SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS

You Can Save Enough Money on

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS

By buying at the Big Store to ornament a Christmas Tree and fill the stockings of every child in the house: These special prices all through the store present great opportunities to economical people. Agents for Butterick patterns.

Thursday Bargains

GRAND CHIFFON SALE.

1,000 yards of the very finest quality Chiffons, Mouslin le Soie and Liberty Silk, full width, regular price 8oc and \$1

On Sale Thursday—

NEW BOOKS.

The New Oxford, a beautiful gilt top book, only 17c. Quo Vadis on sale. The greatest book of the century. Only 59 cents.

MIXED NUTS

Almonds, Brazi's, Walnuts, Pecans and Filberts,

These are all this year's Nuts; every pound guaranteed absolutely new.

BUTTER SALE.

Fancy Roll Butter, 121c, 14c and 16c. The finest Creamery Butter made at 21c. Remember this Butter is the pure separator creamery-none better made-

A MEAT SALE.

California Sugar Cured Hams...... 5½c Sugar Cured No. 1 Hams..... 7½c Three Dress Goods Don't fail to call at the Cheese and Cracker departments for all kinds of these goods made.

Jewelry Department

tet of 3 pieces, regular \$1.00; our price 33c 6 yds of 52-in. black all wool storm serge, et. Sterling silver desk sets, consisting of seal, and firm; worth \$6.00, for \$3.50.

letter opener and eraser, regular value \$1.25; our special price, 49c. Thousands of sterling silver nail files and button hooks; our special price, 19c each. Gents' gold filled hunting case watches with fine American made works, regular values, \$12.00; sale price, \$6.95.

Only 45 Cents Per Yard.

| Size of the gold filled open face watches. | Boys' 14k gold filled open face watches. | Boys' 14k gold filled open face watches. | warranted to wear 21 years, with fine American made works; regular value, \$15.00; our openial price, \$6.95.

Sterling silver chatelaine watches, \$2.98.

Gents' 14k U. S. assay solid gold hunting case watches, with a full jeweled Elgin movement; regular value, \$65.00; our special price, \$39.50. Rogers' 12 dwt kniven or forks, \$1.19 for set

f six. Rogers' A1 tea spoons, 69c per set of six. Rogers Al tea spoons, 69c per set of six.
Rogers Al table spoons, \$1.38 per set of six.
The best quadruple plated 4-piece tea set,
hand engraved and gold lined, consisting of
teapot, cavamer, spooner and sugar; regular

alue, \$8.00; our special price, \$3.48. Three Facts About the Hat Department

Fact 1. This department gives you greater value for your money than any department | This department repre-

n the city.
Fact 2. That our men's and boys' winter h the city.

Fact 2. That our men's and boys' winter caps for 25c are remarkable good value, can be judged by the quantity we sell of tham.

Fact 3. Our caps for men and boys at 45c are all styles, all colors, the same some at times yesterday to wait on the doll buyers.

Such variety and low

16-in, crash at 154c. Fringed doylies at 154c. Full bleached table damask at 1714c. 4-4 unbleached muslin at 2½c. 72-in. extra heavy cream table damask at

Large size bed spreads, hemmed, 44c. Carpet Bargains

Still making the low prices on high grade arpets.
Alexander Smith's best monuettes, 65c. Alexander Smith's Axminster, per yd, 75c. Sanford's 10-wire Brussels, 65c.

Jewelry Department from; worth \$5.00 suit; special price, \$2.98. 6 yds 48-in, black all wool French serge, dust proof; worth \$5.00, for \$2.98. The place to have

Special Sale of Furnishing Goods.

Closing out Winter Underwear at prices less than can be purchased at the mills. We less than can be purchased at the mills. We are now getting reedy for holiday goods.

100 dozen men's wool sweaters, 75c.
Boys' heavy cotton hose, ribbed, fast black, full scamless, 15c per pair; worth 25c.
Children's all wool hose, ribbed, fast black, all sizes, 15c per pair, worth 25c.
Ladiec' extra heavy cotton hose, fleeced full scamless, spiendid values, 124c and 25c mer pair.

