ORD BOY'S

CLOSE CALL

Clarence Winter and Companion on Broken Scaffol Companion Killed

C. E. Winters, a former Ord at York Friday. He had been a and son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. We at York Friday. He had been a ters, who has been working on the largest at the Noll home for a few construction of some of the largest buildings in Omaha as a painter, Ethel Newbecker and her friend, came very near falling to his death a rel Hamilton left Monday for St. - day last week. While Clifford C.

Winters were working building under the scaffold broke, and of the building, killing giving day in Ord. & Winters, who lives at orth street, fell eight joist. He also saved the below from injury by h his heels a heavy plank ited to fall with the ime workmen then reank and enabled him to ety. This was certainly now escape for Winters from death, and only for his ce of mind in catching the as it was falling the accident undoubtedly have been more us for the other workmen below

GIRLS WIN

The first two real basket ball games the season were pulled off at the high school gymnasium last Friday night between girls of the St. Paul high school and girls of the Ord year, Six new candidates were taken school, and between boys from the

same institutions. girls, and although the Ord team had the day at the Rash Parks home. only been practicing three days to- Owing to the inability of the visitors gether they proved far to fast players auto to make the return trip Walt for their opponents. At the end of Parks took them home in his mathe first half our players were in the chine. lead by a score of 8 to 4, and during the second half the visitors fared even worse than during the first only making two more scores, while our players ran up fourteen, making the

final score 22 to 6. However the second game between the boys, was pretty close playing, both sides doing good work. The first half ended with Ord two scores the Epworth League at the home of in the lead, 17 to 15, but during the Lelia Morman on Saturday evening, in the lead, 17 to 15, but during the second the visitors gained these two second the visitors gained these two scores, making it a tie when time was called. When the tie was played off the St. Paulers made three points, throwing one from the foul line and throwing one from the foul line and the second the visitors gained these two seconds the visitors gained these two seconds and all leaguers are urged to be presented the marriage of Carl the bride, was maid or nonor. The brides maids were Misses Sara Avery, and all leaguers are urged to be presented the marriage of Carl the bride, was maid or nonor. The brides maids were Misses Sara Avery, and all leaguers are urged to be presented the marriage of Carl the bride, was maid or nonor. The brides maids were Misses Sara Avery, and Edith Coolidge. The bride was dressed in an elaborate of the roller than the wheat or the hog country and Edith Coolidge. The bride was dressed in an elaborate of the roller than the wheat or the hog output, a good many of the thought or the subject of the bride was dressed in an elaborate of the was dressed in an elaborate of the was dressed in an elaborate of the bride was dressed in an elaborate of the was dres

ly to the number, six auto loads com- Everything is up-to-date and well H. Miles spoke the words that made is at present employed as a plumber. ing up from St. Paul in the evening made, with a lake of absolutely pure the two souls one. and remaining over until morning.

month, and although there are a few patronizing it it is not meeting with any great demand. Possibly the prinany great demand. Possibly the printention he was glad to sell even at a cipal reason of this is that we have good banks here, which are being operated by men who enjoy the confi
ope operated by men who enjoy the confidence of practically the entire surhimself, a thing that customer will
rounding country. Still there are a appreciate.

Her many friends are desirous of her
future success and happiness.

o'clock and were still serving in the
large circle of friends who will regret rounding country. Still there are a appreciate. few people will not trust their savings to a bank, but are confident that when Uncle Sam is behind the institution that all is well, and of course in the latter they are right. In this way the postal savings bank is a benefit to us all, as the money decrease in the latter to us all the oysters were not the known among the opsition of the Teachers friends as a very industrious farmer.

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For the past few years he posited here would not reach the banks anyway, while in this way it is kept in circulation instead of being tied up in a sack and planted in Abernethy, etc. adorned the place the cellar. Reports from different towns over the state are to the effect that at nearly all the postal savings banks are meeting with the same conditions as it is here.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week, the youngest daughter of Mr. and hold hint. Then a letter, written double interest from the fact that Mrs. Chris Jensen, of Sargent, su- by a native English woman, was the successful candidate, Miss Edith stained some very serious burns by read. She told of English customs. McKelghan, is a daughter of the late falling into a boiler of boiling water. For instance bread is never sliced Congressman William A. McKeighan, Mrs. Jensen was at the Hagerty hall and served on a platte. It is served who held his district for the populists helping to make preparations for a in chunks on the cloth at the left of twenty years ago. The Nebraska reception, the child being along with the plate. The knife and fork are state teachers' association, sixher, and in stepping backwards over- crossed until the course is finished, sevenths women and all voters, has balanced and fell into the water. If they are by chance left parallel adjourned after filling all its offices The quick assistance of people present the plate is whisked away at once. in taking the child from the water The food is taken with the fork, and removing her clothing probably tines down ward, in the left hand, better where they do not vote. -Linsaved her life, but as it is her arm Butter is never served at a dinner coln Journal. and side are badly scalded, although but many of the members, with true not deep. Mr. Jensen is the manager American independence, called for neighborhood are taking an interest of the Koupal and Barstow Lumber butter. company at that place, and formerly lived here.

Mrs. J. E. Mitchell from near North Loup, has been visiting her Black coffee was served in the draw. Rush began his work in this neighdaughter, Mrs E. S. Bair. Monday ing room but again we noticed a few she went to Lincoln. She was accompanied by Mary Drommond who has ing a lump of sugar and some cream. then, owing to his faithful work, it also been visiting at the Bair home but was returning Monday to her guests departed about 4:30. home in Lincoln.

daughters Mrs. Simpson and Johnson guests assembled at 1 P. M. Mrs. daughters Mrs. Simpson and Johnson guests assembled at 1 P. M. Mrs. showing they are not satisfied, but of Elyria, went to Horace Friday to Holson of Burwell was the only in- are going to try and reach, the hunattend a rally day.

Mrs. Jim Craig and Mrs. Chas. FAIR MEETING Erwin of Burwell were in Ord Satur-

Marie Blaha came up from Omaha Friday where she had gone the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jackson went to Omaha Monday where they will make their home for this winter.

C. G. Trout returned to his home

to be ready for their school

Kate and Ethel Taylor sisters of overdraft of \$140.89. Mrs. Harry Harris returned to Gree leadlong, ninety feet to ley Friday after spending Thanks- \$1730 on the race track and other im-

Otto Schoening of the North Loup himself by throwing his neighborhood was in the city last Friday looking after his tax affairs with the county treasurer.

G. H. Russell returned Tuesday from Lincoln, Omaha and other points where he had been attending to business matters for several days.

A. E. Pierce and F. Doyle of Neola, Iowa, were in the city several days this week looking over a business proposition, with a view to locating here.

Mrs. J. B. Miller left Monday for La Porte, Ills., where after a few days stay she in company with her brother and wife will go to the south AND BOYS LOSE and stay until the birds come north

cers at their regular meeting Tue sday night. With but little change which was played by the other two the old officers will hold over this into the lodge.

Mrs. Joseph Holt a daughter of

water to take ice from. Misko takes POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS in the deal the Dah Turner farm in princess cream dress and the groom Garfield county, paying Turner \$6000 wore the conventional black. After C. Rogers, near Vinton church, was

WOMAN'S CLUB DINNER

given a title which added to the at once the routine of farm life. Their treasury. melody of their names. Marchioness many friends anticipate a successful Milford, Baroness Brown, Lady and even voyage in life. cards.

Dowager Robbins received the guests by saying "H'I H'am very appy to see you".

Roll was called at the table and each responded with a useful house-

The menu was English. The plum land but is known as a /"sweet".

The English dinner hour is 7 P. Mrs. J. V. Johnson of Ord and her M. but on account of the lecture the though this is already an excellent vited guest.

LIVELY ONE

Reports of Officers Show A Healthy Condition of Affairs

The annual meeting of the Loup Valley Fair Association was held at the court house Monday afternoon. There was a good attendance and a day.

very interesting session. Treasurer Firkins brought in his report of the finances showing an income of \$5,303.75, and expenditures amounting to \$5449.64, leaving an

provements.

On motion A. J. Firkins, J. Cass Cornell and O. P. Cromwell were made a committee to revise the premium list. The secretary's salary was fixed at to-day.

3100 per year. assisted in making the fair a success. The general business being dispos- spend a couple of days in Greeley.

ed of the election of officers was next the honor, having no time and being way from healed. likely to be away at fair time. The names of G. W. Taylor, J. A. Ollis The Degree of Honor elected offi- Dr. Taylor was not present and could not join in the Alfons and Gaston act which was played by the other two of Mrs. Holmes.

here from the west and are relatives some daughter of the G. H. Russell at that place. The score at the end family. chief candidates.

to stand by the result of the straw sideration being \$40,000. pulling and was game. He was then duly elected.

out contest as follows: Vice presi-

Thursday, Nov. 30, 1911, at four p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

two from a goal, winning the game by 30 to 27.

A large crowd was present at the game, the visitors contributing largegame, the visitors contributing largeiy to the number, six auto loads com
A deal of no small magnitude this made life at the Island. Both are highly respected young and the finest ice plants in the state. It is of mairied life at the Island. Both are highly respected young and the brides roses, the week was the sale of the Misko ice plants in the state. It is of mairied life at the Island. Both are highly respected young and the brides roses, the week was the sale of the Misko ice plants in the state. It is of mairied life at the Island. Both are highly respected young and the brides roses, the week was the sale of the Misko ice plant to Dan Turner. This is one of the finest ice plants in the state. It is of mairied life at the Island. Both are highly respected young handle the critter himself. Now if the decouple, the groom having lived here all his life until about a year ago out was yellow and white, the decouple when anyone having eggs and stock is at present employed as a plumber.

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The bride was gowned in a semi-

The groom was born and raised in Valley county, he needs no introduc-

WOMEN AND OFFICES

Webster county has elected a woman clerk of the district court to keep company with Cherry county's woman treasurer. The election of a woman in Webster county has a with men. So far as getting the offices goes, the women seem to fare

That the people of the Vinton in the church work since Rev. Rush has taken charge at that place is pudding made from an English re- surely manifest by the increase in cipe. It is not called desert in Eng- their Sunday School membership. About three months ago when Mr. loyal Americans surreptitionsly add-dance was quite small, but since A kensington followed and the has steadily increased until last Sunday there were 68 present, and 27 of these being in the Bible class. Aldred mark.

Tom Trindle was attending to busi- A VERY QUIET ness matters in Grand Island Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coonrod returned to their home in Grand Island Monday morning.

John Ulm returned to Burwell Thursday. He had been in Ord to attend his sister's marriage.

Mrs. Alva Rockhold and son returned to Burwell Saturday after turned to Burwell Saturday after pal and Miss Mary Russell planned to staying in Ord since Thanksgiving perpetrate a surprise upon their

Loup Saturday after visiting for a served. few days with her brother, H. M. Davis.

John Luke was able to come down Included in the expenditures was town on crutches the first of the week. He sprained his ankle and has been laid up for a couple of weeks.

Miss Conety had an accident at the skating rink last night spraining her ankle, in consequence she

Gertrude Horton of Greeley, who is given the mayor and city council, the teaching in Scotia, was in town the Commercial Club and all others who latter part of the week staying at the rice and things heaved at them in Wright home. She was going to joility.

W. A. Anderson went to Sootia taken up. Here was something of a Tuesday to visit his cousin, Mr. Hillcontest. The place was offered again man, the man who was hurt in a

Jr., A. J. Firkins and others were Sunday at the Oscar Holmes home. faithful work. broubgt out on an informal ballot. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are visitors

Mrs. Irena H. Tully has sold her Several ballots were taken and fi- farm about four miles north of town, nally Firkins and Ollis drew straws to known as the old Siler farm, and consee who should withdraw. Ollis got taining something over 500 acres, to The first game was between the from Sargent Thanksgiving and spent the short straw and this stuck Fir. the Bennett Loan and Trust Comins for the job As he had agreed pany of Sloux City, Iowa, the con-

> A. Fuss is having a great deal of upon him. No bones were broken at to the couple: dent, G. W. Taylor. Secretary, O. the time but it did not bleed as it

The bride and groom were accome ties of mairled life at the Island.

VINTON LADIES SERVE OYSTERS smallest hours of the morning before to see her depart from their midst the appetites of the one hundred and while wishing her every happiness. The Woman's Club gave a delight- tion. He is known among his many thirty people present could be satisfi-

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PRICE AND BEAUTY

Then the reliability and stability of the firm from which you pur-

chase. Call and see my fine line of jewelry before it has been picked over.

ARKIN THE BUSY JEWELER At the sign of the big clock on the window

WEDDING

Two of Our Prominent Young Alliance, Neb. People Are Wed in Early Morning

Tuesday morning Anthony S. Koufriends and, getting married "unbe-

To accomplish this end they took stay. their breakfasts at their old homes

But at an appointed time Mr. Kou

in wedlock by Rev. E. L. Kechley. could not attend to her school duties fact of the marriage got out and awaiting them as they went to take route. They went from here to North project everybody will be sure of the

> Mr. Koupal is one of the splendid y oung business men of the city, and with Fred and Frank Travis. The as popular as he is trust worthy. Since he was a youngster he has boys. been chief man at the Siler store,

another. Much of the success that Johnson who will spend the winter E. E. Jackson came up from Grand has always attended that store has there. Island Saturday and visited over been due to his sterling qualities and

The bride is a popular and hand-

On account of the duties of the store they cannot be gone long. Happiness be with them.

HONNOLD-VAN HORN

The following from the Belle of interest to nearly all of our read- giving but went home Friday. ers. Mr. Honnold was a former Ord trouble with a limb that was injured boy, and we join with his many The other officers were chosen with seventeen years ago by a horse falling friends in extending our best wishes

At two o'clock a reception was given to the immediate friends of he young people, who left Wednes-

While Mr. Honnold is not so well

Colorado.

The congratulations and best wishes of a large circle of friends and

MERRICK COUNTY DRY

cancel the license granted.

Diphtheria has been getting in the family went back to quarantine. Pretty tough.

around North Platte.

Frank Schwaner was attending to WILL RESTORE business matters in Grand Island Tuesday.

R. C. Thompson has been entertaining his father and sister from

Monday Oscar Travis and Frank Nay returned to their studies at the University at Lincoln.

Jerry Cernik has purch ased the

Koupal house in south-east Ord and has moved his family there,

til Saturday morning. Dick Bradley went to Wolbach Fri-

But in spite of their caution the turned home the first of the week, there were a number of friends from Burwell Saturday by the auto can. With the B. & M. back of the

> Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Engleman of taking. Grand Island spent Thanksgiving day

Yesterday morning P. H. Huffman ful attempts were made by one enterto J. Cass Cornell, who has been such run-away last week. He reports the passing with the other valuable as- returned to Otwina, Iowa. He was prising man, but now all are high an efficient officer, but he declined old man slowly improving, but a long sets of that place from one owner to accompanied by his sister Mrs. John hopes again.

> The high school basket ball team went down to North Loup yesterday and succeeded in defeating the team

the finish 33 to 22. Mrs. Fred Steinwart went back to her home at North Loup Monday. She had been spending several days first Annual show of the Loup Valley with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

from Greeley to spend Thanksglving are enrolled. The interest in the day. Ora Luse and family were also matter is so much greater than the

Reba C. Conger gave a recital at the the show. The tendency in the past Christian Church last Wednesday has been to poke fun at the chicken COONROD-APPLIN

At Grand Island on Thanksgiving day occurred the marriage of Carl day occurred the marriage

was a different proposition. There for sale, of any of the leading variwas no trouble whatever in getting ties will have a ready market at good it to go, but when he drove up in prices. If you are a member, of The The beautiful country home of J. day evening for their future home in front of his door and said "whoa" IS LIGHT

The postal savings bank at this place has now been opened nearly a place has now been opened nearly a ling the plant for much less than it witnessed the maneuvers say that Fred made at least a dozen circles around the block before the family chauffeur came out and brought the machine to a stop. Had it not been for this assistance we presume Fred would still be holding onto the steering wheel and hollering "whoa."

TEACHERS READING CIRCLE The Ord Division of the Teachers

noon was chapters 5, 6, 7, and 8 of has a great many friends here at her occasion H'English. Each guest was take his bride when they will begin of \$33.00, which will go into their given a title which added to the at once the routine of farm life. Their treasury.

The ladies report a receipt ready holds the position of attorney for the United States reclamation service at Denver, and is special as-"The Teacher and The School". The old home who will wish the couple sistant United States attorney for hanek who ably conducted Chapter 6. As the leaders of the other three chapters were absent the dicsussion acquaintances are extended to Mr. was taken up as round table work and Mrs. Honnold." questions were asked and well answered by various teachers. Miss Besse The Silver Creek saloon case has Mason also gave a very interesting at last been settled by the supreme review of the life of Mary Lyan one court, and as a consequence Merrick of the formost Women Educators of county is entirely on the dry list. the time. Before the discussion of Last spring when licenses were the lesson was taken up Miss Eva B. granted at that place remonstrances | Shuman gave a short address to the were filed against them but the dis- teachers urging them to take more trict court upheld the town board, interest in the Reading Circle work Judge Hollenbeck deciding in favor and to try and be more regular in at-of the applicantts. The case was tendance We hope the teachers will. Charley's reputation as being the best of the applicantts. The case was tendance. We hope the teachers will then appealed by the remonstrators take this advice to heart. We know to the supreme court with the result that if the teachers will but try they are contempted to insure the success of the that the board have been ordered to can make the Reading Circle work very interesting

> Remember teachers, that it is up pretty steady work up in eastern Garfield county. The Ellsworth Ball family have had their turn at it and only last Sunday they were released following teachers were present: Edonly last Sunday they were released from quarantine. The house was thoroughly disinfected and the family was ready to enjoy freedom again, when the hired girl took sick and the doctor declared it diphtheria, and t quarantine was at once established gan, Lillian Heuck, Archie Coombs, again. After a few hours of freedom the family went back to quarantine line Clason and Clara King. More than usual interest was taken in the owner of all of section 17, North Loup meeting and we urge that all the Dr. McGinnis left the first of the teachers be present at the next meetweek on a week's business trip. He ing December 16. Try and arrange will spend most of the time in and it so that you can be present during Island Monday after visiting her the entire meeting.

ERICKSON DAM

B. & M. Will Rebuild the Dam and Erect Power Plant Town Booming

Special to the Quiz.

Ericson, Neb., Dec. 7. Great things are in store for Ericson and for the thousands who want Mrs. L. A. Puffer, of Colorado to see the Ericson lake restored. The Mary Davis returned to North knownst" to slip out of town unob- Springs, a relative of Chas. Batie, B. & M. officials have been making came to Ord Saturday for a few days | several trips to Ericson lately. Today the third visit from the big men Thedia Jones of Wolbach, a sister was made to our city. - The site of and tried to give no sign that that of Gwendlyn who is attending school was to be any more than any other here, was in Ord from Thursday ungrief, was looked over, and the purpose of the company is now given pal went quietly over to the Russell home and at 6:00 o'clock were joined day and Saturday morning his wife put in in such a manner that it will went down on the train. They went down on the train. They re- stay. Subscriptions are being asked from the citizens of this vicinity and Cecil Laverty and sister were down of course we will all boost as best we

Ever since the old dam went out years ago there has been a longing in visiting lady is a cousin of the Travis the hearts of hundreds of people for shakings-up when the two unsuccess.

Ericson was booming before this hope was raised. A new 10-room hotel is going up. A big department store is nearing completion and 5 or 6 new residences are being built.

POULTRY SHOW IS **VERY PROMISING**

As the time draws nearer for the Poultry Association interest in the Fourche, South Dakota, Bee will be Hoffman. Fred was up for Thanks enterprise increases. The membership is up to the fifty mark and al-Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Luse were up most every day some new members up from Scotia. Mrs. P. A. Luse promotors expected and the promises Mrs. Joseph Holt a daughter of Mrs. Lucy J. Turner returned yestes day to her home at Tarkio, Mo., She has been visiting in these parts for several weeks. Her mother accompanied her home and will spend the winter in Missouri.

There will be a called meeting of the Rowert Leave of the Rowert Leave of the Rowert Leave of the Story of the Rowert Leave of the Rower Loup Valley Poultry Association you will be in the lime lights and customers will know where to find you. Now is the time to join. Send or phone your name to H. D. Leggett, Secretary at once. Delay is danget.

> **ELIZABETH DOWHOWER MARRIED** Some of the friends in this city of Miss Elizabeth Downower received word the first of the week that she was married on Sunday, December 3rd, to Wm. Paton. The ceremony taking place at Sheridan, Wyo.

Miss Dowhower has spent most of her life here in Ord and is one of our most estimable young ladies. She happiness in their married life.

Last spring she left for Sherida 1 to accept a position, and of late has been employed as a bookkeeper for the Electric Light company at that place. Mr. Paton is a stone cutter by trade. They will continue to make their home at Sheridan.

While Chas. Masin was in town last week he informed us that the work on his new bottling works at Broken Bow was progressing nicely, the basement having already been dug. When completed this will be one of the best equipped plants of the kind in this there is in the soft drink mixer line charge of the new plant, while Joe Stara will look after the business at Loup City.

Last week Wednesday Fred Coe came to Ord and spent Thanksgiving with the Caprons. He left his folks,

Last week Clifford Trimble of the North Loup neighborhood became the township, purchasing it from Andrew G. Abney for \$16,000.

Wavie Clark returned to Grand parents since Thanksgiving day.



GOODS

We are showing the largest stock of Holiday Goods ever shown over the counters in Ord

Our gift line is too large to name all the articles but the prices are in reach of all. You can buy a NICE present from 5c to \$50.00.

On our 25c tables you can buy hundreds of useful and ornamental gifts. We have something for papa, mamma, brother, sister and all.

Special for Saturday, Dec. 9th

ONE DAY ONLY

We will have a representative of one of the largest fur houses in America with us on this day only, to take special orders for all kinds of furs. Ladies, now is your chance, be it a fur coat or fur set. We will only ask a 10 per cent profit on all orders taken on this day and no EXTRA CHARGE for special orders, made to order. Orders will be taken for men's fur coats also.

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Until the labor unions were mas festivities. There is a choice of forced to admit that the Mc-Saturday ro Monday night. 15 Namaras were guilty of blowing lives of these villians. But since Nebraska, for his generous Christmas the McNamaras have confessed offer. 36-3t. and there is danger of other union men higher up being proved guilty, these unions are generally demanding the death of the McNamaras. This affair shows what is at the heart of the labor their purposes. As between the money trust and the labor trust the latter is by all odds the

Prof. Jones received a letter from she will be home again.

Taylor gives away a beautiful doll See advertisement this issue.

We engrave our goods free. W. J. Taylor, Jewelry—The Gift Store. See Taylor's advertisement in this

issue. He explains how the doll is to be given away. Our Store will be open evenings from now until Xmas. W. J. Taylor.

North Side Jeweler. Ellsworth Ball received a telegram last week that Frank Dortha would

Christmas comes on Monday this "Mister, a the farmer. year, and our Sunday schools will have to decide the date of the Christ-

ing and killing twenty-one people they put up money and resorted to bribery to save the sorted to bribery to save the 11, Windolph Building Grand Island,

what is at the heart of the labor trust. No crime—not murder will be discussed and also the third. This is the standard machine of this

Life of Moses here for the 16th of good office. Dec. which is one week from next

More than thirty years ago, when Colonel Frobel of Atlanta was called on to gage the water in a neighboring stream, he one day had an amusing encounter with an old farmer who came along on a wood cart, drawn by

When he reached the colonel, he stopped the cart, and inquired, per-

"What on 'arth are them men doin' "They are trying to find out how

many bucketfuls of water run down "Mister, are that a true fact?" asked

"Yes, that's just what it is," said the colonel. "Well, mister,", said the old man

in a tone of much disapproval and anxiety, "it mought be all right, but

The Quiz lacks only a Standard not see the gold hands against the linotype to make this office equal to black background. It has never oc nor bribery—is too heinous for these to resort to to accomplish American Educator, David P. Page. class and will do anyhing almost in these to resort to to accomplish All teachers are urged to be present. The coate the raise of a farm to have It costs the value of a farm to buy As I had a talk over the telephone one of these machines, but its great with the Film Exchange they in-saving and the scope of the work it formed us that we would have the will do makes it a necessity in any

the Omaha hospital Tuesday. The Saturday. Ther is 3000 feet to this Mr. and Mrs. Robt. H. Nay arrive letter was doubly welcome having picture and we will run two songs ed yesterday from Platte Center for been written by Lillian herself. The The Holy City and Will the Roses a few days visit with relatives, maklittle lady is getting along nicely and Bloom in Heaven. Don't forget the ing the trip in an auto. George Nay, is looking forward to the time when date Dec. 16. Gem Theatre. E. R. who had been at that place returned with them.

Whence the "Grass Widow." To give positively the origin of the

expression "grass widow" appears to be impossible. The authorities do not agree on this point. One contends that a woman who said to her friends that her husband "had gone to grass" following a separation is entitled to the credit of coining the expression. Other writers have attempted to find an explanation of it in the French

who is gone.

These give a wide enough choice.

Painting Watch Hands. Near the jeweler's front window sa a young woman painting with an exceedingly delicate brush. "She is painting the hands on those

black open-faced watches," the jewel er said. "A lot of people who buy The Quiz lacks only a Standard black watches complain that they can

Distinction.

Senator Lotsmun-Who is this Mc Chunkerson that wants a consulship. and what claim has he on me tor a

Private Secretary-He says he's the only man who hasn't been mentioned as a candidate for governor of Illi-

The regular meeting of the Valley County Automobile Club and Good Road Association will be held in the Court House next Monday afternoon. If interested in Good Roads would not going to put pudding on my face." like to have you present.

Terry College of Dressmaking Misses M. and A. Marks Ord, Nebraska

Greeley Citizen.

word "grace," signifying a widow by courtesy. In the Scandinavian languages the prefix "grass" being in common use, others have conjectured that it comes from the word "grading," meaning greedy; this signifying a woman who longs for the husband who is gone. he was not in the house and she went to look for him and to her great surprise and grief found him lying dead in the haymow of the barn. Her cries alarmed some passers-by and the neighbors, and Dr. Brannen, who was going by, was stopped, and he informs us that the body was yet quite warm and death due to heart failure. Telegrams were at once sent to the absent children and the body McDonald was born in County Mona-han, Ireland, in the year 1845. In funeral services were held at the Church of the Sacred Heart Wednesday morning, the Workmen, of which organization he was a member, attending as an escort, and the burial was in the Sacred Heart Cemetery.

No More Pudding.

Margaret, a little girl of four, was visiting her grandparents. There were a number of aunts who were

Christmas Candy, Nuts

and Fruits

The quantity, the assortment and the quality of our candy will appeal to you, and we invite you to call and satisfy yourself as to the reliability of our claims. New 1911 nuts of all kinds and mixed nuts. Fresh fruits of the season's variety. Teachers, Sunday schools and churches will do well to see us before making their Christmas purchases.

. Some specialties in Japanese and German China dishes. At special prices.

Our fall canned goods are now in and quality and price should interest you.

For the Best in Food Products

We are pleased to state that a ments to introduce it. All that is somewhat careful of her looks as well physician at Greeley has discovered a needed is to get one person in a com-

as morals. When ready to go home Margaret said: "When I get home I'm not going to wash my feet, I'm not going to say my prayers, and I am not going to put pudding on my face."

physician at Greeley has discovered a needed is to get one person in a community to try it. It certainly has done great good at Greeley not a failure in any case. Address F. H. Clough, Greeley, Nebr., who alone remedy is sold on its merlts. It needs no hot air or exaggerated state-

NOTICE

Store will be open evenings until Xmas. Do your shopping evenings

XMAS at the GIFT STORE

FREE

Engrauing on all the goods we sell

FREE

We are going to give away without one cent of cost to anyone

A Beautiful Doll

Including a full set of furniture and all hand made dresses. The entire outfit is now on display in our show window. It is an outfit worth working for. Some one is going to get it FREE.

How to Get the Doll

We will give a ticket with each and every twenty-five cent purchase. The one holding the most tickets will receive the doll.

Tickets Are Transferable

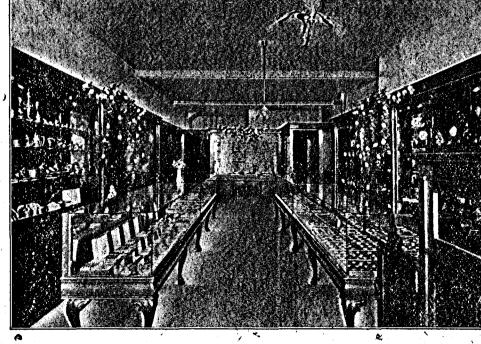
You can give your tickets to anyone you wish to help, or anyone may give their tickets to you.

This is a Square Deal to Everyone

No drawing, no numbers, no lottery or game of chance. The one holding the most tickets will receive the doll.

Doll Will be Given Away Christmas Morning -at 10 o'clock-

All tickets must be turned in by 9 o'clock a. m., December 25eh. Mark plainly the number of tickets the package contains on the outside of the package, also name and address.



"The Gift Store"

NORTH SIDE JEWELER'

Our Store is Full of Bargains this Year

I want to impress on your mind the extra low prices which we are giving and the best way for us to prove that is for you to come to our store where we can show you the goods as well as quote you our low prices.

We have Gifts suitable for all ages

There is nothing that makes so nice a gift as a piece of jewelry or silverware

Our stock is complete

And all on display now. We are waiting and anxious to show the goods if you will give us a chance. Space will not permit us showing many illustrations, but here is one. This Genuine high grade cut glass water set, in cluding the mirror

ONLY \$7.50—CAN YOU BEAT IT



DAY, DECEMBER 7, 1911 les that are made right, t and priced right. Gamble

st Williams returned from Linriday evening.

rvman.

and Mrs. Wm. Hoffman return-Burwell Thursday evening. ss Stafford went to Horace to a Friday. She did not hold school.

Joe Krosler of Wilber, has been Ie returned to his home Friday.

Ord Opera House

M. R. Jones, returned Friday to his home in Vernillon, Kan. He had been visiting in Valley county. /hursday, Dec.

B. B. Bruce Presents

The Yankee Doodle Boy



10 NEW SPECIALTIES

A guaranteed attraction Carrying all special scenery

Johnson Drug Co.

The

store

for

every-

body

PRICES ... 25c, 35c and 50c. Tickets at

On Friday morning Mrs. E. Fuss and daughter Margaret went to Grand Island. In the evening Mrs. KELL. Editor and Owner Fuss returned home accompanied by Mr. Fuss who had been spending a DET COUNTY, NEBRASKA few days in the Island.

Last Friday Bud Auble and family started for home. They were to stop on the way at Loup City for a visit at the Schwaner home till Monday, when they went on to South Dakota.

Francis Keating went to Grand Island last Friday to visit Bert Cushing at the College. No school was had at Elyria Friday, so Francis was free to get away for the day.

Dr. Rich, Specialist, Grand Island. Chronic diseases of men and women. ir. and Mrs. Homer Leggett made Rupture and Piles treated without return home trip from Greeley an operation. Office opposite City

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Madison and siting his sister, Mrs. Joe Krajinik Nellie and Flora Madison returned from Burwell Friday where they had been to spend Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller returned Friday from Grand Island where they had been visiting Mrs. Coonrod and family for a couple of days.

Grace Work came over from Arcadia Thursday evening and spent a MR. GEO. L. DICK few days at home. She is one of the eachers in the Arcadia school.

> Lewie Knutsen came up from St. Paul Friday. He had been spending Thanksgiving day with h is parents. Z. B. Taylor and wife of Sheridan, Wyo., left Ord Friday morning. He is a brother of Mrs. W. J. Taylor.

> We now have plenty of Rock Springs nut coal of splendid quality. Ord Lumber & Coal Co.

> Mrs. Mattie Nielson came up from Minden Friday where she had bee

visiting for a week. Norril Lamberton returned to Scotia Friday after spending Thanks-

giving day in Ord. Bring in your sash and have the glass set at Brown's Phar-

Bill Wright went to Greeley to

spend Thanksgiving day. Frank Vopat was doing business in North Loup last Friday.

Adrian Barstow was over from Sargent Thanksgiving day.

Largest stock of glass at Brown's Pharmacy.

Dick Bradley returned home from Wolbach Thursday. Watkin's Family Liniment as

Brown's Pharmacy. Dr. Holson was in Ord on Thank sgiving day.



The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Christmas Cheer and Good Clothes Go Together

X/E have a lot of good things here for Christmas giving--things that men are glad to get and that are worth while

REMINDER LIST

SUIT-

HOSIERY

UNDERWEAR

UMBRELLA OVERCOAT

GLOVES

MUFFLERS INITIAL HANDK'FS

CAP

SUSPENDERS RAINCOAT SWEATER COAT HAT

SHIRTS

TIE RINGS

Gamble & Perryman

NORTH SIDE



SHIRT fashions are just as fickle as any other fashions.

Styles come and styles go. Unless you buy a shirt made by a house that knows where and how to secure the authoritative styles, you cannot be sure that your shirt is correct.

The CLUETT label warrants correctness as well as durability.

'\$1.' and more.

One Price

Browns' Pharmacy for window glass.

Mildred Daniels returned to Lincoln Saturday morning

Hilda Mickelson and Lydia Johnson returned to St. Paul Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown were in Grand Island between trains Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Turner of the Sand Flats, spent a few days this week with Frank Skeen and family. Mrs. McGuyer and daughter Francis returned to Greeley Saturday. They had been visiting at the Lew

Martin home. Mrs. W. A. Wright and son came bome from Callaway Monday. They had been spending Thanksgiving day with a son and brother.

Thomas Marker returned to Penn-Tom Wright returned from Greeley sylvania Tuesday. He did not know whether he would come back to Ne-A. Norman was in North Loup braska or not. He has been in Valley county for the last four months.

Where

a dollar

does

its

duty

OUR CHRISTMAS OFFER To Our Subscribers for Renewals

The Ord Quiz (13 months) to Jan. The Omaha Daily Bee, (13 months)

to Jan. 1, 1913. The Woman's World, one year. All three for only \$3.50. Or the above combination, including the Sunday Bee, for only \$4.50.

You can have the paper sent to different addresses, if you like. Subscribe now, before you forget it. Address The Ord Quiz.

I don't claim to be the only plumber, but if you are having plumber troubles I believe I can find the cause and effect a remedy. I shall be glad to figure with you on any plumbing job, and if I don't save you money now I can save you having rouble afterwards. I have served long years at plumbing in large cities and I think I know how to do your work right. Peter Darges.

TEAM FED FOR 20 CENTS I have bought the Old Blue Front Barn and will appreciate the trade o the farmers. I am making a specialty of feeding your team for 20 cents. when you come to town and let me take care of your team.

Charles Hunt.

Joe Smolik will move in from his tarm the first of March and will occupy the house he has purchased from Hall Barnes. This was formerly the Law Peters house near the mill. Mr. Barnes will again move onto the Hughes place west of the Ord cem-

Dr. Gard returned from Lincoln Monday where he had been visiting his parents. Harlin Easton, his sister Ethel's little son accompanied him home and will entertain Dr. and Mrs. Gard for a few days.

The Desch Bros. have been enter. taining a sister, Mrs. W. W. Moore and her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Tooley from Central City. The visiting ladies returned to their home Friday morning. Belle Thorngate and Mary Davis

came up from North Loup Thursday. The former to visit Grace Fackler and the latter to visit her brother, H. M. Davis and family.

Ora Mutter returned to Burwell Thursday. It is not very often that Miss Mutter can get away from her work to visit in Ord, but of course We wish to call your attention to our line of had to be here for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sevenker returned Tuesday from Belleview where they had been visiting for a few days.

WATER RENTS

All consumers of city water should pay their water rents at the City Treasurer at the Ord State B ank. Owen and Gladys Conway spent

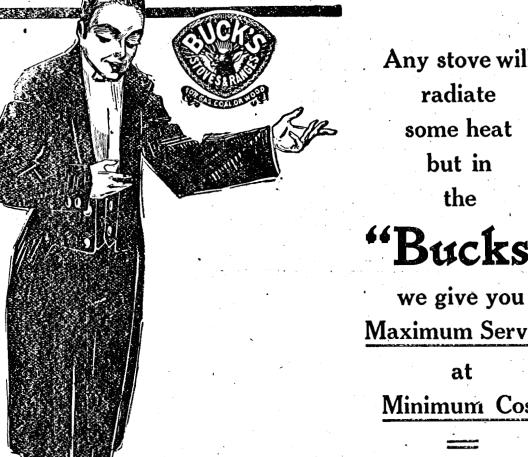
Thanksgiving in Ord. He returned to Burwell in the evening but Gladys visited her mother a few days longer. Anna Novotny went out to her

parents country home last Thursday. Her mother was on the sick list. Plenty of money for farm loans at 6 per cent. See John R. Berry, suc cessor to Oleson & Berry. 34-3t-

Curt Parsons returned to Burwell Thursday. Mrs. Parsons and son went hone Friday. Mr. and Mrs. James Vanskike re-

turned from Greeley Thursday even-Jerry Cernik was attending to busi-

ness in Scotia Tuesday. Lula Alderman was in Burwell over dinner yesterday at the home of Mrs. morning. It is not often that these bine Tuesday. She has be Sunday. A. M. Robbins.



Any stove will radiate some heat but in the

'Bucks"

Maximum Service at Minimum Cost

Proper construction, no leaky joints

Will reduce your fuel bill

Comple stove and rangs satisfaction in "BUCKS"



J. A. Ollis, Jr., returned Thanks- Anna Mortensen missed the train giving day from his ranch at De- Monday and did not go to her school were well Beque, Colo., where he had been work at Cotesfield until Tuesday of their chi looking after the affairs for some | morning. . .

The Women's Club gave an English children went to Exeter Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hubbard and

good people go away on a visit.

per last Sati about ninety don.

the leading authors in several styles binding. Nothing more suitable for

Gift books of all

kind remembrance of Christmas.

a gift

Game boards

For the little ones

POST OFFICE BUILDING

Christmas is Coming

Christmas gifts. There is nothing brings so much good

cheer to a friend, mother, father, sister, brother and little ones as a

We have a large selection of toys, small games, tops, hobby horses, shoe flies, china dolls, doll caps, doll outfits, cradles and beds.

For the older ones

Dressing sets, cuff and collar boxes, necktie and handkerchief boxes. In fact everything you want for a Christmas gift,

Juvenile books Linen for the children `

Pyrography outfit and several pieces to burn

Pictures of all kinds

PUBLIC SALE

Having rented my place I will sell at public auction at the Albert Mc-Mindes barn, in Ord, on

Saturday, Dec.

COMMENCING AT 1 O'CLOCK SHARP

- 1 span mules 6 yrs., wt. 2600 1 bay horse 7 yrs., wt. 1300 1 gray horse 12 yrs., wt. 1350
- 1 bay mare 7 yrs, wt. 1000 1 bay mare 5 yrs., wt. 950
- 1 mare 3 yrs. 2 yearling colts
- 1 lumber wagon, 1 wagon and rack, 1 spring wagon, 1 truck wagon, 1 heavy saddle
- 7 mileh cows, all good number one milkers, fresh in
- 2 2-year-old steers, fat enough for beef
- 6 yearlings 1 thoroughbred 2-year-old White Face bull
 - 22-year-old heifers 8 calves

P. O. LUTZ

Col. Lamberton, Auctioneer

I have decided to go to Minnesota and will sell at public auction on the Luke Gizinski place 21/2 miles northwest of Elyria and 8 miles southeast of Burwell, on

Thursday, December 14

COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK

1 bay mare 7 yrs., with foal, wt. 1 bay mare 7 yrs., with foal, wt. 1200; 1 black mare 4 yrs., with foal, wt. 1150; 1 bay mare 12 yrs., with foal, wt. 1000; 1-gray horse 11 yrs., wt. 1300; 1 iron gray horse 12 yrs., wt. 1200; 1 bay colt coming 2 yrs.; 1 black mule colt coming 2 yrs.; 1 saddle pony 5 yrs., wt. 900; 1 donkey.

12 milch cows, 4 fresh now; 5 cows; 6 steers coming 3 yrs.; 12 steers and heifers coming 2 yrs.; 11 calves coming 1 yr.; 4 small calves; 1 Shorthorn bull.

9 spring shoats; 14 fall pigs. 2 wagons; 1 hay rack and truck; 1 disc; 1 3-section harrow; 1 rid-ing plow, nearly new; 2 working plows, 14-inch; 1 lister, nearly new; 1 corn planter; 2 riding cul-tivators; 1 1-horse cultivator; 1 topqueless walking entitivator; 1 tongueless walking cultivator; 1 Deering mower; 1 10-foot Osborn rake; 1 hand sheller; 1 grindstone: 1 cream separator; 1 cook stove; 1 German heater.

600 bushels corn. Numerous other things.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS-Ten dollars or under cash, over that amount 10 months time

JENS KAPPEL

W. M. Costello, Clerk

C. W. Lamberton, Auctioneer

Most of our High school students came home for Thanksgiving vaca-

county capitol Wednesday.

The Gift That Pleases

FOR THE LADIES

Watches

O size Waltham 20 year case...... 16.50

O size raised gold decorations, 17 jewel

works, a beauty...... 25.00

6 size raised colored gold............ 16.50 Solid gold....................... 20.00 to 40.00

Souvenir Spoons

Small coffees, sterling silver...... 25

Large coffees, sterling silver..... 50

50 new beautiftul patterns..... 1.00

and pierced heavy wt. spoons, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50

Lockets

Never before have the makers lavished the

skill or produced such beautiful lockets as I

Bracelets

u good to see 'em.

ty and artistic conceptions in brace-

am showing this season, \$1.00 to \$7.50. Chains to match \$1.00 to \$12.00.

Exquisite hand engraved, embossed

Farmers Institute for Davis Creek celebrate the occasion. folks at the M. E. church Thursday. All day program and basket dinner. Christmas tree and appropriate pro-

latives at Columbus and St. Edwards avening Dec 22. Everybody is invit-

Spending 25 cents or \$25.00 in my store you get a gift beautiful and

pleasing. A gift that lasts for all time.

The Gift That Lasts

FOR THE MEN

Watches

17 jewel Elgin, a bargain \$ 8.50

7 jewel Elgin..... 5.00

Fine gold watches 12 and 16 size 10.00 to 38.50

fine gold hand engraved cases 35.00 value, 25.00

Cuff Buttons

Gold filled, fine selection, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

Solid gold fronts. The most beautiful and

substantial we have ever been able to show

Novelties

Pocket knives, cigar cutters, key rings, military brushes, shaving sets and lots of

Buy Him a Fob

\$1.50 to \$7.50 in silk, gold filled and solid

other novelties that are sure to please.

gold front. Real beauties.

Solid gold \$2.75, \$3.25, \$4.50 and \$6.00.

you. \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

SPECIAL: I purchase in quantity high

grade Hampden, 16 size, 17 jewel watch,

Only a few of these left.

In the contest programs la the U. B. church, one given by the gentlemen the other by the ladies, the adles came out ahead by two or three points.

SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Haskell visited friends in Lincoln Thanksgiving day.

looking for scalps Miss Altha Lyman, who will enroll with the senior class after the close of this semester, visited school Tues-

The library is being arranged to work under a card system. The supplies are here and are being put in

dance of pupils in all grades was 87 part of his absence. During his absence, his brother, Robert Jenner percent of the total enrollment for will have charge of the park and Mr. those months. For the corresponding period of 1910 the percentage was 87.6, and for the same period of good time in his mother country. the present year it is 91.3.

BRACE SCHOOL, DISTRICT 17

school have come. Willie and Otto Graul were visitng at Olean Sunday.

Emil Graul has entered school, naking the enrollment 25. Mr. H. C. Koll had the misfortune

to lose two calves from the corn stalks. Sheriff Sutton and Carl Johnson

and wife spent Thanksgiving at R. D. Suttons. Mrs. L H. Currier from Rockville Nebr. is visiting at her sisters Mrs.

Remember the Basket Social and program to be given at the Brace School House Dec. 15. Every body come and bring well filled baskets and pocket books.

School House Dec. 15. Every body come and bring well filled baskets where they will be at home to their friend after Dec. 1st. Remember the Basket Social and

POPLAR GROVE PEOPLE Miss Welty spent Thanksgiving at

Edd Skolil visited his home folks this week. Jno. Kokes Sr. and Ign. Klima

shipped cattle last Monday. Martin Veverka and family of Sargent passed no our streets Sunday.

corn but the corn harvest is rather thought was to turn out, but in do-short this winter much shorter than most of us expected. The shorter than grade which was about nine feet most of us expected.

and many friend were there to help

Our school has decided to have a Mrs. Frank Nelson was visiting re-atives at Columbus and St. Edwards evening Day 22 Evening Day

Loup City Northwestern Mrs. Chris Haines of this city was on Tuesday of this week brought be fore the commissioners on insanity and committed to the hospital a Henry Kriz has entered the High school in the ninth grade. He is number 189 and the 93 boy enrolled. The boys basket ball team went to North Loup Wednesday aftern oon looking for scalps

to the asylum yesterday morning by Sheriff Williams, accompanied by Mrs. S. F. Reynolds. The loss of two children a few months ago and other distressing conditions are thought to be responsible for her mental trouble

Mr. Henry Jenner of Jenner's Park left Tuesday morning of this week for several month's absence in England. He goes from here to Port-land, Maine, where he takes the boat across the water, landing at the Lonshape as fast as possible. When ready to use again, the library will be much more useful to every one.

For the first three months of school in the fall of 1909 the average attentials. The school is a state of the average attentials are supported by the state of the most of the mos Jenner's other business interests. May he have a safe, happy and royal

Sargent Leader.

A quiet wedding of two well and Ernest Coats baby has the measels.
The new lamps provided for the Penny and Miss Nellie Luella Durant were joined in wedlock at the Metho-dist parsonage, by Rev. E. H. May-nard. Nearly all ourreaders are too well acquainted with the groom to need an introduction from our pen. It's obvious to say that he is a young man with sterling qualities, and is closely following the foot-steps of his father, who is one of the prominent and successful farmers in this vicinity. A thorough course in the Agricultual school of this state has enabled the young man to apply this

abled the young man to apply this learning with no difficulty, and with marked success. The bride is a handsome and accomplished young lady and numbers her friends by the number of acquaintances. Although she

Central City Nonpariel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. May stopped off here Thursday on their return from their Texas trip and will visit for a week with relatives and friends here and at Archer. They will go on to Ord to get things in readiness for their trip to California where they expect to be for Christmas They will spend the winter in California. While Henry Grammer and Walter Geo. Geiger Jr. of Buffalo Co. Kenney were returning home from Scotia in their autos Sunday one of the wheels on Mr. Grammer's car last week.

Jim Klanecky and wife attended church and took dinner with the latters parents Sunday.

This is fine weather for picking car but the earn barreet is rether. The Van Osdols, Roy Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Irwin had their new son paptized last Sunday or Wages were thrown clear of the county capitol Wagnesday. er Wages were thrown clear of the car, but the girls, Misses Lenna and Beatrice Grammer and Margaret Deveny, were caught under the car. Fortunately they received no serious injury. The car was slightly da-

Burwell Tribune

latives at Columbus and St. Edwards of and don't forget the little ones.

Hannah Shaw was out from town visiting Miss Grace Babcock and her school Wednesday.

The Pie Social and Old time program at the Pleasant Hill school house was well attended. The proceeds was over twelve dollars and under the Superintendency of Mrs.

Lizzie Schultz.

Lizzi

to need any introduction by the writer. That they have many years of happy wedded life is the wish of their many friends here. They will be at home in the new bungalow but recently completed by Mr. Weber after Monday, December 20.

S. H. Powell recently closed a deal in the S. VanPatten ranch on the Gracie consisting of some 2100 acres, the consideration being \$36,000, in the deal Mr. VanPatten becomes the possessor of a 360 acre well improved farm in Atkinson county, Missouri. C. E. Erskine, of Omaha, becomes the owner of the ranch, also some \$4,000 dollars worth of cattle and other property on the place, according to Sam the deal even inluded the dogs. We are sorry to see Mi. Van the state of the possessor of a 360 acres will improved farm to Atkinson county, Missouri. C. E. Erskine, of Omaha, becomes the owner of the ranch, also some \$4,000 dollars worth of cattle and other property on the place, according to Sam the deal even inluded the dogs. We are sorry to see Mi. Van dogs. We are sorry to see Mr. Van Patten leaving Garfield county as he is a fine man and an excellent neighbor, but in losing Mr. Van Patten we gain considerable as Mr. Erskine weighs 265 pounds and is a huntler.

JUSTICE DONE WHILE YOU WAIT Jack King who gave the sheriff the books. slip, without asking permission, Monday night, was recaptured and punishment rendered.

On the night of November 16th 1911, the stores of Mrs. Lillian Wirsig and Cash Store Co. were burglarized Ord or Loup City, Nebraska. and goods and cash taken from each by one lack King, as he called himself, and who came to this part of the county about one year ago. He was arrested by the marshall of Arcadia on November 19th, and turned fore you borrow. over to the Loup County Sheriff on November 20th, and made his escape from the sheriff the same night. He Stara is getting along nicely now was recaptured near Petersburg in and will soon feel like himself again. Boone county on the 27th; came into Loup county with the sheriff at 10 o'clock, A. M., on November 29th, and before noon his preliminary examination had been held and bound at Greeley. over to the district court. Before 2 o'clock P. M., the records of the examination court were filed in the Island, They came up Thursday office of the clerk of the district court; at 2 o'clock, P. M. District Judge Hanna arrived and in less than one-half hour afterwards the county attorney had filed his information, and in less than one-half hour after that he was sentenced to the Nebraska State penitentiary for a term of old friend. not less than one nor more than ten years, and at four o'clock, P. M., the sheriff had him on the road to the penitentiary.

between trains Monday.

Gifts that everyone will appreciate and that will long remain as a

token of your esteem and love. It is not the easiest thing in the world to

find just the appropriate gift unless you have a large stock to pick from.

But you will have no trouble here in selecting the present you know will

be the most appreciated. We invite an early inspection for your satisfac-

tion as well as our own. we give just a few hints from the many lines

It is impossible to think of Christmas without thinking of someone to whom you want to give a book. Our line of books suitable for gifts is complete. Standard authors in attractive bindings, special series for boys and girls, popular copyrights at 50c each, special books for the little ones and dainty gift books. We will be glad to order any book or set of books which we do not carry and have it here in plenty of time for Christ-

Kodaks---The Ideal Gift

for old or young. The kodak has so simpli-

fied photography that even the newest of be-

ginners produce good results. If you give a

kodak for Christmas you will confer a lasting

pleasure upon the recipient, who will in turn

give much pleasure to others with the pict.

Brownie Cameras \$2.00 to \$12.00

Kodaks \$5.00 to \$65.00

Books

ures in years to come.

Fountain Pens

A fountain pen, like a watch, is the constant companion of its owner. No gift is more certain to be appreciated than a fountain pen provided the pen is right. With our large stock of pens we can suit everyone. And if the pen you select is not suited to the hand of the recipient it can be exchanged after Christmas for one that suits. Fountain Pens that Satisfy, \$2.50 Up

A Christmas Gift for the Whole Family

A Columbia Graphophone or Grafonola will give pleasure to the whole family the whole year through. The new hornless Graphophones and Grafonolas are certainly the finest sound reproducing machines made to date. Handsome in appearance and flawless in tone they are a continual source of enjoyment.

Grafonolas \$50.00 and up Hornless Graphophones \$15.00, \$25.00, and \$35.00

The above are just a few of the many items which we are showing. We urge you to come early and inspect the whole line for yourself. Then you can make your comparisons, and when you make your selections will have the satisfaction of knowing you have selected the gift which will be most appreciated.

Johnson Drug Co.

35, Vinton township. If interested call and see us. The First National Bank, Ord, Nebr. 31-4

A program and Basket Social will be held at the Sunnyside school, District 33, on Thursday evening, Dec. 21. Everybody come. Ladies bring baskets, gentlemen bring your pocket

If you want to borrow money on land write for application blanks.-Central Nebraska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach,

Plenty of money for farm loansoptional payments-lowest ratespayable at Ord-money ready when you are. See J. H. Capron, Ord, be-

After several weeks siege with blood poison in his thumb, Frank Judge Hanna passed through Ord Thursday from Burwell where he had been holding court, to his home

Mike Costello of Elyria has been entertaining his parents from Grand

Guy G. Clement left Monday for Cambridge where he will attend Mossier Bros. sale of Herford stock. Minnle Albers went to Lincoln

Monday to attend the wedding of an Frank Bartunek was in Wolbach

Monday.

Carey Act Land Opening

The Union Pacific Railroad announces the opening of 14,000 acres of public land under the provisions of the Carey Act by the State Land Board of Idaho, at Jerome, Idaho

Monday, December 11, 1911

All persons 21 years of age or over, except married women, are entitled to enter for 160 acres, although they may have previously used their homestead or other land rights.

Be on hand for the opening at Jerome on above date. For information relative to fares, routes, reservations, etc., call on or address

F. R. FRICK, Agent

West Side Market

BEST OF FRESH AND SALT MEAT ALWAYS ON HAND

I always pay the highest market price for cattle hogs and hides

A. C. DOMON, Proprietor

Father Kroupa was in Wolbach between trains Saturday.

Mrs. Walter was Johnson in North Loup the latter part of the week. Mrs. Rudolph Sorensen, Mr. and

in Horace Friday.

A. Weft of Burwell was a guest at the Alderman home on Saturday. Winifred Haskell returned Satur-

day from a few days stay in Lincoln. Genevieve and Jennett Welsh were John Auble was in Greeley last Mrs. A. Barber and Rev. Fields were up from Central City the latter part of last wask visiting Vida Shirley.

A. PARKINS "The Busy Jeweler" AT THE SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK ON THE WINDOW

'her, brother, sister or sweetheart I have the gift beauti-

gift you can afford to buy, the gift that lasts,

backed by the Parkins guarantee

NOW BUT A MEMORY

"OIL TRUST" OFFICIALLY COMES TO AN END.

ACT INDIVIDUALLY HEREAFTER

Competition Will Probably Increase, but Further Effect of the Order of the Court is of Course Problematic.

New York.—The career of the "il trust" officially came to an end Thursday. The Standard Oil company of New Jersey, sometimes called the father of trusts, and perhaps the most celebrated corporation in the world, will no longer control the affairs as the head of more than thirty corporations in various branches of the oil business. These subsidiaries, which, | ings. under the decree of the United States supreme court must conduct independently the various enterprises, will now assume management of their own affairs. The oil trust, theoretically was put out of existence on August 31, when the books containing the records of the company's stockholders were closed for distribution of the stock of the subsidiaries, but during the intervening period of readjustment, it was necessary to preserve the old form to a large extent. Now the work of disintegration has been completed. The stock issues representing the subsidiaries will pass into the hands of owners of old Standard Oil stock and the threads which have long bound the old companies togeth. er have been severed.

Praise for Nebraska Hero.

Chicago.—A coroner's jury after hearing a dramatic recital of the hero- rived at his post and reports the situism of Ernest Weekly by Miss Celeste | ation quiet. Urcuili, whose life he saved at the sacrifice of his own, included in its verdict of accidental death a resolution praising the young man's valor. The girl told of her confusion in the blinding glare of locomotive headlights as she started across the tracks; of Weekly shouting to her and of her being so frightened she was unable to move and how he rushed to her aid, threw her out of danger and went to his death under the wheels of the locomotive with a smile. Weekly's body has been sent to the home of his parents in Valley, Neb.

Blg Loan for Great Britain.

London.-The probability of a big naval loan in the near future is revived by the Pall Mall Gazette, which anticipates that \$150,000,000, and possibly more, would be raised supplemental to the usual naval estimates. It is ergued that in view of the campaign in Germany in favor of an increased navy for that country it is necessary for Great Britain to show that she is determined to preserve the "two to one" standard.

Red Cross Members Tortured.

Paris. — Special dispatches from Tripoli give a harrowing account of the finding of mutilated bodies of the Italian members of the Red Cross soclety. They were apparently tortured to death in various revolting ways. Five Italians were buried alive up to their shoulders and allowed to starve to death.

