did several other gentlemen. Oom ordered them all off, saying, "get up off my property, you are keeping people out of my place of business," etc. All of them complied except Miner and Oom at once lit into him with his tongue, asking the cop why he didn't come in and see the wheels go round; why he didn't pay him, Oom, what he owed on account etc. This was more than the dignity of the law could stand, and the marshal grabbed Oom by the shoulder, told the latter he was under arrest, also calling upon "Charley" to come and help him. But Oom Paul was peaceable as a rabbit and walked off like a lamb to the slaughter. After being in the dirty hole a few hours he was allowed to come out and a hearing arranged for Wednesday at two p. m. before Squire Feather, the same being later continued until two p. m. Thursday. After his release Oom made a complete change of his garb, even to his suspenders, socks, watch and recently accumulated stock of bugs, and putting it all in a grip sent it to Mayor Ley with his compliments and the request that the same be cleaned and fumigated.

Made Marshal Miner Mad.

Wayne may be a town of freak preachers, lawyers, doctors and newspapermen, but her police court, for "cleverness" and "cleverness" and original verdicts outclasses them all. A remarkable demonstration of this peculiarity occurred yesterday afternoon in the trial of Frank Kruger on a charge of drunkenness, disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, etc., and on the streets of place of business. The complaint had been filed by Marshal Miner and that worthy was the first witness to take the stand. He stated that he came down town about 1:45, on the day in question, and at two o'clock was sitting in front of the bowling alley and Perry & Porterfield's office, being located right between the two doors; that defendant came to the door and requested him and the other gentlemen on either side of him to get off the steps; that he then moved over in front of the other door; that defendant then asked him why he didn't come in and run his business, and kept asking him that question a great many times; that defendant did not speak loud, did not swear, use any bad language, disturbed no one but the witness, but that defendant did speak in a SNEERING and INSULTING manner; that he supposed the defendant "felt as I did and I WAS PRETTY MAD;" that defendant was "guying" him. Asked about his previous troubles with Kruger witness said he thought defendant had told him to come in and bowl or shoot whenever he wanted to, it wouldn't cost him anything, and that then Kruger had accused him of "bumming off him;" that defendant first ordered everybody off his steps and "they all went away but me and I went too;" that Kruger was intoxicated but was making no disturbance nor disorder, used mild language but was so insulting and sneering that it made the marshal awful mad. O. H. Burson, a step-setter, testified that the marshal sat square in front of defendant's door; that they all moved away except Miner who pushed along in front of P. & P's. office; that when Kruger asked Miner why he didn't come in and take charge of his business the marshal told defendant he'd go in whenever he damn please; that he looked for trouble between the two men because of what happened the day before; didn't know whether defendant was under the influence of liquor; asked marshal twice to move before he moved; that marshal didn't appear to be in any hurry to avoid trouble; that he looked for trouble because Kruger had dunned the marshal for what he owed him for bowling and shooting the day before; didn't think, upon second thought that the marshal had used the word "damn." Attorney Berry, for the defense, then put the defendant on the stand who told substantially the same story; that he was not drunk; knew just what he was doing; had drank a pint of beer for his dinner; that the marshal told him he

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would go in his place whenever he damn please; that the marshal sat right in front of his door and "looked at me pretty mean." Al Bowers said defendant was not intoxicated; was under the influence of liquor; that the n. arshal sat square in front of defendant's door and only moved to between the two places; that the marshal did say to Kruger "I'll go in and cut whenever I damn please;" that Miner looked up and laughed; defendant said: "you needn't laugh, I mean it;" that then Miner jumped up and grabbed the defendant placing him under arrest; that Kruger did not resist nor stagger while walking to the jail.

City Attorney Fuller nor defendant's counsel made pleas, and Squire Feather at once gave his verdict that he would dismiss the charges of disorderly conduct, etc., but, owing to the fact that defendant had been put in jail at two o'clock and when brought before him near six o'clock of the same day in an intoxicated condition, that he must have been guilty of that offense, to the extent of \$5 and costs.

Defendant filed notice of appeal to the district court. Wouldn't that cramp you.

Dr. J. C. Clark, Eye Specialist, will be in Wayne June 17th.

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Real Estate Transfers	Omaha Markets.
For week ending April 29, 1901. Reported by I. W. Alter, bonded abstractor, Wayne, Nebraska;	May 1st, 1901.
Charles H Howard to F Schroeder its 1 2 blk 9 & all blk 2 Hoskins \$ 800	Receipts of cattle have been liberal but market was held up very well. Beef steers are about steady with a week a week ago. The quality of the offerings is getting better right along.
D O Hibbard to H Pockrandt lt 3 blk 2 B & P ad Winside 50	Cows and butcher stock fell off a little last week, but this week have been about steady with the decline. Stockers and feeders touched the high point of the season this week and trading in that class has been active, with demand good.
Winside Roller Mill Co to Fred Glaser lt 3 blk 4 B & P ad to Winside 80	Continued heavy receipts of hogs have depressed the market to the extent of a shilling since last Wednesday, but the general opinion is that this excessive run will not continue for more than a week longer and that prices should be better within the next ten days. Market today with 11,000 on sale is nearly steady with yesterday. Bulk of sales 62 to 65 cents with the top at 75 cents. The quality of hogs arriving now is very good.
Frank Weible to Mary Weible n of ne 23-35-2 1	Sheep have suffered considerable the past week, the market being from twenty-five to forty cents lower than a week ago.
West Behmer to Cyril Templin 1 a in n of sw 25-27-1 200	
Fred Schroeder to Gus Schroeder e of se 27-25-1 \$2000	
A W Cross to Wm Vierguiz ne 31-26-1 2500	
Ira Davenport to Michael Lyons n of se & se of ne 19-26-2 2700	
A J Ferguson to J M Pile its 13 14 15 16 17 18 blk 12 Coll Hill ad to Wayne 325	
Nebraska Normal College to J M Pile its 16 17 18 blk 4 Coll Hill 1	
J M Cherry to H H Stallsmith e 80 ft lts 1 2 3 4 5 blk 23 Coll Hill Wayne 100	
Anna C Fuoss to Hans Hammer sw 4-25-5 7200	
State of Neb to Mark Stringer nw 16-26-4 1120	

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LOCAL NEWS.

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All kinds of furniture repairing and upholstering done by Novelty Repair Works.

Buy some of our fresh maple syrup and have a "waxing" time of your own, at EPLER & CO'S.

Grinding of razors, knives, scissors, and all sharp edged tools by Novelty Repair Works.

You want the best liquor for the grip that's got you, then go to Mildner's sample room.

Evaporated apples make as fine pies or sauce as green ones. Get the best quality at the Brookings grocery.

We have a lot of new dishes on our shelves and more coming, our stock is reliable and up-to-date. EPLER & CO.

Some times "old hotel men" are too new for business, but no one will bring that charge against Landlord Criss.

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This New Maple Syrup comes direct to us from the maple orchard. Try some, it will take you back to the days when "it was time for the sap to run."

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Peddler Thompson, who left Wayne county nearly two years ago, was here from Boyd county this week. He reports all the pop farmers up there enjoying a great season of McKinley prosperity.

A. M. Weidner, an extensive farmer and stock raiser from near Humphrey, was the guest of Franz Moses at Brenna Stock Farm last week. He took home with him two finely bred Angus heifers.

There was a hot time at Carroll last Monday morning when all the employees on the Merrill block, bricklayers and hodcarriers, struck for higher wages. It made the Carrolls think their burg was almost as big a grease spot on the map as Concord.

For the annual meeting of Grand Lodge Benevolent and Protective order of Elks at Milwaukee July 23, 25, 1901, tickets will be sold July 21, 22 and 23, good returning until and including July 27. One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. T. W. MORAN, Agent.

