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DON'T EXPECT "BUSINESS BOOM"

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What does the year 1912 hand in the may

This question time town reaces of tending basekers rationed turn and business men. that there is not likely to be a bootspome twee during the year limit beginning. Here Blizzard Claims One

A. S. Stickney, former president of the This age strent Western rational.

In a few months congress will take a lone vacation, the soci nill continue to proing estrayagance will socials increased production and become will as the market. W R. Ingalia editor Coxineering and Mining News:

or perhaps, I should say, the recognition his neck and both legs broken. of the seenomic necessity of so doing. This Train No. 15 is supposed to have struck labor is implied and that is desirable, but Wonderholm was struck.

Person Holds Hopeful View.

The most helpful features in the present banking signifien is that we have successfully weathered the crop-moving period, and the resulting easier tone will sooner or later lead to renewed activity both in the investment market and in general tion, and thereafter a gradual recovery of marked gains in home ownership. The recountry has not gone to the dogs, our people have not very long memories, and with 452 during the year, the total being \$300,071. again recovert their faith in the country."

ing intl. I believe trade will be stationary. inclining toward a little further contraction in those large industries, which are dependent on the mirchaect of railroads.

The money market provest is for an abundance of tennshie funds, with slightly easier money rates. Interest cates will probably be somewhat under the average SWIMMING EXPERT ARRIVES for the major portion of the year."

Lacy Prophesics Increase. Graham G. Lacy, banker, St. Joseph,

"I believe there will be a gradual revival org in volume.

financing will be obne and the demands Christian association tonight. of capital will be much as to keep the surplus funds of the sountry pretty well em- MARRIED AS YEAR IS BORN

Parating Prospects Good. F. O. Watte grysident of the First National bunk, Nashville, Tenn.;

The most neight leature of the outlook appears to me to be the fact that thoughtand pullified problems.

and hetisements, rules with the gengral live at 101 North Eighteenth street. stowing down in malerian entire, will cause ment, but as the causes disopposit cradand imaginarys the full effect of Americare production and good refer will a evailand make a good and an increasing demand for our products

Among the railfour men the sentment is not an hopeful. Here is what some of chest say

Rattrond Men Pessimistic.

Masswood Miller chargings of the Chicago Milwantos & St. Pari: The my opinion file grows und not corn-

man for the left or rured in his except the green extrement of the business com-

been larger to record to an accord rates wind of noise. Fuller regulations to the of pay given us county all employer dup me contrary, confettl filled the sir as midigns it follows that unions communics are night approached and ticklers were not were out. Some many a triffs unsteadily: expenditures which should properly be wanting seads in maintenance of way and cirustures, set excelles will show a decrease." F. A. Delago, president Watasii

"While I first that husbarn in now on nee he estimated in advance of a decision at they could accommodate. he the essentions. In the meantime, the high volume of business has greatly helped ..

"So far an net meroings are concurred. (Cantinued on Second Page)

East Not Justified, Says Frank Lyon

Musiness Man Biffer as to bu 'a tiorney for Interstate Commerce ommission Files Brief-Values of Stocks Increase,

> corres to a Tim estimade is a service of the control of rithin turns attorney for the fateratate ommission This, he indicated a solet find with the commission today the rear now under investigation. It cause he fire precessed affigurers in class fromter extent in emitters territory

Mr. Lorent Almonesca the audited from a tationical viewpoint, the presents tables. civilize the cost of uniterists last year and in several of the years within the dec ade. According to those orders of approxicontain one third of the contestals have adcanned while the remainder have either de-reased or remained stationary.

in a discousion of stocks and bonds My from mark the rate of interest on railroad bends has risen from about 2 to 12 per cent NICH TIME Jan) versial Telegrams, we compared with over 16 per cent on fouds toxined in Massachusetts and in the of Susmisses and development in the United District of Columbia, He points out that In four instances the rate of return on which opens Tuesday, had arrived in Linrattroad bonds has actually decreased since coin tonight, but practically nothing has 1901, It is suggested also that the values been done thus far toward the organization were the spinors oner weight and are of the stocks in 1910 of many of the east- of the two houses, and no formal caucus entiried to remiliteration. While some of ern carriers show an increase over the values of the same stocks in 1991 "and calls by either party have been issued, but of the regions, the weight of opinion is almost universally an advance over the there is a general understanding that meetvalues of June 30, 1904."

