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St. Paul, Aug. 16.—Judge Dan Hany came down from Pierre and spent Sunday with his family in St. Paul, where they have been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lloyd for some time. This morning Judge Hany returned to Pierre and Mrs. Hany and daughter departed for Lake Superior points where they will spend the summer.

Pierre, August 15.—John Johnson, the daily editor of the "Daily Leader," was brought to the hospital in the city suffering from anthrax, was removed by a surgical operation, the affected tissues having been cut from his arm. He is recovering from the effects of the operation and is considered out of danger from the disease.

American News, 15.—J. D. Levin went to Watertown today and from there to Gary where he will spend a day with other members of the board of charities and corrections.

The Yankton planning company has the contract for putting in a complete system of waterworks at the government asylum for the insane Indians at Canton. It has also a large force of men at work on a similar piece of work for the government Indian school at Greenwood, sixty miles up the Missouri river from Yankton.

Three rural delivery routes have been established to start in operation at once from Yankton. They extend northeast, north and northwest, a distance of 21, 25 and 24 miles respectively. Senator Gamble lives at Yankton.

The editor of the Watertown Public Opinion, who was or is a postmaster takes Editor Halliday, who is postmaster at Irapuato, to task in following manner for saying in his paper that: "It was the general impression that the money orders named in the list of war revenue exemptions July 1 referred to postal money orders, but inasmuch as the department has issued no instructions to take off the war tax it is evident that the two-cent revenue still goes on the latter." Perhaps he may be wrong, but we may add that the Watertown postmaster has collected no war tax on money orders since the close of the month of June, and he issues quite a few orders in the course of a week. It will be recalled, perhaps, that the department issued no instructions prior to the July when the war tax on money orders, that the two-cent tax per order should be collected, but postmaster generally, we believe, at least the Watertown postmaster in particular, commenced to collect the tax without instructions, and we would advise Bro. Halliday to quit too, regardless of instructions. Well, we are a copper that he will receive instructions to reimburse those who have paid the two-cent fee July 1st, last.

The senatorial question in this state will not be down even after the appointment of Mr. Kittredge. This is to be regretted exceedingly as the state ought to have rest. The politicians were not satisfied with Mr. Pettigrew and they are not satisfied with Mr. Kittredge, but threaten to continue the war for high places. The governor no doubt intended that Mr. Kittredge's appointment would end all controversy over this position for eight years at least or until such time as he himself was ready to take up the toga. He gave Mr. Kittredge the necessary certificate of office and character and that ought to settle it; but it seems the certificate of character which he gave along with the office is what hurts the friends of disappointed aspirants, and they are going to test the matter before the people at the very first election of members for the legislature. It was not thought that Mr. Crawford was a very strong candidate for the United States senatorship until the vacancy suddenly occurred; but the spontaneity of his support since that time is something wonderful, and the apparent slur thrown at other candidates than Mr. Kittredge by the governor in his certificate of character to that gentleman at the time of his appointment, has grieved not only the friends of Mr. Crawford, but of other aspiring candidates who were then in the field, and they propose to make it warm for Mr. Kittredge when he comes up for election a year hence. There is a wonderful rallying of the disgruntled around Mr. Crawford, and if that gentleman is only politician enough to organize and hold this dissatisfaction he will form a faction in the republican party that will make the thrones of both Mr. Herried and Mr. Kittredge latter.

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QUEER BUSINESS METHODS.

Sensational Admissions of a Defunct St. Louis Firm.

St. Louis, July 17.—Sensational admissions have been made on the stand by Samuel A. Gaylor, senior member of the firm of Gaylor, Blessing & Co., which failed recently. Gaylor, who is one of the oldest stock brokers in the city, admitted at the hearing before Bankruptcy Referee Coles, that the firm had been practically insolvent for two years and had been doing business on other people's money—on funds secured from local customers. Deals wherein no stocks ever changed hands, being a mere matter of book-keeping and the firm never forgot to charge up commissions, margins and interest, were admitted by Gaylor, who told also of the employment of relatives' names and the use of an insane man's name in the account. At the time of the failure, they were short \$150,000 in bonds, face value, and over 5,000 shares of stocks in New York. It was admitted by the witness that the failure was due to their own speculation, through which they had hoped to pay off their indebtedness, estimated to have been nearly \$200,000. As to missing collateral, alleged to have been left with the firm by customers, attached to promissory notes, Gaylor admitted that all had been hypothecated with the banks as security for loans to the firm.

FIGHT IN COURTROOM.

Four People Are Badly Hurt at Upper Sandusky, O.

Upper Sandusky, O., July 17.—One of the most sensational happenings in the history of the courthouse of this county occurred here during the afternoon. Willis Miller, alias W. W. Wilson, alias Willis Cody, accused of the murder of William Johnson, attacked his guard during the trial, assisted by his sister and brother. Fully 20 men were required to overpower the three after a desperate fight of 10 minutes. A panic followed in the courtroom, and women fainted and were trampled upon in the excitement. Miller's head was cut open and three policemen were badly hurt. A juror was knocked down by the prisoner's sister. Court adjourned at once, and the brother and sister were arrested.

Clocks With "Wheels."

"Clocks are certainly queer things," said the man who was tinkering at the hall clock in a suburban house the other day. "They get cranky spells just like people. Sometimes they really act as though they were bewitched. A friend of mine had a little clock that had behaved itself and kept good time for years. One day it took a notion to lay off for awhile, and they couldn't get it started again. My friend's wife was cleaning the room several days afterward, and she took the clock and laid it down flat on its back on a chair. It started to go at once and ticked away at a great rate, but as soon as she placed it on end it stopped again. Well, they set it, and for a time it acted all right as long as it remained on its back. But it soon got cranky again and refused to go. The other day, just for fun, they turned it upside down, and would you believe it, that crazy clock started off again. Now it only runs when it is standing on its head, and they are wondering what new foolishness it will develop next."—Boston Record.