Big List of Hunting Fatalities. Chicago.—Hunting has cost 100 lives in the United States this year and has brought serious injury to 37, according to records kept by Chicago newspapers. The death number is the same as last year, but the amount of severe injuries was more than cut in

Refuses to Pardon Youtsey. Frankfort, Ky.-For the second

time Governor Willson has refused a pardon to Henry Youtsey, convicted of complicity in the murder of William Goebel and sentenced to life imprisonment. Governor Willson will be succeeded by Governor McGeary on December 12.

Rome.—The concluding and most impressive ceremony connected with the creation of the new cardinals occurred Thursday at the great public consistory at the Vatican when fourteen princes of the church, including the three American prelates, Cardinals Falconio, Farley and O'Connell, were invested with the red hat indicating their rank. Thousands of people gathered on balconies and roofs and along the streets to witness the passing of the procession.

Feed Hundreds of Jobless Men. Kansas City.—Hundreds of jobless men of the "north end," Kansas City's bowery district, were served with a complete turkey dinner free here

dinner consisted of stuffed turgranberry sauce, mashed potatous, célery and bread. Five men worked two days preparing the huge turkey dinner, a barrel of cranberries and bushels of potatoes. Lewis had the dinner cooked at his home. Every man who applied was given all he could eat.

Paris.-What is announced to be the largest sale of fewels on record opened here when the literally pricecollection of Abdul Hamid, exin of Turkey, came under the

mmer. Paris.—Baron Gustav Samuel James Rothschild eighty-three years old, one of the chiefs of the famous banking house and consular general from Austria-Hungary, died here Tuesday. The baron was the son of the late James Rothschild, head of the French branch the banking concern.

AND BEST FORM.

ALL ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD terms in the county jail.

To Readers From All Parts of the Globe.

Washington.

The Fifteenth infantry, which was tent to Manila, will go at once to China.

Senator Miles Poindexter, of Washington will open the La Follette campaign in North Dakota. All records were broken in the last the business houses of that place and

fiscal year in the production of alco caused a loss of over \$300,000. holic liquors in the United States, President Taft's message to con- and "Cap" White are under arrest at in 1905, 3,713. gress will be devoted almost solely to Los Angeles, charged with bribery in the question of industrial combina-

The "plumbing trust" has about capitulated to the government and is almost impossible to use a pen and trying hard to avoid court proceed. it is hardly possible he will ever write

The board of inspection of the Maine made its first preliminary exbor Wednesday.

President Taft has finished his message and it is now in the hands of the government printers. It is said to contain about 6,000 words.

According to announcement at the White house, President Taft and Secretary of State Knox will be guests at the peace dinner in New York, Dees Sultaneh, presented his cabinet to cember 30.

his message will urge upon congress upon resigned.

Domingo, W. W. Russell, who was or- was uninjured, dered to return from the United States when President Caceres was assassinated, November 19, has ar deavoring to keep within Yellowstone

General News.

General Li, commander of the revoto flee to Shanghai.

Piracy on Chinese rivers is so rife that steamboat companies at Hong Kong have suspended service. The Red Cross society proposes to

assist both the Italian and the Turkish forces. Pat Crowe, well known in Nebraska,

is in trouble in Chicago, and has been sentenced to a "dipso" institution. The steamship Beachy of London, with supplies to be used at the durbar at Delhi, India, is stranded at Minicoy. "Lord" George Sanger, the circus showman, was murdered by an em-

ploye on his farm at Linchley, Lon-Capt. John Schilling of Hiawatha, a pioneer of Kansas, for many years perior, Wis., from the east by way of

The supreme court of Missouri has \$25,000.

Nanking, China, is at the mercy of the rebels and likely to fall at any moment with warships on the way to bombard the city.

Figures secured by the Manitoba government show that damage to device, of pasteboard, wire and sawgrain crops by rats will amount to \$2,000,000 this year.

The Japanese destroyer Harusems foundered off Shima province in a storm Friday and forty-five of the

crew of sixty perished. Yuan, Chinese premier, is again master of the situation at Peking, and

the imperialists are greatly encouraged by the outlook. The government buildings at Prince Rupert, B. C., were completely de-

stroyed by fire Monday afternoon. All papers were destroyed. Della Zajicek of Solon, Ia., has been arrested in connection with the black hand case against John Adams, a

wealthy farmer of Solon. Governor Harmon of Ohio, Governor Norris of Montana, former Governor Folk of Missouri and several other democratic leaders of national prominence are scheduled to address a great rally of democrats of the north- months before it happened, but took

west to be held in Fargo in January. The constitutionality of the home rule law passed by the last legislature for the cities of Wisconsin has been

decided favorably to the law. Federal authorities at San Antonio have detained an express car contin ing 161 cases of rifles and ammunition bound from New York to Laredo. Lady Constance Lytton and Lady Sybil Smith, both leaders in the suffragette movement, have been sentenced respectively to a fortnight and a week in jail for smashing windows during a recent riot in London.

Theodore Stanisics, convicted of an arson charge in the Lancaster county Mead, Okla., bank Monday night. district court, whose ball bond was Three explosions were necessary to recently forfeited, and who was returned to Lincoln from Utica, N. Y., a nervous wreck, suicided in his cell secured. The robbers escaped each hursday at the saloon of S. R. Lewis. at the police station Thursday by tying a chain around his neck and | Ernest Weekly, an insurance agent

jumping from his bunk. meeting place of the 1912 convention rule la wpassed by the last legislature of the American Bankers' association young woman who had become conat its session in New Orleans. The fused in the glare of another engine's

meeting in the spring. New York and San Francisco are now connected by telephone wire by Sah's fleet, which surrendered to the way of Tucson, Ariz., and Los Angeles, revolutionists, are now on the way Henry Clay Beattie, jr., was electro to Nanking to bombard the position cuted in the state penitentiary at held by the imperialists. Richmond, Va., Friday morning. Before his death he confessed to the in Pekin, Ill., has acknowledged to

murder of his wife. The massacre of natives at Hankow | men wanted in North Dakota for hold by imperialist troops, intelligence of ing up a Northern Pacific train last which has reached both the war July. board and the German legation at Five persons in an auto that fell to Peking, may prove a serious hindrance the bottom of a forty-foot embankto the peace negotiations which Yuan ment at Denver, Colo, escaped unin-Shi Kai has been endeavoring to jured, with one exception, and he was linaugurate with the rebel leaders. only badly shaken up.

The state of the s

The republican state committee of West Virginia has decided in favor of a statewide primary, with the state as a unit, for 1912.
Colorado state troops may have to

be called out to settle labor troubles in the coal camps where strikes have LATEST NEWS TOLD IN BRIEFEST been on for some time. Six of the participants in the "tar party" at Lincoln Center, Kan., were

found guilty and setnenced to various The state of Qaxaca has formally declared that it does not recognize Review of Events of Greatest interest the central government of Mexico

and threatens to secede. Several persons were killed in violent rioting at Lisbon, the result of a meeting of protest against the expulsion of two Chinese doctors. The passengers of the stranded

steamer Prinz Joachim were landed at Port Antonio by the Ward Vigilancia which picked them up. Fire starting in a pool room at Jamestown, Kan., destroyed forty of

George Lockwood, Bert Franklin connection with the McNamara case.

James Whitcomb Riley has made it

Dispatches from Hankow say the imperialists captured Han Yang after amination of the wreck in Manila har- prolonged and desperate fighting. The rebels suffered severely and fled in confusion.

> A tremendous sea which swept the decks of the Fabre line steamship Santa Ana, caused the death of four seamen and the serious injury of three others.

The new Persian premier, Samsam the national assembly, which refused It is thought that President Taft in to recognize it. The premier there-

Aviator Fowler, in sight of Fort the removal of the present restrictions upon the rights of travel and Worth, Tex., was forced to descend in domicile of American Jews in Russia. the midst of a drove of steers, when The American minister to Santo his engine broke down in midair. He

Two thousand elk, which for weeks soldiers and scouts have been enpark, stampeded and scores have been killed by hunters.

Joe Anchor, a rancher, his wife and four children are believed to have perished and many summer homes delutionaries, is reported to be prepared stroyed in a forest fire in Topango canyon, California.

Nebraska university football team held Michigan team to a six to six killed three months ago. Brittell left Kemble, the Aurora Milling company score on Nebraska field, Saturday, Kimball and was recently found at was given a preliminary hearing in with phenomenal playing at every stage of the game.

Missionaries arriving in Peking from the province of Shen Si give accounts of massacres of foreigners, Christians and Manchus by anti-foreign elements. Four thousand dollars in gold and

paper money were stolen from the yeggmen, who destroyed the vault and set fire to the bank. Forty-seven carloads of cigarettes, valued at \$1,000,000, arrived at Su-

prominent in politics, is dead at his the great lakes and will be exported to China and Japan. An eleven-car train, known as the reduced the fine of the International Harvester company from \$50,000 to \$25,000

> What was apparently an "infernal machine" sent through the mails to Governor John K. Tener, of Pennsylvania, proved to be a harmless dust.

The North American publishes an "authoritative statement" reiterating and of Pawnee City. Mr. Roosevelt's declaration that he will not be a candidate in 1912; nor will he lend his aid to any prospective candidate

The impeachment of the mayor and several city officials of Milwaukee. Wis., is asked for in charges submitted to the council, for malfeasance in office in connection with the tax

fund of that city. The bodies of Claire Andrews and wife of Baraboo, Wis., who have been missing since September 2, were found in a remote corner of a Kansas City park. An empty phial beside them points to sulcide.

Wharton Barker, a Philadelphia banker, alleges that President Roosevelt had been given the details of the impending panic of 1907 several no action to prevent it.

A course in matrimony, under the name of "household economics," is included in the curricilum of the agricultural college at Los Angeles, Cal. Football games killed thirteen per-

sons and severely injured forty-seven others during 1911, according to records kept by Chicago sporting writers. The Nebraska Woman Suffrage league indorsed the action of the national socialist party in its efforts to secure the adoption of an amendment

to the federal constitution providing for granting of the ballot to women. Robbers got about \$1,375 from a open the safe. The same bank was robbed February 24 last and \$1,277 time.

of Valley, Neb., leaped directly in Detroit has been selected as the front of an on-rushing passenger train his life.

Five of the warships of Admiral

Frank Allen, arrested as a suspect Sheriff Fleugal that he is one of the



Results of the State Vote. The receipt of the Douglas county vote cast at the late election completes the list of all of the counties of the state. According to the official figures now on file in the secretary of state's office, the total rote cart was 225,380, or within about 18,00 /otes of last, year. This is an unusually heavy vote for an "off year" and is

17,805 more than was cast in 1909.

Votes of the preceding, "off years"

were as follows: In 1909, 207,575; in 1907, 203,934; in 1905, 192,152. The socialist vote this year of the entire state was 9,067, a great gain. The socialist vote for the past few years has run as follows: In 1910, 6,721; in 1909, 4,995; in 1907, 4,509;

The majority of Judge Hamer over Dean was, just 1,229, and Hall's ma-The paralysis which has overtaken | jority over C. E. Harman of Holdrege was .10,584.

Following are the figures on state

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officers:
Supreme Court—
F. G. Hamer, r 97,014
C. B. Letton, r
W. B. Rose, r101,273
J. R. Dean, f
W. D. Oldham, f 86,457
W. L. Stark, f 86,710
James Campbell, s 9 163
James Campbell, s 9,163 James R. Burleigh, s 9,067
H., C. Bittenbender, p 3,592
G. I. Wright, p 3,941
Regents—
Frank L. Haller, r102,834
V. G. Lyford, r
C. T. Knapp, f
I W Miller f
J. E. Miller, f
E. I. Morrow, 8 9,508
G. C. Porter, s
George C. Fitch, p 3,857
T. B. Frazer, p 3,681
Railway Commissioner—
Thomas L. Hall, r103,089
C. E. Harman, f 92,505
E. D. Moody, s
L. O. Jones, p 4,651
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It Was Rather Expensive. It cost Iven Brittell of Kimball \$180 to kill an antelope in Kimball county. Chief Game Warden Miller has been working on the case for one month. Neligh, Neb. Sheriff E. W. Bartholo- the county court upon the charge of mew of Kimball county was sent after him and returned him to Kimball. where he pleaded guilty and was fined \$100 and costs.

State Gets Tubercular Hospital,

The state of Nebraska is now at liberty to take possession of a build State bank at Derby, Iowa, Friday by ing at Kearney which it bought for March 1 was ousted from the premises by an action instituted in court by Mrs. Grothan, who sold the building to the state. The tenant asked \$1,000 to relinquish his lease.

Delegates to Go to Chicago. Delegates from the Nebraska state sociation fixes dates for state fairs. The delegates from Nebraska are C. H. Rudge, W. R. Mellor, both of Lincoln, I. W. Haws of Minden, Peter Youngers of Geneva and L. W. Leon-

Will Inspect Iowa Hospital,

With the view of learning something about the institution, in order the state hospital for indigent consumptives, which is soon to be established at Kearney, Land Commissioner Cowles has gone to Iowa for the purpose of inspecting a similar state in-

Declines to Register Lincoln Bonds. State Auditor Barton, acting on the idvice of the attorney general, has refused to register \$350,000 of high school bonds voted by the school dis trict of the city of Lincoln. He does this in order that a speedy determination of the validity of the bonds may be brought about in the supreme court.

To Head Off the Epidemic.

to replace all of the plumbing at the Beatrice institute for feeble minded in the hope of stopping the epidemic of typhoid fever at that institution The board decided to continue to replace the old plumbing in the administration building where the fever infection comes from and also to put in new mains to connect the well with the building.

Addition to Morrill Collection. The C. H. Morrill geological collection in the university museum has been enriched by the addition of some valuable material donated by Yale university. It consists of ten or on December 15. twelve replicas of animals and animal heads, among them being specimens of the Irish elk. The choicest set is a series of head, tusk and forty-three miles in ten hours Dr. trunk specimens, showing the developtime of the next convention will be headlight just as the locomotive ment of the mastodon and mammoth Kearney, followed along the way in named by the executive council at its knocked him down and crushed out from its small and early ancestry to automobile by H. G. Roll and Harvey. its later stages.

Secretary of State Wait has returned from an inspection of the soldiers' home at Grand Island. He found the reports that it will be occupied withrooms, all on the ground floor, each of the paving controversy. room having outside windows. The rooms will accommodate ninety-five patients. This hospital is to be used only for convalescents who are able ridge aged 74 years was stricken with to walk. The patients will have to paralysis affecting his right arm and walk out of the building to a dining leg, while he was driving a short disroom forty or fifty feet distant to get | tance from Falls City. He is a farmtheir meals.

ALL OVER NEBRASKA.

Brown County.-It required just one week's time for Ray Thornberg, a youth of 19 summers, to break into the penitentiary for one year. Young Thornberg arrived in Ainsworth sev- that 20,000,000 empty sporting carteral weeks ago and has been stopping on a ranch belonging to Clyde Williams, twelve miles southwest of Ainsworth. Taking advantage of the absence from home of the members of the family Sunday, November 19, he took a horse, saddle, suit of clothes, and an overcoat, belonging to the men of the ranch and left. He was trailed to Thedford, seventy miles south and captured. Thornberg was brought to Ainsworth Friday evening and when arraingned in county court pleaded guilty. Next day he was arraigned in district court and pleaded guilty and was sentenced to serve one year at hard labor in the penitențiary.

Nabbed By the Government, Douglas County.—Alfred E. Weeks, a real estate dealer, was arrested by United States Marshal Warner, upon the complaint of United States Attorney F. J. Howell, who charges Weeks with conspiracy to defraud the government of public lands. Weeks was indicted by the federal grand jury at Aberdeen, S. D., and when arrested he was taken before United States Commissioner H. S. Daniel, where he was unable to give the \$1,-200 bonds imposed.

Reward for Faithfulness. Douglas County.—In appreciation of twenty-five years of faithful services and unceasing toil to make his bustness a success, Rome Miller of Omaha tendered a banquet to his private secretary, Miss A. B. Mills. She was presented with a beautiful bunch of twenty-five American Beauty buds, in which a check for \$1,000 was nest-

Vote on Commission Form.

Otoe County.-J. D. Houston has secured 150 names to his petition to the city council of Nebraska City. asking for the submission of the commission form of government to the voters of the city. He has filed his petition with the city clerk and the mayor and council may take some action.

Milling Company Not Held. Hamilton County.-Upon complaint The antelope is alleged to have been | filed by Deputy State Food Inspector misbranding packages of flour and bran. The court held that evidence was insufficient to hold the company.

Big Sorghum Factory.

Jefferson County.—This county has the distinction of having one of the largest sorghum factories in the a tubercular hospital. A tenant of United States. This factory is locat-the building who had a lease until ed at the little town of Endicott and is owned and managed by Fairchild Brothers, It has been running for a number of years and the business of 1911 exceeds that of any other year,

A Colt Show

Jefferson County.-O. R. Jones, secretary of the Jefferson county farm- placed by the men who took posses-Delegates from the Nebraska state board of agriculture will attend the mium list for the colt show which is spanish fort at Anahuac, a small setciation of fairs and expositions at held in Fairbury December 9. A numto be a part of the regular institute Chicago, December 4 and 5. This as ber of prominent horsemen in Jefferson county have offered liberal prefarmers.

Receivership Case In Court. Clay County—In the action brought by the minority holders of the St. Joseph & Grand Island Railway company for the appointment of a repeiver, and for an injunction, a petition of removal and bond was filed by that he may apply his knowledge to the Union Pacific, removing the case to the United States court.

Organized New Lodge. Cuming County.--Under the direction of Grand Patron Benjamin Terry of Lincoln a lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star was organized at the Masonic lodge room in West Point Wednesday. The name of the new lodge is Rose Star, in honor of A. M. Rose, one of the oldest Masons in the city.

Will Not Affect Lincoln.

The forming of a new division in the railway mail service with headquarters at Omaha will not affect Lincoln, except that the Lincoln office will be in the Fourteenth division Governor Aldrich has urged the instead of the Sixth, according to the board of public lands and buildings report given out at the local office.

Violation of Postal Laws.

Herald D. Johnson of University Place was arraigned before Judge Munger of the federal court on a charge of violating the postal laws of the United States. It was alleged that he had sent'a dunning communication on a postal card to a man who owed him.

Dedication of High School. Otoe County.-The dedication of the new high school building at Nebraska City, which has been under construction all summer, will occur

Doctor Walked on a Wager. Hall County.-On'a wagner of \$50 that he would walk the distance of James P. Dugan "hit the ties" for Thompson. The pedestrian lost out,

City Attorney Ousted,

Douglas County.-W. H. Thompson has been summarily ousted from ofnew hospital building completed and fice of city attorney of Florence because he insisted on representing in a few days. It contains thirty-six | both sides of the cases growing out

Stricken With Paralysis. Richardson County.—George LockLOTS OF HUNTING IN SPAIN WENT TO BLO

Use of Firearms Very Extensive, Owing to the Sporting Proclivities

of the People. The use of firearms is very extensive in Spain. Hunting is so popular ridges were imported into Spain last year, and of these 2,300,000 entered the port of Valencia alone. More than two-thirds of the total are of ordinary and low grade quality, costing about 55 cents a hundred unloaded, but there is also a limited market for very high grade sporting cartridges with deep metallic lining, adapted for heavy charges of smokeless powders, which are imported from Great Britain and the United States and are retailed at from \$1.45 to \$1.98 a hundred according to length and finish.

The natural sporting proclivities of the inhabitants of Valencia are fostered by the proximity of the Albufera, an extensive marshy lake visited in the fall and winter by myriads of wild duck, coots and other water fowl that migrate from northern Europe, while the forest wastes and arid brushwood hills of the interior are moderately stocked with red partridge, hares and rabbits. All the moist, cultivated valleys following the course of streams are also visited in the spring and summer by migratory quail that come over from North Af-

Trade in sporting guns, pistols and revolvers is of considerable importance, but only the very high grades are imported. Nearly all medium quallty, ordinary and low priced products are manufactured in the country, mostly at Eibar, in the Basque provinces in the north of Spain, where excellent workmen, many of whom study at the leading arms factories of Birmingham and Liege, make almost every form of gun, rifle, pistol and revolver. The barrels are usually imported in the rough from Great Britain or Belgium, and are bored and finished at the Spanish factories.

Pinning Him Down. In a little sequestered country town where the court of justice is over the general store, and where the judge is an old, grizzled farmer, thoroughly familiar with pitching hay and milking cows, but having a very limited knowledge of the law, the prisoner had pleaded "Not guilty" to a charge of burglary. The lawyer for the prosecution was endeavoring to show the court that the accused was a man of low character.

"What were you doing the night be fore the robbery?" he questioned se-

verely. "I was playin' pinochle with Jed Parker and another feller." answered the prisoner evasively. "Ah, I thought so!" shouted the

lawyer triumphantly, "Playing cards, and with that loafer, Jed Parker! Gambling and in bad company! But you mention a third party, sir. Who was the other good-for-nothing?" The prisoner hesitated. "Answer me!" bellowed the lawyer.

"Wa-al, sir, if, ye must know," said the accused, "it was the judge here." -Judge's Library. Dig Up Buried Treasure. Spanish coins and jewelry, upon

which a valuation of \$20,000 was

tlement in Double Bayou, which empties into the upper Galveston bay. Three men appeared some days ago, and announcing themselves as oil

prospectors, sank several holes with

drills, then began digging under the ruins of the old fort. They found and removed a metal chest about three feet long and 18 inches deep, which they said when about to be arrested was the property of the father of one of the men in

the party. He produced a crudely drawn chart, showing the fort and designating the burial place of the chest. The stranger said his grandfather and others buried the treasure when pressed by Mexicans back in the early '40's. They were permitted to

leave with the valuables. A gold cross four inches long and studded with precious stones is among the collection of jewelry.-New York Sun.

Universal Franchise. A small number of men sympathizers took part in the suffragist parade in New York City, among them several members of the faculty of Teachers' college. One of these professors had the honor of leading the male contingent and of carrying a

banner. "Did you notice," he asked a friend afterward, "what the inscription was on that banner they gave me to car

"No." replied his friend, "you carried it as if you were afraid some one would decipher it." "It read," chuckled the professor, 'The men vote-why not we?"-Success Magazine.

Equal to the Occasion,

"You're no judge of literature or rhetoric, Sam. Why, you couldn't do it to save your life if I asked you to give me a good illustration of a flat contradiction in terms. "Couldn't I? All right; the next time you ask me to lend you \$5 you

quite positive." Skipping to the Last Chapter. "Have you read the Bible?" asked the serious young man.

will find my decided negative is

"Well," replied the frank young woman, "I can't say that I have read all of it." "I see; you have read Genesis and Revelations."

"How did you know?" "That's the way a woman always reads any book."

Heredity.

IN ACTIVATION OF THE PARTY OF T

"Judge," said the guilty man, "I inherit this felonious habit. I can't resist it. My father was a grafter and my mother a photographer. I can't

help taking things." "Then take seven years at hard labor," said the judge kindly.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

8ir Walter Raleig of Death, Failed

Fate and justice culiar pranks in the Walter Raleigh, with tence hanging over h failing in his final voya returned to England al fully to the block. He without the royal pardor adventurous but still con had received permission other voyage to South An should be successful in the his venture Raleigh knew mercy would be granted this last expedition, under such a vital interest at stal leigh, was unfortunate in a spects. At San Tomas, on enne river in Guiana, his met hostile attack upon a Spanis) ment. As England was then a with Spain, this act of war the people of a friendly nation most grievous offense agains, king. On October 29, 1618, he su death by the ax. Having fingere edge, he returned it and said, sm to the sheriff: "This is a sharp n cine, but it is a sound cure for all eases."

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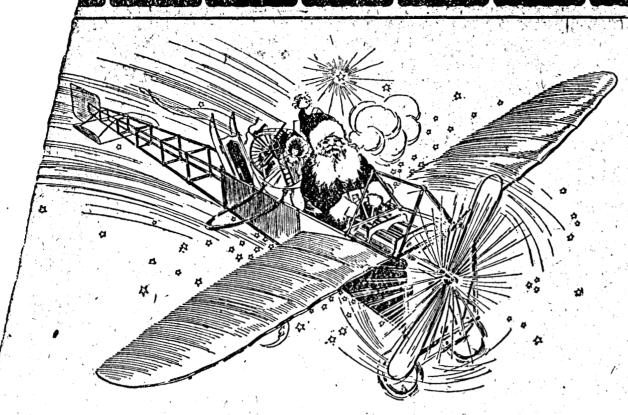
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WE are ready-5 long tables loaded down with the broadest and most comprehensive showing of staple and strictly gift goods. From such a line it is easy to make a wise selection for each and every member of your family and acquaintanceship, as everything is conveniently arranged and priced. Its really easy to choose a gift that is altogether pleasing at a price that accords exactly with your idea of expenditure, regardless of what your idea may be everything on the first table as you enter the store sells at different prices all goods on second table sells at \$1.00, on third table at 50c, fourth table 25c, fifth table 10c, and you'll really be surprised at the great values to be found on these tables.

We figure profit on Holiday Goods different from most stores—we can buy in big quantities, often taking twelve dozen of a single item—thus we get the VERY LOWEST PRICES and we then figure to see HOW LOW we can sell those things to you—you'll really find some articles on our 10c table that are sold at 15c at other stores -you don't have to take our word for it, just look around and see for yourself. Look this list over. Maybe it will help you to decide what to give and then come to the store and we will take pleasure in showing you the article in question. To those who dislike crowds we suggest the morning hour for holiday shopping. To those who appreciate the advantage of an early selection we recommend that it's none too soon to begin, but come in any time-bring your friends-also the children-they are all welcome.

Nice table linen Head scarf Neckwear Hair ribbons Drawnwork linens Dresser scarfs Lunch cloths Towels Table covers Fancy hosiery Fur top slippers Mittens Gloves Handkerchiefs 100 piece set dishes Set sad irons

Neckties

Suspenders

tea kettle, coffee pot, tea pot Mufflers **Sweaters** Pocket knife Smoker set Cigar jar **Pipes** Collar and cuff boxes Post card boxes Fancy china Silverware Jewelry Vases Japanese lacquaware Berry sets

Nickleslated copper Hobby horses Water sets Sherbet sets Toilet sets Shooflies Wheelbarrows Wagons Carts Doll cabs Beds Seeds Moving picture machines Dolls Doll heads

Music rolls Parlor table Library table Rockers Couch ' Magazine rack China closets **Book cases Pictures** Rugs Mirrors Carpet sweepers Foot stools Music cabinet Jordinere stand

Toys---Toys of every kind and description from 10c to \$1.00 A big line of Christmas Post Cards 1c each, Christmas Booklets 5 and 10c, Tags, Cards and Seals

Chimes

Toy carpet sweepers

If you do not find what you are looking for today come in again, as we will be getting in New Holiday Goods every week from now until Christmas

How Would This



PRICE \$10.00

The Selection of Holiday Presents

requires considerable care in oreer that your gift will be appreciated and useful. When it's time to buy for the women folks, first think of that troublesome wash day and then let us show you

The New

Sunshine Washer

It's sure a dandy-almost runs itself. Here is something that WILL lighten the woman's work and does not go very deep in your pocketbook

Why Not Buy Her a

Sewing

Machine For a Xmas Present



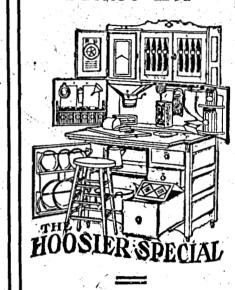
Which has been on the market for over thirty years and has gained a repetation that has never been equalled.

If you want the best buy a NEW HOME. We have three

Handlift -Rotary Shuttle 35.00 Autamatic Lift 33.00

You could not buy a better machine at any price. Come in and see them.

Can't Help But Please Her



Is one of the most useful presents that could be made to any woman. It is the best kitchen cabinet that's madeis reliable, helpful, economical -a good servant.

IT helps you remember things you need from the gro-

IT keeps together the things you use together.

IT saves steps and time, you can prepare a big meal quickly without being tired, because everything is in place and so handy to get at.

Price \$27.50

Come in and let us show you -if it does not suit your wife we'll gladly take it back

CHRISTMAS CANDIES AND NUTS

Over 2500 pounds now on hand. Candies, the good kind. Nuts all new, this year's crop. We ask all Sunday school and church committees to come in and figure with us on these goods. Buying in large quantities we get an inside price. We can and will save you money

The Baileys' Department Store

Highest prices cash or trade paid for eggs, butter, chickens, beans and lard

Gladys Gibson went to argent yes-

Several Catholic priests were aboard the B. and M. Tuesday evening for the mission at Burwell.

better get busy. 36-2t.

M. W. A. ATTENTION The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place Dec. 12th. You are requested to be present.

the first of this week .

A. M. Daniels, Clerk.

The big sale is still on at

Milfords. We do not expect

to make money at these pric-

es, but to reduce our stock

of men's suits and overcoats.

Also ladies' cloaks and furs

now included in this great

reduction of prices.

Ord's Pan Cake Flour is good. If Helenna Peterson, a sister of L. you are using it you know it. If you Peterson, came up from St. Paul the are not using Ord's Pan Cake Flour latter part of last week visiting until

REMEMBER Last week H. Burson left by way of

> We have quite a supply of good ugar cured Hams and for the next agreeable things that can be said of lew days we will sell them at 15c a a candidate in that length of time.

Archie Alvord came up from Wol-

in Ord for a while.

with relatives at Schuyler.

ound. W. Misko. Sons and Daughters of Hur come o Odd Fellow's Hall Tuesday evenng Dec. 12th. A good Program and Banquet. Bring a friend and lead pencils. Scribe.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange any kind of property anywhere quick, send or bring full particulars to Central Nebraska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Ne-

SHAREHOLDERS MEETING The regular meeting of the shareholders of The First National Bank of Ord, Nebraska, for the purpose of electing a board of directors will be held at the office of said bank at two 1912. E. M. Williams, Cashier.

Primary election comes early next Sugar cured Hams at 15c a pound year owing to its being presidential year and we hardly find ourselves out bach Monday evening and will stay of one campaign before we are into another. According of the primary law the election in presidential year Harry and Clarence Enger returned shall be held on the forty-fifth day University. Monday from a stay of several days before the first Monday in June, which brings the next election along Minnie Williams, who had been about the middle of April. Filings with her mother. isiting for several days with Mrs. L. for the next election have already Peterson, returned to St. Paul Satur. | been made with the secretary of state by office seekers that are anxious to get in on the ground floor. With the primary in April and the election Ericson for Iowa to attend to busi-in November, we have a period of ness matters. He returned to Ord better than six months for candidates better than six months for candidates sit up yesterday a little. to get their names before the people. Just think of the many good and dis-

FARM FOR SALE

My home place, consisting of 80 acres, 4 miles east of town. All good land with fine improvements. Will consider trade for larger place. W. He will ride at the races to-morrow.

you are using it you know it. If you sengers for Greeley Saturday morning better get busy. 36-2t.

Dr. Vallier, returned to Grand Island ing. Saturday after a few days sojourn in

to Sloux City, Iowa, where he goes to relatives. attend to business matters.

Fred Bell went to Omaha Saturday. Pinch Gillespie came up from Scotia Monday returning home Tuesday. Minnie Hawkins returned Saturday to her school work at the State

Mrs. Rose Holson came down fro m Burwell Tuesday and spent the day

Arthelia Lowe returned to Wolbach Saturday morning after staying in Ord for several days.

Chas. Kemp has been a pretty sick

Margareite Fuss came up from Grand Island Monday where she had been since the week before.

Chas. Masin was over from Loup City Thanksgiving spending the day with relatives and eating turkey. Stub McBeth came up from Scotia

Monday and stayed during the week.

Mrs. J. E. Wilmoth and her daugh-Ord's Pan Cake Flour is good. If ter, Mrs. O. K. Waterman, were pas-Clara, May and Mary Collison are

visiting relatives near Burwell this Mrs. W. H. Quillin, mother of Mrs. week. They went up Monday evern-Mrs. L. A. Puffer, a sister of Chas. Batie returned to Denver Tuesday

Tom Jones was a passenger Monday after a few days visit with Ord Ellen Johnson and Agnes Anderson

Walter Cover left Monday for Scotts spent several days at the Ray Auble o'clock p. m. Tuesday, January 9, Bluffs. His family are still here and home, going to their homes in St.



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Annual Message Deals With One Subject.

DEFENDS DECISIONS OF COURT

In Cases of Standard Oil and Tobacco Companies.

THINKS AMENDMENTS NEEDED

Believes Present Statutes Good as Far as They Go but Suggests Supplemental Legislation-For Federal Corporation Law.

Washington, Dec. 5.-President Taft's annual message, which was read in both houses of congress today, deals exclusively with the anti-trust statute. The full text of the message is as fol-

To the Senate and House of Repre--sentatives: This message is the first line could be drawn by courts; but very decided change in the character gress during the interval between the opening of its regular session and its adjournment for the Christmas holidays. The amount of information to be communicated as to the operations of the government, the number of important subjects calling for comment by the executive, and the transmission to congress of exhaustive reports by special commissions, make it impossible to include in one message of a reasonable length a discussion of the topics that ought to be brought to the attention of the national legislature at its first regular session.

The Anti-Trust Law-The Supreme Court Decisions.

In May last the Supreme court handed down decisions in the suits in making and serve to advise the busiand applying this important statute, but they clarify those important decisions by further defining the already admitted exceptions to the literal construction of the act. By the decrees, the proper method of dealing with the imposed. capital and property of illegal trusts. The Remedy in Equity by Dissolution. These decisions suggest the need and wisdom of additional or supplemental legislation to make it easier for the entire business community to square interstate business of refining, transthus finally established and to preserve its products, effected and maintained small factions in amount more nearly the merging of two or more business the benefit, freedom and spur of reathrough thirty-seven different corsonable competition without loss of real efficiency or progress.

No Change in the Rule of Decision-Merely in its Form of Expression.

The statute in its first section decombination in the form of trust or person to monopolize any part of the were enjoined. trade or commerce of the several states or with foreign nations."

was invoked to enjoin a transportation agreement between interstate railroad quire complete dominion over the companies, it was held that it was no manufacture, sale, and distribution of defense to show that the agreement as tobacco in this country and abroad, to rates complained of was reasonal and that this had been done by comat common law, because it was said binations made with a purpose and that the statute was directed against effect to stifle competition, control all contracts and combinations in re- prices, and establish a monopoly, not straint of trade whether reasonal at only in the manufacture of tobacco, common law or not. It was plain from but also of tin-foil and licorice used the record, however, that the contracts in its manufacture and of its products complained of in those cases would of cigars, cigarettes, and snuffs. The not have been deemed reasonable at tobacco suit presented a far more common law. In subsequent cases the complicated and difficult case than court said that the statute and be the Standard Oil suit for a decree given a reasonal construction and re- which would effectuate the will of the fused to include within its inhibition court and end the violation of the certain contractual restraints of trade statute There was here no single which it dominated as incidental or as holding company as in the case of indirect.

These cases of restraint of trade that | company was the American Tobacco the court excepted from the operation company, a manufacturing, selling, of the statute were instances which, at | and holding company. The plan common law, would have been called adopted to destroy the combination reasonable. In the Standard Oil and and restore competition involved the Tobacco cases, therefore, the court redivision of the capital and plants merely adopted the tests of the com- of the whole trust between some of mon law, and in defining exceptions to the companies constituting the trust the literal application of the statute, and new companies organized for the only substituted for the test of being purposes of the decree and made incidental or indirect, that of being parties to it, and numbering, new and reasonable and this, without varying in the slightest the actual scope and effect of the statute. In other words, all the cases under the statute which have now been decided would have been decided the same way if the court | pany (new) capital, \$67,000,000; the | the effect of enforcing this statute is had originally accepted in its construction the rule at common law.

introducing into the construction 4 525,000, are chiefly engaged in the the congress has declared shall exist of distinction or rule of action as suitable reorganization of the disin-

the statute common law distinctions, manufacture and sale of chewing and has emasculated it. This is obviously smoking tobacco and cigars. The States." untrue. By its judgment every con- former one tin-foil company is ditract and combination in restraint of vided into two, one of \$825,000 capute. The most extreme critics cannot instance a case that ought to be condemned under the statute which is not prought within its terms as thus con-

The suggestion is also made that the Supreme court by its decision in the last two cases has committed to the court the undefined and unlimited discretion to determine whether a case of restraint of trade is within the United Cigar Stores, with a capital tempt to secure concerted action of terms of the statute. This is wholly of \$9,000,000. Under this arrangement each of the different kinds of trol of the market their number is so trade at common law is well understood and is clearly defined. It does not rest in the discretion of the court. It must be limited to accomplish the same tobacco products, so as to make purpose of a lawful main contract to competition not only possible but which, in order that it shall be enforceable at all, it must be incidental. If it exceeds the needs of that contract so that the present independent comit is void.

The test of reasonableness was never applied by the court at common-law to contracts or combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade whose purpose was or whose neces sary effect would be to stifle competi tion, to control prices, or establish monopolies. The courts never as- Tobacco company and has been dissumed power to say that such conracts or combinations or conspiracies might be lawful if the parties to them were only moderate in the use of the power thus secured and did not exact from the public too great and exorbitant prices. It is true that many theorists, and others entitle old organization. The ratio of gaged in business violating the the preferred stock to the common statue, have hoped that some such no court of authority has ever at of the ownership and control of tempted it. Certainly there is nothing in the decisions of the latest two cases which should be a dangerous theory of judicial discretion in enforcing this statue can derive the slightest sanction.

Force and Effectiveness of Statute Matter of Growth.

making this statue effective for the from 41 per cent. as a maximum to purposes for which it was enacted. 281/2 per cent. as a minimum, except The Knight case was discouraging in the case of one small company, the and seemed to remit to the states the Porto Rican Tobacco company, in whole available power to attack and suppress the evils of the trusts twenty-nine individual defendants are Slowly, however, the errors of that judgment was corrected, and only in any stock except from each other, the last three or four years has the heavy hand of the law been laid upon extending its control during that peequity brought by the United States to the great illegal combinations that riod. All parties to the suit, and the enjoin the further maintenance of the have exercised such an absolute do new companies, who are made parties, Standard Oil trust and of the Ameriminion over many of our industries. are enjoined perpetually from in any can Tobacco trust, and to secure their Criminal prosecutions have been way effecting any combination bedissolution. The decisions are epoch brought and a number are pending, but juries have felt averse to convict- tion of the statute by way of resumpnsss world authoritatively of the scope ing for jail sentences, and judges have tion of the old trust. Each of the and operation of the anti-trust act of been most reluctant to impose such sen-fourteen companies is enjoined from 1890. The decisions do not depart in tences on men of respectable standing any substantial way from the previous in society whose offense has been All these companies are enjoined from decisions of the court in construing regarded as merely statutory. Still, having common directors or officers as the offense becomes better understood and the committing of it partakes more of studied and deliberate to each other. deflance of the law, we can be confident that juries will convict individthey furnish a useful precedent as to uals and that jail sentences will be

In the Standard Oil case the Supreme and circuit courts found the porations. the stock

transfer and pro-rata distribution by accumulation of large capital in busithe New Jersey company of the ness enterprises in which such a comclares to be illegal "every contract, stock held by it in the thirty-seven corporations to and among its stock- production, sale and distribution. It otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint holders, and the corporations and inof trade or commerce among the sev- dividual defendants were enjoined tion of capital only when its purpose eral states or with foreign nations," from conspiring or combining to reand in the second, declares guilty of a store such monopoly; and all agree- ing or controlling prices and estabmisdemeanor every person who shall ments between the subsidiary corpormonopolize or attempt to monopolize ations tending to produce or bring by the decree defeated these purposes or combine or conspire with any other about further violations of the act and restored competition between the

In the Tobacco case, the court plant have been divided, we shall have found that the individual defendants, accomplished the useful purpose of In two early cases, where the statute | twenty-nine in number, had been en- | the statute. gaged in a successful effort to acthe Standard Oil trust. The main

old, fourteen.

Situation After Readiustment. \$47,000,000, and the R. J. Reynolds to demolish but to re-create in ac-It has been said that the court, by Tobacco company (old) capital, \$7, cordance with the conditions which

interstate trade made with the purpose | ital and the other of \$400,000. The or necessary effect of controlling prices one snuff company is divided into by stifling competition, or of establish | three companies, one with a capital ing in whole or in part a monopoly of \$15,000,000; another with a capsuch trade, is condemned by the stat-ute. The most extreme critics cannot capital of \$8,000,000; and a third with a companies are two, one with a cap disintegrated. This is erroneous and ital of \$5,758,00 and another with a is based upon the assumed inefficacy capital of \$2,000,000. There is, also, and innocuousness of judicial injuncthe British-American Tobacco com- tions. The companies are enjoined pany, a British corporation, doing from co-operation or combination; business abroad with a capital of they have different managers direc-\$26,000,000, the Porto Rican Tobac- tors, purchasing and sales agents. If co company with a capital of \$1,800,000, and the corporation of ers, reaching into the thousands, atbusiness will be distributed between large that such an attempt could not two or more companies, with a division of the prominent brands in the ers and all its participants would be necessary. Thus the smoking tobacco business of the country is divided the present situation will necessarily panies have 21.39 per cent., while the American Tobacco company will have 33.08 per cent., the Liggett and Meyers 20.05 per cent., the Lorillard company 22.82 per cent., and the will inevitably lead to a change in Reynolds company 2.66 per cent. The stock of the other thirteen companies, both preferred and common, has been taken from the defendant American tributed among its stockholders. All covenants restricting competition have been declared null and further performance of them has been enjoined. The preferred stock of the different companies has now been given voting power which was denied it under each company. In the original suit there were twen

among the people of the United

Common-Stock Ownership.

It has been assumed that the pres-

ent pro-rata and common ownership

in all these companies by former

stockholders of the trust would insure

a continuance of the same old single

control of all the companies into

which the trust has by decree been

all or any of the numerous stockhold-

well be concealed and its prime mov-

at once subject to contempt proceed-

ings and imprisonment of a summary

character. The immediate result of

be activity by all the companies un-

der different managers, and then com-

petition must follow, or there will

be activity by one company and stag-

nation by another. Only a short time

ownership of the stock, as all oppor-

tunity for continued co-operation must

disappear. Those critics who speak

of this disintegration in the trust as

a mere change of garments have not

given consideration to the inevitable

working of the decree and understand

little the personal danger of attempt-

ing to evade or set at naught the sol-

emn injunction of a court whose ob-

ampled in the history of equity juris-

The effect of these two decisions has

led to decrees dissolving the combina-

tion of manufacturers of electric lamps,

a southern wholesale grocers' associa-

ion, an interlocutory decree against

the powder trust with directions by

the circuit court compelling dissolu-

tion, and other combinations of a sim-

ilar history are now negotiating with

the department of justice looking to a

disintegration by decree and reorgan;

ization in accordance with law. It

seems possible to bring about these re-

organizations without general business

Movement for Repeal of the Anti-Trust

Law.

But now that the anti-trust act is

ment of the purpose of its enactment,

we are met by a cry from many differ-

to be an attempt to restore old-fash-

ioned methods of destructive competi-

tion between small units, and to make

impossible those useful combinations

of capital and the reduction of the cost

of production that are essential to con-

tinued prosperity and normal growth.

In the recent decisions the Supreme

court makes clear that there is noth-

ing in the statute which condemns

combinations of capital or mere big-

ness of plant organized to secure

economy in production and a reduc-

tion of its cost. It is only when the

tion, actual and potential, and the en-

The merging of two or more business

but this elimination is in contravention

of the statute only when the combina-

tion is made for purpose of ending this

particular competition in order to se-

cure control of, and enhance, prices

Lack of Definiteness in the Statute.

The complaint is made of the statute

that it is not sufficiently definite in

its description of that which is forbid-

den, to enable business men to avoid

years, and that subsequently the attor-

ney general may conclude that it was

a violation of the statute, and that

which was supposed by the combiners

to be innocent then turns out to be a

combination in violation of the stat-

ute. The answer to this hypothetical

case is that when men attempt to

amass stupendous capital as will en-

able them to suppress competition.

control prices and establish a monop-

oly they know the purpose of their

acts. Men do not do such a thing

without having it clearly in mind. If

what they do is merely for the purpose

of reducing the cost of production,

without the thought of suppressing

competition by use of the bigness of

the plant they are creating, then they

cannot be convicted at the time the

union is made, nor can they be con-

victed later, unless it happen that later

on they conclude to suppress competi-

selves a monopoly. They can, in such

a case, hardly complain if the motive

which subsequently is disclosed is at-

New Remedies Suggested.

Much is said of the repeal of this

combination.

and create a monopoly.

purpose or necessary effect of the or-

prudence.

disturbance.

ty-nine defendants who were charged with being the conspirators through whom the illegal combination acquired and exercised its unlawful dominion. Under the decree these defendants will hold amounts of stock in the va-We have been twenty-one years rious distributee companies ranging which they will hold 45 per cent. The enjoined for three years from buying and the group is thus prevented from tween any of the companies in violaacquiring stock in any of the others. or common buying or selling agents, or common offices, or lending money

Size of New Companies. Objection was made by certain independent tobacco companies that this settlement was unjust because it left ganization and maintenance of the companies with very large capital in combination or the aggregation of imactive business, and that the settle mense size are the stifling of competicombination to be a monopoly of the ment that would be effective to put all with the rule of action and legality porting, and marketing petroleum and the capital and plant of the trust into ent companies. This contention re plants necessarily eliminates competiheld by a New Jersey company. It sults from a misunderstanding of the in effect commanded the dissolution anti-trust law and its purpose. It is of this combination, directed the not intended thereby to prevent the bination can secure reduced cost of is directed against such an aggregais that of stiffing competition, enhanclishing a monopoly. If we shall have

Confiscation Not the Purpose of the

large units into which the capital and

Statute. It is not the purpose of the statute to confiscate the property and capital of the offending trusts. Methods of punishment by fine or imprisonment of the individual offenders, by fine of the corporation, or by forfeiture of its goods in transportation, are provided, but the proceeding in equity is a specific remedy to stop the operation of the trust by injunction and prevent the future use of the plant and capital in violation of the statute.

Effectiveness of Decree.

I venture to say that not in the history of American law has a decree more effective for such a purpose been entered by a court than that against the Tobacco trust. As Circuit Judge Noyes said in his judgment approving the decree:

"The extent to which it has been necessary to tear apart this combination and force it into new forms with the attendant burdens ought to demonstrate that the federal anti-trust statute is a drastic statute which accomplishes effective results; which so long as it stands on the statute books must be obeyed, and which cannot be disobeyed without incurring far-The American Tobacco company reaching penalties. And, on the oth-(old) radjusted capital, \$92,000,000; er hand, the successful reconstruction the Liggett and Meyers Tobacco com- of this organization should teach that P. Lorillard company (new) capital, not to destroy, but to reconstruct; not

A Neat Device. "The governments which have re-

"What good would that do?" "It would make it easy for them to shoot the insurgents down."

Concordance Due to Monks. Nearly every bible today has a con-Lone Member of Audience-Not yet. says a monkey may occupy a throne. invented a device to prevent a train cordance at the back. The first constarting while a passenger is alighting cordance was prepared by French monks in the year 1247.

Apologetic. Hospitable Carter (after borrowing a match from stranger to whom he lowed t' 'ave no matches when I be quarries up along."-Punch.

Both Lose.

has offered a lift)--"Y'see, I b'aint al- do sums?" cartin' biarstin' powder fur them old

When an election bet is paid by the oser trindling the winner in a wheelparrow one is never sure which party to the wager deserves the greatest | dead and as unbearable as the gravesympathy.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Fitted for the Battle.

graveyard.

"Well, boy, what do you know? Can you write a business letter? Can you

"Please, sir," said the applicant for a job, "we didn't go in very much for those studies at our school. But I'm fine on beadwork or clay modeling.

Inequality Necessary. If everybody were like everybody else, the world would be as dull as the

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definite and as clear as that which the tegrating parts. The circuit court

forcing the statute.

Repeal or Amendment.

see decided advantages—in the enact-

ment of a law which shall describe and

denounce methods of competition,

which are unfair and are badges of the

unlawful purpose denounced in the

anti-trust law. The attempt and pur-

pose to suppress a competitor by un-

derselling him at a price so unprofit-

able as to drive him out of business,

or the making of exclusive contracts

with customers under which they are

required to give up association with

other manufacturers, and numerous

kindred methods for stifling competi-

tion and effecting monopoly, should be

described with sufficient accuracy in a

criminal statute on the one hand to

enable the government to shorten its

task by prosecuting single misde-

meanors instead of an entire con-

spiracy, and, on the other hand, to

serve the purpose of pointing out

more in detail to the business com-

Federal Incorporation Recommended.

In a special message to congress

on January 7, 1910, I ventured to

point out the disturbance to business

that would probably attend the disso-

"But such an investigation and pos

sible prosecution of corporations

whose prosperity or destruction affects

the comfort not only of stockholders

but of millions of wage earners, em-

ployes, and associated tradesmen must

necessarily tend to disturb the con-

fidence of the business community,

prosperity that will cause suffering

and strained circumstances among

the innocence many for the faults of

the guilty few. The question which

I wish in this message to bring clear-

ly to the consideration and discus-

sion of congress is whether, in order

to avoid such a possible business

danger, something cannot be done by

which these business combinations

may be offered a means, without great

financial disturbance, of changing the

character, organization, and extent of

their business into one within the

lines of the law under federal control

and supervision, securing compliance

binations called 'Trusts,' the prin-

cipal business is the sale of goods in

many states and in foreign markets;

eign business far exceeds the busi-

ness done in any one state. This

to such a combination to make and

sell in interstate and foreign com-

merce the products of useful manu-

facture under such limitations as will

secure a compliance with the anti-

a statute that while it offers protec-

harmful, vexatious, and unnecessary

invasion by the states, it shall sub-

ject it to reasonable taxation and

act should be prohibited from ac-

quiring and holding stock in other

corporations (except for special rea-

sons, upon approval by the proper

federal authority), thus avoiding the

creation under national auspices of the

holding company with subordinate

"If the prohibition of the anti-trust

ernment shall provide for the creation

of national corporations to carry on a

United States. The conflicting laws of

the different states of the Union with

respect to foreign corporations makes

it difficult, if not impossible, for one

I renew the recommendation of the

enactment of a general law providing

for the voluntary formation of cor-

merce among the states and with for-

that time offered to possible objec-

tions, have been confirmed by our ex-

the actual dissolution of active com-

It is even more manifest now than

it was then that the denunciation of

conspiracies in restraint of trade

should not and does not mean the de-

nial of organizations large enough to

be intrusted with our interstate and

foreign trade. It has been made more

clear now than it was then that a

by specific provisions for the build-

national and foreign commerce.

Dissolutions.

ing up and regulation of legitimate

Needed to Aid Courts in Trust

The drafting of the decrees in the

statute and of constructive legislation dissolution of the present trusts, with When all energies are directed, not

may be that such a plan will be are not provided with the administra- ways and means for making perma-

tinued execution of the anti-trust law quiries, and they should be empow- then individual enterprise and effort

have produced nothing but glittering ered to invoke the aid of the bureau will be paralyzed and the spirit of

generalities and have offered no line of corporations in determining the commercial freedom will be dead.

mercial organizations.

its purely local business.

monopolies.

its violation. The suggestion is, that corporation to comply with their re-

we may have a combination of two quirements so as to carry on business

tion and take the usual methods for purely negative statute like the anti-

doing so, and thus establish for them- trust law may well be supplemented

tributed by the court to the original Government Administrative Experts

intended to accomplish the purpose a view to their reorganization into and blaze a clear path for honest mer- legitimate corporations, has made it

chants and business men to follow. It especially apparent that the courts

evolved, but I submit that the discus- tive machinery to make the neces-

sions which have been brought out in sary inquiries preparatory to re-

recent days by the fear of the con- organization, or to pursue such in-

corporations, which may run on for in a number of different states:"

"Generally, in the industrial com-

with the anti-trust statute.

lution of these offending trusts.

said:

ject is made plain by the decree and to dry up the now flowing sources of

whose inhibitions are set forth with a capital from its places of hoarding,

detail and comprehensiveness unex- and produce a halt in our present

een to be effective for the accomplish in other words, the interstate and for-

ent quarters for its repeal. It is said fact will justify the federal govern-

to be obstructive of business progress, ment in granting a federal charter

munity what must be avoided.

Supreme court itself lays down in en and the attorney general were great-

Supplemental Legislation Needed-Not tobacco trust dissolution by an ex-

I see no objection—and indeed I can Federal Corporation Commission Pro-

ly aided in framing the decree in the

pert from the bureau of corporations.

posed.

I do not set forth in detail the terms

and sections of a statute which might

supply the constructive legislation per-

mitting and aiding the, formation of

combinations of capital into federal

corporations. They should be subject

to rigid rules as to their organization

and procedure, including effective pub-

licity, and to the closest supervision as

to the issue of stock and bonds by an

executive bureau or commission in the

department of commerce and labor, to

which in times of doubt they might

well submit their proposed plans for

future business. It must be distinctly

understood that incorporation under a

federal law could not exempt the com-

pany thus formed and its incorporators

and managers from prosecution under

the anti-trust law for subsequent ille-

gal conduct, but the publicity of its

procedure and the opportunity for fre-

quent consultation with the bureau or

commission in charge of the incorpora-

transactions would offer it as great se-

curity against successful prosecutions

for violations of the law as would be

Such a bureau or commission might

well be invested also with the duty al-

ready referred to, of aiding courts in

the dissolution and recreation of trusts

within the law. It should be an execu-

tive tribunal of the dignity and power

the interstate commerce commission,

over important classes of corporations

under federal regulation.

real owners.

which now exercise supervisory power

The drafting of such a federal incor-

poration law would offer ample oppor-

tunity to prevent many manifest evils

in corporate management today, in-

Incorporation Voluntary.

ters thus to be granted shall be volun-

mandatory provisions. The benefit to

eral incorporation will not have a

tiny, competent supervision and pub-

licity attendant upon the enjoyment

Supplemental Legislation Needed.

The opportunity thus suggested for

federal incorporation, it seems to me,

is suitable constructive legislation

needed to facilitate the squaring of

great industrial enterprises to the rule

law. This statute is construed by

be the line of distinction for legiti-

mate business. It must be enforced,

unless we are to banish individualism

common system of regulation or con-

vails with respect to public utilities,

and which when applied to all busi-

ness would be a long step toward state

Importance of the Anti-Trust Act.

of the effort of a freedom-loving peo-

maintain their future growth by pre-

serving uncontrolled and unrestricted

For twenty years or more this stat-

ute has been upon the statute book.

approved. Many of its violators were

It seemed impossible of enforce

ment. Slowly the mills of the courts

ground, and only gradually did the ma-

jesty of the law assert itself. Many

of its statesmen-authors died before it

became a living force, and they and

others saw the evil grow which they

had hoped to destroy. Now, its effi-

now its object is near achievement.

most general terms how, by some

other statute and in some other way,

of twenty years and try another ex-

It is said that the act has not done

good. Can this be said in the face of

That decree was in no way so dras-

tic or inhibitive in detail as either the

Standard Oil decree or the tobacco de-

cree; but did it not stop for all time

the then powerful movement toward

the control of all the railroads of the

have been a healthful instance in the republic, even though exercised under

the general supervision of an inter-

Do we desire to make such ruthless

combinations and monopolies lawful?

toward the reduction of the cost of

production for the public benefit by a

healthful competition, but toward new

nent in a few hands the absolute con-

trol of the conditions and prices pre-

vailing in the whole field of industry,

WM. H. TAFT.

Such a one-man power could not

country in a single hand?

state commission.

periment for another term of years.

cynical over its assumed impotence.

