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### NATIONAL NEWS Train Wreckers at Work

Sturgis, Mich., July 5—Passenger train No. 6 on the Grand Rapids & Indiana road, due here at 9:26 o'clock, but two hours late, was ditched at the depot by train wreckers. Some ruffian had stolen a crowbar from the railroad tool house, pried up the rail and put a stick of wood underneath. The engine, tender, baggage car and smoking care were derailed, but no was hurt.

### A Young Wife Disappears

Ottumwa, Iowa., July 5—John Owings, a bridegroom but three weeks since, is nearly frantic over the mysterious disappearance of his young wife. The couple had settled down to house keeping, and apparently everything was going well when the husband came home and found the house vacant. A fruitless search has been in progress over since. The bride was but 16 years of age, and her parents are as frantic as the husband.

#### Capture in Alaskan Waters

Washington, July 6—A telegram was received at the treasury department form Special Agent Williams at Port Townsend, Wash., confirming the news of the capture by the revenue cutter Corwin of the supply steamer Coquillon in Alaskan waters. Agent Williams adds that it is rumored that several other seizures were made. Agent Williams has been at St. Paul island but returned to the United States on the Albatross.

### Another Record Broken.

Hartford, Conn., July 6—At Charter Oak park, George F. Taylor of the Manhattan Athletic club broke the world's one quarter mile bicycle record made recently by Zimmerman in England.

### The Corpse Kicked.

Chester, Pa., July 6—Thomas Kelly, colored, was found at Market street wharf, apparently dead, and the patrol wagon was summoned and the body removed to the coroner's office. The body was placed in an ice box, when the

supposed corpse kicked the lid off and scattered the crowd of curious onlookers. The man had been stupefied with liquor.

### A Deadly Battle.

Homestead, Pa., July 7—A battle ensued when two boatloads of Pinkerton men attempted to take control of Homestead from the striking steel workers. The attempt was unsuccessful as the Pinkertons were finally forced to surrender and run the gauntlet of infuriated workmen, women and children. Eight workmen and nine Pinkerton men were killed, in addition to two pinkerton men who where shot and fell overboard. Twelve people were injured, with another 34 slightly wounded.

### Explosion of Molten Metal

Chicago, July 7—An explosion of molten metal in the furnace of the Illinois Steel works at South Chicago, resulted in the death of Peter Lindstorm, Patrick Conley's left arm was badly burned, Michael Pendrist and August Johnson were burned about the body.

### Twenty Injured, Three Fatally

St. Paul, Minn., July 7—An accident occurred on the Grand Avenue electric line which will result in the death of three persons. Car No. 513, in charge of Motoneer William Richter was coming down town from Victoria street. The brakes refused to work and the car with forty-six passengers on board, shot around Oakland avenue curve at lighting speed, running a half a mile. While the car was in motion, forty of the passengers jumped off, twenty being injured.

#### Pinkerton Men Attempt to Take Possession at Homestead

Homestead, Pa., July 7—At 4 o'clock the streets of Homestead were almost deserted, when three horsemen, came flying up the river road into Homestead and separated in different directions shouting wildly: "To the river, to the river!" "The Pinkertons are coming" As 10,000 people scurried toward the river a shrill whistle announced the coming of two barges full of Pinkerton men.

### The Wounded Pinkertons

Pittsburg, Pa., July 8—The wounded Pinkerton men in the Pittsburg hospitals spent the day in nursing their wounds, and trying to tell each other how it all happened, and how they escaped with their lives. No death occurred in any hospital. A. E. Cobert of Philadelphia, who was shot through the groin, is feared to be mortally wounded. Five others have broken ribs and fractured skulls and contusions which are likely to cause death.

### Troops Will Be on Hand

Harrisburg, Pa., July 8—After the re-

ceipt of Sheriff McCeary's message Governor Pattison sent Adjutant General Gardeland to the scene of the recent trouble a Homestead. The adjutant left for Pittsburg and will report the result of his observation at Homestead for the guidance of the governor, who continues to believe that Sheriff McCeary has no done his whole duty in summoning the citizens of Alleghoney county to his aid.

#### Sheriff McCleary Worried

Pittsburg, Pa., July 8—Sheriff McCleary was very much worried. Various questions were propounded to the sheriff. In the meantime clerks were busy sending out notices to citizens, several hundred in number, calling on them to act as a posse attending the sheriff in keeping the peace at Homestead.