We have everything worth having here at lower pairs.

per pair. Ludies' combination suits 50c, worth 75c Ladies' combination suits 75c and \$1.00 ecial value. Children's wool mittens, 10c per poir. Ladico' wool mittens, 10c, 124c and 15c.

Ladies' two-button clasp kid gloves, 75c 1,000 pounds zephyr, all colors, 31/2c per

Toy Department

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

stores sell for 75c.

P. S.—Thursday is the day; Hayden's the place.

Linens, Towels, Sheeting
Large size towels, colored border, at 2%c.

16-in, crash at 1%c.

want on the doll buyers.

Such variety and low prices were not expected by most but it kept the boys busy wrapping up the dolls.

Never in the history of our long business were the early buyers so numerous.

Why, last Saturday nearly all our big supply of sieds were sold and there were a big lot of them. We have since contracted for a corload by telegrams and they are now on the way. Look out for them when they come. The finest display of albums in Omaha. The new novelties in celluloids are attracting a great deal of attention.

great deal of attention.

Christmas tree ornments are a show by themselves, and such prices within the reach of all: 1c, 3c, 5c, 10c each; candles, 5c box; candle holders, 10c dozen. The latest and best wheel barrows, 15c dozen. The latest and best wheel barrows, 15c and best wheel barrows, 15c laundry sets. Two-wheel carts, 5c; tops, 5c; laundry sets, 25c; checker boards, 5c, 10c; whole railread

The place to buy useful Holiday Goods.

We are now selling a colored St. Cecilia, framed, at 25c each.

Other framed pictures, in neat gilt frames, wit) mat, at 85c and 95c each. Oil Paintings, framed, at 40c and 50c. Medalicos, the latest, at 25c, 35c and 45c.

ROCKERS.
Oak, cobbler seat Rocker at \$1.75. Mahogany Rocker, upholstered in fancy ve-

We have everything worth having here at a lower price than usual, and the goods are all A 1 as to style and finish.

Hardware, Stoves and House Furnishing Dept.

Here are a few things Saota Claus ought to bring you: Rursia Iron Tight Air Stove, lined with Rund Cak 14-inch Heater, best stove made—we sell them for \$1.95
Round Cak 14-inch Heater, best stove made—we sell them for \$7.95
Ladica Skates, all sizes 60id steel 26c Our Skates all have the patent double screw odjustable clamps. Come and see them. Finest Air Riffe made, all nickel plated 49c

Musical Instruments

EVERYTHING at cut prices except WASHBURN. Mandelins and Guirars, of which we have a complete stock; Violins, from \$1.59 up to \$75.00.

Mandelins as low as \$3.50. Gultars as low as \$4.5 Autoharps on low as \$1.50.
All Banjos at one-half price.
All the latest in Sheet Music.

New Curtain Prices Just opened a large shipment of new styles

in rope portieres, 6-foot rope portieres, \$2.50. Extra heavy cord rope portieres, \$4.25. Very handsome tinsal effect tapestry cur-

1 Upright Emerson, left on sale, \$85.00. 1 new upright Emerson, \$175.00. Age.

New weave, all wool, 3-ply, per yd, 70c.

Three Dress Goods

Specials

7 yds fine novelty wool and silk and wool dress goods, in all of the new winter colors and designs, warm and serviceable up-to-date styles; 115 different styles to select

25c; checker boards, 5c, 10c; whole railroad frain, iron, 25c; ranges, 25c and 50c. China to sets, 5c; picture books, 1c, 3c, 5c, 10c and 1 new upright Emerson, \$175.00.

1 new upright Emerson, 1ett on sale, \$85.00.
1 new upright Emerson, \$175.00.
1 new upright Worle & Sons, \$195.00.
2 newly row 25c; 25c planos, 15c; hobby hopses, shoo-flys, toy guns, velocipides, doil buggies, guns, special prices on our fine selected stock of Hayden Bros. basement and get what you planos in the house except CHICKERINGS, which admit of no reduction in price.

