

## A MAMMOTH STOCK OF HOLIDAY GOODS!

Charming Gifts—plenty of them. At present the best sight in town is our handsome stock of Holiday Goods which includes the best in the market. Fresh, new styles and novelties for the Christmas season. It is easy to select from as there is everything here to make a person happy, whether young or old.

## JONES' CHRISTMAS STORE

### BOUGHT TO SELL AT RIGHT PRICES!

You will find it hard to duplicate the goods or the prices anywhere. The mammoth stock of Holiday Goods must be sold.

## JONES' CHRISTMAS STORE

## Always on Duty!



Get a policy in CONTINENTAL Fire Insurance Company, and you have a vigilant guardian for your interests. Fire may frighten you, but it cannot ruin you while the CONTINENTAL is a guard. Ask us about rates.

E. R. SURBER.

## Xmas

AT

## RAYMOND'S DRUG STORE

### Perfume

The finest made. In bulk or fancy bottles. Prices range from 10 cents to \$1.50. New Perfume and Toilet Powder bottles.

### Toilet Sets

The latest in Stag Horn, Carved, Burnt Wood, Sterling Silver, Ebony, Hand Carved Leather. Traveling Sets from 50 cents to \$2.50. Military Brush Sets from \$1 to \$10. Infant Sets, Manicure Sets, Manicure articles in ebony, stag horn and celluloid.

### Stationery, Etc.

The latest in Box Stationery, Ladies and Men's Purse.

### Last

A box of Lowney's Chocolates added to any lady's present will double its acceptability—we sell it.

We would like the pleasure of a visit from you

## RAYMOND'S DRUG STORE,

Wayne, Nebraska.

Mail Orders Filled Carefully

Miss Libbie Ellis is home for a two week's vacation.

Dr. Crawford is expected home this week to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Price left for her home in Albion Saturday to visit her parents.

Mrs. Donnel was in Sioux City last week attending the funeral of a relative.

Miss Anna Gamble arrived home from school Friday evening to spend the holidays.

Miss Ethel Brown is spending Xmas in Omaha with her sister Mrs. M. O. Cunningham.

Ferry Boorum, Clyde Tidrick, and Ira Welbaum, of Carroll, was in this city, Saturday.

Wm. H. Sherwood is one of the greatest pianists of the world today.—New York Sun.

The Misses Olga and Lulu Johnson, of Winside, visited friends and relatives here over Sunday.

There will be three Masses at the Catholic church Christmas day, one at six, one at eight and one at ten.

Mr. and Mrs. D. King Hara left for Missouri Monday afternoon to spend the holidays with Mrs. Hara's parents.

Miss Mettlen, teacher at the ward school gave a Christmas entertainment Friday afternoon. The programme was good.

Mrs. Boner arrived from Colorado last week and will spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckenhauer.

Miss Queen Mellor arrived home from Fairbault, Minnesota, where she is attending school and will remain during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, of Winside, well known here, are receiving the congratulations of friends over the arrival of a fine boy at their home.

Professors Roe and Vasey who taught respectively at Randolph and Plainview but are now in the State university are spending the holidays at Carroll.

Miss Moses, teacher of the second grade at the High school, gave a Christmas entertainment Friday afternoon. Invitations were sent out to the parents and a very nice programme was rendered.

Wm. H. Sherwood, the well known pianist has played with varying success in the larger cities of the United States and Canada and has received unstinted praise from the public and the critics of the press. His influence for the good of his art has been strongly felt and his name is a household word in all families whose members are musicians or lovers of music. At Wayne December 20.

Miss Morgan left for Exter, Nebraska, to spend her vacation.

Dr. J. J. Williams and wife are enjoying the holidays in eastern Iowa.

Richard Kerwin is home from the State University for a few week's visit.

Ed Wright came up from the Nebraska university to spend the holidays.

A. R. Davis is in Onawa, Iowa, spending the holidays with his folks there.

George Wilber arrived home Saturday evening from Ann Arbor for the holiday vacation.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church meets with Mrs. Vincent Friday at 8 p. m.

F. O. Davis and his sister Miss Davis who has the past year been visiting at Carroll are in Iowa spending the holidays.

Fred Pile went down to Sioux City Saturday to meet some relatives who are spending the holidays at the Pile home.

A young doctor wishing to make a good impression on a German farmer, mentioned the fact that he had received a double education, as it were. He had studied homoeopathy, and also a graduate of a "regular medical school." "Oh, did vos noddings," said the farmer. "I had vonce a calf wot sucked two cows and he made nothing but a common schteer after all."—Ex.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Wiseman, of Millbank, S. D., arrived last and are remaining over Christmas with Mrs. Wiseman's brother L. Brown Palmer and family. They were here ten years ago and their daughters were here seven years ago. Mr. Wiseman is a railroad man and will go back to the road in a short time, but now is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever that has held him down for several months.

Read what the World-Herald has to say about the famous Becker Family: "It's echo rings with delight in everyone's heart who was so fortunate to attend the entertainment given by the famous Becker Family at the opera house last evening. The precision of the pieces composing the orchestra was remarkable. The overtures from the operas rendered were played with a vivacity and execution reminding one of Sousa's band. A laughable act entitled 'The Tramp and Soubrette' by Master William and Miss Kathryn was well received, the make-up of Master William being particularly good; and the violin solos by Miss Henrietta caused a storm of applause. All in all it was a good program." At the opera house Christmas night, 25th and 26th. Spots at Millers.

## HEADQUARTERS

—OF—

# Santa Claus!

—AT—

### Davies' Book and Music House.

The big line of Holiday Goods that we have in stock this year reaches the high mark. Just twenty years ago was our first Christmas in Wayne. What a change in twenty years! From the small stock of that time to the grand display of holiday goods of this year! Everything to please the young and the old. Presents for the children in abundance.

Copyright books, boys' books, girls' books, children's books, Woodbine padded books, Chatterbox, leather-bound bibels, Holiday stationery in fine boxes, kid body dolls, china dolls, rag dolls, jointed dolls, cork stuffed bodies, china heads, French bisque heads; some great bargains in dolls. Fancy boxes and cases—shaving sets, manicure sets, dressing cases, handkerchief boxes, glove boxes, jewel cases, collar and cuff boxes. Iron engines, magic lanterns, iron passenger trains, iron banks, iron toys, wooden toys, games, rocking horses, shoofties, toy graphophones, ferris wheels, merry-go-rounds, walking clowns, toy horns, toy pianos, floor chimes, sleds, drums, tool chests. A large line and a great variety of go-carts, doll cabs and doll wagons.

A beautiful Christmas present is a fine Dark Oak Case Chickering Bros. Piano or a fine Mahogany Case Hamilton, made by the Baldwin's, or a Walnut Case Large Size Bentley. These instruments are guaranteed and are first-class in every respect, and now is the time to purchase. If you are thinking of buying come in and let us show you these beautiful instruments.

# Davies' Book and Music Store

## Christmas Will Soon Be Here!

and it is always a question what we can get for presents. Here is a list of a few things that we have that may be just what you are looking for:

- A Steel Range. Have seven different kinds of steel or cast cook stoves.
- A Base Burner. Base burners at cost. Buy now and save from \$5 to \$7.
- A Shotgun or Rifle, we have them in all grades.
- A Self-Basting Roaster.
- A Nickel Plated Tea Kettle, Coffee Pot or Tea Pot.
- Silver Knives, Forks or Spoons.
- Carving Sets from cheapest to best.
- Pocket Knives and Razors, all warranted.

## CRAVEN BROTHERS.

THEIR SHONE A STAR.

It stars by the million-fold above! In the wide blue spaces we watch and love; Stars like grains of sand by the sea...

Children they come to the door, and the children they come to the door, and the children they come to the door...

Over desert places its golden light flamed like a torch the living night; Down to the wonderful East...

Out from a cave in the river rock a candle flickered, who will mark mock; That thread of flame was in the arrangement...

From the silence trembled a Babe's first breath; Child to be Lord of Life and Death; Said as a bird in the sky...

While the loving line stood wondering near, And the angels sang on the midnight clear; And the midnight waned, and the dawn's great car...

Swept in whose brightly there shone a Star, Margaret E. Sangster, in Woman's Home Companion.

WAS HIS CHILDREN'S LOVE

WRINKLES of care furrowed the forehead of John Howard, wholesale leather merchant of New York...

This was the man the world had called "complacent John Howard."

Eight years before, when he married, people expected a change in his habits, but they were disappointed.

When children came they, too, were compelled to become parts of the orderly, silent machine controlled by John Howard.

There were three of them: Mary, a girl of seven; Anna, a girl of five, and John, a boy of four.

When the children came, John Howard laid down the rules of their conduct and keeping; and never afterward bothered himself about them.

All this would have continued but for one, inevitable little incident in life called "death"—for death, after all, is a part of life, and dying very often the main part of living.

Howard into the life of her husband had made no perceptible change in it. Her death had thrown every part of it out of gear.

How was he to win the love of his children? Play room! But he never dared. He was afraid his entrance would drive their forth, and he realized that this room was their own little world.

How he longed for them to ask him for something! What joy he would take in granting them any wish!

On that day they could expect wonderful new presents, they knew. From a mysterious person called Santa Claus.

The late Mrs. Howard had cultivated this one idea, and she had brought up the children to expect nothing, save on one day in the year. That day was Christmas.

On that day they could expect wonderful new presents, they knew. From a mysterious person called Santa Claus.

With business acumen and lack of ordinary common sense, he secured a grim New England school teacher to dictate position; and in less than a week she succeeded, by perseverance and industry, in casting more of a shadow over the lives of the three waifs than ever John Howard had.

One lingering hope remained in his breast. Could he make the coming Christmas so happy for his children that he could win their love?

He resolved that he would charge the holiday himself and be extravagant. He made for him a month's salary, and he purchased for all the preceding Christmas celebrations at his house were as nothing compared to the array that stood before him on the floor, on tables and on chairs, this Christmas eve when he sat so broken in heart before his grate fire.

One thing had happened. A mistake had been made. The English school teacher, in the interests of white-wigged truth, had told his children there was no Santa Claus. This he had learned while listening at the door of their playroom that afternoon.

With a promptness and decision that had characterized him always in business, John Howard peremptorily dismissed the New England school teacher, giving her a month's salary, and he made for himself a month's salary, and he purchased for all the preceding Christmas celebrations at his house were as nothing compared to the array that stood before him on the floor, on tables and on chairs, this Christmas eve when he sat so broken in heart before his grate fire.

There were no chefs and assistant chefs, with scores of white-coated assistants, nor such ranges and cooking utensils as are provided for the White House kitchen to-day.

Indeed, Mrs. Abigail Adams herself performed the functions of executive chef. Wearing an immaculate apron, she busied herself giving directions first to one night servant, and then to another.

Mrs. Adams and her corps of assistants did their baking in ancient Dutch ovens, while suspended above the big log fire by iron chains and tripods were big pots and stew pans.

The affair was homelike in its details and the distinguished diners discussed with equal satisfaction the smoking viands on the homely dining table and the great questions of state which were agitating the American people at that crucial period of our national existence.

Christmas dinners at the White House are elaborate affairs in contrast with the simple Christmas dinners during the days of Adams, Jefferson and Madison.

CHANGING THE SCORE.

It was gone. He had heard his children declare, between sobs, that they would never hang up their stockings again, and after all it is the stocking and not the tree that is the essence of Christmas—and the mystery of mysteries thereof is the wonderful fact that Santa Claus can spend so much time and take so much pains in filling the stockings.

He rose from bed and put on his dressing gown and slippers. Then, with a little night lamp in his hand turned very low, he went stealthily into the bedroom where his children slept.

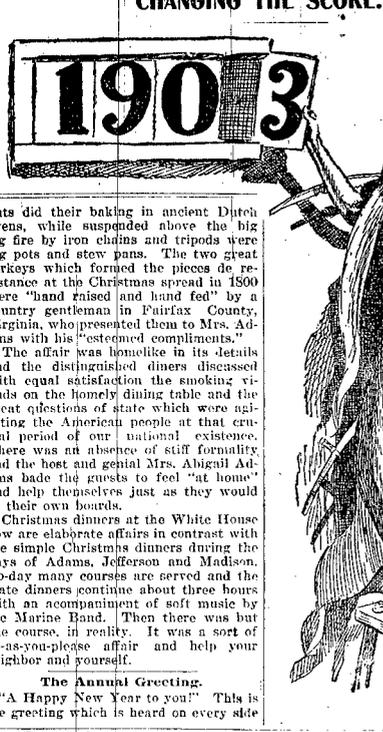
After this he made frequent trips to the library and brought up load after load of toys, candies and trinkets. And then he began to fill the stockings. It was slow work. He had seen his wife do it once. He had watched her then in a mechanical sort of way.

How glad he was now that he had! He dropped a moderately heavy object into the toe of each stocking to hold it down—then an orange to make it capacious. After this he slipped in a present for the sake of a surprise, and on top of the present he put a layer of coal.

He was slow at the work. It was early down when he finished. He blew out the little night lamp and sank into a chair, burying his face in his hands, and his heart in memories.

The Annual Greeting. "A Happy New Year to you!" This is the greeting which is heard on every side

1903



SANTA CLAUS' BIG JOB.



Said Santa Claus on Christmas eve, in jolly, good, fat gloe. "To judge by all these stockings here, they've turned the hose on me."

ing into his arms. "Papa is Santa Claus. It is papa who has been so good to us and we haven't loved him."

"It's papa," echoed the younger daughter. "Papa—Santy Close," said the boy.

And then John Howard knew that his stocking had been filled, filled—with the love of his children—Criterion.

A WHITE HOUSE CHRISTMAS.

Day Was Observed with Remarkable Simplicity in Early Times. On the first Christmas day in the White House it is recorded that the mandate came to a depth of nearly two feet.

