BRIEF CITY NEWS

Stack-Falconer Co., Undertakers. Mave Root Print It-Now Beacon Press. Lighting Fixtures. Burgess-Granden Co. Bailey the Dentist, City Nat'l. D. 2866. Try Flatiron Cafe everything right. THREE WEEKS SNOOZE ORDERED Model Laundry telephone changed to

Douglas 242. Diamond Loans at 21g and 5 per cent. W. C. Flatau, 1514 Dodge. Red 5618 You Can Start a Savings Account at Omaha Towel Co. new telephone num-

her, Douglas 528. the Nebraska Savings and Loan Ass'n with \$1.00 or more, 1905 Farnam street. Etta Splane Gets Divorce-Etta Splane was granted a divorce from William G.

Splane in district court Baptist Ministers Meet-At the Baptist Ministers' association of Omaha this the latter for a week morning reports on the month's work of the various ministers occupied the scs-

Neighborhood Social-Calebration of of Education, will deliver the principal address Several speakers will be heard. The affair will be in the nature of a neighborhood social.

Pined on Disorderly Charge-Henriconducting a disorderly house on South Thirteenth street. Three inmates were discharged.

Vag Gets Thirty Days-Charles Rouse was sentenced for thirty days in the county fail by Police Magistrate Foster on a vagrancy charge. Rouse was arrested by Special Officer Goff of the Burlington railway company.

M. W. A.'s Weekly Mop-On Tuesday evening the M. W. A. Dancing society will give their weekly hop at the Douglas auditerium. Their dances so far this season have been very successful, they being open to the public

Charged With Stealing Batteries-Deputy County Attorney Fitzgerald has sworn out a complaint charging Edward Raymond with grand larceny. Raymond dals was postponed at his own request, is accused of robbing the Althaus garage Commissioners Hummel. Butler and at Twenty-fourth and Harney streets of Withnell being absent. \$300 worth of storage batteries on Thanks-

Col. E. Pratt, Once Well-to-Do, Dies in Want at Age of 95

around Omaha, aged % years, at 7 o'clock Monday was found dead in a little half an hour before sunrise and turned shack at 2515 Spalding street. Death

At one time, some forty years ago, the time extended." Colonel Pratt was one of the wealthiest men in Omaha. He owned lands and lots, said City Clerk Flynn, to whom he was business houses and residences. For a talking, but the fact is that laboring number of years he conducted a saloon men who go to work early in the mornagainst him and property slipped away streets. It is darker at 6 o'clock in the from him.

Colonel Pratt was a veteran of the civil sion. It is said that he still owns the lights burning fifteen minutes later. house in which he died. Coroner Crosby from a son who lives at Tekamah.

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PROF. HUNT TO LECTURE

TO THE WESTERN FARMERS

Prof. E. W. Hunt of the Twentleth Century Farmer, Omaha, but for years connected with the agricultural department of the Nebraska university, will spend the week beginning December 16 delivering lectures to farmers of Nebraska, Wyoming and South Dakota, He will work under the auspices of the Northwestern Railroad company and will talk seil and crops, subjects with which he is familiar. During the week the professor will deliver fifteen lectures at as many different places,

Monday, Deemeber 15, Prof. Hunt will sneak at Gordon, Rushville and Hay Springs. Neb.; Tuesday he will talk at Oelrichs and Wayside; Wednesday, at Buffale Gap and Hot Springs, S. D. Jumping back into Nebraska, Thursday he will talk at Chadron, Whitney and Crawford. Friday morning he will speak at Harrison, Neb., and from there will go west, speaking at Van Tassel and Lusk and Saturday at Manville and Jirch.

All of the lectures by Prof. Hunt will be free and will deal with the best method of crop raising in the western part of this state and the high tablelerds of South Dakota and Wyoming.

ZIMMAN SAYS HIS SLOGAN IS "GIVE US MORE SMOKE"

"Give us more smoke!" This is the stogan former Councilman Harry B. Zimman believes the city commission and the Commercial should adop: instead of "abolish the smoke nulsance." moke is not a nulsance here," said Mr. Zimman, as he sat listening to the city commissioners haggling over the price of a lease of public property for charitable purposes. "We need more smoke. It is the sign of the factory and we need the factories. Omaha is not congested enough to warrant a campaign against the 'smoke evil. "

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

P. G. Scharst of the postal service of Milwaukee was a visitor at Postmaster Wharton's office. J. W. Munn, for many years with the

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Key to the Situation-Bee Advertising.