### Immorality Based on Inspiration.

Round Lake, N. Y., July 8—The Reverend John Morrow of Allegheny, Pa., who has been officiating here with the Christian alliance, was requested to leave the grounds, which he did. Charges of the grossest immoralities on his part had been sent to Major Chamberlain, president of the alliance, and on being confronted with them, Morrow not only admitted their truth, but claimed that he acted under the inspiration of the Holy Ghost. His wife accompanied him.

### Protest Against Pinkertons

Columbus, O., July 9—Nearly 3,000 laboring men listened to addresses upon the Homestead labor troubles here, and at the conclusion adopted the following resolution: Resolved, That we, the citizens of Ohio, in mass meeting assembled, call upon the state authorities of Pennsylvania to hereafter prevent the bringing of an armed and irresponsible force within the borders of the sate, to prevent workmen form obtaining a fair division of the profits of a protected industry.

#### Attempt to Murder a Judge

Albany, N.Y., July 9—An attempt was made by W.J. McDonald, a section boss on the New York Central railway, to assassinate County Judge Jacob H. Clute at his office. McDonald endeavored to extort money from he judge by forcing him to sign a check for \$3,000. Upon his refusal to comply McDonald drew a 48-calibre revolver and attempted to shoot the judge, who wrestled with him and secured the weapon before any damage was done.

### Train Robber Caught

Wichita, Kas., July 9—One of the gang of train robbers that last month held up a Santa Fe train at Red Rock was caught near Union City, O.T., yesterday by a posse led by United States Marshal Grimes of Oklahoma, who has been on the trail of the gang for sometime, after a hard fight during which three men were wounded. On the captured robber was found a watch taken from the express messenger at the time of robbery and also a large sum of money. The rest of the gang are closely pursued by a posse and may be captured

#### Pinkertons on Route.

Newburg, N.Y., July 9—A special train on the West Shore passed through this city at 11 o'clock. It had aboard ninety-one Pinkerton detectives bound for Homestead, Pa. Two cars filled with ammunition were attached to the train.

### One of the Pinkertons Went Crazy

Chicago, July 12—Michael Slater, one of the Pinkerton men who was in the recent battle at Homestead, was arrested on a charge of attempting murder. He entered the house at 305 Fifth avenue and began shooting at everybody in sight. In court the case was dismissed on the ground that the experience at Homestead had unbalanced Slater's mind.

### William Waldorf Astor. His New York Agent Says He is Dead---Mystery.

New York, July 12—Abner Bartlett, agent for the Astor interests in this city, received a dispatch from London stating that William Waldorf Astor died yesterday morning. The sexton of Trinity church has sent out notices to

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the newspapers and there seems to be no doubt whatsoever that William Waldorf Astor is dead. When reporters called at the residence of Mr. Bartlett it was found that he had retired, but had left word at the door to inform all callers that Mr. Astor was dead, as stated. This, in view of the other dispatches from London, indicates that considerable mystery has attended the illness of Mr. Astor.

Chicago's Rotten Sidewalks

Chicago, July 12—By the caving of thirty-five feet of sidewalk in front of 185 and 187 Milwaukee avenue nearly one hundred people were thrown into the basement underneath. One person was probably fatally injured and eight others were hurt. The sidewalk was old and rotten and it was unable to stand the strain of the great crowd which gathered there to witness a struggle of the police and a drunken woman.

Forty Carloads of Troops

Homestead, July 12—According to the latest reports received here there are forty carloads of troops at Fort Perry, a couple of miles up the river, and the others are assembling at Blairsville intersection. Two carloads of guns and ammunition are at Brinton, and the first division is under arms at Mount Gretna.

### Able To Sit Up.

London, July 12—A correspondent of the United Press called early in the morning at the residence of William Waldorf Astor, and the servants repeated the statement made by them before midnight and already cabled, that the report of his death was incorrect. The family of Mr. Astor had retired and no information could be obtained from them. The servants were positive that Mr. Astor was not dead. The Astor family had been inundated with cable inquires during the evening and night. It is positively asserted by the servants that yesterday Mr. Astor was able to sit up and that he remained in bed only as a precaution against relapse.

Later--The condition of William Waldorf Astor is improving and no serious apprehension os entertained.

## Horrible Murder in an Iowa Town.

Ottumwa, July 13—A horrible murder was committed at Mystic, a mining town twenty miles south of here. Tom Corwin, accused of intimacy with the wife of Mart Goodwin, was struck by Goodwin with a pick in the back, the blade piercing his heart and protruding from his breast. Goodwin is in jail.

The Inquest Begun

Pittsburg, July 13—Coroner Maxwell began an inquest relative of the deaths of the men engaged in the Homestead riot Wednesday, July 6. Very little interest was manifested in the proceedings, very few persons other than witnesses being present. The testimony was altogether by those who were on the barges and steamboats at the time of the riot and agreed in the statement that the firing was commenced by those on the riverbank.

#### **Troops Must Be Orderly**

Homestead, Pa., July 13—The council of the borough met and after discussing the situation resolutions were passed requesting the officers in charge of the state troops to keep their men out of the saloons of the town and thus prevent them from becoming intoxicated and causing trouble.

Typhoid Epidemic at Chicago

Chicago, July 13—There is cause for alarm in the city over the prevalence of typhoid fever and there is question if the facts do not already justify the characterization of the conditions as epidemic. There have been nine deaths from typhoid fever in the county hospital since July 1, and there are at present 260 cases in the hospital.

### Attempt to Assassinate a Minister

Chicago, July 13—Some unknown miscreant Sunday evening attempted to murder the Rev. W. H. Kling, of the German Lutheran church. A bullet was fired through the window of the pastor's study and passed within a few feet of the reverend gentleman's head, embedding itself in the wall of the library.

#### Mangled by His Reaper.

Oskaloosa, Kan., July 13—Fred Hinden, a prominent farmer, was thrown from his reaper, and before the team could be stopped, was so badly mangled that he will die.

### A Corpse With an Appetite.

London, July 13—At 4:30 in the afternoon, the Hon. William Waldorf Astor took lunch with his family. His appetite was apparently unimpaired by the news of his death in the New York papers. After lunch, Mr. Astor went to his library and passed the time reading while he reclined on a couch.

### Barnie Again Disgusted.

Minneapolis, July 13—Manager Barnie, finding great difficulty in securing players, has given up the idea of organizing the Minneapolis ball club.

### Kansas City Iron Workers Return.

Kansas City, July 13—The workmen in the Kansas City rolling mill all returned to work, having signed the scale with the proprietors.

### Kansas Liquor Leaders Pardoned

Oswego, July 14—Governor Humphrey, pardoned Jesse Budd, Jacob Krantz and Ben Ackley. These men were placed in jail here nearly four months ago under sentence of six months imprisonment for violating the Kansas liquor law. A petition signed by hundreds of the leading

citizens of Labette county was presented to the governor, who took the matter under advisement and gave a favorable reply.

#### A Preacher Robber

Atlanta, Ga., July 14—Rev. J. B. Kisler, a holiness preacher at Toccoa City, Ga., was arrested as the leader of a band of robbers who operated extensively at Seneca City, S.C. Two years ago Kisler was a young preacher who wielded influence in the pulpit.

### Deeds of a Lawless Gang

Anoka, Minn., July 14-Burns, a town if this county, is in fever of excitement over the deeds of a lawless gang. The whole population is terrified and the gang's actions are constantly causing annoyance. Monday the handsome residence of George Small was set on fire and is a total lose. Others have been threatened. Small has been aggressive in trying to drive out the gang.

### STATE NEWS

Riverton, Neb., July 6—Tom Hackett, in a fit of insanity, shot and killed his father. After viewing the body the coroner empanelled a jury. The first witness was Andrew Hackett. He testified substantially as follows: "I was present at the time of the shooting. My father was eating his dinner. Tim came in from the field, washed himself, went in the front room and came out with the rifle and exclaimed 'I am crazy' and shot father through the head. Father fell dead. Tom then sat down in the front room crying and said he was crazy

Omaha, July 6—Next after Judge Crounse the Independent believes Judge Samuel Maxwell would make a strong race for governor as any man the republicans of Nebraska could nominate, and it believes also that his loyalty to party would induce him to accept the nomination if tendered, and if nominated he would be elected by a handsome margin.

Omaha, July 6—The signs of the times seem to point to the nomination of S. N. Wolbach of Grand Island as the democratic candidate for governor. Mr. Wolbach has running qualities of decidedly speedy character, but the democratic candidate will be required to have extraordinary speed if he hopes to get in sight of the distance pole this year.

Omaha, July 7—T. V. Powderly, in company with J. W. Hayes and A. W. Wright, left last night for Chicago intending to go from there to Pittsburg to consult with the leaders of the strikers at Homestead. Powderly called the Homestead tragedy "a savage butchery."