The anti-trust act is the expression

of such a charter.

trust law. It is possible so to frame of action laid down by the anti-trust

tion to a federal company against the Supreme court must continue to

control by the states with respect to from all business and reduce it to one

"Corporations organized under this trol of prices like that which now pre-

corporations in different states, which | ple to preserve equality of opportun-

has been such an effective agency in ity. It is the result of the confident

the creation of the great trusts and determination of such a people to

act against combinations in restraint the enterprise of the individual, his

of trade is to be effectivel/ enforced, ingenuity, his intelligence and his in-

legitimate business throughout the All knew of its general purpose and

porations to engage in trade and com- cacy is seen; now its power is heavy;

eign nations. Every argument which Now we hear the call for its repeal on

was then advanced for such a law, the plea that it interferes with busi-

and every explanation which was at ness prosperity, and we are advised in

perience since the enforcement of the evil we are just stamping out can

the anti-trust statute has resulted in be cured, if we only abandon this work

decree?

it is essential that the national gov- dependent courage.

socialism.

I recommend that the federal char-

practical or wise,

HOW ROBERT ROGERS, MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, IN WINNIPEG ADDRESS, ISSUES WELCOME OF AMERICANS TO WEST. ERN CANADA.

During the course of a reply to an address presented to Hon. Robert Rogers, the newly appointed Minister of the Interior of Canada at a banquet given at Winnipeg in his honor that gentleman spoke on immigration. The tone of his remarks was that he intended to pursue an aggressive and for ward policy in the matter of immigration. In part, he said:

"The most important branch perhaps of that department (Interior) is that, of immigration.

"If there is anything more than another we want here it is a greater population, and it shall be my duty to present to the people in all parts of the world where desirable emigrants are to be found the advantages and the tion as to the legitimate purpose of its, great possibilities of this country. We have received in the past a reasonably large immigration from south of the international boundary, and in this connection let me say just a word for our American cousins who have found happy homes amongst us, and those whom we hope to welcome in greater numbers in the years to come. There are hundreds of thousands of them in our prairie provinces, happy in the enof the comptroller of the currency or joyment of a freedom as great as they ever knew, and all contributing in a material way towards the development of Canada. We are not blind to their value as settlers. They come better equipped with scientific farming knowledge than most of our emigrants, and constitute without doubt the wealthlest class of emigrants any cluding irresponsibility of control in new country has ever known. As the hands of the few who are not the head of the immigration department it will be my privilege to offer them a welcome hearty and sincere, and to so contribute to their welfare that under the protecting folds of the Union tary, at least until experience justifies Jack they will enjoy as great a degree of liberty and happiness as under the be derived from the operation of great Stars and Stripes. The Borden government cherishes nothing but the businesses under the protection of such a charter would attract all who kindliest feelings for the people of the are anxious to keep within the lines great republic to the south, and will of the law. Other large combinations do all in its power to increase the that fail to take advantage of the fedbonds of kinship and neighborly good feeling that has so long existed. right to complain if their failure is (Hear, hear.) ascribed to unwillingness to submit their transactions to the careful scru-

"While we adopt a vigorous emigration policy in that country, we will also adopt the same vigorous policy in other parts of the world. We will go to England, Ireland and Scotland, and every other country irrespective of race, creed or nationality, where we can find suitable and desirable emigrants for this great country. I think much good work can be done in those countries, and especially perhaps at the present time in England, Ireland and Scotland. Now, then, it will be my duty to stir up that policy in the most vigorous manner possible."

How to Use Red Cross Seals. "How to Use Red Cross Seals" is the title of an interesting publication recently issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Red Cross Seals must be placed only on the back of letters and not on the address side of packages that are going through the mail. They may be placed anywhere on matter going by express. Care should be taken in sending merchandise through the strings with which the package is tied, since this seals the package against inspection and subjects it to firstclass postage rates. As many seals may be used on the back of a letter or package as may be desired. Everyone is urged to use them liberally, since every seal is a bullet in the war against tuberculosis.

Red Cross seals are not good for postage, and will not carry mail matter, but any kind of mail matter will carry them. Finally, every letter or parcel sent out, either by mail or in some other way, during the holiday season should bear one or more Red Cross Seals.

Love Note.

People may sneer all they please at what is called puppy love; but anybody who has ever had a puppy, and noted the wag of its tail and the look in its eyes as it wriggles forth its protestations of undying affection, can hardly deny its actual sincerity.--Judge's Library.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for the effect of the Northern Securities infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of half little in. In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's C Dria Takes More Than That. "Truth lies at the bottom of a

"Yes, and unlike most wells, you can't raise it by hot air."-Baltimore American.

I believe that the borders of our minds are ever shifting, and that many minds can flow into one another, as it were, and create or reveal a single mind.-W. B. Yeats.

Diphtheria, Quinsy and Tonsilitis begin with sore throat. How much better to cure a sore throat in a day or two than to be in bed for weeks with Diphtheria. Just keep Hamlins Wizard Oil in the

What has become of the old-fashioned politician who used to imagine he was destiny's only son — Toledo

Blade. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure con-

stipation. Constipation at the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take. His Bearing.

"Is he a man of military bearing?" "Well, he likes to 'soldier."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the guus, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colle, 25c a bottle.

When an optimist loses his job he is apt to become a backslider.

Bargains.

"Once I could have bought the site of Chicago for \$400 in Mexican monev."

"I know how it is, old chap. I had a chance to buy a beefsteak once for 11 cents a pound."

Premature.

Stage Hero (in backwoods town)-At last, fair Gwendolyn, we are alone. Call it off till the end of this act. I'm A monkey may also pay for a cham-

Unlikely to Pass. "Can't you settle this bill today. sir?" asked the tailor of the delinquent

senator. "No, Shears; it wouldn't be parliamentary. I've merely glanced over it, er the event.—New York Evening you know, and I can't pass a bill until Post. after its third reading."-Judge.

Monkeys. There is a Chinese proverb which pagne dinner.

Where We Are Strong. We may be derelict in safeguarding we hunt for the responsible man aft- mies."

Useful Raliroad Device. Connecting a hinged step with the air-brake system, an Englishman has from or boarding a car.

human life, but no people on earth bellions on their hands ought to escan equal the moral fervor with which tablish a toboggan system in their ar-

Every Holiday Problem Solved

TOYS AND GAMES

You never saw so many good toys and games as we are now showing. Germany's cunning artisans have been cudgeling their brains all year to invent new and more curious toys and you find here the best results of their work. As to games, no home can contain too many -they keep the young folks at home and many of them are equally interesting for their

Musical Toys, Bell Toys, Iron Locomotives and Cars, Steam Toys, Air Guns, Soldier Outfits, Toy Ranges and Kitchen Furniture, Magic Lanterns, Tool Chests, Rubber Balls, Pianos, Galloping Horses, Chairs, Bockers, Tables, Bureaus, Fur Toys, Wooly Toys, Noah's Arks, Banks, Drums, Watches, Wagons, Automobiles, Carts, Wheelbarrows, Boats, Tubs, Washboards, Wringers, Blackboards, Poll Cabs, Building Blocks, Picture Blocks, Puzzle Blocks, Nested Blocks, Kindergarten Entertainments, Toy Picture Books, Linen Books, Archarena Boards, Table Croquet, Floor Croquet, Crokinole Boards, Target and Throwing Games, Ten Pins, Bagatelle Boards, Fish Ponds, Ring Toss, Checker and Chess Boards, Lotto Games, Dominoes, Cnessmen Checkers, Pit, Authors, Flinch, Jack Straw, Card Puzzles, Etc.

SUNDRIES

There are scores of suitable gifts in our regular lines of sundries that you can well buy, especially for family giving. These are common sense presents. Such items as these in

Hair Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail and Hand Brushes, Hat Brushes, Hand Mirrors, etc.

CANDLESTICKS

These are all the rage this season. Now used for decorative purposes and for table ornamentation. We have the latest in Ormula, Gold and Iron. 25c to \$3.00.

WE believe that we come nearer this year to solving every holiday problem of the people of this community than ever before. We have goods that possess the qualities that gifts should have, gifts that embody beauty, durability, usefulness, novelty and real value.

In addition to these features we afford you genuine bargains in all lines.

Come often and look as long as you like

The goods mentioned below comprise only a part of the lines shown, and in many of these lines there are scores of separate items. You will realize therefore how important it is that you come and see all the goods now on display. See them soon for your own sake. It will save you time, worry and money.

EBONY GOODS

over and there is every reason

why they should be. We have

both plain and silver mounted.

The line includes brushes, toi-

let articles, mirrors, manicure,

toilet and traveling sets and

many odd pieces. We have put

FANCY GOODS

in Fancy Goods, Boxes for

Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Trin-

kets, Neckties, Gloves, Sus-

penders, etc. Also Fancy Trays,

INK STANDS

A little item now in large de-

mand. They do to chink in

with most anywhere. We have

them in gilt, silver, ebony,

STATIONERY ITEMS

gifts in this line. Fancy Box

Paper with holly decorations

for the holidays, Paper Weights

Fountain Pens, Gold Pens

Fancy Ink Wells, Portfolios

Many beautiful and useful

glass, etc. 25c to \$1.50.

Picture Frames, Candles, etc.

We have all the latest things

attractive prices on them.

These are popular the world

HOLIDAY CIGARS

The gift above all that suits a smoker. You can make sure of cigars he likes by getting them here. In boxes of 25 cigars, 5c cigars for 90c to \$1.25; 10c cigars, \$2 to \$2.50; large boxes at close prices. Also smokers sets, cigar cases, pipes and everything else in smokers

DOLLS

Little girls usually expect at least one new dolly every Christmas and we have so many different kinds that you can give an entirely different kind each

China, Bisque, Metal, Leather, Rag, Papier Mache, Celluloid, Kid, Fiannel, Patent Jointed, Bathing, Closing Eyes, Double Face, Mechanical and Musical Dolls, etc. Also Kid Bodies, Doll Heads and other Doll parts, shoes, clothing, doll toys, furniture, etc.

You cannot match either our assortment or prices.

MANICURE SETS

Something to consider if you have a young lady to please. Many kinds to pick from.

TOILET CASES AND NOVEL-

We have some beautiful toilet and dressing cases in plush, silver and celluloid. Magnificent gifts for the gentler sex. Prices range from 25c to \$5-used to cost at least double.

Work Boxes.......40c to \$1.50 Handkerchief Boxes. 50c to 2.00 Glove Boxes......85c to 1.25 Glove and Hdkf. set..75c to 2.50 Necktie Boxes......500 to 1.25 Photo Boxes........50c to 1.25 Collar and Cuff Boxes 85c to 4.50

The above gifts for both ladies and gentlemen are especially desirable. They are useful, durable and beautiful.

BOOKS

There is hardly a person who has Christmas gifts to buy who should not consider the selection of books. Books are equally desirable for young and old. They are treasured for a lifetime and never lose their value. Large as our stock was last year it is almost doubled this season. The variety is greater and the stock throughout is larger. It includes all the 'latest and most popular novels, together with standard fiction, poetry, etc. Also books for girls, books for boys and books for the little people. You can find anything you want, and can be suited, no matter what price you wish

We regularly sell most books' for less than publishers prices, often much less, and these low prices prevail throughout the holiday season.

REMEMBER

We carry a complete line of Rexall Remedies of which there is one for each ailment. Every one guaranteed to give satisfaction. If it does not bring it to us and we will refund the money as cheerfully as we took it. We also make prescription

filling a specialty.

BERANEK BROS.

etc.

South Side Square

The Rexall Store

his petition in the District Court of county. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Skolil deceased. Said defendants, the object and pray. On the 21 day of November 1911, Valley County, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which are, that a decree may be entered by the Court, declaring a certain mortgage, made on the 28th. In the County Court of said County, State of Nebraska, Valley County, State of Nebraska, Valley County, Sax.

In the matter of the estate of Alfoxner S. Adams, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against Alexander S. Adams late of Valley County mortgages at page after fixed for filing claims against Alexander S. Adams late of Valley County mortgages at page at the time and place so designated, said estate is six months from the 7th day of December that the record thereof may be candag of December, 1911. All such and of December, 1911. All such and so page that the time and place is of the 21 day of November 1911, came the executor of said estate and persons to the executor of said estate and present the executor of said estate and published in said county. Dated this 7th day of December the executor of dest estate and personant the executor of said estate and published in said county. Bettition for distribution. It is or detered that the 16 day of December the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and published in said county. Dated this 7th day of December the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and count as such and these renders an account as such and these renders an account as such and these renders an account as such and the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and the executor of said estate and personant the executor of said estate and

week for three successive weeks, prior to the date set for the said

Planning for Mother.

children.

when her sons announced that six of "the boys" were coming up on the noon train. "They want to see our

State of Nobraska, Valley country, 10 the matter of the estate that on the Suhr will can out the Suhr will can be subject to the Suhr will be subject to braska, on a judgment obtained before H. Gudmundsen of Valley
County, Nebraska, on the 20 day of
November, 1911, in favor of S. A.
Foster Lumber Co., as Plaintiff,
and against Peter Christia as Defendant for the sum of Four hundred

Some stuff in a basket, and it will be

OLD GAME IS WORKED AGAIN

Confidence Men in Paris Substituted a String of imitation Pearls for Good Ones.

A Paris dealer in precious stones. M. Lagnel, was the victim of an au-

dacious theft perpetrated by means of the time honored confidence trick. A

few weeks ago M. Lagnel made the

acquaintance of a young man who

called himself Sognier. He was anx-

ious to act as agent for M. Lagnel,

and declared that he would be able to

A few days ago Sognier introduced

to M. Lagnel a "wealthy friend" of

his, whom he called M. Chevalier of

Clermont Ferrand, who desired to buy

a pearl necklace for his wife. The two

men called at M. Lagnel's office in the Rue du Temple, and M. Chevalier selected a necklace valued at \$20,000

When about to pay he found that he had left his purse at his hotel. In order to be sure that the necklace would not be exchanged for another while he

was absent in search of the money,

Chevalier asked if it could be placed

in a sealed envelope. This was done,

and Chevalier and his friend disap

As they failed to return, the jeweler

made inquiries, but could find no trace

of them. He then opened the sealed

envelope and found it contained imita

tion pearls worth but a few francs

The thieves had cleverly substituted

a second envelope for the one contain-

London Chronicle

ing the necklace.-Paris Letter to the

OLD CHINESE ROLLS FOUND

Thousands of Manuscripts on Silk Dis-

, covered in Grottos by a

French Explorer.

Paul Pelliot, the young French ex-

plorer of Chinese Turkestan, found in

caverns at Tuan-Huang silk rolls

which are Chinese manuscripts, some

of them embroidered by artists who

seem to have stepped out of "The

Arabian Nights." These rolls have been immured in these grottos for

nine hundred years, and when de-

ciphered and translated will tell the

story of a civilization that flourished

over a thousand years ago and is

The explorer brought back five thou-

In the last few years archaeologists

at work in the Mediterranean island

of Crete have unearthed ruins and pot-

tery which prove that civilized people

inhabited Greece as far back as the

year 2600 B. C. The system of drain-

age in the prehistoric city of Gnossus,

in Crete, is more sanitary than any

found in any historic age anywhere on

The life of the human race upon

this planet is being traced further and

further back. The earliest known

civilization is being found to have

been preceded by one still earlier.

One curtain of the past upraised re-

veals another curtain which the scien-

An Infant Cuvier.

Miss Griggs easily induced the

wealthy Mrs. May to let her son Fred

die join the vacation class in natural

"I'm sure he'll love it!" said Mrs

May, with surprising enthusiasm "And you will find that he knows a

"Indeed! That is very pleasan

she was not prepared for scientific at tainments in a spoiled boy of five "Yes," said Mrs. May, complarently "ever since Freddle was a baby the

chef has made all his blanc-mange in the shape of rabbits and squirrels, and

only lately he has begun to make him

marshmallow frogs and chickens and turtles, and Freddle simply worships

thm-you can't get him to touch any

"I am sure," concluded Mrs. May,

"that you will find Freddie very ad

vanced for his age."-Youth's Compan-

Mrs. Shepherd looked bewildered

"Why didn't you tell me this morn

ing," Mrs. Shepherd wailed, "when the

thing in a plain mold!

camp," said Ted.

butcher was on the hill?"

lot about natural history already."

history that she was organizing or

secrets.-Minneapolis Journal.

tists are certain conceals still more

earth until the nineteenth century.

sand rolls; but as there are five hun-

dred grottos, he believes many more

libraries will be found.

peared.

introduce wealthy clients.

to call your attention to this Bank and its management, trusting that we may receive your favorable

A review of our history since organization, and a glance at the names of our Directors, all of whom are residents and large property owners of Valley county, we think is sufficient guarantee that your interests will be safely guarded.

We believe that men of good business judgment and conservative ideas appreciate our sound progressive management and our growth and success is the community's gain in building up the commercial developement of our county.

WE INVITE YOU TO CALL AND SEE US

The First National Bank ORD, NEBRASKA.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS - \$145,000.00

We have just received another large shipment of the

CLAD" HOSE

and have them in all sizes and numbers



We Were Out

Of Nigger Head Pea coal for three weeks, and may be out of other kinds, as shipmen's are rather slow, but at present we have plenty of both Nigger Head and Acme Pea.

It Would Be Wise=

To keep your coal bin well filled, for it is very unpleasant to try to get coal in a blizzard. The draymen will appreciate your thoughtfullness, if you order before the storm. We have cars on the track all the time. Acme Pea Coal..... Hanna Lump.
Eastern Hard, chestnut.

We guarantee to screen all coal carefully and please our customers

The Ord Lumber & Coal Co.

FARM LOANS—I can make you

loan at lowest rate. J. B. Nay & Co. 29 tf.

VORK WANTED—Plain sewing or any kind of household work. In Cottage on hill. Mrs. Baker FOR SALE-Registered Duroc-Jer

sey boar pigs. Will sell at low figure if taken right away. 1. C. Clark, Ord Neb. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—Ord residence properties at \$750, \$850 and \$1550. See Capron FOR SALE-One old and two young boars, W. M. Gray. FOR RENT-8 room house, with

closets, barn, 3 lots, close in. See

Rhode Island Red Roosters for sale. Mrs. B. H. Alvord, 33-4t, pd, FOR SALE OR RENT-40 acres ad-

FOR SALE—Poland China boars. On Royal Balley place. G. E. Gadd. 33-tf.

FOR RENT-100 acres cultivated, 140 acres grass, in Elyria township, for \$300. See Capron.

FOR SALE—My Touring car cheap stay will sell for cash or trade. Mamle

Some extra fine ones. Mrs. I. C. Clark, Ord, Neb. 30-tf. FOR SALE-Fairbanks & Morris gasoline engine. 4 hp. Cheap. W. M. Gray. 30-tf.

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale.

FOR RENT-The room in the Quiz building recently occupied by H. P. Bradley.

FOR SALE-A few Crimson Wonder Duroc Jersey male pigs for sale cheap to close out. E. S. King.

FOR RENT-Good large barn. Mrs. M. Alderman.

WANTED-Carpet weaving. Mrs. Jennie Dailey.

WANTED-Good cook. Steady employment and good wages. Burwell House, Burwell Neb. Quick Relief for Rheumatism

George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began joining the Ord Cemetery on the north. Well improved. A special price will be given if sold by Feb. 1, 1912. Inquire of D. C. Ruhl. 33-tf dressed herself and walked out for

dressed herself and walked out for breakfast.' Sold by A. F. Brown.

"We surprised all our friends by getting maried."

Druggist.

"Good enough. Now surprise em by staying married."-Kansas City Jour-

Use Ord's Self Rising Pancake Flour. Sold by All Grocers. 6 lb. Sack 25c

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CATTLE OLD WELL

dd Head of Cattl arket Outsell the County Bunch

Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 13. Shead at \$8.75, and balance 60. Average price of the two ds was \$8.36. Only a few odd cattle sold any higher on the to-day than the \$8.75 cattle.

shows Harry did not quite he Chicago market Wednesday, came mighty near it. This is no Il thing to come near the top on Chicago market at this time of Christmas trade, and anyone

have been on feed for quite a while, but not as long as Harry often feeds, and were putting on flesh at the rate down from Burwell this morning is not such a serious thing. It may of about 4 pounds per day each when where she has been visiting her be done by windlass or by a horse he shipped them.

price on part of the shipment. Not Mrs. R. L. Staple for a few days. having enough of the younger steers to fill the two cars he had to put in a few helfers to fill up. Evidently the commission men sorted up the bunch picking out 25 of the best of the lot to see what they would do, and what they did must be very gratifying to the shipper.

ACCIDENTLY SHOT

The 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holmes living 12 miles northwest of town accidently shot himself while out in the fields last Friday afternoon.

It is impossible for us to find out just how it happened but it is under stood that he was taking the shot her husband's people Mr. and Mrs. one could dare claim for it. He is a gun out of the wagon by the end of Freeman Lewin, after which she rethorough convert to the use of the bout out the team started up a few steps and caused the gun to fall to the double trees striking the ham-

mer which discharged the gun.

the first of the week and have his comes but once a year. arm dressed. - Arcadia Champion.

Woodrow Wilson would at first have nothing to say as to the story printed by the New Sun, of New York, to the effect that he had been upon retiring from his professorship Masonic meeting. Mr. McMullen and to Ord folks because F. A. Kates is Mrs. Stara's mother. Then they will fact that this way from Elyria last an applicant for a Carnegie pension, to enter politics, and had been re- Mrs. Smith returned home by the fused. However, he has since seen auto route but Mabel remained to fit to make an explanation—it was for the sake of his family, for the fortunes of politics are uncertain. Wilson stock for the democratic nomination has been going down for some time and the disclosure will have a still greater depressing effect. Nebraska democrats, for instance, remember distinctly the objections raised to the acceptance of Rockefeller money for the purpose of constructing a university chapel, etc., and obviously regard the endowment of an inantdemocrats, for instance, remember regard the endowment of an inani-

BOY'S HEAD IS WORKING

a patent his son has secured on the weather may be. bearing on a disc. While we are not authority on discs and their bearings The other day we saw A. J. Fir-

up from St. Paul yesterday and went which he gave to the city and seeing spring. He hopes that by that time out to the Mike Prestel home to-day the sycamores conceived the idea of to assist in caring for Mr. Prestel. trying some of the seed in the park. He is very poorly and is suffering a They will be planted and cared for busy. great deal of pain.

allowed by the government that Wright and Collison have been granted a patent on their pipe wrench, of of land in Rock county on the Niowhich these columns spoke a few brara river and will move his family pany them. months ago.

a different appearence in its new coat farm tools across the desert to that last evening for a few days stay in of yellow paint. Now if they will place has begun. Two loads were Ord. put in some kind of a lighting sys- taken there just after Thanksgiving | Chas. and Hubbard Noll returned tem they will do fairly well.

morning passenger for Millard for a folks and deserve success wherever E. D. Holman were in North Loup few days stay with her sister.

Wm. Hawkins was a passenger Tuesday for his old home in Fairlas,

Mrs, John Rockhold and friends were over from Sargent yesterday on a visit with Ord folks.

Mrs. Louise Hedde, a sister of Mrs. Detliff Heuck, returned to her home at Grand Island Monday morning.

Mrs. L. H. Courier returned to her

Jim Vi returned to Ericson

ings at their half Tuesday night, form of silo. But there can be no raiso. There was a large crowd present and possibility of the cistern silo provir. This is the time when the they enjoyed a musical program, an ing to be a failure. It is the acy cattle are sent into Chicago for excellent supper and a social time.

can come near topping that This morning Mrs. A. C. Domon tructable, will not burn up, rot, dry went to North Loup to spend a few out or blow down. The only argument The cattle Harryshipped were only hours with her brother who is going against it is that it will not be so irlings past and weighed some of back to his home in Scotts Bluffs handy to get the feed out of it. But a upwards of 1400 pounds. They and North Loup.

people for a couple of weeks. She We shall be much interested to know Mr. Balley did not expect a fancy will be a guest of her sister-in-law how Mr. Smith comes out in his silo.

> The visiting gentleman is a brother of Oscar Nay.

days visit with her sister Mrs. James he thought much of the claim made does. Milford. She had been in Omaha for for the silo to be moonshine and put athree weeks taking medical treat- out for the purpose of selling the ment and came on up to Ord staying silos, but he declares that the silo here until Sunday when she went to men never overstated the facts to Comstock to stay a few days with him. Ensilage will do all that anyturned to her home in Wyoming.

The Methodists Sunday school demas doings of that church Saturday ensilage, and doubtless most farmers have made mistakes in this part of light wrist cuting off one of the farm cided last Sunday to hold the Christright wrist cuting off one of the large Monday it was necessary to select the program. Like everything else ing where she assisted the people at arteries and several of the cords, shot some other time than Christmas eve about the farm the farmer must that place in having a good time at arteries and several of the cords, shot struck him in the muscles of the shoulder and one in his neck.

Dr. Lee was at once called and was on the scene as soon as possible.

The farm The boy was able to come to town exercises are over, but Christmas

> daughters Mrs. Dr. Smith and Mabel windmills now are. McMullen came down from Burwell in their auto. They were accompanied by James Milford who had never visited in Nebraska before.

The premium lists for the Loup fine birds from all parts of this secmate building as yet less doubtful tion of Nebraska. The show begins than the endowment of a possible one week from today and will conpresident.-Grand Island Indepentinue three days. You will not want to miss this first exhibition. For a and Mrs. William Draver two of the starter we think the poultry folks ploneers of Garfield county, and the have a pretty good stunt and every- event was fittingly celebrated by the Q. H. Hagemier left the fore part one will wish them success. It will people of Burwell and vicinity, as of the week for Illinois to present be held at the Opera house, which well as by a number of friends as far before some manufacturing concerns will be a good place no matter what away as Ord. An appropriate pro-

yet it looks to us as though the pa-kins on the street with a small cloth ciation to the good old folks and tent secured on the bearing is the sack of something and inquiry elicitslickest thing of the kind we ever ed the information that the sack saw. A sample is on exhibition at contained sycamore button balls sent Clark's harness shop.-North Loup by Mr. J. S. Bussell to be planted in Bussell Park. Mr. Bussell is in Oklahoma and though he is on a pleasure as fast as it can be used so the con-The nurse Barbara Guggomus came trip he does not forget the park tractor has given up the job till and the hope is that some day these We see from the report of patents stately trees will tower high above everything there.

H. H. Parks has bought 172 acres to that section of country March 1st. | Mrs. Kelley, Bert Stowell's grand. The U. P. depot has put on quite Already the work of hauling the mother came up from Grand Island Day and the men returned Sunday to Grand Island Monday after a few Walter Cover has returned from to Niobrara to buy land we cannot morning. What got this idea of going days stay in Ord with their mother. Scotts Bluffs county where he was tell but, we presume the proposition Ravenna until Saturda looking after business matters for a looks good to Mr. Parks, Anyway we when she returned home. are hoping that things prove all Mrs John Conner was a Monday right. The Parkses are mighty fine Mrs. Herschel Moorman and Mrs. they go.

WILL BUILD

CISTERN SILO

One of Our Farmers Will Make Important Improvement in Silo Construction

wing night letter from H.

Elis the story briefly of this shipment of fine young the Chicago market Wed
Ouiz.

Ok Yards, Ill., Dec 13.

lead at \$8.75, and balance A verage price of the two weeks.

Mrs. L. H. Courier returned to her dust Smith is one of our farmers who are going to have silos next year and he is going to put his down instead of up, as has frequently been suggested by the Quiz as the right way to build a silo. He is at work on the plt now. In fact he is turning an unused cistern into the silo by extending it down deeper into the ground. This form of a sile is not an Thursda His little sister Mildred accompany him and stayed until Tuesday ing when she returned home alor. I word of the wooden silo men to judge from. Of cheaper form of silo and besides is more perfectly air tight, is indesfar out weight this one objection. Mrs. Eric Erickson of Ericson came | And the taking of the ensilage out

Tuesday by the auto route to their home at Platte Center. They expected to stop at Belgrade for a short visit. Mrs. Pearl Nay accompanied them on the homeward trip.

The visiting gentleman is a best harmony of Guy Clement as to the merits of ensilage. He is stock. His daughter Minnie came hollered at me, "You old fool get up stock. His daughter Minnie came hollered at me, "You old fool get up stock. His daughter Minnie came hollered at me, "You old fool get up stock. His daughter Minnie came hollered at me, "You old fool get up and come to your breakfast". That time and confirms all that has been said by others experienced in the use of the silo as to the feeding quality of ensilage. He says that his cattled the works under.

The visiting gentleman is a best hollered at me, "You old fool get up hollered at me, "You old fool get up and come to your breakfast". That work me up, but you know I wished that I could have slept a little long-pany that Mr. Hager works under.

The visiting gentleman is a best of the slock food company that Mr. Hager works under. And speaking of silos, we want to will fight for it just as they would for Mrs. Everet Lewin of Powder, than alfalfa hay. And a little of it seathold, but he has to crowd over Wyo., arrived last Friday for a few goes amazingly far. He admits that on the Sershen fight of way if he

Of course there are one right and many wrong ways of putting up the that any farmer can very readily learn. We believe that before long the silo will be as much of a neces-Last Thursday Wn McMullen and sity on a farm as corn cribs and

HARD TO CONVINCE

well known in Ord;

"Three hundred McNamara defense auto route but Mabel remained to meet two cousins, Louis and Ruth McMullen, who were coming on the evening train from Oil City, Penn. The visiting relatives are children of a brother of Wm. McMullen and have a brother of the spin of the two brothers.

fense of the two brothers.
When the first reports of the confession of the two men were received tons went up in smoke."

Last week Tuesday was the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. gram was had and a great feed provided. There was a large company of people there to show their apprewish them further happiness.

C, E. Goodhand and Andy Purcell | On the inside page of this paper returned from Sidney the first of the | will be found my ad as usual quotweek. It is impossible to get stone the stone men will have enough beauty. ahead to keep a pushing contractor

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stara left this morning for Loup City where after a few days stay with Chas. Masin and family they will go to Broken Bow by the auto route. Chas. will accom-

Mrs. Joe O'Bryan was visiting in Ravenna until Saturday evening

Bessle Frick spent Sunday in Bur- TRIES TO SNEAK

Nels Hausen was in Burwell Mon Wm. McLain was home for a few days this week.

Otto Murschel went to Grand Island this morning. Mrs. Owen Conway returned to her home at Burwell Friday.

Richard Bennett of Lincoln spent Sunday in Ord as the guest of Craw- you that on Sunday morning, Dec.

Monday and will be the guest of Mrs. told him that for his crooked, crip-O. A. Hager for a few days. pled way, the way he published Cep-C. A. Hager for a few days.

wooden silo men to judge from. Of forward to a visit from their daugh-The Ben Hur lodge had a big do- course they are against the cistern ter Mrs. Emma Merrett of Valua-

Eva Hathaway of Burwell was in Ord a few hours Tuesday. She was returning to her home at Burwell from Grand Island,

H. D. Layman returned to Grand Island yesterday morning. He had been staying at the Geo. Dennis home for a short time.

Friday Mrs. W. T. Winters came up from Aurora and visited until Monday with Mrs. H. Shinn. She was accompanied by little Balph

of ensilage. He says that his cattle men to sit on the projection under the White and Harris saloon if they ping into heaven with Haskell. ground feed, and will eat it rather sit tight. A seventh sometimes gets

ensilage, and doubtless most farmers of the Ben Hunglodge arrived Mon-have made mistakes in this part of day, going on to Burwell in the eventhe Ord chapter in the evening

As soon as he can close up some small business affairs Frank Stara will go to Oklahoma accompanied by will be a very protracted and doubt-

GARFIELD COUNTY BOY HURT night in the Burlington yards at the right thing to the crop. Council Bluffs. The car was attached to a train that had come in from the train was being switched.

Figure My **Profits**

On the basis of buying for cash. ing very attractive prices.

Examine these goods, understand their QUALITY and their

Then purchase where you can do best.

CONSIDERING QUALITY **FIRST** PRICE AND BEAUTY

Then the reliability and stability of the firm from which you pur-

Call and see my fine line of jewelry before it has been picked over.

ARKINS
THE BUSY JEWELER ARKIN At the sign of the big clock on the window

INTO HEAVEN

John Seplecha Dreams of Accompanying Quiz Editor to Golden Gate

Geranium, Nebr. Dec. 10, 1911

The Ord Quiz Dear Sir:—Permit me to inform Sunday in Ord as the guest of Craw-you that on Sunday morning, ford Mortensen. Sunday in Ord Mor Mrs. Moorhouse came up from York "The Ord Journal". Then St. Peter Mr. and Mrs. Vanscoy are looking lecha's letter, or communication, as he calls it, he may, or shall go to While we had some very severe the blind pig house. Blind pig is days in November no one can comused in the prohibitory localities to plain about the kind of weather fool the law, same as he is fooling December is giving us, his readers with wrong significations. ing permission and St. Peter told him have been visiting in Ord and Burthat Ceplecha had sent Ord Quiz we'll for the last four weeks. similar letters, or communications,

nifications he could go first to purga-weeks with his little daughter tory, as the Romans call it for saw. Thelma. ing wood and eating hay. Then I Tom Zulkoske sold a ten acre tract saw Quiz back again after he took a of unimproved land just outside of

I would have been successful in slip-

Respectfully,

John Ceplecha.

THREE MONTHS IN A HOLE A queer and unusual incident oc-A youthful couple from Greeley cured in this county this fall worthy stock and other things that he wishcounty were married at the county of notice. About the first of Septem - ed to sell at auction to Ord last Judge's office last Friday. They were ber Irvin Barrick west of the river week, and Saturday they were sold. W. G. Welton, aged 50 years, and lost a fine 100 pound porker and after Clark Lamberton having charge of Mary F. Harpole, aged 53. The diligent search the shoat was given the sale. Mrs. Lutz came down also ludge concluded that they had not up for lost. A few days ago, parties and visited with Mrs. Lamberton. hole in which it had fallen. -Loup

City Northwestern. his wife, where they will visit at the having the best wheat between here acquaintance of the young gentle-George Eret home for a few days and and Elyria by the fact that he har- man. The following item taken from last from there they will go to New rowed the grain several times during Friday's State Journal is interesting Mexico to visit Vincent Masin and the dry spell last summer. It is a go on to the Pacific coast. The trip summer there was less rain than in all that Mr. Knudsen had wheat that went 17 bushels per acre, while some of his neighbors got much less. John Wineteer, who lives on a He says that every time the ground farm near Burwell, Neb., is in Mercy got a little baked he harrowed the hospital at Council Bluffs suffering wheat. Though it made the crop from a fracture of the spine that may look sick for a while, in the end the cause his death. He was found in a grain looked much better and the car of lumber at a late hour Sunday yield showed that the harrow did

It has been about two years now the postoffice by January 1, 1912. since he was taken sick. Before that time he was one of the ruggedest of the rugged.

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at the school house. Everybody is thirty heifers from all parts of the welcome. Eitherbring a well filled United States and Canada she won Don't forget the time and place - an English judge brought to Chicago

MIDVALE REVIVAL Special revival efforts will be put forth at Midvale United Brethren vited to attend these services. S. Harvey, Pastor

Monday. For the last two months Johnny, is also sick with the same aid from his brother-in-law who is a bert family went to South Dakota a Georgian and son Guy were guests at physician.

dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Williams were Monday morning passengers Omaha.

O. W. Wilburn, Albert Mc Mindes and Cleg Hughes were in Grand Island Monday.

Mrs S. S. Brown went to Burwell Friday to look after the interest of the Ben Hur lodge. The next meeting of the Lilies of the G. A. R. will be at the bome of

Comrade Adam Smith Friday after-

convenienced.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Whitesell left Then very soon I saw Ord Quiz ask- for their home this morning. They

The quarantine was raised last Fri such as he had sent Ord Journal, The quarantine was raised last Fribut as Quiz did not like such truth day morning from the rooms where and was afraid to publish wrong sig. Chas. Partridge has been for several years.

clean bath in purgatory and as I saw Elyria to Alex Swanski, last week for his old friends have clung to him Heyde.

Fred Albers returned from Omaha heaven I was going to slip in with last evening where he had been with him, but at that time my old "frau"

Elyria to Alex Swanski, last week for him onter into the open gate of \$1975. That doesn't look like land still.

The Method Still is the still in the still

Tuesday. They were on their way to and William Cronk and Jennie Cum-Pennsylvania where they are going mins of Valley county. to spend Christmas with relatives. O. P. Lutz of Burwell brought his

and while very thin and emaciated, who was returning from Illinois and on motion laid over to next was taken out and returned to Mr. where he had been visiting for a few meeting. Barrick otherwise none the worse days. He will visit his mother Mrs.

ton in Grand Island. Jess was in Ord at the time but yesterday morning he in company with Mrs. Clark Nels Knudsen accounts for his Lamberton went down to make the to run as per former contract.

> little daughter of Dr. Allen. Mis. with her sick sister and says she will to-wit. they live in Chicago.

The work of putting in the new front in the postoffice section of the Milford store was commenced yester- A. L. Bradt. Pacific Junction. Switchm en heard Quiz office. Harry looks at things being done now is fragmentary, the R. W. Stafford..... the man's agonized groans and calls cheerfully, but the fact remains that the man's agonized groans and calls for help. They found him crushed against the end of the car by the dectors do not know what alls him.

R. W. Stafford.

Chief part of the veneer of brick being left till it is sure that the job can be completed. The manufacture of the situation is that, he says, the dectors do not know what alls him. load of lumber that had sifted while doctors do not know what alls him. turers of the new outfit of boxes de- Cornell Bros........ Personally he thinks it is a case of clare that the boxes will be here be- Dierks Lumber Co..... cancer of the bowels. But still he is fore the first of the year. It is hoped hoping that it is not so bad as that. that the new place will be ready for I O. O. F.

> tion sale of shorthorn cattle at Chi- Ord Electric Co...... CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT AT cago last week at the internation al show a Nebraska alfalfa fed helfer S. J. W. Brown..... School District No. 57 announces topped the sale. She was a yearling Christmas entertainment and a box and sold for \$860. She was bred and social on Friday night, December 22 owned at St. Edward. In a ring of basket, or a well filled pocket book. first prize. It was awarded to her by Dec. 22, 8 P. M. at the school house. to pass on the cattle. The 40 head sold averaged \$312. In the case of the prize heifer Nebraska alfalfa did

man and his burial on Thanksgiving niece of Mrs. Smith. day. Herman was the main stay of the family being the oldest boy at 2 Dr. and Mrs. Shepard left Ord for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell of home and was about 18 years old. a few days Tuesday, the doctor going Elyria returned to their home last The letter says that the younger son, they have been in St. Louis where disease. This is sad news indeed. Mr. Powell has been getting medical It will be remembered that the Hurlfew years ago, selling out here entire-Mike Hansen and W. Jacobs re- ly and staking all on success in the til Saturday morning. turned to Scotla Saturday. The newer country. Since then they Hurlbert's letter is that they have Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Long returned not succeeded as well as they had home. to Kansas Monday. They have been hoped. Anyway they are planning to leave.

A PIONEER IS SUMMONED

W. H. Cronk Passes Away at the Home of His Son in Noble

Township

Sunday at the home of his son William of Noble township William H. Cronk passed to his reward, aged 80 years, 7 months and 17 days.

several days.

Both banks will close on Christmas and New Years days. Bear this in mind so that you may not be inconvenienced.

At the age of 24 he was married to Catherine Mink of Rome, N. Y., and soon after moy ded with his wife to Wisconsin, where he convenienced. lived for 15 years.

In 1873 he moved to Valley county, settling in Springdale, where his home was till about 18 months ago

when he moved to Omaha. On account of falling health he was brought back to Valley county and went to the home of his son

where he died last Sunday. His life in our midst won for him the respect of the community of which he has been a part for so many

He was a man past middle age when he came here, and of course has for some time been too feeble and old to take an active part in affairs. But

The funeral was held from the Methodist church this afternoon, Rev. A. L. Umpleby officiating. Since young manhood he has been a

member of the Methodist church. He leaves six children: Ella Revepany that Mr. Hager works under.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maitland of Stewart of Kansas City, Jay Cronk of Burwell were in Ord for a short time Emmett, Idaho, Adolphus of Burwell

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Ord Dec. 7th 1911. Council met in regular session mayor Carson presiding. Roll call shows all members present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved as read. Communication from Loup Valley Agricultural Association read and placed run away from their carents and so along the river came upon the pig, May Knott who teaches at Woods on file. Treasurers report read and married them for the usual stipend, which was down in a hole from Park was home over Sunday to meet placed on file. A resolution in regard Mrs. Mary Latky, state manager which it had been unable to get out, her brother Ray Knott of Colorado to alley through block 13 was read

Comes now Geo. Pratt and Jos. from its experience. The evidence J. A. Ollis Jr. and other relatives for Cernik and states to council that

> was granted. On motion of Stevens the street lights were ordered turned on, said

Comes now Geo. Knecht and asks the council to lower the water rent Agnes Beran left Tuesday morning | charged against his property; after for Clarkson taking with her the some discussion the mayor informed Mr. Knecht that the rent charged Allen is in Chicago taking treatment was correct and would have to be any other part of the county, but for and as the doctor expected to visit paid. The bond of S. J. W. Brown with his wife the latter part of this pertaining to plumbers license was week, he decided to take the child read and approved by council. Fiwith him. Mary Beran is staying nance committee report on claims

> take care of the little niece while We your finance recommend the payment of the following claims. J. C. Work..... \$ 5.00 S. G. Reeves..... F. G. Hather.... 5.75 65.00 30.00 G. L. VanTuyl.... Col. F. M. Woods writes to the Sershen Bros............ 85.93 State Journal: "At the annual auc- U. S. Supply Co........... 1022,86 Signed, W. L. Stevens, J. P. Hoffman, F. E. Glover.

On motion council adjourned,

A. J. Shriley, Clerk. O. S. Smith returned Monday from Kansas City where he had been for a week with his mother. He had expected to bring the lady back with him but she was not able to be moved so far and probably will not be until spring. On the homeward church beginning on Christmas A letter from Mrs. Al Hurlbert trip Mr. Smith stopped in Grand night. The public is cordially in- tells of the death of their son Her- Island to attend the funeral of a

to Omaha and Mrs. Shepard to Lincoin to visit Mrs. Claffin and other friends.

Mrs. Uri Tolbert and daughter J. M. YanSkikes from Thursday un-

Mrs. A. G. Koehler returned to former had been in Ord to have some have said nothing as to their liking dental work done.

Mrs. A. G. Koehler returned to Grand Island this morning after a the country, but the tone of Mrs. few days stay at the Vincent Kokes

> Don't fail to read every ad it the Quiz this week.

NEBRASKA

ITEEL CORPORATION TO FOLLOW GOVERNMENT'S WISHES.

BUGGESTS FEDERAL COMMISSION

hairman Gary Before Senate Committee on interstate Commerce With Promise of Reform When Asked.

Washington.-Elbert H. Gary, chief recutive of the United States Steel corporation, stated before the senate committee on interstate commerce his bellet that the United States government must assume control of big corporations to protect the public and at the same time insure the advantage of corporation economics and development. Mr. Gary reiterated before the committee, which is seeking a solution of the trust evil, his recommendations for the creation of a federal corporation commission, the licensing of all corporations, the regulation of their agreements and consolidations

and complete publicity of their affairs. He admitted that the steel corporation could undersell any of its 200 competitors who do 52 per cent of the domestic business, because of greater economics of production, but he said it aimed at maintaining fair prices and air competition, instead of "cutthroat nethods" that ultimately drive the maller concerns to bankruptcy.

Thursday in Congress. THE SENATE.

In session at 2 p. m. Lorimer election investigation hear

Corporation ethics discussed at antitrust hearing by E. H. Gary of the United States Steel corporation. Adjourned until Monday.

THE HOUSE. Met at noon. President's message on foreign re

Sugar beet competition discussed before sugar trust commission.

Hearings on Clayton bill to provide fury trials in indirect contempt proceedings begun Persian appeal for aid read in the

house. Permanent tariff board bill postponed indefinitely in committee. Democratic Leader Underwood dorsed for the presidential nomina-

tion by the Alabama representatives. Tobacco census bill vote deferred. Adjourned, 4:55 p. m.

Moros Refuse to Sybmit.

Manila.—Running battles continue between the troops, scouts and contabulary and the Moros in the vicinity of Jolo, the chief town of the archipelago of Sulu. Twenty-five Moros have been killed and additional troops have been sent into the field. Casualties on the American side have been few, no soldiers having been killed. The disarmament order.

Nation-wide investigation.

Los Angeles, Cal.-Preparations are being made for a federal grand jury investigation in Los Angeles of an alleged nation-wide dynamite conspiracy. The town, vexed and torn by the newly concluded murder trial of James B. McNamara and the events leading to it, would be glad to let go of the whole affair, prominent citizens de-

Death of Ex-Gov. Albinus Nance. Chicago, Ill.-Albinus Nance. 63 years old, former governor of Nebrasta, died here Thursday at the Augustana hospital of pneumonia. He is survived by a widow and a daughter, Mrs. Walter L. Anderson, both of Lincoln, Neb., and six brothers.

All Paid for in "Tips." Denver, Colo.-One thousand dimes. 10 cent piece tips, received during period covering two years, were paid Miss Ivy Cole, a waitress in a local cale, for a fur coat.

Chicago.—After eight years' devious travel in the ways of grand juries, and special pleas, the cases of ten Chicago meat packers, indicted for aleged violation of the criminal provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law, have reached trial. Indications were that the early stages of the trial, at least, would be rapid, for the governnent examination of the first panel of jurymen was terse. By agreement each side was entitled to thirty peremptory challenges.

Local Option Gets Setback. Atlanta, Ga.-Local option as a political issue in Georgia received another setback in the gubernatorial primary in this state Thursday in the defeat of Judge R. B. Russell, the local option candidate.

Washington.-The general business of the country, as reflected in banking operations, was "quite satisfactory" during the year ending October 31 last, according to the annual report of Lawrence O. Murray, comptroller of the currency, submitted to congress.

Coffeyville, Kan,-Wesley W. Stout, the newspaper man who was reported shot to death in Monctova, Mexico. after he had wounded two men, is not in Mexico. He is here, acting as edtor for the Coffeyville Journal.

Will Reach Through Six States. Topeka, Kan.-A roadway 1,700 miles long, running through six states and touching two nations, will be completed from Winnipeg, Man., to Galveston, Tex., by next summer, according to John C. Nicholson of New-

WEEK'S EVENTS

LATEST NEWS TOLD IN BRIEFEST AND BEST FORM,

ALL ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD Jutionists.

Review of Events of Greatest Interest To Readers From All Parts of the Globe.

Washington.

The augar trust inquiry has been resumed by special committee. Speaker Clark has refused to act on memorial asking Representative Littleton's expulsion.

The government has won a sweep-Alaska coal land frauds.

The prediction is made that the present session of congress will be the most important since the civil war. Senator Smith has turned back to the treasury \$3,000 pay for senatorial

service while governor of Georgia. Senator Eladio Victoria has been elected provisional president of the republic of San Domingo, in succession to the assassinated president, Ca-

Attorney General Wickersham, who suffered an attack of indigestion while attending a cabinet meeting, is much The deficiency of the federal gov-

ernment continues to rgow. Up to date the disbursements of the current fiscal year have exceeded the receipts by \$20.641.000. Senator Simon Guggenheim of Colo

rado says he will not be a candidate for re-election, and will quit the senate upon the expiration of his term, March 3, 1913. The first regular session of the

Sixty-second congress convened at noon Monday. Practically every member was in his seat, and the galleries as usual were crowded.

In spite of the efforts of five United States senators, President Taft still declines to reconsider the cases of seven cadets recently dismissed from West Point for drinking.

Representative Stephens of the Third Nebraskaldistrict has been assured a place on the Indian committes of the house. There are over 5.100 Indians in his district.

Declaring that conditions in Mexico were far from settled, Representative Burleson of Texas is urging upon the president the necessity of keeping Inited States troops along the border.

An ugly squall in the Bavarian parliament has already resulted in the dissolution of the dlet and may have serious results. The dominant party may lose at the coming election for a new diet.

The Sixty-second congress opened at noon Monday with everything in readiness and a mass of work ahead. The session promises to be one of the most strenuous in the history of the Congressional Delegate Kalanianole

is opposing the appointment of W. F. Freer, the Hawajian territorial governor, and urging the appointment of L. Tenney Peck, a banker and capitalist, for the office.

General News.

Congress is expected to take action soon on the control of the 'Panama canal.

Fire in Long Brothers' wholesale grocery house at Kansas City caused a loss of \$250,000.

The porte has appealed to the powers in favor of respecting the inde-

pendence of Persia. After a sleep which began November 21. Mrs. L. J. Parmenter of Des Moines has just awakened.

New gold fields have been found thirty-five miles south of Lander, cation between Pekin and the sea. Wyo, and a rush is on to that locality. Two employes were killed and forty

testing department of the Russian mint. It is reported that large quantities shipped to Yucatan from some point

in Mississippi, and the government is investigating. The Olympian coast train on the Milwaukee road jumped the track at which the emperor-king was to be re-Java, S. D., and three coaches rolled ceived by the Indian princes on his

seriously injured. Ortic McManigal, of Los Angeles memory, will be taken to Milwaukee to stand trial for an alleged dynamiting, should he get clear in California. Fire broke out in the state penitentiary at Huntsville, Texas, and a number of fatalities and considerable loss occurred before it was gotten under there were no extenuating circum-

imperialists captured Han Yang after prolonged and desperate fighting. The Los Angeles Times and sent twentyrebels suffered severely and fled in confusion.

Labor leaders of the country are demanding that punishment to fit their crime be meted out to the McNa-

T. E. Breezer is under arrest at Seattle, charged with extorting money from E. W. Andrews by blackhand methods.

Fire in the stables of the United States Express company at Jersey City destroyed 400 horses and caused a property loss of \$1,000,000. To further the Champ Clark boom

for president, enthusiastic friends of the Missourian have opened headquarters at Louisiana. his home town. George Davidson, for thirty years head of the United States coast and the guilt of the McNamaras was long geological survey on the Pacific coast and member of the principal geolog-

ical societies of the world, is dead, aged 86 years. Heinrich Grosse, a captain in the German merchant marine, was ar Oil company. With him there also rested on a charge of being a spy and retired most of the conspicuous figures miles of the affected region of Nearraigned at Portsmouth, England.

Wharton Barker, a Philadelphia banker, alleges that President Roosevelt had been given the details of the impending panid of 1907 several no action to prevent it. session at Chicago.

What is believed to be a vein of coal five feet thick has been discovered on a farm near Guide Rock, this state.

The Union National bank of Columb bus, Ohio, has suspended and is in the hands of the compiroller of the

Chinese rebels are holding Nanking with conditions nearly normal and government soldiers joined the revo-

President Miles of Grinnell college announces a gift to that institution by the Rockefeller fund of \$100,000, un-

der conditions." ler conditions.
Friends of Governor Harmon resent the imputation by hostile publications that Mayor-elect Hunt of Cincinnati is opposed to him.

A bomb was thrown in a mosque at

Istib. in the vilayet of Kossoyo, European Turkey, killing twelve persons and wounding twenty. The Japanese government is going

to adopt the American method of loging victory in its campaign against ging in connection with the saw mill industry of that country. The Persian national council has

telegraphed an appeal for aid to the American congress and to the sister parliaments of the world. Mgr. Kennedy, the rector, and the students of the American college af

Rome, gave a musicale in honor of Cardinals Farley and Q'Connell, George Alexander, good government candidate, was re-elected mayor of os Angeles by an overwhelming majority over Job Harriman socialist. Many would be settlers are flocking

to the Ft. Assiniboine reservation in Montana in order to acquire "squatter" rights when it is opened for en An edict announcing the resignation

of the regent, Prince Shuen, has been issued by the empress dowager of more than four hours each day. It is China, It is signed by members of a sudden change of food, it is sweet the cabinet. Estimates of the treasury depart-

ment for running the government during the next fiscal year, just submitted and more than that would not only be o congress, contemplate a saving of useless, but harmful and dangerous. \$21,283,921.42. Jacob May was found in a starv

ing condition by authorities at Marinette, Wis., but a search of his person revealed nearly \$20,000 in cash and securities. Three persons were injured, one

probably fatally, when the People's Oil company's plant at St. Joseph Mo. was destroyed following an expiosion of gasoline. Castello Blanco, formerly minister

to China while the Portuguese mon archy was still in existence, has been arrested at Lisbon on a charge of con spiracy against the republic. Detective Burns charges that

monthly fund of \$1,000 was paid to the McNamaras by the iron workers' ex ecutive council and that it was used by them in their dynamite operations The Persian students resident in Switzerland have cabled an appeal to President Taft, asking him, in the name of humanity and liberty, to pro

ect Persia against foreign aggression Under the direction of W. E. Mont gomery, assistant attorney general of Kansas, four carloads of beer were destroyed at Pittsburg. The liquor represented the confiscations from illegal selling places during the last

three months. The Chinese rebels in the vicinity of Hankow are regaining confidence according to consular reports and leaders of the revolution are not will ing to consider any terms from the number of revenue passengers carried for a republic.

Alloting Agent Bates wants the land in the Pine Ridge reservation taken up by Indians until their claims are satisfied before the selection of state indemnity lands is made, as he is afraid there is not enough to go around.

The United States is keeping in readiness at Manila an expeditionary force of 500 to 2,500 soldiers for imm mediate dispatch to China for the purpose of protecting foreigners and to keep open the railway communi-

The trial of the McNamara brothers at Los Angeles was brought to ar injured by a gas explosion in the gold abrupt close Friday when James B McNamara pleaded guilty to having placed a dynamite bomb under the Los Angeles Times building in Oc of rifles and ammunition have been tober, 1910, causing the death of

twenty one persons. The magnificent pavilion in the Durbar camp, with its massive silver sup ports and brilliant decorations in down an embankment, but no one was arrival at Delhi, India, has been burned down supposedly by Hindoos. Isaac Cooke of Salem, Ia., who cele brated his hundredth birthday a short time ago, is recovering from the effects of an injury to his foot received

while sawing wood. Denouncing J. B. McNamara as a murderer at heart and declaring that stances at all in his case, Judge Dispatches from Hankow say the Walter Bordwell sentenced the man who confessed that he blew up the one souls into eternity, to life impris-

onment in San Quentin prison. The independence of Mongolia has been proclaimed at Urgia, the chief town of the northern districts. The Chinese officials have been dismissed. luncheon and trips to manufacturing establishments by the governors of western states preceded the annual at Rochester.

A petition for the impeachment and expulsion from the house of Repre-Clark by Secretary Henry B. Martin of the anti-trust league. District Attorney Fredericks says

ago known to the defense and that a confession was suggested early in July. Jhn D. Rockefeller has terminated

his career as head of the Standard of the early days of the "oil trust."

Blography of Nebraskans. Clerk Harry C. Lindsay of the su reme court of Nebraska has been requested to furnish additional information for biographical sketches of Nebraskans whose names are in the biographical congressional record, a publication printed in the year 1993. The took covers the period from 1874 to 1903. Mr. Lindsay has been requested to bring up to date the blographical sketches of the following Nebraskans: John M. Thayer, Lorenzo Crounse, Thomas J. Majors, E. K. Valentine, Charles F. Manderson, George W. E. Dotsey, John A. McShane, G. L. Laws, W. J. Bryan, E. J. Burkett, John S. Robinson, William Neville and A. C. Shallenberger. General John M. Thayer died March 19. 1906, three years after the blographical record was published, and all but five of those in the list mentioned are

Dr. Bostrom Offers Some Advice. Dr. A. Bostrom, state veterinarian, offers advice to farmers and cattle feeders which he believes will save

loss from cornstalk disease if followed. He says: "Cornstalk disease in cattle is quite common just now over a great portion of the state, and is (atal in almost every case. When cattle are first turned into the stalks in the early fall

they should not be allowed to remain they like it so well, and they are liable to eat too much. In four hours they have eaten all they can take care of,

State Claims Hay Land. In sustaining the contention of the plaintiff in the case of State of Nebraska against Woodruff Ball and John H, Bachelor, the supreme court has refused to permit settlers to encroach on the school lands of the state because of uncertainty as to the locaition of corners. While this case involved only about 120 acres of hay iland on a school section, there are many other school sections in the state where settlers and ranchmen are claiming title to valuable land rightfully belonging to the state. Attorney General Martin is reliably informed that title to about 8,000 acres of hay land, now claimed by ranchmen, is established in the State of Nebrasks under this decision.