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

Come today—we can save you money— Big bargains in every Line at Hayden's

29 pounds New Orleans clarified makes delicious pies...... 6%e Large packages of breakfast onts 2-pound packages paneake flour,

fresh packed

vew Muscatel Balsins, per pound 5c Good peaches, pears, apricots, etc. 5c and Citron, orange and lemon peci

the necessities of good living at Hay-den's today after reading these prices.

50-pound sacks best Minnesota

10 bars standard laundry soaps...

A Big Sale in Cloak Dept.

It is astonishing how quickly low prices sell goods. Our great cale has been patron-



3,500 Ladies' durments Must be sold in the next seven daysshawls skirts and wrappers included in this Ladles flaunclette wrappers, worth \$1.50.

75c Ladies' black sateen skirts, wool lined, that

500 jackets, the cream of the market, the firest goods made, in astrakhan, Persian wool, caterpiliar, incorted kersey, cheviots and homespuns, all lined with heavy black satin and changeable silk; the prices were \$16.50, \$20.00 and \$25.00; everything included in this sweeping sale at......

\$9.98 20 dozen breakfast shawls that were 35c.

Ladies' jackets in plain weaves and rough effects, half silk lined, that were \$6.50,

\$3.98

Ladies' black kersey, boucle and caterpillar jackets, silk lined, strapped seams, that

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BKUIHEKS

MAKING A POLL OF CONGRESS

Sounding Lawmakers on Questions of National Interest.

NO CURRENCY LEGISLATION POSSIELS

Almost Unanimous Opinion of Senators-Divided on Arbitration Treaty - Opinion Favors Cuban Belligerence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 .- A special to the Journal and Advertiser from Washington says: A poil has been made of congress upon the most vital questions likely to come before that body at this session. The following proposition was submitted to the members of the house:

"Do you favor retirement of the green-

The surprise in the vote upon this proposi tion was in the fact that such republicans as Belknap, Dolliver, Odell, Henderson,

The following propositions were submitted legislation, involving the retirement of the greenbacks, the limitation of the legal tender quality of silver, or the issuing of gold bonds for the retirement of greenbacks, pass

It was practically a unanimous sentiment that nothing can be done. On this poll there was not an affirmative vote. The negatives were largely in the majority and the doubt expressed by certain senators virtually meant

a negative. To the senate upon the matter of annexa-tion this proposition was submitted:" Do you favor the ancexation of Howail?" Not a single straight republican was found in opposition, but Cannon and Pettigrew, the silver senators, voted in favor of it. All the leaders of the democratic party were op-

tive here were Elkins, Frye and Baker, going with Cockrell, Mills, Morgan and Murphy among the londers of the democrats. The greater lights in the republican party who lcaned toward an affirmative view were Allison, Foraker, Hale, Hanna, Hawley, Mor-rill and Hoar. But many of the senators who wished to be recorded in the affirma-tive qualified their declarations by conditions and limitations as to exactly what such a treaty should comprise and what its exact conditions should be,

Upon the Cuban question these two propositions were submitted to members of the house of representatives:

"Do you favor the joint resolution passed by the secate at the extra session declaring that a state of war exists in Cubi?"

"Do you favor a resolution acknowledging the independence of Cuba?"

The first proposition seemed to meet with the views of the greater portion of the known friends of the insurgents, although the republicans were far behind the demo-

were Belkoap. Boutelle, Danforth, Daven- MORE MONEY FOR NATIONAL GUARD port, Grow, Henry, (Indiana), Robbins, Stevens and Overstreet. The democratic leaders all favored it. Such men as Bailey, Ben-Bland and Taylor of Alabama

PROPOSITION TOO BROAD. Friends of Cuba appeared to be a bit shy of the bold suggestion of Cuban independence, probably for the reason that the first

CONFESSES TO KILLING CLAYTON.