Omaha, July 7—D. A. Ray, a gentleman in the employ of the Oxnard beet sugar company presented forged checks to several persons and he has kept the money. D. A. Ray was ar-

rested yesterday by Sergeant Detective Haze on receipt of a telegram from Grand Island, where he is wanted for embezzlement and larceny as bailee. When searched at police headquarters he had \$270.70 in his pockets.

Omaha, July 8—Senator Pettigrew denies the story of Mr. Loucks, the chairman of the late convention at Omaha, that South Dakota belongs to the People's party, the claim, he says is utterly without foundation. These People's party men are blessed with an extraordinarily vivid power of imagination, which fills their visions with beautiful mirages.

Omaha, July 8—Mr. McShane the democratic ex-congressman, looks at the political situation through his democratic spectacles, and prophesies that the People's party has a good chance to carry Nebraska, and the democracy a better one yet and that the democrats will elect Cleveland without doubt.

Omaha, July 8—An effort is made in Omaha to locate the headquarters of the People's party national committee at said city, and Dr. Mercer has offered free of charge for the chairman and secretary of this committee two rooms and board at said hotel. Out of this grew the report that Dr. Mercer, who is chairman of the republican state committee, would join or had joined the new party.

Hastings, Neb., July 9—Ex-County Treasurer Charles H. Paul, who has been on trial in the district court the past week on the charge of embezzlement of \$54,000 as treasurer of Adams county, was found guilty after the jury being out two days. He was recommended to the mercy of the court. Court adjourned until Tuesday. A motion for a new trial has been filed but doubt exists as to whether the motion will be entertained, Samuel Fist, Paul's deputy, is on trial on the charge of aiding the

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embezzlement.

Omaha, July 9—There are prospects that the Ketchum furniture of Omaha City Hall, about which there was so much trouble, will be thrown out and not accepted.

Omaha, July 9-Two painters fell forty feet and landed on a wooden pavement in Omaha yesterday, the accident being caused by the breaking of a rope. Neither was killed but both are supposed to be very seriously injured.

York, Neb., July 12—A Mrs. Strickler at York attempted to poison her husband and his brother yesterday from a supposed jealous motive. The green-eyed monster is a terror.

Omaha, July 12—The Nebraska Tribune was sold at public auction yesterday morning to satisfy several chattel mortgages. The paper was bought by Mrs. Festner. It will be continued, and its future name will be the Omaha Tribune.

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Fairbury, Neb., July 14—At 1 o'clock a.m. a crowd of thirty-five masked men broke into the jail and took out Simon Watson, who has been convicted of whipping his wife and little children. Watson was taken to the timber and tied to a tree, where ten women gave him ten strikes each on the bare back with a horsewhip. The excitement is intense. Officers removed Watson to Hebron to prevent a repetition

Omaĥa, July 14—The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention at the city of Lincoln, August 4th at 10 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for state offices.

Omaha, July 14—Lucien Bartley shot his mistress Eliza Halliday, their 6-year-old son and himself. The woman had left Hartley and the deed was committed because she refused to return.

### **ISLAND** HALL COUNTY NEWS.

Hoffmeister, Grand Island's left fielder had been released by Grand Island club. He goes to Broken Bow on a better paying position at once

Frank Kelley was fined \$100 and costs this morning for stealing some cloth from Robert Frohberg. Kelley was discovered stealing the goods and broke away from the crowd around

him. Patsy Cornfield just happened around and gave chase. Patsy overtook him and held him down until the police office arrived. Patsy would do pretty good in a uniform.

An active republican club has been organized, and is doing good work in Doniphan township. It has sixty members and is constantly adding to its membership

The home of Mr. Strattman was entered last night and a good suit of clothes was taken with no clue what ever to the thief. This petty thieving is becoming very frequent, but every effort is being made by the police to catch the culprits and when they are caught they get the full limit of the law.

Teachers who do no show interest in educational work and do not attend the teachers' Institute should not be re-employed by boards of education. A certificate of attendance at he institute ought to be essential to employment as teacher as much so as a certificate from a county superin-

Judge J. H. Mullin has been telegraphed to come to Iowa City at once, where his father lies quite seriously ill. The Independent with all the

for a dime per week. The republican electors of Hall County, Nebraska, are hearby called to meeting in delegate convention at the court house in Grand Island, for the purpose of nominating two candidates for member of the legislature, and one candidate for county attorney, and to elect delegates to the State and Senatorial conventions.

