### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1899.



Hanscom Park Methodist Episcopal church

spoke Sunday morning on the topic upper-

to and subsequent to the finding of the body

No especial musical service was presented.

The choir, however, selected its usual mu-

sical program appropriately and the con-

gregational hymns were in harmony with

Memorial Church.

'Magnificat," and Dyke's "Holy, Holy,

with holly and Christmas greens. Garlands

of green was relieved with potted plants.

est and on Earth Peace, Good Will Toward

Men." He spoke of the spirit of love and

humility which had come into the world

with the birth of Christ and the world-

wide tributes which are being paid at this

scason at the feet of the lowly Nazarene.

Every great civilized nation on earth is ac-

Music for the Occasion.

Anderson, the pulpit of Calvary Baptist

church was occupied both morning and even

ing by Rev. Frank Foster, formerly of the

Immanuel Baptist church. At both serv-

ices he discussed Christmas themes pertain-

ing to the birth of Christ and its effect upon

the morals of the world. Music prepared

especially for the occasion was the featur

knowledging him the king of kings.

Rev. Edward F. Trefz took for his morn-

"Glory to God in the High

door and knock!"

the occasion

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ing topic

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crispness of atmosphere to give a real "A Trip to Chinatown." Christmas tinge-not too cold, but just cold Musical farce commedy in farce acts, by Charas Hoyt, presented at Boyd's theater Sunday afternoon and evening by one of the author's own companies, headed by Harry Gilfoil. encugh. Sunday brought with it a lowering of temperature and a slight skit of snow. making overcoats and holiday mufflers in making overcoats and holiday mullers in demand. It was a notable contrast over the balmy days immediately preceding the advent of Christmas. All holiday shopping having been fin-ished, feasting is the order of the day. Unstant when the world feast more ished, feasting is the order of the day.

Willie Grow Frank C. Found Noar Heap (a waiter), and He Cliff Hoffman Price (manager of the Cliff House) Lloyd H. Patierson Slavin Payne (a servant). Will Philbrick Stillman Lewis turkeys have been sold this year than ever before in Omaha, all of which indicates that the general public is prosperous. So great was the shopping rush that many of the stores kept open several hours Sunday morning. This was regarded as a necessity and a public accommodation, in view of the fact that many persons were turned away Saturday night because the rush was so great that the clorks were unable to walt on everysome months ago Omaha has had more than body. Such shopping scenes are seldom witnessed in any city in the world. its share of farce-comedy productions and

Many of the churches held Christmas services yesterday, but there will be special have been but two or three out of the list services today in several houses of worship, supplemental to Sunday services.

sce-even on a pass. Therefore it is a real At the Trinity Cathedral parish house, 113 pleasure to welcome one that really poz-North Eighteenth street, tonight at 6 o'clock. sesses merit, even though it be, perhaps, there will be a novel scene-the feeding of a horde of hungry men and boys. The pur- just a trifle ancient. Hoyt's "A Trip to pose of the dinner is to give something to Chinatown" has been seen here a number cat to all those who have not on Christmas of times with the original New York cast. which included Harry Connor, George Beane received a square meal. That is the way the church management annources it, and and Anna Boyd, as interpreters, but never ON EARTH PEACE AND GOOD WILL there is no limit to the invitation. The was the piece given better presentation than only requirement is that the men are needy, by the present company. In fact it is doubtand it is taken for granted that those who ful if it was ever done quite so well. Cerare not needy will not apply. At a dinner tainly there was never so much fun crowded given at the parish house last Christmas into the three acts of this Hoytian satire over forty men were fed and there will prob- on widows as that which kept two large audiences in an uprear of laughter at Boyd's ably be a larger number on this occasion. theater Sunday. There have been a great Christmas services, proper, began at midmany changes made in the play since dast night in Trinity Cathedral, with midnight seen here and all seem to have been for its

communion and the services continue at intervals throughout the day. The Catholic churches have made elaborate vigor that allow few duil moments, and if preparations for the holiday, many of them one is not listening to crisp, witty dialogue, baving arranged musical programs of great

length and unusual merit. the piece abounds. At St. John's, St. Peter's, St. Philomena's, Harry Gilfoil, who heads the present comthe Holy Family and other churches great pany, appeared in the initial presentation crowds will gather today for Christmas of the piece here some years ago. He then worship, the Catholics having very gen- had the small part of a bar boy, which gave erally arranged for their exercises today in- him an opportunity to offer his whistling stend of having them yesterday. specifity and imitations. Since then he has

