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To Women--

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 23.-(Special Telegram.)-At a meeting of the Wymore city council Monday evening a two-year contract was entered into with the of Springfield that the Nebraska tele-Iowa-Nebraska Public Service company to furnish street lights and juice for pumping water at the waterworks station at 3 cents per kilowatt hour. Mayor Reuling cast the seciding vote in favor of the proposition.

Scotty, Dye, a former member of the Beatrice ball team in the Mink league, and Miss Iva Hazelton of this city, were married at Wilbur by Judge Grimm. Mr. and Mrs. Dye will make their home in this city, where the former has charge of the bowling alley at E. W. Clancy's billiard hall.

Herbert W. Wright, who has been assistant secretary of the local Young Men's Christian association for nearly two years, has resigned to accept the position as secretary of the Seward association.

Seth Craig, a former Beatrice resident, died Thursday of tuberculosis at his home at Lead, S. D. He was 35 years of age and leaves a widow. The body was brought here Monday evening for inter-

Charles A. Homes and Lena Wilson, both of Wymore, were married Monday by County Judge Walden.

Fire Scare in State House Causes Stir

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 28 .- (Special.)-A fire in the office of the food commissioner resulted today when a match was thrown through defective plumbing. Little dam-

Small Fire in Nebraska Capitol

LINCOLN. Neb., Dec. 23 .- A match, accidentally tossed by a workman into a small can of benzine, started a fire in the office of the state food commissioner in the Nebraska capitol today. The flames were confined to the one room mont; Mary A. Caldwell, Auburn; Grace without serious damage.

MOORE SAYS LAWSUITS WILL FOLLOW HIS ARREST

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 23 .- (Special.)-As an outcome of the arrest of Charles Moore at Norfolk last week by Captain John Barrett of the Lincoln police force suit is to be brought in the district court of MRS. JOHNSON'S CHILDREN Madison county by Mr. Moore against Chief of Police James Malone and the city of Lincoln for damages for false imprisonment and against the police for kidnaping. Suit will also be brought against the National Cash Register company for conspiracy in connection with the arrest of Mr. Moore, who was in Lincoln today to appear before Justice of the Peace Lowe to answer to the charge of beating a hotel bill, brought by the Victoria hotel of this city, and gave our the statement that he had retained Mike Harrington of O'Nelll to, prosecute the guits above referred to.

Cupid Busy at Madison.

MADISON, Neb., Dec. 23.-(Special.)-Marriage licenses were issued today as follows: Arthur C. Schmidt of Madison and Miss Katherine Margaret Volk, Battle Creek: Sam Fields and Lulu Paage, both of Norfolk, and Harry Campbell of O'Neill and Miss Florence Kilentshe of

Nebraskan Fined Fifty Dollars. SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 23.—(Special.)
—In the case of Charles M. Chamberlain, a former attorney of Nebraska arrested Wednesday for practicing law in this state without a license and pleading guilty, was today brought before Justice colors and sizes, scores of styles. Julius Witt and fined \$50 and costs.

SPRINGFIELD COMMERCIAL CLUB COMPLAINS OF RATE

LINCOLN, Dec. 23.-(Special.)-Com plaint has been made to the state railway commission by the Commercial club without first getting a permit from the railway commission.

The complaint sets out that the comto Papillion and from Springfield to of the dealers and the teamsters. Gretna from 10c to 15c per call. However, the old rate from Papillion to Springfield remains at 10 cents. The rate is the same to Papillion as it is to Omaha, twice the distance.

A complaint has also been filed with pany against the rate on grain over the Rock Island. The company sets out that the rate from Lewiston to Kansas City is 12% cents, while from Virginia to Kansas City, five miles futher, it is only 11 cents.

GOVERNOR TO ISSUE FURLOUGH TO KOHEN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 23,-(Special.)-Johen, sent up to the penitentiary from Douglas today of influenza. county for highway robbery when but 17 years of age and given an indeterminate sentence of from three to fifteen years, will be parolled by Governor More-

The elemency is recommended by the pardon board at the request of the soclety of the friendless, a state organization of which Judge Howard Kennedy. now a member of the state board of control, is president, and as Kohen had not served enough of his sentence to be entitled to parole under the law the goverupon some oil that had accumulated nor gives him his freedom on a fur- at nearly all the engagements in the says she loved him devotedly; that he

ODD FELLOWS HOME **BOARD ELECTS OFFICERS**

YORK, Neb., Dec. 28 .- (Special.)-The board of managers of the Odd Fellows' home held its annual session last Saturday. A. G. Pruitt was elected superintendent and Mrs. Pruitt matron for the year 1914. Members of the board present were as follows: George L. Loomis, Fre-P. Haller, Blair; James S. Hongland, North Platte; Mary Holcomb, Broken Bow: O. O. Snyder, O'Netl; Dr. S. P. Patton. Omaha. State officers present: Frank John, grand master, Grand Island; Mrs. Susan Kirstead, president of the Rebekah assembly, Norfolk, and I. P. Gage, grand secretary, Fremont. J. S. Hosgiand was elected president of the board for the ensuing year.

