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"Today's Complete Movie Program" classified section today, and appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY, Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer. Williams is Pined-Barry Williams, arrested at Ninth and Dodge streets Monday night, was fined \$25 and costs in police court for carrying concealed

8-Year Old Boy Loses in Contest, but Wins Sled by His Honesty

It's a happy vacation Paul Ferris, 2912 Farnam, is having with a brand new, long, shiny "Dreednought" coaster that he competitively lost and won through honesty in The Bee sled contest.

Paul reads The Bee or he wouldn't be in such fine luck.

He saved ever so many coupons and got his friends to save ever so many more, but he didn't have enough, and the best he could do was to watch the winner trudge home with his mother dragging the prize over the crunching snow Paul a good turn. The winner's mother dropped her pocketbook on the street saw it fall. He raced through the likely close at 10 o'clock, throng and returned it to her.

"Why, it's the little boy who brought had saved her from losing.

the sled her son had won and then take her own boy back to a store to buy him another.

If you happen to be walking along West Farnam way and see a streak of red lightning scoot by, give three cheers, for it's 8-year-old Paul Ferris, having the time of his life.

The youngster is the son of Timothy Ferris, Western Union telegrapher, as-

Iowa Girl Asks if She Can Join Navy in Disguise as a Man

With the assertion that she is "simply wild about joining the navy," an 18-yearold girl living in a small town in western Iowa has written the Omaha recruiting station. She asks if there is not some way for her to enlist, "by disguising as a figures ready for a comparison on New man and being examined and passed without anybody knowing except the recruiting officer."

Sergeant Fred Hansen of the army restation being specified, has replied to the they are all in we cannot say." young woman. He informed her that there bluejacket or a soldier, but that she might become the wife of one, if she wishes, Ever since I was 17," the girl writes, I am well and strong, of stout build, just

"I have been just crazy to join the navy. tall enough, and have good eyesight and hearing. I can shoot a rifle as god as Many Extra Cars to any man, and one blow from my fist will send a fellow sprawling before he can think."

She enclosed a 10-cent stamp for a registered reply, and requested that her name be kept secret. Sergeant Hansn will respect the request.

Old People's Home Family Entertained

Women of the Westminster Presbyterian church gave their twelfth annual entertainment Monday afternoon for the thenefit of the Old People's home family. The affair was under the direction of Mcg. A. P. Thompson, who gave Scotch recitations and a few steps from "The Campbells Are Coming." Mrs. J. W. Gamble and Mrs. John McTaggart sang Scotch songs and little Margaret Mc-Taggart gave recitations. Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Young were also present.

Each of the members of the home were presented with a growing plant, a box of candy and fruits. Tea was served by the women.

The old people will enjoy several more entertainments during Christmas week. A program has been arranged for Saturday of this week. Monday the Royal Blues, a children's organization of the by Blues, a children's organization of the by this pleasant tasting, home-made North Presbyterian church, will call on cough syrup has caused it to be used in the old people, and Wednesday after-noon the Frances Willard Women's gives almost instant relief and will usual-ly overcome the average cough in 24 hours. the home to provide some cheer for them. The Royal Blues will also call at the home early Christmas morning with fruits and goodles for the old people,

SANTA BEING HELPED AT THE OMAHA POSTOFFICE

Santa Claus is being given all the assistance possible by the Postoffice department in taking care of little folks who will not have a very bright holiday letters addressed to Saint Nick, even though unstamped, are being handled by the postoffice and are turned over to Missing Magee of the City Mission, who will try to play Santa Claus for the poor youngsters. There were more than half a dozen unstamped Santa Claus letters in the mail Monday and Postmaster Wharton sent them to iMss Magee, along Wharton sent them to iMss Magee, along with a score of notes written by kiddles who could afford a 2-cent stamp.

This and Five Cents. DON'T MISS THIS, Cut out this slip. enclose 5 cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill, writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a free trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foleys Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thorourtily cleansing cathartic, especially comforting to stout persons. For sale in your town by all druggists.-Advertise-

MUNICIPAL TREE IS FOR THE POOR TOTS

Commissioner Butler Says There Will Be Plenty of Candy for All Who Visit Auditorium.

FOR FIFTY FAMILIES

his is to Be Distributed by Autos to Families Authorized by the Associated Charities and Visiting Nurses,

City Commissioner Dan B. Butler has mounced the musical program for the Christmas services at the Auditorium Thursday evening, when candy will be distributed from a municipal Christmas tree to all the poor little children of the ity. The program follows: Omaha Musical association, two num

era.
Swedish Singing society.
German Singing society.
Charles Gardner, solo.
Frof. Cox's string orchestra.
Omaha High School Glee club.