Victim at Plattsmouth

duce abundant traveries transferation and O. E. Wonderholm Run Over by Train While Walking on Track Against Wind.

The factor of chief encouragement in Telegram.)-O. E. Wonderholm water works tive John Kehl of Cedar county and Reprethe financial outless. It seems to ms. may pump man, was found about 8:30 o'clock sentative E. B. Quackenbush of Nemaba be generalized, as the tendency among this morning one-half mile north of the county. Quackenbush represents the

in some strongly unionized industries, as Sheriff Quinton empanelled a jury which tonight were, however, that Kuhi would for example, rallway transportation, the viewed the body and adjourned. A hearing freedom of liquidation is impeded. In those was postponed until tomorrow to get evithe great remedy is improvement in offi- dence from the crew of No. 15. The de- usually of foremost importance, is lost ceased leaves a wife and one daughter.

David R. Forgan, president City Bank of AMONG THE HOME MAKERS Satisfactory Showing of the Year's Progress in Home Owner-

ship. The progressive uplift of Omaha during

one or two matters out of the way will 17,786, all the assets of the association rep-H. Uniting president Third National resent the thrift of home-getters co-operating in securing homes. How well they charged against borrowers. Since the as- as good a chance as Morris. sociation adopted the permanent plan of The candidates for places are pushing

All Members of the Y. M. C. A. Are Privileged to Benefit of His Instruction.

of business during 1911. It will be neces- H. A. Corsan, the awimming expert who satily slow at first, but gradually increas- was to teach the Young Men's Christian association members of Omaha to swim I believe that the demands on capital during the second week of February, will will be such as to keep money at a rela- also be here the first week. During the tively high point suring the year. There initial week he will teach business men is an impasse amount of financing to be only, all the men belonging to the business done which has held postponed from time departments of the Young Men's Christian to time, and if we are correct in the as- association membership list having the sumption that there will be a gradual privilege of his instructions. Mr. Corsan-

George H. Collingwood and Miss. Nancy Morgan United as Midnight Chimes Sound.

Just as the whistles blew on New Year's counties, Brule, 2; Codington, 3; Faulk, 1; riefsis are applying themselves towards a year to the new, two young people were Yankton, I. proper solution of our banking currency taking the yours of marriage from the Superintendent Hoyt calls attention to The business in the surface and sections Houseman. These were George H. Colling. on contagious diseases there are fifty-one unanimous agreement, a decree was entered should be above the average during (a), wood of Omaha and Miss Nancy Morgan times more deaths from measles than by the court dissolving the organization though manufacturing may be below nor- of Fremont. Attending as a friend and from smallpox, and while all agree that both because it was in "restraint of inter-The disposition of the railway spa- winces was Kendrick M. Hendee of this smallpox should be quarantined, many state commerce" and because it was "atterms to recognition of the court, do not tempting to monopolize." Before the de-

LEGISLATURE TO ORGANIZE SOON

Split Between Democratic Factions Complicates Situation in Lower Chamber at Beginning.

TWO MEN WOULD WIELD GAVEL

Kuhl and Quackenbush Represent the Opposing Divisions.

NEMAHA CANDIDATE MAY BALK

Supporters Consider Refusing to Enter Caucus with Purpose.

CEDAR COUNTY MEMBER LEADS

indications Are that Kubl Will Win-Quackenbush Counts on Union with Republicans to Secure

Pince.

LINCOLN, Jan. 1.-About one-half of the members-elect of the Nebraska legislature, night by both senate and house members Democrata control both branches of the legislature, and it is a foregone conclusion that the senate will be organized along party lines.

