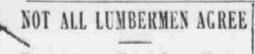
THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1904.



Frank Colpetaer Writes Letter Booming Marrison for Governor.

PROUT SAYS GAMELING LAW IS INVALID

Other Afforneys Who Have Gone Into the Case Say the Attorney General is Wrong in Ris. Opinion.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCULN, Feb. 21-(special)-It is evident that Mr. iddings of North Flatte is not to get the benefit of the endorsemen. of the Lumber Dealers' association for governor without a fight. W., H. Harrison has invaded the stronghold of the North Platte man, and his friends have taken to the typewriter to change sentiment. Leiters received in this town and apparently received by every lumber dealer in the state hear the name of Frank Colpetzer. president of the Chicago Lumber company of Omaha, signed with a typewriter. It was written on the letterhead of the com-

pany. A verbatim copy of it follows: Dear Sir: I know quite well that politics and lumber business up not mix very well, but it frequently occurs that a little mixing should be done to bring about the best re-

W. H. Harrison of Grand Island, an old-W. H. Harrison of Grand Island, an old-timer in lumber, also state senator, is a candidate for the office of governor. I feel that it is very much to the interest of Ne-braska lumbermen, regardless of politics. J. L. Kennard, W. E. Hardy, E. E. Ben-nett, A. H. Buckstaff, A. L. Hoover, J. C. Seacrest, C. H. Rudge, F. M. Hall, G. W. Bonnell and H. Herpulsheimer. The new board will meet next Monday to perfect an organization, at which time Secretary Rewick will present his financial report. Argue Bankers' Union Case.

tion is certain. This is a private letter and I ask you to treat it as such. I would be glad to hear from you with private opinion, which I will consider confidential. Yours truly. Feb. 20, 1904. FRANK COLPETZER.

Holds Gambling Law Invalid.

Attorney General Prout has handed down a decision that the gambling law of this state making gambling a felony is invalid and of no effect. The reasons given by the attorney general for his decision are the same as mentioned in this column several days ago when the matter first came up. He holds that the title of the bill is not proper, in that the body of the bill contained wider matter than was shown by the title, and that all of the bill which was changed after it passed the senate, where "t originated, was not read three times in each house, as provided for in the constitution. This decision leaves the old gambling law, which provided a penalty of a fine of \$100 or three months in jail, still in force. The county attorney of York county wrote to the attorney general for the opin-

A number of prominent Lincoln attorneys do not agree with the attorney general on his stand. Former County Attorney Munger, who fought out the whole thing in the local courts six or seven years ago, said that the attorney general certainly did not go entirely through the matter or he would not have arrived at such a conclusion.

"I have all the records, including the senate and house bills, pasted together in my | office and I not only believe the law to be good, but it has been so passed upon by the district court, Judges Holmes and Hall sitting on the case

"Billingsley & Green, who defended the gambling cases in question, raised the same point fully and briefed it to the court. After going through the whole record and the decisions of the courts on the question the two judges were unanimous in the opinion that the point raised was not a good one. The supreme court has never prohibited either house from amending the title of a bill passed by the other house, all its prohibition being to the effect that two different bills could not be passed.

cinced that the law is good. No Right in Transact Business. Arguments in the case of the Bankers' inion of the World were made this afternon before Referee Ryan, Deputy Attorney Norris Brown appearing for the state and Judge Field for the company,

Betts May Plend Guilty.

Frank Betts, who is charged with workng the jewelers of this city out of about \$500 on forged checks, was returned here this morning from Mliwaukee by Detective Bentley. Betts informed the officers that if he was given a sentence of five years he would he willing to plead guilty if not, he would fight the case. "I have money with which to fight," he said, "and will fight. But if I get just five years. I can afford to sleep that out and then live the authorities of Merrick county susy the rest of my life on what money

have. Since leaving Lincoln Betts is said to have operated in Sloux City and Minneapolis. While in the latter city, so the officers there told, Betts fell in love with young woman, and to show her he, was a good fellow, took her into a jewelry store and told her to buy what she wanted. She did and Betts paid for it with a

Auditorium Elects Officers.

forged check for \$250. This check came

back to Lincoln.

The stockholders of the auditorium as- kets. ociation met at the Union-Commercial tub rooms today and elected the following board of directors for the coming year: W. D. Flizgerald, J. E. Miller, Henry

Insurance Deputy Pierce is in receipt of communications requesting information regarding the American Fraternal league. which is supposed to be doing business in the state. Mr. Pierce announced today

that the league had no authority from the state to do business and if its agents were was a wonderful success, far beyond all at work in Nebraska, they were violating expectations. Plates were laid for 150 and the laws of the state and were subject to prosecution.