Sunday School Missionary Young has received a letter from his brother, the other day, saying he was now holding evangelistic meeting at Danbury, and that one of his hearty co-workers was a Congregationalist minister, Rev. Henry Cleveland, formerly a student in the Nebraska Normal College.

Ed. Zsilke, Carroll's saloon man, was in town Wednesday on his way home from Fremont. He was quite positive the town board at Carroll would grant him a license this year, but would refuse the Welbaum boys, for the reason that two saloons couldn't make the business pay. Isn't it perfectly astonishing how well some town boards are posted on the saloon business?

The maddest man in town last week was Uncle E. R. Chace. A couple of weeks ago he got a card notifying him to fix up his sidewalks. One day last week he was completely dumbfounded to see a man with boards under his arm commence repairing the walks. Mr. Chace was very wrathful and swore he would move out of the damned town if the town officials were going to impose on a man in that manner. Later in the day he learned that his son had ordered the walks repaired.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Krezentia Lerner were held last Monday from the Catholic church, Father Fitzgerald being assisted by Father Renner of Randolph and Father Weber of Jackson. An immense crowd of friends attended the ceremonies and the floral offerings were beautiful and bounteous. Out of town people attending were Mrs. Loebe, Mrs. Feltz and Miss Lena Kautzman of Stanton, Mrs. Soenneken of New York and Anton Braunger of Sioux City.

At Ponca last week Mrs. John Kreitleir got a verdict against Kay Bros. and Stomke Bros., saloon men of Wakefield, for \$500 damages. It will be remembered that the lady's husband was sent to the penitentiary a year ago for making counterfeit dimes which he passed off on the saloonmen for booze. The liquor vendors took the spurious coin, then chirped on the old man. The latter was taken to jail and then his wife brought suit against the saloonkeepers for making her man a drunkard and then depriving her of his support, asking \$3000. The saloonmen got off easy at \$500.

A Good Thing in Slots

There was an interesting seance at the bowling alley last Saturday afternoon. Oom Paul Kruger got a bit sporty and put a cash card in his slot machine; then above the sure-thinking winner (fox Oom) he hung another card saying that for every nickel put in the slot one cigar was sold or given the player. One of the very first damnphools to bite was Tom Hill. We say damnphools for none other could command such magnificent luck as attended Thomas in his speculations. About the second or third cigar Tom bought of the machine the on-lookers noticed Tom's hat going straight up on the ends of his tow-line, and upon looking for the cause saw the smiling faces of the ace, king, queen, jack and ten-spot, all spades. There was a moment of deathly suspense while eyes, fairly starting from their sockets, flew from the pictures to the card, "Royal Flush, \$15." Then there was a yell and all hands repaired to the saloon where the drinks were on—the damnphool. Just here is where the marshal became prominent, and he notified Oom Paul that the slot machine must go out at once. "I bought that machine and paid for it and it is going to stay right there; now what de'ell pr you going to do about?" responded the big bowling alley magnate. Then Mayor Ley put in a hurried appearance and offered a reprieve of ten minutes in which the proprietor could quit selling cigars at 5 cents per and giving a cash prize of \$15 or be arrested. But the hero of the ten-pin field was game to the last and never quit business until he wearied of it.

All Used the Same Dope

Druggist McElrath was down from Winside Tuesday and entertained the DEMOCRAT with some of our sister city's happenstances. One thing everyone will be sorry to learn is that jolly, big-hearted Jacob Brugger continues in very poor health, being troubled with some cancerous ailment. Mr. McElrath said that Doc and Mrs. Averill left Winside Tuesday, going west in search of a tonic for Doc's health. Mac said Averill's departure had been somewhat hastened owing to being "joshed" so much about his physical disabilities. It seems a whole lot of Winside's women have been up to Epiphany, S. D., to take treatment of the noted priest, Father Kroeger. Then J. J. Tracy and Averill journeyed to the priest's rejuvenating fountain, each, like the ladies, bringing back a pot full of medicine. Then an investigation was made of the remedies and it was found that all were exactly alike. When told about it Doc said: "What! Tracy's got the rheumatism, I was treated for deafness and the women for female weakness, and here we are all taking the same medicine! Hell!"

Fixed Doc's Eyesight.

Our Dr. Clark had a little fun in Iowa last week, according to the following from the Storm Lake Vidette: Edwin Rhodes filed information against Dr. J. C. Clark, the Sioux City oculist, Monday, charging him with larceny from the person. The doctor was arrested, brought before Justice Aiken, and as a result contributed \$5.00 and costs. It appears that young Rhodes ordered eye glasses from Dr. Clark about 60 days ago, and according to contract was to pay \$5 for examination and \$10 for the glasses. Rhodes had been given his glasses on a former visit here of the doctor, but had been granted 60 days time in which to pay the fee of \$5 for the examination, Monday Dr. Clark was at the Park hotel filling his regular advertised date and young Rhodes called on him at the hotel, and tried to induce him to donate the examination fee of \$5 and which the doctor refused to do. Rhodes got a little warm under the collar and practically charged the doctor with working a "graft" on him and the doctor thereupon reached over and grabbed the glasses from Rhodes' eyes and then calmly told him that when he paid the balance of \$5 due on the glasses, he could have them. Rhodes thereupon consulted County Attorney Schultz, who advised him as to his rights with the result that the doctor was arrested on a technical charge.

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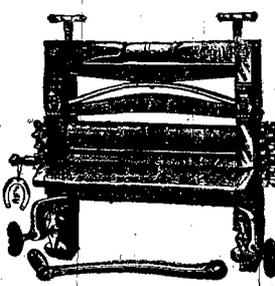
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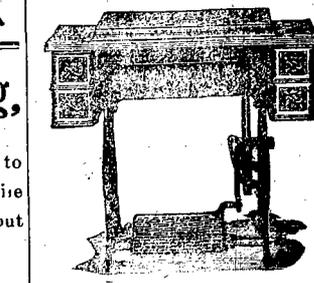
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WEST.		EAST.	
O. S. P. M. T. O.			
7:30 A. M.	St. Louis City Passenger	7:30 P. M.	Black Hills Passenger
8:00 P. M.	Black Hills Passenger	7:30 A. M.	Way Freight
ARRIVE. BLOOMFIELD STATION			
8:45 A. M.	Black Hills	8:45 P. M.	Black Hills
1:45 P. M.	Black Hills	1:45 P. M.	Black Hills

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For Sale.

Lot 25, Taylor and Wachob's addition, consisting of one block, good improvements. Flourishing young orchard and shrubbery; known as Miss Wilkinson's home. For particulars enquire of Miss Wilkinson, Opposite Postoffice.

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Bowl up, Boys!

AT OOM PAUL'S NEW

Bowling Alley.

Entrance south of Mildner's Saloon on Main Street.

Several eastern insurance men were talking recently about new wrinkles in their business. "I firmly believe that that insurance against being buried alive would pay. It is surprising how many people have a dread that suspended animation may be mistakes for death. I know a woman who has made her husband promise that if she survives her he will be buried, to make sure that no spark of life remains. In certain parts of Europe they have what are known as mortuary houses, where the dead are taken and subjected to various tests to make sure that death is absolutely certain. I believe there is a bill providing for a somewhat similar course now before the Massachusetts legislature. If such a mortuary building is established, multitudes of people would gladly pay, say \$100, to be insured in a company that would guarantee to make the necessary tests before burial or cremation." "But suppose the alleged corpse should come to life under the treatment?" asked a listener. "In that case," said the man who had previously spoken, "it ought to be worth something to the company."