TURNED OVER TO SOCIETY

ering from the effects of the dose of report of the jury, and will probably be E. O. Wilson of Madison. sentenced next week. District Superintendent J. A. Murray of the Nebraska and took the seven children of Mrs. Johnson to Omaha on the afternoon train. the society. It will find homes for them.

Funeral of Luther Stowell. GENEVA, Neb., Dec. 23.-(Special.)-The funeral of Luther Eugene Stowell. aged 73. Veteran of the civil war, and a pioneer of Fillmore county, who died Monday, was held today. The deceased was for years a resident of Geneva and leaves a widow and some grown children. A son-in-law, Harvey Hitch of Omaha. but formerly of Geneva is in the city for the funeral.

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Demands of Lincoln Teamsters Granted

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 23.-All the teamsters of the city who refused to go to work Monday when the coal dealers rephone company has made a raise in rates fused to meet their demands for an increase in the schedule of coal hauling rates, returned to work today. The increased rate was granted this morning pany has raised the rate from Springfield at a conference between representatives

The threatened coal famine avoided when yards were taxed to capacity to get the ordered coal supplies out to the consumers. Three companies refused to admit that

they had paid any other rate for two the commission by the Derby Grain com- grades of coal than was demanded by the teamsters, and strike leaders took them at their word.

Jules A. A. Claretie, French Dramatist and Author, Dead

PARIS, Dec. 23.-Jules Claretie, one of

Jules Arsene Arnaud Claretie was born released. on December 3, 1840, at Limoges, but she said. lived the greater part of his life in Paris, where he was educated. He was a pro-Australian troops.

1870-71, when, for a period he was in kitchen. of the national guard and was present time in his office. The Brance woman vicinity of Paris. As an officer of the returned her love and that their relations the truce for the purpose of burying the book agent chanced to call on him. dead after the battle of Buzenval. He | The woman looks pale and haggard to afterward stood unsuccessfully as a day. She was attractive ten years ago. candidate for Parliament and then gave but her devotion to Couch and the seup politics to resume his literary pur- cret alliance and its coincident confine-

Since 1885 M. Claretie had been adfice he resigned this year. He was a to cause the Couch family any more nogrand officer of the Legion of Honor.

DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. Martha M. Rummans. MADISON, Neb., Dec. 23.—(Special.)— Mrs. Martha M. Rummans, wife of Abner Rummans of this city, died yesterday noon at the home of her daughter. Mrs Dr. Wilson, after a lingering illness. Martha M. Hill was born in Kentucky WAHOO, Neb., Dec. 23.-(Special Tele- at the Methodist Episcopal church at navy. poison which she took while awaiting the Joseph Mills of Paruna, Okl., and Mrs. acquired by private interests. After the was made there was no statute expressly day via Manila.

Mrs. Nancy Tipple. TABOR, Ia., Dec. 23.-(Special.)-Mrs. Children's Home society was here today Nancy Tipple, one of Tabor's oldest residents, died at her home her Sunday morning, aged \$5 years. Miss Nancy Thomp-Mrs. Johnson and officers of Saunders son was born in Hyde Park, Vt., Pebcounty signed papers transferring legal ruary 26, 1828. Moved with her parents control of the children, who range in when quite young to Fort Kent, N. Y., ages from eighteen months to 15 years, to and then to near Rutland, Wis., where she was united in marriage with John D. Tipple October 6, 1847. They came to Fremont county, Iowa, in 1871, and settled on a farm near Randolph, where they resided until moving to Tabor in 1876. Mr. Tipple died in 1904. Mrs. Tipple is survived by three children, Miss Adelle Tipple and Adelbert E. Tipple, both of Tabor, and Devillo Tipple of Glenwood.

Mrs. Mary T. Scott. M'COOK, Neb., Dec. 21.-(Special.)--Mrs. Mary T. Scott of this city died Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Amos O. Rogers, of this city, following an illness of some duration with internal cancer. Mrs. Scott moved to Mc-Cook a few years since from Atwood,

Fred Widmann.
MITCHELL, S. D., Dec. 22.-Fred Widmann, considered the richest man in Mitchell, died suddenly today. He owned the Widmann hotel here.

HYMENEAL

Camp-Noah.

Miss Dollie Noah, daughter of John Noah, and Mr. Porter Camp were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge at his residence Monday evening at 9. were accompanied by Miss Hettie Camp and Mr. Lovel Pierson.