The situation in the house is complex brought about by the division of the majority party on the question of county There are two avowed democratic PLATTSMOUTH. Neb., Jan. 1.—(Special candidates for the speakership, Representapeople once more to a complete savings, depot. The man's head was crushed and county option element and Kuhi the antioptionists. If all the democrats enter the caucus Kuhl's selection is regarded as cerfrom the reduction of extra agances and him as he was walking on the track tain. The Quackenbush followers may rethe introduction of increased economies in against the blizzard. The body was car- fuse to enter the caucus, acting on the production. A more or less liquidation of circl 100 feet from the place where theory that enough republicans would join with them to elect their man. Indications

> The election of a United States senator, sight of the popular vote of November, under the Oregon plan, having decided that esue and Representative G. M. Hitchcock, democrat, of Omaha, will be selected.

> CAUCUS SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY One-Half of Members Are on Hand a

Pierre, S. D. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 1 .- (Special Telereaction leading to an easier money condiconflicted country has not some to the dors our pro- association shows a gain in assets of \$116. cations at present are for a caucus Mon-With the exception of a cash balance of day evening, but as only about one-half the members are here it may go over till

Morris still claims the speakership, but will be required for each. are sticking to the task is shown in the Issenbuth concedes nothing and says he fact that only \$5.10 of unpaid interest is is in it to the end of the caucus with just concedes the concedes nothing and says he standing of the legal rights of the depart- between Omaha and these concedes the concedes nothing and says he standing of the legal rights of the depart- between Omaha and these concedes the concedes nothing and says he standing of the legal rights of the depart- between Omaha and these concedes the concedes nothing and says he standing of the legal rights of the depart- between Omaha and these concedes the concedes nothing and says he standing of the legal rights of the depart- between Omaha and these concedes the concedes nothing and says he concedes nothing and the concedes nothing and

beck of Spink the state affairs or rail-

HOYT ISSUES HIS STATEMENT

Superintendent of Board of Health Gives Out Figures-Diphtheria Biggest Cause of Death.

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 1 .- (Special.) -Su- that ever came before the court.

Spinal meningitis. Infantile paralysis. The infantile paralysis cases were by

officiating elergyman, Rev. Ralph H. the fact that in the last national report the circuit court to pass on the case. By quarantine for measles.

Gotham Pays Cool Million to Welcome 1911 Joyfully

NEW YORK, Jan. 1 - Special Tele-, bilarating demonstration has became so and an immeasurable volume of noise to let intl know how glad the metropolis was for welcome II.

The expenditures may be broadly divided ings of the allways during the year off between drivingables, on ables and cowbells. Of course there was noise all night, but butter of this combination. Other corpora the official ticket began at 11 on the combination. Other corpora-

The instrutions give not grown naturally broadway particularly those heads and jungling cowbells, tambourtness were found not to be in the combination.

Hore wine was absorbed, more food eaten, more money spent and more a tan produced on greeting 1911 than ever before, which is going very fast and then some. Followhere near 1981/96 men and women a substitution basic and will continue to yere at the tables of the various butely I don't had for extraord mary large cross and restaurants when the racket began carnings so sudways during 191. Of course The addition of four big new restaurants on the part of the city officials to interany literage which is granted in rates since last New Year did not relieve the fore with anyone's pleasure in extending will be of majorial assistance, but can pressure at other places. All had about whatever kind of a greeting be chose, pro- cipal fight in the tolesco case probably

> At some of the hotels it is reported that Pa Enicherbooker's cofebrated way of midnight, but the purchasers were at its lie tobacce attorneys. It is nothing mor hering in the youngster.

The demand for a sight of this ex- It was a great night.

g am -- It cost New Yorkers a cool million great that men were speculating in supper uble reservations.

before midnight merry men and livery From call in the evening until after women, wearing funny things on their and the British-American Tobacco company

> INOTTOW. "Auld Lang Syne,"

Others shouted "Good bye, old year,

vided he did not violate the law.

"I'm So Glad George Likes His Necktie and Cigars!"



ANTI-TRUST FIGHT RENEWED Man Burned to Death

Cases Against Standard Oil and Tobacco Combine to Be Pushed.