The caravan that goes to Mecca each year with the sacred camel, the sultan's presents and the new carpet for the prophet's tomb had a rather bitter experience this year, according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Cleveland Plain Dealer. The annual payment to the Mecca authorities of \$40,000 was not forthcoming, and the expedition was delayed. This year the government was more impunctuous than usual, and the caravan had to start with the promise that the money would be forwarded to Beirut. But when the pilgrims arrived there the money (without which they could not proceed, as tribute must be paid to the tribes on the road) had not been sent. Telegrams arrived at Constantinople begging for money, and the government did all it could to obtain it, without success. At last, in the middle of the night, the director of the Anatolian railway was called up to the palace, and agreed to make an advance of £60,000, but nobody knows on what terms.

The women of a Newport, Ky., Methodist church recently had 5,000 cook books printed for distribution among the church workers, who were to see the same at 10 cents each. Two thousand were sold when the pastor was shocked to find recipes in the book calling for "a half pint best whisky or brandy" and "a half pint sherry wine." A cough remedy has "a pint of good whisky" as one of its ingredients. The minister says that the remaining 3,000 receipts must not be sold, unless the objectionable recipes shall be marked with red ink as a warning to purchasers. This latter suggestion is quite childlike and bland. In fact, it's funny.

An Ohio man who represented an American firm in China until quite recently said that when Aguinado was in Hong Kong he was very fond of cycling. "His favorite diversion," says the Ohioan, "was an afternoon spin around, and I must confess he was one of the nippiest figures on Governor's road. He wore the regulation cycle costume, and was invariably accompanied by his secretary, Sixto Lopez, now in Boston. He rode a high-g geared American wheel, and, like most athletes of small build, was a graceful and strong rider. I have watched him throw dust in many a pair of eyes, the 'Rotton Row' of Hong Kong, just before Dewey set sail for Cavite."

Peking is rich in remarkable bells, the finest specimens being located in the bell tower on the western side of the Tartar city, the Tachungsu, or temple of the great bell, and the temple of the great bell. The latter contains the great bell of Peking, cast by order of the emperor Yong Lo in 1415 and hung in the present tower by Emperor Vauch in 1578. The gigantic object measures 15 feet in height, is 9 inches thick and has a circumference of 34 feet at the rim. It weighs 53 tons and is covered inside and out with inscriptions from the Buddhist outcasts in Chinese characters.

The James Young farms at Middletown, Pa., for years have attracted the attention and interest of many people from remote parts of the country. They were acquired by the late owner, the fertile and best managed farms in the United States, and at the time of Mr. Young's death, a few years ago, the estate was valued at \$500,000. Some recent proceedings in court have revealed the fact that for the past three years the two famous farms have been conducted at a loss of \$28,000. This will doubtless cause very general surprise.

The streets of McConnellsburg, Pa., are represented as paved with gold and silver. This unique use of the precious metal was not intentional, however, but arose from the fact that the people are using for road improvement what is so valuable. The roads have been paved or macadamized with tons and tons of mineral rock, and nearly the whole county is ablaze with excitement over the discovery that some of this rock assays \$4.60 per ton in gold and silver.

A single set of spoons lately brought 1,000 guineas in London. They were spoons of the historic James I. "Apostrophe" pattern, dated 1617. Only two such other sets are known to exist in the world, Cambridge, the other at the Goldsmiths' hall. The figureheads are Christ (the master spoon), St. James the Greater, St. James the Less, St. Bartholomew, St. Peter, St. Jude, St. Philip, St. John, St. Thomas, St. Matthew, St. Matthias, St. Simon and St. Andrew.

The orthodox Greek church in East Twenty-seventh street, New York City, has been closed. The archimandrite, Rev. Agathos, a Papageorgopoulos, has been driven to the city because he offended his people's sense of propriety by riding a red bicycle about the streets, and doing other things which indicated too great liberality of views. And there is no other Greek priest in the city.

A Montreal reporter described Rudyard Kipling as a "red-haired, eagle-eyed little pomposity." An English commentator says the description is accurate in every respect, with the following reservations: First, Mr. Kipling is not red-haired; second, he does not equit; third, he is not pompos.

KIDNAPERS WOULD RETURN NEARLY ALL

Agent of the Criminals Offer Mr. Cudahy \$21,000 of the Ransom Money.

THE PROPOSITION IS SCORNED

The Search for the Abductors Will Be Vigorously Prosecuted—Judge Baker Refuses to Liberate James Callahan.

Omaha, Neb., May 2.—An agent of the kidnapers has made a proposition to Edward A. Cudahy to return \$21,000 of the money paid for his son's ransom, demanding in return the withdrawal of the search that is being prosecuted together with the abandonment of the determination to punish the criminals.

The proposition came in a letter from Elgin, Ill. and Mr. Cudahy is convinced as to its authenticity. He went to Chicago ten days ago because of being summoned there by his brother in response to overtures that were being made.

Mr. Cudahy has refused to consider the proposition for a minute and declares his unchanged resolve to prosecute to the end the search for the men who stole his boy. "I received the letter about ten days ago," said Mr. Cudahy. "It was dated April 15 at Elgin, and bore an Elgin postmark. I cannot show it to you because I sent it to Pinkerton, nor can I give you its contents verbatim as I did not make a copy of it. It was very brief and excited that the chief kidnaper had communicated with the writer and was getting uneasy. It set forth that the chase by detectives was getting uncomfortably close and asked if I would withdraw the offer of reward now outstanding, and let up on the effort to find the criminals and \$21,000 of the \$25,000—ransom returned to me."

Calls on Michael Cudahy. "It seems the writer got somewhat in a hurry, for as soon as he mailed the letter he must have slipped right over to Chicago, where he called on my brother Michael the same day, two weeks ago today. He asked my brother whether I would consider a proposition of that kind. My brother told him he did not know anything about it, but that he would come over to Chicago and talk the matter over. That afternoon I received a telegram from my brother asking me to come over. I left here on the afternoon train, and on reaching Chicago learned what had transpired there. I arrived here Thursday, and the letter from Elgin was awaiting me. The letter was signed and gave directions how the reply should be addressed to reach the writer at Elgin. I did not wish to make that public.

"So far as the offer is concerned, it has been rejected. I refused absolutely and unqualifiedly to consider it, and am determined to prosecute this search as vigorously as I know how. That is what we started out to do, and I feel as if I would follow those men to the ends of the earth. Will Never Compromise. "I realize that this means \$48,000 to me, and is a sum that is certainly an object to any man, no matter what may be his means. As I feel about the matter, I would spend my last thousand dollars rather than compromise with the criminals. I am desirous of having them punished for what they have done, and I will not let any other daring gang come compelling other parents to undergo what we have undergone."

Withdraws \$5,000 Reward. The city of Omaha has withdrawn its offer of \$5,000 reward and no questions asked for delivery of the body of Pat Crowley, dead or alive. Mayor Moore and Chief of Police Donahue appeared before the city council at its general committee meeting yesterday afternoon. The mayor stated that under the circumstances he desired to withdraw the council's withdrawal of the unconditional \$5,000 reward, and the council immediately agreed to do so officially at the regular meeting tonight.

WILL NOT RELEASE HIM

James Callahan Ordered Held for Trial on Other Charges. Omaha, Neb., May 1.—Whatever of satisfaction James Callahan may derive from the verdict of the jury, which decided him not guilty of robbery, will likely be enjoyed by him in jail. Judge Baker has given out as his intention a statement that he will insist on the charges of crime which are not included in the one on which he has just been acquitted. These are grand larceny and false imprisonment. The county attorney has said he is willing to proceed with the cases, holding an opposite view to that expressed by General Cowin, although it is uncertain as to when the next trial will be had. Callahan's attorneys will offer a motion for the release of their client, and the arguments on this will probably be heard in the course that will be pursued by the prosecution.

