

NOTICE. All persons indebted to the undersigned, who are unable to liquidate the same prior to the 1st day of January, 1872, are requested to call and adjust their accounts by giving a note.

DECEMBER 19, 1871. Everybody is getting ready for the holidays.

A passenger coach on the Kansas City, St. Joe and C. R. R. ran on the track near Council Bluffs last Saturday morning. Fortunately no one was injured.

As Mr. Edward, of Waterloo, was attempting to cross the Platte on the ice last week, near Fremont, his team broke through and were drowned.

Major A. L. Hopkins, Superintendent of the Kansas City, St. Joseph and Council Bluffs Railroad, was married on Thursday morning last, at Cleveland, Ohio, to Miss Brock, the daughter of an Episcopal clergyman of that city.

The Fremont Tribune intimates that the U. S. Attorney, or "some other man," will soon need looking after.

Breed & Fallon have changed the name of the City Hotel to the National Hotel, and are now prepared to accommodate customers in good style.

Latest Advice from Washington indicate that a local collector of internal revenue will be appointed for this city, unless the "pay in advance" system is adopted.

Gov. Campbell has vetoed the bill abolishing female suffrage in Wyoming Territory, and it failed to pass over his veto. Female suffrage, therefore, remains a fixture, for the present, in Wyoming.

Between two and three inches of snow fell here yesterday, and sleighs were in good demand before night.

There is considerable inquiry for lots, and the indications are that a reasonable amount of building will be done here next season.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Division No. 12, are to give a Grand Soiree at Ottumwa, Iowa, on the evening of the 25th.

Mrs. Nickel used a rawhide across the face of a man named Sherman, at Omaha, last week. Sherman had indulged in slanderous reports about Mrs. Nickel, and she took this method of punishing him.

Hon. J. H. Warwick, who will be remembered as one of the ablest lecturers of the course in this city last winter, is to visit Lincoln during the second week in January. Perhaps our Literary Association could secure his services for an evening here. His lectures are both amusing and instructive, and he would draw a larger house in this city than any man we know of if we except Col. Sanford, of Iowa.

In making a report of the movements of grain, etc., for the week ending Dec. 4th, the Burlington Hawk-eye shows that 885 car loads of grain arrived in that city, and that 503 of them came over the B. & M., thus showing that this favorite route from Plattsmouth does more business than all the other lines converging at Burlington.

The new apportionment bill, as it passed the House, provides for 283 members, but Nebraska only gets one. An amendment was introduced and adopted providing that no new State shall be admitted hereafter having less population than the number entitling them to a full representation. This looks like an unjust discrimination against the prosperity of the west.

We learn from Stephen Hobson, Esq., that a Christmas Tree will be exhibited at the Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church on Christmas evening.

There is a rumor that the District Court will be adjourned until the latter part of January. Should such be the fact, due notice will be given through the columns of the HERALD.

The Chronicle says: "We understand the Governor has declared the seat of Hon. J. E. Doon, who has been residing for some time past on a Homestead in Gage county—in the legislature, vacant, and that an election will be called immediately to fill the place.

A statement from Mr. Tomlin, assignee of J. A. Ware, of Nebraska City, shows an excess of over \$24,000 after deducting all Mr. Ware's liabilities.

The annual election of officers of Plattsmouth Lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., took place last evening, and resulted as follows:

- Jacob Valley, Jr.,—W. M. M. B. Murphy—Sec. W. F. E. White—J. W. E. T. Duke—Treas. A. d'Allemant—Sec. J. F. Johnson—Sec. D. F. Stadler—Jr. D. James Paling—Tyler. S. Duke—Chaplain. J. Pepperberg, J. Stewards. C. W. King.

The installation will take place at Fitzgerald's Hall, on the evening of the 27th, conducted by R. W. Grand Master W. E. Hill, of Nebraska City, and will close with an address by R. W. P. G. M. Furnas, of Brownville. The installation will be open to the public.

The Nebraska City Chronicle says it has been placed upon the "official list" at Washington, and adds: "Excellence will be appreciated sooner or later."

The number of Gophers caught in this county since April 14th, 1871, is 2501, the county paying as bounty the sum of \$375.15 for the same. As high as \$38 was paid to a single individual for scalps. Gophering is not such a bad business.

RESIDENCE BURNED.