Railway Fatalities for a Year. A summary of persons injured and killed by railroads in Nebraska for the year ending June 30, 1911, compiled by the state railway commission shows that thirty-three railway employes, five passengers, one posta' clerk and forty-two others, a total of eighty-one persons, were killed. There were injured 720 railway employes 129 passengers, 31 postal clerks and other employes, and 146 other per sons, a total of 1,024 persons, injured The average total number of railway employes was 29,973 and the total

State Oil Inspector Reports.

State Oil Inspector Husenetter has reported the collection of \$4,659.95 gross fees for the month of October and \$95.90 uncollected. He turned over to the state treasurer \$3,315.71 after paying expenses as follows: Salary and expenses state inspector, \$191.60; salary and expenses six deputies, \$764.26; mileage books and mile

age, \$262.10; office expense, \$126.28. Considerable money is now coming into the state treasury and Treasurer George believes that the receipts from taxes this month may make it possible to cash state warrants before the first of the year, or soon thereafter. The candidacy of R. L. Metcalfe for the democratic nomination for governor of Nebraska has taken form in the past month and petitions are being circulated throughout the state. The attorney general holds that

state banks must pay guaranty assessment on postal savings deposits. R I. Elliott has accepted the position of deputy state superintendent. A restraining order has been granted against the city of Beatrice and its officers by Judge Munger of the federal court to prevent the enforcement

of an ordinance lowering the rate on gas charged by the Gage County Light and Power company, The case of the State vs. Theodore Stanisics, dismissed the other day in the supreme court upon the suggestion of the attorney general that the defendant had died pending the appeal, will not be revived. An order to

that effect has been entered. The wards of the state were not forgotten on Thanksgiving day, and special menus were prepared for the dinner hour at the state penitentiary Sight-seeing tours, an informal and the asylum, For two hours preceding the dinner hour at the penitentiary the prisoners were given the liberty of the yard. A chicken dinner dinner of the chamber of commerce followed at noon, with other extra dishes, and cigars. At the asylum a Thanksgiving service preceded the dinner, at which Dr. F. A. Stuff dissentative Martin W. Littleton of New cussed Thanksgiving, its origin and York has been presented to Speaker meaning. The patients at the ortho: pedic hospital were also treated to a Thanksgiving day feast.

A Scourge of Hog Cholera. The worst scourge of hog cholera in years is rampant in several of the western states and in the southern part of this state, according to word which has reached the state farm authorities. Farmers within many braska are said to be rapidly dispos-President Taft and Secretary of Ing of their hogs before the disease Agriculture Wilson were assailed as reaches their farms. The dry weather enemies of prohibition by Clarence of the past summer is believed by Dr.
True Wilson, president of the na. Gain of the state farm to be responimpending panic of 1807 several True Wison, president of the un sible in no small measure for the months before it happened, but took tional prohibition party conference in sible in no small measure for the agreed of the bog disease,

can spend it for yourself, or you can spend it for others. You can make gifts to those who can make adequate return, or you can make gifts to those who can make no return. We do not need to say which is the more Christlike. If you prefer the more Christlike, 11 you prefer the more shifted in prison, and ye visited me" will be a good record for every one to make

the next Ohristmas. The Society aims at, first, the preers, fifth, to aid them when they comout by finding them a temporary home where they can have good exvironment and by getting them permanent employment under good in-

The New School at Curtis. al school at Curtis, their bid of \$57, 150 being the lowest of eight opened by the State Board of Public Lands and Buildings. The highest bid was \$66,950. The heating and plumbing bid was let to L. W. Pomerene of Lincoin for \$6,485 and the electric wiring to the Standard Electric company of Lincoln for \$735. The total is brought up to \$64,370 for the main building, for which an appropriation of \$75,000 was made by the last ses-

sion of the state legislature. Settles School District Case, Cherry County.-The case over which trouble has been brewing since 1906, and into which Judge Hamer's name was drawn in the last campaign, was passed upon by District Judge W. H. Westover in the November term of district court for Cherry county. The trouble arose over the Liability of joint school district No. 2 of Hooker county and district No. 51 of Cherry county for indebtedness incurred while these two districts were

Nebraskan Dies in lowa. Holt County.-H. R. Henry, a former member of the Nebraska state legislature, passed away at his home, Mt. Vernon, Ia., aged 63 years. The immediate cause of his demise was pneumonia. Mr. Henry was a resident of Mt. Vernon about two years ago. He formerly resided in Holt county and held the office of county treasurer for two terms. In the nineties he served two terms in the state and four daughters.

Woman Loses Her Arm. Jefferson County. - Mrs. August Shoenrock, a prominent resident west of Fairbury, sustained a serious injury. She attempted to take a loadcidentally discharged. Her arm had and firearms. to be amputated.

Farm Mortgages in Otoe. Otoe County,-According to the re-\$10,842.59 and seven released valued at \$7,452.35.

Newspaper Sued for Damages. Adams County. - Suit for \$10,000 damages for the publication of an alleged libelous statement was brought in the district court by County Supercorrespondent, William H. Haugh.

Fine Thanksgiving Gift. Dawson County.-As a Thanksgiv ing gift to the city of Kearney H. D. Watson, founder of Watson's ranch, executed a contract with Mayor John W. Patterson placing in his hands for disposal all of the land held by himself and associates adjacent to the city, in all over 3,000 acres.

A Recount in Custer. Custer County.-The official recount on the office of sheriff that was office for action. She used to receive called by John Craig, defeated can. didate on the republican ticket, has help, for charities, for assistance, in been completed, giving Craig a gain aid of almost every cause that could

remains sheriff.

Fees Are Not High. Lancaster County. - Despite the declaration of Governor Aldrich that fees charged state university students appear to be excessive, figures collected by the university authorities show that the University of Nebraska requires lighter payments than do most other institutions of similar charac-

Rescued From Gas Explosion. Poughkeepsle (N. Y.) dispatch:-Ruth Ashby of Fremont, Neb., Berma Skinner of Iowa Falls, and Grace Donaldson of Wilmette, Ill., were dragged unconscious from the Gleneden seminary near here following an explosion of gas in the ceiling between the chapel and one of the dormitories, There were between sixty and seventy girls on the dormitory floor when the explosion took place, but all got out safely except the three western girls, who, though overcome by gas, quickly recovered,

Found His Chickens. Adams County.-Lawrence Motley of Edgar, a breeder of fancy poultry, was in Hastings looking for a bunch of his blooded fowls which disappear ed from his hennery. About 100 chickens were missed and Mr. Motley came to Hastings to make the rounds of the poultry houses to see if the stolen birds had been sold there. He has a secret way of identifying his birds and upon entering the pens of one of the local houses immediately identified a large majority of the missing chickens. dust."

FACTS ABOUT SUICIDE

LEADS IN NUMBER AND IRELAND IS LAST.

Self-Murder Far More Prevalent Among Men Than Among Women -Former Seem to Prefer Hanging and Latter Drowning.

Modern conditions in all countries are such that the subject of suicide must occasionally come under discussion in every community of any size. Not that suicide is of modern origin, tention of crime, second the reform for history shows that it occurred in of prison laws third, the reform of very ancient times, but those who prisons, fourth, the reform of prison have made a study of the subject maintain, any probably with reason, that the highly organized conditions of modern society and the social abnor malities and herve disturbances incident thereto, promote and strengthen the suicidal tendency. This may be mere theory, but statistics do show that it is more prevalent in some Douglas County.—Gould & Son of countries than in others. Statistics Omaha were awarded the contract covering a term of years show that for the erection of the new agriculture during the entire period of observaduring the entire period of observation Ireland had the fewest annual number of sulcides, seventeen to the million of inhabitants, and Saxony, the largest number, 392 to the million. Denmark showed 251 per annual to the million inhabitants; Switzerland, 239, France 180, Beligium 100, England and Wales 75. The Swiss people are commonly supposed to be happy and comparatively free from care, and it seems strange that the average suicide rate should be several hundred per cent. greater in Switzerland than in Ire-On another point statistics are more

conclusive, for they show that in all countries the proportion of suicides is three or four men to one woman, and that this proportion continues from year to year. The fair inference would seem to be either that men are more subject to the suicidal tendency than women or else that they yield to it more readily. Either supposition opens a field for biological and metaphysical speculation. Anther curious fact disclosed by the statistics is that suicide is much more common among Protestant than amongst Roman Catholic communities, while Jews have a smaller suicide rate than Roman Catholics. it is also demonstrated that self-murder, as suicide is styled by Christian ethics and law, is more common among the educated than the illiterate classes, and more prevalent in city than in rural districts. These facts might be accunted for on the theory, that educated people are more sensitive to misfortune than the illiterate, and the nervous strain of city life greater than legislature. He is survived by a wife is higher in certain occupations and professions than in others. It is high

among soldiers and doctors. As to the modes of suicide they are found to vary but alightly in different countries. Hanging is the most common among males; then drowning, firearms, knife cuts and poison, in the ed shotgun out of a wagon and in order named. With women a different lifting it over the side with the muz order prevails, viz., first drowning, gle toward her, the weapon was ac- then polson, hanging and knife cuts

Too Deep for Men. The fact is that women are uncomfortable if they are not fashionport of the county recorder during ably dressed, relates Katherine F. the month of November there were Gerould in Atlantic. No man undereleven farm mortgages filed valued at stands the subtle and complex sig-\$34,300 and fourteen released whose nificance of the phrase "nothing to value was \$32,400. On town and vil- | wear"-witness the distressed but lage property fourteen gled valued at utterly puzzled expression that overspreads a man's face at the words. He knows that his wife or his sister looks charming in "the blue one," or "the lace one," or "the one with the jet." She has looked charming in it often enough for him at last to identify it-and that, unless he is an exception to his sex, is very often. He intendent L. R. Willis against the is cheerfully getting into his evening Omaha Daily News and its resident | coat for the fiftieth time. No wonder he does not realize that some frock which, the first time it was worn, made for triumph, should, the tenth time, make for humiliation. But the most strong-minded womanthe woman who will, if necessary go to the opera on a gala night in a coat and skirt-at heart exonerates the woman who so foolishly, for the reason mentioned, stops at home.

They Were "Ulya" and "Mrs. G." Mrs. Grant had no secretary to attend to her correspondence, the great bulk of which was referred to the an enormous number of appeals for of 11 votes. Joe Wilson, democrat, be imagined. Being a warm-hearted, sympathetic woman, some of these appeals made a strong impression upon her. I can remember several instances when Mrs. Grant requested her husband to give this person or that a position that was asked for, or to accede to some other request of like nature. She always called the president "Ulys," and excepting upon the most formal occasions, he always addressed her as Mrs. G. Both the president and his wife were plain people, simple in their tastes to an extent that would cause surprise today, when everything has so changed throughout the social fabric of the entire nation.-W. H. Cook in "Memories of the White House.'

Strong Man Story. "You may talk about Gotch being a strong man," said a gentleman from Butte, Mont., who is visiting in the city, "but I met a fellow in Minneapolis who had the prize strong man champion of the world story.

"It came out in a discussion of the

Gotch-Hackenschmidt wrestling bout One man made the assertion that Gotch was about as strong a man as there is in the country or the world. The Norwegian was quiet for a moment, then interposed:

"Ay got bruder in woods, he ban better man than Gotch. "Better than Gotch? How do you make that out?"

"Well, my brudder he drive log team, One day team he balk and my Its brick and stone buildings so taste-



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LOST HIS INDEPENDENCE.

Exposition.



Nagg-I never speak of the Fourth of July as Independence Day, Stagg-Why not?

Nagg-Why, I was married on that

USED HYPODERMICS.

Terrible Suffering Thomas E. Vest, 1505 So. 12th St., Terre Haute, Ind., says: "I had no control over the urine and the pain. when voiding was so great, I often screamed. I grew

worse and lay in bed for weeks, the only relief coming from bypodermics. I was treated by three physicians without help and the last one said an operation was

necessary. I thereupon began using Doan's Kidney Pills and passed a gravel stone as large as a pea. The next day I passed two more and from then on improved rapidly until cured." "When Your Back Is Lame, Remem-

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Notice to inventors-A device for squeezing water out of stocks and the milk supply would fill a long felt want.

berthe Name-DOAN'S." 50c, all stores.

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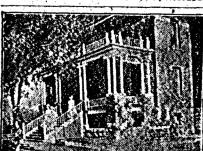
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add if you want to that the coward and the man who places a higher estimate on a dollar than he and his associates will begin

men run their papers on the is error and that Republican is joyment is really in the taste and not artist assistants to aid her in developed in the odor, and the sense of jaste ing new peasant faces and types, and the not only the easier, but also wonder that a second paper of that name should be started in able. the more profitable way. Should that name should be started in Aurora. That town has already the Aurora Republican, and to start the Hamilton County Respectively. ing them just what their saloons are doing to the youth of that vicinity, the evil influences of Burwell would at once get busy. His business would be cut short. Men would run in and stop their paper and give him a cussing to boot. Another paper would be started at once and all the hell-hounds of Burwell would be turned loose to ought to give it our benediction.

Start the Hamilton County Republican is about as much of a surprise to us as that any paper at all should be started in a town of the size of Aurora, wherein there are already three good papers. Still this is a free country, and as Editor Perkins has expressed his good wishes for his new neighbor we surely ought to give it our benediction.

The origin of a black cat that at Ruskin as a Grocer. Ruskin was once a grocer. In 1874 he opened a shop in Paddington street, we entertainment department, when a wedding reception is going on, relates the Notting Hill, in order, as he amounced, "to supply the poor with pure tea in packets as small as they then we was at a reception the other day, and as Editor Perkins has expressed his good wishes for his new neighbor we surely ought to give it our benediction. well would be turned loose to boost the new sheet and destroy, but we do kick on the name. boost the new sheet and destroy, if possible, the Tribune. And what would Curt get from the friends of decency? Would they come to him with added support? Would they get busy and try to boost his business just as the saloon men and thugs are doing for their paper? Would the approach of the community flock to him and plank down an extra dollar or even drop in and try to cheer him up with a pleasangus and try to cheer him up the invited guest. A hortified employe removed him, but the him,

for the cause of righteousness? fight, not because of it.

pect editors to be; when the setting in all along the line.
moral folks get out and act as vigorous for their cause as the saloons do for their evil busination to any office, high or ness, there will be plenty of newspaper men ready to come out to help them. But the prostion. What is the use to assume burdens of this sort that can be pect is not very inviting now. burdens of this sort that can be Did you ever see a boy bob. well avoided.

on in, the water's fine"?

The Quiz took the plunge thirty years ago and is still enjoying the chilly water, the first shock being a compared to the chilly water. shock being over. And we might call to Curt and other newspaper men to "come on in," but what's the use?

omptif obeyed. All subscriptions are relived with the express understanding that e subscription may continue until the subscription may continue until the subscription in the right of his desire terminate the subscription.

On the 19th, which is next Tuesday, the Taft republicans are going to have a meeting in Lincoln, and the management terminate the subscription. What Shall We Say?

The following letter we received this week from a Garfield county friend. We shall let you read it before we make comments:

Burwell, Nebr., Dec. 8, 1911.

Dear Mr. Haskell:—Don't you want to score Curt about not publishing anything against the saloon parfy next year may be, all can parfy next year may be, all can read it before we make comments:

Burwell, Nebr., Dec. 8, 1911.

Dear Mr. Haskell:—Don't you want to score Curt about not publishing anything against the saloon people. The day before Thanksgiving five Polish boys came to town and got liquor somewhere so that they got so drunk that they ran their leam over the hydrant near Dr. Britt's ontee and broke their buggr. If its supposed that they then started to walk nome and a woman comfig to town later found one lying in the road dear the cemetery and she reported that he was dead. She got help and he was brought to town and taken to a doctor where they found he was dead drunk. They then found the other boy in like condition in Comis lumber yard. They were put if jell and their parents were you the judge that they would roast Curt for never publishing these things. No matter how much meanness goes on in Burwell he sees that it never gets into the paper.

The feelings of our friend may well be appreciated. It must be almost exasperating for one interested in public welfare to have no mouthplece at hand wherein the evils of a community may be exposed and opposed. We do not wonder, therefore, that the request comes to us to take up the cudgel. But we hes itate before assuming the burden. The Quiz has more than its hands full at home, Beside, while it may be tolerable for a newspaper man to hold up to the public the real work of the saloons of his own community, many might not excuse him for butting in in a place where he does not belong. We shall, therefore, have to decline roasting our friend Curt. He is running the Tribune, and doubtless he is running it in ne way that seemeth to him good. At any rate he is running it in the easy

A letter from F. J. Sharp adupon a principle, will take the the publication of the "Hamilton County Republication."

Alas, too many newspaper Assuming that the name given

to subscribe for the saloon sheet. advantage of being one of the Do you wonder, then, that so leading democrats of the state.

few newspapers care to stand up It was thought that socialism The newspaper man who es- would win another victory at the says to fight against all forms of election in Los Angeles last public evil will learn some day week, but the result was very that he is standing alone. If he much otherwise. The republisucceeds, as now and then such can candidate for mayor was a newspaper man does succeed, elected by a landslide. The it will be in spite of his manly confession of the McNamaras, who were socialists, is given When the moral people of a credit for contributing to this community are as faithful to result, but that is not all. The their responsibilities as they ex- tide toward republicanism is

If You Delay, Gifts Worth Giving Are Sometimes Hard to Find



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The result of the boy's corn raising contest has been announced. The winner is a Thurston Each Type is Made After the Portrait

yard or more from his counter.

in the dark. They say it is necessary manikins, and this fact did not take to watch the smoke ascend and to see long to spread throughout the Emthe rings curl in order to thoroughly pire and reach the ears of Americans enjoy it, but cigar dealers say the en. Now the artist in Munich has several

Unwelcome wedging Quest.

and if the produce prove a poor thing putterer is to achieve a liberal edu-

Puttering is a tonic relaxation from the mechanical efficiency of our professional selves, a corrective of the extreme specialization that otherwise would result in our becoming all foot or hand or head. The putterer makes laws and breaks laws and breaks the laws he makes. He produces startling variations from type. An inspired fool, he is a true creator.-From the

Same Thing. "And he said he was willing to die for me?"

dently trying to convey."

"What did he say?" "He said he was ready to eat you

CHARACTER DOLL IS LATEST

dealer says that one of his best cus-tomers is a blind man and he can tell a good cigar from a bad one by his sense of smell, even when standing a grard or more from his counter.

little figures of peasant life attracted stone of the attention of the Empress of Ger. Sion for children up to 10 years of ago the attention of the Empress of Ger. Sion for children up to 10 years of ago the many three years ago—at the time and 15 for adults. Come and bring made Christmas presents of them to Christmas treat. E. R. Foss Mgr.

The origin of a black cat that at appeared, apparently feeling very Ruskin complained in "Fors Clavigera" much at home and trying to frater that "the poor only like to buy their nize with the invited guests. A horri- tea where it is brilliantly lighted and

Atlantic.

"Not exactly in those words, but that was the impression he was evi-

cooking any time you said the word. -Houston Post

Most smokers do not like to smoke was delighted with the human-looking her studio to dress according to her

designs.—Harper's Bazar.

'At the Gem Theatre Dec. 25 on Ing our friend Curt. He is runpling the Tribune, and doubtless
he is running it in a way that
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Coroner's Inquest Over Coins. A short time ago 150 gold coins, dating from the period of the Roman occupation of Britain, were found in a surface of the ground three miles from Hexham, England, on the site of the ancient Roman city of Corstop-

A coroner's inquest has been held to determine their ownership. The jury, however, was unable to agree as to whether the coins were treasure trove or not, the contention of the owner of the land being that the coins had been left on an ancient highway and abandoned during a raid by the Caledonians against the Romans. The coroner therefore agreed to keep the coins for a week to see if some arrangement could be made with the treasury as to their disposal_

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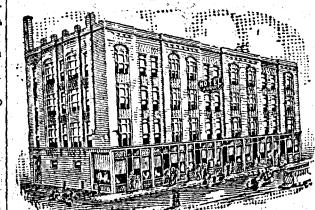
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A Contemptible ‡ Trick.

Showing That There Are More Ways \$ Than One of Interfering With a Woman's Intentions.

By F. A. MITCHEL.

Left an orphan when I was a very little girl, I was brought up by a maiden aunt, a woman of considerable brain and will power. I had hardly been settled in her house before she laid out a course for me to pursue.

"I shall give you a good education," she said, "and an education is a foundation on which a woman may build a career as well as a man. I'm not going to educate you that you may occupy a subordinate position in some man's office; not going to make a stenographer of you to take down some man's dictation-no man ever dictated to me. I shall give you a profession. But when you have been graduated I shall expect you to practice. It is not my intention to spend money on you to be thrown away. I don't propose that after giving you a profession some man shall come along, talk a lot of nonsense to you and render all I have spent on you abortive. If a woman is going to be a lawyer or a doctor she must begin by putting all notions of love and marriage out of her head."

Considering that my aunt made this announcement to me when I was but twelve years old, it is not to be expected that it made any other impression on me than that I was to follow the path she laid down for me. It evidently did not occur to her that I was rather young to agree when grown to place myself in opposition to nature's laws. Nevertheless, she accepted my promise that I would repay her kindness in educating me by making myself the old maid she was herself and spend my life listening to people tell about their aches and pains instead of hearing the prattle of my own chil-

Nevertheless, my aunt was a good woman despite her crankiness. She took admirable care of me, and when diploma and left me a legacy sufficient to give me a start in my profession. The last thing she said to me was: "Remember your promise. You will be sorely tempted because you are very good looking. Men will try to draw you

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for

every-

body

must not listen to them. What they do nothing for you till I know the my visit it was for the worse. will want of you is to make you a cause of your malady." slave. Be constantly on your guard."
As to the temptation, my aunt was

bor where I met many men, some of whom were intelligent and attractive. was probably the cause of my receiving a number of proposals. But I set myself resolutely to carry out my aunt's intentions regarding me, feeling bound in honor to do so. I refused all my suitors, devoting myself it impossible to keep the fact that I sake." was pledged to celibacy from being | . "I will. My prescription is plenty of known, and I believe that for this outdoor exercise and mental occupareason I was especially sought in mar- tion. Whenever the image of this unriage. Nothing is so desirable as that attainable girl comes up before you which is impossible to obtain.

I practiced two years and resisted all temptations to marry. One day an old lady came to see me and begged that I would make a diagnosis of a trouble that was afflicting her son. fully. She said she believed there was something on her son's mind that he would not confide to his medical attendant. A man, she said, would be more likely to give his confidence in certain matters to a woman than one of his own sex. The invalid had been a trifler she might possibly find a remedy.

old lady's solicitude lest her boy might in it. The fond mother, who had be getting his just deserts. I was probably been listening, at this point amused at the absurdity of a man came in and said: having to call in a woman physician to cure him of a possible love malady. again. She will not leave you to suf-I did not attend men patients as a rule, partly because I had cured one man and he had given me his heart in addition to my fee. But since this dear old lady's invalid son was suspected to be already in love, even to the breaking down of his health, I saw no reason why I should not oblige one visit.

I found a fine looking young fellow some twenty-eight years old, six feet high and muscular. As I entered the room where he was lounging he looked pp at me with a captivating smile that sympathy for him that he was suffer- the fundamental cause. When she drew and I began to question him prohim frankly:

"You are not ill; you think you are." "I know it."

"I can't at present determine away from the path of duty, but you mind you had better tell me. I can

Time of the Ciff

"I am only too glad to make a confidant of you, doctor. I am in love." "In that case you must be your own My being thrown into a field of la-physician. I can do nothing for you." me down.

"Nonsense."

"I told my mother that you would take that view of the case. My life is worth nothing to me or any one else except my mother. I implore you exclusively to my practice. I found to try to do something for me for her

"I can't."

"There is no such word as can't." arose to go.

"Will you come again?' he asked rue-

There was something both amusing himself. Nevertheless, I knew of no antedote for love and had no mind to waste my time dancing attendance on in love affairs, and she was not sure a man whose only ailment was his but that he had been caught in his devotion to some girl who didn't hapown trap. If she could be sure of this pen to fancy him. But I was obliged to confess to myself that there was There was something winning in the something as attractive as ludicrous

"Of course the doctor will come

"Not if I can be of service."

As I went out the patient followed eyes, full of a longing that I could have understood had I been the girl who was torturing him. But under the her. So I promised to at least make circumstances it was very puzzling. if there was any hereditary cause that would account for his condition, but

he had evidently inherited from his mental effects upon the body. I was mother. There was an unconscious sure that this young man's unrequited strength about him that in a man is love had brought him into one of those especially attractive to a woman. 1 conditions that are so puzzling to did not wonder that he had fallen into physicians. I told his mother this and gallantry and could not but have some advised her to attempt a removal of

ing the penalty. His mother with asked me how to do this I suggested throwing her son and some fascinat-I became old enough to choose a pro- fessionally, though I only asked him ing woman, other than the one he fession I selected medicine. My aunt how he felt and to what cause he loved, together. He would likely transdied shortly after I had received my attributed his ailment; then I said to fer his love and this would effect a cure. She promised to think about it, but seemed to consider it rather an impracticable expedient,

> A week later she called at my office, whether your trouble is mental or nervous. If there is anything on your mind you had better tell me. I can if there had been any change since

"I have thought of your plan, doc-

tor," she said, "of substituting another love, but I know of no one who I believe would be able to draw my son away from his infatuation. I named "But suppose this love is breaking every girl of his acquaintance to him, asking if there was one he would like to have visit him, and he refused to see any of them, "I wouldn't mind seeing my doctor," he said, "as often as she will call."

And what did the poor old mother do, with tears in her eyes, but beg me to make an attempt to substitute myself in her son's affections for the woman he loved. I argued that even if successful I would only be replacing one cause by a similar one. She declared that instead the infatuation would be broken and her son would recover his health.

There was a professional problem involved—a problem as to the effect of mental causes of physical ailments. This and the mother's pleadings prevailed. I would cure the young man and fascinating in this great hulk of if I could, and after his cure-well, a man clinging to me to save him from after that he must get on as best he could without me.

I visited him at intervals. I played no coquettish pranks upon him. I simply attempted to divert his mind by being as agreeable to him as I could. I chose those subjects for chat in which he was interested and found him in certain lines intellectually my superior. After every call I was rewarded for my pains by his doting mother, who assured me that all was going well and her son was steadily improving. Of course I looked forward with misgivings to the day when my patient would be cured of one love to be tortured by another, but possibly a third or a fourth might so dilute the me with his handsome, melancholy poison that the physical effect would be neutralized.

A result occurred that I had not calculated upon. While I was winning my patient's love he was winning mine. Before leaving I questioned his I awakened finally to the fact that my mother with a view of determining pledge to my aunt must either be tor's patient for the same disease of which I had cured my own.

Nevertheless I determined not to I had recommended to him, but I would cease to see him. But he would hot cease to see me. He followed me relentlessly. I fought him for ten months, then surrendered.

On the day my husband and I returned from our wedding trip he gave me evidence of the value of my aunt's warning.

"Sweetheart," he said, "do you know that the illness which brought us together was all a put up job on you?" "What do you mean?" I exclaimed, opening my eyes.

"One day I heard some sawbones talking about you and your pledge to devote yourself to your profession and not to marry."

"You know the rest," As soon as I could get my breath I

#0**000** hissed, "It was a mean, contempt-A kiss stopped the rest.

Good in Low-Voiced Reply.

Where

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that if the table talk gets too noisy one of the family may bring the rest | fleet could be sent to the bottom beto order by speaking in a sudden whisper. Parents often sacrifice much to raltar. Not even a torpedo boat give their children dancing and music lessons, but the most lovely accom observed on the blackest night. The plishment of all, a soft and pleasantspeaking voice, is something they may the opinion that this world's greatest themselves develop in the children. I find that a child reflects almost instantly the tone of voice of one who speaks to him. A very gentle and stations, proudly flaunting Britain's low-voiced reply to an excited or an flag of ownership, sweep the seas gry child reduces his next remark to around to a distance of 15 miles on a half in volume. To answer the vexa | clear day, instantly reporting the comtion of a little child in a whisper ing and going of each vessel. catches attention, often brings a laugh

Good Housekeeping. Propagating Carp.

Isador Loewy, formerly a rabbi but in late years employed as a police court interpreter, hurried into night court in a state of perplexity.

"What's a carp?" asked the at-

"It's a fish," answered Loewy, "and it's fine. Three pounds it weighs. My wife she bought three carp at the market and brought them home. One was alive and I put it in the bath tub. The

fore, and I want him to live and grow "Where are you going to keep it all

"In the bath tub, sure. Where else?" Loewy answered.—New York miles broad, and is one vast swamp.



I will sell at public auction on the Geo. Pratt place, 21/2 miles south-

Tuesday, December

COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK

1 sorrel mare 10 yrs.; 1 gray mare 9 yrs.; 1 bay gelding 14 yrs; 1 bay mare coming 3 yrs.; 1 gray mare, coming 3 yrs.; 1 bay mare coming 2 yrs.; 1 black gelding coming 2 yrs.
1 good milch cow, will be fresh Dec. 23; 1 good milch cow, will be fresh Jan. 7; 2 coming 3-year-old heifers, 1 fresh Dec. 24, 1 Jan. 21.
1 new Acme Queen binder: 1

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1 new Acme Queen binder; 1 3½ inch wagon; 1 3 inch wagon; 1

spring wagon; 1 hay rack; 1 12
Emerson gang plow; 1 14 inch
walking plow; 1 new Deere riding
cultivator; 1 walking cultivator;
1 2-row lister cultivator; 1 Osborn
disc; 1 lister; 1 3-section harrow;
1 Deere side hitch sweep; 1 Deere ing mower; I hay stacker; I water tank; 1 grindstone; 1 sure hatch and brooder, 100 eggs; 1 set 1½ inch harness; 1 set 1 3-8 inch harness; 2 sets fly nets.

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TERMS-Ten dollars or under cash, over that amount 10 months time at 10 per cent interest.

J. A. WILDER

E. M. Williams, Clerk

C. W. Lamberton, Auctioneer

Clean-Up Sale

I will sell at public auction on the old Pierce place at Sumter, on

Wednesday, Dec. 20

COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK SHARP

1 span brown mares, wt. 1000; 1 gray mare, wt. 1100; 1 bay mare 3 yrs., wt. 1250; 1 brown mare 6 yrs., wt. 1100; 1 black mare 5 yrs., wt. 1150; 1 span 3-year-old geldings, wt. 1100; 5 2-year-old colts; 4 sucking colts; 1 running horse, Fox E.

5 milch cows; 2 coming 2-yearold steers; 2 heifers coming 2 yrs.; 4 calves.

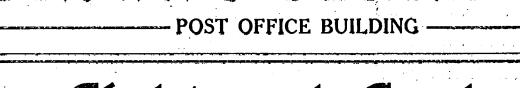
35 shoats, about 100 lbs. A full line of farm machinery. 25 tons alfalfa hay. Numerous other articles.

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Dressing sets, cuff and collar boxes, necktie and handkerchief boxes. In fact everything you want for a Christmas gift.

Juvenile books Linen for the children

Pyrography outfit and several pieces to burn

Pictures of all kinds

"Does anybody here know how to feed a carp?" he asked a court attend- guarded, while one is closed even to

other two I ate. "I don't want that fish to die. eight days I will eat him, but not be-

this time?" was asked.

World.

Many "Holy Lands."

the scene of the birth, ministry and pines and palmettos. The water is death of Christ, but, interestingly from one to six feet deep, the bottom, enough, other religious sects employ as a rule, covered with a growth of the same term for places sacred to rank grass. During the rainy season, them from association. Thus the Mo from July to October, the district com-Holy Land, it being the birthplace of impenetrable. The vegetable deposits Mohammed. The Chinese Buddhists of the Everglades is considered well call India the Holy Land, because the adapted to the growth of hanana and there, while the Greeks bestow this ed the region will undoubtedly be one same title on Elis, where was situated of the most fertile on earth.

Modern "needle" guns, the finest in and is far better than to stamp the Europe, are installed on all the most fretful tone deeper by mimicking it, prominent points. They are unreachas parents sometimes do. Example is able from the sea, even as they are inbetter than precept. Parents who have discernible, owing to the skill with themselves learned self-control, and which they are planted and draped to that it is never necessary to raise match the surrounding vegetation, one's voice in order to speak with dig. while huge screens drop automatical-

e have discovered in our home; est forts for both defense and offense.

nity and authority, are teaching their ly before them as each shell is fired. children priceless lessons. That a They have a range of 15 miles and soft answer turneth away wrath is a could drop shells on Ceuta, in Africa, cardinal maxim for the household .- opposite, quite comfortably. One gun weighs 110 tons and is capable of throwing a shell weighing three-quarters of a ton. In that marvel of engineering under great diffi-

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Trained Constantly on the

Surrounding Waters.

that Gibraltar, which belongs to Great

Britain, is one of the world's strong

it seems incredible that an immense

fore getting within five miles of Gib-

could succeed in entering the bay un-

most eminent naval experts are of

Gibraltar never sleeps By day and

night two perfectly equipped signal

fortress is almost impregnable.

While it has always been known

culties, the galleries, are concealed guns for every day in the year. These galleries are divided into three sections, entry to which is high officers, containing preserved stores, munitions of war, rain water (for Gibraltar has no springs) and a complete condensing plant-all calcu-

years. The firing is the most mathematically perfect imaginable. The surrounding waters are mapped out into squares, upon which certain guns are kept ready trained, so that it is almost impossible to miss.

lated to outlast a siege of seven

The Everglades. The region known as the Everglades

of Florida is about 60 miles long by 55 studded with islands of from a quarter of an acre to hundreds of acres in extent. These islands are generally cov-Christians use the term Holy ered with dense thickets of shrubbery Land to designate Palestine, as being or vines, and occasionally with lofty hammedans speak of Mecca as the prised in the Everglades is practically founder of their religion was born other fruits, and when properly drainTHURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1911

Clothes that are made right fit right and priced right. Gamble

& Perryman. , Mrs. J. Clark was down from Burwell Friday.

Bill Timm.

Brown's Pharmacy. Roy Hamilton was in Grand Island between trains Saturday.

Mrs. H. D. Rogers will visit in

Litchfield for a few days. Frank Koupal was a passenger to

Lincoln Thursday morning. Bill Timm has the finest line of

Christmas candy in the city. Mrs. F. M. Cushing went to Grand Ord or Loup City, Nebraska. Island this morning to spend a couple

of days with Bert. We now have plenty of Rock Springs nut coal of splendid quality. Ord Lumber & Coal Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Koupal returned Saturday from their wedding living on the Mrs. Geo. Hather farm. New Jersey. trip to Lincoln and Aurora.

home Friday. The little Miss had week to attend his sister's funeral. been a guest at the W. B. Keown

S. Smalley returned from Ashton Thursday, leaving Ord again Friday morning. He has bought a barber shop at Ashton.

Ord's Pan Cake Flour is good. · If you are using it you know it. If you are not using Ord's Pan Cake Fluor ed home Saturday. better get busy. 36-2t.

Plenty of money for farm loansoptional payments-lowest ratespayable at Ord-money ready when you are. See J. H. Capron, Ord, before you borrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castle returned Friday morning to their home at | Christmas candy in the city. Aurora. They have been visiting at the country home of John Wilder and with other relatives.

Piles and Rupture successfully treated. Why worry and suffer? Don't delay. Write Dr. Rich, Suit 11, Windolph Building Grand Island, Nebraska, for his generous Christmas

As I had a talk over the telephone, with the Film Exchange they in- Bill Timm. formed us that we would have the Life of Moses here for the 16th of Dec. which is one week from next Saturday. Ther is 3000 feet to this ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA picture and we will run two songs The Holy City and Will the Roses Bloom in Heaven. Don't forget the date Dec. 16. Gem Theatre. E. R. 36-2t.

We have the Hackel estate half section of land for sale. North east quarter, section 26, Get your Christmas candy from 35, Vinton township. If interested call and see us. The First National Bank, Ord, Nebr. 31-4

Guy Clement returned Thursday from Cambridge, Neb., where he had been attending to business matters in regard to a sale. He was accompanied on his homeward trip by R. M. Hall of Cambridge.

If you want to borrow money after a visit with Ord relatives on land write for application blanks.—Central Nebraska Land

Geo. Thompson and wife left this Riverdale Friday morning where she morning for Carlo, Neb. They had visited Emma Wimberly for a few received word that a relative was days. quite sick.

moved to Arcadia. They have been pup to some parties at Arlington, M. Stanton. Fred Hulbert returned from Edgar

Hazel Severson returned from Grand Island Saturday where she

has been spending several weeks. Father Kroupa returned Thursday evening from St. Libory where he

had been for the day. A. C. Domon, joined his wife in North Loup Friday. They all return-

Mrs. B. T. DeFord came over from Ericson and was a guest at the J. L. Speece home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins return-

in Omaha. Bill Timm has the finest line of

Fred McMindes was a passenger for North Loup Friday morning.

Browns' Pharmacy for window glass. Sugar cured Hams at 15c a pound

at Misko's.

Rob Johnson was up from North 1. 1913.

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ing. They went down with Fred

Bell and took part in the races at

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Dr. Rich, Specialist, Grand Island.

David Aldrich was a passenger

and will visit her for a few months.

WATER RENTS

pay their water rents at the City

Treasurer at the Ord State Bank.

their daughter Mrs. Ralston.

went to Grand Island.

other relatives,

luncheon.

All consumers of city water should

Mr. Easterbrook came over from

Arcadia Tuesday to look after his

real estate interest in Ord and attend

Ruby Horton of Greeley was a

guest at the W. A. Wright home

Friday night. Saturday morning she

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Raiston came

Grace Bell returned from Grand

Island Saturday. She had been down

to see the skating contest and visit

Mrs. C. W. Smith returned to

Mesdames James Wisda's Sr. and Ir. entertained a number of friends

Thursday evening at a 7 o'clock

few days with John Sevenker.

day at the Rockhold home.

days the first of the week.

part of this week there.

of Mrs. Nightengale.

friends at Litchfield .

hipment of cattle.

Sunday in Ord.

Tuesday noon.

Thursday.

shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Thelin came

Mr. and Mrs. Rowell from near

Mrs. M. M. Alderman went to

Ed Munn returned from Omaha

Friday where he had been with a

Horace Robbins is in Ord for the

week. Harold came up from Lincoln

Kate Clark, a daughter of Joe

Mrs. Clark Bleach and Edith of

Burwell were in Ord yesterday doing

Mrs. N. Noll and daughter Myrtle

went to Lincoln Tuesday for a few

North Loup and spent Friday in Ord.

Alva Rockhold came down from

Gladys Gibson came up from North

Mrs. Frank Howard came down

Ed Zabloudil returned from Gree-

Horace and Harold Robbins went

week going down Tuesday.

Burwell Friday morning.

vening from Riverdale.

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ley Thursday evening.

to Burwell Tuesday.

Alsa Firkins returned

Burwell Friday and spent the fore

Comstock were in Ord a couple of

up from North Loup to spend Sun-

up from Schuyler Tuesday and sur-

land with fine improvements. Will

. Charles Hunt.

scribe now, before you forget it.

Address The Ord Quiz.

to Jan. 1, 1913.

Loup Saturday. Ed Johnson went to Omaha Friday

Get your Christmas candy from

to attend to business. Ed Clements was a Friday morning passenger for Lincoln.

Mrs. Alva Rockhold was down rom Burwell last Monday. Harry Cook was up from Scotia

Thursday in his automobile.

Walter Batie returned Tuesday from several weeks stay in Iowa.

Barn and will appreciate the trade o Bring in your sash and have the glass set at Brown's Pharthe farmers. I am making a specialty of feeding your team for 20 cents. Others charge a quarter. Drive in John Turner of Fairfax, Mo., has when you come to town and let me

been visiting relatives for a few days. take care of your team. He returned home Friday. Lon Turner returned Friday to his

home at Barnston, Gage county, nest Hather, Harry Daggett and Perry Bell were in Grand Island last C. A. Burrows arrived last evening week returning home Thursday even-

to look after business matters. His home is at Garrison, in eastern Iowa. Alsa Firkins was a passenger for

The latter part of last week Chas. Mr. and Mrs. John Boyce have Partridge shipped a fine Chessapeake consider trade for larger place. W.

Ord's Pan Cake Flour is good. If Chronic diseases of men and women. Clara Cole of Burwell returned last evening. He was called there last you are using it you know it. If you Rupture and Piles treated without are not using Ord's Pan Cake Flour an operation. Office opposite City better get busy. 36-2t.

Harry Brown and wife stayed in Grand Island longer than they in Tuesday morning bound for Lewiston, tended this week. They returned Penn. He has a sister living there home last evening.

Mrs. O. S. Smith went to Grand Island Friday and Mrs. Guy Potter went down Saturday, to attend the funeral of a relative.

If you want to buy, sell or ex-change any kind of property ed Friday from Schuyler where they anywhere quick, send or bring had been since the week before with full particulars to Central Need last evening from several days stay braska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Nebraska.

I don't claim to be the only to other business matters. plumber, but if you are haring plumber troubles I believe I can find the cause and effect a remedy. I shall be glad to figure with you on any plumbing job, and if I don't save you money now I can save you having trouble afterwards. I have served long years at plumbing in large cities prised the Ole Severson family and Geo. Newbecker was in Taylor last and I think I know how to do your work right. Peter Darges.

The Ord Quiz (13 months) to Jan. The Store of Gifts Beautiful The Omaha Dally Bee, (13 months)

Gifts That Last

For a small price or a large price when buying here you get something not only beautiful but something that lasts for years. A few suggestions

FOR THE LADIES

·RINGS

The gift supreme is a ring and among our magnificent stock of exquisitely beautiful rings there is certainly something sure to please...... \$2.00 to \$25.00 Remember I have the Q. C. rings, stones guaranteed to stay in forever.

WATCHES

All ladies from 5 years to 105 years want a watch. Fine assortment in gold filled and solid gold......\$10.00 to \$50.00

HAND PAINTED CHINA

Most ladies appreciate fine hand painted china. Bureau sets up to......\$10.00

BRACELETS

More popular than ever, more exquisitely beautiful designs......\$3.00 to \$12.00

TOILET SETS

In sterling silver and plated ware \$30.00 down to......\$7.50

FOR THE GENTLEMEN

Military sets 5.00, 7.00, \$11.00 Brushes 1.00 to \$5.00 Shaving Mugs 3.00, 4.00, \$5.00 Cuff Buttons 75c to \$6.00 Stick Pins 50c to \$7.00 Fobs 1.25 to \$10.00

Watch Chains 1.50 to \$10.00 Watch Charms 50c to 7.50 Tie Holders 25c, 75c, 1.00, \$1.50 Smoking Sets Den Clocks

Cigar Clippers, sterling silver Key Rings, sterling silver Cigar Jars 1.50 to \$5.50 Fountain Pens, the genuine Waterman's Ideal 2.50 to

DIAMONDS: First, Last and all the time

GEO. A. PARKINS

AT THE SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK ON THE WINDOW

Father Kroupa is in Grand Island

Dr. Ludington went to Grand Island yesterday.

Frank Koupal returned from Sar-

gent last evening. August Peterson went to Omaha

Monday with a car of stock. Mrs. M. J. Shoemaker was in Grand Island between trains Satur-

Grand Island Saturday. She had been at Clarence Brunell's for a few Tom Jones returned last evening from several days stay in Sioux City, |

Marenus Sorensen returned last evening from a three months stay in

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Alderman and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foss went to Mr. and Mrs. J. Butler came down from Burwell Friday by the auto Loup City Friday returning the first

of this week. Mrs. W. M. Costello of Elyria went o Grand Island yesterday to spend a Thursday afternoon at the home of

ew days with her husband's parents. Mrs. Dr. Gard. Mrs. Fred Hedde, a sister of Mrs. May Madison, who has been visiting Mrs. J. J. O'Conner, returned to Detliff Heuck came in Thursday for

ner home at Horace Friday morning. a few days stay. C. E. Goodhand shipped three car-Dick Brisben of Graften returned loads of cattle and hogs to South home Tuesday. He has been staying Omaha yesterday.

> Morris Hillman of Arkansas is visiting his cousin W. A. Anderson. He was here two years ago.

> Mrs. W. H. Barnard and children returned Friday from ten days stay with relatives at Elgin, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tatlow came up from Grand Island Friday where they had been visiting their daughter and her family.

Mrs. Mary Herrick came down from Mr. Knutsen returned to St. Paul Burwell Saturday and was the guest Saturday morning. He had been visiting his son and looking after Mrs. H. D. Rogers returned Tueselectric light business. day from a stay of several days with

W. J. Gregory started for Des Moines, Iowa, this morning in response to a telegram telling him of the serious illness of his father.

Dr. McGinnis returned Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Draper, father and from several days business trip to mother of Mrs. Jay Hamilton spent different parts of the state where his duties as veterinary surgeon call him.

Mrs. E. C. Tappen county president wishes all W. C. T. U. members who can do so to take dinner with her at her home tomorrow, Dec.

Clark, came up from Grand Island 15th. Mrs. P. H. Walker of Waverly visited her sons, the Walker Bros. last week. Saturday morning she left for Aurora for a few days before re-

turning to her home. The W. C. T. U. meeting which E. J. Babcock came up from funeral of Mr. Cronk will be held one

was postponed on account of the week from to-day, Dec. 21, at the John Turner was in Lincoln this home of Mrs. Moss. Monkeys and Gum.

In tropical countries the natives have many unique ways of catching monkeys. One of them, as explained by a traveler, is this: The hunters walk about in short boots in sight of the monkeys. Then they take the boots off, place some gum in the bot toms an' leave them on the ground, withdrawing themselves to a great dis tance. Presently the monkeys come down from the trees and try on the boots and when the hunters come after them the boots stick to the feet of the

monkeys and they are unable to climb.

Thus the imitative little animals are

West Side Market

BEST OF FRESH AND SALT MEAT ALWAYS ON HAND

I always pay the highest market price for cattle

hogs and hides

A. C. DOMON, Proprietor

******************************** We Were Out

Of Nigger Head Pea coal for three weeks, and may be out of other kinds, as shipments are rather slow, but at present we have plenty of both Nigger Head and Acme Pea.

It Would Be Wise=

To keep your coal bin well filled, for it is very unpleasant to try to get coal in a blizzard. The draymen will appreciate your thoughtfulness, if you order before the storm. We have cars on the track all the time. Acme Pea Coal..... Acme Lump 6.50
Nigger Head Pea 6.00

 Canon City Lump
 8.50

 Hanna Lump
 7.50

 Eastern Hard, chestnut
 12.00

 Eastern Hard, grate size
 12.00

We guarantee to screen all coal carefully and please our customers

The Ord Lumber & Coal Co.

BOTH PHONES NO. 33

Don't Forget=

That we handle the best grades of coal in Nigger Head, Rock Springs and Sunshine Canon lump and nut. Also eastern hard coal in nut and egg size.

We guarantee satisfaction

Only Eight More Shopping Days

And then it is over. And as Christmas day draws near and the time for shopping lessens there is even more than the usual satisfaction in making purchases here. Whether the gift be great or small we have something that will exactly meet the requirements.

Pictures

Make an always appropriate gift. Our line of pictures is the largest we have ever shown, and we believe the selection will appeal to you more strongly than ever before. We hope you will examine our pictures particularly

when you call. Framed Pictures 25c to \$3.50 Passe Partout Pictures 5c to 50c

Fancy Calendars

Makes an exceptionally nice remembrance for friends at a distance on account of the care with which they can be sent. Our list comprises copies of famous paintings, hand colored photographs and mottos, daintily mount.

Price 10c to \$1.00

A New Idea in Toilet Sets

We are showing a line of Brushes, Combs and Mirrors, matched, and in different qualities, also a line of fancy lined boxes. You select whatever combination suits you best, and we box it for you. By this method you secure high quality goods and attractive appearance at a substantial saving in price over the old way. You know the exact value of. each piece in the set, and have our unqualified guarantee that you are getting value received on each piece. We are also showing a. fine line of Toilet Sets in celluloid, fancy woods and silver plate.

Prices \$1.00 to \$8.50

Perfumes, in Attractive Packages

Are indispensible at Christmas. Perfume appeals to every lady, especially the Dabrook and Colgate quality, in the attractive packages we are showing. All the popular odors, and some new ones, in just the size package to suit your particular purpose.

Price 25c to \$3.75

Don't Forget the Smoker

We are proud of the quality of our cigars and of our line of smokers supplies. Joan of Arc, highest grhde 5c cigars, \$2.50 per box. Commercial Bouquet, a very popular brand, \$2.00 per box. Little Bobbie, the best little cigar, \$1.00 and \$2.00 a box. Pocket cigar cases 50c to \$2.00, Humidors. Pipe racks.

Christmas Stationery

We desire to call particular attention to our Christmas Stationery. Quality and style are the best, and the packages particularly attractive and appropriate to the season. Stationery makes a very acceptable gift on account of its universal use, and you undoubtedly have some one on your list whom you can please with it.

Price 15c to \$1.25 a box

Johnson Drug

PRE-INVENTORY SA

his is the ONE BIG SALE of all the year that the people eagerly wait for

A Grand Wind-Up of a Successful Year's Business

We now give you a chance to buy clean, fresh, staple, reliable and seasonable Winter Merchandise at GREAT PRICE REDUCTIONS. When a whole store cuts loose from prices, when in many instances cost is ignored, then if that store is honest in its statements and intentions the buying public is put into possession of a money-saving opportunity so great that they can ill afford to pass it by. Our reputation for fair, honest dealing is well known. We have never yet made a mis-statement or advertised anything that we have not rigidly lived up to. We Always Make Good-and now when you know that you can buy an article that is marked to sell for \$5.00 for \$4.00, you absolutely know you are SAVING A DOLLAR OF REAL MONEY.

January 1st we take our annual inventory and in order to reduce our stock as much as possible before that time we will give-

A Special Discount of Twenty per Cent on the following lines of goods

Clothing. Cloaks. Skirts, Waists, all shoes selling for over \$2.50, Men and Women's Rain Coats, Underwear, Blankets. Comforters, Wool Dress Goods, Laces and Embroideries, Petticoats, Women's, Misses' and Children's Furs, Sweater Coats, Men's Dress Shirts, Trunks and Suit Cases, Bed Spreads, Lace Curtains, liks and Satins, Millinery Goods, Hats and Caps, Table Linen, Fancy Linens, Corsets and Wall Paper.

Also. Ten per cent off on all shoes selling for \$2.50 and less; Ten per cent off on all overshoes; Ten per cent off on everything in furniture line; ten per cent off on Men's Fur Overcoats; ten per cent off on Linoleum; ten per cent off on Sewing Machines; ten per cent off on Carpets and Rugs

that our goods are marked low in the first place. We know what goods are worth, what you can buy them for at YOU WANT TO BEAR IN MIND other stores, what you can send away and get them for, so when we put our one price on an article we know that price MUST BE RIGHT, must be as low or lower than you can get the same article for anywhere.

This is a one-price-store, everything being marked in plain figures and no one can buy for less. So now when you can get bright new goods at the regular marked prices (and not a price has or will be changed) less a discount of twenty per cent on some, and ten per cent on others, it means that our profit has been taken off and you can actually buy at wholesale prices REMEMEER you to go to any of the lines advertised at a discount and you have the full line to choose from, you take pick and choice from our best and most desirable goods.

This sale goes into effect Friday, December 15th, and lasts until January 1st, 1912

20 per cent off on Clothing	20 per cent off on Raincoats	20 201 (2.30)	
	Regular price 10 00 now for 8 00	20 per cent off on Cloaks 43 CHILDREN'S CLOAKS TO CHOOSE FROM	20 per cent off on Blankets and Comforts
Men's Suits	12 50 now for 10 00		Regular price 75 now for
Regular price \$12 50 now for	15 00 now for 12 00	Regular price 3 50 now for	1 00 now for
20 00 now for 12 00		5 00 now for	1 20 10 11 10 11 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11
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Regular price 3 50 now for 2 80	" 15 00 now for 12 00	Regular price IO 00 now for 8 00	" 2 50 now for 2 00
4 00 now for 3 20	" 18 00 now for 14 40	" 12 50 now for 10 00	
6 00 how for 4 00	" " 20,00 now for 16 00	15 00 now for	20 per cent off on Waists and Skirts
7 50 now for	Boys' Overcoats	20 00 40W 101,,,,,10 00	Regular price 3.00 now for
" " 10 00 now for	Regular price 4 00 now for 3 20		5 00 now for
Men's Odd Trousers	5 00 now for 4 00	wy omen's Snoes	" 7 50 now for
Regular price 2 50 now for	" " 7 50 now for 6 00 " " 10 00 now for 8 00	Regular price 1 50 now for 1 85	" 10 00 now for 8 00
3 00 now for 2 40		Our 'Miss Chicago' sold the world over for	10 per cent off on Sewing Machines
3 50 now for 2 80	20 per cent off on Underwear	2 50 now for 2 25	Regular price 25 00 New Goodrich 22 50
4 00 now for	Regular price 25 now for 20 50 now for 40	Regular price 3 00 Queen Quality now., 2 40	" 30 00 New Home27 00
" 5 00 now for 4 00	" " 75 now for 60	3 50 4 4 00 4 6 8 20	" " 33 00 New Home
J-C Corsets 20 per cent off	" " 1 00 now for 80	4 00 " 8 20 " 4 50 " " 8 60	" " 85 00 New Home 31 50
\$1 00 College Girl now for	1 50 now for 1 20		10 per cent off on Furniture
1 00 Ardath now for	2 50 Union suits now 2 00	Men's Shoes	1 75 woven wire springs now for 1 58
1 50 Perfection now for 1 20 1 50 La Vogue now for 1 20	10 per cent off on Carpets and Rugs	Regular price 1 95 (Vindicator) now for 1 76 2 00 now for 1 80	2 50 coil springs now for 2 25
2 00 Superb Form now for	Regular price 45 a yard now for	" 2 50 now for 2 25	3 00 cotton top mattress now for 2 70
3 00 Reducing now for 2 40	" 60 a yard now for 54	Selz and Douglas regular \$3 shoes now for. 2 40	2 50 iron bedstead now for
20 per cent off on Wool Dress Goods	" 75 a yard now for 68 " 10 00 Ingrain rugs now for 9 00	Selz "Royal Blue" \$3.50 shoe now for 2 80	75 kitchen chairs now for 68
Regular price 28 now for 221	" 15 00 Tapestry Brussels 9x12 13, 50	W. L. Douglas regular \$3.50 shoe now for. 2 80 Selz or Douglas regular \$4 shoes now for. 3 20	8 75 8-foot extension table now for 7.88
50 now for 40	" 20 00 Velvet Brussels 9x12 18 00	Selz or Douglas regular \$4.50 shoes now 3 60	4 47 metallic steel couch now for 4 03
60 now for	" 20 00 Axminster 9x12 rug 18 00 " 22 00 Body Brussels 9x12 22 50		13 50 couch now for
" 1 00 now for 80 now for 1 00	" 27 50 Axminster 101x131 now 24 75	20 per cent off on Furs	5 00 rocker now for
" 1 50 now for 1 20	" 27 50 Axminster 111x12 now. 24 75	Regular price 3 50 now for	10 00 rocker now for 9 00
10 per cent off on Overshoes	" 37,50 Axminster 12x15 now 33 75	7 50 now for 6 00	5 00 Standard Combination Mattress for. 4 50
	" 13 50 Tapestry (seamless)now 12 15 " 17 50 High grade Axminster. 15 75	9 00 now for 7 20	27 50 Hoosier Special Kitchen Cabinet for 24 75
Regular price I 00 new for 90 1 50 new for 1 35	We have rugs in sizes 18x36, 27x54, 36x63,	" 12 50 now for	During this Sale We Will Sell
1 575 now for 1 58	36x72, 6x9, 7.6x9, 9x9, 9x10-6, 8-3x10-6, 9x12,	20 00 now for 16 00 05 00 now for 28 00	All 15 cent percale for
2 00 now for 2 buckle. 1 80	10 6x12, 11-3x12, 12x12, 12x13-6, 10-6x13-6, 12x15.	40,00 4011, 102,111,111,111	All 12 cent percale for
2 50 now for 4-buckle, 2 25	EXTRA SPECIAL	10 per cent off on Fur Coats	All 11 cent fleece lined calicoes for 09
Men's and Boys' Sweater Coats	25 per cent off on Women's Tailor Made	Regular price 16 50 black dog now for 14 85	The best cotton thread per spool 04
Regular price 1 20 now for 96		" 50 00 Coon now for 45 00	10c Hope bleached muslin for
3 50 now for 2 80 " 2 50 now for 2 00	Suits—29 to choose from	Wool Blankets	11c Lonsdale or Fruit of Loom muslin8c a yard The best table oil cloth for 14c a yard
2 50 now for 2 00 now for 2 40	Regular price 15 00 now for		Any calico in the store for
" 4 00 now for 3 20	20 00 now for 15 00	Regular price 3 50 now for	Shetland floss for
10 per cent off on Linoleum	" 25 00 now for 18 75	5 00 now for 4 00	15c Flannelette for
Extra heavy quality, made of the best ground	Children's Shoes	6 00 now for 4 80	Genuine Amoskeag apron check gingham 7c a yd 10 cent outing flannel for
cork and oil, 4 yards wide, regular price \$2.40 per	Regular price 75 now for	Women's and Girls' Sweater Coats	12 cent outing flannel for 10c a yard
running yard, now for\$2.16 a yard	90 now for 81	Regular price / 1 50 now for 1 20	9 4 unbleach1d sheeting for
Inlaid linoleum, guaranteed the best in the world,	" 1 25 now for 1 13	2 25 now for	10-4 unbleached sheeting for
2 yards wide, regular price \$2.00 running yard, now	" 1 50 now for	2 75 now for	9-4 bleached sheeting for
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Largest stock in town—Prices most reasonable. Six large tables all loaded down with Christmas goods. Something here for every one and at prices you can afford to pay. Look here first—It's easy to select and buy as Goods on a table are all one price, 10, 25c, 50c or \$1.00. And then on another table are things at different prices, 15c to \$7.00. 1500 pounds of nuts and 2000 pounds of Christmas candies to sell. We ask all school teachers, church and Sunday school committees to figure with us on these goods. We can save you money.