#### Cantata to Be Given.

graduated to the leading part, that of The Hanscom Park Methodist church Sun- Well and Strong, which was created by day school will present a cantata tonight Harry Connor. Mr. Gilfoll will be rememat the church on Woolworth avenue. The bered as a decidedly clever whistler and cantata is catitled "Christmas a Day Late," | imitator. He is now a capable comedian | Music will be furnished by the Sunday school as well and at times exhibits positive genius crehestra, assisted by outside talent of note. in his work. He is a show in himself and About forty children will take part in the can furnish an evening's entertainment cantata and it will be a very pretty affair, alone. Besides having improved upon his

Trinity Methodist church will give an old imitations, he has added a number of entertainment this evening at which there new and decidedly difficult ones to his will be music and destamations. A novel repertoire. feature will be an imitation Ferris wheel Mabel Montgomery is the widow instead

with arctic effect. This is designed es- of Anna Boyd and those who have seen the posially for the little ones. latter in the part will suffer no disappoint-The First Methodist church will give an ment in Miss Montgomery's clever interentertainment in which the story of Christ's pretation. She has eliminated all of the childho:d will be illustrated with stereopvulgarity formerly so noticeable in the part

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usical comedienne

is rather commonplace.

Omaha

The Castellar Street Presbyterian church and makes it much more modest. ticon views. ment this Eleanor Falk, a chic little maiden, full

livered by Dr. C. S. Sargent, the pastor, interesting service.

 Stillman
 William Lewis

 Tonie Gay miere of Ben Gay
 Emilie Gardnir

 Ientelle Dame
 Bertha Holly

 Flirt (Mrs. Guyer's maid)
 Eleanor Falk

 Mrs. Guyer (a widow from Chicago)
 Montgomery

 Mable Montgomery
 of the child Jesus and this promise was

the Rector, Rev. T. J. Mackay. All Saints' church was beautifully docfulfilled. "Bethlehem and Jesus Christ," he continued, "can be found today in the hearts

angels to proclaim the existence of Jesus Christ by song nor for the daming cherubim was elaborate. Several musicians of local to lead wise men to the birthplace. Today Jesus Christ stands at the threshold of every heart and says: "Behold! I stand at the

Impressive as well as beautiful.

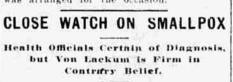
#### Philosophical Society

in the Public Library building Sunday afterneon. The subject for discussion was "Hero loading place for men who have no inclina-Special Music and Sermon at Kountze Worship." The opening speech was made by An elaborate program of Christmas music J. J. Points, who went into the subject in a can and make remarks about women who was rendered at the Kountze Memorial Lutha careful manner. He showed that the puberan church on Sunday morning. The organ lie usually picked out the wrong kind of prelude was by Emerson Harnisch, following men to worship and he pointed out the charwhich the choir rendered selections from acteristics of the ideal hero who would be Lyon's cantata, "The Great Light, Tours' worshiped in the future when real worth counted. After the opening speech the plat-The solo, Neidlinger's "Birth-lay form was turned over to the audience for of the King," was sung by Miss Frances ten-minute talks on the subject and several Roeder, who possesses a contralto voice of interesting speeches were made. The annual exceptional purity and richness. The church election of officers followed. Those elected was tastefully decorated for the occasion vere: President, J. W. Logan; vice presi dent, Miss Fairbrother; secretary, Will Felwere hung about the pulpit, while the bank ber; treasurer, C. M. Burgess,

#### Santa Claus at Unity Church.

The Sunday school scholars and Santa

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Sermons on Christmas and Special In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Thomas





Considerable interest is being taken in the table way. During the intermission, be- spring campaign, which is three months diswcan the first and second parts, Rev. Hubert tant, and if the plans of these who have C. Herring told the story of the birth of the city's interest at heart do not misthings it might mean to us in this century. of dry bones and the election to office of men in whom the people have confidence.