ORDINANCES PUT TO SLEEP ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

Action on Legislation Relating to Street Railway Postponed.

Council Shies on the Smoke Nuisance and Takes a Week in Which to Make Additional Investigation.

Ordinances requiring the street rallway mpany to install owl cars and fixing a enalty for the fraudulent use of transfers and another providing for abstement of the smoke nulsance were laid over by the city council in committee of the whole yesterday, the former for three weeks.

Police Commissioner Byder, who intro tles of the street railway company had written him in regard to the street car the completion of the Central Park logislation proposed and requested a deschool will be held Friday evening. Dr. lay to give him an opportunity to get Holovichiner, president of the Board statistics together to show that awl cars are too expensive.

Ryder has written to several cities and will also present statistics when the ordinances come up final passage. The trans fer ordinance fixes a penalty committee in the etta Slaughter was fined \$50 and costs the fraudulent use of a transfer, a sum in police court Monday on a charge of the commissioners who have expressed opinions upon it, regard as too high-

> Smoke Ordinance Postponed. Postponement of the smoke ordinance was the outcome of the appointment of a committee from the Commercial club to investigate and draft another ordinance. Mrs. Kimball of the Creche appeared before the council to request an extension of the lease, as the city owns the site and the twenty-five lease has expired. Formal action was postponed. The city is now considering the advisability of building a fire engine house on the site. Health Commissioner Connell was granted an additional \$1.700 to take oure of garbage for the remainder of the

Police Commissioner Byder's request for an investigation into police court *can-

Claim that Lights Are Turned Off Too Early in the Morning

Laboring men complain that the city electric lights are turned off at 6 o'clock Colonel E. Pratt, a pioneer character in the morning, long before daylight. "Lights are supposed to be turned off

on half an hour after sunset." said City was due to old age and disease incident Electrician Michaelson. "They used to be turned off an hour earlier, but we had "I don't care when they're turned off."

morning than at midnight."

Foggy mornings the electric company, war and had been living on a small pen- according to the contract, must keep the Complaints may result in an investigatook charge of the body, but will not tion. The city electrician disavows knowlhold an inquest. Funeral arrangements edge of any violation of the provisions of will not be made until word is received the existing contract and is without authority to demand, or even recom-

mend changes.

Now Up to \$225,000

S. R. Hopkins of Hastings, R. Bell of Wahoo, E. G. Dovey of Plattsmouth, D. G. Woods of St. Paul and H. C. Brock of North Platte are guests of the Henshaw. added to the list today, making a total Pipers of Blair, M. C. Roland of Norfolk to date of \$225,200. The additional substopping at the Merchants.

F. B. Galesburg of Fremont, J. C. Bermingham of Beatrice, Worth Humphrey of McCook, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Wisner and C. E. Kolf of Lincoln are at the Millard.

THE UNION STOCK YARDS.



BUCKINGHAM IN NEW OFFICE

duced the ordinances, said President Wat- Named Vice President of Stocks Yards to Succeed Creighton.

BIG BARNS ARE AUTHORIZED

Horse and Mule Barn and Also Hog Barns-Successful Year is Reported in Spite of Car

Shortage. Resignation of John D. Creighton as vice president of the Union Stock Yards company was received at the annual directors' meeting Monday and General Manager E. Buckingbam was elected to fill the vacancy, Mr. Creighton resigned on account of iii health. He will remain on the beard of directors. All directors were re-elected except Mr.

Creighton

President B. J. Dunham reported that luring the last five years the company spent \$1.009,000 for improvements. General Manager Buckingham was authorized to proceed with the construction of a horse and mule and a hog barn, which will cost a total of about \$400,000. Work of reconstructing the hog barn will begin in the spring and extend over a period of

Reports showed that receipts of livestock for the last year had fallen off 0,000 cars, the shortage being cattle chiefly. In spite of this shortage the financial conditions of the company have improved and the year was very successful.

Dewey to Fight for Shorter and a Less Unwieldly Ballot

the association, which will be held at Lincoln today.

Mr. Dewey will ask the association to go on record as favoring ballot reforms.
He favors a blanket bailot, similar to that formerly used in the state, yet one which would preserve the principle of the Austrialian ballot. Mr. Dewey's idea is on lower Douglas street. Later luck was ing must find their way through dark that formerly used in the state, yet one for a wider ballot and a shorter one, In- terior. stead of having names of all candidates n one column, necessitating a ballot s long as to be unweildly, he would have a wider ballot, divided into columns, can didates for state offices in the first colump, for instance, and candidates for county office in the others.