Geo. S. Fimple the Sufferer.

We learn that the residence of Geo. S. Fimple, Esq., who lives near the Weeping Water, in Liberty precinct, was destroyed by fire last Friday night. The fire was discovered about 8 o'clock, supposed to have originated from a defective chimney or from ashes thrown out, and was so far advanced at the time of the discovery that but little could be saved—the furniture and wearing apparel of the family being nearly all destroyed. The loss will be a severe one to Mr. Fimple, as he was not wealthy as regards this world's goods. His neighbors propose to assist him to build a new house.

NEBRASKA'S GOVERNOR.

His Excellency, Governor W. H. James, has been paying our city a visit for two days, making his headquarters at the Metropolitan Hotel. There is a marked contrast in the bearing of the present incumbent and the late Executive.—Omaha Republican.

That's so. No man who has ever seen the two will pretend to dispute that fact. We congratulate the great moral editor of the Republican in having blundered upon a statement which no man with a grain of sense will pretend to deny.

BARBARIC COMES.

Simon Obernuta got on a drunk yesterday, and while in that condition went home and had a quarrel with his wife, who threatened to leave him. He then picked up his little boy, about two and a half years old, and brought him down town, to continue his spree.

The mother, unable to get the child, in any other way, sued out a writ of habeas corpus last evening, and the Sheriff took the child and gave it in charge of the mother.

The trial was set for hearing this morning at 9 o'clock before Judge Ellison. After hearing all the evidences, the Judge ordered that the child be delivered up to the mother to remain in her custody, as the father was unfit to take care of it.

THE AVENUES.

From the Council proceedings published to-day, it will be seen that the city authorities have at last commenced operations on the avenue question, by appointing a committee to procure right of way. This is a move in the right direction, and will be hailed with delight by a large number of citizens. There is one point upon which we wish to say a single word. Those interested in the opening of these Avenues must not forget that the success of the measure depends largely upon the cost, and that should they attempt to make a speculation from the right of way, the whole project may fail.

Dr. Marvin, of Nebraska, was arrested in this city last Sunday by Sheriff Johnson, assisted by Sheriff Grebe, of Omaha. The Dr. is charged with having caused the death of a girl from Wood River, Nebraska, while attempting to produce an abortion. The Omaha papers are quite severe on Marvin, and claim that he left there with the intention of fleeing from justice. Marvin denies any such intention, and asks that the judgment of the public be suspended until the whole of the facts are produced. He claims that the girl had taken medicine before he was called, and that he did nothing more than to assist in a result which was already inevitable. We await the result of an investigation before expressing any opinions.

THE MARVIN CASE.

The Omaha papers contain the evidence before the Coroner's jury in the above case, which shows beyond doubt that Marvin produced the abortion, and that the girl, whose name was Eliza Oliver, came to her death in consequence thereof. It also appears that a married man, Sam. Boyd was interested in her case, and spoke of her to parties as his wife. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was that "the said Eliza Oliver came to her death from the effects of an abortion, and that such abortion was produced by Geo. W. Marvin."

Dr. Marvin was confined in jail after being arrested here, and his preliminary examination was fixed for to-day.

The Omaha Republican says Marvin was much amused and bewildered upon being arrested in this city. This is a mistake. A gentleman who was present informs us that he conversed freely with Sheriff Grebe about the affair, and that Sheriff Grebe expressed his belief that Boyd was the guilty man, and said he had suggested his arrest before he (Grebe) left Omaha, and that he would have him arrested after going home.—There seems little doubt that both Marvin and Boyd are guilty.

The matrons of Leavenworth, Kansas, have erected an illuminated clock, in order that their husbands may have no excuse for not thinking it was so late.

The fact that the only woman who voted at the November elections, so far as we know, voted for Tweed in New York is sufficient evidence of the tenacity with which woman suffrage will bring about.

FROM GREENWOOD.

THE RESOURCES OF THE COUNTRY, ETC. ETC.

GREENWOOD, Neb., Dec. 10th 1871. MESSRS. EDITORS:— It has been said that some men enjoy seeing their own productions on paper. It may be true of you.