Some Special Bargains

A lot of boys and men's winter caps that sold for 50c to \$1.00 we are closing out at 25c per choice.

A few women's and children's cloaks at one-third off the regular

Some boys and men's suits and ov er coats at one-third off the regular REMEMBER you run no risk in buying at this store as we guarantee satisfaction. The right to return and have your money refunded goes with every purchase. This is a "popular price" department store, catering to the wants of all classes of people, and you can buy here with the greatest confidence as we have a reputation for fair dealing that is not excelled by any.

We buy butter, eggs, chickens, turkeys, duck s, goese and pay the highest market price, either cash or trade

Baileys' Dep

Ord's Biggest, Busiest and Best Trading Place

	Patent Medicines at Cut Prices
	During this sale we will sell
	Any \$1,00 medicine for
	Any 50c medicine for,40c
- 21	Any 25c medicine tor
•	\$1.00 Lydia Pinkham Veg. Comp 790
	\$1.00 Swamp Root for
	\$1.00 Pierce's Prescription for79c
	\$1.00 Peruna for
	\$1.00 Peruna for
	\$1 00 Kings New Discovery79c
Υ.	50c Syrup of Figs
	25c Mennen's Talcum Powder: 18c
	25c Bromo Quinine
	25c, Allcocks Plasters, 2 for
	35c Castoria for25c

Christmas Suggestions ...

WE are again up against the annual query "What shall I buy?" It is the same every year, but this year we are in ex tionally good shape to serve you. You need but to look around a bit to decide on some useful and attractive pres and these are the kind that are the most appreciative; for instance

25 per cent off on Rugs

A nice lot of Rugs just received in different sizes and patterns both the floral and oriental, which will add to the beauty of any home. We have these rugs only for a short time and they are marked very low, still in addition we will sell these at 25 per cent off. Any of these rugs will be sure to please her.

25 per cent off on Chinaware

It is a pleasure to look over our long line of imported hand painted chinaware. Two long display racks full of it. Dishes in all shapes and sizes, tobacco jars, dups and saucers, etc. 25 per

Furniture

Our formiture department has been a great success from the very start, and right now is at its height and full of good things. Our prices, as always, are just a little bit the lowest, as selling to our nearby towns proves. We have the strongest line of dressers ever shown in Ord and from now until Christmas we will make a special discount of 10 per cent on any item in our entire furniture line. See the DIAMOND kitchen cabinet in our show window which is absolutely the BEST kitchen cabinet on the market. Regular price \$27.50 less 10 per cent nets it \$24.75 to you. BUY NOW. Rockers from \$1.50 to \$35.00.

Lots of Toys, Books, Etc.

Our toy table as you enter the door is loaded with toys, books, etc., which will make the young people happy. Buy NOW before the line is picked over. It is easy to make a selection,

Useful Articles for Presents

A special assortment of silk handkerchiefs, mufflers, neckwear aed head throws which are beauties and any of which will make very appropriate gifts. Ask to see them. Many more attractive and useful articles too numerous to mention which we will be pleased to show you. It is a pleasure to show goods and you will be assured of courteous treatment.

A bran new line of ladies' and misses' muffs and furs, All subject to 20 per cent discount. What would make a more useful gift?

Also a discount of 10 per cent on

All fur coats, duck or sheepskin coats Any pair of shoes or artics Any hat or cap in the store

And discount of 25 per cent on

All blankets and comforters

Any ladies' or child's coat

All Underwear

All the above discounts are for CASH ONLY and hold good only from now until Christmas. Buy NOW-get good goods from an old reliable firm and save money. A \$ saved these days means just 100 cents earned

CHURCHES and SOCIETIES Let us figure with you on your bill of candies and nuts. Our buying these in extra large quantities enables us to make you interesting prices. We know we can save you money if you but give us the chance to figure with you

Yours For a Merry 1911

Christmas

A full line of Christmas Trees, Holly and Ornaments, and prices right

DWORAK

Open Evenings

Next Week

Mary E. Slaughter, Grace Jacoby, Notice Hawborth, Nahum Cruitshank, Grant Cruitshank, Harry G. Hayes, Leons C. Hayes, Gertle M. Hayes, Clara B. Hayes, Harvey H. Hayes, Donald Hayes, and Martha E. Miller, formerly Martha E. Cruitshank, defendants, will take notice that on the 21st, day of November, 1911. E. Clyde Baird, plaintiff heien, field hayes, and the core of his petition in the District Court of Yaley County, Nebraska, against and the case of the Court, dectaring a certain mortgage, made on the 28th, day of June, 1885, by one John. Mcgare of which are, that a decree may be antered by the Court, dectaring a certain mortgage, made on the 28th, day of June, 1885, by one John. Mcgare of which are, that a decree may be antered by the Court, or the Store of the relief as may be just and equitable. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 1st. day of January, 1912.

Dated November 22nd, 1911,

E. Clyde Baird,

by E. P. Clements, His attorney.

In the County Court of Valley County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry C. Perry, deceased.

State of Nebraska Valley County,

prayer of said petition granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of this notice be published once each week for three successive weeks, prior to the date set for the said Learing, in the Ord Quiz a newspaper printed and published in said county.

tions this week. Sunday at S. N. Arnold's.

the home of Chris Thompsen Sunday,

Joe and Dave Haught and families
visited at the C. C. Haught home

visited at the C. C. Haught home

exception of Mrs. Hoffman, the
women of the party failed to get back
until the supply of turkey and cranberry sauce had run low.

Basket Social and program Vriday Basket Social and program Friday evening Dec. 22. Begins promptly at store went on a strike Wednesday. The apparatus was all in flame at one

Quick Relief for Rheumatism George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., ays: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for county.

Dated this 7th day of December
1911.

H. Gudmundsen County Judge.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an execution directed to me from the County Court of Valley County, Nebraska, on a judgment obtained

County Court of Valley County, Nebraska, on a judgment obtained

Sy: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by A. F. Brown.

Hank Rainler, sheriff of Loup

The School is enjoying examinatous the valley county capitor to spend the day. In the crowd we noticed Will Hoffman and wife, Alva Rockhold and wife, Shorty Conway and wife and the Tribune man and better half. The men folks all returned in the evening but with the examinators.

Sargent Leader.

brovisions of the asid will and a petition for the distribution of the said state now in their hands to the parties entitled by law to receive the same.

You are hereby notified that the aid final account, and the said petitions will be heard on the 5th day of January, 1912, at the hour of 10 dicok. A. M. at the county court room in the city of Ord, Valley County, Nebraska; and you are hereby offeed above designated and show cause, if any such exists why said account, nebulan do be allowed, and the prayer of said petition granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of this notice be published once as the for three successive weeks, prior to the date set for the said hearing, in the Ord Quiz a newspar prepared and published and published and published to a proper of the parties and Mrs. Joe Klahecky, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Carr had the misfortune to be thrown out of an automobile last that resulted in a broken saturday that resulted in a broken instep and otherwise bruised about the legs and other parts of the body. In the earn of the was with the legs and other parts of the body. In the carrent will surely distory the sense of med tompletely descript on prescriptions from reputible prayisions, as the danger thy the machine hat a rutil that night. So there he was started and the misfortune to the thrown out of an automobile last that resulted in a broken instep and otherwise bruised about the legs and other parts of the body.

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In the current

Ord Market-Top Prices Butter—Tub, 18c Choice Dairy, 28c Potatoes, \$1.00 Hogs, \$5.25 Oats, 40c Corp, 52c

barbarism still survives at Nish in southeast Servia. During the war of

against the elements and they are regarded as a plous object of patriotic

pilgrimage.—Wide World Magazine. Smoke or Ride, Which?

In the early days of the London, Brighton & South Coast Railway the regulations against amoking were strictly enforced. The Mechanics' Magazine of September, 1842, records that "a foreign gentleman was recently smoking a cigar in a train com-To all persons interested in the state of Henry C. Perry, deceased:
You are hereby notified that on the thin the practice was of the distribution of the said court their final account as such executors, a petition for the distribution of the said construe and settle the terms and provisions of the asid will and a perition for the distribution of the said estate now in their hands to the partitles entitled by law to receive the stame.

The apparatus was all in flame at one time and threatened to spread to the spread to the state one time and threatened to spread to the building. With presence of wind and a water soaked pair of will of will and a water soaked pair of trousers Mr. Lakeman succeeded in smothering the flame before any damage was done. The reason for this ticket and ordered out of the paratus was due to the breaking of the officers on the platform, warned in from Brighton to London The guard warned him the practice was not allowed. Nevertheless, he continued to smoke, and finished his cigar. At the next station he was asked for mother final account as such executors of the last will of said court for construe and settle the terms and provisions of the asid will and a perition for the distribution of the said estate now in their hands to the partitles entitled by law to receive the same.

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you think you can insult your wife!" Eden was never the same after that

At a Disadvantage. "I suppose you will miss your boy while he is at college." "Yep," replied Farmer Corntossel. ATTEST:
"I dunno what I will do without him. Erwin Dodge, Director He got the live stock so they wouldn't He got the live stock to they wouldn't Subscribed and sworn to before me this lith move unless he give 'em the college day of December, 1910.

W. B. Casier, Justice of the Peace. yell, an' I can't remember it."

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First National Bank At Ord, in the State of Nebraska.

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1,453 86 733 00 Demand certificates of deposits.
United States deposits.
Bills payable, including certificates of deposite for money [borrowed..... Total.\$564,110 77

State of Nebraska, as.
Valley County,
I. E. M. Williams, Cashler of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belier.

E. M. WILLIAMS, Cashler. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of Dec., 1911.
(Seal) J. H. Capron, Notary Public

Correct. Attest—
M. B. GOODENOW
J. R. WILLIAMS
G. W. MICKELWAIT
A. J. FIRKINS REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Elyria State Bank of Elyria, Valley county, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.
Banking house, furniture
and fixtures.
Current expenses and taxes
paid.
Due from national, state and
private banks.
Checks, items of exchange.
35 35
Currency 2,205 50
Gold coin.
502 50

 Ourrency
 2,205
 00

 Gold coin
 502
 50

 Silver, nickels and cents
 395
 54

Total \$ 48,109 76

LIABILITIES Total

Total

STATE OF NEBBASKA | 68.

County of Valley | 68.

I. W. M. Costello, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the state banking board, W. M. COSTELLO.

\$425,460 08 FOR SALE or TRADE—The S-2 of 7,270 60 S-2 of 27-20-14. Lafe Paist.

FOR SALE-240 acres, good build-ings, in Liberty township, also my residence in west Ord and one lot three blocks east of square on main street. J. D. Tedro. 37-tf.

FOR SALE—Half section extra well improved, six miles west of Ord on Turtle creek. Will sell on easy terms. Knud Christensen. 37-tf. FOR SALE-14 lots, that are now

offered at a bargain, some of these lots are only two blocks out, come in and let me show them to you. Frank Zabloudil 37-2t.

Money to loan on improved farms, in Valley and adjoining counties. Frank Zabloudii 37-2t FOR SALE or TRADE—On account of going away I will sell my 10-h.p. gasoline engine and coinsheller

cheap. Peter Peterson 37-1t. WORK WANTED-Plain sewing or any kind of household work. In Cottage on hill. Mrs. Baker

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jer sey boar pigs. Will sell at low figure if taken right away. 1. C. Clark, Ord Neb. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—One old and two young boars. W. M. Gray. Rhode Island Red Roosters for sale. Mrs. B. H. Alvord. 33-4t. pd.

FOR SALE OR BENT-40 acres adjoining the Ord Cemetery on the north. Well improved. A special price will be given if sold by Feb. 1, 1912. Inquire of D. C. Ruhl. 33-tf FOR SALE—Poland China boars On Royal Bailey place. G. E. Gadd. 33-tf.

FOR SALE-My Touring car cheap Will sell for cash or trade. Mamie Siler.

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale, Some extra fine ones. Mrs. I. C. Clark, Ord, Neb. 30-tf. FOR SALE—Fairbanks & Morris gasoline engine. 4 hp. Cheap. W. M. Gray. 30-tf. FOR RENT-The room in the Quiz

building recently occupied by H. P. Bradley. FOR SALE-A few Crimson Wonder Duroc Jersey male pigs for sale ORD cheap to close out. E. S. King. FOR RENT-Good large barn. Mrs.

WANTED-Carpet weaving. Mrs. Jennie Dailey. WANTED-Good cook. Steady em ployment and good wages. Burwell House, Burwell Neb.

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ORD, NEBRASKA

JLTRY SHOW IS ON

fual Show of the Loup y Poultry Association a Great Success

te of the storm there was a this morning. About all the visit in Burnell. ble places in the main audible places in the main audim of the Ord Opera House, the show is being held, was in at an early hour and since then may other birds have been brought.

The place of meeting is an admirble operation of the main audim of the operation of the main audim of the show is being held, was unifor a few days.

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The place of meeting is an admirable one for a winter show. The room is large and high, affording fine light and venilation and at the same time sufficiently warm for comfort of bird and patron.

The show of poultry is by all odds show in the state, for the best Nebraska birds and some from other states, are there awaiting your inthis show is a small and insignificant affair a great surprise is awaitng you when you get there. You will find there better birds than you they will be there in great abun-

Here is a letter received by Mr. sident of the American Poultry Association:

The admission to the show is but 10 cents and you will enjoy a trip there. The show closes Saturday

OLD SETTLER DEAD. Mrs. Moody, mother of W. D. Negley, died at her home in this village Tuesday morning the 12th. Funeral services were held from the M. E. home of their son Rev. L. R. Hans-Church yesterday afternoon conduct- berry, pastor of the Rosevale circuit.

ed by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Brink. was confined to her bed nearly all nections. the time. She was carefully and well Lillian Jones returned Thursday cared for by her nephew, Joe Bates.

A short time ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis from which she operation in the hospital at Omaha. never recovered.

country and had a large circle of her speedy recovery. friends and acqaintances. We are unable to learn any of the particulars of her life other than we have given. urday morning. The former going class office. If we had stayed things -North Loup Loyalist.

Mrs. H. E. Babcock of Columbus their home on the Adolph Stobbe tells of a rather remarkable experience of her son Heme who was born in Ord. The young man was waiting at a depot in one of the southern Durham of Portland, Oregon arrived states. Texas we think, and heard in Ord. After a few days stay here two other young men talking and they will go to South Carolina to noticed that the tall one said he was spend the holidays with Mr. Durfrom Nebraska. Till then Heme had ham's people. Ord people best repaid no attention to their talk. member Mrs. Durham as Ollie Scott When opportunity presented itself who lived in Ord for several years. Heme asked the tall young man what She is a sister of Mrs. Aivin Hill and part of Nebraska he was from, and Mrs. Royal Balley. the reply was that he was born in Ord. Making a similar confession Heme was not long in finding out that he was talking to Chester Surprised Wednesday to hear by Haskell. The young men were, in phone from Broken Bow that Mg. Haskell. The young men were, in their childhood, playmates in Ord. But for the chance remark made in the bearing of Mr. Babcock these old them. The socident occurred about the chance remark made in the bearing of Mr. Babcock these old them. The socident occurred about the chance remark made in the bearing of Mr. Babcock these old them. The socident occurred about the chance remark made in the several that she enters voluntary appearance that she is as willfriends would have touched elbows in a faroff city and not recognized was called Tuesday evening.

was a joyous one. MARGUERITE SUPONCHICK.

a fever of excitment last Saturday | Wednesday morning to go to Oconto. evening when a telephone message The road where the accident took was received to the effect that Mar- place was down grade and rough and guerite Suponchick had died at Sco- cut up with ruts. Mr. Squires pulltia. Miss Suponchick was the teach- ed his car out of a rut and the car er in the senior room of the Cotesfield ran up a bank and tipped over, Scotia and operated upon. The pa- party soon after the accident. While to carry one arm in a sling. trouble.-Cotesfield Sun.

O. S. Smith went to Grand Island Monday in response to a telegram informing him of the death of Mr. Berman, Mrs. Smith's father. Mrs. Smith has been down there for a couple weeks assisting in caring for the sick man. Guy Potter went down also to attend the funeral.

Earl Warwick went to St. Paul MIKE PRESTELE

Ed Inman returned from Lincoln Tuesday evening.

Mary Collison spent last week with relatives near Elyria. Mrs. A. L. Locker and daughter Pearl were in Scotia between trains

Mrs. M. Alderman returned the rge aggregation of birds at the latter part of the week from several

Mr. and J. J. M. May left Tuesday morning Santiago, California where they pect to make their future home.

E. L. Johnson came home from the best ever put on in the county Omaha Thursday where he had been not excelled, except in size, by any for several days looking after business matters.

Jake Hoffman went to Greeley Tuesday to assist in the invoice of spection. If you have an idea that lumber at the Koupal & Barstow Lumber yards.

Chas. Burris returned yesterday to his home at Garrison, Iowa. He has have probably ever seen before, and been attending to business matters here for several days.

In spite of the threatening weather there was a large crowd of people in Leggett the other day from the pre- Ord last Saturday, buying Christmas presents and other things.

Mrs. Rumer of Portland, 'Oregon,

From the North Loup Loyalist we learn that Rev. Goodrich and Miss Iva Bond of North Loup were joined in marriage at the Methodist Parsonage last week Tuesday.

Ablert Hansberry and wife of Arnold, Custer county, came over to Rosevale last week for a visit at the home of their son Rev. L. R. Hans-

Mrs. Rob Squires received word About two years ago Mrs. Moody the first of the week that her brother fell on the ice breaking one of her had died at Battle Creek, Mich., for it. legs at the hip and from that time this week. She expected to go to How about Ord? We are just on she was not able to take a step and the funeral if she could make con-

to Grand Island to work and the lat-

AUTO ACCIDENT.

Constock and community were Florida was called Tuesday evening a charge of 10 cents will be made to coming. each other. Of course the meeting by phone to come to Oconto on account of the illness of her niece, Our little village was thrown into band and Mr. and Mrs. Squires left could be sent out to meet them. The ning of the place. injured ones are at the hospital at Broken Bow. Mrs. Squires had a bone broken in her arm and is sufbruised from the fall and hurt by

DIED SUNDAY

One of Valley County's Most Prominent Farmers Dies After Long Illness

Sunday noon, December 17, the ong and severe sufferings of Mike Prestele came to an end in death. Mike Prestele was born in Bavaria, Germany, on May 10th, 1851, and was, therefore, at the time of his death 60 years, 7 months and 7 days

He came to America in 1881, living two years in New York and Wiscon-

On Feb. 23, 1884, he was married to Bibiana Waldman in Grand Island and then moved to Valley county, to make a home. He bought land in the west part of the county, where most of the time of his residence in Valley county was spent. His wife died on March 14, 1904. He was married again to Barbara Mayer on Nov. 2, 1905, who survives him. A few years ago he sold his land there and bought just south of Ord Tuesday evening from a five weeks

his death. For several months Mr. Prestele Texas. was a sufferer from cancer and, though all was done that medical skill and knowledge could do, he succombed to the inevitable.

The funeral was held from the The funeral was held from the Catholic church, Father W. W. Kroupa officiating, assisted by Fathers Jonka of Sargent and Kolaska of Elyria and the remains were in-

Mr. H. D. Leggett, Ord, Neb.—
Dear Mr. Leggett: The remium list of your show has just reached me and I want to congratulate you upon it. It is better than a whole lot of state shows put out.

I am enclosing herewith blanks for complete report of your show and I shall awalt it with interest.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, I remain
Cordially yours,
Reese V. Hicks.

The admission to the show is but

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The deceased was a man of high character and standing among our people. Always just, upright and children were passengers Saturday neighborly he won the esteem and warm friendship of all who knew him. His death is a loss to the community, apd is a solace to his friends only because it has ended the suffer
Lee Reader of Egicson was over hospitality of Ord relatives for a while.

The deceased was a man of high character and standing among our people. Always just, upright and for their home at Central City. They have been visiting relatives here for him. His death is a loss to the combinator of the only because it has ended the suffering of many months.

> SEE WHAT THE BOW IS DOING A bill has been introduced in congress by Congressman Kinkaid asking for an appropriation of \$135,000 for a government building at Broken Bow.
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> Broken Bow is a city of the same size as Ord, and not as good a town nor situated in as good a community.
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> But it stands in a good position to get a postoffice just because they ask for it.
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> Soon to Omana for an optocate at one o'clock Friday morning at one o'clock Fred Bell returned from Omaha with a new Buick model 29. The auto is the property of E. M. Williams, who with his wife accompanied Mr. Bell up in the car. They found bad roads, it having rained most of the model way from Omaha to Columbus.
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> Soon to Omana for an optocate the raised last year from 20 acres of ground 557 bushels of wheat that tested 60 lbs. This wheat was sowed on corn ground after the corn was cut off. He simply disced and har rowed the ground when putting it in. In the spring he rolled the business matters.

the verge of passing into the second Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Sage left Sat- more than \$50 a month for a third now. off a few months, as we easily could

heads a little.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

adults for the purpose of paying the expense. Children of course free. Miss Saunders. She with her hus- In addition to their regular Christmas morning.

View, wife of one of the assistants in

southwestern part of the state. His

Next Monday is Christmas. Frank Desch was in St. Paul Mon-

Mrs. Levi Hamilton went to Grand Island yesterday.

Chas. Masin came over from Loup City the latter, part of the week. H. G. Burson, John Skeen and J. L. Speece went to Burwell Monday

evening. down from Burwell Monday doing some shopping.

Judge Hanna came down from Burwell Tuesday and was holding court here the first of the week.

Mrs. Eric Erickson and her two little boys returned Saturday morning to their home at Ericson. Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Mitchell re-

turned Monday evening from two weeks visit in Crete, Lincoln and other points.

She informed us her trip to Nebraska and 2 days old. and Ord was of a business nature. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Smith returned

W. S. Mattley and William O.

Todd of Ansley were over to Ord on follows: business Tuesday. They stopped a few hours in Ord and then passed

hew of Mrs. Staple. The young man is quite poorly and will have to go soon to Omaha for an operation.

around off the square for a rental of the new Methodist church is booming sen's land is low and nearer to per-\$50 per month including heat and along fine. It is now about up to the manent moisture than most farms, never recovered.

She was an old settler in this country and had a large circle of the automobile. We are hoping for the care to country and had a large circle of the automobile. postoffice department can pay no have been pretty scarce just about Mr. Hansen has tried an experiment back to Grand Island the latter part

WM. ALDRICH SEEKS DIVORCE

-North Loup Loyalist.

In a letter to Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mrs. H. E. Babcock of Columbus tells of a rather remarkable experience of her son Heme who was born in Ord. The young man was waiting at a depot in one of the southern states, Texas we think, and heard two other young men talking and noticed that the tall one said he was from Nebraska. Till then Heme had a voluntary appearance."

The above item we clip from the The various churches have alranged court house news in the State Jour each has its use and, we believe, they of Miss Bond, who visited here a few that the County undertake the detheir dates for Christmas services as | nal of Tuesday. Mr. Aldrich does | would work toget er. The roller | months ago. follows: Methodist, Presbyterian and not seem to have happy experiences packs the ground down around the Baptist on Saturday night. Church with his last wife and now seeks roots. The harrow forms a mulch of Christ Sunday night, Catholic surcease in separation The present on the top of the ground which pre-Monday night. At all of these places Mrs. Aldrich did not long live in vents the evaporation and baking of appropriate programs will be put on | Valley county and is not very well | the ground.

FRUIT OF SARGENTS SALOON. mas tree festivities the Catholics will yesterday afternoon grinding out jus. pared and there will be a treat for have services at midnight Sunday tice where unequality has arisen, everyone present in the way of some well known character, and a party named Rushong, who resides near to come whether you are in the habit to come whether you are in the habit to come whether you are in the habit of coming to Sunday school or not. If was the support of the said Date Support of the said Dat night, and at 10:00 and 10:30 Christ. The parties at law were Ridder, a good things to eat, as well as by the Mrs. M. C. Whitemore of College Westerville. The culmination of this of coming to Sunday school or not. It was then suggested they could all that said Pete Zulkowske pay the assault and battery case is attributed Remember the entertainment is on unite in a Congregational church. school and was taken suddenly ill on catching all the occupants under the sunday the 3rd. Dr. Weeks of Scotia car except Mr. Florida, who escaped church, went to Lincoln last Satur- veloped into a fistic encounter. Rid. was called and pronounced her mal- with only slight bruises. Mr. Florida day where she will enter the sana- der, it seems, was bested in this and Haupt left. Saturday morning for gregational church for consultation necessary to perform an operation, and on Thursday she was taken to Dr. Mullen who came up to the tient seemed to recover from the o- Dr. Mullen went for help to take the Maude Severson has sold her re- inflicted upon him by Rushong. nine, a gentleman who seemed to sonage. peration and it is said that the cause injured ones to Broken Bow, W. F. staurant to Mrs. Molley Taylor, who when Marshal Shafer served the war of death was an acute attack of heart Dumbar and his party returning from took possession a few days ago. Mrs. rant upon Rushong at his home, he with the family, told us we need not of towns and hamlets all over Americal Surveyor survey the Morris Fowler road. Lomax came up with the party and Taylor's son who is an experienced prefaced it by a remark that Ridder count any more that there were ca who should go and do likewise. took them in his car to Broken Bow, restaurant man in Kansas City, is was dead. This remark visibly eleven of them under fifteen years of The divisions of the christians into leaving his party afoot until a car expected here to assist in the run-affected Rushong and betrayed his age. Stand up for Nebraska. connection with the affair. Rushong Dr. McGinnis left Saturday for pleaded guilty to the charge of as-Maywood and other points in the sault and drew a tine of \$15. Ridder was also brought before Justice Leach bruises. Mrs. Florida is also badly bruised from the fall and burt by mings. In addition to the fine Jus-

BOB GARRISON PASSED AWAY

Former Valley County Boy and Cashier of the Commercial National Bank is Dead

Robert D. Garrison was born in Peorla, Ill., July 16, 1873. He came Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lutz were to Nebraska in 1895 and lived for many years in Valley county.

He was married to Miss Carrie Brown of Ord, March 18, 1897. Practically ever since he left Valley county, a number of years ago, he has been connected with various banks in which he and his father and brothers were interested. At the time of his death he was Cashier of the Commercial National Bank of

Kearney. Death came Monday. Last May he was taken sick and has been a constant sufferer till death relieved him. He died Mon-Miss C. B: Comstock returned to day, Dec. 18, when he was only in New York state Saturday morning. the prime of life, 38 years, 5 months

He leaves a wife and four daughters to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held from the where his home was at the time of trip. They visited different parts of Presbyterian church at Kearney Nebraska and were down in Southern Tuesday, afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, Dr. L. C. McEwen officiating.

In its account of the funeral the Kearney Times says in part as

The obsequies of Robert D. Garrison were held at the Presbyterian who, in the days of his health and strength, was their friend in truth and fact. Many there were in the

Lee Reader of Ericson was over from Ericson last week visiting at the R. L. Staple home. He is a nephew of Mrs. Staple. The young man

USED THE ROLLER Now another farmer is heard from.

ground thoroughly, which is the business matters. by fall rolling part of his wheat, of last week. They have not decided Of coures he will roll again in the yet where they will locate but there "Nellie Aidrich is named as defen trying the effect of rolling in the expect to spend some time with her.

Speaking of rolling and harrowing,

the roller.

Both are good things and both church union. should be used as these two farmers have used them.

CHRISTMAS AT VINTON

The Christmas festivities of the Vinton Methodist church will be had at the church Friday night of this Justice Leach's court was busy week. A fine program has been pre-

veloped into a fistic encounter. Rid- A Roosevelt family by the name of dent of Home Missions of the Concaused by the blows said to have been children and when we got as far as two church buildings and one par-

The Baptist church at Elyria held and from one who was present we learn that it was quite a spread. Several from Ord were in attendance.

Mary Parsons returned home with the evening for a couple them in the evening for a couple days visit.

| Albert | Albert

Edith and Ida Madison went to SUPERVISORS Horace Friday.

Geo. Seiver was a Friday morning passenger for Sargent. Horace Robbins came down from

Burwell Friday morning. A. Norman was attending to legal business in Greeley last Friday. Grandma Clements was quite sick last Friday but was much improved

Saturday. John Shilling returned to Scotia yesterday, he has been visiting at the Ed Van Slyke home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pocock started for southern Oklahoma where they will stay for several weeks.

A. M. Mutter was down town Tues day for the first time since his accident with an auto a few weeks ago.

Walter Farris and Ted Tolbert of

Greeley were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vanskike over Sunday. Mr and Mrs. Geo. Hubbard and L. Cicohon \$1, Anna Volf \$1, Charley

at Exeter. On Tuesday eyening Mr. and Mrs.

Albert Taylor arrived from Kansas City. Mr. Taylor is a son of Mrs. Molly Taylor.

Guy Potter returned Tuesday evening from Grand Island where he had between the northeast quarter and been to attend the funeral of his the northwest quarter section 29 be wife's grand-father.

morning to her home at York. She damages were allowed as follows: has been the guest of Mrs. Hager Nels Petersen the rate of \$25, per and other Ord friends.

Mrs. C. H. Lattin, nes Lucy Sink-ler, arrived Friday from her home at was ordered laid as petitioned for, Crab Orchard, Neb She will visit except that portion which is describher father and family for a few ed as follows: "Commencing at a

He left Monday for southern Mis. range 14, west of the 6th P. M. and sourl. He is a distant relative of connecting with the now established John Romine.

O. R. Hansen of Springdale tells us where she had been to assist in bury, 29, thence in an easterly and north-

class of postoffice, and permit the good use of the fine weather the first government to come here and enter good use of the fine weather the first thing to come the first thing the first thing to come the first thing the first thing to come the first thing to come the first thing to come the half of December furnished us and thing to consider, that is that Han-staying at the Val Pullen home since L. Petersen roads. last October. She came home with Mrs. Pullen when she returned from petition was laid over until the next her extended visit in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tatlow went

two years ago. Mrs. Aldrich has filed we have a man's experience with to visit for a couple of weeks at the law." home of their relative Mrs. Chas. The following motion was made Moorhouse. The latter is a cousin by Supervisor Bell, to-wit: Moved

Liberty are just now furnishing to practical illustrations, of actual

At Sargent the Congregational

the members will unite with the Methodist church and the Methodist Carson no, Stacy no, Bell yes, Bridchurch will soon erect a new ten ges yes, Fogt yes, Johnson no, Rowell thousand dollar church and building. yes. Motion prevailed and so declar-At Liberty a Presbyterian a United ed by the Chair. Brethren and a Methodist church en- Pete Zulkowske appeared before tered an agreement to form a union.

After committees had conferred damages incurred by the laying of They called in the state Superenten-

many small churches, especially in small towns is a scandal the protestant church should rise above. Christ ing all members present. The dinner was spread in the hall Jesus Christ as saviour and Lord, as read, and on motion same was adoptrevealed in the inspired word of God ed, and warrants ordered drawn for should not be divided by any creed the several amounts as follows: . or dogma.

PROCEEDINGS

County Board Goes Through Regular Routine of Business and Then Adjourn

December 12, 1911, County Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment December

12, 1911, at 10:30 A. M. The Chairman called the Board to order after which the roll was called,

showing all members present. On motion the Morris Fowler Road was ordered laid as prayed for, and damages allowed as follows: Henry DeWit \$50, Morris, Fowler \$1, John Wall \$1, Daniel R. Lee \$1, and E.

W. Fowler \$1. On motion the Frank Voli Road was ordered laid as prayed for and damages allowed as per appraisers' report, which is as follows: John

children arrived home Thursday Ciemny \$1 and Mary Beran \$1. evening from their two weeks visit 12 o'clock M. Adjournment was taken until 1:30 P. M. 1:30 P. M. roll call. All members

present. The A. M. L. Petersen road was ordered laid as prayed for, except that all the land appropriated where this road runs in the half section line taken from A. M. L. Petersen, and Mrs Moorhouse rejurned Thursday said road to be 40 feet in width and

acre, and Andrew P. Jensen at the

rate of \$60 per acre.

point about 72 rods south of the G. W. Romine late from Colorado northwest corner of the northeast; was in Ord for a few days last week. | quarter of section 29, township 20, road which runs between the northeast quarter and the northwest Mrs. William Aldrich came up from quarter of said section 29, and run-Lincoln Friday, evening on a visit ning thence north to a certain pocwith Mrs. Harry Aldrich. She has ket of ravine within about 4 rods of lately returned from New York state the north section line of said section easterly direction around said pocket, a distance of about 8 rods to the north section line of said section 39. said road to be 40 feet wide for the distance above mentioned." And damages allowed to Andrew P. Jen-

sen in the sum of \$50.00. On motion the clerk was instruct-

On motion the P. S. Dunlap road meeting.

.The following Resolution was introduced by Supervisor Bell and on motion same was adopted as read:

"Resolved that he public good requires the establishment of a road spring, but he takes this means of daughter lives at that place and they beginning at the northwest corner

Wilson Bell. tense of the case of Robert Johnson vs. Frank Wheatcraft, and assume Two Nebraska towns Sargent and the payment of the costs taxed

sist in the defense thereof. The year and nays were called on church has disbanded and most of the above motion, which were as fol-

the Board and asked for additionalcosts of and dismiss his appeal case.

was taken until December 13, 1911, at 9 o'clock A. M. December 13, 1911, at 9:30 A. M. Board called to order by the Charl. Roll call. All members present except Johnson. On motion the Clerk * was instructed to have the county

5:30 P. M. on motion adjournment.

10 A. M. on motion adjournment was taken for committee work. 2 o'clock P. M. board called to order by the Chair. Roll call, show-

Report of committee on claims was Arnold, Chas..... 8 6 40

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Mrs. LaFollette does not propose that the public shall know that her illustrious husband is the whole cheese in her home. She is a regular contributor to

than to ask the owner of every can and let it go at that. Russian passport his nationality. If he happens to be Russian, ignore it. Fight the devil

the presiding judge. This jury, which is now a famous one, was hearing a case in St. Louis. The trial judge directed the jury to bring in a verdict in a certain with Russia.

What do you think of this of Dethi Redex, few hearing a case in St. Louis. The trial judge directed the jury to bring in a verdict in a certain with Russia. way. The jury standing on their rights as citizens and obeying their oath, did not agree with nesday morning via Denver for Holly the learned judge and refused to Colo. were her parents are living, in their time of trouble. obey. The judge kept them on She has been here nearly all summer the job for four days and then visiting among friends and relatives. let them bring in a verdict to R. P. Flynn went to Omaha last suit them. O, for more such week and brought home a bunch of juries. Judges have been assum. cattle to feed next fall.
ing too much authority in many Paul Hansen shipped his cattle to

Mayo Brothers of Rochester, morning concluded to postpone Mind., was operated on in New shipment. York for appendicitis not many Mrs. Ed Walker of North Loup days ago. Now a query arises in our mind just why so many tion of staying over Sunday. On of our people should go to Saturday morning she arose feeling Rochester when they need an very ill and concluded she would reoperation, when the Mayos turn home on the fleight. Since themselves do not think their then she has been confined to the place is the best place to have house with a bad case of Tonsilitis. before of doctors not being willbut this is the first case we know of where a surgeon as famous as the Mayor and the horse had the h to take their own medicine, his own associates.

FERNINST THE CARP

writing to the Broken Bow team is said to have included a Chief has this to say in part on teacher. Nevertheless, we have their the subject of the carp, telling scalps, so we are content for this how to get rid of him and of the time. evil work he has done:

Clayton Noll, Nora Kellison and producted the Virger at damage that results from our lakes, rivers, creeks and ponds being abundantly stocked with carp? Carp are the destructive hogs of our waters, They eat and destroy the spawn of all our game and desirable fish. As a result, the splendid game fish which were so plentiful when I first came to Nebraska, thirty years ago, are no more.

Clayton Noll, Nora Kellison and lin Ord since last June.

Arthur Clements arrived yesterday from Colorado to spend the Christmas time with his Ord relatives. His family has been here for several weeks.

Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is where his father lives and if Arthur the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. This is the Arthur Dumond left yesterday morning for Luwellen, Neb. T

should be exerted to rid our waters of the great destroyers, the carp.

There should also be some private fish hatcheries established on each main branch of the Loup rivers. One on the Calimus river near the Horseshoe bend, one on the Middle Loup river, on the Dismal river and another one on the South Loup near Callaway.

date is not the beginning or the second semester, but the closing weeks of the first. The second begins Monday, January 22.

Mrs. Geo. Eberhart and daughter Alice went to Grand Island Monday returning Tuesday.

""UNDER THE STARS" Under the stars, one holy night, A utile habe was born; Over His head a star shone bright, W. HASKELL, Editor and Owner And glistehed till the morn. And wise men came from far away, And shaperds wandered where He lay Entered at the postoffice at Ord as second class mail matter. Upon His lowly bed of hay, Under the stars one night.

Under the stars, one blessed night,
The Christ Child came to earth.
And through the darkness broke the light
Of morning at His Birth, And sweet bosannas filled the air, The Virgin Mary knelt in prayer, Under the stars one night.

Under the stars this happy night, We wast for Him once more, And seem to see the wondrous sight The sheperds saw of yore. O, Baby born in Bethlehem Come to us as You came to them, And crown us with love's diadem, Under the stars tonight.

Anna S. Driscol in Hamilton County Advocat

The State Grange, in session the public print. But she is not at Broken Bow last week, deso drastic and hot headed as the clared in favor of a tariff on raw materials. Sure. Why should Tuesday. not the farmers be in favor of President Taft saw that the such a tariff, and the republican Monday night. senate was going to fool around party is with them on the propwith that Russian treaty, which osition. But sugar men want a Russia has been breaking for tariff on sugar. The clothing day on business. the past many years, so he took implement manufacturers on clothing. The if you have not bought that presimplement manufacturers on implement yet get busy. the quietus on the document. plements. And so on over the whole list. And has not one Russia has been in the habit as another? The tariff question

kussia has been in the habit for many years past of asking every American who presents passports at her gates all about the visitor's religion. If the religion happens to be Jewish, the passport is ignored. The president has abrogated the treaty now, but it takes a year for the abrogation to become effectual. Meanwhile what would be nicer than to ask the owner of every the passion of getting is only a question of getting what you want as nearly as possible. It will not do to have a tariff on everything, neither will it do to have no tariff. So there you are. No tariff law can be a popular thing, for no system of tariffs can be adopted that will absolutely please any one. The only way is to get the best you remain question of getting were down from Burwell Saturday.

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Hamilton County Advocate is package. before us, and it is a beauty, C. H. Ha well edited, generously patronized, and handsomely printed. It looks like a stayer.

What do you think of this? of Detilif Heuck, returned to Grand

ASH GROVE VALLEY

Miss Esther Bowen left this Wed-

them. J. E. Bresley had made ar-We observe from the dis-rangements to ship Wednesday but patches that one of the famous found a big storm on tan in the

SCHOOL NOTES Miss Conety has been out of school

We have had two or three dark

been lighted on the east side of the tended visit. assembly room.

In our basket ball games of last Friday night the Palmer boys proved W. S. Maftley of Ansley, to be a town team and the Loup City

Clayton Noll, Nora Kellison and

There will be two weeks' vacation, Every power at the command of the state and county government should be exerted to rid our waters day, January 8, 1912. This latter date is not the beginning of the

GREETING...

TAKE great pleasure in thanking one and all for your patronage for the past year, which I assure you has been greatly appreciated by me, and hope a continuance of the same. I wish you all a "Merry Christmas" and a "Happy New Year"

Chains

Yours for another year of prosperity

Rings Fobs

... WHY EXPERIMENT

BUY IT OF PARKINS

THEN YOU KNOW IT'S GOOD

Jewelry gifts of beauty, quality and brightest, snappiest advance 1912 patterns

Geese, nice and fat, for sale by J. B. Nay. 37-2t

Ray Howard was up from Greeley

R. L. Staple went to Burwell Mon-

Only the best if it has "Parkins" on the package.

Mrs. Guy Laverty and daughter

She will know it's good if it The initial number of the has the name "Parkins" on the C. It. Hayes of Grand Island came

at Timm's. Victor Spethman, a brother-in-law

E. J. Babcock came up from North Loup Thursday evening going on to

Greeley the next day. Geo. Giger of Riverdale came in Monday to be with the Prestle family

Thursday. The former from Omaha court, then in session, did not grind and the latter from Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Howard were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Selver of Oma-

ha are visiting at the Earl Foss home. The lady is a sister of Mr. Foss. That was a prefty good snow Tues-day night and yesterday. It will go

a ways toward the store of moisture. Mrs. Chas. Stichler returned Satur day from Missouri where she went last week to see her father who was

W, P. Summers of Vinton went to

Mrs. W. H. H. Ramsey and Mell Wambuugh left Monday for New the Mayos are was unwilling to we have had two or three dark Jersey where they will make an exportional payments—lowest rates—risk his own life in the hands of mornings lately. Twice the gas has risk his own life in the hands of mornings lately. Twice the gas has tended visit.

> of Mrs. Parkins, is here on a visit. fore you borrow. He arrived last night and will be here several days.

Chanute, Kansas. They have been Hall. in Ord since last June.

likes it there he may stay permanently.

Carrie Hessletine of Peru, a niece of Mrs. Jones, returnred to her home weeks of the first. The second begins this morning. She had been staying the holidays. at the Jones home while Mrs. Jones and Lillian were in Omaha,

> If you want to borrow money on land write for application blanks.—Central Nebraska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Nebraska.

A card from Mrs. Charlotte A. Miller requesting us to send her paper to Citronelle, Ala., adds that that is a beautiful place and she is prepared to greatly enjoy her winter there. The town is near Mobile.

Mrs. Dr. Gard went to Lincoln yesterday morning for a few days stay at the D. A. Gard home. Harlin Easton, the doctor's little nephew of Lincoln returned home with her. He has been visiting in Ord for a couple of weeks.

Yesterday A. J. Firkins received from Lexington a trio of Bourbon Red turkeys. They are beauties and may be seen at the poultry show today and the rest of the week. After the show they will be sent to Mrs. Muril Harris, who is proving herself to be a great poultry raiser.

J. H. Cronk, who came here last week on account of the funeral of his grand-father, retuned home to Emmett, Idaho, this morning. J. H. is doing business in his' town handling feed, building materials and other things. He says his town is shead of the country, but the country is catching up fast. He looks hearty and prosperous.

Christmas afternoon and evening we will run the pictures of Auld Lang Syne and music to same. From child-Bessie Frick went to Grand Island think of the most beautiful of sen-Christmas treat. E. R. Foss Mgr.

up Thursday to be the new barber a few weeks ago, was taken to the Independent of that date:

Harold Roberts, the man who pleaded guilty to holding up John Rybin on Front street, near the Bernard hospital, was taken to Lincoln today by Sheriff Dunkel to serve his indeterminate sentence of from three

sentence had been imposed on him don't he will. several days ago, but the sheriff held Dr. and Mrs. Shepard came home him in jail there to see if the district out some more convicts.

Paul Hansen shipped his cattle to up from Greeley over Sunday guests all over the hills and dells of Valley Others charge a quarter. Drive in Omaha Monday going along with of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright. the recent snow storm, and more take care of your team. snow is falling. The wind has not yet disturbed the beautiful and, as it is now warmer, the snow may become packed so as to be pretty sure to remain where it is all winter or for a long time at least.

MEETING TONIGHT

tonight for the purpose of disposing Sunday Bee, for only \$4.50. Alma Friday to transact some busi- of a Christmas fund raised for the You can have the paper sent to ness matters with ex-governor Shal- benefit of the needy. The meeting different addresses, if you like. Subnot last long.

Plenty of money for farm loanspayable at Ord-money ready when G. D. Purdam of Missouri, brother you are. See J. H. Capron, Ord, be-

Dr. Rich, Specialist, Grand Island. May and Mary Collison started yes. | Chronic diseases of men and women. | Rupture and Piles treated without terday for their parents' home at an operation. Office opposite City of the so-called civilized nations pre-18-tf

Herman Breadtheur and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Breadtheur came up from throughout the countries of their dofrom Colorado to spend the Christ- Scotia Monday to attend the Prestle funeral.

> Mrs. Guggemus of St. Paul and Joe Guggemus of Omaha arrived Monday to be in attendance at the Prestle

Colo, yesterday morning. This is where her garents live.

Lincoln last evening and will spend

hood up we are correctly taught, to timents as associated with Auld Lang-Syne. Dec. 25th we have the magnificent vitagraph reproduction of this interesting rustic tale in two reels Don't fall to see this wonderful piece of work. You will certainly be rewarded. You know what the Vitigraph Co. can make of such a pretty subject. We will run afternoon and evening. Afternoon show 2 to 5, evening 7 to 10:30. At the afternoon matinee all children up to 10 years of age accompanied with

TAKEN TO THE PEN

Yesterday the highwayman who assailed John Rybin at Grand Island penitentiary, according to the following clipped from the Grand Island

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Commercial Club at the First National Bank building above combination, including the will be called at 8 o'clock and will scribe now, before you forget it.

funeral. Esther Bowen returned to Holly,

Mildred Daniels came home from

Sure it's Good. See the name 'Parkins" on the package. Next Monday is Christmas.

Fur Coats

J. W. Gregory returned last even. ing from Des Moines where he had been to see his father who was ill.

FOR THE LADIES

Rings

Watches, etc.

Just REMEMBER I have the gifts beautiful at the price you ought to pay.

years of square dealing back of every article

EO. A. PARKIN

AT THE SIGN OF THE BIG CLOCK ON THE WINDOW

"The Busy Jeweler"

Bracelets

School closes tomorrow evening for a two weeks vacation. Hunt up Roberts had pleaded guilty and something for that boy to do. If you.

TEAM FED FOR 20 CENTS I have bought the Old Blue Front Barn and will appreciate the trade o the farmers. I am making a special-A full eight inches of snow is lying ty of feeding your team for 20 cents.

Charles Hunt. OUR CHRISTMAS OFFER

To Our Subscribers for Renewals The Ord Quiz (13 months) to Jan. The Omaha Daily Bee, (13 months)

to Jan. 1, 1913. The Woman's World, one year. All three for only \$3.50. Or the

Address The Ord Quiz.

Why We Shake Hands. A writer in the New York Sun has unearthed the following explanation of a common custom:

How many of us, for instance, know why friends shake hands when they meet? The Chinese are said to shake their own hands in greeting, with an air of cordial delight. Why do people fer to shake each other by the hand? We are told that it is an old Roman custom, spread by the Romans minion. Shaking hands means, "You are my friend. Believe it for the excellent reason that if you were not ! should draw my sword. And how could I draw my sword with my shield upon my left arm and my right han firmly clasped in yours?" So when we shake hands we are merely saying in the pantomime of ancient Rome "There is peace and good will between us, for our swords are in their scab bards."

LOST-Child's fur. Mrs. Ben Eber-

LOST-A log-chain on road between my place and Jack Brown's. Jake Peterson. 38-pd.

Is just commencing and RIGHT NOW is the time for

you to buy

Blankets

Because you get discounts on all these goods this

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

F. J. DWORAK

Underwear

Arctics

Duck Coats

week which you will need from now on.

to call your attention to this Bank and its management, trusting that we may receive your favorable

FOR THE MEN

Smoking Sets
Cuff Buttons

Military Sets

A review of our history since organization, and a glance at the names of our Directors, all of whom are residents and large property owners of Valley county, we think is sufficient guarantee that your interests will be safely guarded.

We believe that men of good business judgment and conservative ideas appreciate our sound progressive management and our growth and success is the community's gain in building up the commercial developement of our county.

WE INVITE YOU TO CALL AND SEE US

The First National Bank

ORD, NEBRASKÁ

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS .

- \$145,000.00

CHRISTMAS

WE wish to thank the people of Ord and vicinity for their liberal patronage towards us and hope that you will appreciate our way of doing business and give us a share of your patronage in the future. You need the kind of service we can give you and we want the kind of business you can give us.

LET'S GET TOGETHER

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we are

Yours truly,

Day Light Cash Store

MAURICE ZEVITZ, Proprietor

Don't Forget≡

That we handle the best grades of coal in Nigger Head, Rock Springs and Sunshine Canon lump and nut. Also eastern hard coal in nut and egg size.

We guarantee satisfaction

Be sure that your sale bills are printed at the Quiz office

for cooking instead of butter or lard. It is a new scientific discovery-absolutely wholesome, is made under hygenic conditions from edible vegetable oils. It is in no sense a compound or mixture of oils and fat. It has been tested by leading chefs and in scientific cooking kitchens and hotel kitchens. It does not burn-makes no smoke. By getting CRIS-CO very hot you cook the outside of the food instantly, thus forming a crust prevening grease from soaking in, which accounts for the secret of the dry, crisp fried foods that CRIS-

CO makes. Price 25c per can. Our Norwegian imported sardines are the finest in quality obtainable. 15c per can, 2 cans for 25c.

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PROOF CLAIMED OF OUTWARD The News of Many Climes Told in DESTRUCTION OF MAINE.

GOOD JOB FOR GENERAL BARRY

Investigation Shows Force of Exploalon-Findings Now in Hands of Congress—Barry Booked for Head of Home.

Washington. - President Taft has sent to congress a brief formal message transmitting the full text of the report of the investigating board which found that the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor by an external explosion. The board in its report emphasized the fact that it found what is called the port garboard running from stem to stern-was "dished upwards as much as twentyfour inches from a straight line"; that another stake, technically called "C," was displaced "upwards and inwards for 100 square feet," and that part of the inner bottom plating was "displaced upwards" and left approximately six feet above its original po-

Been Assured of Appointment. Washington.-General P. H. Barry of Greeley, member of the national board of soldiers' homes, was in Washington Thursday on his way north with Major Wadsworth, the president and other members of the board. During General Barry's call at the office of Representative Maguire, who was instrumental in securing his present appointment, it became known that General Barry has virtually been as sured of appointment as governor of the soldiers' home at Dayton, O., one of the largest homes in the United

Investigating Dynamite Conspiracy. Indianapolis, Ind.-After weeks of investigation by government agents in many parts of the country where explosions took place, the federal grand jury has begun its inquiry into an alleged nation-wide conspiracy by which more than 100 structures were blown up, and in which dynamite, nitroglycerin and other explosives were carried into at least seventeen states.

Protests American Loan to Manchus Shanghai.-Dr. Wu Ting Fang, former minister to Washington and now secretary of foreign affairs for the rebel government, has announced that he believed the imperialists realized the hopelessness of saving the dynasty. He has sent a protest to Washington and to Andrew Carnegie asking that no American loan be made to the Manchus.

Another Attempted Jall Delivery. Leavenworth, Kan.-What is believed to have been another attempt at, a prison delivery has been discovered at the federal penitentiary here. Two men were seen to approach the prison near an isolated corner, apparently prepared to throw something over the wall. A sentinel fired twice at them and they fled. Officers were sent in pursuit.

Want Secretary Wilson Fired.

Washington.—The dismissal of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson from the cabinet because he participated in the brewers' congress at Chicago, as honorary president, recently, was demanded at the national anti-saloon league convention, which likewise went on record as opposed to the reinstatement of the army canteen.

Washington.-Congress is expected to pass supplementary legislation this winter relative to payment for land included in reclamation projects, to the end that farmers in these areas may have a longer period in which to pay for their land. This legislation will have the support of the entire Nebraska delegation, it ap-

In Behalf of Nebraska Indians.

Washington. - Congressman Stephens has introduced two bills in behalf of the Poncas and the Santee Indians in Nebraska. The Poncas bill provides that all claims they may have against the government shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the court of claims, instead of having to be settled in the department, as at present. The bill for the Santees provides that the court of claims shall have jurisdiction over the settlement of annuities

Prohibit Importation of Absinthe. Washington. - Declaring absinth4 dangerous to health, the pure food board of the department of agriculture has decided that its importation into the United States should be prohibited after January 1, next.

Will Abrogate Treaty of 1832. Washington,-The abrogation of the Russian treaty of 1832 because of discriminations against American Jews and others, may become the law of the land before the Christmas holiday recess of congress.

Rome.-A decree issued by the pope makes St. Patrick's day a holy day, but not one of obligation. The effect of this ruling will be to make March 17 a feast day, even when it falls upon a day of abstinence.

Canadian Sealers Out of a Job. Seattle, Wash.—The ratification of the fur seal treaty takes away the occupation of forty-one Canadian sealing schooners now at anchor in the arbor of Victoria, B. C. The owners ye put in a claim of \$550,000 for nengation

TO VARIOUS LOCALITIES.

GREATER OR LESS IMPORTANT

Short and Pithy Paragraphs, Written Expressly for the Busy Man's Perusal.

• Washington. The pension committee will consider

Christmas holidays. senate to eliminate from oaths the words "So help me, God"

The foreign affairs committee has agreed to favorably report the Sulzer resolution for abrogation of the Russian treaty.

A bill appropriating \$50,000 for the Briceville, Tenn., sufferers has been fortune of \$40,000, left by his father. introduced by Senator Lea of Ten-

The present session of congress will be largely political and the game will sult of an explosion Saturday, with stake—a continuous line of planking be an interesting one. The first week little hope of finding any of them alive. was comparatively dull. George W. Perkins has put before

> plan for a federal commission for lieve they are in need of vindication licensing corporations. Officials of the Chinese embassy are worried over the failure of Shao Kip has passed resolutions condemning

(Alfred) Sze, newly appointed minister from China, to arrive at Washing-Another quarter of a million dollars

eral Bixby for raising the battleship Maine. This would make a total of Senator Hitchcock will shortly in-

troduce a bill requiring passenger ships clearing from American ports to carry two wireless operators. The present law demands only one opera-

The railroad securities commission recommends that enforced publicity for all railroad financing is the most effective weapon against stock watering which the government has at its command.