Big Vote at Primaries,

In the second primarles to nominate a epublican candidate for water commissloner, J. M. Deffenbaugh won out, defeating Hayden Myer by 318. The total vote was 1,738, which is 300 more than was cast in last week's primaries.

BOY KILLED SLIDING DOWN STAIRS.

Falls, Ruptures a Blood Vessel and is Dead in Short Time.

FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-Incent Sloggett, a 6-year-old son of M. J. Sloggett, residing at 1302 East Sixth street, fell while sliding down the stair rail at his home last evening and sustained | 1 are hard pressed. injuries which resulted in his death half an hour later The boy was playing in the front hall with his sister and said he was going upstairs and slide down the rafl. About half way down he fell, the back of his head striking the sharp front of a stair. He rolled down the rest of the way, got up, went into the sitting room quantity of clothing. Both entered pleas and said: "I must slid down the rail," then dropped to the floor in convulsions. A physician was at once summoned, but it was nearly twenty minutes before he goods were found in the possession of the arrived and was unable to give him any defendants.

relief. In a few minutes the convulsions ceased and the little fellow was dead. Death was caused by hemorrhage of a blood vessel at the base of the brain. Mrs. Bloggett was sick in bed at the time the accident occurred, and Mr. Sloggett, who and friends at a Martha Washington tca is an employe of the Nve Schneider Fow. ler company at their local office, was out Nichols. Mrs. E. N. Second presided over of the city.

Home County Gives Him a gendoff

Having been all through it, I feel con- teiling on his mother's health. It is be leved by the parents that the son is the guilty party and it is their greatest desire that he confess that they might know the truth about the crime.

> Arrested on Arson Charge GRAND ISLAND, Feb. 23.-(Special)-

Edward Lee was arrested last evening or aformation received from Chapman and orders to hold him. Lee tells a rather strange story. He claims that the man upon whose request he is held was his employer; that a son of his set fire to r straw stack and that the latter and his sister gave him \$1.75 to skip the country, n order that it would appear that it was ie who set fire to the stack. That is his story. The other side has not been heard. Lee is being held to awalt the arrival of

Will Erect a Cold Storage House.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 21.-(Special.)-The Beatrice Produce and Cold Storage omnany, which was recently incorporated n this city with a capital stock of \$200 .-990, expects to erect a cold storage building and ice plant here the coming spring. The business as at present conducted amounted to over a million dollars last year. So far this year the company has shipped over fifty-three cars of eggs since January 1 to eastern and western mar-

Program for Farmers' Institute. BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 23.-Much intert is being taken in the Farmers' institute to be held in this city March 1. The

program is as follows: a. m.—"Farm Dairying," D. P. Ash-urn, Gibbon Neb.
1:30 p. m.—"Animal Diseases and Their freatment," Dr. A. T. Peters, Nebraska reatment," Dr. A. xperimental Station. Experimental Station. 3 p.m.—"Breeching and Selection of Seed Corn," Mr. Ashburn. 7:30 p.m.—"Geography of Nebraska, (stereopticon lecture), Prof. G. E. Con-dra, University of Nebraska.

Hartington Business Men Banquet. HARTINGTON, Neb., Feb. 23 .- (Special Telegram.)-This morning at 3 o'clock terminated the business men's banquet which began last, night at 8 o'clock. The affair the repast was par excellence. Hon. J. C. Robinson officiated as toastmaster and the fourteen toasts were appropriately responded to. This was the first banquet given by the Hartington Commercial club and

everybody had a splendid time.

No Cars to Ship Grain. SYRACUSE, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special Telegram.)-Senator Charles Marshall of Douglas was in Syracuse today and reports that the grain business is Ocheyedan, regulars, Clarence W. Bowercompletely tied up at his station on account of the inability of the grain men to get cars. Not a load of grain has been moved from Douglas for a week and no cars are in sight for ten days. Farmers having obligations to meet March

Held for Robing Rooms.

FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special)-Charles Etherton and "Banty" Burns were arraigned in police court this morning on the charge of breaking and entering rooms in Peters' lodging house and stealing a of not guilty, waived preliminary examination and were committed to the district court in default of ball. A part of the

Woman's Club Entertains.