Georgia Convict Asserts an Old Gradge Was Motive for the Crime. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 8.-Interest in the Pitts, Ga., clew to the murderer of Hon, John M. Clayton, which had about subsided here, owing to the tone of recent communications from Luther Aiken, the convict guard, bes revived, and it is prob-able the clew will be investigated. Sheriff Clary in an interview with Governor Jones told him of strong corroborative evidence of the statement that a Georgia convict has confessed to the murder of Clayton at Plummerville in the autumn of 1889.

opposition. Not a single populist, of course, favored the proposition, while Brenner of Ohio and Kitchen were the only democrats in its favor.

The following propositions were submitted

Sheriff Clary says that he has information from a former clitzen of Georgia, now living in Bradley county, that a Georgia convict made such a confession to another convict, and that the self-confessed murderer of John
M. Clayton is now serving a life sentence.

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Short end of the carload the convention then adjourned. another murder in Georgia. His name is to the scente: "Can ony radical financial withheld, but it is stated that he is a former citizen of Arkansas who fied from the state immediately after murdering Clayton. A the time the murder was committed it was considered to be the denouement of a politi-

found serving a life sentence for murder in ping another state.

Attorney Changes His Mind. CINCINNATI, Dec. 8,-A motion having been made a few days ago for the removal silver senators, voted in favor of it. All the leaders of the democratic party were opported with the exceptions of Morgan, Pettus, Rawlins and Turple.

The exact form of the vote taken upon the question of arbitration was this: "Do you favor the adoption of a general arbitration treaty with Great Britalor"

Limitation to Arbitration.

Among the republicans found in the negative here were Elkins, Fire and Baker, going

Murdered by His Companion. VICTORIA, B. C. Dec. 8.—The body of Ernest Hawthorne, who disappeared from the Silver Stream district, near Weilington, the Sliver Stream district, near Wellington, New Zealand, recently has been found. It had been pressed into a hastily dug grave in the spot where Hawthorne and a man named Stanhope had established a camp. After the disappearance of Hawthorne Stanhope taoved camp and was afterward arrested, charged with forging a check, and is now in Jall. That Hawthorne was murdered is beyond doubt.

Postpones a Hanging.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 8.-The execution of the negro, Phillip Hill, which was set for today, has been postponed indefinitely, "Do you favor a resultion acknowledging the independence of Cuba?"

The first proposition seemed to meet with the views of the greater portion of the known friends of the insurgents, although the republicans were far behind the democrats in numbers. Among those on the republican roll who voted for the proposition.

I today, has been postponed indefinitely. Failing to hear favorably from Governor Hastings upon the application of Hill's mother for a respite his attorneys took out a writ of error to the supreme court this morning and on advice of counsel that appeal acted as a supersedens and stopped the execution, Sheriff Lowry postponed the execution.

for \$2,000,000. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 8 .- At today's session of found among the positive friends of the Interstate National Guard association. General Bell, the president, announced the following executive committee: General Reese of Illinois, General Bend of Minnesota General Snowden of Pennsylvania and Col- FREIGHT MEN TO MEET IN CHICAGO proposition having passed the senate it affords the means of more direct action, and go to Washington to urge upon congress the onel Curtis of Indiana. This committee will through the fear that the congressional rec-ognition of Cuba's independence might lead for the national guard. A number of resoluto complications with Spain which the other tions were passed, among them being one asking the secretary of war to detail one officer from each branch of the regular service o attend future meetings of the association.

Another resolution adopted follows: As the organized volunteer forces of the various states are the first reserve corps to the United States army and as they are individually interested in the integrity and maintenance of our institutions, therefore be it e it Resolved, That as an association, repre-

senting the organized volunteer forces, it is the sense of this body that we favor a is the sense of this body that we favor a closer relationship between the regular and volunteer forces of the United States and that we favor all such legislation as will place the United States in a better position to maintain its position as one of the great nations of the world.

By a vote of 21 to 14 Chicago was seen legislation in 1802 and decided the railrands were getting the

considered to be the denouement of a political fight, but according to the confession politics played no carf in the terrible affeir, revenge for an old gradge being the motive given by the Georgia convict.