the attention of the thinking class to the existing condition of affairs and unless in-An elaborate Christmas service was held terest in the reform movement now on foot Sunday morning at St. Mary's Avenue Can- dies out the republicans will nominate a gregational church in which Horatio W, ticket which cannot fail to win, J. B. Wai-Parker's Christmas cantata, "The Holy kins, a well known republican and a busi-Child," was sung by a union of the member. Dess man of ability, is being urged to acship of the two choirs from the St. Mary's cept the nomination for mayor. Other men and First Congregational churches, comprise of equal ability and honesty are being talked ing all told, nearly sixty voices, under the of, but no one has been definitely decided direction of Mr. E. D. Keck, and with Mr. upon. The democrats are far from being H. H. Allen at the organ. The choruses were united, as the leaders of the various factions exceptionally fine and inspiring, and the bave not been able so far to get together song service was impressive and acutely Each faction wants the honor of naming suggestive of the spiritual phase of the the candidate for mayor and this has pre-Christmas season. A brief Christmas sets cipitated a fight which will probably last mon of much fervor and inspiration was de- until the votes are counted on the evening of April 3. With the republicans it is dif-The church was decorated profusely with ferent, as the only object in view scens to holly, and a large attendance marked the be the selection of honest, capable men for office. Already the democrats realize that their position is a perilous one and several SERVICE AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH, well known wheel horses have declined to be candidates for fear that the republican

to men. Long ago He promised the birth Fine Music and Christmas Sermon by reform movement will sweep the city. What is wanted is a staunch republican business man at the head of affairs here orated with evergreens and Christmas flow- With a business man for mayor it is asof men. It is no longer necessary for the ers Sunday and every pew was filled. Rec- sected that the police force will be entirely Mackay talked at length on the signifi- reorganized and patrolmen compelled to per ance of the holiday. The musical program form the duty for which they are paid. Providing a republican is elected mayor note took part in the services, and their ef- the Fire department will come in for a little fort was appreciated by the large audience. reorganization also. While this department Among these who assisted in the rendition has been free from the scandals in which the music were H. W. Parker, G. W. the Police department has become entan-Manchester, H. J. King, Miss Van Brunt and gled, it is asserted that there is room for others. The service throughout was very improvement, and that the efficiency of the service can be increased by giving a permanent leave of absence to some of the men now on the pay roll. Reports from the The Philosophical society held a meeting Third ward are to the effect that fire hall

No. 2 on Indian Hill has become a regular tion to do anything but drink beer out of are compelled to pass the place.

Those who are connected with or have been watching the reform movement asert that there is a strong current of feelng against the democrats and the democratic officials now in office. With good any of the natural winter ranges men for mayor, treasurer and clerk, the republicans can, it is asserted, carry the city the spring.

#### Corporations to Pay Taxes.

As all city taxes become delinquent on January 1 it is expected that the week will he a busy one for the city treasurer. All all forms of dyspepsia.

the corporations will pay their taxes some JEWISH PEOPLE INTERESTED time this week and the amount of money talent of the school. The stage crected in ment of personal taxes is having a good the church parlors had two original set- effect, as many who have heretofore been tings, an electrically-lighted Christmas tree rather backward about paying are stepping and a brige bridge over which swarmed bands up to the treasurer's office and settling. day alternoon. The attendance was so large of brownies. During the early part of the Personal Tax Collector Burness is doing evening Santa Claus was telephoned and he some good work, and with the help of the the prime movers of the project, which has arrived in time to hear the last number on Commercial club, he expects to gather in the program and distribute a large sack of quite a sum before Treasurer Broadwell's term expires.

#### Military Company Talked Of.

favorable report, and by its acceptance 100 W. S. Shafer and Louis Knutson, ir., are new members were enrolled in the associa working to secure the organization of a comtion. Liberal donations from people interpany of state militia here. The young men exted in the plan were reported. have corresponded with the adjutant gen-The committee appointed to investigate eral of the state, and the proposed South the matter of securing a site suitable for Omaha company has been promised the first the proposed hospital reported that an of-



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in the spring by the addition of 5:00 head optic candy which had been presented the lostess. Mrs. Hake, at a Christmus pres-ont by a leading caterer. It stood over on by a leading caterer. It stood over new feet high, was seventeen inches in circumference and weighed about fifty pounds.