Senator Brown declares all parties and all candidates should recognize statement No. 1 of the Nebraska primary law, and says he is ready to dead at the inquest of Charles R. Mar abide entirely by the result of the ple, former Omaha lawyer and regent April primary.

General News.

Congress will take a recess from December 22 to January 3.

United States by way of Jamaica. The estate of the late John W. Gates is stated to be \$18,542,705.07. Ambrose Agius, papal delegate in Harvester company to pay more taxes. the Philippines, died suddenly Wed-

nesday morning. As a result of heavy rains there is fear of further damage by a second flood at Black River Falls, Wis.

A Russian detachment of 450 men to reinforce the legation guard. King George V and his consort,

emperor and empress of India.

at St. Louis has been recovered. From now until January 1 the Red

anywhere on letters or packages. Quentin prison Saturday to begin serv- fiy that is considered so destructive to

ing sentences for confessed dynamit- the orange groves of the United That there are 100 or more dead

een abandoned. thirty injured by the derailment of republic and they will be sold.

two cars which fell into the river Durno in Portugal. A proposal to adopt a general law

coholic liquors throughout New Zeaand has been defeated. A dangerous insurrection has broken

out in Albania. Twelve thousand men are under arms and an extension of the movement is probable.

has resulted in a democratic victory in paste diamonds and gained his nom for senators and representatives in de plume by throwing diamonds over congress and state officials, according the sidewalk to see people scramble to admissions of republican leaders. A suit has been filed at Boston for the dissolution of the United Shoe tion city and the call has been issued

Machinery company. commissioner at Salt Lake City, who dates for president and vice president has charge of operations west of Chi- on the republican ticket, cago, says that labor conditions throughout the entire west are worse

many years.
Several of the small towns in the

government. That Russia intends to grab Persia land, but Great Britain finds herself in tempting to influence the verdict of a no position to interfere with the jury.

menace of Germany hanging over her. has purchased from the Burley To- of the Netherlands, founder of the "inbacco society, at 161/2 cents a pound, all the tobacco remaining in the 1909 tute of international law), and the pool, about 8,000,000 pounds, thus closing out all the pool holdings and of Vienna, editor of the Journal Friebringing the tobacco war to a close.

An edict announcing the resignation of the regent, Prince Shuen, has been issued by the empress dowager of office department shows a surplus in-China. It is signed by members of stead of a deficit. the cabinet.

The Sherwood service pension bill granting increased pensions to civil and Mexican war veterans on the at Hayward, Wis. The cases will be basis of length of service, has been

passed by the house. Wharton Barker, a Philadelphia banker, alleges that President Roosevelt had been given the details of the clares that the contingency of war impending panic of 1907 several months before it happened, but took army of the United States practically nation papers as a candidate for gov. In growing and marketing of fruit. no action to prevent it.

The infant daughter of Queen Victoria of Spain, born Tuesday, will probably receive the name of Chris

The Russian minister of the interior TO VARIOUS LOCALITIES. has introduced in the duma a bill to authorize a credit of \$59,000,000 for famine relief.

The republican national committee

met at Chicago Tuesday and formulated the preliminary plans for the campaign of 1912.

Japan is casting covetous eyes

toward China and will likely come in for a share of the grab if that king

dom goes to pieces. James B. McCreary, in whose election Kentucky returned to the democratic column, was inaugurated as governor Tuesday.

The guerrila bands of Moros in the service pension legislation after the Jolo district of Manila, against which American detachments have been op A bill has been introduced in the erating for the last few weeks, have

capitulated Mayor Emil Seldel, social-democrat will again go before the people of Milwaukee as a candidate for re-election in the municipal contest next April.

Hajo Ijesz, a porter in a saloon at Des Moines, Iowa, has fallen heir to a who died in Holland sixteen years ago. Two hundred and seven men are entombed in a Tennessee mine as a re-

Neither Rockefeller or Gates will testify before the congressional investhe interstate commerce committee a tigating committee. They do not be The Minne-ota state federation of labor through its executive council.

the McNamara brothers for dynamit-Twenty-two of the suffragettes ar rested in connection with the demonhas been asked from congress by Gen- stration at the London house of commons on November 21, have been in-

dicted. The new Carnegie library and the own hall, under construction at Pres ton, Minn., collapsed. A crew of work men engaged in the construction

Bandits shot to death J. C. Terry proprietor of a roadhouse near Bar tlesville, Okla, because he attempted to prevent their robbing L. O. Blair, a hotel man.

The lockout of metal workers which began on November 30 and af fected between 50,000 and 60,000 men has been settled and many have returned to work.

The coroner at Springfield, Ill., fel of Nebraska university, whose body was found in the Illinois river.

Among officers elected by the Hotel men's Protective association, in ses sion at New York city, Rome Miller W. J. Bryan has left Colon for the of Omaha, Neb., was chosen a mem ber of the executive committee.

Maxwell Edgar, a Chicago lawyer who tried to force the International testified in the Lorimer investigation that he was offered money to quit.

Official reports received at Mexico City that uprisings had taken place in the state of Puebla, caused the government to order the third batand two guns has arrived at Peking talion from that place into that state the meat packers at Chicago was en-Queen Mary, were Tuesday proclaimed dorsed by the corn belt meat pro tude takes on more interest because ducers' association in convention at the legislature at its last session au-

R. S. Woglum of the bureau of en-Cross Christmas seals may be placed tomology, department of agriculture, returned from India with a quantity of The McNamara brothers left for San the parasites that feed on the white

The Portuguese government has de men remaining in the Briceville, cided that the jewels found in the Tenn, mine there is no doubt, but royal palaces at Lisbon, Cintra, Maira hope of rescuire any of them alive has and other places after the flight of King Manuel and his relatives on Oc Sixteen persons were killed and tober 1, 1910, are the property of the

A vigorous investigation and prose cution of all connected with the alleged dynamite conspiracy is the inof prohibition against the sale of all junction from the department of jus tice to Attorney Miller, under which he will conduct the federal grand jury

inquiry at Indianapolis. W. A. Scholl, better known through out the west as "Diamond Dick," is dead at St. Joseph, Mo., of acute alco-The first state election in Arizona holism. He was at one time a dealer

after them. Chicago was chosen as the convenfor the assembling of delegates on Thomas Estilla, Salvation Army Tuesday, June 18, to nominate candi-

The committee urging abrogation of of 1832 treaty between the United than for many years. He declares States and Russia declares that the that conditions are especially bad in czar's alleged discrimination against Colorado mining camps and that there citizens had not been confined to Jews is a nearer approach to actual suffer lalone but were extended to include ing in working men's homes than for Catholic priests, protestant ministers

and American missionaries. Burt H. Franklin, an investigator state of Puebla, Mexico, have joined employed by the defense in the murin the rebellion against the Madero der trial of James B, McNamara, just ended, has been held to the superior court at Los Angeles to answer to the is the conclusion arrived at in Eng- charges of bribing a juror and at-

The Nobel Peace prize has been The American Tobacco company awarded jointly to Prof. T. M. C. Asser stitut de droit international" (insti-Austrian peace advocate, Alfred Fried denshautte. Each will receive \$19,500. For the first time since 1803 the annual financial statement of the post-

> A change of venue was granted in the case of the members of the John Dietz family of Cameron dam affair tried in Eau Claire county the first Monday in March.

In his annual report to the president, Secretary of War Stimson dewith a first-class power would find the unprepared.



State Debt Half a Million. The semi-annual report of State 1, 1911, the amount of outstanding ing had been irregular and that of warrants of the state has increased from \$308,658 to \$518,775.64. The cary. The wagon had fallen on him. amount of warrants issued during the

semi-annual period was \$1,941,414.14, and the amount paid, \$1,751,297.19. Most of the warrants outstanding are drawn on the general fund and the temporary university fund. The warrants outstanding on the general fund aggregate \$294,761.64 and those on the temporary university fund, \$195,049.74. The outstanding warrants constitute the state's floating debt and this is the first time in many years any such debt has existed. The state treasurer hopes to wipe out this indebtedness during the next few months, after taxes begin to come into the treasury.

The following is a statement of the outstanding warrants on the several state funds as shown by the auditor's report for November 30; General fund\$294,761.64 Temporary university fund 195,049.74 U. S. Experiment Station

fund 1,910.65 University cash fund..... 19,670.02 Normal interest fund..... 255.65 Normal library fund, Peru. 122.96 Normal library fund, Kear-107.90 State library fund...... 63.15

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State Reward for Coal.

Ephriam Johnson, whose home is at Hooper, has applied to Governor Aldrich for the state reward of \$4,000 for the discovery of a twenty-six inch vein with the governor asking him to appoint some one, in accordance with the statute, to investigate and report the facts. The coal was discovered on a quarter section of land owned by Mr. Johnson and his wife in Logan township, Dodge county, on the Elkborn river.

interest in Recodification.

To eliminate technicalities and remove those obstacles which hinder the course of speedy justice, members of the Nebraska Bar association are taking an active interest in the December 28 and 29, when such rec-The government's prosecution of the session as one of the most impor- his all. tant in years. The association's atti-

> Sugar Beets Good Paying Crop. The industrial school for boys at Kearney raised forty acres of sugar beets last summer and sold the crop for \$2,661.55, after deducting the cost of the seed. This is considered a good paying crop by Land Commissioner Cowles, who watches the state farms with a critical eye. The crop brought a net return of over \$66 an acre.

> Food Commissioner's Good Balance. The semi-annual report of State Food Commissioner Jackson shows that during the past six months his department has expended a total of \$9,231.44 in the payment of salaries of inspectors, transportation, telegraph and telephone charges, leaving a balance of \$19,939,41 in that fund.

> Arthur B. Allen has entered the race for secretary of the state railway commission. Mr. Allen is now secretary of the state republican committee. He formerly occupied the same position and served as private secretary to Governor Mickey,

to get the Burlington and the Missouri | ter than during the summer. Pacific railroad officials to agree to build a union depot at the function of the two roads near the city limits. At present the Burlington depot is one mile and one-quarter from town and the Missouri Pacific depot is one mile away. The citizens have not brought the matter before the state railway commission, but have appointed a committee of citizens to confer with railroad officials

Semi-annual reports from heads of state institutions now coming into the governor's office show that it cost \$149.36 per capita to support members of the soldiers' home at Grand Island for the six months' period ending November 30, while it cost only \$137,41 for each member of the state school the school for blind was larger than sidewalk and dashed his brains out. the cost at any other state institution. Last year he was considered one of The state reclaimed \$100 a year from the star athletes on the Pacific coast, the general government for each old His picture was recently printed. soldier in state homes.

The first message sent to congress by President Taft and dealing with show that ever came down the pike," the trust problems has met with the that document.

the greatest state paper on the subbeen written," said the governor.

ernor on the democratic ticket.

ALL OVER NEBRASKA.

Peculiarly Fatal Accident. Hall County.-With the edge of a large, three-deck wagonbox across his throat, Frank Klincacek, aged 27, a young farmer residing two miles northwest of Cairo, at the edge of the county, was found dead in a ditch alongside the road. He had been in the village of Cairo in the evening and had started home. Wagen tracks Auditor Barton shows that since June | indicated to the coroner that the drivficial decided no inquest to be neces-

> Tooth Found in Home-Made Candy. Burt County.-At a church fair neld in Lyons there was quite a quantity of "home-made candy" rold from one of the booths, Mrs. Julia Cleveland was among the purchasers of a dime sack of the saccharine dainty, which she took home with her. While munching it with much satisfaction the next day she discovered that one piece had a genuine human molar tooth in it.

Second Degree Murder.

Dodge County.-A verdict was returned at Fremont finding Louis Rodgers guilty of murder in the second degree for killing his illegitimate child. Whether or not Mrs. Richter, who is a defendant on the same charge, will be brought to trial the state's attorney refuses to say. There seems to be no question but what she will be held at Fremont until the motion for a new trial in the case of Rodgers, her paramour, is decided.

Nebraskan Drowned in Illinois. Douglas County - Charles H. Marple, former regent of the University of Nebraska, prominent Omaha attorney and captain in the army in the Spanish war, was drowned at Beardstown, Ill., when he accidentally walked off the dock in the dark. He fell against a stone wall which ran up to the dock and was knocked unconscious, the swift current carrying him into deep water.

South Omaha Protests. Douglas County.-Through Secretary A. F. Stryker the South Omaha Live Stock exchange has filed a comof coal, which he believes is of suf- plaint with the State Railway comficient extent to pay for mining and is mission asking that the Minneapolis near enough to the surface of the & Omaha railroad be compelled to earth to be mined by modern mining give better train service for the shipmethods. He has filed an affidavit | ment of stock from Wynot, Crofton and Bloomfield to South Omaha.

> Student Painfully Burned. Jefferson County-Miss Myrtle Schlarb, a student in the Fairbury High school, met with a painful injury while performing an experiment in chemistry. She was mixing a solu-

> tion of sulphric acid and water when it exploded, throwing the contents over her head. .

Died a Pauper. Otoe County.-John H. Swartz, one Otoe County.-John H. Swartz, one of the pioneers of this section, died revision of the Nebraska codes of at the county farm and was brought civil and criminal proceedure. This to this city for burlal, He was 84 years interest will take form at the annual of age and at one time was one of the meeting of the association in Lincoln, largest land owners of this section, but sold out and went south, where ommendations will be made, marking he invested in southern land and lost

Shot by Companion. Otoe County.—Mr. Imm of the firm A package containing \$25,000, which Des Moines. The stockmen said they thorized the recodification and a com- of Imm & Tucker was out hunting disappeared from the annex postoffice wanted competitive markets kept mission is now at work on the re- with Marcus Sichl, and while the has not yet been worked out. latter was crawling through a hedge fence his gun caught and was discharged, the contents of the gun entering the calf of the right leg of Mr. Imm, making a serious, if not fatal wound.

> Richardson Settles With Road. Cass County.—Postmaster W. T. Richardson of Mynard, one of the vicfims of the wreck of the Missouri Pacific at Fort Crook October 14, is getting along nicely. He settled with the railway company, receiving \$10,000.

> > Flege to Renew Bond.

Wayne County.-William Flegs who is charged with the murder of his sister, Louise, and whose case was remanded by the supreme court, left for Ponca to appear in the district court, now in session there, to renew his bond. It is not known now when the case will be tried.

Homestead Proofs.

Lancaster County.—Seventeen final homestead proofs were filed at the local land office during the month of November. This is about the average number filed during the cold weather, it was stated at the land office. More Falls City people are endeavoring final proofs are made during the win-

Found Dead in the River. Eeward County.-The body of John D. Troyer was found in the Blue river above the Blue River Power company's dam. He had but a short time before rowed across the river with Captain Elwin Culver and whether his death was due to accident or suicide does not seem certain.

Athlete Killed by Falling. Merrick County.-Word has reached here of the death of Noble Renneker, formerly a star athlete in Nebraska Central college, a semi-professional wrestler of some note in this part of the state, and afterwards a star athlete in Whittier college at Whittier. Cal. He was instantly killed by a fall for blind at Nebraska City. Formerly from a tree, where he was trimming the cost of maintaining students at off branches. He alighted on a cement

> Show Will be Big Event. Lancaster County.--"The biggest

is what Secretary C. G. Marshall of unqualified approval of Governor the State Board of Horticulture pre-Aldrich, who is loud in his praise of dicts in connection with the fortysecond annual meeting of the State "It was a courageous message and Horticultural society, which will be held at the university farm January ject of the anti-trust law that has ever 16 to 18. The president of the society is W. A. Harrison of York. A large John H. Morehead, president pro boxed apple display in addition to the tem of the last state senate, whose usual plate display is expected to be home is at Falls City, has filed nomi of great interest to persons interested SQUIKRELS OR TREES?

BERIOUS PROBLEM CONFRONTS EXPERTS IN FORESTRY.

Little Ahimals Cause Serious Trouble Wherever Forest Service Has Tried to Reforest Cut-over or Burned Areas.

Whether we have squirrels or forests in the United States is a question that is now presenting itself urgently to the department of agriculture. Dr. H. H. Henshaw, chief of the biological survey, has just returned to Washing ion after a tour of the west, where the forest service is worried over this problem.

The squirrels that are forcing themselves into the balance against the trees are the gray squirrels of the west and the Pacific coast. There has been an immense amount of trouble wherever the forest service has tried to reforest either cut-over or burned areas from the small rodents that ate the seeds before they sprout-

ed. The gophers, field mice and ground squirrels have been the worst offenders, and it has been found necessary to exterminate these little pests over large areas before reforesting

was at all successful. This has been done in some cases with the aid of the biological survey, and in cases where from 75 to 80 per cent, of the seed were formerly eaten within 36 hours after planting, it has been found possible to kill off the small ground animals and get a good stand of new timber. In fact, in the Cochapaw forest of Colorado it is probable that the stand of young trees will have to be thinned out to give room the trees ought to have.

But now comes the gray squirrel and presents a new problem to the forester. In most of the reforesting areas the seed of the yellow pine is the most desirable seed to be planted. The gray squirrels, it is found, not only eat the seed that are planted, but if the seed crop is at all light they eat the seed before the foresters can collect them for planting. The rangers have tried the experiment of watching the squirrels and find they frequently can locate the hoards of the little red squirrel, getting as much as a bushel of seed sometimes from a single granary. But the gray squirrel does not hoard the seed. He either eats as he

it is useless to book for them. The biological survey does not want to exterminate the squirrels, and does not intend to poison them, at first at any rate, but will send out hunters to kill them off by shooting in the worst infested regions to see whether they can be held in check till the new trees get a start.

Doctor Henshaw said he made a visit to the national bison range, where 20,000 acres have been fenced on the Flathead Indian reservation, and found the herd of bison installed there doing well and taking kindly to their new surroundings. The Flathead Indians have several thousand acres of land they want to irrigate, and they cannot readily get water to do it without runhing an irrigation ditch across the bison park. They are willing to do the work of ditch digging themselves or pay the department of agriculture for having it done, but the department does not want to risk this invasion of the bison territory, and the method by which the question shall be settled

Golden Gate Fogs.

The fogs of the Pacific, and especially those on the coast of California and Washington, present some characteristic features of their own. They are low lying, dense and of frequent and regular occurrence, and have been the cause directly and indirectly of a large percentage of marine disasters in the vicinity of San Francisco. Owing to the general movement of the air from the sea toward the land, and the climate of the great interior valley, fog is frequent and well marked. In summer the afternoon sea fog varies in depth from 100 to 1,700 feet, but it

rarely reaches far inland. On some afternoons the velocity of the wind at San Francisco rises with almost clocklike regularity to about twenty-two miles an hour, and a solid wall of fog, averaging 1,500 feet in height, comes through the Golden Gate, causing a fall in temperature to about that of the sea-namely, 55 de-

grees Fahrenheit. The upper level of the fog can be plainly seen from the hills in the vicinity. Above the fog level the air is cloudless, and the afternoon temperature ranges from 80 degrees Fahrenheit to 90 degrees Fahrenheit.

Seek Rest in Churches.

"Quite astonishing is the number of male and female derelicts who float into church at this time of the year," observed a veteran New York sexton. "Particularly on stormy days is the attendance big and there is a line already formed before we unlock the doors in the morning. These unfortunate humans seek rest and refuge from the inclement weather. Why, it often happens that I have to awaken these friendless beings from sound slumbers. Not content with sleeping while in attitude of prayer, they frequently stretch themselves full length on rear pews, and I get my cue from the well-developed snores."

Chance for Profit.

Considering the accommodations the young doctor thought the rental asked for the office exorbitant. He enumerated the drawbacks; no sunshine, limited space, stuffy elevator, threadbare and insufficient furniture. The agent listened in tolerant silence, then he turned and looked out of the window at the frenzied crowds dodging to protect life and limb from the onslaughts of trucks and four different car lines that crossed at that cor-

"Yes, sir," he said, "I admit all that, but just look at the opportunity for accidents."

Daily Gilmpse of Manhattan. The street believes that the most philanthropic thing the Laird of Skibo could do would be to tell what he considers a "good buy." - New York Sun.



Cures all blood humors eruptions, clears the comp ion, creates an appetite, digestion, relieves that the feeling, gives vigor and vir chocolated tablets called Satsatabe.



The Pessimist-Fame is a bubl. The Optimist-But it isn't the hard est blower that attains it.

IT IS CRIMINAL TO NEGLECT THE SKIN AND HAIR

Think of the suffering entailed by neglected skin troubles-mental because of disfiguration, physical because of pain. Think of the pleasure of a clear skin, soft, white hands, and good hair. These blessings, so essential to happiness and even success in life, are often only a matter of a little thoughtful care in the selection of effective remedial agents. Cuticura Soap and Ointment do so much for poor complexions, red, rough hands, and dry, thin and falling hair, and cost so little, that it is almost criminal not to use them. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a goes or else buries scattered seed so postal to "Cuticura," Dept. 21 L. Boston, will secure a liberal sample of each, with 32-page booklet on skin and scalp treatment.

> Somewhat Inconsistent The young woman had spent a busy day. She had browbeaten fourteen sales-people, bullyragged a shopwalker, laid down the law to a modiste, nipped in the bud a taxi chauffeur's attempt to overcharge her, made a street-car conductor stop the car in the middle of a non-stop run for her, discharged her maid and engaged another, and otherwise refused to allow herself to be imposed upon. Yet she did not smile that evening when a young man begged:

"Let me be your protector through

Precise. The proofreader on a small middlewestern daily was a woman of great precision and extreme propriety. One day a reporter succeeded in getting into type an item about "Willie Brown.

end by a live wire." On the following day the reporter found on his desk a frigid note asking, "Which is the west end of a

It took only an instant to reply-"The end the son sees on, of course."

←Ladies' Home Journal. Left Him Thinking. "I promised my wife a half-crown to put in a home-safe every time I kissed her. Later, when she opened the safe, there were a lot of sovereigns and half-sovereigns in it.

"'Everybody is not so stingy as you," she replied.-London Tit-Bits. After a woman living in a small town has visited in the city for a cou-

ple of weeks she calls her hired girl

asked her where she got them.

When you hear two men talking so loudly that they can be heard in the next block, they are talking about something they know nothing about.

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O PEOPLE IN THE STORE AT ONE TIME

Last Saturday looking at Goods and wanting to be waited upon. We had twenty-two clerks and they were all kept as busy as busy could be from morning until night.

The total sales for the day amounted to \$1005.53

We just mention these things to show you the people know and appreciate A REAL MONEY-SAVING SALE. You know if you buy here now at the reduced prices YOU ACTUALLY SAVE MONEY because there is a fixed standard of values as we mark all goods in plain figures and sell strictly at one price. There is no jewing or haggling over prices at this store as it has became well understood that we mark our goods low in the first place and from that marked price there is no deviation whatever. Once a year we have a PRE-INVENTORY SALE at which time goods are sold at practically what they cost. After having a good trade all the year we feel grateful to the people and we now give our profits to the buying public as a means of showing our appreciation.

Buy all you can. The more you buy the more you save.

January 1st we take our annual inventory and in order to reduce our stock as much as possible before that time we are giving

A Special Discount of Twenty Per Cent

On the following lines of goods Clothing, Cloaks, Skirts, Waists, Wool Dress Goods, Silks and Satins, Laces, Millinery, Petticoats, Lace Curtains, Bed Spreads, Underwear, Rain Coats, Blankets and Comforters, Sweater Coats, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Suit Cases, wall paper, All Shoes selling for more than \$2.50, Table Linen and Napkins, women's and children's Furs, Head Scarfs, Embroideries, Corsets, Fancy Linens. Special Discount of 10 per cent on these Goods: Furniture, Linoleum, Sewing Machines, Fur Coats, Overshoes, All Shoes Selling for

\$2.50 and less, Carpets and Rugs. PLEASE UNDERSTAND, we do not give these discounts just on the stickers, slow sellers and odds and ends, but we say to you, go to our clothing stock, take your pick of our Choicest Suits and Overcoats, including the celebrated Adlers Collegian Line, go to our Cloak and Suit department and take your choice of our newest and most stylish garments, including the famous Wooltex Line, go to our Shoe department and choose from the Selz Royal Blue Line, the W. L. Douglas Line, or the Queen Quality Line, and it's the same way with any line advertised. You pick and choose from our newest and most desirable goods and the discount applies to them.

Buy Now and Get a DOLLAR'S Worth for EIGHTY Cents

During This Sale We will Sell 18c Serpentine Crepe, per yard. 12c outings, per yard \$20.00 tailor made suit for the said of Any 25c patent medicine for Any calico in the store, per yard...... \$20.00 suit of clothes for 15c flannelette, per yard..... Hope muslin, per yard Table oil cloth, per yard. 9 4 unbleached sheeting, per yard...... Lonsdale muslin, per yard Thread, spool for A \$25 rug for A few ... and the few 10-4 unbleached sheeting, per yard...... 15c percales, per yard A 9x12 Axminster rug for 9-4 bleached sheeting, per yard..... A \$30 New Home sewing machine for 12c percales, per yard A \$15.00 overcoat for...... 10-4 bleached sheeting, per yard..... 10c percales, per yard... W. L. Douglas or Selz Royal Blue \$3,50 shoe 2,80 11c fleece lined calico, per yard J. C. College Girl corsets for ... Any \$1.00 patent medicine for Queen Quality \$3.50 shoes for. 08 \$27.50 Hoosier Special cabinet for...... 24.75 Any 50c patent medicine for......

Extra Special

1-4 Off Women's Tailor-Made Suits

25 per cent off any tailor made suit in the store. Every one new, this season's latest style. Buy one now and you get a good bargain.

Special Sale

Highest grade Axminster Rugs. See them in our north show window. Beautiful new patterns and colorings. Note the prices:

Size 27x54 for \$1.89 Size 36x72 for

Extra Special

1-2 Off women's Trimmed Hats

Just one-half the marked price for any girl's or woman's trimmed hats. Have about forty for you to choose from.

and after that date our regular marked prices will prevail (except on some lines of Winter Goods that we are desirous This Sale Closes January 1st of closing out). These will be sold at reduced prices, but we wish to make it plain, after January 1st most all lines of goods will be sold at their regular marked prices. We invite a comparison of our Goods and Prices with any store or with any catalogue house. Just give us a chance to show you that's all we ask.

We Wish You a Very Merry Christmas

Highest Prices in Cash or Trade Paid for Chickens, Ducks, Butter and Eggs

Clothes that are made right, fit right and priced right. Gamble change any kind of property day noon. & Perryman. Chas. K

Marie Olson of Loup City returned home Friday.

Otto Murschel came home from braska. Omaha Friday. Geo. Strayer of Edgar is the name

of the new barber at Orcutts. Nellie Jeffries of Horace was the guest of Miss Stafford Thursday

Mabel Readle was in Grand Island the fore part of the week, going

down Monday. Agnes Beran came home from Clarkson Friday where she had been

to take her little niece to her father. Dick Bradley returned home from Wolbach Friday where he had been assisting his father in some business matters.

Taylor will give away the beautiful doll Xmas morning. Be sure to bring of send your tickets not later than 10 o'clock A. M. Dec. 25th.

If you want to buy, sell or exfull particulars to Central Ne-braska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Ne-

HOT AIR BATHS I am equipped to give hot air baths. Hot air baths are equal to hot native Russian or Turkish Baths in the treatment of all forms of Rheuma-

tism. Try them. Dr. Billings. Clara and Nora Pring from Chandler, North Dakota, nieces of Mrs. Erwin Dodge of Elyria have come to Valley county to make their home.

Mrs. C. A. Hager gave a kensington last Friday to fifteen of her lady friends. A fine time is reported.

We now have plenty of Rock Springs nut coal of splendid quality. Ord Lumber & Coal Co. Largest stock of glass at

Brown's Pharmacy. Sugar cured Hams at 15c a pound

Jim Bradt arrived in Ord yester-Chas. Kallal returned from Omaha Friday evening.

the glass set at Brown's Phar-time being unconscious. Mrs. Jonas Level went from Arcadia to Kearney to attend Bob

Garrison's funeral. Mrs. Emma Merrett of Valparaiso arrived Thursday for a visit with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vanscoy. May Collison came home the latter part of the week from a weeks visit ical aid for her baby. with relatives between Burwell and

Chas. Cromwell went to Rochester, North Loup this morning. Minh., Monday to consult a physician in regard to his health. He will enter the hospital there.

The snow storm yesterday scared Con Miller and his assistants out and the sale was postponed till next Wednesday. See his advertisement in

H. Edward Sanders and John Din- | Browns' Pharmacy for winnell of Elyria were doing business in dow glass. the city yesterday. Mr. Dinnell tells us that it is now 67 days since his mother, Fannie E. Dinnell was Bring in your sash and have stricken with paralysis, much of the

> Mesdames McMillen and Timm returned last evening from Kearney, where they had been to attend the to Ord Monday. funeral of their brother-in-law, Rob

Mrs Frank Norman has returned from Denver, where she had been for a couple of months seeking med-

Captain Leona White, of the Nazarine Army of America, went to

Christmas shopping in Grand Island Helena Moeller of Loup City was the guest of Gladys Gass last Friday.

Thursday from Lincoln.

E. J. Babcock returned to North Loup Saturday morning. Maude Sheppard was up from North Loup over night last Thursday.

Mrs. M. Alderman and family went to Burwell Saturday returning Jim Thompson of Burwell passed

through Ord Monday. Years ago Mr. Thompson was a resident here.

ranch Monday. He had been spend. ing a few days with his mother Mrs. J. A. Ollis Jr.

Mrs. F. C. McMillen and Mrs. Wm. Timm went to Kearney Monday to attend the funeral of their brother-Mrs. Oscar Holmes was doing some in-law, Bob Garrison.

Piles and Rupture successfully treated. Why worry and suffer? Don't delay. Write Dr. Rich, Suit 11, Windolph Building Grand Island, E. P. Clement, returned home Nebraska, for his generous Christmas 36-3t.

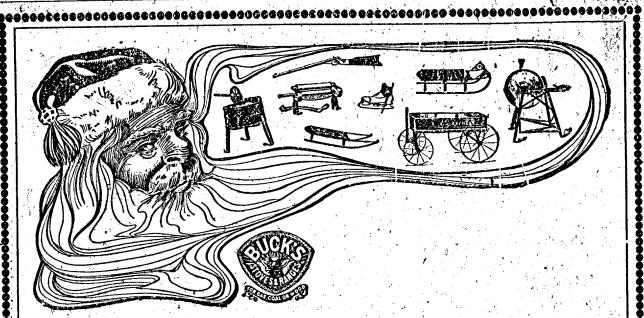
Land+Water=Good Crops and—Water=Failure

The Big Horn Basin and Yellowstone Valley Have an Abundance of Water for Irrigation Purposes.

Ray Knott returned to his Colorado The Government has made ample provision to supply each and every farmer under its canals with sufficient water during the crop growing season to cover every acre of his farm two feet deep. This is equal to twelve heavy rains of two inches each. Just think what it would have meant to your community during the crop growing season of 1911 if your farmers could have turned on twelve two inch rains at will. You can do this next year and every year thereafter as long as you are farming, if you will go with me to Powell, Wyoming, and file on one of the government irrigated homesteads, now ready for entry.



Homeseekers' Tickets on First and Third Tuesdays each none D. CLEM DEAVER, Immigration Agent



Useful Gifts for All

Fancy China Plates, Cups and Saucers, Sugars and Creamers; Also Dishes Silver Knives, Forks, Spoons, Aluminum Ware, Cutlery, Skates, Wagons, Sleds, Etc

Visit Our Hardware



We Were Out......

joger Head Pea coal for three weeks, and may be out of other kinds, as shipments are rather slow, but at present we have plenty of both Nigger Head and Acme Pea.

=It Would Be Wise==

To keep your coal bin well filled, for it is very unpleasant to try to get coal in a blizzard. The draymen will appreciate your thoughtfullness, if you order before the storm. We have cars on the track all the time. Acme Pea Coal...... \$ 5.00

 Acme Lump
 6.50

 Nigger Head Pea
 6.00

 Nigger Head Nut
 8.00

 Nigger Head Lump
 8.50

We guarantee to screen all coal carefully and please our customers

The Ord Lumber & Coal Co.

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POSTPONED Clean-Up Sale

I will sell at public auction on the old Pierce place at Sumter, on

ednesday, Dec. 27

COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK SHARP

1 span brown mares, wt. 1000; 1 | 5 milch cows; 2 coming 2-yeargray mare, wt. 1100; 1 bay mare 3 | old steers; 2 heifers coming 2 yrs.; yrs., wt. 1250; 1 brown mare 6 yrs., wt. 1100; 1 black mare 5 yrs, wt. 1150; 1 span 3-year-old geldings, wt. 1100; 5 2-year-old colts; 4 suckling colts; 1 running horse, Fox E.

4 calves.

35 shoats, about 100 pounds. A full line of farm machinery. 25 tons alfalfa hay. Numerous other articles.

Col. Lamberton, Auctioneer

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:-Ten dollars or under cash, over that amount 10 months time

M. Williams, Clerk

CON MILLER

pleading their innocence and prepar-ing for a fight to convince twelve party, it is said, and Gallington, men of their innocence until sudden-who had been over near the window, got the full benefit of it near the even ly a stone wall, as he puts it, rose up got the full benefit of it near the eye. in front of him and the McNamaras -an impregnable stone wall in form of jury bribing, and then he surren- Monday evening, at the Burlington, his clients were guilty.

It raises the question of how far a skilled lawyer is justified in going in treight was ready to leave when the his defense of a client; of where his duty to his client ends and that to the state and society. begins It is start and when they passed the depot not comfortable to contemplate the they were going at a pretty good thought of great lawyers like Clarrence Darrow deliberately giving scared the bus team, and they startrence Darrow deliberately giving themselves and all their skill and ingenuity over to the task of trying to prove innocent men they know to be prove innocent men they know to be trying to prove innocent men they know to be the task of trying to prove innocent men they know to be the task of trying to prove innocent men they know to be the was not able to control the State of Nebraska Valley County, see the see men they know to be the was not able to control the state of Nebraska Valley County, see the see men they know to be the was not able to control the state of Nebraska Valley County, see the see men they know to be the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the state of Nebraska Valley County, see the see that the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the state of Nebraska Valley County, see the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the state of Nebraska Valley County, see the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the lines but he was not able to control the seat and had hold of the

brier." That is not the one, though on which the old idea and the common conception of the term rests.-

HOODOO SURE.

Does a hooded rest on the construction of our new steel bridge? At first the ice carried away the falsework and some timbers and iron: Then again this was repeated and struction work is progressing nicely now.—Comstock News.

Ord Market-Top Prices Butter-Tub, 18c Choice Dairy, 28c

Eggs, 22c. Potatoes, \$1.00 Hogs, \$5.30 Oats, 40c Corn, 52c Wheat, 84c

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo. Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Another chapter was added to the litigation regarding the stock of goods located in the McGrew buildgoods located in the McGrew building on the east side last Friday when Mike Saba went to Greeley and through Judge Hanna secured an injunction to prevent the sale of the stock as advertised under an execution. Hearing on the injunction will be had before Judge Hanna at Greeley to morrow. December 15 when it to-morrow, December 15, when it will probably be decided definately

what is to become of the stock.

John Rockefeller's oil wagon failed to get in on time last Saturday evening. Enroute up from Ord the driver at a bad point in the road encountered an automobile and the lead mules suddenly remembered that they had left unfinished business in Ord and proceeded to take the return trail. The wagon tongue was broken off and the wagon all but upset in the road. The rig was patched up and came on into Burwell slightly disfigured but with the full cargo still on board. While no apparant move is being made on the part of the promoters of the Furwell power plant this does.

made on the part of the promoters of the Eurwell power plant this does by no means mean that the scheme has been dropped. W. P. Thorp informs us that the first of the week he received a letter from Mr. Beardsley to the effect that the work of floating the bonds is moving along line and that everything looks now as though the money for promo ing the scheme would be in the bank ready for business by the first of February It is the intentions of the promoters to commence work as soon as the weather will permit in the spring.

Broken Bow Chief.
The new well at the Burlington depot seems to be attracting more or less attention by reason of the splendid vein of water that has been struck after the road has expended many hundreds of dollars in fruitless many hundreds of dollars in fruitless attempts to get a decent flow. It is not an underground running stream, as many have asserted, but a particularly good vein which fills the big water hole in the yard to within four feet of the top. Agent Ormsby says it takes about half a day to pump the hole dry. The present well was sunk by John Kelsey of this place, and a depth of 158 feet was place, and a depth of 158 feet was

well was sunk by John Kelsey of this place, and a depth of 158 feet was reached before water was struck.

A loaded sugar bowl, fired by the hand of an impetuous Italian, last Sunday afternoon, nearly put out of commission one of the working optics of Jimmy Gallington, a young man about town. The affair took place at the Burlington restaurant, to the north side, and is said to have been an accident, as far as Jimmy was concerned, inasmuch as his head intercepted the bowl as it was speeding on its way toward another party. According to statements made by both parties, Tony Nandito, proprietor of the restaurant, had been and honorable profession of the law in a peculiar position. Darrow admits that for months he knew his clients were guilty, yet he went right anead pleading their innocence and preparing for a fight to convince twelve and fallington.

Well RENTT—The room in the Quiz building recently occupied by H. P. Bradley.

WANTED—Carpet weaving. Mrs. Jennie Clark, Mary E. Slaughter, Grace Jacoby, Nettle Haworth, Nahum Crulkshank, Grant Crulkshank, Harry G. Hayes, Clara B. Hayes, Harvey H. Hayes, Clara B. Hayes, Harvey H. Hayes, Clara B. Hayes, Harvey H. Hayes, Clara B. Hayes, and Martha E. Crulkshank, defendants, will take notice that on the place and making themselves of the convince twelve and preparation of the place and making themselves and preparation of the place and making themselves and preparation of the place and making themselves and preparation of

SMASH-UP AT ST, PAUL.

Louie Miller had a narrow escape dered and admitted publicly this and he can shake hands with himself and he can shake hands with himself James Cruikshank to said land, and that he is all together. The passental that the record thereof may be cancelled and for such other and further relief as may be income. secret he had kept for months, that that he is all together. The passenfrom the west met here, and as the passenger arrived, the latter, backed up to the stock yards to get a good guilty of such crimes as these men committed. It impels the question, how extensively is it done? How many other lawrers beside Clarence Darrow are doing it?

A secondary definition of lawyer is a "bramble in the thorny stem of a brier." That is not the one though the was not able to control the state of Rebissa Valley County, security, state of Rebissa Valley County, state of Rebissa Valley County, security, set and the depot between the two trains, and east of the elevator the engine hit the team and bus, demolishing the latter and crippling the team so bad that they had to be killed. Just before the bus hit, Louie jumped from his perlious court their final account as such executors a retition to the said court. position and escaped all harm. It was a close call. L. A. Warne estimates his loss at about \$600.00. The mates his loss at about \$600.00. The opinion prevails that the railroad estate now in their hands to the par-company will be held for the loss.— ties entitled by law to receive the St, Paul Phonograph.

HERE TOO The Northwestern has received a pathetic appeal from Charley W. Pool clock, A. M. at the county court of Tecumseh, who is a democrat canthe falsework torn away again. A didate for governor, not to swat him few days ago while moving the pile-too hard over his candidacy, and teldiver it fell info the river ducking line bow from thousand or less years. driver it fell into the river ducking ling how many thousand or less years cause, if any such exists why said acone of the workmen. It looks like a he has been a printer and editor and count should not be allowed, and the hoodoo, but perhaps it's left, as con- worked for the salvation of the de- prayer of said petition granted. worked for the salvation of the democratic party, and incidentally to furnish him with the wherewith to wage his unholy battle for Aunty and her ancient admirers. And his appeal to a black-hearted republican pewspaper concept as mall. Here we said per printed and published in said county. newspaper opponet as well! Horrors! Let the members of the republican girdiron club see that he does not make a touch-down. He has earned defeat by his own confession. - Loup City Northwestern.

> TIME FOR ANNUAL BATH, Will the person or persons who took

A. C. Domon, the meat market man, came home from Omaha Friday Lew Martin went to Greeley Frievening where he had been with day for a visit with his parents. He breakfast.' Sold by A. F. Brown. stock. stock.

EXCHANGES YOUR WANTS

FARM LOANS-I can make you a loan at lowest rate. J. B. Nay & Co. 29 tf.

WANTED A small bunch of cows and helfers to keep for a term of years on shares. Amos Christoffer-son, Ord, Route 4. 38-2tpd.

FOR SALE or TRADE—The S-2 of S-2 of 27-20-14. Lafe Paist.

ings, in Liberty township, also my residence in west Ord and one elot three blocks east of square on main street. J. D. Tedro. 37-tf.

OR SALE—Half section extra well improved, six miles west of Ord on Turtle creek. Will sell on easy terms. Knud Christensen. 37-tf.

OR SALE-14 lots, that are now offered at a bargain, some of these lots are only two blocks out, come in and let me show them to you. Frank Zabloudil 37-2t.

Money to loan on improved farms, in Valley and adjoining counties. Frank Zabloudil 37-2t

any kind of household work. In Cottage on hill. Mrs. Baker

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc-Jersey boar pigs. Will sell at low figure if taken right away. 1. C. Clark, Ord Neb. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—One old and two young boars. W. M. Gray.

FOR SALE OR RENT-40 acres adjoining the Ord Cemetery on the north. Well improved. A special price will be given if sold by Feb 1, 1912. Inquire of D. C. Ruhl. 33-tf FOR SALE-My Touring car cheap Will sell for cash or trade. Mamle

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale. Some extra fine ones. Mrs. I. C. Clark, Ord, Neb. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—Fairbanks & Morris gasoline engine. 4 hp. Cheap. W. M. Gray. 30-tf.

FOR RENT—The room in the Quiz building recently occupied by H. P. Bradley.

day of June, 1888, by one John Mc-Keller to James M. Lombard, in the sum of \$500., on the North half of the Northwest quarter of section 7, township 17, north of range 15, west of the 6th. P. M. in Valley county, Nebraska, and recorded in Book 13 of Valley County mortgages at page 243, to have merged in the title of James Cruikshank to said land, and relief as may be just and equitable.
You are required to answer said petition on or before the 1st. day of

January, 1912.
Dated November 22nd. 1911.
E. Clyde Baird,
by E. P. Clements, His attorney.

You are hereby notified that the aid final account, and the said petitions will be heard on the 5th day of

Dated this 7th day of December

H. Gudmundsen County Judge, 37 3t.

I don't claim to be the only plumber, but if you are having plumber troubles I believe I can find the cause and effect a remedy. I shall the tub from the rear of the real es. be glad to figure with you on any the tub from the rear of the real estate office south of the post office please return it to this office? The tub was private property and can be used by the owners if it be returned, —North Loup Loyalist.

be glad to figure with you on any plumbing job, and if I don't save you having the save you having trouble afterwards. I have served long years at plumbing in large cities and I think I know how to do your work right. Peter Darges.

Quick Relief for Rheumatism George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge M. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge M. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge M. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deorge M. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism deo

work right. Peter Darges. .

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I always pay the highest market price for cattle hogs and hides

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HAVE purchased Mr. Frick's entire stock of S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Good size, good layers, all pens trap nested. We have eggs for sale in season at regular prices. \$1 00 to \$1.50 per 15. Also will have few late hatch ckls for sale.

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Auction

I have decided to go to Minnesota and will sell at' public auction on the John Jensen place, 3 miles southwest of Elyria and 11 miles northwest of Ord, on

Thursday, Dec. 28

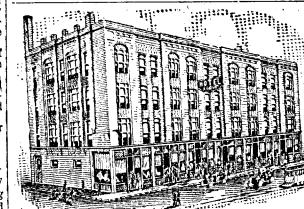
COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK SHARP

One span bay mares 3 and 4 yrs., with foal, wt. 2600; 1 sorrel mare 11 years, with foal, wt. 1100; 1 sorrel mare 12 years, with foal, wt. 1100; 1 sorrel horse 10 years, wt. 1050; 3 last spring colts; 1 last spring mule colt.

Five mileh cows; 2 steers coming 2 years; 3 helfers coming 2 years; 3 spring calves; 1 bull. A full line of farm machinery. Two dozen chickens... Some household goods. Numerous other articles.

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rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for

Terry College of Dressmaking Misses M. and A. Marks Ord, Nebraska

Read all the Quiz ads this week

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WM. HONEYCUTT DIES SUDDENLY

Sturdy Pioneer of Valley County Died of Heart Failure on Christmas Night

At five o'clock Christmas night William Honeycutt was hale and hearty, at seven o'clock he was dead. Tennessee on May 20, 1839, and was therefore 72 years, 7 months and 5 days old at the time of his death.

When about 16 years of age he moved from . Tennessee to Indiana, where he met Miss Elizabeth Silence and took her for his wife 54 years ago. This good woman labored by his side till five years ago, when she passed to her reward.

In 1865 they moved to Shelby county, Illinois, where they lived till

They were here during the early neers and have seen the county grow to one of the best in the state.

Four sons and one daughter were born to them. The oldest, James, three sons, James, Peter and Michael, live in Scotts Bluff county. The daughter, Rose, is the wife of Mr. Benedict, York county on Thursday A. C. Doman.

Since his daughter moved to Ord for nearly a year? Mr. Honeycutt has been living at her nome. Mon lay night he was about Mrs. Dodge of Elyria who have lately a broken neck. Standing on the load the chores as usual. A little later he complained of being dizzy and wanted to be taken to stairs. His daughter tried to assist last Thursday evening from an ex 65 years of age and the ground being wanted to be taken to his room uphim, but he'was too weak. She then tended visit at Platsmouth and other got him onto her bed and called her points in different parts of Nebraska. husband and the doctor. But nothing could bring back strength to son Earl and their daughter Pearl his falling heart, and he passed went to Scotia yesterday to attend away at about 7:00 o'clock.

Mr. Honeycutt lived practically all of the last 32 years in Valley county and has had the esteem and respect

of the community.

birds would have a resting place and a place to get away from its pursuers. As it was the tired and hungry bird had to drop into the snow and here was an easy victim to its enemies. Among these latter, we regret to say, must be counted some humans. Were the birds harmed by the snow the sparrow instead of the finch there not allow the finch to share the roost and children will not go home for s death of hundreds of the finch.

The Christmas exercises at the Vinton Methodist church last Friday evening were a success in every way and the little people who took part deserve much credit as well as the i older ones who had charge of the hi happy at this joyful Christmas time-

Mr. Campbell and Wm. Brown of A Hamburg, Iowa, two friends of J. L. y Speece returned to their home Frir day morning. They had been in the city stands to lose about \$500,000, . Valley county looking after business interests.

On last Friday Archie Burger and Wyo. to visit with Ray Hamilton and in the detailed hearing of these other, the death of Mrs. Beran's mother. # family. They expected to be back in civil damage suits to come up to ord by New Years.

Lillian Gee, who is staying with ther sister Mrs. L. Peterson and attending school, went to her home at rests upon the community. The Palmer Saturday morning to spend the holidays.

well the first of the week, and visit- how important organized society is, of Clara Sintek and Mrs. John Po- of the affair and of the reason given ton Christmas evening to spend a few Harry Hallock came down from Bur- clearer vision of what law is and of ad grandpa and grandma Hallock. — Omaha Bee,

Sydney Bowers left yesterday for S. K. JORGENSEN Nellie Hallock went up to Burwell

Thursday evening. Joe Parkos Sr. came home from Omaha Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clements came up from Lincoln Saturday evening.

ads Sorensen left again resterday 3 pother business trip to Canada Desch a nephew of the Desch

brols returned to Central City.

Greeley last Wedneday. alike, are not spelled alike and are in

no way alike except in sound. The M. F. M. F., a young ladies 1879, when they moved to Valley club met last Friday with Gweudolyn to save himself or lessen the fall in county, among the first to settle Jones at the home of W. L. D. Auble.

Harry Hallock has leased the Livingston Hotel at Burwell. They struggles and privations of the pio- seen to think they will like the hotel business.

Oscar Travis came home from the University at Lincoln on Thursday knew what was going on. died many years ago. The other evening. He will return again after the holidays.

Alice McClatchey came home from evening. She has been down there Nora and Dora Pring, nieces of

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cook returned

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Locker their the funeral of a relative, David

Ed and Will Siler came down from South Dakota Saturday noon to and restoratives administered he was On account of his acquaintances spend the holldays in Ord. They are taken to Thorne's Farmer's Home

The friends of old Bill Weare made presenting him with a new outfit of cold snap.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. would be no reason for regret, but Porter Long arrived in Ord for a parent Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potter and Mrs. Fringle and other relatives, LIABILITY OF CITIES FOR RIOTS

The supreme court has upheld the Illinois statute which holds orderly mob violence. That leaves the out- they had been for several days. Mrs. program. The church was so full law who commits the crime, only that many had to stand during the services which lasted for an hour or other words it is a serious comment. Smith had been caring for her father blown into drifts, filling the canyons again. A few years ago this little \$1.55 goes for the wool, \$2.32 for the during his sickness and Mr. Smith and ravines. But the big snow is girl was in a very serious condition weaving, and \$9.54 for the making a went to be in attendance at the still spread over hill and dell and with what appeared to be dropsy, total labor cost of \$13.41. The let. more. The committee that had tary upon society's charge over the funeral. charge provided gifts consisting of an lawless. Saventeen year ago, during orange, nuts and mixed candy for the so called Debs railroad strike Lincoln to spend Christmas. She has about two hundred but many went riots in Chicago caused heavy de; away empty which was grevious to struction to property. Some property to do some work for the commission been in evidence. And bells all the those who had worked so hard to owners brought suit against the city by whom she is, employed. She reprovide for all. The tree was very for damages under a state law which, turned home yesterday. tastily decorated by some of the held municipalities liable for threeyoung people who are members of fourths of such damages. The case Rev. Rush's Sunday school class and has been in the courts ever since and Portland, Oregon, started Friday for presented a fine appearance when only now comes down from the high- the Carolines. They had been visitlighted up. Many hearts were made est tribunal with the dictum that ing for a few days with the Roy the Illinois statute is valid and the Bailey and Alvin Hill families. city of Chicago must pay the claim. On the basis of this ruling other suits are to be brought, and already and no telling how much more.

Now comes the question, if the city can be held for crimes committed in 1894, can those who committed them? Will it be possible, though

simply serves to emphasize the direct obligation for law and order that effect should be sobering on us all and give those who sometimes con-The little son of Mr. and Mrs. done mob violence in other forms a

BADLY HURT

A Fall from a Load of Hay Nearly Resulted in Death to a Prominent Farmer

Tuesday forenoon two or three of the farmers on Haskell creek brought her friends. in a bunch of cattle to ship. Among them was S. K. Jorgensen who drove William Honeycutt was born in Thes.

The start of the was S. K. Jorgensen who drove the was S. K. Jorgensen who drove in on a high wagon box full of hay to bed the car with. As he approached to the time of his death. Will Harris Greeley brother of our townsman Harry Harris died at Greeley last Wedneday.

Work and shirk, though they sound on the frosty snow and ice and Jorgensen was thrown to the ground, a distance of about 8 feet. He landed square on his head striking one of the rails without a particle of chance

any way. He was rendered unconscious by the terrible fall, but neighbors, who were close by, saw the accident and came to his rescue. The limp form was picked up and he quickly came to himself sufficiently so that he

He was taken in a dray to Dr. Haldeman's office where his wounds were cared for and help rendered in every way.

The injuries consisted of a bad scalp wound cutting to the skull and December 31 at 1:30 p. m. Conducted others. a hadly strained neck. The fact is by Rev. Johansen Cushing Nebr. that he came very close to sustaining the head with the full force of the fall the wonder is that his neck was not, broken.

was able to stand a shock of that Mitchell. and is now able to get about all

When his wounds were attended to

the sole of her foot. Had there been to be there and on their return trip been quite fortunate in drawing a home in North Loup, going on to a little wind with the snow so as to they expected to stop in Lincoln and low number in the late drawing and Sargent where Mr. Seiver has been a little wind with the snow so as to they expected to stop in Lincoln and low named a for several days. They will not be at the hospital in Omaha. Friends, arrived from his home in Washingselect piece of land. He expects to home until after New Years. live on the themestead fourteen his heart gled on Christmas day by months and then by commutation obtain a patent to it. As is perhaps the disappearance of Glenn Jones, clothing, good and warm. Bill great: known by a great many of his patly appreciated the gift and no doubt rons here that he will make but two mother for about two years. At that has lately undergone an operation in the more visits to this city professionally, time he was supposed to be employed the Omaha hospital and it was while both of these visits he will remain twelve days each, in which to do any At that time he had a mule team. to be harmed, for they find shelter but of late they have been living at under your eaves and the protected. under your eaves and the protected Nora, Nuckolls county. Porter will homestead Dr. Holson said was partspots around your buildings and do stay for about a week but Mrs. Long ly as a vacation from his arduous duties. He thinks that farming is with them. The result was the several weeks yet. She will visit her not so hard an occupation as one is most forcibly is that he then can fish all he wants a sport that he thor- days ago was sufficiently melted to her arms. She lost a great deal of loughly enjoys.—Sargent Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith returned Saturday from Grand Island where

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Durham of

Elva Vanscoy is troubled with gal soon she will have to go to the hospital for an operation.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. McMullen family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Burson returned Saturday evening from Aurora where they had been for several

OLD ROOKERIES Della Sershen went to Horace Tues-Jim Thompson returned to Burwell

Thursday evening. Casper Worm was an incoming passenger Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoffman and son were down from Burwell Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Daniels gave a card party last evening to a number of Ora Mutter came down from Bur-

with her parents.

will visit for several days. Harry Balley returned from Chicago Thursday where he had been with his shipment of cattle.

Kathryn Schaper, one of the high school teachers, went to Minden to spend her two weeks vacation.

Bessie Wigent is home from St Paul where she is attending school. in proper style.

visit in Omaha.

Blakeslee.

must not forget to say that the little daughter came also to gladden the But Jorgensen is a rugged man and hearts of Grandpa and Grandma

W. W. Loofbourrow has had several Westveer who visited here last sum- Flynn family. His home is not far letters from Craig, Colo., telling of namely, Jan. 1st and Feb. 1st. On by some farmer near Ord gathering in attendance at her bed side that corn, about five miles from this city. Glenn should see this he is urged to write to his mother, who is worrying lowed the flames catching her hair to get the defect in title corrected. about him.

The heavy snow that fell several smothered the fire in her hair with hold it so that the flurry of wind her hair and one arm is very badly is unbearably wasteful, and that prothat came up and lasted a few hours burned but she is very thankful that Tuesday night could not budge it. things are no worse than they are, The later snow, however, which fell the first of this week was easily and Mrs. John Collison, is quite sick bids fair to remain there all winter. She improved and of late has been balance of \$9.59 comprises the four Delphia Taylor came up from Sleighing has been the best we have quite well, but the old trouble has had for many years and quite a numcome back again and her parents and cante for the manufactures and bar of stallahe of vertous traces had been stallahed for the manufactures. been in Gothenburg for a few days ber of sleighs of various types have friends are very anxious about her. down to commou cow bells have been arrived from Burke, South Dakota, per cent stands as profit. But this making the frosty air vibrate with to spend a few days with relatives. music.