Mr. Gardner is the songster who made a hit at the performance of the "College

Commissioner Butler said: food and clothing and money will be distributed in the afternoon and nothing will be given out Thursday night at the Auditorium except candy for the child- Union Gospel mission, Fifteenth and ren. There will be enough candy for all the poor children of the city. We have secured a list of fifty needy families from the Associated Charities and the Visiting Nurse association."

Distribute Food Thursday.

Automobiles have been secured by "Transportation Chief" Claude P. Bossie But luck and inbred honesty played and the distribution of the donations will be done quickly.

Commissioner Butler announces that among the Christmas crowd, and Paul the exercises at the Auditorium will The big Christmas tree will be lighted with vari-colored electric lights, the

so many coupons," exclaimed she, and building will be warm and there will be then she opened the purse and showed "good cheer and to spare." Commissioner Paul \$40 in bright greenbacks that he Butler has directed that no little tot who may be overlooked by Santa Claus be for-What did the woman do but give Paul gotten at this municipal Christmas tree.

Manufacturers Slow Furnishing Totals for Year's Business

More artificial ice was manufactured and consumed in Omaha during the year with fair tonight and Wednesday. For 1914 than ever before. The figures on Nebraska somewhat colder is predicted this commodity show an increase in the for Wednesday, and Omaha will probof publicity from reports made by the in the state, various manufacturing and jobbing concerns in the city.

While the returns are coming in fairly well, said Manager Parrish of the bureau, we still need to urge the manufacturers and jobbers to hurry these figures up, because even when we get them in our office we have a lot of compiling and classifying to do before we can get the Year's day.

"In a good many lines I can see already that the manufacturing and jobbing totals show an increase over last cruting office, to whom the letter was de- year. In other cases I can see that there livered, as it was addressed simply to the is more or less of a decrease. Just what 'U. S. Recruit Office," without the navy the aggregate figures will show when

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., praises Dr. King's New Life Pills for constingtion; best for liver and bowels. 25c .- All druggists.-Advertisement.

Handle the Big Rush of Holiday Travel

While the Christmas travel perhaps is not reaching a record, it is the heaviest of any corresponding season in many years, and all of the roads are being forced to put an extra equipment to handle the increase. Extra coaches and by Church Society sleepers have been put on to nearly all the trains on the Omaha-Chicago lines and the same is true with most of the trains operated between Omaha and Kansas City and St. Louis.

With the Burlington and Northwestern the business to and from the east has increased to such an extent that several of the trains are run in sections, the regular trains being unable to take care of the rush.

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The prompt and positive results given

Get 21/2 ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) Get 2½ cunces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any drug store, pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This makes a full pint—a family supply—of the most effective cough remedy at a cost of only 54 cents or less. You couldn't buy as much ready-made cough medicine for \$2.50. Easily prepared and never spoils. Full directions with Pinex.

The promptness, certainty and cose

whooping cough, broachial asthma and winter coughs.

To avoid disappointment in making

this, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

IF INE BABY IS CUTTING IEETH

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup A SPLENDID REGULATOR PURELY VEGETABLE-NOT NARCOTIC

Stopf Boys Learn Through The Bee Mother Back Home

As a result of the publicity given their case by The Ree Lowell and Avor Stopf, aged 16 and 14, respectively, who beat their way from Denver to Omaha in an effort to be with their mother, who arrived here the week before, have ascertained the whereabouts of the parent and will return to her at Denver at the earliest convenience.

It develops that the mother came to Omaha with her married daughter, Mrs. Mary Herberger, and the latter's infant Herberger appealed to the Helping Hand mission, 1819 Leavnnworth street, and lodging was provided for herself, her child and her mother. They were sent physician that Mrs. Stopf was seriously Omaha two weeks ago. iil and would have to be taken to a higher altitude or she might die at any time.

that the Helping Hand mission connected, the case of the boys and got in touch home in Denver.

When the boys came to Omaha last Friday they were taken in charge by the Davenport streets, and later by Mrs. G. W. Ahlquist, Independent missionary worker, who assumed charge of their welfare and took them to the Salvation army, where they will be housed until they are sent back to Denver, where both were holding down jobs, which are liable to be open to them after an appeal is made through Omahans interested in the case of the youngsters.

Cool Weather is Stimulation to the Holiday Shoppers

All business seems to be greatly stimudegrees warmer than Monday morning's regarded as just cold enough to be right for keen holiday enjoyment and for good

Warmer weather is predicted for Omaha tonight by Forecaster Welsh, compilations being made by the bureau ably not be as cold as some other points

Ice on the Missouri river is now eight and one-half inches thick, according to the weather bureau. A feature of weather conditions in the

east is the high wind prevailing. The maximum velocity reached at Buffalo of Omaha for ten years following 1884. was seventy-two miles per hour. New York it was forty-four miles per

WOULD ALTER SCHOOL LAWS

Two Commissions Preparing Reports Work Along Same Lines.