The reward of \$5,000 offered by the city for the apprehension of Pat Crowley, dead or alive, has been withdrawn, but the \$25,000 offered by Edward A. Cudahy for the arrest and conviction of the kidnapers and the similar sum offered by the city for the same purpose, will stand. The specific reward for Pat Crowley was taken down at the instance of Chief of Police Donahue.

Interest in the verdict is general, not only in Omaha but elsewhere, and only surprise is expressed. As an instance of how it struck the people outside of Omaha this telegram received yesterday by Judge Baker is printed: "Pittsburg, Pa., April 29.—To Judge Baker, Omaha: No child in America is safer if Callahan goes unpunished. Can he not be tried on other indictments with a new jury?" To this message Judge Baker replied as follows: "Omaha, April 29.—Godfrey L. Cabot, Pittsburg, Pa.—Verdict vicious and lamentable. Will direct prosecuting attorney to prosecute on crimes not included in one tried. "B. S. Baker."

HIS HEAD CUT OFF.

Colored Teamster Meets Frightful Death in Des Moines Railroad Yard. Des Moines, Ia., April 30.—Henry Folliver, a colored teamster, was ground to death by a Milwaukee train two blocks from the depot here at noon. His head was severed from his body.

BOERS TAKEN TO BERMUUDA.

British Government Has Leased 'Durrell's Island' for a Prison.

Hamilton, Bermuda, May 2.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—There is considerable excitement at present in Bermuda over the expected arrival of 1,700 Boer prisoners from the British government has leased "Durrell's island," one of the largest islands in the sound, and within a quarter of a mile of Warwick shore, for a year, with the option of relinquishing it on a month's notice. The island also has been inspected, but no definite settlement made in regard to it. Army officials, as usual, are very reticent and nothing can be learned from them on the subject, but as the blacksmiths of the town have been sounded as to their ability to construct several hundred yards of iron fence, very strong, close, high and with spike points, and as plans which one or two have seen are said to be an outline of one of the islands, very little doubt is entertained as to the object in view by the government.

It is claimed the island not been wanted for prisoners, but for several hundred British laborers who are going out to build a new swing bridge to connect the dock yard with the mainland, no such iron fencing being required. The Boers, it is believed, had the negotiations for Durrell's island would have been made by the naval authorities, where everything has been done by army officials. The Bermudians are not feeling very comfortable over the matter. The island is still frequented by a colored regiment, the First West India, and their behavior is by no means calculated to inspire the confidence of the people they are supposed to guard. It is hoped a very strong force of European soldiers will be sent with the Boers, as they are feared, may be uncomfortable, as they were recently at St. Helena.

REBELLION IS WANING.

Practical Collapse of War in Philippines pinches the Import of Cables.

Washington, May 2.—Important cables were received today at the war department from MacArthur at Manila. In the opinion of the officials the news contained in them mark almost the complete collapse of organized rebellion in the Philippines.

The cablegrams follow: "General Tiojo surrendered with his command today, at Sinait. He will deliver all his men and guns in his command as soon as they can be gathered together. This completely pacifies the first department in northern Luzon, for many months the worst in Luzon."

"Colonels Cipriano Callao and Gregorio Katiba, Malvar's best officers, surrendered to Colonel Jacob Kline at Lipa on the 28th with twenty-three officers, 108 men and 38 rifles. "Major and Blas Villamor, leaders in Abra, surrendered at Bangang on the 27th. They are now engaged in assembling their scattered commands. Aglipay, the ex-prime minister in Ilocos, North Province of Luzon, surrendered at Laoag on the 28th. This is said here to have been with Alejandro, and one of the highest officers in the insurrectionary force. He was in command in northern Luzon during the famous chase after Commander Gilmore. Malvar's, whose colonels surrendered to Kline, is also one of the best known Filipino leaders.

"The Philippine army and command of the insurgents at the fight at Zapad river, the most serious battle fought in the Philippines. "The army is steadily back from the Philippines say there now remains in the field in Luzon only one chief whom they are particularly desirous of catching, namely, General Aguinaldo. "Manila, May 2.—The report that General Alejandro had surrendered has been confirmed. He was looked upon as a possible successor to Aguinaldo. "Aguinaldo has been subpoenaed as a witness for the defense in a murder case pending in the city of Mereng. "Captain McDonald, with twenty-one men of the Third cavalry recently attacked sixty insurgent riflemen and forty bolomen in the mountains of Abra province. The insurgents were defeated, Captain Donald wounded and one private killed.

Fifteen Filipino officers surrendered to Colonel Baldwin of the Fourth infantry at Cavite, Viejo. To Investigate Townley. Washington, May 2.—The navy department has decided to take steps immediately to ascertain the facts as to the connection of Lieutenant Townley with the army scandal in Manila, developed in his testimony before the court-martial yesterday. An order will go forward to Admiral Kempff directing a report and making a court of inquiry immediately.

GERMANS ARE WITHDRAWING.

Not Believed That Gen. Liu Acted on Chinese Government's Orders. Berlin, April 30.—It is stated by the officials here that the main German expeditionary force in China is now withdrawing from the formidable area, leaving a garnison at the Pass at the Great Wall. "The non-participation of the French in the battle was not due to orders received in Paris, but to their failure to arrive in time. "Further expeditions are not projected. "It will only be undertaken should the Chinese government be able to pay for it. In official circles it is believed General Liu acted upon his own initiative or perhaps at the suggestion of some anti-French mandarin, the officials not believing the Chinese government ordered General Liu to resist the Germans, since such action was plainly against the government's interests.

IS THIS A STAGE JOKE?

Tim Murphy Again Charged With Changing His Name. Washington, May 1.—Tim Murphy is no more, having changed his name to Timothy Lawrence Murphy. The change was made because the star comedian of "A Texas Steer" and "The Carpet Bagger" believed that plan might be a draw-back in appealing to high-class audiences. The change in name was announced at a dinner given by Mr. Murphy to Louis T. Werba, who is here representing the "Merchant of Venice" all-star cast. In a brief speech announcing his determination Mr. Murphy said that he had become convinced he must be rechristened if he intended, as he did, to continue his endeavors to rise as an actor of legitimate artistic parts.

Anglo-Saxon Alliance.

London, April 30.—W. Bayard Cutting, Jr., secretary of the United States Legation here, yesterday had a very interesting daughter of the Earl of Desart was quietly married today at All-Saints church, this city.

MAY INVALIDATE THE IRRIGATION STATUTES

Highly Important Controversy in Nebraska Over Right to Divert Streams.

PEOPLE OF CRAWFORD ANXIOUS

Their Attempt to Draw Water Supply From the White River Is Defeated by Force and by the Courts.

Lincoln, Neb., May 1.—The people of Crawford, out in the sandhill country, are having heaps of trouble over irrigation. Crawford is located on the White river, and the rainfall there is so small that the town must secure most of its water for domestic use from the White river. It so happens, however, that several miles above the town is located Fort Robinson, and the government has constructed a system of sewage which empties everything into the White river. This makes the river unavailable for use as a water supply and in order to obtain it several Crawford men organized a company and started to divert the waters of the White river above the fort. A sergeant and a company of soldiers stopped them, but later they secured permission from the government and a canal was constructed across the military reservation. Then the mill owners and ranchers down below Crawford began to object. They did not apply to the courts, but the projectors that they would tear up the headgates and other appurtenances. The ditch was guarded for some time, and meanwhile the Crawford company went into court asking that it use its equitable powers to determine the relative rights of the various parties. While the case was pending some cowboys went up below the headgates and they were arrested and their cases are now pending in federal court. The Crawford company maintained that as it desired the water for domestic purposes that gave it a superior claim to those who desired it for farming or manufacturing purposes. It had not, however, followed the irrigation law, both as to procedure and condemnation, and insisted in court that the law was unconstitutional, in so far as it assumes to confer judicial powers upon the state board of irrigation, that power not being granted by the fundamental law; in other words, that it could not sit and determine the priorities of right to the use of water.