Thinking a few lines from this part of the County, might be read by some of your subscribers with interest, I venture to write you a few facts concerning the town of Greenwood, Cass County Nebraska, which is a station on the B. & M. R. R. in Salt Creek Valley. We are so situated as to have the best roads leading from Greenwood, Dec. and Camp Creek Valleys on the south side of Salt Creek and the rich valley of Rock Creek on the north side of Salt Creek, direct to this station, and thus commanding the trade of this country. We have two Grist and Flouring Mills on Rock Creek and there is, within one half mile of the station, a site for a mill on Salt Creek with a rock bottom to build on and a fall of twelve feet in one mile on a straight line.

We have two general stores, a blacksmith shop, and a church in course of construction. Our merchants buy all the surplus grain; which is not an inconsiderable amount, considering the scope of country to buy from. As high as one thousand bushels of wheat have been bought in one day, and five hundred bushels of corn. We do not mean to boast of our country when we say we have as rich and productive farming lands as there are west of the Atlantic, but to speak the simple truth.

What we need and what would pay here is a lumber and coal yard. An enterprising man might realize a thrifty and growing trade in that line here.—The land is being rapidly put under cultivation, and where the soil is tilled in a productive section, there are barns, granaries and houses to build; and where people build now they will use pine lumber, and the nearest places it can be obtained, and of easy access, there they will buy. As for coal, I need not tell you that almost every farmer is burning corn, which would not be done, if they could get coal. A hotel and team could find food and shelter. At first it would be well for some other business to be connected with a hotel; for instance, a harness or shoe shop, either of which would pay by themselves. We need a drug store and a good physician, for people in this healthy climate are sometimes in need of physic, and there is no doctor within eight miles of us.

We think the B. & M. R. R. Co. have used us rather on the shabby order, because they were to build a depot, and put \$10,000 worth of buildings here besides; at least that was the understanding the people had who gave them the town site, or the money for the purpose of laying the town site. These things they have failed to do so far. There is, however, a rumor that they put a depot at Waverly for the purpose of selling their land in that locality, and intend, when that feat is over, to concentrate their forces on Greenwood and come to the contract. But it occurs to us that that kind of a stratagem was nearly the same to us as it was to the frogs who were being stoned by the boys—"fun for them, but death to us."

Yours Truly,

A BASHFUL MAN.

COMPLIMENTARY.

The Omaha Bee, the proprietor of which is a member of the present Legislature, pays its compliments to Acting Gov. James as follows:— It now transpires that his Excellency Acting Governor James has obtained the sanction of the Herald to obtain an interview with the editor of this paper, and that journal, who it will be remembered, tried hard to relieve his Acting Excellency of his gubernatorial burden by testifying in favor of his predecessor during the latter's impeachment trial. This great "accidental" is said to wear his "accidents" with extreme ease, and is willing to continue in his multifarious and perplexing duties without consulting the Legislature, or obtaining their sanction to such transactions, which usually come under the convenient plea of measures of necessity.

Until now we have carefully abstained from criticizing the acts of our temporary chief executive because we were charitable enough to remember that, in electing him, the people of Nebraska did not calculate to have him fill the position he now occupies. But a course so undignified as it is vacillating, compels us to question why, a few weeks ago, he expressed himself so anxious to call a special session, and as we were informed, for Omaha to hold the session, and for arranging the time for calling a special session of the Legislature, then represented by him as imperatively demanded by the interests of this State, and what influence changed his mind so quickly that on his return he was opposed to a reconvening of the Legislature, even under its last adjournment. If we are not mistaken we shall cheerfully apologize. Meantime we would remind you, Governor, that the State Treasury needs legislative relief, that our Universities are in a very precarious condition; that the Insane Asylum appropriations, made last winter, were not intended for the purchase of temporary structures, for supplying the wants of temporary asylums. Our school fund is accumulated and must be protected by law. Our State University and Agricultural College lands need looking after, and last, but not least, it is important that the various officers of State have an opportunity to give an account of their stewardship.

The Interior, of Chicago, whose establishment was burnt out in the fire, asked the Chicago Times for a puff and here is what it got:—"The most noticeable thing about it is that it is the first time that everybody should recognize the judgment of God in the conflagration. If it was consistent, and really believed in this dreadful state of things, would it not have been more humble and pious in the Interior not to have resumed publication after God had judged it worthy to be burned out?"

It is said that a Detroit girl, standing up to be married the other day, had to have her corset strings cut before she could "take this man to be her wedded husband" in the articulate words necessary to the completion of the ceremony. She was level up to the last hole, when the knife was applied the crack of the parted lace was like the explosion of a krone lamp.

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HOGS! HOGS!

We are paying the highest market price for good fat hogs, delivered in Plattsmouth, on foot. Farmers having fat hogs will consult their interest by calling on us before selling.

VALLEYS & RUFFNER, Dec. 21, 1871—wif.

Second Monthly Report of Third Ward School.

HIGHER DEPARTMENT.

Table with columns: Name, Rec., Dep. Estella Baldwin 9 9, Hattie Billings 9 10, Ella 10 10, Clara Brown 10 9, Lillie Bolt 10 9, Sarah Clapp 10 9, Ida Cook 10 10, Katie Moon 9 6, Maggie 10 10, Mary Doran 9 10, Katie Flaherty 10 10, Alice Graves 10 10, Olive Vass 9 9, Mary Gibson 10 9, Etta Johns 9 10, Nettie Johnson 9 10, Karis 10 9, Elizabeth Kennedy 9 10, Adie Lockhart 9 6, Nellie Micklewait 9 10, Lena Munde 9 9, Mary Murphy 9 10, Jane Miller 9 9, Jennie 8 10, Mabel Newcome 8 8, Louisa Reinbacke 9 10, Nannie Tibby 9 9, May Vass 9 10, Martha 9 10, Nannie 10 10, May West 8 10, Willie Watersteen 9 10, Maggie 7 10, Amel Abel 9 9, Frank Conn 8 10, Edward Cagney 8 10, Turner Dodge 8 9, Jas. Duran 9 9, Wm. Doon 10 6, Geo. Edgerton 9 10, Freddie Eaton 8 7, Willie Gibson 10 10, Alice Gibson 10 10, Patrick Kennedy 9 9, Albert Knapp 6 9, Raigford 9 10, Phil's Mahoney 9 9, Jas. Mahoney 7 5, Frank Morgan 10 9, Chas. Mitchell 9 10, Clarence Newcome 9 9, Lafayette O'Neil 9 6, Geo. 9 9, Walter Pailing 9 9, Irving Kahlis 8 9, Albert Reinbacke 8 9, Willis Sharp 8 8, Lee 9 9, Clarence Straight 9 10, Clarence Viaton 7 8.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Table with columns: Name, Rec., Dept. George Beck 8 9, John Crosby 7 9, Hubert Crosby 9 10, Alice Darrington 8 8, George Darrington 9 10, Gilbert DeJage 10 10, Eddie Doran 9 9, Ernest Edison 7 10, Willie Edgerton 8 9, Willie Fox 9 10, Benmie Gibson 8 9, Charlie Guthay 9 7, Freddie Hathaway 10 10, Michael Heac 9 10, Martin Heac 8 9, Willie Heac 8 10, George Knapp 10 10, John Kinnaman 8 10, Charlie Kinnaman 9 10, Felix Kennedy 9 10, George K. Shoff 8 8, John McDonough 8 9, Samuel May 8 10, Freddy Meek 8 8, Charlie Miller 7 10, John Murphy 8 8, Frank O'Neil 7 10, Louie O'Neil 9 10, Augusta Reinbacke 7 8, Frank Rankin 6 6, John Rankin 6 6, Robert Vass 7 10, Thaddey Whittier 7 8, Emma Aiby 10 7, Bessie Barker 8 10, Maggie Conroy 6 10, Katie Darrington 8 9, Alice Eaton 9 9, Laura Finney 8 8, Tilly Lehmann 7 9, Olive Knapp 8 10, Ella Kennedy 8 10, Hannah Miller 7 10, Mattie Mark 8 10, Katie McDonough 8 10, Alice Moore 8 9, Ada Moore 7 8, Phoebe Midaugh 6 8, Alice Murphy 6 7, Mary Porter 7 9, Ellen Parker 9 9, Ella Parker 9 9, Mary Phelan 6 7, Laura Reinbacke 8 10, Lucy Smith 7 8, Eliza Smith 6 8.

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ABOUT THAT FREEZING.

STOVE CREEK, NEB., Dec. 15, '71. MR. EDITOR HERALD:—I noticed in the HERALD of the 15th, under the title of "A Family Frozen to Death," a statement said to have been made by one Alfred Peyer, of this county, in reference to the freezing of said family, and that said Peyer had just returned from the Republican, and thereby conveying the idea to the reading public that he, by that means, was good authority for the statement. As to the truth of the statement about the freezing, I do not know. It may be so, and it may not; but this I do know: That the Alfred Peyer, of Stove Creek, has not been to the Republican this year, nor anywhere in that direction farther than Lincoln and vicinity. He lives within one mile of me, and I know he has not been absent on such a journey this winter. Such reports, if true, call for our sympathies; but if false, have the tendency to discourage immigration, and have had a bad effect generally, and should be indignantly repelled by every honest and truthful man.

J. A. KENASTON.

[We did not learn the facts as stated in our former article direct from Mr. Peyer, but from the person to whom he related the circumstances, should there be any mistake on the part of our informant, Mr. Peyer will be entitled to a full hearing.—Ed. HERALD.]

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL MEETING, Dec. 16, '71.

Council met in regular session. Present—The Mayor, Aldermen Dartery, Cushing, Shannon, Fitzgerald, Erhart, and Clerk and Marshal.

The Journal of the preceding meeting read and approved.

The petition in regard to the city appropriating \$150.00 for a certain book, was presented, and

On motion, the Clerk and Mayor were instructed to draw an order on the Police Fund for the amount, subject to the order of said company or agent; said amount to be paid when the books are delivered to the city—upon which a vote was taken with the following result:—

Ayes, Buttery, Cushing, Shannon, Erhart; Noes, none. Motion carried.

The following accounts were then presented, and on motion, allowed: To M. W. Morgan, \$65.00, on Police Fund, for services as Marshal, one month.

To M. L. White, \$69.15, on Police Fund, for services as Mayor, &c.

On motion, the Clerk was instructed to draw an order on the Police Fund in favor of W. J. White, for \$25.00.

It was then moved that a committee of three (3) be appointed, consisting of one member from each ward, to instruct the city Engineer to make a survey and to procure the right of way for Chicago, Washington and Lincoln Avenues.—Said committee was appointed, as follows: Cushing, Fitzgerald and Buttery, to report at the next regular meeting.

On motion, J. W. Shannon was added to said committee.

On motion, Council adjourned. Attest, M. L. WHITE, Mayor, R. H. VANATTA, City Clerk.

THE LEGISLATURE.

There seems to be a variety of opinions on the question of a session of the Legislature this winter; some claiming that there is no need of one, others that it is all important to hold a session, some claiming that the adjournment of last winter was to the 21st day of January, and others that it was no adjournment at all, but a complete flattening out of the whole concern; in fact, it would be difficult for any one not personally acquainted with all the facts to determine anything about it. Acting Gov. James had about determined at one time (so we are informed) to call an extra session, but he has now determined not to do so. This leaves the whole matter in chaos, with no two men holding the same ideas of the "situation." As a help out of this dilemma, it seems to us that the Legislature should meet at the capital on the 21st of January, in accordance with the adjournment as claimed, whether it was a valid adjournment or not, and then there decide among themselves, as the representatives of the people, whether a session is needed, and upon what subjects they desire to legislate if a session should be determined upon; then let Acting Governor James issue a call embracing the subjects determined upon by the members, unless they feel disposed to do the necessary work without pay. There is no question but the Court of Impeachment was properly adjourned until the 21st day of January, 1872, and those members who assemble at that time have the power to adjourn from day to day and send for absentees; neither is there any question but the Legislature has the right to assemble and legislate upon whatever subjects the members may see fit, in accordance with the constitution. There are subjects upon which legislation is needed; but what they are, and how had the legislation is needed, we leave entirely to the members, believing them to be fully qualified as judges of the matter.

HOW IS THIS?

The State Legislature is authority for the statement that the Omaha Republican, (edited by the great MORALIST, Mr. Thomas) sent in a bill against the State of Nebraska for \$6,000 for publishing his acting Excellency's Thanksgiving proclamation. Does this account for some of "the milk in the cocoanut"?

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STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

MEETING, Dec. 15, 1871.

The following is a list of the officers and members of the State Board of Agriculture: R. W. FURNAS, President. J. S. MORTON, Vice Presidents. J. T. ARLAN, Secretary. D. H. WHEELER, Secretary. L. A. WALKER, Treasurer.