PAPILLION, Neb., Feb. 23.- (Special.)-The members of the Papillion Woman's club last night entertained their husbands party given at the home of Mrs. A. H. the meeting. An interesting program was endered, including a speech by Attorney

Car Burglars Arraigned.

Damage Suit Dismissed.

Revival Meeting a Success.

club life of a woman.

OTOE REPUBLICANS ON FOR WAIT. Mullins, wherein he gave his views of the

NEBRASKA COURT IS RIGHT

Federal Supreme Court Affirms Case Involving Enex County Property.

COLONEL GRIGSBY NOT GOING TO JAPAN

South Dakota Man Denies Report He is Raising Regiment of Rough Riders to Fight Against the Russians,

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, 'Feb. 23-(Special Tele gram.)-The case of Alvin L. Leigh, plaintiff in error, against Henry S. Green, was today affirmed with costs by the supreme court. This case was argued some time

ago. Hon. J. M. Woolworth and W. D. McHugh and Ed P. Smith of Omaha and W. H. Green of Iowa appeared for the defendant. The case came up from the supreme court of Nebraska, whose opinior was affirmed. The case originated in the district court of Knox county, Nebraska.

The effort of the plaintiff in error was to have the title of defendant set aside and to Fair and Colder Wednesday enjoin him from claiming certain bonds in

that county. Colonel John Grigsby, who was announced as having in contemplation the organization of a "rough riders" command for the Japanese service, has been compelled to announce that he had no such intention in view on account of the number of requests to join sent him. He has been receiving them from all parts of the country. Colonel Grigsby has mailed circular letters in which he states that he is not engaged in getting "rough riders" to fight for the Japanese in the present war. This letter goes on to say that the laws of Japan for-

bid the enlistment of foreigners in its army. The neutrality law of this country is correctly set forth in the president's neutrality proclamation and these laws no good citizen will violate.

Nothing has been done with the case o Colonel Grigsby, now in the president's hands. The Department of Justice has given an adverse opinion and it is this opinion which the president has under consideration. It is expected that nothing will be done until after the return of the attorney general next week.

A. D. Gilmore of Auburn, Neb., steward of the insane Mospital at Lincoln, is in the city on his way home from New York where he took Adolph Wickman, who was

deported as an insane allen. Rural carriers appointed for Iowa routes sack, John H. Pandall; substitutes, Ira Peek, Alice B. Pandell, Westfield, regular, G. R. Wilson; substitute, A. Lflly,

Postmasters appointed: South Dakota Bethel, Roberts county, J. O. Holland, vice K. C. Hillestad, resigned; Viborg, Turner county, M. V. Olsen, vice P. Hansen, re signed.

Rural routes ordered established April 1 Nebraska, Loomis, Phelps county, one ad ditional route, area covered forty square miles, population 525; Mayford, Furnas county, one additional, area covered twenty-eight square miles, population 520. Iowa Chariton, Lucas county, one additional area covered twenty-four square miles population 515; Forest City, Winnebago county, one additional, area covered twenty-one square miles, population 540; Hamilt Audubon county, one route, area covered thirty square miles, population 590; Jolly, Calhoun county, one route, area covered

Calhoun county, one route, area covered thirty-seven square miles, population 550; Knowiton, Ringgold county, one route, area covered eighteen square miles, population 565; Ridgeway, Winnishlek county, one route, area covered twenty-two square miles, population 535; Rutheven, Palo Alto county, one route, area covered forty-two square miles, population 600, South Da-St. Louis, clear. Cheyenne, partly cloudy.... Rapid City, cloudy.... Williston, partly cloudy.... Williston, partly cloudy.... St. Louis, clear. St. Paul, clear. Davemoort cloudy... Omaha, clear. square miles, population 600. South Dakota, Manson, Yanktón, county, one route, area covered forty-eight square miles, pop-ulation 51: Lesterville, Yankton county, one Bavenport, cloudy Kansas City, clear Havre, clear....

Collins, and together they will go over Tax Attorney of the line of the railroad which will be built from Orin to Lander by the Belgo-Ameri-from Orin to Lander by the Belgo-Ameritween this place and Douglas, a right-ofway between the towns having been se cured. Governor Chatterton, who is the Wyoming director of the company, arrange for a right-of-way through Douglas and depot grounds and yards, and will also arrange for a right-of-way through a numebr of small settlements and ranches between Douglas and Lander.