The district court decided that the water company had no right to construct the canal and threw its case out of court. It appealed to the supreme court, which held that the lower court was right. In his opinion Justice Noyes held that the only right the water company could possibly have to the waters arose out of the act which it attacked, that it was reasonable to suppose one part as much of an inducement to its passage as another, and if one part was unconstitutional the whole act must fall. "The case is a very important one, because the court, in effect, and although not in declarative terms, holds that the irrigation act is unconstitutional and therefore inoperative. If the court holds to its old opinion it will be a very serious blow to the irrigation interests of the state.

ATTACKS OUR POLICY.

Paris Temps Bitterly Contemns American Warfare in Philippines. Paris, May 1.—The Temps in a leading article bitterly attacks "the American policy in the Philippines, which, it says, is based on the theory that in a war with savages almost anything is justifiable. The Temps is, however, constrained to admit that the policy pursued by the French in Algeria is largely responsible for the revolts of the natives there. This admission is brought forth by the news that received in an attack by natives on a train of merchandise between Adelia and Vasoul Benin. A part of the track was blown up, and the authorities at Marquerite are said to have positive proof that the revolt is led by the fanatic Hadj Ben Aissa, the Algerian Mad Mullah, who has promised paradise to all natives who either kill the invading infidels or lose their lives in the war of extermination. Hadj claims to have divine inspiration and says his mission is to retake the land, and as much as the natives are starving and there is much misery among the Arabs, it does not require much exhortation to start trouble. Those killed in the attack on the train were buried with elaborate ceremonies.

HILL MAKES ANSWER.

New Yorker Says He Is Not a Candidate for President. Albany, N. Y., May 2.—Ex-Gov. David B. Hill has given out the following statement: "My attention has been called to the story which is going the rounds of the press that I am expected to make a political tour through the west and south either this year or next. I desire to state that I do not contemplate any such trip. "When recently advised that an invitation was being prepared in the state of Washington to make a visit, I immediately inquired as to the details, and immediately stated that it would be impossible for me to accept, and requested an abandonment of the proposed invitation. "I will state further that I am not a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination in 1904. I am neither seeking the nomination nor expecting it. I regard all suggestions of candidature at this time as premature and inadvisable. No one can now tell what can or ought to be done in 1904."

NOTES FROM WASHINGTON.

News From National Capital of Northwestern Iowa. Washington, April 30.—Iowa postmasters appointed: Piloah, Washington county, Samuel Hansper, vice K. E. Young; Des Moines, Boone county, K. L. Deneeld, vice A. Gordon, resigned. Postoffices discontinued: Van Buren, Jackson county, Iowa, mail to Preston; West, Furnas county, Neb., mail to Spring Hill.

STOCKHOLDERS NOTIFIED.

Official Circulars Concerning Offer Made for the Burlington Railroad. Boston, May 2.—An official circular issued by the directors of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, making announcement of the details of the offer of the New York, Pacific and Great Northern companies to purchase the capital stock of the Burlington road, was mailed to stockholders yesterday. The circular is but an amplification of the facts previously made known concerning the deal.

Offer for Steamship Line.

London, May 2.—Circulars were issued yesterday morning by Chairman Ellerman of the Leyland line, in which the shareholders are informed that a contract has entered into by the company with J. Pierpont Morgan for the sale of the line's holdings of ordinary shares in the steamship line, namely, 1,000 shares at £14 10s per share for each £10 share, and Morgan agrees to purchase on similar terms an ordinary share offered before May 2.

PLAN OF REORGANIZATION.

New Free Delivery System of Postal Department Effective July 1.

Washington, May 1.—The plan of the reorganization of the free delivery postal system, including both the city and rural services, as authorized in general terms by congress last session, was adopted yesterday to take effect July 1. Under the reorganized system, August W. Macher, of Ohio, will continue as general superintendent of the free delivery system, with general charge of both city and rural services. Charles Hedges of Texas, now assistant superintendent, with headquarters in New York, is appointed superintendent of the free delivery service in the cities. The senior assistant superintendent of the free delivery system, William G. Edens of Chicago, preferred to remain in that city on account of personal and political interests there. Charles W. Macher of South Dakota, now an assistant superintendent at large, was detailed to New York as assistant superintendent in charge of that division. J. W. Irwin continues as assistant superintendent of the Pacific coast division at San Francisco. Under the reorganization, Miss Ina S. Liebhardt, who has made a record as secretary to the general superintendent, is appointed chief clerk of that office. Mr. Macher's salary is raised from \$3,000 to \$3,500.

FATHER AND SON GUILTY.

Dr. J. L. Gartrell Confesses to the Brutal Murder of D. B. Donegan.

Kansas City, May 2.—Dr. J. L. Gartrell, aged 70, today confessed to Chief of Police Hayes that he killed D. B. Donegan, the Colorado miner, whose body was found in Mulberry creek between Amoret and Nihart, Mo., yesterday. The confession is in writing. Dr. J. L. Gartrell, the doctor's son, confessed to his knowledge of the crime and to having helped dispose of the body. The men were arrested here last night after Dr. Gartrell had demanded the proceeds from the sale of Donegan's team and wagon, which has been sold by local dealers. "Who arrested both men stoutly denied complicity in the murder but finally this morning the younger Gartrell gave way under the severe 'sweating' and confessed his father had killed Donegan at their camp near Nihart, March 19. Then he said he helped the old man place the body into Donegan's wagon and after driving a distance of twenty miles dumped it into the creek. Later he said they negotiated the sale of the dead man's outfit to a Kansas City horse dealer and came here to get the money. Dr. Gartrell was shown his son's confession and soon broke down and confessed. He admitted having murdered Donegan saying he slipped up behind the Colorado man and brained him with an ax. Other details as described by the son were also admitted by the elder Gartrell. Donegan left Victor, Colo. for Kansas City on March 15, and was driving overland to Oklahoma when he met the Gartrells. He carried \$800. Yesterday his body wrapped in oil-cloth was found in the bottom of Mulberry creek. A search in Donegan's wagon disclosed a bloody pillow, blanket and a pocket book containing papers belonging to the miner.

COULD NOT AGREE.

Illinois Central Machinists in Conference With Company Reject Proposition. Chicago, May 2.—Officials of the Illinois Central railroad and the International Association of Machinists failed to reach an agreement as to wages and hours at a joint conference last night. In answer to the proposition of the machinists a counter proposition was submitted by the railway, which was in the nature of a compromise throughout. The railway proposed a 5 per cent increase to all machinists; an increase of 2 1/2 per cent to helpers, and a general raise of 2 1/2 per cent to blacksmiths, boiler-makers, painters and others employed in the shops. The road announced that it would allow time and a half for overtime, but in effect of the retention of the ten-hour a day rule. The offer of the Central is equivalent to a minimum scale of 29 cents, which is the basis on which the great Western road recently settled with its machinists. The men in their proposition to the railway officials asked for 30 cents an hour, nine hours to constitute a day, with time and a half for overtime for the first six hours and double time for all work over that and for Sundays and holidays. At the closing of the machinists late last night it was decided to reject the proposition made by the road and to hold out for the terms presented by the organization to the company. Telegrams were sent to all the shops along the line of the Central, and to the men of the result of the conference, and telling them to be in readiness for final action, which would be taken inside of thirty-six hours.

Other Strike Matters.