Oest's bowling alley open 20th & Missouri The modern and most effective cure for William Penn Anderson, the well-known livestock statistician, says that the losses of stock by the recent severe storm in Colorado are greatly exaggerated. No unfavorable conditions, he says, exist on constipation and all liver troubles-the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little

Mrs. Potter Palmer to Be Appointed. Any of the natural winter ranges. F. B. Thirkield, health inspector of Chi-cago, says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cannot be recommended too highly. It cured me of severe dyspepsia." It digests what you eat and cures Indigestion, heartburn and all forms of dyspepsia. IFWISH PFOPLE INTERESTED

#### Bleycle Stolen.

Frank Vates reported to the police Sun-day night that someone had stolen his blayet from in front of the Western Union telegraph station.

#### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gonden of Grand Island are in the city to spend Christmas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hake at the Merchants.

Andrew J. Smith, formerly of Omaha, now with the McCormick Harvesting Main contemplation the erection of a hospital in this city under the direct auspices of the chine company at Chicago, is friends in this city for a few days. Jewish people, were more than encouraged. The membership committee presented a very

> Drugs That are pure, fresh and reliable, are the only kind

Claus took entire possession of the Unity received will run way up into the thousands. church at Seventeenth and Cass streets Sun- A majority of the heavy taxpayers hold off day night. A very interesting program of until the last week in December before makabout ten numbers was furnished from the ing payments. The agitation about the pay

presents among the children. Special music was arranged for the occasion.

will give its evening, in which the Sunday school will take a leading part.

more than ordinary Fu-An event of portance will be the celebration of holy communion at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Thirty-second and California, by Rev. Arthur L. Williams, bishop condjutor of the diorese of and Miss Gardner. Nebraska, at 10 o'clock this morning.

the Sunday school will be remembered.

Unity church gave a Christmas tree last audience for their generous applause, then night with appropriate exercises in connection.

Clifton Hill Presbyterian church willi celebrate this evening with an entertainment Gilfoil was taken completely by surprise, so comprising a lengthy program. the Swedish Methodist church there reply to calls for a speech.

will be held early morning services in honor of the holiday. The opening hour is 5:30. The Seward street Methodist church will

Wednesday night. give its exercises Tuesday night and St. Paul's German Lutheran church has chosen Vandeville. the same date.

St. Audrew's church will have services today, the music being chiefly from Gounod's mass. There will also be holy communion with carols.

St. Mathias' church will offer an elaborate program which will be extended throughout the day, and in many other churches there will be services pertaining to the day.

#### Salvation Army Function.

The Christmus distribution of the Salva-

tion army will be held at s9 a, m, at the barracks on Davenport street. For several weeks the cadets have been canvassing the city for supplies and have amassed a considerable quantity of provisions of all sorts. Other workers have visited the lower parts of the city to locate the worthy poor. To such persons tickets have been given which hounds. entitle the bearer to a basket in the distribution. The baskets are made up as nearly as possible alike, and contain enough for a the legitimate for vaudeville. She offers bountiful dinner for four. These who are sick or unable to leave their homes will be bill. It includes vocal selections and some supplied by members of the army personings and others from the streets will be un-

velled at the barracks. In the city and county jails, the county song "Always," won several encores. Miss hospital and poor house and other institu- Simpson is a handsome woman, with a good tions, public and private, there will be spe- voice and pleasing personality. cial spreads for the inmates. Business of all kinds will practically suspend for this har act. They perform any number of seemday, except such lines of industry as never ingly impossible feats upon the bars, and insuspend, and all Omaha is joined in a glori- | tersperse comedy enough throughout their ous Christmas

## FINE MUSICAL PROGRAM IS GIVEN.

#### Joys of Christmastide Are Fully Ex-

emplified in Song. Christmas joys were exemplified Sunday night at the First Methodist church with a musical program of great excellence and consummate good taste. The music was of the highest order-dignified and full of the spirit of the day and time-and the performers carried their parts through triumphantly. Thomas J. Kelly at the organ had a two-fold load on his shoulders-that of playing a big program and also of conducting the large choir-but he was equal

to the occasion and every part of the concert was given the attention to detail that counts for perfection in music.

The service was arranged in four parts, the first being the "Adoration" and the second "The Waiting Earth." To add effectiveness the lights were turned cut in the main body of the church during the "Adoration" and "The Waiting Earth" and three choirs stationed in the tower sang antiphonal h: mas with fine effect. During part 2 the ever-beautiful "Adeste Fhiells" was given and closed in a burst of glory with Cruick shank's "Now When Jesus Was Born." with Mrs. Kelly and full choir as interpreters. Mrs. Kelly and full choir as interpreters. Mrs. Kelly was in fine voice and sang with Sheriff fire and spirit, giving the music its fullest meaning. The choir aided beautifully,

a most pleasing manner. She possesses a there was an anthem, "The Angels' Song:" patient, is confined at her home, 2525 Degood voice, which is used to advantage, and selections by the regular church choir, and catur street, under a stringent quarantine dances eleverly as well. One of the special "My Savior," by the soprano and the imposed by the Health department. The fcatures of the performance was the op- ladies' chorus. In the evening the music house is placarded and no one is allowed to eratic burlesque by Messrs, Shields, Thomas was even better than in the morning. It enter or leave the premises. The family

Since the opening of the theatrical season

most of them have been positively bad. There

of forty or fifty odd perpetrated upon local

theater goers that have been worth going to

betterment. The fun goes with a dash and

he is watching a clever specialty in which

A little scene not down upon the regular At St. Mark's Lutheran church there will program was enacted just before the perbe a celebration of the Christmas anniver- formance closed Sunday evening. One of ladies' quartet, made up of Mesdames tagion. sary this evening in which the children of the members of the company stepped to the Schrader and Salander and Misses Schneilfootlights and in a few words thanked the backer and Johnson.

> turning to Mr. Gilfoil presented him with SUNDAY AT TRINITY CATHEDRAL. a handesme onyx gold-mounted inkstand **Regular Services and Christmas Cel**as a Christmas gift from the company. Mr ebration at Midnight. Rev. Dean Fair conducted regular services

much so that he seemed unable to make al Trinity Cathedral Sunday. He talked at length on peace and good will to men, as a "A Trip to Chinatown" continues for four Christmas thought prefacing the more elabnore performances, the engagement closing crate Christmas services which commenced

last night at 11:15 o'clock, when there was midnight holy communion. At the morning service there was an extensive musical pro-Regular weekly change of Bill at the Creighton-Orpheum Sunday, gram. Trinity Cathedral will have holy commun-

THE BILL. ion also at the 10:30 morning service to-day in addition to the early celebration. n's performing dogs Cheridah Simpson, vocalist and Prior to the opening of the midnight serv-Insical comedicate. Ryan and Richfield, in "A Headless Man." Rice and Elmer in "A Rube's Visit to ice the decorators completed their work in the church. Evergreens were strewn about Little Mignon, child vocalist and dancer. In great profusion and the interior of the Frank and Don, comedians. Lucie Verdier, musical artist. cathedral took on a typical Christmas appearance. The musical program at Trinity

Cathedral this morning will be quite elab-While not the headline act, Burton's performing dogs are undoubtedly the features orate.

of this week's melange of specialties at the CHILDREN THE ENTERTAINERS. Orpheum. The troupe of canines includes a dozen or more dogs that perform all sorts

Program by Plymouth Congregaof remarkable feats, from turning somertional Sunday School Pupils. saults to skirt dancing. The feature of the At the Plymouth Congregational church act is the high leaping of one of the grey-Sunday evening the entertainment was fur-

nished by the children of the Sunday school Miss Cheridah Simpson is one of the clever Rev. Hatch spoke briefly upon the subject comedicanes, who has but recently deserted of "Christmas," telling why the day is observed by all Christian churches. Mrs. Hola specialty that is one of the hits of the brook favored the audience with a vocal selo, and then the Sunday school pupils clever imitations upon the plano. She took up the program. The feature was a ally. In the evening a Christmas tree erected burlosques the playing of one of Sousa's song by the infant class, composed of chilfor the children attending the army meet- marches by a country malden, by playing dren under six years of age. The little the piece in half a dozen different keys, things lined up on the platform and in Her rendition of Horwitz and Bower's new pantomime and song told a beautiful little story of Christmas. The girls' choir rendered a couple of selections in a mighty creditable manner. A number of recita-