There were no chefs and assistant chefs, with scores of white-coated assistants, nor such ranges and cooking utensils as are provided for the White House kitchen to-day.

Indeed, Mrs. Abigail Adams herself performed the functions of executive chef. Wearing an immaculate apron, she busied herself giving directions first to one night servant, and then to another.

Mrs. Adams and her corps of assistants did their baking in ancient Dutch ovens, while suspended above the big log fire by iron chains and tripods were big pots and stew pans.

The affair was homelike in its details and the distinguished diners discussed with equal satisfaction the smoking viands on the homely dining table and the great questions of state which were agitating the American people at that crucial period of our national existence.

Christmas dinners at the White House are elaborate affairs in contrast with the simple Christmas dinners during the days of Adams, Jefferson and Madison.

How glad he was now that he had! He dropped a moderately heavy object into the toe of each stocking to hold it down—then an orange to make it capacious.

After this he slipped in a present for the sake of a surprise, and on top of the present he put a layer of coal.

He was slow at the work. It was early down when he finished. He blew out the little night lamp and sank into a chair, burying his face in his hands, and his heart in memories.

Second Cousin Sarah

BY THE AUTHOR OF "ANNE JUDGE, SPINSTER," "LITTLE KATE KIRBY," ETC., ETC.

CHAPTER I.

It was wintry weather down in Worcestershire, though the May of the year in which our story opens was already two weeks old.

There was not a sign of snow, and the country people said, meaning that the hail, and sleet, and rain, and bitter east winds were still in the ascendant, and that there was not a sign of snow.

It had been raining all day in the loyal city, just as it had rained the day before, and the day preceding that.

It was raining at ten o'clock in the evening in Worcester, and it was raining at ten o'clock in the evening in Worcester.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

There was a faint semblance of life, more depressing than the others. There was one fly, with its driver asleep in the interior of his vehicle, and its drably hoarse coughing like a man.

"Yes, sir—perfectly. Anybody who comes, man or woman."

"Yes, sir," he said with great briskness. "Stop in the room," said Mr. Culwick, as the man fitted through the door.

"I'll want a trip to take me to Sedge Hill, and bring me back to Worcester, at ten in the morning," and the waiter having withdrawn, he set himself to his coal-fire studies once more.

"And return," he said, and laughed to himself more than once—and odd laughs they were, of various degrees of hilarity, from the hearty and unaffected to the laugh with the inner ring in it, the unobtrusive, as it were, of something which was scarcely irony, and which might have been interpreted into a lurking sorrow or regret by any one who had known his history.

"Yes, Reuben," he said when, at a later hour, he was going upstairs to his room, "to return; positively the last appearance of Reuben Culwick, as the man with the inner ring in it, the unobtrusive, as it were, of something which was scarcely irony, and which might have been interpreted into a lurking sorrow or regret by any one who had known his history."

"You are ill—you are hurt," said the man. "No; let me be, I shall get up in a minute. I'm a little bit riddy in the street, but I will go on with the luggage presently."

"Oh, no, you won't," said the man, dryly; "you should have never attempted it. I was a brute not to see—the boy's going to faint."

"He put his arms round him and lifted him up, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

"Here his anxiety took the form of action, still holding the boy's arm, he lifted an infant, and looked again at the white, wan face under the old Scotch cap. "Poor little beggar!" he muttered; "why did I load him like this, and load along by his side. Here, what's your name? Can't you open your eyes, just for a moment, till I—"

A DAY, MORE OR LESS.

Crossing the International Date Line. Few incidents of a trip to the Philippine Islands, which so many Americans now have occasion to make, are more interesting than the crossing of the international date line, that imaginary boundary where, in going westward, a day is dropped from the calendar, and in going eastward one is added.

A California Congressman and his wife happened to reach it, on the outward trip, at midnight of July 3, so that they woke up to find the next morning the 5th, and that they had lost the national holiday for the first time in their lives.

To have a September 25 for two days in succession on their return would, on grounds of sentiment, be an insufficient compensation.

The teachers who go out on the transports to the Philippines usually arrange elaborate entertainments to signalize the date line. One of their number is often dressed up as Neptune, and other characters follow in a procession around the deck.

The festivities are made as fanciful as the resources and ingenuity of the party permit. Sailors on merchantmen as well as passengers on the fast mail steamers are accustomed to observe the day with some celebration.

One of the old governors of Massachusetts, on being asked to speak at a State normal school which he was visiting, submitted this conundrum: "Would a person who had traveled around the world 835 times in an easterly direction be a year older than the records in the family Bible showed? If not, why not?"

The governor explained that such a traveler would actually have lived one day more for each trip than the calendar showed as having passed.

In practice, the length of the trip around the world is such as to discourage most people from adding to their days by this roundabout process. Travelers between New York and Chicago are constantly having days of twenty-three or of twenty-five hours, according to the direction in which they are going.

Like the boundaries of our standard time-belts on this continent, the international date line has been so drawn as to occasion the least possible inconvenience. It deviates from the one hundred and eightieth meridian enough to leave all the islands as well as each continent wholly on one side or the other.

DAIRY SCHOOL ON WHEELS.

Woman Makes a Success of a Unique Traveling Dairy School. A traveling dairy school, conducted by a woman, was one of the rural features during last summer in Nova Scotia, that eminent land of Evangeline.

Miss Laura Rose, a graduate of an agricultural college, is in charge of the school, and great success, it is reported, has attended her efforts to teach farmers' wives how to improve the quality of their butter. "Every farmer's wife who can possibly do so attends it when it stops in her neighborhood, and an officer of a local agricultural society said that Miss Rose did more in a two days' visit to his part of the county than could have been effected by years of incessant writing in agricultural papers, instructions from butter dealers and public lectures.

Miss Rose travels with her dairy in a big covered wagon, taking with her from town to town a couple of cows, a separator, a butter worker, a milk tester, tinware, salt, butter cloth, and, in fact, everything which is necessary for the manufacture of first-class butter, except the cream, which is supplied by the agricultural societies. She did the same work for the province of Onpe Breton last summer, and her dairy school is unique in Canada. There have been other traveling dairies, but heretofore been given by means of demonstrators, which are never as satisfactory, it is said, as those done by the pupils themselves.

There is a marked increase in the growth of rice in Texas and it is so marked that the United States Atlantic Oceanic & Eastern Pacific Steamship & Navigation Company has listened open-mouthed to these startling instructions.

There is a marked increase in the growth of rice in Texas and it is so marked that the United States Atlantic Oceanic & Eastern Pacific Steamship & Navigation Company has listened open-mouthed to these startling instructions.

There is a marked increase in the growth of rice in Texas and it is so marked that the United States Atlantic Oceanic & Eastern Pacific Steamship & Navigation Company has listened open-mouthed to these startling instructions.



State Deputy Johnson, was in Wayne Saturday evening and addressed the M. W. A. camp on the "readjustment" matter. His campaign of education is similar to that being carried on throughout the whole jurisdiction and they expect to bring the whole membership to see the matter of readjustment from the view point of the committee of experts who gave us the plan with which we can find no fault except it is opposition to our ideas of "cheapness" with which idea Woodmen have been led to far. We each must pay the cost of our own insurance and must not expect to receive from the order more than we pay in less expense of conducting the same. Each camp has repeatedly taken votes upon the readjustment plan and as often have voted against it, but at the Saturday night meeting of the camp the sentiment was unanimously in favor of some plan of readjustment, but not the committee's plan. Dr. E. S. Blair, Head Physician for the order, is in favor of a plan that will perpetuate the order, but does not endorse the committee's plan, although that has some very good features. He says that the world of fraternal insurance as well as the old line companies are watching the Woodmen interestedly, and that the Woodmen have done more to educate the insurance world (fraternal) in the past eighteen months than all other things combined in a hundred years, and that if the Woodmen adopt an adequate rate in readjusting they will gain immensely by it. In fact their gains will be at the expense of the cheap fraternal who will be forced to adopt a similar course as now being considered by the Woodmen. Mr. Johnson said some nice things of A. R. Talbot, of Lincoln, who is one of the Board of Directors and a candidate for Head Consul. It is quite probable that this gentleman will be the candidate of the western states and that Nebraska will have the honor of seeing her estimable citizen at the head of this grand fraternal order.

An Unfortunate Affair.

Early Monday morning, just at daylight, John Hufford, of the "2 Johns" clothing store, opened up the store and was just placing in the cash drawer considerable silver money, having both hands full of it, when Ed Bartlett entered the store and walked back to the rear where Mr. Hufford was. Mr. Hufford says he thought the party wished something and he intended to wait on him as soon as he disposed of the change, but without warning Bartlett grappled with Hufford throwing his arms around him and striking him in the face several times. They wrestled and fought for about five minutes and cries for help brought no one at that early hour. Finally Hufford after being on top was thrown under and recognizing Bartlett remonstrated with him for the assault. Up to this time nothing being said, the tussle being one of strength. Hufford says he thought he was held up for the money, some \$300, he was holding, and although this was not the case, he feels that the experience is one to be remembered. Bartlett justified his actions by asserting that the "2 Johns" advertising was a personal affront to him and that "he had stood it just as long as he could" and took that time and means to punish someone. He got the wrong fellow, however, for John Kate, the senior partner, writes the famous ad. that everybody consults when they plant their potatoes, get married or buy clothes. Mr. Hufford finally succeeded in getting Bartlett to assume a quieter mood and let him up, but the severe struggle told on him later when he arrived as he fainted, requiring medical attendance to resuscitate him. His face was badly bruised and his eyes considerably blackened. Later in the day he preferred a charge of insanity with the clerk of the district court and Sheriff Mears placed Bartlett under arrest and the hearing was set for Tuesday, but was postponed until Friday when he will be examined by the Insanity Board. Sheriff Mears allowed Ed to accompany him to the "2 Johns" store Monday when Bartlett asked Hufford to withdraw the charge. Mr. Hufford refused and said that if it was an injustice to charge him with insanity, the act of violence committed justified a charge of attempted robbery, which charge it is said will be preferred against him if the Insanity Board dismisses the party under arrest. In view of the circumstances it is a very serious and unfortunate affair. Ed Bartlett's father, J. W. Bartlett, is considered and is a man of unquestioned integrity and he deplores the matter most deeply. His mother, too, feels that they, she especially, will suffer far more than Ed, and all interested parties and officials feel prompted to be most considerate of their feelings. However, the matter is one of record and we give the facts as we learn them, facts not a matter of controversy. Mr. Bartlett is represented by attorney and will seek to deny the charge of insanity, also of intent to rob, which would leave it simple assault, to which Bartlett would undoubtedly plead guilty under force of circumstances.

Jacob Hudson Pingrey.

Died at his home in this city, Thursday evening December 18, 1902, aged 84 years, after an illness of ten days. Advanced age and a severe paralytic stroke rendered his case beyond avail of human aid although everything possible to do was done to help him. Deceased was born April 19, 1819 at Mountholly, Vermont. He was married to Mary L. Parker, two years his junior, February 1, 1844 and in September 1852 they moved west and settled near Durant, Iowa, on a small farm. The Pingrey biography says of him that at this time he had very little means. Two children were born to them, Wilson Hudson now residing at Coon Rapids, Iowa and Roxie (Mrs. E. T. Rennick) who has been dead about four years. The Pingrey family removed from Iowa to Wayne in November 1899 and have since then made their home in this city. Mr. Pingrey prospered in his early investments in land in Iowa and on coming to Nebraska invested largely in land here. He was also owner of considerable stock in banking institutions, having at the time of his death a fortune estimated at \$400,000. A few weeks ago he deeded his property to his children and grand children relieving himself of any further care of property except such collateral interests as would insure the comfort of himself and his wife during the remainder of their lives. To his son he gave the Iowa property and to his daughter's children he gave the Wayne county land deeds of which have recently been recorded in favor of the four Prescott children and the four Rennick children or their parents for them. Their being sixteen grand children, eight sons and daughters of W. H. Pingrey and eight sons and daughters of Mrs. E. T. Rennick, four Prescotts and four Rennicks. Mr. Pingrey was a farmer in his early life and lived simply and devotedly to his home and his family and their interests. He became wealthy through investments in land which increased in value rapidly, yet his prosperity never changed the tenor of their lives, they lived unpretentiously and were well liked by their neighbors and made many friends among the old settlers of the county. Mrs. Pingrey expects to make her home in Wayne, saying she likes it well here and has no desire to go elsewhere. The funeral occurred Saturday and was largely attended. Mrs. I. R. Andrews, of Omaha, an Universalist minister gave an address for the relatives that was very fine. Mrs. Andrews was also present at the golden wedding celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Pingrey nine years ago and is an old family friend. Three brothers, David, Henry and Proctor and one sister, Mariette living in the east still survive.

Will Send \$2.50 Free.

Franklin Miles, M. D., LL. B., the celebrated Chicago Specialist, will send \$2.50 worth of his new treatment free. When an experienced physician offers to give away \$40,000 worth of a new treatment for diseases of the heart, nerves, stomach or dropsy, it is conclusive evidence that he has great faith in it. And when hundreds of prominent people freely testify to his unusual skill and the superiority of his New Personal Treatment, his liberality is certainly worthy of serious consideration. That Dr. Miles is one of the world's most successful physicians is proven by hundreds of testimonials from well known people. One patient cured after failure of eleven Grand Rapids physicians, two after having been given up by six or seven Chicago physicians, another after nine leading doctors in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago had failed. 1,000 testimonials sent upon request. The eminent Rev. W. Bell, D. D., of Dayton, Ohio, General Secretary of Foreign Missions, writes editorially in The State Sunday School Union: "We desire to state that from personal acquaintance we know Dr. Miles to be a most skillful specialist, a man who has spared neither labor nor money to keep himself abreast of the great advancement in science." The late Prof. J. S. Jewell, M. D., said: "By all means publish your surprising results." Prof. J. P. Ross, M. D., ex-president of Rush Medical College wrote in 1874: "Dr. Miles has taken two courses of my private instruction in diseases of the heart and lungs." Mr. Truman Deeweese, editor Chicago Times-Herald, states: "Dr. Miles cured me of years of inherited dizziness and headache." The well known manufacturer, of Freeport, Illinois, J. C. Scott, says: "I had fruitlessly spent thousands of dollars on physicians until I consulted Dr. Miles." Mrs. Frank Smith, of Chicago, writes: "Dr. Miles cured me of dropsy after five leading physicians had given me up." This new system of Personal Treatment is thoroughly scientific and immensely superior to ordinary methods. As all afflicted readers may have \$2.50 worth of treatment free, we would advise them to send for it at once. Address Dr. Franklin Miles, 203 to 208 State Street, Chicago, Illinois.

The Youth's Companion Calendar Free.

The publisher of the Youth's Companion are sending free to new subscribers to the paper for 1903 a very handsome calendar, lithographed in twelve colors, with a border embossed in gold. The exquisite home scene which forms the principal feature of the calendar is suitable for framing. The calendar is sold to non-subscribers for fifty cents, but to new subscribers for 1903, it is sent free, with all issues of the Companion for the remaining weeks of 1902, the paper then being sent for the full year, to January, 1904. THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, 144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass.

Letter from Mrs. Montgomery.

Through the kindness of Mrs. J. Tower we publish the following communication from Mrs. Montgomery: Dumaguete, Oriental, Negros, P. I., November 3, 1903. Dear Sister: You have received word many days ago of D. C.'s death. I thought I could only send the one cablegram and of course that had to go to his people, but I told Addison to wire you. I am not in condition to write, but a boat is on its way to Manila and I thought I must get a letter off to his people and one to you. I have only had two telegrams, so can not tell you much about it. I wrote you about his promotion and that he would go over to Bacolod to receive the transfer of the property. There is no good landing at Bacolod, so passengers get off at Soliel, a few miles from Bacolod and drive over, and this he seems to have done. He was attacked and killed by bolo-men. They think the object must only have been robbery as he was an entire stranger in that part of the island. It occurred about dusk only three miles from Bacolod and on the most frequented road in Negros. There were ten wounds, mostly lance thrusts in the chest and arm, four of them serious. His suit case, watch and chain, belt and revolver were taken. He had quite a little Mexican money in his case and \$100.00 in United States currency and a teacher's check on his person but that was not touched. His body was found next morning and funeral services held at the home of Division Superintendent by Missionary Huse. Interred in military crypt. Dr. Tukey of the army and Lieut. Frank of the scouts gave valuable assistance. The province and Bacolod have each offered \$1000 for capture of men. He was buried before I got the word and the wounds of course prevented embalming. I feel that everything that was possible was done. There were memorial services held here yesterday (Sunday) by the Presbyterian missionaries. A great number attended, for he was very much liked by Philipinos as well as Americans. The whole company of soldiers attended in a body. The Governor sent out invitations in this and surrounding towns to all officials. The flags were lowered at half mast. Every honor seemed to have been paid him that was possible. Two of the teachers are going over on the next boat to learn more about it. I am with Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard and they have been kindness and thoughtfulness itself, and not only they but all Americans. I am going to stay in Dumaguete a time, or at least try to. I think I will be more contented here at work than at home with nothing to do, besides it was D. C.'s wish. He told me two months ago if anything ever happened that I better stay. It nearly drove me crazy to think he might have lain there and suffered but they assured me wounded as he was, he lost consciousness at once. I haven't been able to sleep at all. The doctor has been giving me medicine but the effect only lasts a little while. Send this to pa and ma. The boat will leave before I can write another. I have already written to D. C.'s father. The teachers are all greatly shocked. D. C. was well liked by them and they worked together in harmony. Will write again. Lovingly, EVA MONTGOMERY.

Mrs. C. C. Brown.

Died at her home near this city December 21, 1902, Colia, wife of C. C. Brown, aged 60 years, 4 months and 6 days. Funeral was conducted by the Rev. C. N. Dawson at the M. E. church Monday afternoon, the 22nd. Deceased had been in very poor health for two years or more and her final illness came about a week before her death. Her husband, Charley C. four daughters, Mrs. W. D. Taylor, of Spearfish, South Dakota, Mrs. Chas. Miller and Mrs. A. A. Hines, of Winelide, Miss. All in at home and one son, Bert Brown present county clerk, survive her and were at her bedside when she died. She was a pleasant lady and drew to herself a large circle of friends. "She was for over thirty four years a member of the M. E. church and devoted to christian work. At her funeral the choir sang "Lead Kindly Light" and Mrs. Dr. Blair rendered a solo "Nearer My Home" each favorite of the departed sister. The Brown family are old residents of Wayne county having settled here in 1844 and have been prominent in many ways in the county's social and political affairs, and many friends unite in their expressions of sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

A New Remedy.

The old friends of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will be pleased to know that the manufacturers of that preparation called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and that it is meeting with much success in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, sick headache, impaired digestion and like disorders. These Tablets are more pleasant in effect than pills and are easier to take, they not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and correct any disorders of the stomach and liver. For sale by Raymond's Pharmacy.

A Conscientious Minister.

Dear Sir:—Having tried your White Wine of Tar Syrup, I believe it to be an excellent medicine, and can conscientiously recommend it to others.—Rev. Wm. Stevenson, Kingsville Missouri.

At Opera House.

Hear Master William and Miss Kathryn Becker in a most talented introduction of Misere from El Trovatore. Reserved seats are now on at Mr. Miller's store.

Notice. To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, for the following supplies, bids to be filed on or before noon of the 18th day of January, A. D. 1903: 3200 tax receipts, printed and same as now in use. 10 record books (3 printed, 7 plain) 8 qr. patent flat openers, Byron & Weston 40 lbs. with canvas jackets. 12 copies Nebraska Statutes 1903. 30 chattel mortgage files, (100 stubs), 15 assessors schedule files (150). 2000 lithograph warrants, in 2 books. 1 doz. invoice files (Brown & Bassey). 7 doz. road overseer's record and return books. 100 road overseer's return books. 25 name tabs, 13 twp. tabs, 1 set alphabet tabs, all leather, for tax list. 8 reams Dundee legal, 16 lb., numbered lines. 200 reversible envelopes, printed. 1000 blotters, 4x9. 100 figuring pads, one side ruled. 200 figuring pads 3 1/2x4 1/2, one side ruled. 1000 blotters, cut 4 1/2x12. Full sized blank per 100; each additional 100. 1/2 sheet blank per 100; each additional 100. 1/4 sheet blank per 100; each additional 100. All to be printed on both sides, tabbed, printed on paper equal to Dundee legal, and in such form as may be required by the different county officers. Statements per 1000. Letter heads per 1000. Note heads per 1000. Envelopes, No. 6 1/2, high cut, white wove, XX quality, with return card, per 1000. Envelopes, No. 10, high cut, white wove, XXX best quality, with return card, per 1000. Envelopes, No. 10, high cut Manila, XXXX, with return card, per 1000. Circulars 10, print paper, per 100; each additional 100. Printed postal cards, per 100. 8000 ballots, official and sample, 1 of each. 8 boxes typewriter paper, 8x13, onion skin. 8 boxes typewriter paper, 8x13, medium. 8 boxes typewriter paper, 8x13, heavy. 100 sheets carbon paper, 8x13. 1 dozen typewriter ribbons, 2 Densmore and 4 Oliver.

Notice.

One bottle T. W. oil. 10 doz. cork tip bank penholders, Tower's patent. Spencerian pens, per gross. Perkins pens, per gross. Aaron's pens, per gross. Vanadium pens, per gross. 1 gross A. W. Faber pencils No. 5, rubber tips. 1 gross Hardtmuth copying pencils No. 77. 2 gross Dixon hex. pencils No. 3. 2 gross Dixon round pencils No. 3. 1 24-inch rubber ruler. 1 doz. 12-inch rubber rulers. 1 doz. steel erasers, one blade, West-enthal, ivory handle. 1 doz. steel erasers, two blades, West-enthal, ivory handle. 1 doz. Tower's multiplex rubbers No. 12. 1 doz. A. W. Faber ink and pencil erasers. 1 doz. aut. ink stands, Davis No. 5. 1 doz. pyramid pins. 4 boxes E. Faber vag. bands, No. 1150 3 gross Faber vag. bands. 1 doz. quart Arnold's ink. 1 doz. quart Arnold's copying ink. 1 quart rose pink ink. [The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and the right to receive only such amount of the above supplies as may be ordered by the county clerk, and any amount ordered in excess of the above amounts shall be figured at the same price as that described in the bid. All bids to be made on blanks furnished by county clerk. BERT BROWN, County Clerk.

To Cure Croup in 24 Hours.

No remedy equals Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup for this terrible and fatal disease. If taken thoroughly and in time, it will cure and in time, it will cure a case in 24 hours, and for the cough that follows La Grippe it is never fails to give relief. Price 25c and 50c. L. P. Orth.

A CARLOAD OF Sleepy Eye Flour JUST RECEIVED AT Rundell's New Store OUR GUARANTEE: "This Flour is guaranteed to be made from the finest of Minnesota and Dakota Wheat, which is purchased through our own elevators direct from the farmers. It is the best flour made, and if you do not find it satisfactory, your money will be promptly refunded." "SLEEPY EYE MILLING CO., Sleepy Eye, Minn." The above guarantee is printed on each sack and will be conformed to in every instance. Don't blame the housewife if the bread is poor—order her a sack of Sleepy Eye Flour—give it a fair trial and you will be highly pleased. YOURS FOR CASH AND HIGH GRADE GOODS. RALPH RUNDELL, ONE DOOR SOUTH OF OLD PLACE Wayne, Nebraska

Notice.

One bottle T. W. oil. 10 doz. cork tip bank penholders, Tower's patent. Spencerian pens, per gross. Perkins pens, per gross. Aaron's pens, per gross. Vanadium pens, per gross. 1 gross A. W. Faber pencils No. 5, rubber tips. 1 gross Hardtmuth copying pencils No. 77. 2 gross Dixon hex. pencils No. 3. 2 gross Dixon round pencils No. 3. 1 24-inch rubber ruler. 1 doz. 12-inch rubber rulers. 1 doz. steel erasers, one blade, West-enthal, ivory handle. 1 doz. steel erasers, two blades, West-enthal, ivory handle. 1 doz. Tower's multiplex rubbers No. 12. 1 doz. A. W. Faber ink and pencil erasers. 1 doz. aut. ink stands, Davis No. 5. 1 doz. pyramid pins. 4 boxes E. Faber vag. bands, No. 1150 3 gross Faber vag. bands. 1 doz. quart Arnold's ink. 1 doz. quart Arnold's copying ink. 1 quart rose pink ink. [The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and the right to receive only such amount of the above supplies as may be ordered by the county clerk, and any amount ordered in excess of the above amounts shall be figured at the same price as that described in the bid. All bids to be made on blanks furnished by county clerk. BERT BROWN, County Clerk.

THE GERMAN STORE appreciate an effort to maintain a high standard in staple articles. Good goods at a fair price, no poor goods at any price. Our outlet for country produce is greatest because we have a reputation for having good butter and fresh eggs when they can be found nowhere else in town. A SPECIAL SALE EVERY DAY of goods you need every day. Our prices are always low—too low to cut in two on "special days."

THE GERMAN STORE appreciate an effort to maintain a high standard in staple articles. Good goods at a fair price, no poor goods at any price. Our outlet for country produce is greatest because we have a reputation for having good butter and fresh eggs when they can be found nowhere else in town. A SPECIAL SALE EVERY DAY of goods you need every day. Our prices are always low—too low to cut in two on "special days."

C. O. FISHER, The lumberman, invites the prospective builder to consider a few facts. When you build you want good material, you want it at once, and you want to buy it right. FINE, DRY BUILDING MATERIAL always at your command is a object for you to consider. To inspect our stock, get our prices and note that we are building the best buildings of the season. Red cedar fence posts and such other posts that you want.

# THIS STORE

In closing the year of 1902 with the greatest sales record in its history. Every month, excepting one, our sales are ahead of all previous years, for the corresponding month.

We believe this result is not only because that this has been a year of general prosperity, but that more and more people are finding out that this store is a satisfactory place to trade.

At all times we have tried—and think we have succeeded—to show the most complete assortments found in this vicinity, and at prices universally lower than found in most stores.

Our prices are not so much lower because we ask less profit, but because we are in a position to buy our goods at a less price than other stores.

Our method of buying direct from the factory for cash has saved our customers many dollars this year, and it will be our earnest effort to save them an even greater amount in the year 1903.

We thank you, one and all, for your patronage, and wish for you a Merry Christmas, and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Dutchess Trousers **The 2 Johns** Staley Underwear  
ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS WAYNE NEB

## Money is Scarce

So the bankers say. The rate is high and apt to go higher. Why not get a farm loan? These are my terms: Rate, 5%; time, either 5, 7 or 10 years, with the privilege of paying any or all of the principal at any time and stopping interest.

## Why Not Save

3% by getting your money from me. That is what I can save you. Come in and see me about it.

E. R. SURBER.

## Fire Discount Sale.

I have now settled my fire loss with the insurance companies and am again ready to do business. I have a large line of Winter Goods consisting of Fur and Plush Robes and Horse Blankets, which were carried out and show no damage from fire or water, that I will sell at a liberal discount. I also wish to dispose of a lot of Single and Double Light Coach Harnesses, now is the time to get a bargain. A Fur or Plush Robe will make a nice Christmas present, don't you think?

Wm. Piepenstock

## Millinery Sale

CLOSING OUT FALL STOCK

Great reduction on all goods. Ladies and children's hats sold regardless of cost all through December.