On Dec. 16 at the home of S. B. Rawles the children and grandchildren awakened that gentleman from his slumbers and reminded him that it was his sixty second birthday stones and her relatives are worried and presented him with a rocking on to her home at Greechair after which they all enjoyed ley Saturday where she will spend themselves at an oyster supper. The her vacation. old gentleman then responded by say John Beran and wife left for Fair- ing that as he was 62 years old had B. H. Hallock the janitor at the bault, Minn, Christmas morning been married 35 years had eight high school, seems to be quite a in response to a telegram telling of children and ten grand-children and favorite at the school house. Christnever a death in his family, he felt mas time he was given an abundance he had very much to be thankful for. of presents by the pupils. avoid fixing the criminal responsible G. W. Milford went to Burwell to The above very interesting bit of Gwendolyn Jones, who is attending lity in these cases? The Illipois law spend Christmas with the Wm. news we found on our desk Friday school in Ord, went to her home at count. If we were content to have morning after the paper was out. It Wolbach Saturday morning. She our clothing standardized as to style must have been handed in by some will return in a few days. friend when the editor was not look. ing. We regret that it escaped our notice at the time, and can only now make amends by printing it at this Grand Island the day before. Edith Sintek of Cotesfield, & sister late hour. We are pleased to know Gene Wisda came in from Lexing-

TO COME DOWN

State Fire Warden Visits Ord awand Marks Old Buildings For Destruction

Last week State Fire Warden Ed Williams of Grand Island, was in Ord from California to be with his mother nosing around for fire traps. He took who is so very sick. well Monday to eat Christmas dinner a look at several buildings about and near the square and finally decided Paul Saturday evening to spend but also as being able to pay its own that three of them ought to be taken Christmas with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. A. It Adamek left out, These are the frame buildings Saturday for Humphrey where they between Bailey's and Siler's on the west side, belonging to the Ord State Bank, the John Beran building on on to Scotia in the evening. the east side used by Hank's Cafe, and the Fred, Witte shacks on the corner this side of the Siler garage occupied by Frank Stewart's pump

In none of the cases has he notified the owners of the intention to order the buildings out, but he had Offin Minnie Hawkins came up from purpose of identification in case of Thursday where he has been attend- the management was greatly disap-

about the McGrew barber shop, the W. A. Wright was in Grand Island Raym Gass plumbing place and the yesterday. His daughter Miss Eva Milburn saloon building, but he had left on the same train for a few days not decided on razing them yet, However he intimated that he would There will be a meeting at the be here again soon and may be con-Danish Lutheran Church in Ord on demn them also, along with some

MOST DANGEROUS OF ALL LIGHTS Blakeslee came up to Ord last week country over is at last receiving Thursday evening to spend Christ official attention, and an organized mas at the parental home of Mrs. effort is being made to educate people. The latter part of last week Mr. along the line of fire protection, and Mrs. Wm. Wigent arrived from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell of Nebraska has a fire commissioner Atkinson, Kan., for a visit with and his department is making a vi- Will's people, Mr. and Mrs. David Prevention Text Book," has been issued for general distribution and contains valuable information as to Mrs. Wm. Hoffman and little son the causes of fire and the prevention er of Mrs. Flynn. returned to Burwell Thursday even of destruction of property and lives by ing. Mrs. Hoffman has been assisting this means. All phase of the subject ip her mother's restaurant while the are handled. But as that of light Bartunek came up from Lincoln Frilatter was in Kearney attending the by gasoline is appropriate at this day. He is attending the conservaseason of the year we take the liberty tory of music at that place and will

Deing mostly in and about Norm is the house of the second the subject:

I condition watranted his removal that the second the second

week of the death of Harry Westveer of Mildred's will remember Helen ton. He is an old friend of the mer. The deceased is the father of from Po-tland, Oregon. He says he Miss Helen. The home of the West- was from Tuesday morning until veers is in Schuyler but the mother Saturday noon reaching Ord. the husband was stricken and died.

Mrs. Val Pullen came near having thing he effected a tempory settlea severe accident with fire last Tues- ment of the land deal between Wilday. The fire seemed to be smothered liam Aldrich and Robert Nay, which down and she threw a lighted match makes Mr. Nay secure and at the pullet. in the stove, A small explosion fol- same time affords Mr. Aldrich time F. W. Rinker, St. Paul, 5 on cockand apron. with presence of mind she

Ferna, the little daughter of Mr.

brothers. Gertrude Horton came up from

Scotia Friday where she is teaching. She was a guest of Mrs. Wright over

in Ord Friday. She had been to

C. I. Smith went to Burwell Tues-

Bert Cushing came up from Grand Island Saturday.

Joe Sershen is spending his holidays with relatives in Minnesota. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roath of Sar gent were doing shopping in Ord last

Guy Hunter arrived Christmas day

Ethel Newbecker came up from St

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Conway came down from Burwell Monday going

family the latter part of last week. Last week Frank Vopat and baby was the first Frank had been out for do so.

Frank Nay came up from Lincoln

started Saturday for Ringwood, Ills., a show of that kind was not worth with relatives.

Judge Gudmundsen and family are enjoying a visit from Laura and Mabel. The former is teaching at Gretna and the latter at Lisco.

Fay Paist of Omaha was visiting Mr. Ford and Mrs. Ruth Williams The terrible loss of property the

North Loup came up Monday evening let. and spent Tuesday with Mrs. Flynn and family. Mrs. Knapp is a daught-Paul Bartunek Jr. son of Frank

Saturday noon Hugh Fradenburg

H. N. Mattley of Lincoln has been spending a few days in Ord with friends and incidentally looking after a few land and other deals. One

LABOR GETS MOST OF IT Recialists believe that competition share of the products of labor. They will find satisfaction in the tariff commission's tracing of the money for a \$23 suit of clothes. Of the total, weaving, and \$9.54 for the making a J. M. Baird, Aurora, 2, 3, 4 on pulthe wholesale tailor, and \$6.50 for - Saturday noon Ed and Will Siler the retailer. A little less than 42 In the evening their sister Mrs. sense. In the case of the retailer, Oscar Luse came in and will visit particularly, here is a considerable with her parents and sisters and labor element included in what is called profit—the labor of the salesman, of the tailor who makes the alterations, of the delivery man, etc. The labor of the traveling salesman is included in the wholesaler's "probuy, to-wit, rent. In the case of goods dependent for sale upon the taste of patrons and subject to change of style, there is also the expense of 1 on cockerel, 2, 3, 5 on hen, 1, 2, 3, having unsalable goods left on hand 4 on pullet. to be sold if at all at a heavy disand quality and fit as sugar is standardized so that it could be retailed Mrs. L. B. Boyce of Burwell was by telephone and wholesaled by telegraph, that 42 per cent profit could and would be reduced to the modest 10 or 15 per cent that lies between factory and pantry in the case of

Isugar.—State Journal.

PLEASED WITH POULTRY SHOW

Secretary Leggett Says the Show Was Success Financially and Otherwise

The first annual poultry show of the Loup Valley Poultry association has gone into history as an unqualified success, not only as an exhibit, way.

It was held last Thursday, Eriday and Saturday at the Opera House. Unfortunately a considerable snow storm struck us Wednesday and con-Mansell Davis of North Loup was tinued much of the time during the visiting his son H. M. Davis and show. This of course and the fact that it was too close to Christmas cut down the attendance considerably and also stopped several from bringwere both on the sick list. Friday ing in exhibits who had planned to

The attendance was not nearly what had been hoped for. In this Lincoln Thursday avening to assist her people in celebrating the holidays.

The warden class of Thursday where he has been attend- the management was greatly disaptoned. The idea of a chicken show has not been drilled into the minds has not been drilled into the minds Marie, Chas and Vera Goodhand of the public and many thought that where they will spend a few weeks the time to see. But next year peohave found out that that was a show worth while.

But the show itself was a hummer. This was better than old heads in the show business from other parts thought possible.

Following is the list of premiums awarded:

Light Brahmas E. E. Bower, Bradshaw, 2 and 5

on hen, Chas. Ciochon, Arcadia, 3 and 4 on hen, 1, 3, 4 and 5 on pullet. Buff Cochin

Doc Hanna, Burwell, 2 and 5 on . Mrs. Lizzie Knapp and children of cockerel, 2 on hen, 2, 3, and 4 on pul-

White Indian Game E. E. Bower, 1 on cock, 1, 2 and

Black Langshang E. E. Bower, 3 on pen, 2 on cock, 1, 2, 3 and 4 on cockerel, 2 and 5 on pullet.

S. C. Brown Leghorn W. L. McNutt, Ord, 1 on pen, 1 on cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet.

S. C. Black Minorca W. J. Best, Aurora, 1, 2 on pen, 2 on cock, 1 on cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 on hen, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet.

Buff Orpington A. L. Umpleby, Ord, 1 on hen. Victor McBeth, Greeley, 2, 3, 4 on hen, 2, 4, on pullet. C. W. Noll, Ord, 5 on hen, 3, 5 on

E E. Bower, 1 on cockerel, 1, 4 on

erel. Black Orpington Hepp Bros., Greeley, 1, 2 on pen, 1 on cock, 1, 2 on cockerel, 1 on hen, 2, 3, 4, 5, on pullet.

White Orpington Hepp Bros., 3 on pen, 4 on cock, 5 on cockerel, 3 on hen.

A. L. Umpleby, 1, 2 on pen, 3 on cock, 1 on cockerel, 1, 2, 4, 5 on hen,

Barred Rocks O. R. Hill, North Loup, 1 on pen, l on cock, 1, 3, 4, 5 on cockerel, 1, 3, 5 on hen, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. W. J. Hather, Ord, 4 on hen, 5 on

pullet, H. E. Gerard, Ord, 2 on cock.

Buff Rocks E. E. Bower, 2, 3 on pullet. E. J. Timm, Ord, 1, 4, 5 on pullet. White Rocks

Pope Seerley, Ord, 4 on cock, 2, 3,

. 5 on hen.

Mrs. C. J. Nelson, Ord, 1, 3 on cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. R. C. Rhode Island Reds

E. E. Bower, 3, 4, 5 on cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. S. C. Rhode Island Reds Hepp Bros., 3 on pen, 1, 2 on cock,

Mrs. I. C. Clark, Ord, 1, 2 on pen, i, 5 on cockerel. Mrs. O. K. Waterman, Ord, 2 on

cockerel. Reese Williams, Ord, 4 on pen, 3 on cockerel, 1 on hen. Wm. Shunkwiler, Ord, 3 on cock,

4 on hen. Lew Martin, Ord, 5 on pullet.

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YUAN REFUSES TO SANCTION DE MAND FOR REPUBLIC.

HARMON BOOM GETS LAUNCHED

Prémier Will Uphold Monarchy-Harmon Given a Surprise Party -Government Records on Bad Paper. .

Peking.—Premier Yuan Shi Kai has given his answer to those who are attempting to reform China into a republic. In an official statement he declares, without qualification, that he refused to accept a republic. At the Shanghai peace conference Thursday Wu Ting Fang, foreign minister of the revolutionary provisional cabinet, spoke strongly in favor of a republic and later Tang Shao Yi said that he was convinced that the abdication of the emperor and the establishment of a republic was the only thing that would satisfy the people. At the same time he expressed doubt whether i would be possible to persuade Yuar Shai Kai to abandon his plan for a ·limited monarchy.

A Surprise for Gov. Harmon.

Columbus, O.—Gov. Judson Harmon was given a surprise party in the executive offices Thursday and his presidential candidacy endorsed by the meeting and organization of democratic state officials to actively campaign for a solid delegation from Ohio to the national convention favoring the nomination of Mr. Harmon for president. The delegation of state officials gathered in the corridor outside of the governor's offices and marched in on him just as he was closing his desk at the finish of his day's work.

Big Waste in Lumber Industry. Washington.—A great undeveloped industry, worth millions of dollars annually, lies at the doors of the people of the south and the far northwest in the immense wastes of wood incident to the manufacture of lumber. An amazing statement of these wastes and the consequent loss in wealth and conservation of timber resources is made as a result of a two years' government investigation, not yet concluded, by E. P. Veitch, chief of the leather and paper division of the bureau of chemistry, and M. G. Donk, assistant chemist, whose preliminary conclusions have just been made pub-

Records Printed on Bad Paper. Washington.-Discovery by the congressional joint committee on printing that "adulterated" paper had been used for years in the government printing office has led to the announcement of a complete new set of government paper standards. The paper adulteration was accomplished by the substitution of clay for the more subthe grave fear that many of the printed records of the government will crumble and become unreadable in less than a century.

Got Information at First Hand. Nashville Tenn.-A night in the state penitentiary here convinced Governor Hooper that reforms were necessary in the state prison system. He submitted to the deprivation of his liberty so that he might observe more closely the condition of convicts who had asked Christmas pardons, and has announced that he will grant several conditionally.

Chicago.—At the eighty-first convocation of the University of Chicago. held Thursday, 119 students received various degrees and titles including three from Nebraska-Harold L, Kramer, Columbus, Neb.; Herman Kopald and Howard P. Roe, both of Omaha, all associates in philosophy.

Washington.—Both houses of con gress adjourned Thursday for the holi day recess and will reassemble at noon. January 3. The house adjourned at 2:21 p, m. and the senate at 2:34

Moros Still Belligerent.

Manila.—A battle is imminent in the island of -olo between 600 Moros and a force of American troops. The Moros, who are defying the ultimatum issued by Brigadier General John J. Pershing, ordering the disarmament of the natives in the district, have retired to the top of the peak of Bud Dajo, which they have fortified. They are surrounded by infantry and artillery and a fight is likely to begin at

Western Nebraskans Promised Relief. Washington - Senator Norris Brown, in reply to his indorsement of the North Platte Valley Water Users' association contract, suggested by them to the department of the interior, has been advised by the department that draft of public notice is now under consideration by the department, which, if issued, will defer the time when the first installment becomes due for the lands heretofore opened to irrigation under the said project and will also permit payments to be made in graduated installments.

Inspection Will Cost 3 Cents Each. Washington.—Under provisions of a bill introduced today by Representative Cary, packers in Nebraska are to be charged 3 cents a head for federal inspection of every animal passed.

Insurance Dividends Assessable.

Washington.-Commissioner of Internal Revenue Cabell has decided that the dividends paid by mutual and "participating" insurance companies to their policy holders are subject to assessment as income under the corion tax law.

TEMS OF INTEREST PERTAINING TO VARIOUS LOCALITIES.

GREATER OR LESS IMPORTANT

The News of Many Climes Told in Short and Pithy Paragraphs, Written Expressly for the Busy Man's Perusal.

Washington. Crop reports to the government inlast year.

an appropriation of \$2,270,000, has mark. passed the house.

according to advices reaching the state department.

Department officers at Washington to not believe that trade with Russia will be jeopardized by the abrogation

of the 1832 treaty. Chairman Stanley, of the steel inquiry committee, has asked for an additional appropriation of \$25,000 to continue the work,

Sulzer, author of the Russian abrogation resolution, has agreed to escaped. change its phraseology to make it less offensive to Russia.

sippi, in a heated colloquy Saturday, almost came to blows.

It is reported that Dr. Sun Yat Sen/ has been elected president of the new as a result of the retention in office Chinese republic by the revolutionary convention at Nanking.

The senate, by a unanimous vote, notification to Russia of the termination of the treaty of 1812.

Forces are at work in the senate to bring about radical amendments in the Sherwood "dollar a day" pension bill, which has passed the house.

The Russiah ambassador has protested against abrogating the treaty between the United States and Russia. He may ask for his passports if the senate follows the lead of the

Efforts to authorize the sale of the hull of the battleship Maine to private parties who desire to exhibit it at various ports of the United States and charge admission fee to visitors were

Senator Penrose has presented a bill to provide for a six day week and eight hour day and extra pay for evertime for mail carriers in city de tion in the referendum vote, the count econd class postoffices.

Congress has ratified the president's 1912. notification of the termination of the Russian treaty of 1832 and sent the measure back for his signature. The house disposed of it according to program within seventy-five minutes.

General News. Colorado will have two United States senators to elect in 1913. New York city will use nearly a half

million Christmas trees this year. Shortage of cars at points in Manitoba has caused a wheat blockade. Sir Charles Tupper, once high com-

critically ill. .

accompanying festivities, came to a plosion was intended. conclusion Saturday American teachers in some parts of

China are off on an indefinite vacation because of the revolution. The first presidential primary elec-

tions in the United States will be held | der the preferential voting law. in North Dakota on March 19 next. Revolutionary veterans in Cuba have been able to force the govern- ligion forward movement were made ment into a compliance with all de-

mands. The Lyon county court house at Yearington, Nev., was blown up by eve. dynamite. The loss will be several

thousand dollars. More than \$100,000 worth of contrahole of the sewer of the San Fran-

cisco customs house. Mexico was rocked by an earthquake Saturday, but aside from the Shao Yi in their negotiations. destruction of a few flimsy buildings,

no damage was done. A petition containing, it is claimed, la., on technical violation of law has

been filed. Twelve persons, nearly all of them revolutionists, escaped from jails at has burst its banks and is spreading

Mexicali. Twelve out of sixteen counties in Ohio that voted "dry" three years been washed away and the people ago have recently voted to return to have fied to the adjoining hills.

the "wet' column, Plans for a worldwide campaign in the interests of peace, in which ap to furnish pure alcohol for medicinal proximately \$500,000 will be spent or scientific purposes and no liquor during the first year, have been adopt- to be sold to minors or drunkards or ed by the trustees of Andrew Car keepers of disreputable places, has negie's gift of \$10,000,000 for the pro- been advocated by ministers of To-

motion of international amity. What is believed to have been another attempt at a prison delivery has Panama are being swallowed up by been discovered at the federal peni an artificial lake forming between

tentiary at Leavenworth. An edict announcing the resignation issued by the empress dowager of of the gross sums secured from vic-

the cabinet. Twelve are dead and nearly a score or more seriously injured as the result of a train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, which was running as section No. 2 of the "Columbia" flyer," crashing into the rear Pullman of the fiyer at Odessa, Minn.

F. W. Kellsay of Orange, N. B., attributes business troubles to fabulous capitalization of corporations in the cis Joseph of Austria is again causing hearing before interstate commerce commission.

Stockholders of the American Sugar Refining company will be called upon slightly wounded at Topeka, Kans, by at the next annual meeting to approve an unidentified Mexican highwayman a plan to provide pensions to the company's 7,500 officers and employes.

Pending the settlement of suits against Chicago meat packers, the plot to blow up the German naval British government has decided to ac | harbor at Wilhelmshaven, published cept no American bids for supplying in the Rhenish Westphalian Gazette.

Congress will actively begin consideration of tarin legislation in the committees of the two houses immediately after the holiday recess.

The official bulletin issued by the italian government regarding the cholera epidemic in Italy shows that

the disease has decreased. Thousands of bushels of wheat are piled on the streets of Winnipeg and farmers will be heavy losers owing to inability of railroads to move it. Application has been made by the

Westinghouse Airbrake company to put the affairs of the Wabash railroad company in the hands of a receiver. More bodies have been found in the Cross Mountain mine in Tennessee where an explosion occurred a

week ago, bringing the total to 84. That they may be prepared in case licate an increase of \$190,000,000 over of necessity, Elizabeth Freeman, a suffragette, advises her followers to The urgent deficiency bill, carrying practice the throwing of stones at a

J. F. Galbraith, Jr., of Denver, pre Nicaragua appears to be launched dicts a general industrial panic on a period of revolutionary activity, throughout the United States as a result of the bituminous coal mining

Six car loads of "filthy, decayed vegetable matter," to be used in the manufacture of tomato catsup, have been seized by federal authorities at Chicago. The new Carnegie library and the

town hall, under construction at Preston, Minn., collapsed. A crew of workmen engaged in the construction Twenty-five damage suits growing out on the Austin dam casualty, aggre-

Republican Leader Mann of Illinois gating \$82,400, have been filed against and Representative Sisson of Missis- the Bayless Pulp and Paper company of Austin, Pa. State department advices continue to indicate a feeling of unrest in Cuba

of officials who signally opposed Cuban independence. Every delegate to the fortieth anhas formally ratified President Taft's nual convention of the Illinois State Grange at Peoria endorsed the cause

of woman suffrage by unanimously adopting a resolution. One man was killed and ten persons were injured, two seriously, when a runaway patrol team, dashing down a steep grade, crashed into a trolley car

at White Plains, N. Y. The constitutionality of the Illinois statute to indemnify the owners of property for damage occasioned by mobs or riots was upheld by the supreme court of the United States.

Nearly one thousand hotel guests were routed out in panic early Wednesday morning by fire which totally destroyed the open board of trade building, a five-story landmark of Chicago.

Oklahoma City has been chosen for the national socialist party convenivery service and clerks in first and of which has just been announced. The convention will begin May 12, In a collision between two trolley

cars on the Kansas City-Leavenworth electric line, which met head-on in a dense fog near Wolcott, Kan., three persons were killed and nine seriously ipjured. Mrs. Holder, a 70-year-old San

Francisco woman, discovered burglars in her cottage, and grabbing an Indian club, made such good use of it that they were routed, although both

thur Litts, a prominent merchant of Los Angeles. As no fuse or caps were The great Indian durbar, with its found near, it is not probable an ex-

The secretary of state at Lincoln has received a petition, properly signed, asking that the name of the ex-president be placed upon the republican ballot at the April primaries un-

Plans for the evangelistic campaign to be conducted by the men and reat a meeting of the evangelical committee at Milwaukee. It was decided to hold a mass meeting New Year's

Promise of peace in China has become more definite with the announcement that all six of the great powersband opium was emptied into a man- Japan, Great Britain, the United States, Russia, France and Germanyare united in a co-operative effort to assist Dr. Wu Ting Fang and Tang

Irrigation in the country around Morrill, Nebr., has caused the ground to become so saturated with water 1,064 names, asking the recall of and the seepage has become so great Mayor W. H. Jones of Marshalltown, that valuable land is inundated, cellars are flooded and an arid district

has threatened to become a swamp. The river Avon, in southern Wales, great destruction in the Avon and Neath valleys. Many houses have

Public dispensaries, where drinks will be sold without profit, the state

ledo, O. Many villages on the isthmus of Gatem and Matachina.

J. C. Mabray testified at Council of the regent, Prince Shuen, has been Bluffs that in return for a percentage China. It is signed by members of time, paid to the police, he and his associates had been promised immunity from molestation. Dr. Lyman Abbott, the noted clergy-

man, author and editor, received many congratulations Monday on his seventy-sixth birthday anniversary. Dr. Abbott was born in Doxbury, Mass. December 18, 1935. Reports have been received in London that the health of Emperor Fran-

uneasiness. One Mexican laborer was killed, another mortally wounded, and another who entered a bunk car in which five

Mexicans were sleeping. The alleged discovery of a British meats to the army and navy of that is regarded in official circles in the limelight of newspaper nonsense.

adjusted to the rate of 33 cenus on scoured wool, are prohibitory in the same measure that the duty on scoured wool is prohibitory. In seneral, they are assessed at rates as high as, of higher than, the duties paid on the clean content of wools actually imported. They should be reduced and so adjusted to the rate on wool as to bear their proper proportion to the real rate levied on the actual wool imports.

Some Duties Prohibitory.

weight.
On tops up to 52 cents a pound in value

and on yarns of 65 cents in value, the rate is 100 per cent., with correspondingly higher rates for lower values. On cheap

and medium grade cloths, the existing rates frequently run to 150 per cent. and on some cheap goods to over 200 per

On the other hand, the findings show that the duties which run to such high and

valorem equivalents are prohibitory, since the goods are not imported, but that the prices of domestic fabrics are not raised

Would Reduce Dutles.

cords with the principle.

The findings of the board show that in this industry the actual manufacturing

cost, aside from the question of the price of materials, is much higher in this coun-try than it is abroad; that in the making

of varn and cloth the domestic woolen

of yarn and cloth the domestic woolen and worsted manufacturer has in general no advantage in the form of superior machinery or more efficient labor to offset the higher wages paid in this country. The finds show that the cost of turning

weel into yarn in this country is about double that in the leading competing country, and that the cost of turning yarn

country, and that the cost of turning yarn into cloth is somewhat more than double. Under the protective policy a great industry, involving the welfare of hundreds of thousands of people has been established despite these handlesps.

In recommending revision and reduction I therefore urge that action be taken with these tects in mind, to the end that an important and established industry may not be leopardized.

try may not be jeopardized.

The tariff board reports that no equitable method has been found to levy purely

specific duties on woolen and worsted fabrics, and that, excepting for a compensatory duty, the rate must be ad valorem

on such manufactures. It is important to realize, however, that no flat ad valorem rate on such fabrics can be made to work

fairly and effectively. Any single rate which is high enough to equalize the dif-

ference in manufacturing cost at home and abroad on highly finished goods in-volving such labor would be prohibitory on cheaper goods, in which the labor cost

is a smaller proportion of the total value. Conversely, a rate only adequate to equalize this difference on cheaper goods would

remove protection from the fine goods manufacture, the increase in which has

been one of the striking features of the trade development in recent years. I therefore recommend that in any revision the importance of a graduated scale of advalorem duties on cloths be carefully considered and applied.

Praises Work of Committee.

I venture to say that no legislative

pody has ever had presented to it a mor

complete and exhaustive report than this on so difficult and complicated a subject

as the relative costs of wool and woolens the world over. It is a monument to the thoroughness, industry, impartiality and

accuracy of the men engaged in its ma-king. They were chosen from both polit-ical parties, but have allowed no; irtisay

as to relative costs and prices from which may be determined what rates will fairly equalize the difference in production costs.

equalize the difference in production costs. I recommend that such revision be proceeded with at once.

(Signed) WILLIAM H. TAFT.

The White House, Dec. 20, 1911.

Napoleon's Model Library.

In view of the recent talk about

limiting the size of libraries by de-

stroying the rubbish, it is interesting

to remember that Napoleon once tried

to make a list of all the books in the

world which were worth preserving.

He believed when he sat down to his

task that a thousand volumes would

suffice; but the list grew under his

hands and ultimately included three

thousand volumes. Even so, however,

there were omissions of which Lord

Roseber, and Mr. Edmund Gosse, as

well as the general reader, would have

been likely to complain. When the

emperor came to look over his first

list, he found that he had unaccount-

ably left out the Bible. In his second

list he forgot to mention not only

Virgil and Shakespeare but-very

Nothing the Matter.

"Why, the people next door told me

"You told me just now you were

"Well, what is the matter with

"Nothing, sir. My name is Single,

Canvasser-Are you single

Man at the Door-Yes.

curiously-Moliere.

rou were married.'

"Yes; so I did."

"So I am."

single."

you?"

sidered and applied,

or a nominal duty of 183 per cent.

The duties on many classes of wool manufacture are prohibitory and greatly in excess of the difference in cost of pro-Chief Executive Urges Downward Revision of Schedule K. duction here and abroad. This is true of tops, of yarns (with the exception of worsted yarns of a very high grade), and of low and medium grade cloth of heavy

MESSAGE SENT TO CONGRESS

Document Upholds Protective Principle But at the Same Time Most Ardently Supports Recommen-

dations of Tariff Board.

Washington.-President Tast transmitted to congress the report of the tarin board on schedule K. Accom-panying the report, the chief executive sent to the national legislature the following message:

To the Senate and House of Representa-In my annual message to congress. De-cember, 1909, I stated that under section 2 of the act of August 5, 1909, I had appointed a tariff board of three members to co-operate with the state department in the administration of the maximum and minimum clause of that act, to make a glossary or encyclopedia of the existing tariff so as to render its terms intel-ligible to the ordinary reader, and then to investigate industrial conditions and costs of production at home and abroad, with a view to determining to what extent existing tariff rates actually exemplify the protective principle, viz: That duties should be made adequate, and only adequate, to equalize the difference in cost of production at home and abroad.

I further stated that I believed these investigations would be of great value as a basis for accurate legislation, and that I should from time to time recommend to congress the revision of certain schedules in accordance with the findings of

the board.
In the last session of the Sixty-first congress a bill creating a permanent tariff board of five members, of whom not more than three should be of the same political party, passed each house, but failed of enactment because of slight differences on which agreement was not reached before adjournment. An appropriation act provided that the permanent tariff board, if created by statute, should report to congress on schedule K in December, 1911.

Presidential Appointments.

Therefore, to carry out so far as lay within my power the purposes of this within my power the purposes of this bill for a permanent tariff board, I appointed in March, 1911, a board of five, adding two members of such party affiliation as would have fulfilled the statutory requirements, and directed them to make a report to me on schedule K of the training set in December of this year. the tariff act in December of this year.

In my message of August 17, 1811, accompanying the veto of the wool bill, I said that, in my judgment, schedule K should be revised and the rates reduced. should be revised and the rates reduced. My veto was based on the ground that, since the tariff board would make, in December, a detailed report on wool and wool manufactures, with special reference to the relation of the existing rates of duties to relative costs here and abroad, public policy and a fair regard to the interests of the producers and the manufacturers on the one hand and of the consumers on the other demanded that legislation should not be hastily enacted in the absence of such information; that I was not myself possessed at that that I was not myself possessed at that time of adequate knowledge of the facts to determine whether or not the proposed act was in accord with my pledge to support a fair and reasonable protective policy; that such legislation might prove only temporary and inflict upon a great industry the evils of continued uncer-

Advocates Reduction of Rates.

I now herewith submit a report of the that they were routed, although both were armed.

Twenty-three sticks of dynamite were found lying in the yard of Arthur Litte a prominent merchant of this schedule with a view to its revision and a general reduction of its rates.

The report shows that the present method of assessing the duty on raw feel sure that after the report has been method of assessing the duty on raw wool—this is, by the specific rate on the grease pound, i. e., unscoured—operates to exclude wools of high shrinkage in scouring, but fine quality, from the American market and thereby lessens the range of wools available to the domestic manufacturer; that the duty on unscoured wool of 33 cents per pound is prohibitory and operates to exclude the importation of clean, low-priced foreign wools of inferior grades, which are nevertheless valuable material for manufacturing, and which cannot be imported in the grease because of their heavy shrinkage. Such wools, if imported, might be used to displace the cheap substitutes now in use. which cannot be imported in the grease because of their heavy shrinkage. Such wools, if imported, might be used to displace the cheap substitutes now in use.

To make the preceding paragraph a little plainer, take the instance of a hundred pounds of first-class wool imported under the present duty, which is it cents a pound. That would make the duty on the hundred pounds \$\frac{31}{311}\$. The merchanthe hundred pounds \$11. The merchan-dise part of the wool thus imported is the weight of the wool of this hundred the weight of the wool of this hundred pounds after scouring. If the wool shrinks 80 per cent., as some wool does, then the duty in such a case would amount to \$11 on 20 pounds of scoured wool. This, of course, would be prohibitory. If the wool shrinks only 50 per cent., it would be \$11 on 50 pounds of wool, and this is near to the average of the great bulk of wools that are imported from Australia, which is the principal

from Australia, which is the principal source of our imported wool.

These discriminations could be overcome by assessing a duty in ad valorem terms, but this method is open to the objection, first, that it increases administra-tive difficulties and tends to decrease revenue through undervaluation; and, second, that as prices advance, the ad valorem rate increases the duty per pound at the time when the consumer most needs relief and the producer can best stand competition; while if prices de-clines the duty is decreased at the time when the consumer is least burdened by the price and the producer most needs

Method That Meets Difficulty. Another method of meeting the difficulty of taxing the grease pound is to ascess a specific duty on grease wool in terms of its scoured content. This obviates the chief evil of the present system. namely, the discrimination due to different shrinkages, and thereby tends greatly to equalize the duty. The board re-ports that this method is feasible in prac-tice and could be administered without

great expense. The report shows in detail the difficul-ties involved in attempting to state in categorical terms the cost of wool production and the great differences in cost as between different regions and different types of wool. It is found, however, that, types of wool. It is found, however, that, taking all varieties in account, the average cost of production for the whole American clip is higher than the cost in the chief competing country by an the chief competing country by an amount somewhat less than the present

Little Truthseeker.

now." answered the distracted moth-

"Why don't you ask your pa?"

"Well, what in thunder do you want

"Pa, if you'd married somebody else

Ain't they cute, these kids?-Cleve-

The report shows that the duties on noils, wool wastes, and shoddy, which are and I'm married. Good day, sir."

ways asking.

land Plain-Dealer.

"Pa!"

now?"

Nothing Doing. "Mr. Downanount," said the maid "Ma!" asked the kid who was al-"there's a man at the door with s bill—" "I have no time to 'tend to you

"Indeed?" said Downanout. "Well, Marie, just tell him that there's nothing doing. I have all I want in that

Not Committing Himself. besides ma, would my hair be black or red? "Was your new play received with storm of applause?" "Well, there was some kind of a

storm in front."

Dangers of the Christmas Tree. Deputy Fire Commissioner Randall has issued a notice calling the attention of parents and others in charge of Christmas trees, to the inflamable nature of the trimmings and decorations generally used, and suggests the substitution of asbestos wool for the cotton batting usually employed. Celluloid ornaments should be abolished and Santa Claus will look just as venerable with non-combustible hair and beard made of the asbestoś wool. Every precaution should be taken to prevent a panic should a fire occur in a crowded hall or

church.

prices of domestic fabrica are not raised by the full amount of duty. On a set of one yard samples of 16 English fabrics, which are completely excluded by the present tariff rates, it was found that the total foreign value was \$41.84; the duties which would have been assessed had these fabrics been imported, \$76.90; the foreign value plus the amount of the duty, \$118.74; or a nominal duty of 183 per cent. In fact Most Money Goes to "School Ma'ams". A statistical report showing the revenue distributed to the public school districts of the state for the however, practically identical fabrics of domestic make sold at the same time at \$69.75, showing an enhanced price over the foreign market value of but 67 per cent. year 1910 has been prepared by State Superintendent Delzell. The total revenues aggregated \$8,349,559.73, while the expenditures totaled \$8,045,-027.64. The largest expenditure of Although these duties do not increase prices of domestic goods by anything like their (ui) amount, it is none the less true the entire year was an item of \$4, 070,637.64, which went to the paythat such prohibitive dutes eliminate the possibility of foreign competition, even in prohibitive dutes eliminate the ment of female school teachers. Male teachers drew a total of only \$736, time of scarcity, so that they form a temptaton to conopoly and conspiracy to control domestic prices; that they are much in excess of the difference in cost of production here and abroad, and that they should be reduced to a point which accords with the principle. 540.81. The total number of teachers actively employed during the year was 11,309.

Increased the Assessment. The levy of state taxes for the current year has been apportioned among he various counties of the state by Fecretary Henry Seymour of the state oard of assessment and equalization. The total amount of money which will rome in through the new levy will be (2.577,154.45, against \$2,060,039.06 raised by the state levy of last year. The increase of \$516,461.39 is for an increase of over \$3,100,000 in the asressed valuation of the state over last

Boys' Corn Contest. Audsley Fellows of Winnebago, Thurston county, won the first prize of \$50 offered by the state board of agriculture for the best yield of corn on one acre. In all eleven prizes were offered this year, the first being \$50; second, \$25; third, \$20; fourth, \$15; fifth, \$10, and to the sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, and eleventh, \$5 each.

State School Apportionment. The state school apportionment, made semi-annually by State Superintendent Delzell, has been completed and the counties will soon draw the funds to which they are entitled. The total amount apportioned is \$252,-472.47. There are 376,622 persons of school age in the state and the rate per scholar is a fraction over 67 cents.

Commandant Hilyard to Stay. Commandant Hilyard of the state home for soldiers at Milford denies emphatically the rumor that he intends to resign his position. It was rumored recently that he did not care to be dictated to as to whom should be taken into the home as members and that he was ready to resign at

Ban on Politics at University. State university students may discuss politics in a purely academic way in the buildings at the state unlversity, but as for mingling actively in politics of the state the ban of disapproval has been put up on this through an ultimatum issued at a meeting of the board of regents of the state university,

Wants Their Co-operation. State Fire Warden Randall has asked the women's clubs of the state to co-operate with him in a campaign of education to prevent people from burning up their property and their neighbor's property through ignorance do its duty.

Cures Coninflammable material.

Markers on the old Oregon trail will be placed in position within the next year according to statements by members of the trail commission. The work has been more or less at a standstill for some time past, due to the fact that efforts have been under way whereby funds can be raised for the completion of the work.

Chancellor Avery has accepted an invitation to act as toastmaster at the] annual dinner of the Nebraska state historical society and territorial pioneers' association, Tuesday evening,

January 9. The resignation of Prof. H. R. Smith as professor of animal husbandry has been received and accepted. tI is to become effective February 1, 1912, when Professor Smith will enter the faculty of the University of Minnesota.

Governor Aldrich Rides the Goat. Governor Aldrich with several prominent business men of Lincoln were initiated into the Woodmen of the World. A sumptuous affair was arranged for the honor of allowing the 1726 N Street executive to ride the goat.

Hogs of the western states are rapidly dying from a combination of hog cholera and lung disease, probably a sort of pneumonia, according to state farm authorities. As a result the price of pork is expected to be very high next spring.

The program of the annual meeting of the State Horticultural society, which is to be held in this city January 16 to 18, in connection with the allied meetings of organized agriculture, has been announced by C. G. Marshall, secretary of the state board. In giving out the list of topics and discussions, Secretary Marshall declares that the coming month will see the largest fruit show ever held in connection with this association and he says that Nebraskans will have their eyes opened as to the quality and variety of apples that may be raised in great quantities in this state.

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FINANCES ARE IN GOOD SHAPE

sional opinion of the country, are likely to meet equal approval in congress.

With the present prospects of this long-awaited reform encouraging us, it would be singularly unfortunate if this monetary question should by any chance become a party issue. And I sincerely hope it will not. The exceeding amount of consideration it has received from the people of the nation has been wholly non-partisan; and the congress set its non-partisan seal upon it when the monetary commission was appointed. In commending the question to the favorable consideration of congress, I speak for, and in the spirit of, the great number of my fellow citizens, who without any thought of party or partisanship feel with remarkable earnestness that this reform is necessary to the interests of all the people. Economies Have Effected Cut in Expenses of Various Departments.

MONETARY REFORM IMPORTANT

President Hopes It Will Not Be Made Subject of Party Politics-Surplus in Postal Department-Attention Called to Canal Matters—Postal Savings.

The War Department.

There is now before congress a bill, the purpose of which is to increase the efficiency and decrease the expense of the army. It contains four principal features: First, a consolidation of the general saff with the adjutant general's and the inspector general's department; second, a consolidation of the quarter-master's department with the subsistence and pay department; third, the creation of an army service corps, and fourth, an extension of the enlistment period from three to five years.

With the establishment of an army service corps, as proposed in the bill, I am thoroughly in accord and am convinced that the establishment of such Washington. — Finances and currency reform are the subject of a special message to congress, which reads

In part as follows:

The financial condition of the government, as shown at the close of the last fiscal year, June 30, 1911, was very satisfactory. The ordinary receipts into the general fund, excluding postal revenues, amounted to \$701,372,374.99, and the disbursements from the general fund for current expenses and capital outlays, excluding postal and Panama Canal disbursements, including the interest on the public debt, amounted to \$654,377,907.89, leaving a surplus of \$47,234,377.10.

The postal revenue receipts amounted to \$237,879,823.60, while the payments made for the postal service from the postal revenues amounted to \$237,660,705.48, which left a surplus of postal receipts over disbursements of \$219,118.12, the first time in \$1 years in which a surplus occurred.

The interest-bearing debt of the United in part as follows:

The interest-bearing debt of the United States June 30, 1911, amounted to \$915, 355,190. Teh debt on which interest had ceased amounted to \$1,870,830,26, and the debt bearing no interest, including green-backs, national bank notes to be redeemed, and fractional currency, amounted to \$386,751,917.43, or a total of interest and non-interest bearing debt amounting to \$1 900.90,907.60 \$1,803,984,937.69.

service corps, as proposed in the bill, I am thoroughly in accord and am convinced that the establishment of such a corps will result in a material economy and a very great increase of efficiency in the army. It has repeatedly been recommended by me and my predecessors. I also believe that a consolidation of the staff corps can be made with a resulting increase in efficiency and economy, but not along the lines provided in the bill under consideration.

The army of the United States is in good condition. It showed itself able to meet an emergency in the successful mobilization of an army division of from 15,000 to 20,000 men, which took place along the border of Mexico during the recent disturbances in that country. The marvelous freedom from the ordinary camp diseases of typhoid fever and measles is referred to in the report of the secretary of war, and shows such an effectiveness in the sanitary regulations and treatment of the medical corps, and in the discipline of the army itself, as to invoke the highest commendation.

The Panama Canal.

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The very satisfactory progress made on the Panama canal last year has continued, and there is every reason to believe that the canal will be completed as early as the lat of July, 1918, unless something unforeseen occurs. This is about 18 months before the time promised by the engineers.

We are now near enough the completion of the canal to make it imperatively necessary that legislation should be enacted to fix the method by which the canal shall be maintained and controlled and the zone governed, the fact is that today there is no statutory law by authority of which the president is maintaining the government of the zone. The implied authority of the president to maintain a civil government in the zone may be derived from the mandatory direction given him is the original Spooner act, by which he was commanded to build the canal; but certainly, now that the canal is about to be completed and to

by which he was commanded to build the canal; but certainly, now that the canal is about to be completed and to be put under a permanent management, there ought to be specific statutory authority for its regulation and control and for the government of the zone, which we hold for the chief and main purpose of operating the canal. I fully concur with the secretary of war that the problem is simply the management of a great public work, and not the government of a local republic; that every provision must be

and not the government of a local re-public; that every provision must be directed toward the successful main-tenance of the canal as an avenue of commerce, and that all provisions for the government of those who live within the zone should be subordinant

I renew my recommendation with respect to the tolls of the canal that with-

in limits, which shall seem wise to congress, the power of fixing tolls be given to the president. In order to arrive at a

everyone; but when we are dealing

with our own ships, the practice of many governments of subsidizing their own

merchant vessels is so well established in

general that a subsidy equal to the tolls, an equivalent remission of tolls, cannot be held to be a discrimination in the

use of the canal. The practice in the Suez canal makes this clear.

The Philippine Islands.

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In respect to the Philippines, 1 urgently join in the recommendation of the secretary of war that the act of February 8, 1905, limiting the indebtedness that may be incurred by the Philippine government for the construction of public works, be increased from \$5,000,000 to \$15,000,000. The finances of that government are in excellent condition. The maximum sum mentioned is quite low as com-

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n/ss of other governments with similar resources, and the success which has attended the expenditure of the \$5,000,000 in the useful improvements

of the harbors and other places in the

Rivers and Harbors.

It seems to me that an increase in the amount of money now being annually expended in the improvement of the

Ohio river which has been formally adopted by congress would be in the interest of the public. A similar change ought to be made during the

present congress, in the amount to be appropriated for the Missouri river.

Waterway From Lakes to the Gulf.

The project for a navigable water-way from Lake Michigan to the mouth

of the Illinois river, and thence via

the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico, is one of national importance. In view

of the work already accomplished by the sanitary district of Chicago, an agency of the state of Illinois, which

has constructed the most difficult and

Illinois have authorized the expenditure of \$20,000,000 to carry this waterway 62 miles farther to Utica, I feel

ed by the special board of engineers on the waterway from Utica to the mouth of the Illinois river be made upon lines

which while providing a waterway for the nation, should otherwise benefit that state to the fullest extent.

islands justifies and requires additional expenditures for like purposes.

to the main purpose.

The actual disbursements, exclusive of those for the Panama Canal and for the postal service for the year ending June 30, 1911, were \$554,187,897.89. The actual disbursements for the year ending June 30, 1910, exclusive of the Panama Canal and the postal service disbursements, were \$659,705,391.08, making a decrease of \$5,567,893.19 in yearly expenditures in the year 1911 under that of 1910. For the year ending June 30, 1913, the estimated receipts, exclusive of the postal revenues, are \$666,000,000, while the total estimates, exclusive of those for the Panama payable from the postal revenues, amounted to \$554,842,799.34. This is a decrease in the 1912 estimates of \$1,534,367.22.

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For the year ending June 30, 1913, the estimated receipts, exclusive of the postal revenues, are \$667,000,000, while the total estimated appropriations, exclusive of the Panama Canal and postal disusements payable from postal revenues, will amount to \$637,920,803.35. This is a decrease in the 1913 estimates from that of the 1912 estimates of \$7.921.995.98. of the 1912 estimates of \$7,921,995.99.

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As to the postal revenues, the expansion of the business in that department, the normal increase in the post office and the extension of the service, will increase the outlay to the sum of \$200,938,-463; but as the department was self-sustaining this year the postmaster general is assured that next year the receipts will at least equal the expenditures, and probably exceed them by more than the surplus of this year. It is fair and equitable, therefore, in determining the economy with which the government has been run, to exclude the transactions of a department like the post office department, which relies for its support upon its receipts. In calculations heretofore made for comparison of economy in each year, it has been the proper custom only to include in the statement the deficit in the include in the statement the deficit in the vost office department which was paid out of the treasury.

calculation of the actual increase in the expenses of government arising from the increase in the population and the general expansion of governmental functions, except those of the post office. for a number of years shows a normal increase of about 4 per cent. a year. By directing the exercise of great care to keep down the expenses and the estimates we have succeeded in reducing the total disbursements each year.

Efficiency and Economy in the Treasury Department.

In the treasury department the efficienry and economy work has been kept steadily up. Provision is made for the elimination of 134 positions during the coming year. Two hundred and sixty-seven statutory positions were eliminated during the last year in the office of the tree ways in Westlerston and 141 positions. treasury in Washington, and 141 positions in the year 1910, making an elimination of 542 statutory positions since March 4, 1909; and this has been done without the discharge of anybody, because the normal resignations and deaths have been equal to the elimination of the places, a system of transfers having taken care of the persons whose positions were dropped out. In the field service of the department, too, 1,259 positions have been eliminated down to the present time, ma-king a total net reduction of all treasury positions to the number of 1,801. Mean-time the efficiency of the work of the

department has increased. Monetary Reform.

A matter of first importance that will come before congress for action at this session is monetary reform. The congress has itself arranged an early introduction of this great question through the report of its monetary commission. This commission was appointed to recommend a solution of the banking and currency problems so long confronting the nation and to furnish the facts and data necessary to enable the congress

In order to do its work with thoroughness and precision this commission has taken some time to make its report. The country is undoubtedly hoping for as prompt action on the report as the conveniences of the congress can permit. The recognition of the gross imperfections and marked inadequacy of our banking and currency system even in our most quiet financial periods is of long standing; and later there has matured a recognition of the fact that our system is responsible for the extraordinary devastation, waste and business paralysis of our recurring periods of panic. Though the methods of the monetary commission have for a considerable time been working in the open, and while large numbers of the people have been openly working with them, and while the press has largely noted and discussed this work as it has proceeded, so that the report of the commission promises to represent a na-tional movement, the details of the re-port are still being considered. I can not, therefore, do much more at this time of monetary reform, urge prompt consideration and action when the commission's report is received, and express my satisfaction that the plan to be proposed promises to embrace main features that, having met the approval of a great preponderance of the practical and profes-

Furniture Pollsh.

Many people do not know that lemon oil is the basis of all fine furniture polishes. A small bottle of For using on furniture proper, dilute a soft rag, and you will have the fintwo months.

A New York banker who feels that the privacy of his town residence has been invaded by the construction of polish usually costs 25 cents. You apartment houses on adjacent properfeet high. A nine-story apartment with one-third turpentine, apply with building is to be built on the lot west of the home of this banker, who is J. est polish you could buy. It is fine to M. Francolini, and he figures that a down upon him.—Popular Mechanics

Some Fence.

"Mr. Chairman," shouted one of the can buy a quart of crude lemon oil ty has filed plans with the building de ond the motion!" yelled a dozen in bulk at a paint shop for 15 cents. partment of that city for a fence 150 others. A storm of protest afose, but use on hard wood, stained or painted | fence 150 feet high will be required to | the motion, "how many ambitious oradoors. A quart of oil will last nearly keep its future occupants from looking tors there are in this convention There are 47."

ALL OVER NEBRASKA

master to his servant for personal in-juries to such as are occasioned by his fault has been abandoned in most civtilized countries and provision made whereby the employe injured in the course of his employment is competasted for his loss of working ability irrespective of negligence. The principles irrespective of negligence. The principle upon which such provision proceeds is that accidental injuries to workmen in modern industry, with its vast complexity and inherent dangers arising from complicated machinery and the use of the great forces of steam and electricity, should be regarded as risks of the industry and the loss borne in some equitable proportion by those who for their own profit engage therein. In recognition of this the last congress authorized the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of employers 9,935,889 bushels for 1911;" said Deputy Commissioner of Labor Louis V.

"In going over the statistical report rendered to this department by the county assessors, I found that there were 68,725 acres planted to orchards, or stating the figures more accurately, investigate the subject of employers' liability and workmen's compensation and to report the result of their inves-3,436,124 bearing trees. In going through the records of the surplus shipments of 1910 I found that it and to report the result of their investigations, through the president, to congress. This commission was appointed and has been at work, holding hearings, gathering data and considering the subject, and it is expected will be able to report by the first of the year, in accordance with the provisions of the law. amounted to 1,916,187 bushels, which represented the amount over and home consumption of apples, and I therefore decided to ascertain the exact production, which was ascertained under the method of obtaining the or-

necessary Cost of Litigation.
In promotion of the movement for the prevention of delay and unnecessary cost, in litigation, I am glad to say that the Supreme court has taken steps to reform the present equity rules of the Federal courts, and that we may in the near future expect a revision of them which will be a long step in the right direction. 'n Nebraska."

Postal Savings System.
On January 8, 1911, postal savings depositories were established experimentally in 48 states and territories. After three months' successful operation the system was extended as rapidly as feasible to the 7,500 postoffices of the first, second and third classes constituting the presidential grade. By the end of the year practically all of these will have been designated and then the system will be extended to

then the system will be extended to all fourth-class postoffices doing a money-order business. The deposits have kept pace with the extension of the system. Amount-ing to only \$60,652 at the end of the ing to only \$60,652 at the end of the first month's operation in the experimental offices, they increased to \$679,-\$10 by July, and now after 11 months of operation have reached a total of \$11,000,000. This sum is distributed among 2,710 banks and protected under the law by bonds deposited with the treasurer of the United States.

Parcel Post.

Steps should be taken immediately for the establishment of a rural parcel post. In the estimates of appropria-

Measures to Prevent Delay and Un-

post. In the estimates of appropria-tions needed for the maintenance of the postal service for the ensuing fis-cal year an item of \$150,000 has been inserted to cover the preliminary ex-pense of establishing a parcel post on pense of establishing a parcel post on rural mail routes, as well as to cover an investigation having for its object the final establishment of a general parcel post on all railway and steamboat transportation routes. The department believes that after the initial expenses of establishing the system are defrayed and the parcel post is in full operation on the rural routes it will not only bring in sufficient revenue to meet its cost, but also a surplus that can be utilized in paying the expenses of a parcel post in the city delivery service.

The suggestion that we have a general parcel post has awakened great opposition on the part of some who think that it will have the effect to destroy the business of the country

destroy the business of the country store keeper. Instead of doing this, I think the change will greatly increase business for the benefit of all. The re-duction in the cost of living it will bring about ought to make its coming certain.

The Navy Department.
On the 2d of November last I reviewed the fighting fleet of battleships and other vessels assembled in New York harbor, consisting of 24 battle-ships, 2 armored cruisers, 2 cruisers, 22 destroyers, 12 torpedo boats, 8 submarines, and other attendant vessels, making 98 vessels of all classes, of a tonnage of 576,634 tons.
The fleet was deficient in the num-

The fleet was deficient in the number of torpedo destroyers, in cruisers, and in colliers, as well as in large battleship cruisers, which are now becoming a very important feature of foreign navies, notably the British, German and Japanese.

The building plan for this year contemplates two battleships and two colliers. This is because the other and smaller vessels can be built much more rapidly in case of emergency than the battleships, and we certainly ought to continue the policy of two to the president. In order to arrive at a proper conclusion, there must be some experimenting, and this cannot be done if congress does not delegate the power to one who can act expeditiously.

I am very confident that the United States has the power to relieve from the payment of toils any part of our shipping that congress deems wise. We own the canal. It was our money that built it. We have the right to charge toils for its use. Those toils must be the same to everyone; but when we are dealing

ought to continue the policy of two battleships a year until after the Panama Canal is finished and until in death. our first line and in our reserve line

we can number 40 available vessels of proper armament and size.

Like the Treasury Department and the War Department, the Navy Department has given much attention to economy in administration, and has cut down a number of unnecessary ex-penses and reduced its estimates ex-cept for construction and the increase that that involves.

I urge upon congress the necessity for an immediate increase of 2,000 men in the enlisted strength of the navy, provided for in the estimates. Four thousand more are now needed to man all the available vessels. Departments of Agriculture and Com-

merce and Labor. For the consideration of matters which are pending or have been disposed of in the agricultural department and in the department of commerce and labor, I refer to the very excellent reports of the secretaries of those departments. I shall not be able to submit to congress until after the Christmas holidays the question of conservation of our resources arising in Alaska and the west and the question of the rate for second-class mail matter in the postoffice department. Elimination of All Local Offices From

Rivers and Harbors.

The estimates for the river and harbor improvements reach \$32,000,000 for the coming year. I wish to urge that whenever a project has been adopted by congress as one to be completed, the more money which can be economically experied in its construction in each year, the greater the ultimate economy. This has especial application to the improvement of the Mississippi river and its large branches. It seems to me that an increase in the Politics. I wish to renew again my recom-mendation that all the local offices throughout the country, including col-lectors of internal revenue, collectors of customs, postmasters of all four classes, immigration commissioners and marshals should be by law cov-ered into the classified service, the necessity for confirmation by the sen-ate be removed, and the president and the others, whose time is now taken up in distributing this patronage under the custom that has prevailed since the beginning of the government in accordance with the recommendation of the senators and congressmen of the majority party should be relieved from this burden. I am confident the majority character would greatly lieved from this burden. I am confident that such a change would greatly reduce the cost of administering the government, and that it would add greatly to its efficiency. It would take away the power to use the patronage of the government for political purposes. When officers are recommended by senators and congressmen from political motives and for political services rendered, it is impossible to excostly stretch of this waterway and made it an asset of the nation, and in view of the fact that the people of ices rendered, it is impossible to expect that while in office the appointees will not regard their tenure as more or less dependent upon continued political service for their patrons, and no regulations, however stiff or rigid, that it is fitting that this work should be supplemented by the government, and that the expenditures recommendwill prevent this, because such regulations, in view of the method and mo-tive, for selection, are plainly incon-sistent and deemed hardly worthy of The limitation of the liability of the respect.

How He Found Out.

delegates to the convention, "I move that the nominating speeches be limited to one minute each!" "Secthe chairman put the motion. It was rost by a vote of 47 to 45. "I merely wished to find out. Mr. Chairman " explained the delegate who had made

Nebraska's Apple Crop.
"The people of Nebraska will, un doubtedly, be surprised to learn that the apple crop of this state has reachthe enormous proportion of

linary crop reports.

"Cherries totaled 968,464 trees, with an average yield of 12.68 quarts per tree, making a total valuation of \$860,058. The principal yields were confined to the figures are being compiled for what will be known as the fruit bulletin, which will show in detail the enormous strides which are being made in the way of fruit culture

Seed Corn Will Be Scarce.

Johnson County.—Hon. William Ernst of Tecumseh, one of the most practical farmers in the state, is of the opinion the matter of seed corn for Nebraska farmers next year is going to be a question. During the long drouth of last summer the corn did not grow, but stood absolutely still for a period of over a month, thus naturally delaying its maturity. Then the unparalleled killing frost on November 8 caught the corn in bad shape. Mr. Ernst says that the farmers who had not selected their seed corn before the frost had better get seed else where or in any event test all that is used. Great loss could be suffered by Nebraska farmers in the use of pool seed. Prof. C. W. Pugsley, superintendent of agricultural extension of the University of Nebraska, writes Mr. Ernst that he has written to many localities in the state for seed, has tested the same and has found good seed in but one or two sections.

Milk Was Misbranded.

Cheyenne County.—Deputy Food In spector F. H. McLain of Lincoln con iemned ninety-six cans of Borden's milk for being misbranded as to weight of package. The complaint was filed before the county judge through the prosecuting attorney and through telegraphic communication the condensed milk people plead guilty and were fined \$57.60. Suits have been instituted here against the Swift, Arnour and Hammond packing companies of Omaha and others.

Asks Griffin to Resign.

Gage County.-At a meeting of the socialists of Beatrice a resolution was passed calling for the resignation of Mayor W. E. Griffin. It is charged that he has violated the principles of the socialist party in appointing men other than socialists on the police

Shoemaker Found Dead.

Gage County.—Rufus Turner, a pioneer resident of Gage county and for many years a shoemaker of Wymore was found dead in his shop. Several stitions connected with the care of the friends had been in the shop only a body in which this age is so rife. But short time before he was found, and it does feel concerned for the preserit is thought heart trouble caused his

Suit for Alienation.

Custer County.-Joseph H. Stein hagen, a farmer living sixteen miles west of Calloway, Custer county, has brought suit against W. L. Petit of the | anointed with oil, or prayed ove same place in the sum of \$5,000 for as the whim of the moment me alienating the affections of his wife.

Separators in Nebraska.

Lancaster County-More than 50,000 cream separators are on the farms of Nebraska. To be exact the number is 50,665, according to figures on the grand assessment roll for is precisely the liberty that the h.

Gasoline Fumes Kill Two. Chase County.-As the result of inhaling gasoline fumes while warming themselves in the Burlington pump house at Benkleman, two men are thought to be dying.

Not in Congressional Race. In a statement issued Judge A. W. Field of this city declares that he will not enter next year's congressional fray in the First district. The statement follows his indorsement by the Union Veterans' Republican club.

Coming Meeting of Bishops. Plans and arrangements for the annual national meeting of the bishops of the Methodist church, to be held in this city next April, are already under way. Several preliminary steps were decided upon at a meeting held here and at which Bishop J. L. Nuelson of Omaha presided.

Serum is Preventing Fever. Gage County.-Five physicians of

Beatrice visited the Feeble Minded institute and vaccinated 300 inmates with typhoid serum. No new cases of typhoid have developed since the inmates were similarly treated ten days

Bills by Congressman Stephens. Washington dispatch: Representaive Dan Stephens today introduced his maiden bills and they were for the relief of the Santee and Ponca Indians in Nebraska.

No Peonage in Beet Fields.

Scottsbluff County.-The statement before a congressional investigating committee that peonage exists in the vicinity of beet sugar factories naturally attracts attention here. In this section the field workers are principally of German extraction, and are prosperous. In the spring they take up humble quarters in or near the beet fields, and receive \$20 per acre for the hand work. They are permanent citizens of the community, many own their own homes and have an aversion to mortgages.

A FEDERAL HEALTH BOARD.

It is gratifying to note that the bill for the creation of a federal health board will not be allowed to pass without a protest. Reports of organized resistance come from all parts of the country, and it may be that the oppo-altion will soon be sufficiently solids fied to defeat a project that promises infinite mischief for the community, and suffering and injustice for the individal.

The proposal is based upon those

specious claims that are notoriously

hard to controvert. If a federal health board were to confine its activities to the promulgation of salutary advice upon hygienic matters, to the abatement of quackery, and to the purity of drugs, it might be possible to say much in its favor, although it would still be difficult to say that such an organization is needed. But we know that it will attempt to do far more than this, seeing that its adherents have loudly proclaimed their intentions. Indeed, there is no secrecy about them. It is confidently expected that the board will consist of advocates of one school of medicine only and that the methods of that school will be not only recommended, but enforced upon the nation. Indeed a board that was in any way representative of the medical profession as a whole would be stultified by its own disagreements. Outside the domain of simple hygiene, for which we need no federal board at all, there is no single point of medical practice upon which allopaths, homeopaths, eclectics and osteopaths could be in unison. Any board that could be devised by the wit of man must be composed of representatives of one school only and this means that all other schoo are branded as of an inferior caste even though nothing worse happene to them. And something worse woul happen to them. If we are to establis a school of medicine, if we are to a sert that the government of the Uni ed States favors one variety of prac tice more than others, why not estab lish also a sect of religion and bestow special authorities upon Baptists, Methodists and Episcopalians? An established school of religious conjecture seems somewhat less objectionable than an established secof pseudo-scientific conjecture.\

Those who suppose that a f board of health would have no with individual rights are like find themselves undeceived. It the purpose of interfering wit vidual rights that the propose been made. We need no knowledge of conditions to be that what may be called unor methods of healing have made roads into the orthodox. Home claims a vast number of ad who are just as well educated a as intelligent as those who add the older school. Osteopathy, cism, and half a dozen other m of practice are certainly not ground. Beyond them is the va increasing army of those who t classed under the general and name of mental healers. Thos are addicted to any of these forms o. unorthodoxy need have no doust as to the purposes of the federal health board. Those purposes are to make it difficult for them to follow their particular fads and fancies, so lead them, and if necessary to drive them, from medical unorthodoxy to medical orthodoxy.

Now the Argonaut holds no brief for any of the excesses and the supervation of human liberty and for the rights of the individual to doctor himself in any way he pleases so long as he does not indubitably threaten the health of the community. He may take large doses or small ones, or no doses at all; he may be massaged

tate, and probably it makes no particle of difference which he does. But he has the right to choose, just as he chooses the color of his necktie or the character of his underclothing. not a matter in which any wise ernment will seek to interefere. board intends to take from him. Orthodox medicine, conscious of its losses, is trying to buttress itself by federal statute, to exalt allopathy to the status of a privileged caste, and to create an established school of medicine just as some other countries have allowed themselves to create an established school of religion. It is for the common sense of the community to rebuke that effort and to re-

Waiting.

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cisco Argonaut.

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"Have you named your baby yet?"

"He's getting pretty old to be out a name, isn't he?" "Yes: but my wife wishes to him Percival, and we're waitin

find out whether he's going to

Stung. "You call this cake angel food," 'L

the harsh husband. "Yes, dear," said the timid wife, "but if the diet doesn't seem exactly what you want, here are some devilled crabs."-Washington Star.

Sounds Plausible. "Why do people speak of a 'cool

million?" "I don't know, unless it's because a man with a million dollars can keep cool, no matter how high the cost of living soars."

Consistent.

"Was that entertainment what you call a consistent piece of work?" "It was," replied the theater manager. "The scene was located on a mythical island and we played to mythical audiences and drew mythical salaries."

A Real Hero.

Mr. Henpeck-Are you the man who gave my wife a lot of impudence? Mr. Scraper-I am.

Mr. Henpeck-Shaket You're hero.—London Tit-Bits.

Ord Quiz W. W. HASKELL, Editor and Owner - NEBRAS Entered at the postoffice at Ord as ond class mail matter. Subscriptions may begin or end at time. Notice to stop this paper will promptly obeyed. All subscriptions ar ceived with the express understanding the subscription may continue until the s scriber notifies the publisher of his des The Greeley county pape are advocating the destructi of the court house at Greele even going to the extreme "McNamaraizing" it. The s the Scotia paper. Perhaps to would be a little severe, blowi there is no question about Gre ley county needing a new county needing a new county house. But would anyone this that Valley county is in lipredicament? We have built and the second of th not the bats and cooing do like it first rate and are maki Bryan is for La Follette as publican nominee for preside He said so in Ord last year and in other towns where recent campaign. So is the mocratic Lincoln Star and great many other democra republicans are not letting mocrats make their presiden nominations for them, not by long shot. There is no quest that La Follette for presid would mean the defeat of republican ticket, and the mocrats know it. Even so p political profit as Bryan kno We do not believe t Follette will be nominate i we are hoping that T uot be. He has made a go sident and deserves ren tion, but there is no use republicans assuming a b unnecessary in the com paign. There are plenty d men for president in n ranks by nominating T do we need to hug a viper breast by choosing La F ast Thursday about noon __ gers and family suddenly dis ered that their house up in the promptly begun and the fire was out after a hard fight, but not about \$500 in damage was suffe The fire originated in the cham and they think that a child m have started it but this they do know. J. M. Jones was there at time and in rendering help was to him from the roof of the build Rev. R. Rush is to begin rev meetings in the Vinton Metho rtha Carson of Tallula, Illi will be present to lead the sing Miss Carson is a graduate of Epw sign dissolution is a graduate of Epwerson i at 11 lo., and comes recommended by ennard, under whom she grad Come and help, come and elped, come and enjoy these m ings. You are very cordially invi Mrs. Pearl Hughes and son this morning for their future h near Jacksonville, Ills. Pearl follow in a few weeks with the The Hall Barnes family will as

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_	Butterfield, L. C. 4 09 Burson, H. G. 8 00	J. D. Bridges, Committee.	Sons \$412.50, part bli Wm. A. Davis et a
be re	Barber, C. W	On motion the claim of Alvin	Davis \$15,000, n2 sw 17-16.
at b	Barnhart, Chas	Blessing, postmaster, for stamped envelopes amounting to \$513.36 was	Frederick G. Hat
re	Cook, J. R 8 00 Craig. A. L	rejected. On motion the claim of the Ord	Ross \$1900, part lot add.
=	Carson, W. H	Lumber and Coal Co. for \$73.86 was	John Pokorny J
מפ	Cleary, A. S	On motion the claim of H. D.	\$2985.40, sw4 23-19-15 Joseph Bartos Jr.
, of	Coats. Ernest S	Heuck for \$76 was laid over. On motion the claim of Genie	\$3000, lots 1 and 2 b
g;	Carson, J H 28 00	Crandall for \$11.55 was laid over.	Thomas Zulkoske
ie ut	Davis, Claude A	On motion the claim of Lucy O'Connor for \$7.02 was rejected.	Iwanski \$1075, part : Fannie Lawton t
y is	Davis, H. N	On motion the claims of J. E. Wilmoth for \$2, Joseph Novosad for	bard \$700, lots 3, 4 Wilhelm Frungel t
g	Dunlap, P. S 9 50	\$2.50, E. C. Gifford for \$2.50, L. D.	\$3000, blk 23 Haskell
it B-	Enger, Oscar(Bailey and Sons for \$1.36, C. H. Cromwell for \$7.41 and Earnest Bros.	Warren Pickett 1 \$1800, part sw4 23-17
rt ik	Fuss, Emil 8 00	for \$36 were allowed and the treasurer is instructed to refund the same.	Wencel Misko to \$10,200, lots 1 and 2
62	Farmers Mutual Tel Co 27 00	On motion the county clerk's bond	and lot 8 blk 16 R
d• re	Fretz. Geo 4 00	was fixed at \$5,000. On motion the report of the Com-	and part 22-19-14. Raymond Bee to
es		mittee on Bonds was accepted.	\$7000, nw4 28-18-13.
g	Gudmundsen, H	On motion the bond of Dr. F. A. Barta as County Coroner was approv-	Albert E. Flint 1 \$6400, sw4 15-18-13.
B-	Hammond & Stephens Co 17 95 Holt Concern, The 12 60	ed. Ord, Nebr., December 11, 1911.	Maud F. Collins & Hewett \$100, ne4 se4
ıt.	Hastings, Geo. E 8 00	To the Honorable Board of County	22-19-14.
16 16	Heuck, H. D 6 00 Hoisington, J. L	Commissioners of Valley County. Kind Sirs:—Herewith attached is a	E. J. Babcock to 1 lots 2, 3 and 4 bl
h	Hekeler. Wm. 11 40 Horner, Wm. 4 00	receipted, paid up list of Valley	North Loup. Edward E. Freen
a	Hill, U. L	County School contest Premiums, (For contest held in conjunction	Jenkins \$2000, lots 2
ic nt	Hutchins, W. T 6 . 00 Holzinger, Joe 8 . 00	with the county Fair) and in accor-	add Arcadia. Anton S. Koupal
8-	Kokes, John 8,00	dance with the precedent formed a few years ago, I, inbehalf of the	er \$800, e2 lot 6 and
al a	Klingler, C. N 8 50 Kokes, Frank 8 25	school children of Valley County hereby solicit the appropriation of	fords add. Irena H. Tully t
on nt	Luke, J. H	funds sufficient to cover same.	\$40,000, nw4 and n2
þе	Lutz, Ray 8 00 Leach, H. E 6 00	Thanking you for the many favors and courtesies extended me in the	4.
e- or	Leach, H. E 3 00	past, I remain, Sincerely, Eva B. Shuman, Co. Supt.	E. P. Howell to Trust Co. \$1000, no
ws	Murschel, Otto	On motion request of Miss Shuman	and lots 1 and 2 sec
at d.	McLain, John 4 00 Murschel, Otto 28 30	was granted and, the clerk instructed to draw a warrant in her favor for	and s2 se4 33-20-4, Frank Glover to
ıft od	Moudry, John	\$121.50. The bond submitted by Robert	\$1509, lots 5 and 6 b John Koupal to
'n٠	Marks, A. C	Johnson and filed with the county	\$700, part lot 5 blk
in r•	Neb. Inst. for Feeble Minded. 27 12 Neb. Inst. for Feeble minded. 37, 45	clerk on November 1, 1911, with re- ference to holding the county harm-	Peter Christian t \$2200, part blk 2 Ho
of	I MOTOURY, MIRO O. WO	less by reason of erecting a fence	Peter Christian t \$3500, railroad add .
he	Pierce, L. D 8 00	along a portion of road No. 72 was read, and on motion the same was	Peter Christian t
ot ur	Petska, James		\$10,000, se4 23-17-16 Dossie Tucker to
ft,	Priter, Henry	H. Bredthauer was laid over until	\$2000, ne4 ne4 26-17-
to N-	Peterson, Nels 4 00	the next meeting. On motion the Walter Parks road	s2 lot 3 blk 27 Hask
	Peterson, Aug 8 00 Ruhl, D. C 6 00	was ordered laid as prayed for and	Samuel McClellan \$100, 10 feet off sou
	Russell, Albert	damages allowed to Walter Parks in the sum of \$1.	8 blk 2 Babcocks 2nd
ov- Ige	Ruzicka, Adoloh 4 00	RESOLUTION.	Andrew G. Abney ble \$16,000, all 17-18
he	Rood, C. J 4 00	"Resolved, that the request of board of Independent Township for	John Cjochon t
yas out	Rood, W. G 6 50	an appropriation to assist in grading	\$14,000, sw4 and st w side nw4:19-18-15
till ed.	TState Journal Co 20 00	the approaches to Tappin Bridge on township between Independent and	16. Josephine Koupal
ber	Sutton, A 14 15	Davis Creek townships be granted and that the county appropriate the	\$1800, lots 3 and 4 b
ust 10t	Stingley, J. E 4 00	sum of \$100.00, and the clerk is in-	Frank Janecek to \$6000, nw4 20-19-15.
he	Sorensen, Rudolph 7 50	structed to draw a warrant in favor of Treasurer of Independent Town-	Dora Downower
hit on-	10 Ct. 1 10 00	1	\$1700, lot 8 blk 30 H Joseph Adamek to
ng. me	i Sorensen. Rudolph 12 50	On motion the above resolution	
шо	Stacy, E. H 48 00	was adopted by a majority vote of the members present.	lots 15 and 16 blk 16
	Thusen. H. C 8 00 Tolen, J. E 8 00 Title Guarantee & Surety Co. 214 20	Ord. Nebraska, December 11, 1911.	Stella Hollingshe Lundy \$2000, part 2
val ist	Title Guarantee & Surety Co. 214 20 Ulm, L. P. 4 00	To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.	James W. Lundy
iss	Vodehnal, E. E 11 00	Gentlemen:—I beg leave to report	\$2000, part 26-17-16.
ois, ng.		receipts from sale of old bridge lum- ber in Davis and Enterprise Town-	All persons know
rth	Westover, Herman 3 00	ships, \$22.50, the same having been	indebted to the firm
rs.	same 64 94	Wilson Bell, Supervisor.	the New Year the
at- be	I Woodworth, A. E 000	On motion report of Supervisor Bell was accepted.	as we start a new wish to balance up
et-	Westover, Herman 4 50	On motion John Ceplecha and the	once. F. J. DW
ed.	Warner, S. P 4 70	ka Township were allowed \$1, each	
eft	4. 4	as damages incurred by the laying of	
me ill	I test and illegally assessed referred to	On notion the Board adjourned	Van Wie's sister.
ar.	Crandall. Genie	Otto Murschal County Clark	Mr. and Mrs. Cla Lincoln this morni
the	Cromwell, C A	DIEASED WITH BOW TRY SHOW	absence Mrs. Smith

Wilson Bell, John Fogt, J. D. Bridges, Committee. Sons \$412.50, part blk 13 west Ord. Wm. A. Davis et al to Elizabeth S. Davis \$15,000, n2 sw4 28 and ne4 29-On motion the claim of Alvin Davis lessing, postmaster, for stamped avelopes amounting to \$513.38 was

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Ord, Nebr., December 11, 1911. to the Honorable Board of County 22-19-14. Commissioners of Valley County. lind Sirs:—Herewith attached is a eccipted, paid up list of Valley North Loup. ounty School contest Premiums, For contest held in conjunction ith the county Fair) and in accordadd Arcadia. ance with the precedent formed a Anton S. Koupal to Frank E. Glov-ew years ago, I, inbehalf of the er \$800, e2 lot 6 and all 7 bik 32 Milchool children of Valley County fords add. ereby solicit the appropriation of nds sufficient to cover same.

Thanking you for the many favors 2 sec 5-19-14 and sw4 and s2 se4 33-20nd courtesies extended me in the ast, I remain, Sincerely, Trust Co. \$1000, nw4 and n2 ne4 4 Eva B. Shuman, Co. Supt. and lots 1 and 2 sec 5-19-14 and sw4 On motion request of Miss Shuman

o draw a warrant in her favor for Frank Glover to Anton Koupal The bond submitted by Robert John Koupal to Anton Koupal ohnson and filed with the county \$700, part lot 5 blk 14 Ord. lerk on November 1, 1911, with re- Peter Christian to Jesse Christian erence to holding the county harm- \$2200, part blk 2 How add Arcadia. ess by reason of erecting a fence long a portion of road No. 72 was \$3500, railroad add Arcadia, ead, and on motion the same was

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John Clochon to Kate Ciochon and Appropriation to assist in grading the strip 1 rod wide on n appropriation to assist in grading w side nw4 19-18-15 and all ne4 13-18he approaches to Tappin Bridge on 16. ownship between Independent and Davis Creek townships be granted \$1800, lots 3 and 4 blk 48 Ord. nd that the county appropriate the um of \$100.00, and the clerk is inructed to draw a warrant in favor Dora Downower to Frank Skeen Treasurer of Independent Townf Treasurer of Independent Town-hip for said amount for said pur-Joseph Adamek to Charles Sci ose." J. H. Carson.

Gentlemen:—I beg leave to report eccipts from sale of old bridge lumper in Davis and Enterprise Townhips, \$22.50, the same having been indebted to the firm of F. J. Dworak

urned over to the County Treasurer. will please call and settle, as from Wilson Bell, Supervisor.
On motion report of Supervisor Bell was accepted.

On motion John Ceplecha and the once. F. J. DWORAK rustees of Luthern Church of Eure is damages incurred by the laying of daughter Jessie left this morning for pended and body fires banked. It carhe John Ceplecha road.

Otto Murschel. County Clerk. PLEASED WITH POULTRY SHOW.

(Continued from first page) Silver Wyandottes A. S. Koupal, Ord, 1 on pen, 1 on

cockerel, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. **Buff Wyandottes** E. E. Bower, 1, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. White Wyandottes

E. E. Bower, 1, 2 on pen, 1, 3 on cock, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, on cockerel, 2, 3, 4 on pullet. C. E. Armstrong, Ord, 2 on cock,

3, 4, 5 on hen, 1, 5 on pullet. Common Ducks W. J. Hather, 1, 2 on cock, 1, 2 on cockerel, 1, 2 on hen, 1, 2 on pullet.

Tulouse Geese W. J. Hather, 1 on cock, 1 on cockerel, 1 on hen, 1 on pullet. Bourbon Red Turkeys

A. J. Firkins, 1 on cock, 1, 2 on pullet.

White Holland Turkeys Mrs. Ed Gadd, Ord, 1 on cock, 1 on

The big classes in the show were the buff leghorns and Rhode Island reds, showing that these are very popular breeds of hens. Ord exhibitors showed up well

among the best breeders in the state, carrying off the best regular and special premiums. Exhibitors from out of town were

greatly pleased with the manner in which their birds were cared for and with the general treatment they received here. The result will doubtless be an even greater show next

************** of Garfield county.

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Frank Lukesh to L. D. Bailey &

Thomas Zulkoske to Alexander

Fannie Lawton to William Hub-

Wencel Misko to Dan M. Turner

Raymond Bee to Asa L. Prentice

Albert E. Flint to Leroy Stewart

Maud F. Collins et al to Frank E.

Hewett \$100, ne4 se4 and lots 3 and 4

E. J. Babcock to Linda Rood \$1650, lots 2, 3 and 4 blk 3 Pope's add

Edward E. Freemon to Alonzo O. Jenkins \$2000, lots 24 and 25 blk 8 1st

Irena H. Tully to E. P. Howell \$40,000, nw4 and n2 ne4 and lots 1 and

E. P. Howell to Bennett Loan &

Peter Christian to Jesse Christian

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Dossie Tucker to Mary E. Fowler

James Sibal to Lydora Tatlow \$700,

8 blk 2 Babcocks 2nd add North Loup.

Andrew G. Abney to Clifford Trim-

Josephine Koupal to Jerry Cernik

Frank Janecek to, Joseph F. Golka

Frank Misko to Arthur Daily \$975,

Stella Hollingshead to James W.

James W. Lundy to Dossie Tucker

NOTICE.

All persons knowing themselves

wish to balance up the old books at

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Van Wie and

lots 15 and 16 blk 16 Woodbury add.

Lundy \$2000, part 26-17-16.

of the baby.

town.

\$1509, lots 5 and 6 blk 55 Ord.*

\$10,000, se4 23-17-16.

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Clearance Sa 25% DISCOUNT

on Suits - on Overcoata

To make room for Spring goods soon to arrive

Your size may be here today, Tomorrow it may be gone

Commences Saturday, Dec. 30th Closes - Saturday, Jan. 20th

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Gamble & Perryman

North Side-

Grandma Aldrege, Mrs. Ed Munn's mother accompanied Herman Mattley to Lincoln this marning, and from Joseph Adamek to Charles Schwanthere will go on home to Queen City, er \$1650, part lots 5 and 6 blk 28 Ord. Mo.

Mrs. John Cacka left this morning for St. Louis for a visit with relatives. This was her former home but she had not visited it for seventeen years.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Grafton returned to their home at Pueblo, Colo., this morning. They have been visiting the W. L. Stevens famil the New Year the firm changes and since Christmas. The lady is a sister as we start a new set of books, I

Hahits of Hedgehog. The hedgehog passes the winter in sleep, with circulation almost susries a reserve of glycogen and fat, Fullerton where they will visit M rs. news a recent investigations have shown that soon after awaken-Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis went to ing it warms up by a rapid burning of

Lincoln this morning. During their absence Mrs. Smith will have charge unimportant. The animal may be awake at a low temperature, for the The Junior Y. P. U. of the Baptist awakening is distinct from the warmchurch had a rally last evening.
Several were present from out of town.

Is just commencing and RIGHT NOW is the time for you to buy

Fur Coats **Duck Coats Blankets** Underwear

We wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year

Arctics

F. J. DWORAK

HAVE purchased Mr. Frick's entire stock of S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Good size, good layers, all pens trap nested. We have eggs for sale in season at regular prices. \$1 00 to \$1.50 per 15. Also will have few late hatch ckls for sale.

WM. SHUNKWILER, ORD, NEBRASKA *******************

West Side Market

BEST OF FRESH AND SALT MEAT ALWAYS ON HAND

I always pay the highest market price for cattle hogs and hides

A. C. DOMON, Proprietor Tom Hemmett of Burwell was in Ord yesterday. He is the glued fast clerk of Garfield county.

to call your attention to this Bank and its management, trusting that we may receive your favorable

A review of our history since organization, and a glance at the names of our Directors, all of whom are residents and large property owners of Valley county, we think is sufficient guarantee that your interests will be safely guarded.

We believe that men of good business judgment and conservative ideas appreciate our sound progressive management and our growth and success is the community's gain in building up the commercial developement of our county,

WE INVITE YOU TO CALL AND SEE US

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THE ORD QUIZ

W. W. HASKELL, Editor and Owner ORD, VALLEY COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Clothes that are made right, fit right and priced right. Gamble & Perryman. & Perryman.

Sugar cured Hams at 15c a pound

Write it 1912 commencing with next Monday.

Norril Lamberton returned to Scotia yesterday.

Largest stock of glass at Brown's Pharmacy.

Geo. Parkins and family spent Tuesday in North Loup. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barta spent

Tuesday night in Burwell. woman this week with pneumonia. Ross Murdock was over from Loup City this week returning home yes-

Roy Collison was up to Burwell

Margerette Howard went to Omather parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Conway came in from Scotia Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Ward nas been quite sick the past week. She is not much improved today.....

Mrs. Lawrence Bright and daught- Monday night, January 8, 1912. er spent a few days in North Loup the first of the week.

Springs nut coal of splendid quality, Ord Lumber & Coal Co. On Friday morning Geo. Dailey

went to Larabee, Iowa, for a few days stay with relatives. Mabel Culbertson, one of our school

teachers, went up to her home at Burwell to spend the holidays.

Ralph Batie came up from South Omaha Saturday where he is work. ing. He returned again Tuesday. On Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs

Walter Bundy and Fay went to Nor-

folk to spend Christmas with rela-Earl Locker will go to Scotia right away after New Year's to accept a position in the Norral Lamberton

jewelry store. J. L. Mott and wife of Des Moines are here on a visit with the Dr. G. W. Taylor family. Mrs. Mott is a

sister of the doctor. Mr. and Mrs. G. Cook returned Tuesday to Grand Island. They had been visiting for several days with

the Joe Cook family. Little Harold Orcutt went to Central City Tuesday morning to visit for several days with his grandmoth-

er, Mrs. W. W. Burrows. Mrs. Frank Kull is at the home of her mother Mrs. Lewis in east Ord, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rassett and and has been sick and confined to the their little folks were Saturday morn-

Mrs. Clark Lamberton came home from Grand Island last evening. She has been down there assisting in car- at Stromsburg and Clarks. ing for the new grandson and his

H. P. Daggett came home from Champion, Neb., Saturday evening to spend the holidays with his family. Chas. went to Grand Island to meet him,

Yesterday morning Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clements returned to their home at Lincoln. They came up to spend a few days with E. J.'s mother whose health is very poor.

Unis and Imo Mallory came up from Scotia Tuesday and visited at the S. S. Brown home until last evening when they went up to Burwell macy. with their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Owen Conway.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange any kind of property anywhere quick, send or bring full particulars to Central Nebraska Land & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Ne-

ANNOUNCEMENT To all my friends and customers:

In this manner I wish to thank you one and all for your liberal patronage during the past year and wish you a very Happy New Year. And especially do I wish to thank those of you who have dealt with me during the years of both prosperity and adversity; some of whom have dealt with me continuously since I started in business, nearly twenty four years

And beginning with the New Year the firm will consist of one more member; one whom you all know-Stan F. Dworak. We will continue to do business under the head of F. J. Dworak & Son and while the firm! name changes the management re-

mains the same as heretofore. In all my dealings with you I have always strived to be adsolutely fair and square with you and have always endeavored to give you value received, a policy which the new firm will Mrs. John Vanscoy was a very sick adhere to. I bespeak a continuance of your patronage for the new firm.

Yours for a prosperous 1912. F. J. DWORAK.

people in Ord for a few days. He Mrs. Bright. onday night assisting in the music has quit his job at Seward, where he has been for a long time, and ac- bus Tuesday and spent a few days cepted a position in a printery at with his parents. ha Monday to spend the holidays with Lincoln. Ora is one of the hired singers in St. Paul's church and was in an oratorio put on in that church, and Monday in Ord.

> On account of Monday being New Years day the regular monthly meeting of the Commercial Club will be day in Grand Island. postponed for one week. This will

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Mozae went to Plattsmouth, Neb., Saturday where arrived last evening. She is a relative We now have plenty of Rock they will spend a few days with re- of the Chas. Batie family. latives. Mr. Mozac is the meat-market man at Elyria but they make their home in Ord.

Plenty of money for farm loansoptional payments-lowest ratespayable at Ord-money ready when you are. See J. H. Capron, Ord, before you borrow.

Next Sunday at 1:30 there will be services at the Danish Lutheran church. Rev. Johansen of Cushing will conduct the meeting and you are cordially invited.

Dr. Vallier went to Grand Island Saturday on the noon train, His They returned after Christmas day. here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Rockhold and Mrs. Irwin Thelin of North Loup Rockhold home Christmas day.

Mrs. L. A. Plymath and Mrs. M. Hind of Wicheta, Kan., distant relatives of the O. Philbrick family, came in Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers were up from Greeley to spend Christmas with the Wm. Banister and Frank Crow families.

Dr. Vallier returnied from Grand Island Tuesday where he had been spending Christmas with relatives.

bed for a week with blood poisoning. ing passengers for Grand Island. Lester Seerley returned last' evening from a week's visit with relatives

> Louis Knutsen, the electric light man, spent Christmas in St. Paul. with relatives for several days.

He went down Saturday. Yesterday morning a fine 9 pound son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lambdin.

Abbie Wagner was a passenger Saturday for Chicago for a few days

stay with friends. A. J. Firkins and Chas. Turner were in North Loup between trains

Bring in your sash and have the glass set at Brown's Phar-

Dick Nelson was in North Loup between trains Tuesday.

Ross Murdock came in from Sar gent Monday evening.

Ora Mutter returned to Burwell Tuesday evening.

Allie Pierce was in North Loup

We Thank You

Most sincerely for your business in the past. For the patronage that gave me 101 per cent the largest Holiday bysiness I ever did in Ord.

I For 1912 I plan a bigger and more prosperous business than ever before, giving you, if such a thing is possible, still better service and still better value,

Wishing you the happiest and most prosperous

of New Years

Joe Stara came up from Loup City Tuesday.

Browns' Pharmacy for window glass.

Dick Bradley returned Monday from Wolbach.

J. M. VanSkike was a passenger to Greeley Tuesday. Chess Chinn was in St. Paul be-

tween trains Monday. Frank Desch was in North Loup

etween trains Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Paist were in

Elba between trains Monday. Lena Speetzen went to Grand Island Saturday returning to Ord Tuesday,

Jay Auble was up from Wolbach for a few days returning home yes terday.

Julia and Theresa Jacobwith went to their home at Horace Saturday of the public. morning.

Mrs. Oscar Nay returned Saturday from Columbus, Platte Center and Implements and automobiles are kept other places.

Gladys Stewart came up from Ora Taylor has been visiting his North Loup Tuesday with her sister

Rev. and Mrs. Shuman and a sister of the former spent Christmas

W. L. D. Auble returned home put the next regular meeting day on from Gregory, South Dakota, the lat-

ter part of last week. Verile Thornton of Colo, Iowa,

John Ambrose and wife were in Ravenna the first of the week. This is the home of John's people.

Lula and Florence Alderman went to Burwell Saturday to spend a part of their vacation with friends.

Frank Mitchell went to Omaha remain in Ord a few days longer.

Claude Rathbun went to Hastings Saturday where he will spend Christmas and look after other interests. Horace Crow did not go back to

Horace until Tuesday. He spent wife went down in the morning. Sunday and Monday with his family

> Gertrude and Inez Coonrod re. gry folks to come to my place. Mrs. turned to Grand Island Tuesday af. Mollie Taylor. ter a few days visit with relatives and friends.

G. H. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hallock came

On Friday members of Mrs. Flynns family were looking forward to a visit with Hugh Fradenburg of Ridgefield, Wash.

On Saturday morning Mrs. C. C. Jewett and son Jim left for Sloux spend the holidays. City, Iowa, where they will stay On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs.

R. Huddleton parents of Mrs. Harold Parks, came up from Sutton to spend mundsen. a few days with their daughter.

There will be preaching in the Sumfer school house the Sunday after Christmas. At which time they expect to have their new organ.

Dr. Rich, Specialist, Grand Island Chronic diseases of men and women. Rupture and Piles treated without an operation. Office opposite City Hall.

On Friday morning Mrs. J. M. Merrett returned to her home at Valpariso. She had been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Van-

Chas. Kallal returned to his home in Canada Tuesday morning. He has been visiting Ord friends for several weeks. His sister will stay for a while longer.

Frank Beehrle will have a sale of lot of farm property next Thursday preparatory to moving to the B. H. of Joe O'Bryan was visiting him last Alvord place, which he will occupy week and attending the poultry the coming season.

Mrs. Harvey Potter will teach the Spring Creek school after the holi- up from Grand Island Saturday and days, but before commencing she is visited the fore part of the week in taking a few days visit in Omaha, Ord. She went down Saturday.

Eva Shuman returned Tuesday well Monday. John still has a warm with Rev and Mrs. Shuman from spot in his heart for Ord friends. Grand Island where they had all spending Christmas with George Shuman and family,

If you want to borrow money on land write for application Monday. He had been in attendance blanks.—Central Nebraska Land at the poultry show. & Loan Company, Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Nebraska.

Saturday morning most of the eachers left for their different homes to spend the school vacation. Miss Troupe went to Kearney, Miss McAndrews to Ainsworth and Miss Fritchoff to Omaha.

You might as well prepare to test latives. your seed corn this winter or spring, for it is reported that much apparently good corn will not germanate on account of improperly maturing during the mentural weather of last. Raject

CORNELL'S HARDWARE SOLD Cornell Bros. nave sold their hard-ware store to Pearce & Doyle, two business men of Meola, Iowa, who are now taking account of the stock. The actual transfer of the premises will take place on the first of the month. The Cornell store is one of the finest in the state. The stock is up-to-date and in fine shape, and the business has been one of the most

ience. Mr. Pearce has been educated in the hardware business in his father's store in Iowa. Mr. Doyle was for 16 years in the passenger department of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. They appear to be marked for success. They come with experience

The purchasers are men of exper-

prosperous in the city.

and ample capital and being pleasant appearing fellows they will not be long in getting into the good graces Only the hardware, plumbing and tinshop departments are taken. The by the Cornells and will be in charge

of Charles, who will remain in Ord. Of course the purpose in selling was to permit J. Cass to go to Lincoin to look after the big plumbers Grover Long came up from Colum- supply house which they own.

People of Ord will recall Rev. C. E. *********************************** Giddings, who was in Ord for some Herman Mattley came in from time in the interest of his great recently one of the four chief soloists Lincoln Saturday and spent Sunday Brazilian undertaking. The man is a great worker in his line and has just consumated arrangements for the development of his proposition when he was stricken with a nervous City Saturday to be at home for the breakdown in Omaha last week. As holidays a result he is now wholly incapacitated for work. It will be a pity if, after so many years in completing visiting their mother. these plans, he is hot to be allowed to enjoy the benefits of his labors. His son is in Omaha with him. The rest of the family are in Brazil.

If any of our young reader are ambitious to secure positions in banks and business offices we advise them to write the Grand Island Business and Normal College Grand Island, Neb., at once. This college will spent Christmas with Mrs. Hagers admit young men and women from mother. Tuesday morning. His family will the farm and villages and no fees are to be paid until the student graduates and earns the money. It is one of the largest and most prosperous Business Colleges in the United

TAYLOR'S PLACE

I wish to announce to the public that I have bought the Maude Severson restaurant and will continue Nellie Bradt came in Saturday the business in the old stand. Short evening from Ashland where she has orders and regular meals will be and their children ate dinner at the been working in a store for several served and board by the day or week furnished. I cordially invite all hun-

HOT AIR BATHS

I am equipped to give hot air baths. Clyde Ramel returned to Aurora Hot air baths are equal to hot native this morning. He has been visiting Russian or Turkish Baths in the with his wifes people Mr. and Mrs. treatment of all forms of Rheuma. tism. Try them. Dr. Billings.

There was a triple wedding over at down from Burwell Monday to eat Arcadia on Christmas day. James a generous response of sympathy and their Christmas dinner at the E. Duryea and Ruth G. Brown, Carl help from his many friends and acparental home.

D. Russell and Lillie Duryea, and quaintances. To all who aided us by Edward Rider and Daisy Duryea, your sympathy and willing hands were the contracting parties during his sickness, death and burial vere the contracting parties Mathilda Widstrand has been visit

ing at the Pete Knecht home. Saturday she in company with little Oscar and Carl Knecht went to Hazad to

Mrs. Ernest Woolsey was a Saturday morning passenger for Clarks, Neb., where she will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Minnie Wall went to Scotia Friday noon returning to Ord Monday evening. She was the guest of Bee Vopat for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Jones were passengers for Hastings Friday where they will spend Christmas with relatives.

Mabel Fisher went to her home at North Loup Saturday to spend Christmas. Mrs. Jay Hamilton accompanied her. Joe Cernik came in Saturday from

his home in Montana. He will make quite a lengthy visit of six or seven T. W. Rinker of St. Paul, a friend

Gertrude and Inez Coonrod came

John Allen came down from Bur-

Chas. Sershen, who is working at Greeley, came up Friday to spend Christmas with his family.

Bert Hepp returned to Greeley

Ethel and Ruth Ollis came up from Lincoln Saturday evening for a few days stay at home. Harry and Curt Bartley ate their

at Woods Parks. Enid Conklyn went to Osceola Saturday to spend the holidays with re-

Christmas dinner with their mother

Cleg Hughes was in Palmer last Tuesday attending to business af-

Greetings of the Seas

WE desire to express our appreciation and thanks courtesies and hope to merit a continuance of your patronage.

We sincerely hope that every one of our customers and will have a happier, more prosperous and more satisfactor

Here's hoping that 1912 will be the banner year for a

Sincerely,

L. D. BAILEY & SON

Christmas day with relatives at Greeley.

Bashie Tully came in from Central Jim and Lewis Booth were over

from Ericson the first of the week Saturday morning Porter Long and family went down to Sumter to visit

with the Frank Potter family. Lillian and Frank, the two younger children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bai-

ley went to Cusning this morning. Mrs. C. A. Hager and children left Saturday for Lushton where they

Mr. and Mrs Geo. Mickelwait and Mary went up to Burwell Saturday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Craig.

Mrs. Dr. Gard returned from Lincoln Friday where she had gone the lay before to accompany the doctors little nephew home. Mrs. Joe Carkoske fell one day

the fore part of the week and broke a bone in her foot. It is quite painful and will lay her up for quite a while. NOTICE

On account of death in the family will be unable to issue statements of amounts due me. So I take this way of asking my customers who owe me to call and settle their accounts at the shop. A. C. Doman.

CARD OF THANKS The long sickness and great suffering of my beloved husband called out wish to express my heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Mike Preste le. I don't claim to be the only plumber, but if you are having plumber troubles I believe I can find the cause and effect a remedy. I shall This morning at 10:00 o'clock be glad to figure with you on any William Fellows of Ord and Miss plumbing job, and if I don't save you Seima Stuckerbury of Lincoln were money now I can save you having long years at plumbing in large cities and I think I know how to do your work right. Peter Darges.

Our Thanks and Good Wishes

WE wish to thank the many good people favored us with their confidence and during the past year. We solicit and w merit a continuance of these pleasant relation

= Corn, 520 We wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year

S. FACKLER

The Grocer

Don't Forget

That we handle the best grades of coal in Nigger Head, Rock Springs and Sunshine Canon lump and nut, Also eastern hard coal in nut and egg size.

We guarantee satisfaction

NEW YEAR'S

GREETING

TO ALL

AND our heartfelt thanks for the splendid hardware business you have given us in 1911.

In entering upon the new year, 1912, we propose, with your assistance, to make it an all 'round satisfactory year to both of us.

We fully realize just how much our success depends upon our ability to satisfactorily serve you, and to the end of bettering our service we will labor unceasingly.

> Service improved where possible, Better goods where possible, And prices as low as possible,

Into 1912 we enter with every effort put forth to make you realize that

this is THE store that merits your patronage. Again for the splendid business for 1911 we thank you, and trusting to be favored with your patronage for 1912 we are

Yours very truly,



CLUBBING OFFER

FOR FARMERS ONLY

We have made arrangements with the Omaha Daily Bee that surpasses anything yet. For only \$3.50 we will send you the following:

The Quiz one year	- \$ 1.50
The Omaha Daily Bee one year	4.00
The Twentieth Century Farmer one year	1.00
The Peoples Pupular Monthly one year	1.00
Map of Valley County showing all farme	rs · · · 3.00
TOTAL	\$10,50

All for Only \$3.50

THIS is a special offer to farmer subscribers only and will not last long. If you are taking any of the above papers now your time will be extended one year from the time you are now paid to. Or if, for any other reason, you wish some of these subscriptions to commence at some later date, state the fact with your order and it will be done. Do not delay in answering this, but send in your order at once.

THE ORD QUIZ

ORD, NEBRASKA-

Talks to Business Men---No. 1.........

will soon be time for you to lay out your adig campaign for next year.

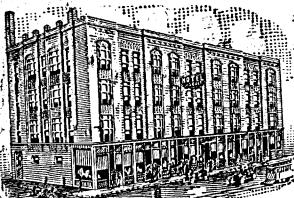
ur plans should by all means include a hande art advertising calendar for 1913 to be sent to your customers and friends at Christmas, 1912. In this connection, I wish to announce that I have recently secured the local agency for the copyrighted calendars produced by the A. M. Collins Mfg. Co. of Philadelphia.

This is one of the largest and most substantial alendar houses in the United States, and the qualy of their line is superior to that of any ever shown

This line will be handled exclusively by me in 'rd and the adjacent territory. It includes a great imber and variety of subjects in full color, as well some hand-colored pictures of exceptional beauty.

The samples for 1913 will be in my hands shortly, and I shall be glad to show them to you at an early date. Make no plans for your 1913 calendars until you see this extraordinary line.

> W. W. HASKELL, Editor "The Quiz"



Hotel **Boquet**

Cor. 15th and Howard Take Harney street car

get off at 15th street, walk Rates 50c, 75c, \$1.00

J E BOQUET & SON

The Big Horn Basin and Ye. Ine Valley Have an Abundance

e Government has made ample provision to supply each and every farmer do this next year and every year thereafter as long as you are farming, if you will go with me to Powell, Wyoming, and file on one of the gov-

> Homeseekers' Tickets on First and Third Tuesdays each month D. CLEM DEAVER, Immigration Agent NOMAHA, NEB.

vour sale bills rrinte [Quality]

court their final account as such executors, a petition to the said court to construe and settle the terms and provisions of the asid will and a petition for the distribution of the said estate now in their hands to the parties entitled by law to receive the

count should not be allowed, and the prayer of said petition granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of lowed. But by how many persons? this notice be published once each week for three successive weeks, prior to the date set for the said hearing, in the Ord Quiz a newspaper printed and published in said was a journalist and that the most

Order for Hearing of Final Account an Petition for Distribution

exists, why said account should not be allowed and petition granted. It is ordered that notice be given by publication for three weeks prior to

1911.

H. Gudmundsen, County Judge.
Clements Bros., Att'y for Estate.

Notice of Probate of Will State of Nebraska, Valley County,

Whereas, there has been filed in concerned may appear and contest the probate of same.

It is further ordered that notice be given by publication for three weeks pre vious to the date set.

A STATE SECRET

Istory of a Race to Recover It from an Enterprising ... Journalist

By ARTHUR PEARSON Copyright by American Press Asso-

It was my good fortune while a newspaper correspondent at Berlin to come into the possession of a state secret. I shall not make trouble, as I would even at this late date, by giving it to the world or telling how I came by it, except to say that I got it from an American lady who was at that time prominent in Berlin court society and who afterward married a general in Nevertheless the imperial govern-

ment knew that the secret had been divulged and that it was in my possession. How they made the discovery I have never learned. There was a network of diplomats, newspaper men, spies-indeed, all manner of persons, every one watching the other and all working secretly. The moment I became possessed of the information I refer to without waiting for baggage I went to a railway station and started for Paris. I reached the French capital without interruption. On the way I thought out a plan to use my secret in a way that would neither compromise me or the lady from whom I had received it. I resolved to turn it in to a London journal to which I had at times sent items of news. But I remained in Paris twelve hours. This was fatal to my getting clear of those whom the chancellor of Germany sent out to head

I was sitting in my hotel on the Rue me to Calais when I saw a man enter whom I had once seen in the anteroom of an important official of the German government while we were both waiting for an audience. Fortunately I saw him before he saw me, or, rather, he did not see me at all. It flashed through my mind that he vas after me, that his purpose wanto



was a journalist and that the most likely mart for the news I possessed was London. Therefore I was sure to be tracked to the British capital. I must change my plan. I must go to the place I would be least likely to go. Though I am an American, I ca, because at least a week would be required for me to get'there, and food In the matter of the estate of Jane for newspapers grows cold quickly. Nevertheless I believed that my secret would keep all that time unless

a train steaming for Cherbourg and, having purchased a newspaper, looked through the advertisements till I saw that a ship would sail from there to New York within a few hours after my arrival.

"I was standing on deck just as the ship was about to cast off when a cab came lickety split toward the dock. A man got out, threw a coin at the cabman and just succeeded in getting aboard as the vessel left the dock. Something told me that he was from Berlin and that he was after me,

on which I sailed. As soon as I had secured a stateroom—there are always staterooms left over on steamers that can be had for an extra consideration-I lounged up to the wireless office and, the door being open, stood looking in H. Gudmandsen, County Judge. at the operator, who was sending a Clements Bross, attorneys for Petimessage. I had not been there five oner. 35'-3t

I should have expected to be refused at any telegraph office; at sea I believed I would have no trouble in sending a wireless. There was nothing to prevent my sending my message from the steamer except this man who was following me. I knew he would move heaven and earth to prevent me. It would be a war of wits between him and me.

There were many ways in which he could stop me. He might charge me with being a fugitive from justice; he might make it appear that I had stolen money or some article from him he might even murder me. What was my life worth compared with the interests of an empire? And would not his sovereign be sufficiently powerful to protect him if he were implicated in my taking off? Suppose I failed to send my message at sea. Would he not wire confederates in New York to arrest me on arrival on any charge he chose to invent?

He went into the wireless office and telling the operator that he wished to send a private message, shut the door. When he came out I knew by the look on his face that he had "fixed" the operator. Having done so, he went away and left me free to send all the messages the young man would transmit for me.

To test the latter I entered his office and asked him to send a message for me. He made no objection, and I dictated a message to an imaginary person. In my profession I had found occasion to send telegraphic messages myself and had learned the Morse alphabet. I knew at once that the operator was simply clicking his key without sending my message. Nevertheless I pretended not to suspect him and paid his charge.

I hung around that office, studying the working of the instrument and especially the lock on the door. I watched for three days for an opportunity to get a wax impression that would enable me to make a key, but the operator never left his office without locking the door and was never away very long at a time. I often stood on deck Revoli waiting for a train to carry at night watching the spark over the office when he was sending a dispatch. longing for just five minutes at the keyboard myself.

What method the detective had used with the operator I did not know, but it was effective. I became acquainted with Dick-everybody called the operator Dick-and used all my diplomatic skill to find out how I could outbid my rival, but failed signally. I hinted at a way he might make \$500. I could see an amused look on his face. I did not possess the means to bid any higher, and, bidding as I was against the emperor of Germany, money was not a factor of the problem.

We had been five days out, and had accomplished nothing. I knew that my shadower must have sent a message to New York that would in some way put me in limbo on arrival. My only chance to outwit him was to find some means of leaving the ship

before him on the day of arrival.

The stateroom opposite mine was occupied by an old lady who carried with her a traveling clock. I lay awake one night listening to its ticking, and it brought me a possible solution. I must steal that clock. This was not difficult, for the old lady's stateroom door was seldom locked and every day was hooked open. The evening before we reached port I purloined the timepiece. Then I went about looking for a box. Having found You are hereby notified that the aid inal account, and the said petitions will be heard on the 5th day of January, 1912, at the hour of 10 o' clock, A. M. at the county court room in the city of Ord, Valley County, Nebraska; and you are here by cited to appear at the time and place above designated and show cause, if any such exists why said account should not be allowed, and the count should not be allowed, and the one, I put the clock in it, nailed on the I took the box to him and told him that it had been given to me by a man whose sanity I suspected, to be delivered to the address on it in New York. He had told me that it contained family jewels of great value, but I had recently heard a ticking in it and feared it contained a bomb to blow up the ship,

It was now evident that I was folblow up the ship, The captain, aghast, proposed at once to heave it overboard, but I suggested that if he did so and destroyed a fortune in jewels he would be held responsible. This staggered him.

"How would it do," I asked, "to put the box in a boat and tow it at the end of a long rope?" "The very thing!" he exclaimed.

It was midnight, and we were off Montank Point. The captain ordered would not be expected to go to Ameri- a boat lowered with the box in it and the rope payed out. He then went to his cabin and to sleep, while I bid myself on deck and when dawn came pulled in the boat—it required all my strength-and just before passing a steamer cast loose. I caught the attention of the steamer and was taken aboard. She was bound for Boston. and the same evening from there I cabled my message to a London news-

> The next morning the world was startled at the news that Germany and Russia were making a deal to appropriate a large slice of African territory and divide it. The publication of the news defeated the project, which would surely have caused a European war.

That I had furnished the news was palists, but it made my fortune. ed, with a handsome present besides.

Mr. and Mrs. Smolik spent the holidays with their son John,

Our teacher Lillie Welty went home last Saturday to spend the holidays. Our school gave up the Christmas tree on account of the weather much to the regret of the pupils. The to the regret of the pupils. The program they postponed until Jan. 5, 1912, when they expect to have a basket supper in connection with the

program. Mr. Post and family ilving 13 miles along. Our eyes met, and I knew, as he knew, that he had spotted his man. promised to give me my answer to he knew, that he had spotted his man. Even if his manner had not betrayed night. St.

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FARM LOANS—I can make you a loan at lowest rate. J. B. Nay & Co. 29 tf.

LOST—\$5 bill on street or in stores of Ord last Saturday. E. H. Marks. FARMERS FEED YARD—2 blocks north of Ord State Bank. Hay at noon 15 cents Jim Tatlow.

OST—On the road to Ord about Dec. 9, two shovels. Leave at Balley and Detweller's. H. H.

FOR SALE—Base burner. E. D. Banister. 39-1pd

WANTED A small bunch of cows and helfers to keep for a term of years on shares. Amos Christoffer-son, Ord, Route 4. 38-2tpd.

FOR SALE or TRADE—The S-2 of S-2 of 27-20-14. Lafe Paist.

FOR SALE-240 acres, good build ings, in Liberty township, also my residence in west Ord and one lot three blocks east of square on main street. J. D. Tedro. 37-tf.

improved, six miles west of Ord on Turtle creek. Will sell on easy terms. Knud Christensen. 37-tf. FOR SALE-Registered Duroc-Jefsey boar pigs. Will sell at low figure if taken right away. 1. C. Clark, Ord Neb. 30-tf.

OR SALE—Half section extra well

FOR SALE OR RENT-40 acres adjoining the Ord Cemetery on the north. Well improved. A special price will be given if sold by Feb 1, 1912. Inquire of D. C. Ruhl. 33-tf

FOR SALE—My Touring car cheap Will sell for cash or trade. Mamie

Rhode Island Red cockerels for sale. Some extra fine ones. Mrs. I. C. Clark, Ord, Neb. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—Fairbanks & Morris gasoling engine. 4 hp. Cheap. W. M. Gray. 30-tf. FOR RENT—The room in the Quiz building recently occupied by H. P. Bradley.

WANTED-Carpet weaving. Mrs Jennie Dailey.

EXCHANGES

At a hospital in Liucoln last Thursday Mrs. Mike Saba underwent quite a serious surgical operation. Since the operation the condition of the good woman has been quite critical, but at this time her friends are of the opinion that she will pull through all right.

Word comes from Iowa of the sudden illness of Sol. Neumeyer. Mr. Neumeyer left Burwell something

like a month ago to visit relatives in Iowa and now comes the report that he has lost his mind. For the past year Sol's health has been failing him but for a couple of months previous to his departure his condition was such that his friends predicted that his rugged constitution would bring him through all right.

Mike Saba went to Greeley last Friday to attend the law sult wherein concerns the stock of goods that were recently shipped into Burwell from North Loup. After listening to some evidence in the case postponment was taken until the eighth of January when the case will again be like a month ago to visit relatives in

uary when the case will again be taken up at Ord. It is expected that

adjust some part of the machine his coat sleeve was caught and his arm drawn into the mesh of two powerful cog wheels. At the time of the accident the engine was shut off and the sheller only running of its own momentum, otherwise the boy might have suffered even worse. As it was a greater part of the flesh and muscles on the forearm were torn completely off. Everything possible is being done to save the arm but it will take a few days to tell whether amputation will be necessary.

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After being out of commission for a month the west bridge was declared ready for use last Friday noon. ed ready for use last Friday noon. The work of repairing the bridge was carried on under the supervision of County Commissioner Matthews and every effort was made to get it in place just as soon as possible but some delay was brought about on account of not being able to secure the necessary piling and timbers. Examination of the old pilings showed that even where they were not ed that even where they were not washed out they were in bad condition and had to be replaced. The bridge is now in good condition to stand for a long time but the same state of affairs does not hold good with the north bridge, and the one at Willow Springs as the condition of both of these bridges is not the best and it is probable that some new niland it is probable that some new piling and other timbers will have to be placed in them before long.

H. E. Davis received a telegram Tuesday saying his daugher, Mrs. Bufus Lawton, was dead. It is supposed she died as the result of an operation for appendicitis as she had written that she was to submit to an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Davis and Lena Plerge went to Grand Island vester.

Monday John Collison was in Grand Island.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh

that Contain Mercury,

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In rapid firing—the real test of a repeater—the Marker solid top is always a
protection and prevents smoke and gases
blowing back; the ejected shell is never
thrown into your face or eyes, and never
interferes with the aim; the fat forearm fits your hand and helps quick operation.

It handles the short, long and long-rifle cartridges without change in adjustment, and the deep Ballard rifling guarantees the accuracy, making it the finest little rifle in the world for target shooting and for all small game up to 150 or 200 yards.



nown to only a few prominent jouralists, but it made my fortune.

I sent back the clock I had borrowd, with a handsome present besides.

POPLAR GROVE PEOPLE
Ign. Klima and family Sundayed at Mat Klima's,
Ign. Klima Jr. is home spending his Christmas vacation,

Lend Loup Loyalist.

Otto Hill received a goodly number of prizes on his poultry exhibited at Fremont last week and he ought since he has some great birds. This week he shipped a lot to Ord for the poultry show.

H. E. Davis received a telegram Tuesday saying his daugher, Mrs. Bufus Lawton, was dead. It is supposed she died as the result of an posed she died as the result of an Druggist.

George W. Koons, Lawton's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up. dressed herself and walked out for breakfast.'' Sold by A. F. Brown.

Economy of Nature. "Nature knew what she was doing when she deprived fishes of a voice.. "How do you make that out?" "What of a fish had to cackle over every egg it laid?"

Ord Market-Top Prices Butter-Pub, 18c Choice Dairy, 28c

Eggs, 22c. Potatoes, \$1.00 Hogs, \$5.50

Land-Water=Good Crops Land—Water—Failure

of Water for Irrigation Purposes.

whereas, there has been filed in my office an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Michael Prestele deceased, and a perincular steamer or had got on with sufficient water during the crop growing season to cover every acre of his farm two feet deep. This is equal to twelve heavy rains of two inches each. Just think what it would have meant to your community during the crop growing season of 1911 if your farmers dould have turned on twelve two inches against the crop growing season of 1911 if your conceined may appear and contest the sailed. As soon as I had farmers could have turned on twelve two inch rains at will. You can rement irrigated homesteads, now ready for entry.

In the County Court of Valley County, Nebraska.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry C. Perry, deceased.

State of Nebraska Valley County,

ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Henry C. Perry, deceased:
You are hereby notified that on the 7th. day of December, 1911. Everett M. Williams and Dewitt C. W. Perry executors of the last will of said Henry C. Perry deceased filed in said court their final account as such executors.

county.
Dated this 7th day of December

H. Gudmundsen County Judge.

State of Nebraska, Valley county,

Scott, deceased. In the county court of Valley county.
On the 27th day of December, 1911, Con the 27th day of December, 1911, came the executor of said estate and remiers supplemental final account as such and petition for distribution. It is ordered that the 20th day of January, 1912, at ten o'clock A. M. at' my office, in Ord, Nebraska, be fixed as the time and place for examining and allowing such account and hearing said petition. All persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause, if such exists, why said account should not a train steaming for Cherbourg and.

Dated this 27th day of December,

Witness 1 by hand and seal this 27 day of December, 1911.

H. Gudmandsen, County Judge.