Rice and Elmer offer a novelty horizontal tions added to the entertainment, showing a high class of work upon the part of the pupils, and thorough training upon the part of the teachers.

specialty to keep the audience in laughing between applause. The balance of the bill MOORE ON CHRISTMAS. REV. Special Services et the Westminster

Presbyterian Church. Special Christmas services were held at

for my health and life. It cured me of lung the Westminster Presbyterian church. trouble following grippe." Thousands owe Twenty-ninth and Mason streets Sunday their lives to the prompt action of this never morning and evening. Rev. T. V. Moore, failing remedy. It cures coughs, colds, the pastor, preached two sermons, and at croup, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and each service there was a musical program. throat and lung troubles. Its early use prevents consumption. It is the only harmless

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. F. Phillips and wife to Fred Engel. lor [6, block 10, 1st add to South L. Reed and others to C. J. Nelso and others, why lot 35, block 4, Campbell's add. Deeds.

# udd. add Sheriff to M. F. Hourke, nbg lot 11, block 13, F. V. Smith's add

In the forenoon Rev. Moore spoke on "External Preparation." with reference to conditions prevailing in the commercial and solitical world. In the evening he spoke on . "Inward Preparation." The church was profusely deccrated with green boughs, wreaths and other emblems and at one end the American flag occupied a conspicuous

place. The music was under the direction of Miss Williams, "He Shall Reign Forever," "Birthday of a King," "Night of Nights" and "Glory to God" were among the selections rendered.

Musical Service. At the First Congregational church Sunday night the evening was devoted to the musical service prepared for the occasion. The Christmas cantata, "The Holy Child"

1.442 by Horatio W. Parker, was beautifully rea dered by the combined choirs of the First and St. Mary's Avenue Congregational thurches under the direction of E. D. Keek. The music was llatened to by an audience

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of both services. In connection with the No further cases of smallpox have at of vim and life, plays the part of Flirt in morning worship, besides the church hymns, peared, and Mrs. F. M. Blains, the solitary consisted of a Christmas anthem, followed is supplied with provisions and medical atby a soprano solo by Mrs. Schrader, a tenor tendance and the Health department is simsolo by E. A. Evans and "Midnight" by the ply waiting to learn the extent of the con-

> Dr. von Lackum, the family physician, is still firm in his original diagnosis of the case as maliguant chickenpox. He states late Sunday night and the latter is liable pital in operation as soon as possible. that the symptoms of that disease are to die. Two of Darr's roomers entered the plainly marked and asserts positively that apartments at a late hour when Darr was the health officials have deceived themselves. He resents having the case taken out of his hands by the Health department in such a peremptory fashion and threatens to make it repent its haste. Dr. von Lackum says that he has had extensive experience with smallpox epidemics, and having studied placed under arrest. the present case from its beginning, believes

that he is better qualified to pass judgment on it than anyone else.

"There is considerable chickenpox in the immediate neighborhood," says Dr. von Lackum, "and though Mrs. Blains is rather old to contract that disease, there are any number of cases on record where the patients were 60 years old. The malignant form of chickenpox is similar, in many respects, to smallpox; the eruption is almost identical, and in many cases the disease

leaves the same pit-marks which characterize smallpox. The fact that Mrs. Blains has not been out of the house in several months is

another point against the smallpox theory, as she had no possible opportunity of contracting the malady through exposure." The health officials give small respect to the opinion of their fellow-practitioners. They say that a full and competent investigation has been made and that there is no shadow of doubt as to the identity of the disease. Not only have the health officials viewed the case, but outside advice has been procured so that the public might not feel any alarm unless cause absolutely existed.

Dr. S. D. Mercer, who was called in consultation, gives the following opinion: "The case is smallpox beyond all question. During my experience with that disease I have practiced in hospitals during epidemics and have handled countless cases : outside and there is no chance for error in the present instance. The distinguished symptoms and appearances between smallpox and chickenpox are definite and casy to recognize, though it would be necessary to go into a long discussion to explain the

details. Anyone who knows anything about the disease could not be deseived in Mrs. Blains' case, as the indications are unmistakable.