The state authorities say they will leave no stone unturned to bring the murderer to justice in this state, but ere in a quandary as to how it can be weed that asture lars per car load. The contention of the stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stances at least 10 per cert was held good by the railway commissions of these two states.

In both cases the local freight men have tried to adjust the matter with the state railway commissioners but one discussed. But no action taken. The manager of its interests. The clique views with composure the Armour play of buying missioners but have already in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in method of assessing rates had raised the class in method of assessing rates had raised the cases in method of assessing rates had raised the class in turned from Chicago where the He was seen agent of the B. & M., yesterday restricted to a ger agent of the B. & M., yesterday restricted in the class in method of assessing rates had raised the cases in method of assessing rates had raised the class in operator on the B. & M., yesterday restricted had raised the class in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stockmen that the change in method of assessing rates had raised the rates in most in-stock tice in this state, but are in a quandary as to with composure the Armour plan of buying how it can be done, should the murderer be wheat in the Minneapolis market and shipping it to Chicago and delivering it under contract so late in December that the freezing of the

river will prevent its shipment east. It is supposed that Armour expected thus to secure the storage of a large share of the wheat for his Chicago elevators until spring. It will come as a genuine surprise to the It will come as a genuine surprise to the trade to learn that the buil clique, far from permitting the wheat to remain in storage all winter, will ship it, all-rail, east, where it has already engaged Boston and New York tonnage for Europe. In this way the December wheat will be eliminated from the situation. The Journal asserts that the buil clients appropriate an engaged service and the service of the serv clique is engineering no artificial corner, and will try to squeeze no one. The clique beleves that a legitimate advance is inevitable in May, and is acting on that theory. Will Explore Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—Felix Saghissa of Genoa and Dr. D. R. Dinsmore of Nathey propose making through the unknown country which lies between the Omica mining district and the Yukon district. They are connected with Italian geographical and geological societies and the results of the expedition will be turned over to these organizations. Mr. Saghisan is confident he will be able to open up a direct overland.

By any propose making through the unknown country which lies between the unit of London accountants, action for a group of bolders of Union Pacific reorganization committee's certificates for Union Pacific sfock-holders:

We notify the government that the com-

CONFERENCE ON STOCK RATES

Grand Fowwow to Be Held Among Western ment, has been lodged with the United

Railroads.

Controversy Over the Method of Charging for Live Stock Shipments to Go Before a General Consultation.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8 .- (Special Telegram.)-There will be an important conference of the DENVER CLAIMS HEADQUARTERS. freight representatives of a number of wes tern rallroads here the latter part of this week, beginning on Thursday. The object of the meeting is to discuss the prospective change in live stock rates on western rail-

Until last summer all western roads
Charged for live stock shipments according to
the carload. The frieght men got together
and decided the railroad, were getting the
short end of the bargain owing to the overcrowding of stock cars. Accordingly the rates
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in the call because in this city, has been selected as chairman. Mr. Flynn
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with a view to making the near the would see the official to the vould use. and for every 100 pounds shipped. Then the be an expert in some department of railroad Ship Minneapolis Wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 8—The Journal prints today what it asserts to be the inside of the Armour wheat deal and an exside of the Armour wheat deal and an exside of the Armour wheat deal and an ex- back the live stock rates to the basis of dolplanation of the clash between that astute lars per car load. The contention of the missioners, but have signally falled. There-this month, on Tuesday of this week, was asphalt on West Farnam street Tuesday, fore the general managers of the Burlington, decidedly light on all western roads, and it If the weather remains moderate the asphalt fore the general managers of the Burlington, decidedly light on all western roads, and it the Rock Island, the Northwestern, the is not thought that the one scheduled for De-Santa Fe and the other strong lines have ordered a conference here. The Union Paccific will also be represented. The meeting is likely to develop into a strong fight among the lines, as the Burlington is said among the lines, as the Burlington is said to be in great favor of changing the live stock rates back to the basis of dollars per car load and is even accused of having inspired the order of the Nebraska State Board of Transportation to that effect. The other railroads, motably the Northwestern-Union Pacific combination, are openly opposed to going back to the car load rates and kisset on continuing the rates based.