Chicago, May 2.—The abolition of the sympathetic strike by all central labor bodies in the United States, through the country, was proposed by representatives of the newly organized building trades league of Chicago by President Smyth and Secretary Steinbiss, of the National Building Trades council. The promise was held out to the league representatives as an inducement to get them to favor the scheme of Steinbiss and Smyth for a merger of the old building trades council of Chicago and the Chicago Building Trades league, the new central body organized by several of the leading unions in the local building industries. Louisville, Colo., May 1.—The miner of the northern Colorado coal field at a mass meeting yesterday voted to return to work at the terms offered by the Northern coal company, which has agreed to an increase in wages of 10 per cent and reduce the price of powder. This ends the strike of lockout which began on January 1. Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1.—500 journeymen plumbers of this city will strike, the employers refusing to accede to the terms of the new contract, a new scale including recognition of the union. The strike will seriously interfere with contracts of employers upon new buildings being erected. Wheeling, W. Va., May 1.—At a conference of the miners and operators of the Fifth Ohio subdistrict, composed of Belmont, Jefferson and Harrison counties yesterday, the strike was settled, each side making concessions. The men were ordered to resume work today.

800 ARRESTS MADE.

An Extensive Nihilist Plot Discovered in Russian Poland. Berlin, April 30.—The Loksal Anzeiger prints a dispatch from Breslau, which says: "An extensive nihilist plot has been discovered in Russian Poland. Six hundred arrests were made today, of which 200 were transported by special train to the Warsaw citadel."

THE CONSTITUTION

FOLLOWS THE FLAG

Believed in Washington That This Will Be Supreme Court's Ruling.

DECISION IS BEING HELD UP

The Purpose of This Is Obvious as Such a Finding Would Necessitate Immediate Action by Congress.

Washington, May 2.—The constitution follows the flag. This is the rumor, or with regard to the delayed decision of the so-called Porto Rican case in the supreme court, which involves the settlement of the constitutional rights of the United States to acquire territory and hold the same as outlying possessions without coming under the provisions of the constitution is in circulation here, and is finding credence among well informed men. It is claimed that the supreme court has, for some time been holding its decision in abeyance, and has determined not to give the public until the Fifty-seventh congress is about to convene. It is said that the court will decide that the constitution follows the flag, and therefore the decision will be against the government. If the decision was rendered now, it is contended, it would be necessary to have an extra session of congress to deal with the many questions which would naturally arise from the altered status of the whole problem. The court, therefore, decided not to hand down its opinion until congress should be prepared to deal with the question in all its bearings.

Attention is called to the admission of Frederico Degatau, resident commissioner of Porto Rico, to practice before the supreme court, the motion of Solicitor General Richards. Under the law no one not a citizen of the United States can be admitted to practice before the supreme court. The law of congress under which the commissioner of Porto Rico holds his office specifically states that the commissioner must be a native of Porto Rico. The action of the supreme court Monday virtually affirms the decision of the civil service commission, which recently ruled that Porto Ricans were citizens of the United States, and were therefore eligible to take the examination for admission into the government service. Under the rules of the commission as approved by the president no one not a citizen of the United States is eligible to take the civil service examination.

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800 ARRESTS MADE.

An Extensive Nihilist Plot Discovered in Russian Poland. Berlin, April 30.—The Loksal Anzeiger prints a dispatch from Breslau, which says: "An extensive nihilist plot has been discovered in Russian Poland. Six hundred arrests were made today, of which 200 were transported by special train to the Warsaw citadel."

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

Smoke Wayne Beauty.
Luther Dearborn is a guest of his brother, F. A.

W. M. Wright came home from Duluth Wednesday.
The best line of Dried Fruits at D. H. Sullivan's Grocery.

For all kinds of pure Oils and Paints see Otto Vogel's Hardware.

Cut prices on Ladies suits and walking skirts to close out those lines.

AHERN'S for shirt waists and wrappers, they carry the Banner brand.

Trade is always brisk at the Brookings grocery. It is where you buy groceries the cheapest.

Those Little Gents' Nobby Three Piece suits, are going "fast at cost" but we still have sizes.

THE RACKET.
Have just received our first shipment of New Maple Syrup which is strictly pure, and only \$1 per gallon.

Yes, you can do most any old thing in Wayne, by dad, but be mighty careful what you say to the marshal.

Come in and see my line of Force Pumps, Cistern Pumps, pipes and fittings of all kinds for lowest prices.

Henry Volpp and wife and his sister Mrs. Ege were down from Bloomfield Monday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Lerner.

Owing to poor health Ray Reynolds was compelled to quit work and come home from Sioux City. He will leave soon for Hot Springs.

Mrs. W. D. Hammond was in Norfolk last night to meet her sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Witter, who accompanied her home this morning.

Every lady or gentleman purchasing a pair of fine shoes of F. O. Davis & Co. will be presented with a ticket which will entitle them to six (6) free shins at the CORNER SHOE STORE.

Mothers of good judgment and experience give their little ones Rocky Mountain Tea this month, keeps them well. 35c. Made by Madison Medicine Co.—Ask your druggist.

S. L. Drake is a first class sewing machine repairer, with best of recommendation. If your sewing machine is out of repair have him look at it. Novelty Repair Works.

WANTED—60 head of horses to pasture in well watered and timbered place, much of pasture is grown to clover and blue grass. \$3.00 for the season. CHAS. E. MORGAN, Pilger, Neb.

Mrs. J. No matter what causes facial eruptions, absolute cleanliness inside and out is the only way to cure them. Rocky Mountain Tea taken this month will drive them away. 35c. Ask your druggist.

The unveiling of the monument to the memory of Sam Hood, which had been arranged for next Sabbath, has been postponed owing to the non-arrival of the monument. Notice of the event will be made later.

E. L. Parmlee, a tombstone dealer of Tekamah, was in town Tuesday, and after looking over the Wayne cemetery declared that it contained the finest lot of monuments of any like yard in Nebraska. A high compliment to Prof. Durria.

You want to kill that cough and steer clear of a consumptive's grave? Call at Midlner's Palace saloon for a bottle of Greenbriar whiskey. Put in a few pieces of rock candy, and take several doses a day. It has been known to cure tuberculosis.

In a note containing subscription to the DEMOCRAT Mrs. J. C. Ludeke of Omaha writes: "Mr. Ludeke has gone to Hot Springs, Ark. The doctors thought that best for him. He will be gone several months. Grace and I have changed our address to 1622 South 10th St."

The corner stone of the M. E. church will be laid on Thursday, May 9th, at 3 p. m., by Rev. F. M. Sisson D. D. of Norfolk. Rev. G. H. Main of Norfolk is expected here to take part in the service, as will also the Wayne pastors. To the public a cordial invitation is extended to attend this service.—Herald.

Auctioneer Cunningham cried a sale at Hoskins last Friday, and when he got home had a great tale of woe to pour into the listening ears of his friends. He said the Dutchmen up there had a lot of stuff they called kimmel, and that after they were all chock full of the stuff he had "a hell-of-a-time to keep the damned Dutchmen from hugging and kissing him."

D. H. Sullivan arrived home last week from Washington, D. C., where he attended a meeting of the stockholders of the American Multiplex Talking Machine Co. The Washington Post of April 23, gives quite an account of the matter and list of the officers elected. The company expects to make several millions out of the enterprise, stockholders being present from all over the states. The machine is a talker or musical box that plays a number of different tunes, any one of which can be had by dropping a nickel in a slot and pushing a button requesting the piece desired. D. H. is in on the "ground floor" and the DEMOCRAT believes that he is next to one of the biggest bonanzas on earth.

T. B. Heckert, Dentist, over Miller's.

H. M. Dodge is here from Laurel today.

Closing out everything in Clothing at Cost. THE RACKET.

Geo. Devine left yesterday on a trip through Iowa.

Sioux City has a large number of new small box casks.

WANTED—Good girl for housework—MRS. A. A. WELCH.

Try our PERFECT Flour, only \$1 per sack at Sullivan's.

Your best chance to get a Little Man's 3 piece suit at cost.