"Regarding the cause of contagion, it is impossible to fix any definite theory. I have known many other cases, however, which could not be traced to any apparent exposure. Mr. Blains is an expressman and is engaged in moving household goods. It is would be the infection may have for a couple of weeks. which could not be traced to any apparent is possible that the infection may have been transmitted through this means

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Small Sinze.

A brick little blaze at the Henshaw hotel on Farnam street causad the fire depart-ment to make a run Sunday afternoon about 130 o'lock. The fire originated from a defective flue in the kitchen part and the flames caught in the decorations and spread rup;diy. The damage was non-inal afternoon

Size doesn't indicate quanty. Beware of counterfeit and worthless salve offered for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's in the only original. An infailible cure for Signature of Chart M. Tetcher. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's is piles and all skin diseases.

vacancy in the state organization. This pro- fer had been made of a beautiful home a ect was brought up once before by Messrs. North Twenty-fourth street, which by the Shafer and Knutson, but the breaking out expenditure of a moderate sum, could be of the Spanish-American war put a damper remodeled and equipped in every way neconto the proposition and the matter was essary for the needs of a hospital. This pro dropped. Those interested are of the opinposal will receive careful consideration along ion that there will be little difficulty in sewith others that have already been made. curing the requisite number of recruits. The association has already reached the

Shot for a Burglar.

Frank Darr, a barber who lives over and the securing of a site for the hospital Howard Meyers' drug store, corner of will be accomplished in the near future Twenty-sixth and N streets and who keeps The Jewish people are thoroughly interested in the matter and propose to have their hosroomers, shot T. Flaherty in the abdomen

Pleasant Christmas Party. congenial coterie of half a dozer les of Omaha young people cujoyed asleep. The noise awakened Darr, and thinking the persons were burglars, he drew thinking the persons were burglars, he drew a pixtol and fired, the shot taking effect in Flaherty's abdomen. The police were noti-fied and they found Flaherty later in his apartments over Papez's saloon. Darr was apartments over Papez'e saloon. Darr was

Magie City Gossip. Try Jack Gallagher's cigars, 408 N. 24th st. All the gambling houses have been closed by order of the authorities. Attorney W. C. Lambert has gone to his me at Auburn to spend the holidays. Best line of lewelry at Coleman's. Cudahy is in receipt of another big order or canned meats for the British army, Miles Mitckell, chief of Swift's policy orce, has about recovered from his recent

Want to buy a diamond? See Godfrey A small blaze in the oil room at Swift's sterday morning caused the turning in an alarm

Frank Scott of Sioux City is here spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scott.

Rev. J. A. Johnson preached at the Meth-odist church Sunday evening on "The Christmas Spirit."

A commodious stand for horse sales has een erected near the horse and mule hara t the stockyards.

Storm Sash-E. H. Howland Lumber & Joal Co., 438 N. 24th St., between M and N. Most of the packing houses worked their men Sonday in order that today may be observed as a holiday.

The city churches were all well-filled music were the attractions and special Has been awarded Drex L. Shooman

See Ed Munshaw & Co. for lumber. Tel.2s5 Harry Caldwell has resigned his position with the Brewer undertaking establish-ment to take effect January 1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ames of Twentythird and 1 streets have gone to Wiscon-sin to spend a couple of weeks. George and Robert Parke will return to Kansus City tonight, where they are su-perintending the construction of Cudahy's acking house.

Want a line watch for Christmas? It's at deman's, the N street jewcler.

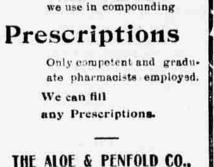
Funeral services over the remains of T. Boll were held at the First Methodist piscopal church Sunday afternoon. Rev. A. Johnson officiated.

Den 1st, Slabaugh, 14th and N streets.

John ist, Silnaugh, John and N streets. John Fyda continues to improve and his ultimate recovery is predicted. Before coming to South Omaha Fyda worked on a farm hear. Fullerion, Nob. On account of the unprecedented export demand horses are becoming scarce and it is thought that the country is becoming pretty well drained of good minute. Tendnes stremes or before here of the Trading stamps or choice box of bonbons way, the other is the wrong way-We iven away at Coleman's

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