ONE NAMED BY THE GOVERNOR

Second Was Appointed by the Ne branks Farmers' Congress and Made Its Report Here Two Weeks Ago.

With two commissions preparing re sorts and making recommendations for legislation to improve rural school conditions in the state, the educators of the child a week ago last Saturday with a definite results this year along practical view to locating here. Upon arrival Mrs. lines. One commission is that appointed by the governor, which has prepared a long report, now in the hands of the printer and soon to go to the governor back to Denver three days later, the other is the committee appointed by the and, eventually, to the legislature. An county furnishing the transportation and Nebraska Farmers' congress a year ago the Associated Charities a Pullman berth. This committee made its report at the when it was learned from the county last meeting of the farmers' congress in

While there is not the kindliest feeling between these two bodies of investigators, It was through this series of incidents there is not a great gulf between the substance of the two reports. It is said to be likely that bills will come out of with the youngsters and informed them both and be introduced into the legisla-"Fifty families will be given big that word had been received from their ture. It is also believed by some who Christmas dinners Thursday. 'All the mother and that she was at their old have examined both that there cannot b a vast divergence in the two bills.

While one provides for a county unit plan of handling the schools of a county, the other provides for a commissioner system, which is said to be in effect the same thing.

One feature of the plan of making the whole county a unit or a single school district, is that this carries with it the distribution of school revenue from county taxes equally to all the rural schools of given county. One of the great drawbacks to some of the schools in western counties that they did not share in the revenue from the taxation of the railroads passing through the county.

William Ritchie, a member of the govrnor's commission, was a county superntendent in a western county some years ago, and there became firmly convinced that a system should be devised that would distribute this revenue equitably. He found that school districts having a tated by the ideal holiday weather now railroad passing through their boundaries prevailing. The minimum temperature had plenty of revenue from taxation and fuesday morning was 10 above, or twelve therefore had good schools, while he found hundreds of children back in the hills that record of 2 below. The weather now is had no school facilities at all because there was no railroad to tax and other revenues were not large enough to provide

W. TURTLE OF THE U. P. DIES AT DES MOINES

J. W. Turtle, traveling passenger agent for the Union Pacific, with headquarters at Des Moines, died at his home there Monday of heart failure, after an illness of but a few hours.

Mr. Turtle was born in Sheffield, Eng-June 27, 1859, and was a resident For eight years, while living here, he was connected with the United States railway mail service and the Pullman



Special Christmas Sale of Quality Wines and Liquors

FINE MELLOW OLD WHISKIES Old Taylor, 8 years old, regular \$1.25, full quart..... Old Crow, 8 years old, regularly \$1.25, full quart...... Spring Hill, full quart Sunny Brook, full quart Pony Creek, 6 years old, full quart Imperial Special Whiskey, full quart Private Stock, fine old whiskey, full quart. Fine Old Kentucky Whiskey. \$4.00 quality, a gallon \$3.50 quality, a gallon \$3.00 quality, a gallon \$2.50 quality, a gallon 12-year old Sherwood Rye, full quart

FINE BRANDIES \$1.25 Hennessy Brandy, qt.

\$1 Superior Brandy, qt. 69c 75c Cognac Brandy, qt. 59c Superior Blackberry Brandy,

WINES and TONICS California Port Wine, full quarts at . . 25c, 35c and 45c California Port Wine, per gallon at .. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 Golden West Malt Ttonic, bottle 10c

Ask for FREE Coupons for Punch Set or Casserole Set.

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Moderately Priced. According to Size.



company. In 1861 he became excursion conductor for the Union Pacific and later vas promoted to traveling passenger agent and given lowa as his territory He was married.

HENRY SHAFER SERIOUSLY INJURED BY MOVING TRAIN

Henry Schaefer, weighman and floor an at the Merriam & Millard Grain impany's elevator, Seventeenth and Nicholas streets, was seriously injured when he was caught between a train of cars and the siding of the elevator and sustained several fractured ribs and internal injuries. Schafer was sweeping up grain from bedeath one of the cars when the train pulled up and Jammed him against the platform. He was attended T. T. Harris and taken to St. Joseph's hospital. He lives at 388 South Thirty-second street, South Omaha, and is the father of four small children.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PUPILS TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

Pupils of the Sunday school of the North Presbyterian church will present Christmas pageant with costumes and isic Wednesday evening. After the exreises there will be a tree for the chil-

Redistricting of U. S. District Court

Benefits but Few.

NOT MANY CASES AFFECTED

some Regard it as Simply a Move on the Part of Stephens to Make Himself Stronger with His Norfelk Constituency.

remont, representing the Third district. "playing politics" in connection with the Omaha and Norfolk divisions of the United States district court, is suspected by Omahans, who have board of the bill hich he introduced in congress Monday He proposes to redistrict part of the state for federal court practice, and his cheme includes giving the Norfolk district part of the territory and court business now included in the Omaha division ome people regard it as just a political move to make Stephens stronger with his Norfolk constituency.

"Comparatively speaking, the proposed bill will make more business for Norfolk dren. The program will begin at 7:39 which the bill proposes to transfer from West Dodge street. The transaction was the Omaha to the Norfelk division the made through George & Co.

STEPHENS PLAYS POLITICS amount of business is hardly appreciable to Omaha, although it might be some

what appreciable to Norfolk. "The plan to transfer Hamilton count) from the Lincoln to the Grand Island division would help Congressman Barton's district. There are now on the court records only about half a dozen cases

from all the counties concerned in the roposed changes. It is said that Norfolk does not need we sessions of court per year, as the bill proposes. One session: not exceeding two weeks, is all that has been held there, and the new business from the That Congressman Dan Stephens of extra territory would not materially lengthen the time required for trials. The plan to change the dates of the two Omaha sessions is supposed by local

> among Congressman Stephens' constitu-Read the "For Sale" ads if you want bargains of the minute.

attorneys to be intended to suit the con

venience of certain up-state lawyers

PERLEY SELLS FAIRACRES HOME TO WILLIAM NEWTON

Attorney Lyman O. Perley has sold his tome at Fairacres to William Newton of by taking away from Omaha," says John Omaha. The consideration is given at Nicholsen, chief deputy clerk of the fed- \$5,000. The residence is a large brick eral court. "However, from the counties structure just off the Lincoln Highway or



STORE OPEN EVENINGS TILL XMAS Silver Plated NOVELTIES | MEN'S 50c TO 75c NEW and FANCY JEWELRY SILK NECKWEAR at 35c G ENEROUS assortments of



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splendid gift suggestions,

SILVER placed shaving mirror, regular price \$2.00, for \$1.50. \$1.39 Jewel Boxes, 69c. ORMOLO gold plated jewelry boxes, worth to

Men's \$1.39 Fobs, 89c. M EN'S ribbon watch fobs, with gold plated bar and chain, worth \$1.39, for 89c.

Manicure Sets, 49c 4-PIECE German Silver mani-cure sets, special at 49c. 50c Lather Brush, 39c. ERMAN Silver lather brush

and soap box. 50c values, 39c 69c Military Set, 49c. ILITARY brushes and comb sets, regular prices 69c., 49c

Cigar Jars, 59c CIGAR Jars, German silver top, special for 59c.

Smoking Sets, \$1.48 -PIECE smoking sets, tray with match holder cigar cup and ash tray, \$1.48.



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The entire stock of short end silks of a big New York manufacturer made up into

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Full Dress Gloves, \$1.25 to \$2 Street Gloves, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Gauntlets, fur lined or trim-med, at, pair, \$4 to \$15.

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S IX exquisite styles from which to make your selection and each in a neat Holiday box if so desired. Among the styles are: Crepe de chine with shadow lace sleeves and collar:

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vestee, collar and cuffs; Etc., etc. All the very latest styles and most favored delicate shades and white.

We consider them the biggest blouse values of the season and just in time for Christmas giftgiving.

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Mechanical Toys of every description from 25¢ to \$1.25 Wagons in different styles and sizes from85¢ to \$8.50

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Schoenhut's clown, lad- Lights, 8 lights, \$3; 16 | Cavalry Sets der, chair, barrel \$1.10 | lights, \$6; 24 lights, \$9 | guns, at ... Burgess-Wash Co.—Fourth Floor. guns, at \$1.25 | toy, at ... 50c to \$1.50 **CANDIES**

CHRISTMAS without candy would be as unusual as mince pie without mince. Our line of candles is very extensive, and we are offering special inducements to schools and organizations who have planued on distributing candy for Christmas. Chocolates or Bon Bons, a

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Family pkg. of Gunther's \$1.25 chocolates, 3-lb. box ...

Pretty packages of Fruits of Paradise for Peanuts-Fresh roasted, 4c

per quart Walnuts-California soft shell also imported Tarragonas, per pound 22c
Almonds — Fancy imported Tarragonas, lb... 22c BURGESS NASH COMPAN

SPECIAL SALE OF NUTS FOR CHRISTMAS Brazil Nuts-Large, fancy, per lb. Pecans-Well filled, special, pound 15c Filberts-Sicily, large

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60c package for 39c

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Pail candies for Sunday

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zations at special prices.

18c Mixed Nuts-With pea- 12c nuts, per lb Figs-California, 111/2-

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