We acknowledge receipt from the secretary of the Nebraska Association of Trotting Horse Breeders of an complimentary to the Seventy Annual meeting of the association to be held in Linden Tree park, Beatrice, Aug. 9 to 12th inclusive.

Last night at the corner of Pine and Third streets the scene of an accident occurred. Mrs. Dr. Hawk was in a rig on the Michelson corner and Mrs. Dr. Sutherland and several other ladies were in another carriage and were driving along Pine street. The hubs of both carriages clashed with one another. Mrs. Hawk was thrown under the wheel of her buggy but only had slight bruises.

Mrs. Dr. Gahan will serve cake and ice cream to the Ladies' Guild Thursday afternoon. All are cordially invited to be present. All those knowing themselves to be indebted to the society will please make it convenient to settle at this meeting as they are in need of funds.

The meeting of the Nebraska Columbian Commission which was to have been held in Grand Island this month, has been postponed, and the next meeting of the Commission will be held at Lincoln September 5th at the same time the state fair is in session, and it has been arranged that a subsequent meeting of the commission will be held in Grand Is-

C.P.R. Williams secretary Business Men's Association. Permit us to suggest to you that it would be an excellent idea for ou as secretary to be present at the business men's meeting to be held in the City Hall, and make a full and complete report to the association of all enterprises wishing to locate in Grand Island.

Monday evening Mr. Joseph Fattoosh and wife, of Syria, Turkey, will deliver a public lecture in the Presbyterian church. Oriental costumes will be worn, and a large assortment of Oriental goods will be displayed.

James Jay was fined heavily the other day for disposing of pea vines on public highways and commons. The vines emit an awfully disagreeable odor and at the same time spoil the appearance of the streets or commons upon which they are dumped or dropped off, and the fine is a just one, Jay having admitted his guilt.

Wm. Hann's case was charged at police court yesterday with stealing a watch form the person of Nick Fuerstenberg, was tried this morning. Acting Police Judge Shirk, bound Hann over to District court in the sum of

Train number five, U.P., due here at 4:10 was late vesterday owing to the wreck of number two at Paddock near Central City. A bolt on the tender broke.. Three cars and the locomotive were derailed but no one was injured.

Lulu Abbott and Myrtle Morrison were brought before police court this morning upon the charge of disorderly conduct and using profane language in a public place, respectively. The former plead not guilty, but it was found that she was and was fine \$10.00 and cost. The latter plead guilty and was fined \$25.00 and costs.

The directors of the baseball club gave their note for \$104 yesterday and paid off every last one of the baseball players. The latter peak highly of the management and are satisfied with Grand Island. It now remains for the subscribers not to leave the directors in the lurch and

Engine No. 181 on the B & M broke down this afternoon, one of the axles of the tender breaking, the engine was switching and no damage resulted outside of that stated.

In yesterday's session the county board decided to have the treasurer's books examined. A special artist will wade through the business of the last ten years, and will chase after that supposed deficiency with

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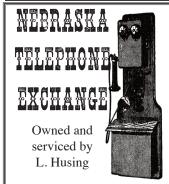
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38 dozen men's silk embroidered night robes worth 75¢ each, tomorrow 59¢ each. P. MARTIN & CO.

About twenty of the leading business men of the city answered the call of Mayor Boyden to assemble at the City Hall last night. C.P.R. Williams stated as one of the objects of the meeting that it would be well for the citizens and business men to do what they could for the industries which are located here.

Great Clearing sale of summer shoes and slippers at W. W. Websters.

A request for the Union Pacific Company to put in a sidetrack from the Loup City branch to the yards of Schmidt and Kirschke, manufacturers of brick has been discussed. A committee was appointed to enter into correspondence with Mr. Bennett of Wheeler & Bennett regarding a public park.

Sheriff Costello is in Omaha, attending the meeting of the Inter State Sheriffs Association, of which he was made temporary chairman.

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The Third Thursday Picnic will be held in Railroad Town at Blake C. Howard park on July 21st.

The editor of the PLATTE VAL-LEY INDEPENDENT has returned from the state of Washington but was quite overcome by the rigors of such long and extended travel and apologizes for the lack of a paper these past few weeks.

Young Aric Hoagland was seen running about the green in Railroad Town on the Fourth of July enticing many of the folks in town for the days celebration to participate in a little base ball.

Mrs. G. Cynova financed a new game for the green that was created by Miss Smith and Miss Bird for the entertainment of one and all on July Fourth.



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