TRAINLOAD OF BUICKS

A shipment of 225 Buick automobiles, valued at \$600,000 in the aggregate will arrive over the Rock Island Friday enroute to San Francisco. This is said to be the largest single shipment of automobiles ever sent to the Pacific coast. They go on a special train of seventyfive cars and are all consigned to dealers in San Francisco.

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A special representative of Brandeis Stores in New York purchased at an unheard of re-

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One \$400 extra large Moleskin Victorine.

SOUTH OMAHA OFFICERS BUSY

Seek to Overturn Order Merging the Postoffice with That of Omaha.

CALL FOR A MASS MEETING

Mayor Hoctor Declares that There is Politics in Merger and that it Will Hurt the Town if Carried Out.

I'ged by a complication of desires, poitical and personal, South Omaha city officials will seek to everturn the official order of the Postoffice department bringing the local office under the direct management of the Camba postoffice Mayor Hoctor has usued a call for a cass meeting to be held at the high

chool auditorium Wednesday night. The objection raised against the order of the Postoffice department is the opposition of the city officeholders to continue in office should the two cities he annexed, It is urged that the state legislature can hardly be restrained from merging the two cities should the Postoffice department be allowed to carry out its order. Sunday and Monday morning democratic politicians with a just for the postmasier's seat circulated about the city urging protests against the order of the postmaster general. This morning emissarles from a certain politician in the city hal were sent to confer with uprown democratic politicians whose help is needed to overturn the order of the United States

Mass Meeting Called.

The following call has been issued by ne masor

A mass meeting of all the citizens of south Omaha, regardless of politics, religion or race, hereby called for Wednesday eventus. December 11, in the high school auditorium, at 8 o'clock p.m., to resent the order just made by the postmaster general, consolidating the South Omaha postoffice with the Omaha office.

South Omaha postoffice with the Omaha office.
South Omaha is the third largest city in the state and in point of business transacted is, perhaps, the largest. We are a peaceable progressive community and only ask for that which we are eminently entitled to. We believe that the enforcement of this order will be a detriment to business generally, will decrease our prestige with the outside world, and is an unjust recognition of our commercial standing in the nation.

We further believe that the motive which prompted the order is political and insincere. That it is a move toward forcinstructe. That it is a move toward forcing up annexation, a matter which should be determined by the vote of our people

The business transacted at the South Omaha postoffice is something enco-mous, 500 times greater than thousands of County Clerk Frank Dewey, a member of the executive committee of the Nebraska Association of County Clerks, will fight for a shorter ballot and a less unwiedly ballot at the annual meeting of the association, which will be held.

THOMAS HOCTOR.

Brouze Medal for Morgan.



W. D. MOORES

New Cashier of the City National Bank Takes Up His Work

morning from Jolie, III., and Mr. Moore has entered upon his duties an eachier of the City National bank.

Mr. Moore recently resigned his posttion as vice president of the First National bank of John. Ill. in come to Omaha. While in Julier he was active in assisting to bring about the cond growth that the first National back of Joliet has had the reputation of making during the last few years.

Mr. Moore has been in the basking furof that time being spent in Blooming III. He has a wide acquatomore the Illinois and Chicago bankers comes to Omaha with highest rece known of his work. Mr. Moore fills th place vacated by Mr. Hillis, who re signed to go into business in California Mr. Moore's family consists of his wiftwo boys. They expect to make

Skating Season is Now in Full Blast

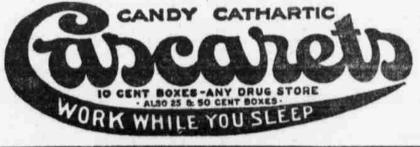
Hundreds are patronizing the lakes in the parks and every puddle large enough to permit an amateur to do the figure eight. Ice is smooth and safe in the majority of places. Snowless cold weather and little wind has frozen the lakes in fine shape for skating.

You're Bilious! Your Liver and Bowels Are Inactive—"Cascarets"

Mr. Dewey also will urge recommenda- Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten Merable. Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten Measurement Will Surely tion that certain minor offices, for in- come from a torpid liver and constipated you out by morning-a 10-cent box will like a come from a torpid liver and constipated bowels, which cause your stomach to be come filled with undigested food, which source and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery — indigestion, foul games, bad hreath, yellow skin, mental fears, every
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