Miss H. Wilkinson

A. L. TUCKER, Pres., D. C. MAIN, Cashier.  
E. D. MITCHELL, Vice Pres., G. E. FRENCH, Ass't Cashier

### The Citizens Bank

(Incorporated)

CAPITAL AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS, \$100,000.00.

DIRECTORS—E. D. Mitchell, A. A. Welch, J. S. French, D. C. Main, G. E. French, A. L. Tucker, James Paul.

A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS DONE.

HENRY LEY, Pres., C. A. CHACE, Vice Pres.  
ROLIE W. LEY, Cashier.

## State Bank of Wayne,

INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY, \$200,000.00.

Transacts a general banking business. Drafts on all foreign countries.

J. M. STRAHAN, Pres., FRANK E. STRAHAN, Vice Pres.  
H. F. WILSON, CASHIER.

## First National Bank,

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$90,000.00:

STOCKHOLDERS—J. W. Jones, J. M. Strahan, Geo. Bogart, Jos. V. Hinckman, Geo. M. Knight, A. J. Davis, A. Hershey, John T. Breaser, James Paul, E. R. Chace, R. E. K. Mellor, Frank Fuller, Frank E. Strahan, H. Wilson, H. H. Moses, Nelson Grimley.

WE SOLICIT YOUR TRADE.

### Farm Loans—Phil H. Kohl.

Otto Voget is selling stuff cheap. Best options on farm loans. See Phil H. Kohl.

A beautiful line of Xmas Handkerchiefs and neckwear at Ahern's.

Ten extra good heating stoves, must sell this month, see me before you buy.—Otto Voget.

If you would like a pound of Genuine Swiss cheese, call at Rundell's. It's 40 cents a pound.

What insurance companies pay losses promptly? Ask Billy Dammeyer or Wm. Piepenstock.

Miss Flora Dyer, of Bloomfield, was in Wayne Tuesday shopping and having dental work done.

James Smith and family left Tuesday for Lone Elm, Kansas where they will make their future home.

Miss Zotta Rayburn, of Wayne, was visiting with her friends here over Sunday.—Wakenfeld Republican.

Miss Clara Ahern is expected home Sunday evening from Leavenworth, Kansas, where she is attending school.

Wm. Hulsemeier committed suicide by hanging at his home about 5 miles west of Bloomfield on last Friday morning.

Miss Jennie Bayer, of Wayne, has been visiting for a couple of weeks with her aunt, Mrs. D. K. Hancock.—Pender Republic.

After this month we can not sell you a gun or a pair of skates, we will be out of business then, buy now cheap for cash.—Otto Voget.

For indigestion and all stomach trouble use German Dyspepsia tablets. Price 25 cents. For sale by Wayne Drug Co., Boyd Annex.

A fine pair of Kid Gloves make a very acceptable Christmas present. You will find them in all the new shades and styles at Ahern's.

Judge Bethol and wife, parents of Mesdames Kate and Hafford, arrived Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with their daughters' families.

On the last Sunday of the year do not forget to attend the services at God's house. The subjects at the Presbyterian church "Retrospection" "What is your Life." Come and worship with us.

A traveling man after relating about a fruitless chase after a moving train changed the subject by saying "Rundell you have got the best flour on earth," pointing to the big sack of Steep Eye in the rear end of the room.

It's the statement of Fay Orndoff that the oil he had been using froze upon one night and burst the lamp. He is now buying his oil at Rundell's. A high grade article at 20 cents a gallon. Moral: Water is alright to sail boats on but—

D. K. Kern and wife left Tuesday for Neosho, Missouri, for a two week's visit with Mrs. Kern's parents. King says he will push things when he gets back about January 8. That means a car load of new pianos for Wayne county this winter.

The tradesmen who thought the country was going to the devil and the people would not buy anything this year have been hustling the past few days to take in the cash as fast as it was offered them. M. S. Davies says he has made one of the best ever enjoyed in Wayne. E. H. Jones expresses himself pleased with the trade coming his way and dealers selling other lines all had extra clerks, too.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend who said, 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by Raymond's Pharmacy.

A Missouri editor who was about to pull up and leave for lack of support sarcastically remarks in parting that editors don't need money. "Don't worry about the editor," he says. "He has a charter from the state to act as doorman for the community. He'll get the paper out somehow, and stand up for you when you run for office, and lie about your pigeon toed daughters tacking wedding and blow about your big-footed sons when they get a \$4-a-week job, and weep over your shriveled soul when it is released from your grasping body, and smile at your giddy wife's second marriage. He'll get along. The Lord only knows how—but the editor will get there somehow."

### AROUND ABOUT.

Neligh had a \$15,000 fire last week.

Robt. Sneath drove down from Wayne county Thursday accompanied Jay Randolph who has been spending a month with his old comrade. The "boys" say they had lots of fun shooting rabbits.... Mr. and Mrs. August Dorman announced the marriage of their daughter, Agnes Augusta, to Mr. Edward Komey, which occurred at Elk, Wyoming, Monday, December 15.—Wisner Chronicle.

An Indian owed a Blair merchant, and the other day he came to pay and wanted a receipt. In vain the merchant told him that a receipt was unnecessary. "Me must have to show me owe white nothing," said the Indian, "Me go to heaven, the Lord ask Injun if he pay debts. Injun say yes. Lord ask him where is receipt. What can Injun do? Can't go all over hell to look for you." He got the receipt.—Prenont Tribune.

A new swindle has been practiced on the easy housewives in some of our neighboring towns. A new stove polish is presented, which it is claimed, will last forever and make a rusty stove a looking glass. Their plan is to rub the stuff over the leg of a stove and then tell their intended victim not to let it get hot for two days. The polish is indeed beautiful and they have no trouble in disposing of a large quantity of the stuff at a good price. When the stove that has been polished is fired up the aroma from the polish is something awful and it burns off like tinder leaving the stove in a very rusty condition. An examination of the stuff proved it to be nothing but coal tar.—Takamah Journal.

Eph Cunningham dragged his fragile form into town Tuesday morning and met so many friends that he could hardly get away in time for the Fred Miller sale.... Congress has run out of coal and it is possible that they may have to adjourn sooner than usual. It is a danger that will not soon happen again after McCarthy gets there, he will make it so hot that ice will be more in demand than coal.... Here's an item—a real good, old fashioned one that it delights us to publish: Mrs. Benj. McKee has a baby. It came Monday and Mr. McKee writes us that all are doing well and this, we suppose, includes him also. Well, well! You don't catch us leaving the printing business and going to pre-arranging when such things happen. But the Tribune cordially congratulates and the whole town feels good over the news, as the McKees were highly respected here.—Winside Tribune.

Henry Stumpf had ten fat hogs stolen last Tuesday or Wednesday night while he was in Omaha with cattle. Someone knowing of his absence was the guilty party. The hogs weighed 200 and 250 pounds.

One hundred barrels of Michigan apples at Brookings' grocery, they are Baldwin's, Greenings, Bell Flower, Wagner, Northern Spies and other choice varieties. Don't buy poor apples. See them.

Last Saturday Ralph Rundell sold over 100 gallons of oil. It does not take long for the public to catch on to a new thing. The Standard Oil Co., has been imposing on the people so long that a good high grade article finds ready sale.

Burt Miller and Miss May Thompson were married at the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday morning December 23. Rev. C. N. Dawson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Miller go to Red Cloud, Nebraska to spend the holidays visiting Mr. Miller's parents.

A. J. Ferguson and wife will go south about Feb. 15 for a three month's trip, hoping to benefit Mrs. Ferguson's health by the trip. Also A. J. says he wants to tramp over the old grounds he camped on for three years some forty years ago when he was just as spry and good looking as he is now. Their itinerary embraces Galveston, Little Rock, New Orleans, Vicksburg and Hot Springs besides many other points well known to tourists.

George Palmer who has been in Sioux City for nearly a year now has been promoted from the shops to a regular run on the Sioux City and Pacific from Sioux City to Missouri Valley, so Mr. Palmer's father L. B. tells us. He says George is nicely located close to his work but has to spend three nights and Sunday at the Missouri Valley end of his run which is of course not so pleasant but he can get a different run after a while.

W. A. Ivory, dentist, over 1st Nat'l. Farm lands bought and sold.—Phil H. Kohl.

List your farms with Phil H. Kohl. Has largest list. Sells most land.

A snap, easy terms, choice 100 acres 4 miles from Wayne. See Phil Kohl.

Pure Maple Syrup and all kinds of pure cake flour at RUNDRELL'S.

For treatment of chronic disease or electric treatment go to Dr. Neiman.

Mrs. John Koefoed goes to Chicago for a holiday visit with Mr. Koefoed's people.

Miss Willie Berger will spend her vacation at Louisville, Nebraska, where her folks reside.

Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines, Heating stoves and Ranges cheap for cash.—Otto Voget.

Farmers—I am Agent for the Farm Mutual of Lincoln.

GRANT MEARS.

For a bad taste in the mouth take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by Raymond's Pharmacy.

For Sale—Stock of Millinery, good business, good location, opposite post office.

MISS H. WILKINSON.

Rev. C. N. Dawson will lecture in Louisville, Nebraska, January 5, on "How to Raise Cain," by invitation of the principals of schools there.

D. C. Main was recently elected President of the Board of Trustees, of the M. E. church. Dr. Ivory was re-elected Sunday School Superintendent.

See P. L. Miller & Son for fancy Haviland and German china ware. Their holiday stock will comprise every thing that is desirable for useful gifts.

Rev. Dawson, pastor of the M. E. church will preach a "New Year's" sermon next Sunday morning. His evening topic will be "The Saloon Keeper Defended."

The little rubber return became popular because it always came back. So it is with Rundell's Kerosene oil. Try a gallon and you will always come back when your can is empty.

You can buy poor oil most any old place, but there is but one place to buy the high grade anti rust oil and that is at Rundell's. Try a gallon and get some wicks free of charge.

Table cutlery, silverware, express wagons, sleds, pocket knives, skates—all good things for Christmas, cheap for cash to reduce stock—our last month in business.—Otto Voget.

Mr. C. N. Dawson's father, W. H. Fenner, of Duran, Illinois, will spend the winter with Rev. and Mrs. Dawson. The old gentleman arrived Tuesday, Mr. Dawson meeting him in Omaha.

Henry Stumpf had ten fat hogs stolen last Tuesday or Wednesday night while he was in Omaha with cattle. Someone knowing of his absence was the guilty party. The hogs weighed 200 and 250 pounds.

One hundred barrels of Michigan apples at Brookings' grocery, they are Baldwin's, Greenings, Bell Flower, Wagner, Northern Spies and other choice varieties. Don't buy poor apples. See them.

Last Saturday Ralph Rundell sold over 100 gallons of oil. It does not take long for the public to catch on to a new thing. The Standard Oil Co., has been imposing on the people so long that a good high grade article finds ready sale.

Burt Miller and Miss May Thompson were married at the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday morning December 23. Rev. C. N. Dawson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Miller go to Red Cloud, Nebraska to spend the holidays visiting Mr. Miller's parents.

A. J. Ferguson and wife will go south about Feb. 15 for a three month's trip, hoping to benefit Mrs. Ferguson's health by the trip. Also A. J. says he wants to tramp over the old grounds he camped on for three years some forty years ago when he was just as spry and good looking as he is now. Their itinerary embraces Galveston, Little Rock, New Orleans, Vicksburg and Hot Springs besides many other points well known to tourists.

George Palmer who has been in Sioux City for nearly a year now has been promoted from the shops to a regular run on the Sioux City and Pacific from Sioux City to Missouri Valley, so Mr. Palmer's father L. B. tells us. He says George is nicely located close to his work but has to spend three nights and Sunday at the Missouri Valley end of his run which is of course not so pleasant but he can get a different run after a while.



The Strength of the coffee you buy adds to its value in the cup.

## Lion Coffee

comes to you fresh and of full strength, always in sealed, air-tight packages. Bulk coffees lose their strength, deteriorate in flavor, and also gather dirt.

Patented machines and full strength are insured to users of Lion Coffee.

## Last Call

This is the last day we shall have to call attention to the attractive articles for XMAS. One day left to make your selections. Come in today and see our House Coats, Neckwear, Silk Umbrellas, Suits, Over Coats, &c., &c.

### HARRINGTON'S,

The Leading Clothier.

### Concord.

The public school has a vacation of two weeks.

Prin. T. R. Nelson will spend his vacation at Wayne.

Miss Euphonia Erlander returned home last Friday evening.

Miss Victoria Erlander who was taken to Omaha several weeks ago is slowly recovering.

Geo. Glotzbach is at present recovering from the effects of a broken leg. Robt. Delay is assisting in the store.

There will be an invitation dance at the hall on Thursday evening. The music furnished by Toce, the Sioux City harpist.

The Lutheran church will have their Xmas tree and entertainment on Friday evening. They will also have exercises New Year's eve.

On last Tuesday evening some of the young people of our town secured a bottle and refreshments and took a ride out to Wm. Erwins. It is reported all had a good time.

A literary society was organized at the hall a week ago last Thursday. It will be held each Thursday evening. The society will hold a Xmas entertainment at the hall Xmas eve.

### Hoskins.

W. J. Weatherholt, of Norfolk, was in town.

Wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Dr. Sisson preached an excellent sermon at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Dr. Sawyer expects to leave Wednesday for Missouri to be present at a family reunion.

The dance Monday evening was not so well attended as was desired. The bad roads are to blame.

Mrs. Mettlen came from Wayne Monday evening to visit over Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Candor.

Mr. Strickland and family left for the southern part of the state Wednesday to spend Christmas with a brother.

Maud and Elvia Dobbie came over from Norfolk to attend the dance of Monday evening and were the guests of Alma Benser.

School in both rooms closed Tuesday for a vacation. Miss Elliott prepared a pretty Christmas tree for her pupils and a nice program was given in both rooms.

If the Herald's correspondence requires the service of a doctor again and cannot obtain one we would advise him to try White's Cream Vermifuge. It never fails.

This is the time of year when we all made good resolves and most of us break them before the year is a month old. Such is human nature. How easy we can see the mistakes the other fellow makes, and how easy we could tell him just what they are and how to remedy them, and that's human nature too.

Mrs. W. J. White.

The funeral of Mrs. W. J. White was held from the family home at the corner of Madison avenue and Fourth street at noon today, Rev. F. P. Wigton of the Presbyterian church conducting the services. The remains were taken to Wayne, the former home of the family, on the 1 o'clock train for interment. The last sad rites were attended by friends and relatives, and many beautiful flowers were received, the school-mates of Madge White in the public school contributing a generous share. Mrs. White had lived here with her family less than a year, but had won many friends during her residence here who will be sorry that she has been called from them. The family resided in Wayne for a number of years, but before coming to Norfolk had lived at both Neligh and Clearwater. She was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church. Besides her husband the deceased leaves a son and four daughters, all of whom are minors. The eldest, Max White, is employed at Brunswick and came down from that place to attend the funeral of his mother.—Norfolk News.

Lost.

A photograph, somewhere about this city, of last Wednesday. Finder please leave same at this office. (pd.)

Insurance.

For all kinds of insurance call on GRANT MEARS.

# The Doctor's Bill

Is not the worst consequence of using impure food—think of your health! What's it worth to you?

## These Low Prices Are on Pure Goods

- Blue Ribbon Strawberries, per 2-lb. can.....15 cents
- Blue Ribbon Raspberries, per 2-lb. can.....15 cents
- Blue Ribbon Blackberries, per 2-lb. can.....15 cents
- Golden Egg Plums, per 2-lb. can.....15 cents
- Golden Drop Plums, per 3-lb. can.....15 cents
- Green Gage Plums, per 3-lb. can.....15 cents
- Fruit Ball Peaches, per 3-lb. can.....15 cents
- Silver Brand Peaches, sliced ready for cream, in 1-lb. cans.....10 cents
- VanCamp's Hominy, 3-lb. cans.....10 cents
- Cuban Coffee, 1 lb.....20 cents
- Ketchup.....15 cents

After January 1, 1903, this store closes at 8 o'clock. Produce same as cash.

Coffee Served Free Every Saturday Afternoon During the Winter.

P. L. Miller & Son.

Phone 30...

## THE WAYNE NATIONAL BANK

WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

W. E. Brown, Pres. P. L. Miller, V. Pres. B. F. Shaw, Cashier. O. A. King, Asst. Cashier.

CAPITAL.....\$ 50,000.00  
SURPLUS AND PROFIT.....10,000.00  
DEPOSITS.....100,000.00

4% Interest Paid On Time Certificates Of Deposit.

# FOR SALE!

Four Hole Shell-er Rig, complete with eight-horse power, at a bargain. All in first-class condition...

## Philleo & Son

### Notice.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of the county clerk of Wayne county Nebraska, for county physician from January 1903, to January 1904 bids to be filed on or before noon, of the 13th day of January, A. D. 1903.

County physician to render all necessary attendance and furnish all medicine necessary for all persons who are or who may become a county charge upon said Wayne county and all those whose circumstances are such as to require the county to provide for them such attendance and medicine, whether inmates of the county poor house or not, and all prisoners that may be in the county jail during the year. Said physician to furnish at his own expense all necessary medicines for persons dependent upon the county for the same, and also to perform all surgical work for such persons, including the prisoners aforesaid.

Bids to be made at so much for the year.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids opened at 12 o'clock noon, on January 13, 1903.

BERT BROWN, County Clerk.

## A Good Cough Medicine.

From the Gazette, To whomas, Australia:

"I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy an excellent medicine. I have been suffering from a severe cough for the last two months, and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it."—W. C. Wockner. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents, and has been voluntarily given in good faith that others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by Raymond's Pharmacy.

## Our 6-Year-Old Daughter.

Our little 6-year-old daughter had a very sore throat, badly ulcerated, and coughed almost incessantly. Gave the White Wine of Tar Syrup according to directions and she began to improve immediately and soon got well. Mrs. Groves and I have recommended it to others and we consider it the very best medicine in use.—Rev. D. H. Groves, pastor M. E. church, Clarksville, Missouri. L. P. Orth.

## A USEFUL XMAS PRESENT FROM J. G. MINES

Low Prices **Largest Stock** Standard Goods

You are specially invited to call and examine our holiday display. No trouble to show goods.

There is no need of leaving Wayne to buy anything in our line, for we have a larger and more complete assortment than ever before offered in Wayne.

Good Goods

J. G. MINES, LEADING JEWELER.

## THE LARGEST STOCK OF JEWELRY EVER IN WAYNE

IS UP TO ROOSEVELT

POWERS WAITING FOR HIS ANSWER TO PEACE PROPOSAL.

Doesn't Care to be Arbitrator—Allies Are Anxious to Have Him Accept Duties—Allies Feel Castro Would Head Ruling Made by President.

Washington: President Roosevelt does not want to act as arbitrator in the Venezuelan dispute, as proposed by the powers in reply to his suggestion that the issue be submitted to the Hague tribunal for arbitration, for as such, it is felt here, he would be at once judge, jury and counsel.

Still, rather than see the present dispute proceed to extremes it is probable the president will voluntarily assume the duties of arbitration. It is fully realized that any decision rendered by him in that capacity would be sure to bring him the enmity of one or the other of the parties to the controversy, and this fact was pointed out to the president early in the week by a leading senator who had been called into consultation.

An important fact developed Saturday is that the punitive measure about to be instituted, and in fact, now in force to some degree, will not be suspended by the allies until a definite agreement is reached as to arbitration.

Venezuela also has been told through Minister Bowen that the president would welcome a reference of the dispute to the Hague tribunal. While no direct reply has been received, it is well understood that the reply would be favorable, if the other parties consented to such reference.

If an agreement is reached on arbitration the procedure would be for Minister Bowen, representing Venezuela as a plenipotentiary, to sign with the representatives of the allies a protocol stating that the case is to be submitted to arbitration; that Venezuela admits the right of diplomatic intervention in behalf of a claimant, a principle she has always resisted, and that the details of the arbitration shall be arranged in a formal treaty which she pledges herself to sign.

VERY SEVERE IN WYOMING.

One of the Worst Storms in Years for Stock Interests. Cheyenne, Wyo.: After raging with relentless fury for thirty-six hours the blizzard subsided early Saturday. The wind continues to blow, however, and the snow is being piled in large banks.

PASSENGERS ALARMED.

Accident in Engine Room of the Liner Deutschland. The Hamburg-American liner Deutschland arrived here at 2:15 Sunday afternoon. When nearing the Seilly islands a cylinder burst, damaging the starboard engine badly. A stoker was badly scalded. The accident occurred at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

DROWNS HIMSELF IN CISTERN.

Suicide Fights Hard with People Who Try to Save Him. Detroit, Mich.: A Free Press special from Grand Rapids, Mich., says: After a terrific fight in the presence of a score of hysterical women and children, Henry Larink, of 65 Fourth Avenue, Sunday broke through the free neighbors who were dragging him from a cistern into which he had jumped with the intention of committing suicide, and dropped back into seven feet of water. He was dead when the men were able to get hold of him again.

Court Records Are Forged.

Cleveland, O.: The grand jury Saturday indicted a justice of the peace, P. A. Truman; E. A. Maxfield, his clerk, and an ex-constable, Philip Bocht, on the charge of forgery. It is alleged officers from Truman's court had arrested and taken persons without the formality of a trial, though the proper records had been filled out.

Call Officers Be in Plague.

Nevada: There is much alarm on the western coast over the reported appearance of the bubonic plague at Maxfield. The local doctors assert that it is the true form of the Asiatic plague, but the doctors of the British warship Grafton decided that it was something else.

To Develop Dakota Coal Fields.

Jameson, N. D.: Great developments of North Dakota's coal fields is promised by the North Dakota Fuel Company, recently organized under the laws of New Jersey and capitalized at \$5,000,000.

Swindlers Arrested.

Madrid: Madame Humbert, Madame D'Anrique, and the brother and sister-in-law of Madame Humbert, who became notorious in connection with the safe fraud in Paris, have been arrested at a hotel here.

Woman Anarchist Fatally Shot.

Philadelphia: Voltine LeCroy, a noted anarchist and teacher of music, who was fatally shot by German anarchist, is still alive at the Hahnemann hospital, but the surgeon says she has only a slight chance of recovery.

Tenement Building Burned.

Chicago: A four story tenement building in Hyde Park, housing about 100 families, was burned Saturday evening in almost record time, the tenants making perilous escapes into the rain swept streets. No one was injured, but practically no household property was saved.

STOPS THE SALOON.

Temperance People of Fulton, Mich., Invoke Old Law.

Kalamazoo, Mich.: To prevent the licensing of a saloon by the planing of a cemetery within eighty rods of the proposed location, the temperance people of Fulton, Mich., have invoked the old law. So far it has proved to be a success. The people of Fulton have long been opposed to the liquor traffic, and it was in this village about a year ago that Carrie Nation and the temperance people raided a blind tiger, paying the proprietor what they thought was right for his property, taking billiard and card tables and flippers, dumping them into the street, and making a huge bonfire.

Doesn't Care to be Arbitrator—Allies Are Anxious to Have Him Accept Duties—Allies Feel Castro Would Head Ruling Made by President.

Last summer Ray Weeks built a hotel at a cost of several thousand dollars, and it was understood that this was to be given to the city of Fulton. The temperance people learned this and they planned to circumvent the saloon supporters. They dug up a law of 1839 which forbids the location of a saloon within eighty rods of a cemetery. Then they organized a cemetery association, filing papers Oct. 7 with the county clerk and locating the cemetery on the north side of the hotel.

JURY IS DISCHARGED.

Cannot Agree in Case of Father Kidnapping Child. Springfield, Ill.: After a deliberation of sixty-five hours the jury in the case against John Watts, charged with kidnaping his child, was discharged by Judge Shirley in the Sangamon circuit court Friday. The jury took twenty ballots, and the final stood eight for acquittal and four for conviction. Thursday night the jurors moved to their chambers to determine their verdict regarding their actions in the jury room. All voted in favor of it with the exception of J. W. Harbour of Springfield, and he gave a detailed account of balloting after being discharged.

HOPELESSLY AGROUND.

Attempts to Float German Ship Wrecked. Copeland: All attempts to float the German turpentine ship Wittenbach, which ashore near Coover, have failed. The captain of the German warship has declined to receive help from Denmark, declaring that Emperor William prohibits the acceptance of foreign assistance in all cases of military mishaps. The bottom of the Wittenbach is said to have been badly pierced, and it will be necessary to discharge everything on board before she can be floated.

BLIZZARD IN WYOMING.

Severe Storm Reported in Western Country. Cheyenne, Wyo.: All Thursday night and all day Friday a heavy snow fell, accompanied by a wind which makes the storm a veritable blizzard, and it is expected that sheep and cattle will suffer. The storm extends over a large territory and will undoubtedly do much damage. The Union Pacific is said to have put all of its slow plows on the main line to break the big drifts, but the damp snow is packing hard.

WORTH HALF A MILLION.

Kentucky Man's Life Insured for a Large Amount. Louisville, Ky.: Additional insurance policies were discovered Friday on the life of B. C. Mayhew, who was found dead with a bullet wound in his chest Thursday night, near his home at Jacobs Park, a suburb of Louisville. If an effort is made to collect the policies so far found the exact amount of insurance claimed by the estate will be half a million dollars.

Municipal Gift.

Chicago: Four thousand employees of the Crime Company were made happy by the announcement that the company would make them a Christmas present of \$135,000. This sum will be divided pro rata among the employees of the company, so that each man will receive a share of it equal to 5 per cent. of his annual wages.

Leader of Miners Arrested.

Telluride, Colo.: Vincent St. John, president of the miners' union, is one of the men indicted for participation in the riot at the Sanger's Union mine in July, 1901, in which two men were killed and five wounded. He was arrested Wednesday morning. He is charged with attempted murder and robbery.

Related Grievance.

Seranton, Pa.: A woman, some of whose relatives and others in the neighborhood of thirty, appeared before the anti-trust strike commission Friday and told their stories of alleged boycotts, intimidations, dynamiting and violence in various forms during the late strike.

Kaiser Changes His Mind.

Berlin: The answer Germany to the proposal of arbitration in behalf of Venezuela, received through the United States government, will be its acceptance, it is now understood.

Defaulting Trustee Arrested.

Pekin, Ill.: Nels C. Matson, president at Middletown, Des Moines, Iowa, who has been sought by the government authorities since May 5 last for the embezzlement of postoffice money order funds to the extent of \$300, was arrested in Pekin, Ill., Thursday morning.

Horse's Kick Was Fatal.

Marshalltown, Ia.: Harvey St. Clair, aged 20, a farmer of Vienna Township, was killed by a horse Friday. He lived but five hours. He was married less than three weeks ago.

Empress Will Abdicate.

Victoria, B. C.: Advice from Pekin announces that the empress dowager proposes to abdicate next year. There is almost a panic among the chief officials of the empire in consequence. Yan Lu, first grand secretary of China, is anxious to resign to save his head when the new power assumes control of the throne.

Lamp Stays Costly Fire.

Warren, Pa.: From the explosion of a lamp fire was started in a store at Apple River, six miles west of here, Thursday night. Four business blocks, three dwellings, and a large hall were burned at a loss of \$20,000.

OFFER GOLD TO MEXICO.

New York Bankers Are Ready to Make a Big Loan.

Mexico City: The Mexican government has received offers from New York financiers for a \$200 million loan for public works, the government having the authorization of congress to contract such a loan. The government is in no hurry and is paying for the works out of its ample reserve funds and is not expected to contract the loan until it can be so on terms which will be satisfactory. The government has received from abroad intimations that it could secure a gold loan for establishing a gold basis of currency, but the loan for such purpose cannot be contracted without authority from congress.

STEALS IN NOVEL MANNER.

Charged with Confiscating Coins on Ground of Counterfeiting. Canton, O.: Edmund Lanzer has been arrested by United States officials and will be given a hearing at Warren, O. The charges are for presenting himself as employed by the government to examine and withdraw from circulation counterfeit coins. It is alleged he visited a number of stores, showed a badge which seemed to prove his statement, and was allowed to examine money in the stores.

ASK FOR PAUPERS' BODIES.

Indiana Colleges Seek to Obtain Subjects Legitimately. Indianapolis, Ind.: A demonstrators' pool for the distribution of bodies among local medical colleges is expected to be established in Indianapolis, through the efforts of Harry Tutwiler, coroner-elect. The bodies had previously been obtained in a legitimate manner and thus put a stop to the wholesale grave robbing carried on about the city for years. The coming legislature will be asked to pass a law making it obligatory on superintendents of county asylums and other institutions to furnish the colleges with paupers' bodies.

ECCENTRIC MAN IS WEALTHY.

Buries Himself All the Comforts of Life and Dies in a Hospital. Canton, O.: Ely Hymus, a Jew who became known as the general hospital here on Saturday, is dead. His examination by his clothing resulted in finding scrip worth \$31,000. Other papers showed him to be worth probably \$100,000.

DESTITUTE AND STARVING.

People of Lintand Said to be in Dire Straits. St. Petersburg: Four hundred destitute persons are reported to be destitute and starving as a result of the crop failure in Finland. The Anglo-American club has undertaken to feed and clothe the destitute children in four Finnish parishes, and Pastor Francis has issued an appeal for assistance in this work. He says the conditions today are worse than those of 1897, when 100,000 persons died.

GIVEN LIFE AT HARD LABOR.

Michigan Murderer is Sentenced to Solitary Confinement. Hastings, Mich.: Matthew Utzer Thursday pleaded guilty to the murder of Mrs. Robert Garrison in Johnston Township Monday morning. He had previously admitted that he furnished the victim after death. Judge Smith sentenced the prisoner to solitary confinement at hard labor for life in the state prison at Jackson and he was taken here Thursday night.

Prisoner Dies in Jail.

Springfield, Ill.: William Ferguson, the Quincy negro who was several months ago sentenced to Chester penitentiary for the murder of Dr. Joseph Barnes of Monticello, to whom he gave poison, died in the central hospital here on Friday. He had been in the penitentiary of consumption.

Forty-Five Years in Wall Street.

New York: Homer L. Hotchkiss, who was Jay Gould's broker, and one of the oldest members of the stock exchange, died Friday at a residence in the street of forty-five years. Mr. Hotchkiss was one of the organizers of the Nicaragua Canal Association.

Wants to Share in Big Estate.

Chicago: Louise K. Eames, claiming to be the only child of Lester I. Eames, deceased, a former Ottawa, Ill., banker, seeks to establish her claim to his estate valued at \$1,000,000, asking that an agreement by which she signed away all her rights to the estate for \$10,000 be set aside.

Narrow Escape From Death.

Chicago: Several persons had a narrow escape from death Friday night in a fire that destroyed the Sanger apartment building. The flames spread so rapidly that those who occupied the upper stories were cut off from the stairways and were rescued by firemen.

Earthquake at Costa Rica.

San Jose, Costa Rica: Two violent earthquakes were experienced Thursday morning. The people of the city were greatly alarmed, but there were no casualties. Several other shocks followed at intervals. These, however, were of diminishing severity.

Death Was Accidental.

Paris: The French authorities have become convinced that the death of Mrs. Eklund was accidental, and have decided to drop the case entirely against M. de Rydzewski.

No Yellow Fever at Wilmington.

San Juan, P. R.: The report that there was yellow fever at Wilmington, Curacao, has been positively contradicted, and with the exception of the Chicago, the ships assigned to Curacao for the holidays will remain at that port. The Chicago will come to San Juan for some repairs.

Don Carlos' Claim to Throne.

Madrid: The Herald Thursday said that Don Carlos purposes to renounce his claim to the throne in favor of his son, Don Jaime.

Five Years for Each Man.

St. Louis: The joint trial of five former members of the house of delegates, which began Tuesday, ended Friday night in a verdict of five years for each man in the penitentiary. The defendants after hearing the verdict, fled notions for a new trial and each was released on bond.

Making Substantial Gifts.

New York: The last steamer from New York which will reach the other side of the Atlantic before Christmas, St. Paul of the American line, has sailed with \$400,016 in money orders payable in foreign European countries.

STATE OF NEBRASKA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONDENSED FORM.

Aged Negro in Queer Position—Pleads Guilty to Killing Baby and Receives a Ten-Year Sentence—Insists that He is Not Guilty.

A Grand Inquest special says: G. A. Baxter, the 44-year-old negro who is charged by his young wife with having intentionally and deliberately killed their 4-month-old babe, has pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter, but he insists that he is not really guilty. Coroner Hoeder was notified Saturday by a neighbor of the Baxter's, who in a little time had not only the body taken to another room. Then the woman broke down and revealed the fact that her husband had killed the child by smothering it, as he had often said he would, and had threatened, if she told, he would kill her. She further stated that her husband had threatened to take her life and had been attempted to strike her with an axe. The babe was taken charge of by the coroner and the negro placed under arrest.

When Baxter was informed Saturday night as to the testimony of his wife before the coroner's jury he was willing to plead as stated and throw himself upon the mercy of the court. Judge Thompson was called, received the plea and sentenced the man to ten years in the penitentiary. Sunday afternoon the presiding judge met the prisoner in the office of the sheriff and the prisoner stated that now that he had his sentence he was willing to go to the penitentiary and behave himself, but, though it was all over, he insisted that the death of the child was an accident that he never intended to kill it and that never was there murder in his heart.

It is learned that Judge Thompson has ordered the sheriff not to take the prisoner to Lincoln as yet, indicating that the case may be reopened.

OLD MAN'S TRAGIC DEATH.

Attempts Murder, Burns His Property and Says He is Poisoned. A Kearney special says: By the death of James Evans at 5 o'clock Saturday morning on Kilgore island, where he resided, a strange story of a peculiar old man comes to a tragic end. Evans was about 80 years of age. Recently he deeded his property to Mr. and Mrs. Swinney, who were to take care of him the rest of his life. On Nov. 8 he married Lucinda Aybakke. They lived in a ten-acre farm. On Friday night about 10 o'clock, according to the story told by Mr. Swinney, Evans sent for him, stating that he was sick. Swinney went over and talked to the old gentleman for a few minutes, when, without warning, the latter grabbed a shotgun and fired at both Mrs. Evans and Swinney. Neither shot, however, took effect, and the intended victims fled.

WOMAN DROWNS IN CISTERN.

Steps on Ice Platform and Falls to Bottom of Reservoir. Mrs. Henrietta Alloth of 702 South Thirty-fifth Avenue, Omaha, slipped on the ice-covered platform of a cistern Saturday afternoon, fell within and miserably drowned, while her husband was at work not sixty feet away.

Burlington Wreck at Humboldt.

Freight trains Nos. 63 and 119 on the Burlington, collided in the yards at Humboldt, doing considerable damage to the rolling stock and knocking one tender from the tracks. The trains were ordered to pass at Humboldt and one of them was endeavoring to back in on the siding when the other came around a curve almost at full speed. Both crews realized the situation in time to save themselves by jumping, so no one was injured.

Caused by Spreading Epid.

A Chadron special says: A wreck occurred on the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley Railroad a few miles south of Hermosa Tuesday night, in which seven cars were derailed. One way crew is at the scene and the other is called to the scene to assist in the regular channel. Factories are running as usual.

Heavy Snow in Sand Hills.

A Grand special says: Snow began falling Saturday at 4 p. m. and for two or three hours did not cease. There was six to eight inches of snow, with wind as yet. Cattle are thin and feed is scarce.

Will Ship Trees to Texas.

A Beatrice special says: Carl Souder, owner of the German nurseries in this city will ship next week one million black locust trees to be used for forest purposes in Texas.

Corn is Unmarketable.

A North Loup special says: The weather here has been very cold for the past few days. Snow fell Sunday night to the depth of two inches. A large amount of corn is still in the fields and as much as 50 per cent. is soft and unfit for market.

Gas Poisoning Fatal.

Ray Palmer, who blew out the gas at the Metropolitan Hotel at Omaha Saturday night, and was discovered in a critical condition, died at the Clarkson hospital.

Fire Destroyed a Dwelling.

Mrs. M. S. Edgington's house was burned at Edgar Saturday morning. The building was completely wrapped in flames when the fire was discovered. Some of the furniture was saved. The house was valued at \$500 and the furniture at \$250. There was \$500 insurance on the house.

Gov. Mickey Names Warden.

A Lincoln special says: Gov.-elect Mickey Tuesday afternoon selected A. D. Beemer of West Point, warden of the penitentiary. He responded to the governor's call on Saturday night and was sworn in by the governor.

No Wind with Snow.

Seven inches of snow has fallen at Wilcox. It fell without any wind, and there is a possibility of more snow in years for winter wheat, of which there is a large acreage, and it is looking well.

FOUND \$1,600.

A Lincoln Physician Discovers Strange Envelope of New Bills.

A Lincoln dispatch says: Dr. G. D. W. Farham has \$1,500 in new crisp bills that he thinks do not belong to him, and he has no possession of them. He does not know. Some time ago Dr. Farham found an envelope in his safety deposit vault and in the envelope was the money. He does not remember having placed the envelope there and does not recall having laid aside that much money for a rainy day. He was under the impression at first that some one had given him the money for safe keeping, but as none of his friends appear to have ever had that much money at one time, he is now searching for another clue that will lead to the finding of the owner or to some fact that will establish his ownership in a clear conscience. In the meantime the money is still in the vault and the doctor is sitting up nights wondering about the mysterious ways of the world.

NEBRASKA MUST WAIT SIX MONTHS BEFORE MARRIAGE.

A Lincoln special says: Divorced persons who marry within six months after securing a divorce incur all the penalties of bigamy, declared the Nebraska supreme court in a decision filed Wednesday. Should they cohabit after this disability is removed their marriage becomes bona fide by reason of common law.

NOVEL DIVORCE RULING.

The decision was rendered in the case of Harriet against Eli E. Eaton. Harriet married from Cass County. Harriet married Eaton within six months from date of divorce. The district court held the marriage was valid. The supreme court overturned the decision.

"BURNS" MONEY.

New Yorker Creates a Sensation in Lincoln. A Lincoln special says: A mysterious stranger, supposed to be Peyton Randle of New York, astounded Lincoln Friday evening by a speech in which he stated he was going to spend \$25,000, and proceeded to throw his money away with lavish recklessness. Ten dollars was the price he placed on an army of messenger boys for trivial services. He called in business men for a champagne dinner, and hired all the cabmen that would serve him. He gave the man of A. J. Richards, but one of his cards gave the name of "Peyton Randle, New York City, attorney." He came to Lincoln in a special via the Burlington. He says he will go to Council Bluffs when he spends \$25,000 in Lincoln.

FIREMAN KILLED.

Collision in Burlington Yards at Table Rock Due to Overwork. A Lincoln special says: Two freight trains on the Burlington road met in a head-on collision in the yards at Table Rock Tuesday night, resulting in one fatality. An overworked engineer, who had fallen asleep, was responsible for the wreck. One of the trains was standing in the yards. It was crashed into by a train approaching from the opposite direction and moving at a high rate of speed. Fireman Merrill was plucked between the boiler head and the tender and scalded to death. The other train employees escaped injury.

NAUGURAL BALL CALLED OFF.

Gov.-elect Mickey Declines to Attend the Dance. A Lincoln special says: Gov.-elect Mickey has declined to attend a dance, and the naugural ball will be abandoned. He is a staunch Methodist and does not believe in dancing. A committee began making arrangements for the ball. To their surprise Mr. Mickey said he would not attend. The inaugural festivities will be limited to a reception at the state capitol. It is stated that Mr. Mickey has never worn a dress suit.

FOOD PRICES SOARING.

Cost of Necessaries 25 Per Cent Higher During the Last Year.

During the last year the prices of food products have increased fully 25 per cent and the prices of the necessities of life are still on the increase. During the last two years the prices of food products have increased 33 1/3 per cent. Of the entire line of staple goods at one of the leading grocery stores in Chicago, only coffee, flour and sugar are lower, than they were two years ago and at the present time sugar is racing upward at a rate which will soon put it out of the minority. Dried fruits, canned fruits, vegetables, poultry, butter, eggs, beef, pork, mutton and veal all have had an upward tendency.

Wheat Flour, Hard Spring Patents, Buckwheat Flour, New Orleans Meal, etc.

Table with 4 columns: Item, Dec. 6, 1902, Dec. 7, 1901, Dec. 8, 1900. Items include Wheat flour, Hard spring patents, Buckwheat flour, New Orleans meal, etc.

Among the Appropriations that will be asked for at the next legislature will be \$30,000 to reimburse State Treasurer Steiner for the amount he had to pay the two guaranty companies for his bond as agent for the state.

The county commissioners of Lancaster County Wednesday morning ordered the clerk to prepare 200 bonds of the denomination of \$500 each to be exchanged for the \$100,000 of Midland Railroad bonds that become due Jan. 1. The resolution empowering the clerk to prepare the bonds recites that on account of the large payments in recent years of bonds bearing higher rates of interest and the condition of the sinking fund, which is not sufficient to pay the interest on the bonds, it is the best interest of the county that the refunding be made, as it will be a substantial saving in interest. The old bonds were issued in 1871 as a bonus for the Midland Pacific, now a part of the Burlington system.