The following are for one year: O. P. Mason, D. S. Parmelee, J. S. Morton, C. H. Walker, J. W. Johnson, J. H. Walker, J. M. Young, Chas. Childs, J. T. Clark, Geo. F. Thomas, Geo. L. Miller, C. A. Elsworth, J. D. Moore, C. H. Winslow.

The following are for one year: D. H. Wheeler, J. W. Shannon, Oliver Harmon, John Mutz, R. D. Simpson, M. Vandeventer, John Ewing, John L. Carson, F. A. Tiedel Jr., H. P. Coolidge, J. T. Allan, Geo. B. Graff, C. F. Eckart, F. M. Dinny.

A nice Holiday present, a fine Photograph and frame! Go to Carruth's Gallery and examine specimens.

Two or three colored gentlemen who had partaken freely of the "minstrel's" last evening, went through their boarding house window, thinking it was the door. It does have that effect on some people.

Carruth makes fine Rebrandt Photographs. dec4d&w1m

The Lincoln Journal says:—"The editor of the Omaha Tribune, &c., finds it necessary to write a column or so occasionally to prove that he is and always has been a Republican. He reminds us of men who were obliged during the war to 'tole around' certificates of their loyalty to the government, and never ventured abroad even in Nebraska or Pennsylvania, without a pocket full of them."

If you want to send for your friends from the old country, or take a trip there, go to Edward Wilson, Ticket Agent, Plattsmouth Depot, who can issue through tickets to and from Liverpool, Queenstown, Derry, Glasgow, Antwerp, Christiania, Gothenberg, Copenhagen, Paris, &c. &c.

Through tickets, Liverpool to Plattsmouth, \$58.35, and from other places in proportion. dec5d&w1m

We are under obligations to Aug. F. Harvey, Esq., for a copy of a little book, edited by him and published in St. Louis, entitled "Sketches of the early days of Nebraska City," and dedicated "To N. S. Harding, Esq., one of the Pioneers of Nebraska City, and one of the editor's earliest and best friends."

CAUTION TO FARMERS.

Don't sell your pork until you have seen E. G. DOVEY. dec5d&w1m

The Statesman says the Otoe county delegation have engaged rooms at the Tabor House for the coming session. This looks like they expected to be on hand.

Speaker Collins says there will be a session of the Legislature, beyond doubt.

Carruth makes all styles of pictures at prices to suit the times. dec4d&w1m

A STRANGE DISEASE.

Thos. Palmer, who lives at Eight Mile Grove in this county, informs us that he has lost within the last four days, nine head of cattle from some disease not known to him.

He first lost two head, the next day he lost one, but yesterday the disease again attacked them, and between 8 and 12 o'clock seven more had died.

He had 71 head, purchased here and in western Iowa, and was wintering them on the farm of Mr. Richardson. They are native cattle, and four days ago were as fine a lot and in as good condition as any cattle in the county. He says they have not been near any herd of "Texans," nor does he think the disease "black leg." They do not swell any until after they are dead. The disease seems strangely fatal, and fears are entertained that unless it is soon checked he will lose his entire herd. Dr. Oz went out this morning with Mr. Palmer to see if he could not do something to arrest its progress. We will get all the facts in regard to the matter and lay them before the readers of the HERALD at an early day, as it is a matter in which all the farmers of this county are deeply interested.

Plattsmouth for sale, at Carruth's Gallery, at hard times prices. dec4d&w1m

EXAMINATION OF DR. G. W. MARVIN.

He is held in \$8000 Bail for Involuntary Manslaughter.

Dr. George W. Marvin, of Omaha, was yesterday examined before Judge Porter, in the Police Court of this city, on the charge of murder, instead of abortion, as found by the Coroner's jury. The complaint was made on information of W. H. Morris, who, in the absence of District Attorney J. C. Cowin, conducted the prosecution.

Hon. G. W. Deane, Col. Savage and Gen. Wanderson, appeared as counsel for the prisoner.

Judge Porter decided from the evidence to hold Dr. Marvin for trial before the District Court, on involuntary manslaughter, and he said he would commit the prisoner to jail in the sum of \$8,000. The prisoner's counsel suggested \$5,000, as more than that could not be given