Riskel-Nelson. Miss Selma Nelson and Herman C Rishel, both of Gretna, Neb., were married today by Rev. Charles W. Savidge at his study, 332 Brandels Theater building. They were accompanied by the brother and sister of the bride and Mr

and Mrs. E. O. Cralg. Wednesday two wonderful waist spe cials \$1.50 values, 80c; \$3.60 values, \$1.98 Julius Orkin, 1510 Douglas street.

Nebraska

WOLF BOUNTY ACT REPEALED

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Cash for Inquirer.

MAN

HOLDS

Killed Wolves in Lincoln County Several Years Back and is Now Trying to Recover State Bounty.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 21 - (Special.) - Many letters are pouring in on State Auditor Howard asking him to look up wolf bounty claims, the latest being from C Peterson, 3420 Leavenworth street, Omaha, who claims he killed a number of wolves in Lincoln county in 1910 and 1911, and filed his claims at North Platte, and wants to know where he can get the state bounty.

Mr. Howard has informed him that the wolf bounty law was repealed in 1909, and therefore there is nothing coming from the state.

Swain is Candidate.

It is announced that J. B Swain of Greeley is the latest candidate for United States marshal. Mr. Swain pins his faith that he will get the job to the fact that he was one of the Nebraska delegates to the Democratic National convention in Denver which nominated Mr. Mr. Bryan for the presidency.

Dr. Kigin is itt. Dr. Kigin, state veterinarian, who has been very ill the last two weeks, was in his office a short time this forencon He is still suffering from the effects of his illness and is far from being a well man at the present time.

Boone Couple Weds. Ray A. Smith of Boone, Ia., aged 36 cears, and Amelia A. Martin of the same town, aged 48, were given a license to marry by the county judge of Lancaster county yesterday.

Woman of "Secret Room" Fame Released

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Dec. 28.-Melvin H. Couch, former district county attorney of Sullivan county, was quietly buried this afternoon, leaving behind no written word to explain his strange dual existence and associations with his slavelike companion, Adelaide Brance, who for three years, was a virtual prisoner in his office.

From a cell in the jail where she was held a prisoner on a technical charge, the woman saw the funeral procession he French "immortals" and adminis- pass. She had expressed a wish to be at trator of the 'Comedy Francaise,' died the grave, but the lawyer's widow forbade it. Later in the day she was to be "Then I am going to vanish,"

Couch died on the lounge in his office early Sunday morning. His companion lific writer of books and dramas and gave the alarm and summoned a phyacted as war correspondent in 1896 with sician. Then for the first time it became the Italian army fighting against the known that for three years she had, for the love of the man, existed in a tiny He again took part in warlike opera- quarter of the office partitioned off as ions during the Franco-German war of a combination sleeping, living room and

command of a battalion of volunteers | Couch for years had spent most of his dated back fifteen v

ment have aged her terribly. She has refused to discuss the case, saying she ministrator of the Francaise, which of- wishes to drop out of sight in order not toriety. Her history is vague, little being known of her except that she formerly lived in Goshen, N. Y., and has a brother somewhere in Ohio,

GOVERNMENT FILES BRIEF IN MID-WEST OIL CASE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 .- The governin 1873, where she has since resided. She the supreme court. The suit involves

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ment's brief against the Midwest Oil of acres of such land were entered on AMERICAN BOTANIST July 14, 1840, was married to Abner Rum- company, in a case involving large areas and claimed and the value of the claims mans in 1870 and came to Madison county of petroleum land, was filed today in run far into the millions. was a member of the Presbyterian an order by President Taft, atthdrawing In the brief the government contends church of this city, under whose auspices petroleum lands in Wyoming and Call- the policy followed by Mr. Taft is of TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 25,-Charles and then with the Bronx Park museum the funeral services will be. Rev. formia from entry to reserve an adequate lon; standing, has been frequently ap- Budd Robinson, the United States gov- in New York. At the time of his death Farmer preaching the sermon supply of oil for the future use of the proved by congress as not inconsistent erament botanist killed by natives of he was employed by the bureau of scigram.)-Mrs. Maggie Johnson, convicted 1 p. m. Wednesday afternoon. The de- The order also was designed to aid authority was justified on constitutional was the only son of C. B. Robinson, one flora of Amboyna island. He was 41

president's order was issued, hundreds authorizing withdrawal of the lands.

KILLED BY MALAYS

with law, and that the exercise of such Amboyna, in the Malay archipelage, ences of the Philippines to study the of killing her husband, is slowly recov- ceased is survived by her husband. Ab- legislation intended to change the terms grounds. The defendants declare Mr. of the oldest working telegraphers in years old. ner Rummans, and two daughters, Mrs. on which petroleum deposits can be Taft's order was void because when it Canada. News of his death arrived to-Young Robinson was graduated from Pictou, N. S.

eral years he made a study of the botany of eastern Nova Scotia, New Foundland and the lower St. Lawrence, Later he was connected with Harvard,

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