THE RACKET.
The latest novelties in summer millinery just received at M. P. AHERN.

Wm. Dammeyer went to Pierce this morning on cigar business.

Cut prices on Ladies suits and walking skirts to close out those lines.

AHERN'S for shirt waists and wrappers, they carry the Banner brand.

Nice assortment of Men's Suits, including some black worsteds at cost.

THE RACKET.
Mike O'Connell came down from Wausa Monday to visit family and friends.

Finest quality of Early Ohio and Red River seed potatoes at the Brookings grocery.

Messrs Fuller and Dan Harrington have greatly beautified their residences by painting, etc.

Tom Heanessey was setting 'em up one day last week all because of an eleven pound daughter at his home.

Attorney Berry had legal business in Wakefield Wednesday. Mr. Berry is one of the busiest lawyers in the burg.

If it's the NEWS you are paying your dollar for, then get your money's worth by subscribing for the DEMOCRAT.

A sign on the door of the Wheaton barber shop says: "Sick and gone to Sioux City." Homer must be feeling badly.

Herman Mildner is not only tired but retired this week. But just wait, the Palace saloon will open in a blaze of glory next week.

Ted Phillee has been appointed marshal of Carroll. The DEMOCRAT has reason to believe that Ted will bring disturbers to time.

The revival meetings are not very well patronized. This hot weather rather tends to weaken a fellows' belief in it getting any hotter.

The ladies of the Acme club drove out to the farm residence of Mrs. J. W. Bartlett Tuesday afternoon and passed a most enjoyable time.

Messrs. J. R. Manning and W. H. Gikertleeve, two of this county's best and largest cattle men, left for Chicago Monday with a lot of fat stock.

H. J. Feiber occupied his old place in the Raymond drug store this week while Mr. Raymond was in Dakota City invoicing a stock of drugs which he has sold.

"Just wait 'till Councilman Beebe is running for office, then we'll show him a hot time for his life," is about the way Charley Johnson's friends are talking it.

A saloonkeeper is the best man in town these days. Every freholder signs a statement that he is a man of good character, etc. Who else could get any such credentials?

Having added to my stock the Perfect Brand Flour I take pleasure in recommending it to all users of High Grade Flour. Sold only by D. H. Sullivan at \$1.00 per Sack.

John Sherbahn and his nephew Walt Sherbahn went to Neligh yesterday to set up and put in operation a brick making plant which Mr. Sherbahn sold to parties there.

Mrs. P. L. Miller was very badly injured last Saturday evening, slipping and falling in such a manner as to dislocate her hip. The local doctor thought the injury was confined to the lady's knee, but Monday a specialist was summoned from Sioux City and it was found as stated above.

Good, happy, fat, pleasant-faced Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams left Tuesday morning for a three weeks outing which will take them to the Pacific coast and many places of interest in the west. The doctor said they could not travel without the DEMOCRAT following them, so gave his first stopping place as 827 Howell street Seattle, Wash.

Miss Dolly Holtz accompanied her sister Laura to Sioux City last Saturday to have the latter, who is in poor health from lung trouble, examined by a specialist. A local physician had determined that the young lady was in a very bad way, but the Sioux City doctor said there was no cause for apprehension, and that with care there was no reason why Miss Holtz should not regain good health.

Nels Grimsley and F. W. Burdick got home Wednesday evening from Oklahoma. They are very enthusiastic over that country, say business is booming and that if the good crops continue it will continue so. Mr. Grimsley says he saw one farmer sell 3500 bushels of wheat for 65 cents per bushel. A very big crop of wheat was raised last year. Cotton and corn are also leading crops.

Everett Laughlin is Dead.

While it has been known for months that Everett Laughlin had but a short time to live, all the news of his death was a shock to his many friends, perhaps because Everett has always been held in high esteem by those who knew him best. His fight for health and life was a pathetic ordeal that many have suffered before him, and yet it seems hard to realize that one in the very prime of life should be so stricken. Everett practically grew from boyhood up in Wayne, and while he may have had his faults the DEMOCRAT does not believe that a more conscientious, painstaking and consistent christian young man than he has lived here. His sickness of nearly a year past our readers have all known. Death no doubt was a glad relief for him. He breathed his last just a few minutes after noon on Wednesday, having been unconscious for nearly a day previous. The funeral services occur this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Weldon.

An Old Sinner Sinched,

Sheriff Phillips of Cuming county was in town this morning enroute to Randolph where the authorities have Ephraim Wentworth and his child par amour, 13-year-old Margaret Kuckoo, in waiting for him. Sheriff Phillips will drive back to Wayne this afternoon and stay here over night with the pair safely lodged at Hotel d'Cherry. The capture is due to Sheriff Cherry having seen the parties driving toward Randolph last Saturday, although at that time he did not know they were elopers. Wentworth is quite an old man and eloped with the young girl a week ago yesterday, from the girl's home near Wisner. Sheriff Phillips will use the prisoner's team to make the drive back to West Point.

Smoke the Leader.

Pure German Millet seed for sale. J. W. McGINRY.

F. W. Burdick says he may move to Oklahoma.

Dr. Love was a visitor from Carroll Wednesday.

Great bargains in buggies for the next 30 days. J. W. McGINRY.

Dr. Mettlen was a Bloomfield visitor in town Tuesday.

How would you like to be the saloonkeeper this week?

H. B. Miller left on Monday for a summer's visit in Illinois.

Father Fitzgerald came home Tuesday from a trip to Jackson.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sylvanus last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Graves are visiting their son at Inez, Holt county.

A. F. Chaon is home from Illinois where he attended the funeral of a brother.

Louis Smithberger of Stanton had a valuable horse stolen from him Wednesday night.

The Wayne Leader cigar is a regular gold mine for a five-cent speculation. You get the best smoke going.

Into each life some ruins must fall, Wise people don't sit down and bawl; Only fools suicide or take to flight, Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.—Ask your druggist.

Bush Memorial News.

Mr. Shay and family have changed their minds and have moved to Laurel. The neighbors spent an enjoyable evening with them and were refreshed with ice cream and cake.

I suppose Ralph Nichols is going into the poultry business, as he has forty-four chickens out of two fillings of eggs of his incubator.

Cleve Boling must expect to go to farming in a few years as he has purchased a fine colt.

The farmers are getting along fine with their plowing and some are starting to plant corn.

Emmet Clark wears a broad smile these days over the arrival of an eight pound son on the morning of April 27th.

James Grier was surprised by his many friends last Saturday evening. All reported a fine time.

The Sunday school, which is at half past ten, is progressing finely.

Mrs. Roxy Evans visited her parents last week.

Little Georgia Clark is able to be out again.

Blanch Goss is doing quite a lot of sewing for Mrs. S. M. Clark. Era we'll keep the tin pans ready.

Edith Jones Sundayed with her friend Miss Mable Martin.

Miss Mary Beckman started on her visit to Illinois the 26th of April.

Bull for Sale

A nineteen-months old Durham bull fine animal. See or address John Heeren, Carroll, Neb.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA.

In the matter of Byron Mossman, bankrupt. Case number 682 in bankruptcy. Voluntary petition.

On this 28th day of April, A. D. 1901, on filing and reading the petition of the above named bankrupt for his discharge herein, it is

Ordered, that the 1st day of June, A. D. 1901, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of the said bankrupt shall, if they desire to oppose the same, file in my office at Wayne, Nebraska, in said district, their appearance, in writing, in opposition to the granting of said discharge, and also, within ten days thereafter, file in my said office specifications of the grounds of said opposition.

Witness my hand hereto at my office, in Wayne, Nebraska, the day and date herein first above written.

JAMES BRITTON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

WILSON BROS.

Second Grand Millinery Opening

Is now in progress!!!

We are showing all the newest and latest shapes and patterns for summer. Come early and see the newest creations in the Millinery World. We have them.

When in our store ask to see our Waist Goods. We simply lead them all in Style and Price.

Our new Corsets are now on the tables. Don't you think you had better look them over.

We also pay the highest price for butter and eggs.

Wilson Bros.

Agents for New Idea Patterns.



Farm Lands and Forests.

The whole future of agriculture is vitally dependent upon arboriculture and forestry. The reckless destruction of the groves and forests of the United States threatens utter infertility to all parts of the Union. More than twenty-five thousand acres of trees are cut down in the United States and made into railroad ties, lumber, furniture and other commodities every twenty-four hours. Among seventy-five millions of people even this vast destruction of trees gives a very small per capita portion of wood or lumber.

The interdependence of tree life, vegetable life and animal life is constant. Unless forests are conserved and trees planted, all farming must perish within the next hundred years; and should the whole globe be denuded of forests and groves all animal life would become extinct. The intermission of tree life and growth throughout the world, for a single summer, would extinguish all animal life. Teaching tree planting at home about the fireside and practising tree planting on all the farms in the United States, are pressing necessities. Self-preservation should inspire every American to do all in his power to promote arboriculture. Agriculture everywhere must lend a helping hand to tree planters. It is time to plant trees and begin the partial renewal of the forests of the continent if we care to leave our posterity a habitable country.

Up to this time there have been enough fresh fertile lands to supply the place of all lands which have been rendered unfruitful by bad usage, and by erosion from torrential rainfalls in the Eastern, Middle and Southern states. But we have now nearly reached the limit of arable lands for sale or for giving away by the government of the United States. The population of the Republic has doubled about every twenty-five years. If this increase continues at the same ratio, it is safe to say that in fifty years from this time the United States will have a population of about 300,000,000 people. Meantime the area of arable lands will, through bad tillage, have diminished, rather than increased. That is to say, the demand for farm lands will be more than three times as great as the demand is today, and the supply of farm lands will be much less than we now possess. Holding that the relation of supply to demand is the sole regulator of value, it is fair to conclude that farming lands in the United States, well located, will be worth, fifty years from this time, an average of from \$200 to \$300 an acre. The farmers who have the most individuality in the way of industry, frugality and judgement nearly all believe in a future of high prices for agricultural lands. This is particularly noticeable among American farmers of foreign birth and extraction especially among Germans, Hollanders and Scandinavians. These people have witnessed in their old home the constantly increasing prices of productive soils, or have, by tradition from their ancestors, a knowledge of them. The Wisconsin Land Co. have recently put upon the market about 60,000 acres of hardwood timber lands

at very low prices and on easy terms. If you desire to make a safe and profitable investment or secure a good home for about what you will pay in rents this year, it will pay you to look up this proposition. A postal card inquiry directed to R. H. James, Wayne Neb., will bring you full particulars concerning those Wisconsin lands.

CARROLL NEWS

Edward Morris returned from Wayne Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Goltz visited here Tuesday the guests of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Hornby.

Mr. W. B. Hornby made the sad mistake Monday evening of giving carbolic acid instead of medicine to his youngest boy, but the child is some better at the last report.

T. I. Shaffer spent Sunday with his family here they being unable to move for about three weeks on account of the fire at Plainview.

A Junior League was organized at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

The men who are to move W. I. Foster's barn have arrived and will move it as soon as the wind ceases blowing so hard.

The school bell rings at 7 a. m. and at 6 p. m. to accommodate the men working on the new hardware building.

Mrs. Thomas Delong returned from Wayne Tuesday where she had been to see her daughter.

The Williams girls returned Saturday evening, many of their friends meeting them at the depot.

Mr. H. H. Bassford and Mrs. A. J. Swartz went to Sioux City Wednesday morning.

Edward Zeilkey was an Omaha visitor this week.

Sunday school at the M. E. church to a. m., preaching at 11 a. m., Junior League at 6:15 p. m., Epworth League at 7 p. m., and preaching at 8 p. m.

We understand Miss Mamie Elliot has applied for the intermediate room in school here, we hope she will be successful as we believe she will give entire satisfaction.

T. I. Porter had a very sick horse but it is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cox are the proud parents of baby girl that arrived Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ellis Cox's mother came Wednesday evening to make her a visit.

John Gabler went to Wayne Thursday.

Miss Way, who has had charge of her sister's children for the past two years, is to leave our city this week leaving the children to Mrs. M. S. Linn. Miss Way will be greatly missed as she is loved by all who know her.

BRENNHA AND PLUM CREEK.

Wm. Essenheimer of Altona, was at the county seat on business Monday.

A pleasant time was had by the young folks at the home of George Lehmkuhl Saturday evening.

James Patterson from Pilger, was visiting in Plum Creek Sunday.

A new camp of Modern Woodmen was organized at Altona Saturday with eleven members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hanson entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bonawit Sunday afternoon.

John Reinhardt was at the county seat on Monday.

Richard Ritz was on the market with a load of hogs Tuesday.

Our assessor is making his rounds in these parts this week.

Chris Hansen took out the county grader last Tuesday, preparatory to going to work on the roads.

Eugene Sullivan shelled corn Tuesday.

John Finn drove his stock cattle to the range near Winside Wednesday.

Quite a bit of real estate changes hands these days by the wind.

March came and went a blowing, and April did so too.

And now we are all a wondering what May and June will do.

Corn planting has begun in these parts

HOSKINS.

A. H. Carter and H. E. Simon were at Hoskins Wednesday.

Gue and Benser of Winside were in town Friday.

Hern, the organ and piano man from Wayne accompanied by his wife was at Hoskins Wednesday.

Mrs. P. N. Peterson will go to Sioux City tomorrow.

Freddie Zeimer is reported very ill with lung fever. Ella Zeimer is also on the sick list this week.

The addition to the Lutheran parsonage is about completed.

Mrs. Gus Schroeder was in town Thursday. Charley Wilson was in from Egan Wednesday.

Frank Phillips went to Foster Monday.

Pete Kautz went home Tuesday.

Jennie Waddel went to Norfolk Friday.

Mrs. P. N. Peterson and Jennie Waddel visited at Winside Tuesday.

The Hoskins bird fancier visited at home Sunday.

Hanging May baskets was the order of the day or rather evening Wednesday, we received two, one full of straw and the other—Oh, well, we don't like to tell about that one.

Any farmer wishing to know at just what age a hen quits laying please call on our professor of henology.

Where is McKeen's correspondent? Strange we never prize a donkey 'till the lovely beast is gone.

How to succeed in business: go to some new town and if you see anything that don't concern you poke your nose into it.

PIEPENSTOCK'S

Weekly Price Bulletin:

Novelty Dress Goods,	20c value, at.....	12 1/2c
Percale, 3/4 yard wide,	per yard.....	4c
Calico, blue, per yard.....		5c
Shirting		5c
Muslin, unbleached.....		5c
Shoes, men's, \$3.50 at \$1.75		
ladies, \$1.75 to \$2 at .95		
Misses, \$1.50 at .75		
Boys', \$1.50 at .75		
Potatoes, Fancy Ohio;	per bushel.....	50
Peaches, fine, per lb.....		09
Prunes, large size, per lb.....		05
Corn, fancy sweet, 2-lb can .08		
Starch corn, 1-lb pkg.....		05
Soap, Beat Em All, 3 bars .10		
Lemons, large fancy, doz. .20		
Lard, fine country, per lb. .10		

Highest market price paid for butter and eggs.

August Piepenstock, General Merchandise.

Bank Stock for Sale.

20 shares par value \$100 each, book value \$2300, in the Wayne State Bank, pays regular dividends. Will sell for \$1900 cash. D. C. PATTERSON, OMAHA.

\$1 Buys Best Patent Flour at Rundell's.