TO BE TAKEN UP FOR SECOND TIME

Against Standard Oll Attracts Most Attention, Although it is to He Argued After the Tobacco Case.

United States at the beginning of its work been a black hand attack. for the new year. Continuing its consideration of affairs of government, the court will immediately afterwards give its attention to the constitutionality of the corporation tax provisions of the Payne-Ald- his sister, Mary and Charles Boshall, an ich tariff act.

All three cases attracted world-wide attention when first presented to the court about a year ago. With the object of procuring consideration by a full bench, they were set for reargument on January 3. when the firemen e Intervening cases will sause a delay until had been subdued. probably January 5, when it is believed the Mrs. Clark tried to lead her blind The Standard Oil and the corporation tax found the girl could not grope her way arguments will follow. About three days down, and they returned to their rooms

crucial test to which it has been subjected, while they lowered her as near the ground during the twenty years of its existence, as possible. But the blind girl dropped The corporation tax cases place on trial on the picket fence just at the side of grown from \$175,550 to \$185,071. Over 100 mem- wanted clerkships are dropping out since the power of the federal government over the house, killing her. Mrs. Clark jumped bers became home owners during the year, learning of the conditions under the new corporations. The contention has been and received fatal injuries. law. While the house committee selections made that if the Standard Oil and the will await the action of the caucus, it ap- Tobacco organizations are dissolved the pears today that in the senate, Curtis and government will be forced to license cor-Brown will head the judiciary, and Nor- porations in order to allow legitimate business to be carried on. The corporation tax roads' committee. Bartine of Lyman is decision may define the power of the fedalso a possibility for railroads. Carroll of eral government over corporations so as Hand may head the appropriation com- to guide this proposed subsequent legislation. Incidentally, about \$25,000,000 annually in taxes depend upon the decision

all Suit Meat Important. Although the Tobacco case is to be ar gued first, the Standard Oil suit has attracted more attention. Attorney General

revival of business test year, much of this will give an exhibition at the Young Men's perintendent Hoyt of the Standard Oil suit was instituted in the fifty-mile physical test prescribed by authority of the secretary to prevent graz-Health gives his November report on con- 1966 in the circuit court of the United States navy regulations an agreeable one. tagious diseases in the following showing: of the Eastern judicial district of Missourt. Cases. Deaths. The federal government was the complaining party. It claimed that the Standard Oll told him. "the feet become hardened, so ernment to punish violation of the regulapany, acquired since 1899 and held by direct stock ownership, sixty-five companies. These sixty-five, it was alleged, owned the stock of forty-nine other companies, making a total of 114 companies. The govern the bankers, business men and public of- eve, marking the transition from the old Lake, 2; Miner, 1; Roberts, 1; Union, 1; ment asked that this organization be dissolved under the Sherman anti-trust law A year was taken by the four judges in

cree became effective an appeal carried the case to the supreme court.

government here, too, was the complaining party. Allies in the various branches of the have the court dissolve.

The four judges each rendered separate pinions in the tobacco case, but three of Many of the eating places gave away the corporations had entered into a comsandsome souvenirs, imported for the ocof the first section of the Sherman antilution of this combination. Other corpora company, the Imperial Tohacco company positions of it risess Trinity church and and clinking glasses disported themselves None were bold to be "monopolising" in Long Acre Square, was jammed with people with no thought of the headache of the violation of the second section of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Meaning of Three Words.

The application of the Sherman antitrust law to these two organizations involves not only an investigation into the good bye," and a few tried to rectts "iting facts, but includes an interpretation of out the old, ring in the new."-and there in regard to the law cluster around three in regard to the law cluster around three words in the statute. These words form the The liquids flowed freely for those who basis of three questions. What is "comhad the price. There was no disposition merce." what is "restraint" of trade of commerce? and what is it to "manopolize? Around "What is commerce?" the prin-To get around the excise restrictions, government claims is being restrained and undereds of strangers are here just to see all orders for drinks were given before monopolised is not commerce, according to erty to drink them whenever they pleased, than the manufacture of an article which as toro but once they winter, making the of the union. Washington, D. C. Its part with the day enter were emuplically loss, (Continued on Second Page.)

and Girl Killed in Fall at Bad Fire

In Effort to Save Blind Child, Parent Drops Child from Window on Fence.

PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 1 .- (Special Telgram.)-A man was burned to death, a blind child dangerously hurt, impaled on WASHINGTON, Jan. 1 .- Prosecutions by a picket fence, a woman fatally hurt and the government, designed to accomplish another was scorched in a fire that folthe dissolution of "Standard Oil" and of lowed an explosion in their home here to ture to prevent the grazing of live stock throughout that entire section. The American Tobacco organizations, em- day. Though the police and firemen have on the national forests without a permit bodying the greatest "anti-trust" fight of made an investigation, they have been has been sustained in New Mexico by acthe generation, will be taken up for the unable to learn the cause of the explosion, iton of the federal courts in three cases second time by the supreme court of the and they now suspect that it might have in which the defendants had caused or

The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Speer on the ground floor and Mrs. Clark and her daughter on the top floor. They had as boarders Edward Hammond and employe in a silk mill.

Fire followed quickly on the explosion which is believed to have taken place under a rear stairway. But Boshall could not manage to get out. He was found dead when the firemen entered after the flames

Army Man Uses Alum to Aid Test; No Test

Alum and Alcohol on Feet-He Can't Walk.

gram.)-Captain Robert L. Russell, judge decision of the lower court in the particuadvocate general of the navy, is confined lar case. The supreme court has granted to his home with a pair of very sore feet, a rehearing of the case, in order that the who prescribed an easy means of making rehearing will soon take place. But the

alum and alcohol to the feet," this friend upon affirmation of the power of the govcompany of New Jersey, as a holding com- that it is the rarest pleasure to walk and tion as a crime. This is made clear by the walk. When you have traveled fifty miles action in two of the New Mexico cases; you want to start over again and walk while the third case illustrates the fact another fifty miles. Alum and alcohol are that the affirmation of Judge Wellborn's the walker's delight."

PIERRE TO OFFER BIG PRIZES

City Announces it Will Award Large Hall Clocks at Conservation Meeting Soon.

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 1 .- (Special.)-The counties at the conservation and dry The tobacco case was instituted in 1907 farming meeting to be held in this city of more than \$400,000,000, constituted the or- the second to the county outside of sixty ganisation which the government sought to miles and within 125 miles of this city. outside the 125-mile limit. The local committees are busily at work getting matthem united in a decree, holding many of ters in shape for the meeting and it is proposed to make this a more representative meeting, if possible, than that of the conservation meeting here last June. The program committees are busy on the work of securing speake, s of note for the occasion, and when the names of the different speakers are announced the list is expected to contain the names of men of national prominence who are interested in the work of conservation and dry farming.

STOCKMEN HAVE FINE WEATHER

Though Big Hange Herds Are Considerably Broken, Raisers Find Nature Kind in South Bakota.

PIERICE, S. D., Jan. 1 - (Special.) -While the hig range herds have been court. broken up in this state except in the extreme porthwest corper of the state and n the reservation pastures, those who continue to hold small hunches of tive stock are feeling that nature is certainly kind to them so far this year. Early ining, and the meccury has not gone as low conditions ideal for the grazing of live stock without winter feeding.

GRAZING IN NATIONAL FORESTS

Court in New Mexico Upholds Authority of Secretary of Agriculture.

Illegal Grazing is Not Crime

Does Not Bar Civil

The authority of the secretary of agricul- cording to reports from Julesburg, Colo permitted stock to trespass upon the Alamo forest in defiance of the regulations.

Because of the belief which has been current among stockmen of some localities of the secretary of agriculture, with regard to grazing on the national forests are unenforceable, the New Mexico cases are redently been due to the entirely natural de- the first strong winds began drifting anow sire of the stockmen to assert what they along their routes and the Chicago propagly January 5, when it is believed the arguments in the Tobacco case will begin daughter. Florence, to the stairway, but rights under the law as interpreted by the and three miles long and two feet deep. courts. Secretary Wilson considers that the extending at intervening points along the There they found Hammond, who with Mexico cases will be to clarify the situation Norfolk. The Standard Oil and Tobacco cases put Mrs. Clark, took the hands of the girl materially, and to promote a better under-

Basis of Misapprehension.

ing out a permit and paying the grazing coal is fairly eaten up without producing fee was due to the decision rendered by the the desired pressure of steam. The wind March, affirming a decision of the United to keep on schedule is impossible. of the supreme court, however, was by an them were operated Sunday that the even division of the justices, and, therefore, handleap proved not much a hardship. did not decide the general question one ing, except in accordance with his regula-"By the simple application of a little tions, does not, it is pointed out, depend decision by the supreme court has no binding force in cases other than the par-

ticular one then before the court. Punitive Damages Assessed.

In the cases of Sam Cope and S. O. Cope, defendants, and of G. W. Jernigan, defendant, injunctions were granted by the federal district court to prevent the continued grazing of stock owned by the de-Board of Trade of this city has decided fendants upon the national forests. The worse conditions than prevailed here to offer three prizes for attendance by ground upon which these injunctions were Every train had to buck snowdrifts, and granted was not the power of the gov- the engines came in tate in the evening ernment to punish violators of the regu- covered with snow and ice. On several of in the circuit court of the United States the last of January. The prizes are all lations through criminal procedure, but the roads the snow plaws had to be put for the Southern district of New York. The the name, large nation of these will civil action against the owners of stock none of the route was the main the be given to the county within sixty miles which trespuss upon the property of the blocked at any time. A number of the party. Allies in the various branches of the be given to the be given to the beginning and the party of the blocked at any time. A number of tobacco business, with combined assets of Pierre with the largest representation, government. In the Cope case punitive passenger trains came in late pulled in damages were imposed by the court for two engines. Trains from the routh last wilful trespass, in addition to an award of a continuous struggle with the high what and the third to any county of the state \$75 for actual damages sustained. The but were not materially delayed to the amount of the actual damage was deter- spowdrifts. All of the trains went out mined by the finding of the court-that the from Council Bluffs last night much; on value of the grazing privilege in the time with the expensation of meeting in Alamo national forest was \$1.50 per year creasing difficulties out on the line for each head of cattle or horses.

This case is the more decisive as to the authority of the secretary to enforce the Telegraph and telephone bear connect grazing regulations from the fact that an ing Omaha with the outside world town criminally had falled because of the restorms to Petraska lown, Misseum and fusal of the grand jury to bring an in- South Dakota being cut off. The operators dictment against them. In the third of did not have much brouble with the time the New Mexico cases, however, such an being blown down, the wive largers against J. W. Van Winkle, for having he sent over them for hours at a time. A graved 1,600 head of goats upon the Alamo, all the big other of the west are connected national forest without a permit. As a by several wires of each company, all comresult of this indictment Van Winkle was incitions with Cinaba sore not lost. arrested at Alamegordo by a deputy United | Do the Western Union travels was in

Pan-American Conference

A Pan-American commercial conference. more practical and comprehensive than any trade gathering ever assembled in the national capital, will be held during the week December a light enow fell and piled in of February 13-18, 1911, under the amprices marks from Nigra city to News Entire of Colors by the Pare American union, formerly the neutric clear for gran. frifts leaving the prairie clear for gran- known as the Burrau of American Republics, in the auditorium of the new building

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BLIZZARDSWEEPS MISSOURI VALLEY

Storm, with High Wind, Temperature Below Zero and Fitful Biting Snow, Covers Country.

BREAKS AS NEW YEAR IS BORN

Increasing Hourly. RAIL TRAFFIC IS HAMPERED

Soon After Midnight Gale Hits Omaha.

Passengers Generally Late, While Freights Are Cancelled.