Students of the university at Lincoln, who are in the habit of galivanting to balls and such like in rubber-tired hacks will have to walk or pay the increased \$2.50 per charged by the liverymen of Lincoln on the hard-hearted livermen to get them to come back to the old price, but the livermen refused. The reason given for the increased price is the students' demand that the livermen put rubber tires on the rigs. Rubber tires called for a rub-up in the prices, said the livermen, and there the matter rests.

Gov.-elect Mickey went into this state of mind Sept. 28. On the morning of that day she and her sweetheart, a Centraira young girl, quarreled and before night the young girl had fallen into her long sleep. Her condition was often not exactly sleep, but more in the nature of a trance. The eyes would slowly open, showing enormous pupils, but which did not respond to sight. Neither did she wink her eyes at such times, but continually stared forth with a glassy, frigid look.

Quarreled with Her Lover and Has Since Been in a Trance.

From the day she quarreled with her sweetheart over two months ago Dora Meek, a pretty young woman of Centraira, Ill., remained in a deep, apparently unconscious slumber until her death. She was awakened a few days ago, and day out the young woman slept. Throughout the long hours she sat seemingly perfectly oblivious to all that took place about her. She was lifted from her bed and placed in the rocking chair her head fell to one side or rested upon her breast and her arms hung limply at her side. Only at meal times did she manifest consciousness. Then, in an intuitive manner, she ate a small amount of food.

Gov.-elect Mickey went into this state of mind Sept. 28.

On the morning of that day she and her sweetheart, a Centraira young girl, quarreled and before night the young girl had fallen into her long sleep. Her condition was often not exactly sleep, but more in the nature of a trance. The eyes would slowly open, showing enormous pupils, but which did not respond to sight. Neither did she wink her eyes at such times, but continually stared forth with a glassy, frigid look.

No amount of talking or shouting, for that matter, had any effect. She was insensible to sight and hearing, but not completely so to pain. A needle prick or a severe pinching of her ears, caused a slight frown, as if she were provoked. The only suggestion that she did respond to was that in a weak and languid manner she evinced disposition to do the opposite of what was suggested to her.

Land Commissioner Palmer will recommend to the legislature that the land known as the resorting land of the late Governor and Secord Counties, be either sold and the proceeds turned into the general fund for the construction of a new penitentiary, or else that it be transferred to the school fund and leased, as it is at present. The land became the property of the state at the time of its admission to the union.

George Furnas, who disappeared from his home in Lincoln last Thursday, since which time his friends and the police have been searching for him, has returned home and is now with his family. Worry over financial affairs is believed to have caused Mr. Furnas a temporary aberration of the mind and that while in this condition he wandered away.

John Reese, president of the visiting and examining boards of the medical profession here, has been elected to the governor's Thursday that the board had visited the homes at Grand Island and Milford and found the inmates satisfied and working in harmony with the officers. At Grand Island the number of inmates of the home had increased during the year from 342 to 415. At Milford the report said there were 100 inmates. There were 200 inmates, who were existing on an appropriation made for sixty-eight.

The Sons and Daughters of Protection will have to amend its contracts of insurance and form of application. It is desired to avoid paying death losses to the families of members who have taken their own lives. The supreme court has just affirmed a judgment secured in Cherokee County by Emma E. Underwood against the order.

The Bankers' Reserve Life Insurance Association Friday deposited with the auditor \$28,100, making a total of \$60,050 that this company has on deposit to do business during the next year in Nebraska. This is the first company to put up its guarantee for the year 1903.

THE GREAT RAILROADS

THE OTHER NIGHT LLOYD ROBERTS and Miss Blanche Gillman of Pleasant Hill, Ill., were married on a Chicago and Alton train.

It is reported from St. Louis that the Frisco Railroad system is negotiating a deal with the Grand Trunk, which, if successful, will extend the Frisco system from Canada to Mexico.

The fastest long-distance trains in the world are run over the New York Central and Lake Shore, between New York and Chicago. The average speed is about a mile a minute for the entire distance.

The New York Central Railroad is making a fight to prevent trolley roads from paralleling its line between Rochester and Syracuse. It is claimed that as these already are three roads between the two places, the public has no need of a fourth, which would be a trolley.

Land seekers' cheap rates from Iowa, South Dakota and adjacent territory to North Dakota, Minnesota and the Northwest have been discontinued, but they will be resumed in February. In the meantime there is a semi-monthly home-seekers' rate which enables those who go to look for new homes to travel at cheap fares.

Carrying at one place sixteen railroad

WAR CLOUD HAS GONE

POWERS CONSENT TO ARBITRATE WITH VENEZUELA

Allies Reply to the Proposal for Settlement and Name the Conditions—Britain Is Willing to Treat—Kaiser Asks Guarantee—Italy Will Acquiesce

What is regarded as a good start has been made by the United States toward having the Venezuelan claims settled without war.

Great Britain will welcome arbitration and will not insist on the United States guaranteeing payment by Venezuela.

Italy will accept anything Great Britain and Germany agree to.

The difficulties in the way of bringing all these powers into accord and giving them some assurance that they will be able to enforce anything under the arbitration are great.

Stories that the United States is willing to go further than to promise any syndicate that chooses to finance Venezuela's debt that we will use our diplomatic offices to see that the money is paid here in Washington correspondents say are pure fabrications.

There is something almost threatening in the German position that the cooperative measures must go on unless the United States can present some form of guarantee that the debts will be paid.

Venezuela could easily pay through selling territory or yielding sovereignty to a European power.

The Washington administration has been using its best influence to advance arbitration and a voluminous correspondence has been carried on.

England and Germany have had it made clear to them that the United States will defend the Monroe doctrine at all hazards.

COMMERCIAL FINANCIAL

Lower temperature and holiday demands have combined to accelerate retail trade, sales largely exceeding the corresponding week in preceding years.

At a glance the sudden rise in furnace stocks of pig iron to 94,235 tons, compared with 71,558 on Nov. 1, might suggest that consumption was below production, but obviously any accumulation that occurs is due to inadequate transportation facilities.

Small supplementary orders for spring shoes are received by New England shops, but the season is practically over.

Bradstreet's weekly commercial report in regard to grain says: Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending Dec. 11 aggregated 3,761,000 bushels.

Outlook Good for Wheat. The Modern Miller says: "Conditions have been favorable for the winter wheat crop, and there are few complaints.

Chicago. Reasonable weather has been a help in the retail trade lines, although nine of the twelve leading western centers show a decline in sales.

December Crop Conditions. The Department of Agriculture estimates the newly seeded area of winter wheat at 34,000,000 acres.

Exports of Breadstuffs. Exports of flour and wheat from all the ports in the United States during the month of November were, according to statistics of the United States Treasury Department.

Notes of Current Events. The czar of Russia is soon to visit the Pope in Rome.

There is an epidemic of smallpox in Salt Lake County, Utah.

CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

Efforts by Venezuela to Avoid Paying

The troubles between England and Germany on the one side and Venezuela on the other arose over the latter's failure to liquidate certain debts which it owes to the former.

For a considerable time England and Germany have been pressing these claims to the consideration of the Venezuelan government.

The Monroe doctrine has nothing to do with the commercial relations of any American power, save that in truth it allows each of them to form such as it desires.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending Dec. 11 aggregated 3,761,000 bushels, against 5,704,410 last week.

Notably having been received to the ultimatum, the combined English and German fleet seized the Venezuelan war vessels at La Guayra.

The American claims commission at Berlin has awarded \$1,383,000 for losses in the Boxer uprising and disallowed \$1,804,000 claimed.

Statistics of the population of Russia show an increase of 2,000,000 during the past year.

Germany has formally agreed to the American proposal to submit the question of paying the Chinese indemnity in gold or silver to The Hague tribunal.

St. Louis-Cattle, \$4.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.50 to \$6.35; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 70c to 71c; corn, No. 2, 43c to 45c; oats, No. 2, 31c to 33c; rye, No. 2, 47c to 48c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$4.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$4.00 to \$6.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.85; wheat, No. 2, 77c to 78c; corn, No. 2, mixed, 56c to 57c; oats, No. 2, mixed, 27c to 28c; rye, No. 2, 53c to 54c.

CONGRESS.

The Senate was not in session Friday. In the House the bill to appropriate \$1,900,000 for the eradication of foot and mouth disease in New England was made a special order for the next Tuesday.

The Senate on Monday discussed the bill to promote the efficiency of the military and naval forces.

A joint resolution introduced in the Senate by Mr. Wetmore was adopted appropriating \$3,000 for the purchase of a bronze bust of the late President McKinley.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

The Senate passed the bill to amend the act authorizing the construction of a light house at Mullets Point, Wash.

TO COLONIZE SOUTHWEST.

Railroads Are Going to Boom Louisiana and Texas.

More than \$100,000 will be spent by the management of the Southern Pacific in the next five months in colonizing southwestern Louisiana and southern Texas.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

At the hearings on the immigration bill by the Senate committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration, the committee on immigration.

White Slave to Savage Bushmen

A strange experience was that of Joseph J. Gill, once a resident of Brooklyn, who died recently on shipboard and was buried at sea.

Gill's adventures in Australia would scarcely sound credible if presented in a dime novel.

Gill was the son of the late Thomas Gill, a Brooklyn soap manufacturer.

Joseph Gill left New York to look after some mining interests in 1886.

He was kept as a slave. He was forced to do the most menial work by his captors, and altogether he led a life of horror.

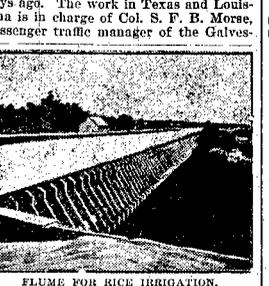
In March of this year Gill again sought information of his relatives, this time with more success.

It is a notable fact that most of the subjects of King Edward VII. are Hindus.

It has been observed that a man's hair turns gray five years sooner than a woman's.

Copper money in France is to be gradually replaced this year by aluminum bronze pennies of a pale yellow color.

There are 2,655 counties in the United States. Texas has the largest number, 246, and Delaware the smallest number, three.



FLUME FOR RICE IRRIGATION.

ton, Harrisburg and San Antonio and the Galveston, Houston and Northern roads.

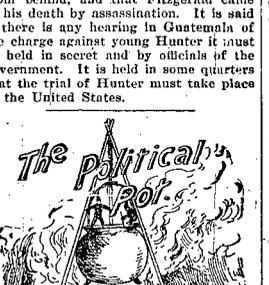


PLANNING A RICE FIELD UNDER WATER.

distance of 800 miles, and even beyond the Rio Grande to Tampico, Mexico, and back from the gulf between fifty and seventy-five miles.

Speaking of the development of this section, Col. Morse said: "S. L. Carey accidentally discovered that the land in southern Louisiana would raise rice, and one year later it took 100 acres to transport the rice output about Jennings.

Coroner's Verdict in the Hunter-Fitzgerald Case at Guatemala.



Ex-Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii has arrived in Washington and will seek favorable action by Congress on measures of her relief.

Representative Mann of Chicago has introduced a resolution in Congress calling upon the President to request the Treasury to furnish the details of contracts in relation to the new federal building in Chicago.

# Money

To Loan 2% 3% 4% 5% 6% 7%

5% Money to Loan,  
5% Money to Loan on Farms,  
Farms for Sale,  
Business Blocks for Sale,  
Business Blocks for Sale or Trade for Farms,  
Farms to Trade for Business Blocks.

## G. W. ALLBEE.

Over First National Bank.

# Box Candies!

Just look in at our window, the fine line of box candies we carry makes it easy to guess where Santa Claus will make his headquarters before Christmas. All kinds from the cheapest that's good to the best that's made. We have carefully selected our Christmas stock and have just the kinds that Santa Claus likes best.



## WAYNE BAKERY

# THE SUREST WAY

To know what's what in Rubber Goods is to get the Lycoming on andee now being sold by F. O. Davis & Co. Overshoes of all descriptions, Snag-Proof Rubber boots. Half-soleing and repairing done at usual rates.

## THE CORNER SHOE STORE.

# PERFUME

WE HANDLE THE BEST!

We have Pinaud's French Carnation.  
We have Roger & Gallet, s Peau d' Espagne.  
We have Hilbert's Stolen Sweets.  
We have a full line of Eastman's in bulk and holiday packages.

A Kissing Card with each package of Stolen Sweets.

## WAYNE DRUG CO.

J. T. LEAHY, Boyd Annex.

# Christmas Candies

Bon-Bons and Chocolates in fancy boxes and baskets. Angel food Taffy in all flavors. See us for your Christmas candies and nuts. Largest assortment to select from. Have you noticed the large amount of bakery goods we handle? Large sales mean fresh goods and satisfied customers.

## T. STEEN.

## First National Bank.

# DEBRIS

Tomorrow is Christmas Day, the day of all days when good cheer should prevail throughout the land, the day recognized and celebrated by all Christian people as the anniversary of the nativity of the Saviour, Jesus Christ. Christmas should not be observed merely as a legal "holiday," but, more correctly speaking, as a "holy day" when every man, woman and child should rest from their labors and perform some act in commemoration of the event of events, the return of which is celebrated annually.