Railway Notes and Personals.

J. A. Spoor, general manager of the Wagner signed his position to accept the presidency of the Consolidated Stock Yards company, and kisset on continuing the rates based.

Local railway Notes and Personals.

J. A. Spoor, general manager of the Wagner signed his position to accept the presidency of the will probably be succeeded by J. C. Yagner, when the proposed to going back to the car load rates.

Local railway Notes and Personals. and knslet on continuing the rates based on actual weight, the granger rallway com-missioners to the contrary notwithstanding. PROTEST FROM ENGLISH HOLDERS.

Objection to Course of Union Pacific

NEW YORK, Dec. -8.—The following telegram has been sent to the attorney general holders of Union Pacific reorganization com-

will be able to open up a direct overland

Placed in an Insane Asylum.

KANSAS CITY. Dec. 5—Miss Kate
Neal, who left her home at Sweet
Springs, Mo., last week, and who was
traced to Butte, Mont., whither she went
in the company of Joseph C. Johnson, a
married negro who had been her father's
coachman, was formally committed last
night to a state asylum for the insane.
The young woman was brought back to
Kansas City by private detectives.

| Me notify the government that the committees bid involves a departure from the
terms of its trust under the trust agreement declared January 26, pursuant to
which stockholders paid nearly 18,050,000
The committee was not permitted to issue
more than 15,00,000 in bonds for the purchase of both the Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific. Under the bid for the Union
Pacific alone that purchasing issue is practically consumed, thus violating the trust
to the stockholders. This substantial devisition from the conditions of the purchas-

ing trust invalidates the bid. Therefore the government is notified to hold the moneys received or receivable as trustee, under the committee's trust, and not as the property of the government.

States consul general in London. been requested to interrupt the foreclosure proceedings of the Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific by English security holders created a flurry of excitement about Union Pacific lief was expressed that the Englishemn were too late to invalidate the sale of the Union Pacific, which has already been confirmed by a federal court. How the protest will affect the Kansas Pacific sale, which is set for Thursday of next week, is not known.

General Office of Transcontinental Association Will Be There. DENVER, Dec. 8.—The News today has the without bread and that they must have some following: The Transcontinental Passenger relief.

Homeseekers' Excursions. Arthur B. Smith, assistant general passenis not thought that the one scheduled for Desurface will be completed as far as the cembe: \$1 will bring out a much greater binder extends by tonight. This will traffic, except of those who wish to travel leave only four blocks unpaved and if long distances to spend the holidays with a reasonable amount of warm weather is

Local railway officials regard it as a well merited compliment that Joseph H. Mc-Connell superintendent of motive power and machinery of the Union Pacific, was the only mechanical man called on for testimony during the recent hearing of the Interstate time for the application of the safety ap-

Editor Israel of the Benkleman Chronicle recently sent a turkey to J. Francis, general passenger agent of the B. & M. railroad, Mr. Francis was away and his assistants declined The express company was ordered to return the turkey to the sender. The latest issue of the Benkleman Chronicle contains four very touching stanzas on the bird that falled to bring a plas, concluding: "The turkey has failed in its mission, for which 'twas intended to fill.'

all stomach and liver troubles,

SUFFER FROM LACK OF WATER Too High for Wells and Too Dry for Cisterns and No City Mains.

The city engineering decartment is con fronted with a new problem. A number of Incompetent Chin Ecrapers to Be Held residents of the southern part of the city have applied to City Engineer Rosewater for The report that the attorney general had relief from what is alleged to be a water famine, from which they cannot escape un- TONSORIAL ARTISTS MAY COME UNDER LAW less the city takes a hand. These people are mostly Germans, and they live in the vicinheadquarters yesterday. While no statethe extreme southern border of the city, and ! there is no water within a quarter of a mile. The people depend on cisterus for their water supply and now they say that those have become dry and that the whole neighborhood is without water. A deputation from the neighborhood called on the city engineer yesterday morning and that they were actually suffering. They declared that they could no more get along without water than they could

association is to be revived and its headquar-ters are to be established in Denver. P. J. Flynn, the well known railway commissioner, who has been acting at the head of nearly a ducted to their cisterns where they could use plumbers and followers of other vocations.