TELEGRAPH LINES IN TROUBLE Many Lines Weatherhound and Small

Towns Put Out of Communicetion-tity Falks Spend Day at Home.

High wind carrying biting now and a chill which reached several degrees below zero swept down the Missouri river valles extending over Nebraska, lowa and the neighboring states the first day of the New Year. The blizzard beggn in the carts hours of the morning and by day-break swept the country with a fin our cale. The highest temperature of the day was a degrees, remistered at midnight as the year was born. At nightfall the thermon registered 5 degrees below zero after a

onstant decline through the day. Traffic within the three cities of Omala ouncil Bloffs and South tumber was ampered by not serious affected The steam roads suffered considerable delays. lithough no trains were reported exceeded Wire service of both telephone and telegraph companies was rendered taln and on some connections was became MISAPPREHENSION OF STOCKMEN early in the afternoon. Few wiredown, but "grounds and corses" running Decision of Supreme Court that by the high wind put many circuits our of operation.

Reports from the west indicate increases severity in the direction of the Columnia line. At Broken Bow the temperature of to 10 degrees below zero before sundown WASHINGTON, Jan. 1 .- (Special.)-The Train service was seriously affected at

Schedules Are Abandoned. Train schedules throughout Nebraska the northwest and west have been practically abandoned because of the constitustorm. Engineers say that the snow blow-

ing in drifts along the cuts in the right-

of-way and the strong wind have made during the last year that the regulations almost impossible to run trains anywhere near on time. The Union Pacific and the Chicago & Northwestern have probably suffered most. garded by officials of the Department of according to the train dispatchers. Pas-Agriculture as particularly timely and valu- senger trains on the Missouri Pacific comable. The recent disposition to question ing in and going out of Omain have been the validity of the regulations has evi- running three hours behind schedule since

effect of the action taken in the New line to Sloux City, Bloomfleid, Crofton and ern Nebraska, which are filled with snow almost all the way," explained an engi-The misconception which has led the ness. "The snow is just high enough to stockmen to suppose they might graze their rub against the fire pane of the engines. stock on the national forest without tak- dampening and cooling them off so that

supreme court of the United States last too, has kept up such a terrific gale that States district court for the southern dis- | Passenger trains of the Chicago & North trict of California, by Judge Wellborn, western have been running an hour and Friend Advises Captain Russell to Use that violation of the grazing regulations is an hour and a half behind time. Freight not punishable as a crime. This decision trains, too, were delayed, but so few of

Freight Service Abandoned. WASHINGTON, Jan. 1 .- (Special Tele- way or the other, but merely affirmed the Union Pacific passenger trains ran an hour behind scherdule yesterday. Freight service was abandoned. Snow plows made Wickersham has referred to the Standard but when he is able to be about there is question may be passed upon by a full routes terminating in Omaha. One Union several trips over various sections of the Oil case as probably the most important likely to be trouble for that obliging friend bench and authoritatively settled, and this Pacific snow plow was kept busy yesterday clearing the right-of-way of drifts south of Valley. Another was doing duty between Beatrice and Stromsburg at va-

rious times throughout the day. Train dispatchers for the Burlington say their schedules have not been hampered to any great degree in the immediate vicinity of Omaha. The Burlington has, however, been handicapped in the north and

west. In southern South Dakota the blizzard had the effect of putting numerous "local freights" out of commission and the regular passenger and freight trains lost man;

Trains on all of the lowa trunk linus were late in the afternoon. Railread office reports received at Council Bluffs from

Wire Service Cripplesi. attempt to proceed against the defendance his hard by the storm, a number of the indictment was found by the grand jury "weatherbound" and no messages rould

States marginal and bound over for any pronounced in the center of Nabraska and pearance at the April term of the federal in northwestern Missenit. Figlit results was found in all directions, but the poince pul cities where the one or force lines. were found to be undered were Mr. Jan po-Beateron, Hastings, Organi triand, Krisney and Atlant.

On the Postal times the storm telt in the South and Denver on the west, and Burlington, Ia., on the cast. No connections BOWERT.

Dunglan county got one of the hardness