The line will probably run northwest from Douglas, through the Salt Creek off fields to the head of Poison Spider creek and thence to Lander, penetrating the Popo Agie oil fields, numerous coal fields and a rich agricultural and stock raising section. The railroad will connect with th Northwestern and Colorado & Southern at Orin, and may also extend a line south to connection with the Burlington at Guernrey. Construction will begin at once and one mile of road will be built per day. The line, including a branch into the Salt Creek oil fields, will be 200 miles long.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Thursday Fair is Promise for Nebraska.

-Fair and colder Wednesday; Thursday, fair

treme western portion; Thursday, fair.

For Illinois-Fair Wednesday, with snow in northwest portion and colder in south portion; Thursday, fair; fresh north winds, For North Dakota-Fair Wednesday;

Thursday, cloudy and warmer, probably snow. For Wyoming-Fair Wednesday and

Thursday. For Montana-Fair Wednesday; mow in

northwest portion and warmer in northeast portion; Thursday, cloudy, probably snow in north and west portions.

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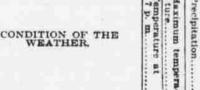
Local Record.

OFFICE OF "THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Feb. 23 -- Official record of tem-perature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the past three years: years:

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Normal temperature Excess for the day

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.



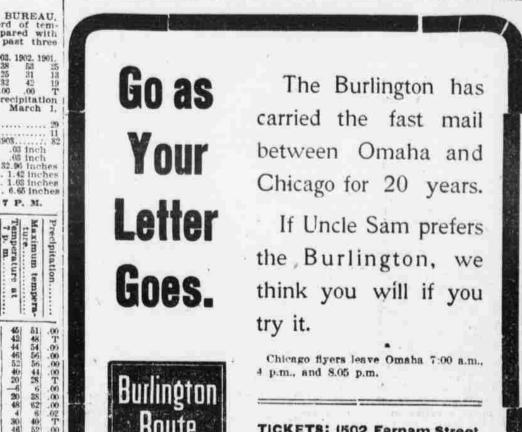
Southern Pacific R. R. Mr. Dana A. Rose of 74 W. 85th St., New York City, Suffered Intensely from Pleurisy and Pneumonia; He Used Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey and in a Short Time Gained 25 Pounds. His Only Medicine During that Time Was

PURE MALT

Mr. Rose was stenographer to Mr. C. P. Huntington and to Mr. J. E. Gates, vice president Southern Pacific railroad, and later was private secretary to Mr. Charles Crocker, president of the Southern Pacific Kallroad of California. He was tax attorney for the Southern Pacific Railroad and also locks after sev-eral large estates in the same capacity in the City of New York. I was suffering from a severe attack of unsumonia, had pleurisy in my side and



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TICKETS: 1502 Farnam Street.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 .- Forecast: For Nebraska, South Dakota and Kansas For Iowa-Fair Wednesday; colder in ex-

WHAT TEA DOES TO RHEUMATICS.

When you next take tea, think of this. Tea contains 175 grains of Uric Acid in every pound.

Meat contains only five to seven grains. Rheumatism is Urio Acid in the blood. Uric Acid accumulates from food when the digestive apparatus cannot create enough Alkaline elements (like soda) to neutralize it.

This Acid collects ures, or worn-out waste matter, from the system. That Urea enters the blood when Alkaline action has not previously dissolved it. By and by the waste matter reaches the

joints and muscles; through circulation of the blood. There it gradually deposits in solid par-

ticles, like granulated sugar. These solid particles grind between the

oints and muscles at every movement. This grinding causes irritation and pain. These in turn may develop inflammation

and swelling. That inflammation bestirs Nature to help herself. She proceeds to coat the hard Uric particles over with cushions of pulpy mucous, like the first healing strata of an outer

This pulpy covering grows to the bones, as well as to the particles deposited. There it hardens like plaster or sealing wax. Then we have "bony joints," almost inflexible. and usually fixed in a bended position, from the pain and inflammation.

That is Rheumatiam at its worst. It is bad enough before it gets that far.

There is but one sure way of curing Rheumatism. The first step is to neutralize the Urio Acid already in the system. Next, to dissolve, and carry away, the hard deposits that grind between the joints. Then get the digestive apparatus into such healthy condition that it will, unaided, produce less Uric Acid, and more Alkalines, This is what doctors generally have failed to do.

It is what I studied a lifetime to accomplish, and achieved only after many failures and thousands of experiments.

At last I found, in Germany, a Solvent which was not only effective, but absolutely safe to use.