Difficult to Treat.

"Well, what is the matter with your husband?" the physician asked as he laid down his repair kit and removed his gloves. "Imaginary Insomnia," replied Mrs. Fosdick. "Imaginary insomnia?" repeated the physician inquiringly. "That's what it is. He thinks he doesn't sleep at night, but he gets lots more sleep than I do."—Detroit Free Press.

WILL OF JACOB C. ROGERS.

Executors Named as Temporary Administrators.

Trenton, N. J., July 17.—Former United States Attorney General Griggs, representing John S. Barkalow and J. S. Pennington, two of the three executors of the will of the late Jacob C. Rogers, appeared before Chancellor Magie and offered the will of the deceased for probate in the prerogative court. Theodore B. Rogers, the third executor named in the will, did not join in the petition. Mr. Griggs stated that several caveats had been filed and that the chancellor fix Sept. 16 for the taking of testimony and the hearing of argument as to why the will should not be probated. Mr. Griggs then presented a petition asking the court to appoint the three executors as administrators to take charge of the estate pending the decision of the probate of the will. He stated that there is a large amount of stock locked up in Mr. Rogers' safe in New York which it is necessary to look after. There were railroad stocks, he said, where it was necessary that subscriptions be made for the proper portion of a proposed increase in the capital stocks of those companies. The court at once granted the petition.

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, the residuary legatee under the Rogers will, was represented by Robert W. DeForest. He joined in the petition for the appointment of the administrators.

Thrown Into the Lake.

Stillwater, Minn., July 17.—While bathing in Lake St. Croix and playing on a lumber raft near Atwood's "A" mill, Will Johnson of Bloomington, Ind., aged 16, an employee of the Gentry trained animals shows was drowned being thrown into the lake by Yellow-Watkins, also a circus hand, who had been with the show a couple of weeks.

Touched a Live Wire.

St. Paul, July 17.—John Corcoran, a lineman in the employ of the St. Paul Gas Light company, was thrown from a pole at Third and Robert streets by an electric shock and so badly injured that he died several hours later at St. Joseph's hospital. Corcoran's body was terribly mangled by the fall.

BRIEF BITS OF NEWS.

Ida and Edith Yeoland, actresses, 26 and 21 years old, respectively, committed suicide in London by taking poison.
Ferdinand Hirsch, one of the wealthiest cigar manufacturers and dealers in New York city, is dead at Edgemore, L. I.
Charles A. Spring, Jr., who for years was manager of the McCormick Harvesting company, is dead at Chicago, aged 75 years.

A dispatch to the London Pall Mall Gazette from Constantinople says great frauds have been discovered in the Turkish customs. The embezzlements are said to exceed £120,000 sterling.

ON THE DIAMOND.

American League.
At Baltimore, 2; Washington, 3.
Second game, Baltimore, 7; Washington, 9.
At Philadelphia, 6; Boston, 1.
National League.
At St. Louis, 0; New York, 5.
At Chicago, 4; Boston, 1.
At Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

Chicago Brewers Idle.

Chicago, July 17.—Of the 52 breweries in Chicago six have agreed to the demands of the stationary firemen, who struck Monday, and were operated as usual during the day. The remainder were idle. The men demand \$2 for an 8-hour day.

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LONG DROUGHT BROKEN.

Heavy Rains in Parts of Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota.

Omaha, July 17.—Eastern Nebraska and Western Iowa have received an inch or more of rain, which began falling at 2 a. m. and relieved the extended drought and heated term. The mercury was down to 68 at 7 o'clock. Rains are also reported in the Black Hills.

Kansas City, July 17.—Rain fell over an area of 80 miles around Kansas City. At Lawrence, Kan., it was the first moisture in 26 days. Ottawa, Wellsville and Toronto, Kan., and Camden Point, Mo., also report good rains. Although some fields are reported too far gone to be saved, it is believed late corn will be greatly relieved.

STORM IN MANITOBA.

Crops and Farm Buildings Seriously Damaged.

Winnipeg, Man., July 17.—A terrible storm struck Pleasant Point district, on Carberry plains, doing damage to crops and farm buildings. At Rat Portage and Norman a tornado scattered lumber in all directions and damaged the big mills. Austin McInnis was killed by lightning near Boisvein.

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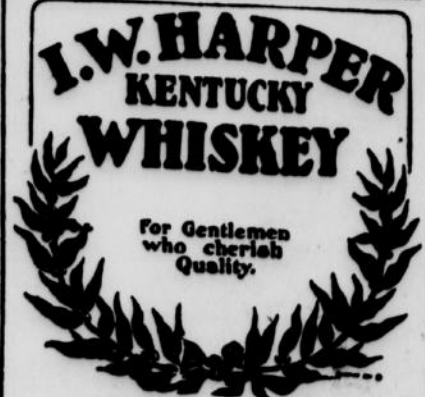
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Notice to Creditors.
Estate of Ole Jensen and Sigrid Jensen, his wife, both deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Ole Jensen and Sigrid Jensen, his wife, both deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his home in Hans Urdahl, his attorney, at Madison, in the county of Lake, state of North Dakota.
Dated Madison, S. D., July 11, 1901.
JAMES OLSON, Administrator of the Estate of Ole Jensen and Sigrid Jensen, his wife, both deceased.

Notice to Creditors.
Estate of Roderick D. McGillivray, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Roderick D. McGillivray, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his place of residence for said estate, in the county of Lake, S. D.
Dated at Madison, S. D., June 21, 1901.
WILLIAM GRANT, Administrator of the Estate of Roderick D. McGillivray deceased.

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