Make Christmas, especially a day for the children. You have not forgotten the joyful anticipation you experienced as Christmas Day drew near, in the long ago, or the bounding joy on the receipt of the trifling gift, some book or toy, perhaps, the value of which would now seem to you comparatively small indeed. Neither have you forgotten the steaming turkey, the cranberry sauce or the other delicacies that caused your mouth to water and made the minutes seem hours while you were waiting to be served at the "second table." We have not forgotten (it was not so long ago in our case, however) the two miles' ride over to grandma's—how long the road seemed on those occasions and how slow the speed of old Prince and Doc and the "jumper!" Nor have we forgotten one action or a single characteristic of the gray-haired grandfather who hurried out to let down the bars and who exclaimed "Well, well, well!" as he helped the children out one by one, or the grandmother who unbundled us all and who always feared we were "nigh froze to death" and who would, upon our arrival, bustle around and give orders to "hurry the dinner." And such a dinner! The turkey, the big pumpkin pies, the doughnuts! such doughnuts as we have never seen since and never expect to again enjoy, and then there were the nuts, the walnuts and hazelnuts that the uncles had gathered the autumn previous at Six-Mile Grove; and the games we played with the Hill boys and Cousins Bert and Millie and little Carl in grandma's "big room!" How short the day would seem and how soon the time would come when the father would inform us that the "jumper" was at the door and the chores were waiting at home. Such real, solid enjoyment! enjoyment that as children you were all familiar with.

Your playmates, your "Bert" or your "Millie" ere now, may have passed to that great beyond where all is happiness, or they may reside in some distant land, and you, perhaps, have not met for years, but there is no time when your memory brings them back as does the Christmas time. Perhaps your "little Carl" is now grown to manhood, fighting the battles of life at your side, or it may be that he was taken from you while yet in blissful ignorance of the hardships, the disappointments, the trials and tribulations encountered in the life struggle, passed away while still firm in the belief that Santa Claus and the reindeers were indeed a reality. But, no matter where the companions of childhood may have cast their lot, no matter the expanse that separates you, even though it be Death itself, they will all come back on Christmas Day.

Make the children of today as happy as were the children of other days. Do not attempt to shake the child's belief in Santa Claus. One of the first disappointments the world has in store for the child come upon the discovery that dear old Kris Kringle is but a non-existent myth. Since ignorance means happiness, let it be ignorance. And don't forget the little gifts. Make the child happy and he will bless you in after years.

Frank Partridge, advance man for the "Becker Family," dropped in Monday morning and dished up the requisite number of complimentary pasteboards to the "force." Partridge is a bird.

We are the proud (?) possessor of a small, pumpkin-colored bull pup that we procured with the expectation that some day he would be of value in keeping the neighbors' stock out of our ragweeds and to fill our place as the family's body-guard when we were out late o' nights—attending lodge (?) He is as yet utilized only as a playhouse for fleas. Never before have we had the responsibilities thrust upon us of bringing up a canine from babyhood, and the next time anyone knows the writer hereof to be hankering after a pet we hope to be presented with a rhinoceros. As a destroyer of carpets, rugs and curtains we will match our "pup" against any dog that ever did business in Kansas and as a terror to the nerves of the neighbors' stock we will be a terror to the nerves of the neighbors' stock.

So if your soul's repose you seek, On earth you'll have to hurry "DEAC."

The Sioux City Journal of Saturday made mention of the fact that the Venezuelans were awaiting news from Washington, U. S. A., with "baited" breath. That's nothing. "Baited" breaths may be new in Venezuela, but Americans have been bringing them home from fishing excursions for years.

Don't be grasping. Don't aspire to the ownership of the earth. No man but Adam ever held entire possession. He wasn't satisfied, and the man of today were he placed in that position would no doubt expect to utilize hades as grazing land.

An exchange thinks the shoemakers should be the last to combine. Yes, last of awl.

The drama, "Hatchetation," by Carrie Nation, is the latest. "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" can now retire.

A beautiful example of how some men are troubled with enlargement of the head over a little, one-horse appointment occurred at Norfolk last week when a deputy game warden demanded the release of a pair of pet quail that for over a year had made their home in the office of Dr. Mackay at that place. It is strange what small tricks a fellow will do just to make an exhibition of some petty authority.

Down in Boone county two cousins named Corn were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony and after the ceremony the choir sang "What Shall the Harvest Be?" A small boy in the audience shouted "Nubbins" and was promptly ejected from the church.

Girls, you should learn the art of good cooking. It may not have the fascination for you that music, painting or some other of the finer accomplishments may have and may not be so much appreciated in the unmarried lady, but some day you will want to please a husband, and you will find that the easiest and quickest route to the heart is via the stomach. Man wants but little here below, but he wants that well done, brown on top and bottom.

"Would be well for the man who would loaf to remember, As the days, months and years toward Eternity roll, And heed, as life's fire is but smoldering embers: Often balm to the body is death to the soul."

Be a rustler! Let "push" be your watchword! Ours is an age of progress and you must get up in the morning if you want to keep up with the procession.

Wear out your shoe soles, if you will, and let your palms become calloused, but preserve the bosom of your pants. Don't stop to rest, but get your shoulder to the wheel.

And keep it there. Every moment of labor is certain to reap years of reward, and it is for you to choose between a few short years of toil followed by an eternity of pleasure, or visa versa. This life is but a time in which to advance toward the grander and better one and if you are slow to improve the opportunity at your disposal you will be left by the wayside.

For, on the last day, when the sound of Gabriel's trumpet shall pierce the endless nothingness, calling to the Creator through whose mercy this short hour of preparation is given, all those who have served here below, no straggler who by his carelessness has failed to work himself to within the prescribed limits need expect a hack to be sent out for him, neither will a motor system be in operation for his accommodation. We each have a soul to save and we are given life and opportunity for the purpose of accomplishing that end. And no man ever saved his soul by saving his body. Do not spare the physical being. You will tire of the world's hardships and privations, no doubt, but hold up your head—life is short at best and no matter how great the earthly inconvenience it can be of but short duration. Work while you can. If not you will toil throughout a hereafter in comparison to which our earthly career is but a drop in the sea.

So if your soul's repose you seek, On earth you'll have to hurry "DEAC."

DEAC.

DEAC.

DEAC.

DEAC.

DEAC.

DEAC.

DEAC.

For Sale or Rent. Four-room house and six lots in College addition, Wayne.

Notice of Hearing. To Frank Elming, Ima Elming, Lewis A. Keller and all persons interested in the estate of John Elming, deceased.

On presentation of the petition hereinafter specified, it is hereby ordered that Frank Elming, Ima Elming, Lewis A. Keller and all persons interested in the estate of John Elming, deceased, be notified that on the 22nd day of November, 1902, Phebe A. Elming, administratrix of said estate, filed her petition in the district court of Wayne county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a decree authorizing and directing her as administratrix of said estate, to execute and deliver to Lewis A. Keller a deed containing full covenants of warranty and conveying to him the following described real estate, to wit: the east one half of the south west quarter of Section five and all that part lying west of the middle of Logan Creek of the south east quarter of Section five, all in township twenty-six, range four, east of the sixth principal meridian, in pursuance of the terms of a written contract dated August 20, 1902, between the said John Elming and the said Lewis A. Keller; said deed to be delivered upon the full payment of the consideration provided for in said written contract.

It is further ordered that said petition will be heard at the court room of said court in the court house at Wayne, in said Wayne county on the 2nd day of February, 1903, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. or as soon thereafter as the same can be reached.

It is further ordered that notice of the pendency of said petition and of the time and place above fixed for the hearing thereon be given by publication for six successive weeks in the WAYNE REPUBLICAN, a weekly newspaper published in Wayne, in said county. Dated this 1st day of December, 1902. J. F. BOYD, Judge of said court.

Notice. The county commissioners of Wayne county, Nebraska, will receive bids for the building and repairing of county bridges from January 1903 to January 1904, the work to be done in accordance with the following general plans and specifications:

All building and repairing to be done from date of contract to January 1904. All bridges to be built on piles, three piles to each row, of such length and driven to such depth as may be directed by the county for each bridge, and where the same extends over five feet above the ground to be well braced with two braces. Caps to be 8x10 and 10x10 pine as directed by the county, to be fastened to piling with iron drift bolts not less than 16 inches long, and with iron band fastened to piling on each side and run over cap. Sway braces to be bolted to piling. Bridges to be bolted to cap. Stringers to be of pine, 3x12, not less than 10 stringers per span, and more if directed by the county, to be fastened to caps; and when stringers are 16 feet long or over, the same to be cross braced in the center. Decking to be of 3 inch pine or 2-inch oak as directed by the county, and driveway to be 16 feet wide.

Posts to be 4x4 pine, 8 feet apart, and to extend not less than three feet above the deck and bolted to outside stringer, the side and top rails to be 2x6 pine and railing and posts to be painted.

The contractor to haul all the material for the construction of said bridges from the nearest railway station in the county to where each bridge is to be built, to use ring when driving piles so as not to split the piling, and to have each bridge so constructed and built within ten days from notice by county to construct the same; and in case any new bridge is to be constructed where an old one stands, contractor to tear down same old bridge and remove and pile all the old lumber in such bridge safely near the site thereof, such lumber to remain the property of the county.

The county to furnish all the lumber and material of every kind and description for the erection of any bridges. It may order contractor to build, delivery to be made in said county at the railway station nearest the bridge. All piling to be delivered at Wayne.

Contractor to drive all piles necessary for repairing of the bridges of the county, to haul the same from Wayne, to remove all lumber from said bridge necessary to drive such piling, and replacing the same after the piling is driven, putting each bridge so repaired in condition for travel thereon so far as the same has been rendered unsuitable thereby by reason of work necessary to put in new piles. To use ring when driving piles so as not to split the same, and to build and repair each bridge within 10 days from notice by county to repair the same. The county to furnish material for the repair of such bridges as it may direct contractor to repair, delivery to be made at the railway station nearest the bridge to be repaired, except piling to be delivered at Wayne.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

Also separate bids will be received for the erection of bridges including the furnishing of all material therefor. The contract entered into shall cover any new bridge or bridge which the county by its Board of Commissioners may see fit to have built, without further advertising but shall not include the hauling of any material or piling to other points than those specified in the contract.

# STORM

Coming! Buy your Storm Doors and windows of

## Philleo & Son

# MICA AXLE GREASE

Makes short roads. And light loads. Good for everything that runs on wheels. Sold Everywhere. Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

## Pretty busy Now



Many patrons waiting to be measured for their suits, but we will be busier later on. The best work, the freshest goods. Don't wear that old suit.

## Holtz, The Tailor

SHE HAS CURED THOUSANDS GIVEN UP TO DIE

## DR. CALDWELL OF CHICAGO

Practicing Allopathy, Homeopathy, Electric and General Medicine. Will, by request, visit Professionally WAYNE, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, JAN. 15, 1903, ONE DAY ONLY, returning every four weeks. Consult her while the opportunity is at hand.



DR. CALDWELL limits her practice to the special treatment of diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Female Diseases, Diseases of children and all Chronic, Nervous and Surgical Diseases of a curable nature. Early consumption, Bronchitis, Bronchial Catarrh, Headache, Constipation, Stomach and Bowel troubles, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Bright's Disease, Kidney Diseases, Diseases of the Liver and Biliary Ducts, Nervousness, Indigestion, Obesity, Interrupted Nutrition, Slow Growing in Children and all Wasting Diseases in Adults, Deformities, Club Foot, Curvature of the Spine, Diseases of the Brain, Paralysis, Heart Disease, Dropsy, Swelling of the Lungs, Stricture, Open Sores, Pain in the Bones, Granular Eruptions and all long standing diseases properly treated.

Blood and Skin Diseases. Pimples, Blotches, Eruptions, Liver spots, Falling of the hair, Eczema, Throat ulcers, Bone pains, Bladder troubles, Weak back, Burning urine, Passing urine too often. The effects of constitutional sickness or the taking of too much injurious medicine receive searching treatment, prompt relief and a cure for life.

Diseases of Women as Irregular menstruation, Falling of the womb, bearing down pains, Female displacements, Leuk of actual tone, Leucorrhoea, Sterility or barrenness, second Dr. Caldwell and she will show them the cause of their trouble and the way to recover.

Consult her while the opportunity is at hand.

# Business and Professional

LARISON & JEFFREY, BARBERS. Shop on east side Main Street, second door south of Davies' bookstore.

J. J. WILLIAMS, Physician and Surgeon, Office over Wayne National bank.

VOLPP BROS., Central Meal Market. Fresh and salt meats constantly on hand. Fish, oysters and game in season.

EDWARD S. BLAIR, M. D., Wayne, Nebraska. Office in Wayne National Bank Building. Residence first house west of the Baptist church.

STRAHAN & WARNOCK, Palace Livery Stable. On Second Street, one-half block east of Boyd House.

C. M. CRAVEN, Photographer. WAYNE, NEBRASKA

E. CUNNINGHAM, Auctioneer. Rates reasonable, satisfaction or no trade. Office in Republican building.

ROE & FORTNER, Meat Market. On Second street one-half block west of Main. Fresh and salt meats, poultry and fish.

E. R. SURBER, Real Estate, Loans and Insurance. Office over Wayne National bank.

I. W. ALTER, Bonded Abstractor. Writes insurance and makes collections. Office opposite Love hotel.

PROF. R. DURRIN, Marble and Granite Works. Handles all kinds of marble and granite, and turns out monumental work in an artistic manner.

A. R. DAVIS, Lawyer, WAYNE, NEBRASKA

A. A. WELCH, Attorney at Law. Office over Citizens Bank. Legal business entrusted to us will receive careful attention.

W. D. HAMMOND, Veterinary Surgeon. Office at Jones' livery barn.

F. M. THOMAS, Osteopathic Physician. Graduate of the American school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo. In office over Orth's drugstore. Except Tuesday and Friday when in Windsor. No knife! No drugs!

T. B. HECKERT, Dentist. Office over P. L. Miller's Grocery, on Main Street.

## John S. Lewis, jr.



## HARNESS and SADDLERY

Keeps the best harness and saddlery in town.

Keeps the best harness and saddlery in town.

Keeps the best harness and saddlery in town.