Few agents powerful enough to be effective in Rheumatism are safe. My discovery, now called "Dr. Shoop's

Rheumatic Cure," acts directly, but inter-nally, upon Uric Acid in the joints and muscles It dissolves, and carries off, the painful

deposits, producing an immediate Alkaline condition of the blood, and neutralizing the Acid in it which would have fed the Rheumatism and extended the disease.

It won't restore bony joints to flexibility, and it con't undo, in a week, the damage caused by years of rheumatic condition. But it will benefit every case, and it will entirely ture most cases of Rheumatism. So sure am I of this, that I will supply Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure, to any sick one who writes me for it, on a month's trial, at my riss.

if it succeeds, the cost to him is only \$5.50 for the six bottle treatment.

see for the six bottle treatment. If II falls, I bear the whole cost myself. And-he alone shall be the judge-shall incide who shall pay. Surely you will not continue to suffer when you can thus get well, at my risk I have written an important Treatise on the unmatism, telling of its relief and cure. It is free to Rheumatic people. Write me a post card for it today. Address, Dr Shoop, Eox Solo, Racine, Wis.

T. S.-Simple cases orten yield to one bottle of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Curs. (Druggists \$1). But all druggists do not supply it on a month's trial. You must write to me for hat. C. L S.

for Secretary of State. SYRACUSE, Neb., Feb. 23. -(Special Tele-NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Spegram.)-The Otoe county republican concial.)-The two men arrested in the Union vention to select delegates to the state and Pacific yards here for breaking into a congressional conventions will meet here merchandise car plead not guilty to the March 18, according to the decision of the charge and will have their hearing at the county central committee in session here. next term of the district court. From in-Another convention for the nomination of formation received by the local police county and legislative ticket will be held these men are thought to be old offenders

later. Addison Walt of this county was and to have each served terms in other ndorsed by the central committee for secstates for various crimes. retary of state. Representative Jones of Dunbar and Postmaster Frank McCartney NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Speof Nebraska City were present

cial.)-The case of Mrs. Bell against George PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb. 23.--(Special.) -At a meeting of the Cass county repub-Conklin for defamation of character, which lcan central committee in Louisville it was caused a sensation here at the time the decided to hold two county conventions suit was filed, was dismissed in the district this year. The first will be held in Weepcourt today. Conklin is now in an insane asylum and the defendants to the suit ing Water March 19, and the other later. The primaries will be held on March, 12. would probably have alleged insanity at The duties of the convention will be to the time the action in the suit was based select delegates to the congressional con-

vention to be held in Lincoln on March 22 and to the state convention to be held at the same place on March 28.

committee consisting of W. H. Kidd,

J. Coliman and J. E. Lang was ap-

cointed to prepare articles of incorpora-

tion and bylaws and report at the next

meeting of the club. The employment of

secretary was discussed, but no action

taken. The matter of a new Burlington

depot was discussed at length, and it was

the almost unanimous opinion that the

club should make a request of the rall-

road company for a new depot at this

One Murder Case in Hall.

will probably come to trial: William Tur-

ley on the charge of the murder in the

first degree of Norman T. Bliss, and Otis

Sanders on the charge of hog stealing.

The Turley case is one in which there

has been great public interest. It was

tried in October last and the jury stood

eleven for manslaughter and one for ac-

quittal. The story of the murder in brief

is that Turley one afternoon saw Bliss

driving Turley's hogs from Bliss' corn-

pile and stabbing a few of them with a

pitchfork. Bliss' son was with him and

Turley's son and another lad with Tur-

ley. Turley's defense was that he was

compelled to shoot Bliss, who had no

weapon other than a pitchfork, in self

Mother Visits Son in Jail.

RED CLOUD, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-

defense

church are on their second week of re-Beatrice Commercial Club Meets. vival services conducted by Rev. F. E BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-Miller, an evangelist from Chicago. It called meeting of the directors of the has been a number of years since there Beatrice Commercial club was held last has been a great revival in that church, wening. The meeting was enthusiastic but every night from the first there have and the talk showed that the board is been penitents at the altar. ready to do the active work of the club.

Going Out of Business.

OSCEOLA, Neb., Feb. 28.-(Special.)-H. Scott is closing out his large stock of dry goods at auction. Mr. Scott has been suffering from ill health for a long time and feels that if he can dispose of his large stock he will have more time to rest and refresh himself. He has been in business here for nearly a quarter of a century.

Farmers Will Build.

point. The president was instructed to SCHUYLER, Neb., Feb. 23 .- (Special)write to the officials of the road, calling their attention to the urgent need of a 'he Bohemian Turners' society, Tel Jed new depot. It was announced at the meet-Sokol, has purchased a lot 55x122 and will erect thereon during the coming year a ing that the merchants had agreed to ofbuilding adapted to all the needs of the fer special bargains on the day the farmsociety as Turners, together with room in which may be held all of their social and ers' institute is to be held here, March 1. This is done to encourage country trade. The board also extended an invitation to festival entertainments. citizens of Beatrice and Gage county to

Annual G. A. R. Banquet,

attend the institute. The meeting adjourned subject to call of the president. GENEVA, Neb., Feb. 23-(Special.)-Last light Wilson post, Grand Army of the Republic, held its annual camp fire in GRAND ISLAND, Feb. 23 .- (Special.)-Masonic hall, while the Woman's Relief The spring season of "district court will orps served supper all evening in the banquet hall. open on Monday with but fifty-five civil The speaker for the evening was Rev. Abbott, whose subject was cases, none of any great importance and "Washington." A double quartet sang but five criminal cases, of which only two

and there were several recitations.

Business Change at Auburn, AUBURN, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-Thompson & Perry, the proprietors of the largest department store in Auburn, have sold the grocery and hardware department to Thomas W. Eustice, who at once assumed control. Mr. Eustice, until a few weeks ago, was a member of the drug firm of Eustice & Cline.

Crab Orchard Depot Bobbed.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-The Burlington depot at Crab Orchard was broken into one night recently and six boxes containing jugs of liquor were The packages were consigned to stolen. as many people and whre in charge of the Adams Express company. There is no clue

as to who did the work.

for the first time since the imprisonment Mules Brought High Price. of Frank Barker, the alleged double mur-BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)lever, his mother visited him this after-A team of mules, probably one of the noon, and the meeting was one of great finest in Gage county, was sold yesterday sorrow to the stricken mother and her afternoon on the strets here for \$235 by evidence of grief was great. The pris-oner was as unconcerned as could be and breaking price in this section for mule showed no sorrow at the trouble which is fiesh.

route, area covered forty-nine square miles, Bismarck, clear, Galveston, clear, opulation 520; Marion, Turner county, two additional, area covered eighty square miles, population 1,060; Tabor, Bon Homme county, one additional, area covered fortynine square miles, population 595; Utica, Yankton county, one route, area covered

forty-five square miles, population 575. FORMER NEBRASKAN DISAPPEARS.

Girl Has Been Missing from Asylum Since Early in February.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.-(Special Telegram.)-The police today began a search for Eliza Sams, a feeble-minded woman 22 years old, who escaped from St. Vincent's orphan asylum on February 12, taking her baby girl. The young woman left the institution a month after the baby was born and the hospital authorities have found she has visited none of her friends. They declare they do not know how she escaped.

Mrs. Henrietta Cook, 3150 Halstead street, cared for the girl before her admission to OSCEOLA, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-The the asylum and said Miss Sams had degood people of the Methodist Episcopal clared she would commit suicide unless she were allowed to return to Nebraska, where she had been an inmate of the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children.

Masons Observe Holiday.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-The Tecumseh lodge of Masons held a delightful Washington party at their temple last evening. A literary program was carried out, and a banquet followed. The function was much enjoyed by those present.

Starch Factory at Work.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Feb. 23 .- (Special.)-The Argo starch factory commenced operations today and will begin grinding corn Thursday. The full force will be employed by March and a steady run of many ionths is expected.

District Court in Johnson County. TECUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-District court convened in this county today with Judge J. H. Babcock of Beatrice on the bench. The docket is made up of thirty-three civil and one criminal case

Appoints Deputy District Clerk, TECUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 23.-(Special.)-Clerk of the District Court W. A. Campbell of this county has appointed as his deputy Colonel J. S. Dow of this city,

BELGIAN COMPANY READY TO WORK.

Governor of Wyoming and Contractors Prepare for New Road.

ORIN JUNCTION, Wyo., Feb. 23.-(Spddal.)-Governor Fennimore Chatterton arrived here this afternoon and was joined by W. H. Kilpatrick of the railroad contracting firm of Kilpatrick Brothers &



Small babies quickly grow to large babies when fed on Mellin's Food. Mellin's Food furnishes material for growth.

A sample of Mellin's Pood costs you nothing but the asking. Will you not then ask for it for your baby's sake?

MELLIN'S FOOD CO., BOSTON, MASS.