The November report of the inspector of practical barber of at least five years' experi-weights and measures indicates that the ence in this city. They are to receive \$2 a

receipts of the office during the month amounted to \$87.80. The guaranty of the Barber Asphalt company has expired on the four paying districts which include Lowe avenue from Hamilton to Cuming street and three Cass etreet districts. The reserves which have been retained by the city amount to \$3,-761,31 and this amount has been ordered

paid to the contractor.

The Grant Paving company resumed laying asphalt on West Famam street Tucsday. countered this can also be completed dur-

City Treasurer Edwards has received the proceeds of the recent sale of \$25,000 in intersection bonds from R. L. Day & Co. The premium is \$1.514.25 and the accrued interest from October 1 to December 2 is \$193.75, making the total payment \$26.768. The interest has been turned into the sinkng fund and the remainder accrues to the intersection fund.

to have a particular grudge against the em-ployes at the city hall. Charley Hart of the building inspector's office was the first sufferer, and then the rig belonging to Inspector of Weights and Measures Long was nabbed Yesterday the horse and buggy belonging to Deputy City Clerk Holbrook was tolen from the alley in the rear of the city hall. The petition for repaying Wirt street, which was filed with the city council Tuesday night, has not been examined by the engineering department, but there is no doubt that it represents a majority of the foot frontage. A vigorous effort was made to secure this petition last summer, but the necessary signatures could not be secured. Now there is every probability that the street will be paved early in the spring.

BARBERS TO BE REGULATED

Dodge

Down by Orlinance.

Ordinance Contemplates Restrictions Under Which the Trade Shall Hereafter Be Conducted in Omaha.

An extensively signed petition has been filed with the city council for the regulastated tion of the burbers of the city. It is accompanied by the draft of an ordinance which the council is requested to pass and it is urged that the regulations proposed They wanted the city engineer to would be beneficial both to the barbers and their patrons. It is contended that the barbers should be subject to certain restrictions, as are the physicians, pharmacists,

The ordinance that is recommended provides for a board of examiners to consist of three members who shall be appointed by the mayor and noid office for one pear. One is to be selected from a list recommended by the journeymen barbers, another from the employing barbers and the third must be a day during actual service and they must hold at least four examinations each year. No barber can work in the city except as an ap-prentice without a certificate from this beart. To obtain this he must have had at least three years' experience and be able to satisfy the heard that he is a comparent workman. the board that he is a competent workman. The fee for this certificate is \$1 from the resident barbers and others who may come here-

after would be compelled to pay \$2.50. The ordinance further provides that apprentices shall only be allowed in the proportion of one apprentice to three barbers. on account of a conviction of a crime, habitual drunker ness, gross incompetency or con-tagious or infectious disease. The penalty for violating the provisions of the ordinance is fixed at a fine of from \$10 to \$100, or impris-omment in the county jail for from ten to

ninety days.

This revenent has been contemplated by the barbers of the city for some time. It is mainly directed at the so-called barber colleges at which customers are "scraped" by novices at the rate of a nickel a scrape. It is alleged that these colleges are unfair to the regular shops where competent workmen are employed and that they are a prolific source There is a horse thief in town who seems of skin diseases and similar allments.

Council May Not Act. Whether the city council will take any

action in regard to the resolution of the Board of Education demanding an investign. tion of alleged corrupt practices in the poice court is somewhat doubtful. The resobut was by common consent turned over to the city attorney, who will be entirely occupied with the Bolin case for some time to come. Mr Connel said yesterday that he did not know what would be done in the matter, as he had not even heard of the resolution and had given the matter no coneideration.

G. A. R. Executive Committee Meeting Prosperity comes quickest to the man thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczems. He was called a meeting of the excutive committee of the national council for constipation, billousness, indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles.