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DEATH OF MRS. OLMSTEAD

This morning J. M. Young receiv-

ed a message from Cartoll, Nebraska,

announcing the death of his sister.

Mrs. W. R. Olmstead, who has been

weeks, Mrs. Olmstead was been and

In very serious condition for several

From Monday's Daily.

WARD SMITH, YOUNG FARM-ER, IS KILLED

ELECTROCUTED AT FARM NEAK FLORENCE YESTERDAY-BOTH HANDS ON WIRE

From Tuesdays Dauy

of near Florence, was instantly kill- lots. ed yesterday by an electrically charged fence wire. The sad news was received here last evening by Mrs. T. B. Bates of this city, a sister of the unfortunate young man, and who hurried to assist the aged parents morning to assist the aged parents and the wife of Mr. Smith in their hour of grief.

Mr. Smith, who had been mowing alfalfa in a field on the farm, apparently left his machine when attract- Mrs. Jennie Short, Representative, Turner, the blow felling him and ed by a burning fence post. The position of the body indicated that he had struddled the fence in an attempt to climb over it, according to H. F. Hoyt of the Stack Undertaking company, who made an investigation for the coroner of Douglas coun-

The tragic death occurred some time between 10 and 1 o'clock yes-terday morning and the first inti-lodge representative from the local mation received of the tragedy was when J. J. Smith, father of the young man, who was at the home, some 200 ant actions of the grand lodge held yards distant, noticed the team and mover standing idle for about half an hour. Investigating, he found his son dead on the fence, both hands clasping the wire.

the coroner's office, Nebraska Power of the order and proved very enjoycompany linemen were making repairs on electric light wires about able to all those in attendance.

wires and the current of high volt-



From this City at the Lincoln causing almost instant death. Meeting, Gives Report.

From Tuesdas's Daily.

Last evening the members if the panied by the two sisters. Mrs. Wil-Bud of Promise lodge, Rebekahs, en- liam Shea and Mrs. Ray Sawyer, and joyed a vory fine time at their lodge the funeral services will be held here

COMMISSIONERS IN SESSION

Despite the fact that this was elec-

tion day and that two of the mem-

bers of the board were up for re-

From Tuesday's Daffy.

which was largely taken up by the made his home. at Lincoln a few weeks ago, and in her usual clear and concise manner. Mrs. Short laid the proceedings of the supreme body of the state before the local membership.

According to the investigator of bers during the session on the good Brief remarks were made by mem-

At the close of the business see, acquired fame by cleaning the streets. At the close of the business ser-screened the view from Mr. Smith, and allowed the wires, which were of the high tension type, to fall on pared by the committee in charge the man power in the crection of a the tence. Investigation showed the fight the light the





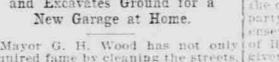
CORONER'S JURY

AT OMAHA HOLDS

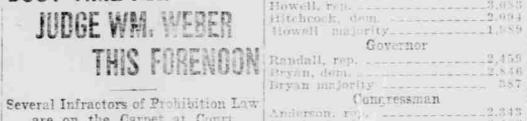
Mows the Weeds, Cleans Up Streets and Excavates Ground for a New Garage at Home.

Mayor G. H. Wood has not only !

an entrance from the alley. Here is







are on the Carpet at Court and Receive Fines. From Monday's Daily

The body of Hugh Riley was The nuchinery of justice in the Storm, rep. 2.375 greatest meetings ever held in the According to Turner, when he was brought to this city last evening on No. 14 over the Burlington, accoun-

Heinrichsen and Sherin Quinton Sayles, rep. _____2.928 present day Sunday school and a fine doctor." Last evening Officen Johes and Beinrichsen and Sherin Quinton rounded up three men mar the Mhe-souri Pacific denot who and evident-by been indulging far too freely in the torbidden liquor or at least two of the party were so fixed. Two of Quinton, rep. 22,973

party giving the name of Allie Soi-

of liquor and as a consequence was Gering, dom. _____2.840 of meeting Weeping Water was segiven a fine of \$100 and (once w)ella

Register of Deeds Late Saturday afternoon Charles

of 3.852 to 1.425 or a majority of HUGH RILEY 2,427 for Mr. Gorder: The commissloner led in every precinct of the ounty by a large vote. **KILLED IN OM-**

Mrs Edna Shannon for register of dends scon by a majority of \$53 over Mrs. Katherine Minor, democrat, her marsst rival, with Emil Hild third with 921 votes.

The net result was that the court ouse will have the same officials with the exception that Miss Gering will move from deputy to the chief in the office of treasurer.

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Howell, rep. _____3.083 Hitchcock, deug. _____2.094 HoweH majority_____1,089

State Senator

County Treasurer

Very Large Attendance.

Morehead, de., _____2.462 From Wednesday's Dally Tidd pro 792 Morehead majoricy 119

the other was a friend and one of the Onlineon majority ______ 40 with the fixing of the next place of without ball pending the inquest meeting and the election of officers which will be held this afternoon at ensen was possessed of a quantity Adams, rep. _____2,752 for the ensuing year. As the place 2 o'clock,

pelected;

Eveland, Elmwood.

MAKER IN ROW From Monday's Daily. While attempting to act as peace maker in the family of friends in

Omaha yesterday, Hugh Riley, former well known resident of Platts-MEETING IS HELD nouth, was struck and killed by Seorge Turner at the Turner home, 1609 Leavenworth street.

FORMER PLATTSMOUTH MAN IS

KILLED ACTING AS PEACE-

AHA SUNDAY

At the time of the tragedy Riley that Turner was having with his mother-in-inw. Mrs. Elizabeth Short, and in defense of the woman, who had been struck by Turner.

The injured man died before the The Cass County Sunday School police arrived at the Turner home association closed their convention at and had a severe bruise above his Louisville yesterday after one of the right eye, the police report.

 Weder was childen away from the morning repast to insten down to court to start in on the disposition of three cases that were awaiting him.
 State Ecoresentative Davis, rep.
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 Strengen of the program prepend for the consideration of the dele-sates at the meeting.
 Mothersin-law was getting very men-ed. 'I just pushed him and he fell sates at the meeting.

 Inc.
 Davis, rep.
 2.589
 Strengen of the problems of the bavis melority
 107 the consideration of the dele-sates at the meeting.
 with a heavy thud against the floor.'' said Turner. 'I thought he was un-discussion of the problems of the conscious. I called the police and the conscious. I called the police and the

Mr. Riley was a resident here for death of his mother, some seven President - George P. Shackley, years ago, he removed to Omaha highest esteem and who was quiet

if this city and the news of the tra-

gedy came as a severe shock to them

as they did not learn of the death of the brother until late this morn-

ng. The sisters departed for Omaha

t once to attend the inquest. The

VERY PLEASANT SURPRISE

On her 12th birthday analyersary

ANALANANANANANANANANANANANANA

Miss Florence Kaufman was given a

very pleasant surprise by a number

of her young friends and the occas-

Plattsmouth for burial.

From Wednesday's Dally

mily expects to bring the body to

age had passed through the fence. Causing the posts to burn and which W. C. T. U. LADIES attracted the attention of Mr. Smith and led to his death.

Death was instantaneous according to Dr. A. S. Pinto, city health officer, who examined the body.

service this noon states that the officers of the Nebraska Power company claim that there had been a wire down near the Smith home, but From Tuesday's Datly. that it had been repaired an hour | Yesterday afternoon the home of two cars in the basement and one before Smith left home for the field Mrs. C. C. Wescott was the scene of in the building proper. One stal where he was killed, but this state- an unusually pleasant gathering of ment does not fit with the finding of the members of the W. C. T. U. spthe official investigator sent out from , ciety and an exceptionally large numthe coroner's office

The deceased young man had been | During the afternoon a very



Prospects are Now that Jury Term, by all of the members of the party. May be Delayed Allowing the Judge to Hold Court.

District Judge James T. Begley, ent who is to hold court in Omaha commencing the 15th of November, may find it possible to carry on the work STORM HOLDS of the November term here as well as handling the Omaha district for a few weeks.

In the last few days there has been a number of cases dismissed that will. almost make it unnecessary to call. a jury or at least not at the opening of court and this fact will give Judge Begley an opportunity of dis-posing of cases in his spare time from Five Union Pacific Trains Stalled in the quiet and unassuming life of the Dunha court.

That the judge may find it possible to hold court here will be the source of much pleasure to the mem- From Monday's Dativbers of the Cass county bar as they

MANY, MANY BALLOTS

From Tuesday's Daily.

he very agreeable.

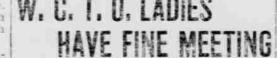
The voters today were confronted ing without unusual delay. with many ballots to handle in the exercise of the franchise and which especially to those unacquainted with down and a heavy snow storm is prevailing.

use of the hallot made the voting a complicated job. There was the general ballot that contained the names of the party candidates for the state and county offices, the spe- From Monday's Daily

cial ballot, containing the names of | This afternoon Andy Schmader dethe candidates for the vacancy in parted for Wichita, Kansas, where congress, the non-partisan ballot he will have a fight in the next. with the names of the candidates week with one of the scrapping In-there will be a half block of brick for state and county superintendent dians who has been making a great and the questions submitted to the impression in the sporting world in voters under the referendum law, the southwest. The friends of Andy ing was witnessed by a large number law limiting the right to start new est hopes of his victory.

banks and the law that would abolish the selection of party delegates PLASTERING AND MASON WORK. and committeemen at the primary elections.

Blank books at the Journal Office, No. 593-W, Plattsmouth. tf-sw. seven miles due south of Ashland. Iyears ago."



The Omaha Daily News radio news ervice this noon states that the of-Mrs. C. C. Wescutt Mondar.

Large Number Present.

has been engaged by his neighbor. w. F. Diers and he will occupy the other two himself.

If it is more convenient his Cadilber of the ladies were in attendance. lac will occupy a stall on the main married three years and is survived pleasing program was given as well floor, which is entered from the by the widow, the father and moth- as the discussion of the questions of lawn, and at other times it may hole er, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith, and two sisters. Mrs. Guy French of Minne-apolls and Mrs. T. B. Bates of this city.

readings were given by Mesdames John F. Gorder, J. E. Wiles, James FUNERAL SERV-A delightful vocal number "Beau-ICES OF MRS. ELIZtiful Nebraska," was given by Miss Jelen Wescott and an instrumental election by Miss Helen Wiles at the **ABETH MANN HELD** dano that was very much enjoyed

> Held From Home of Her Son, George B. Mann, Saturday Afternoon -Interment at Oak Hill.

From Monduy's Daily The funeral services of the late

to the memory of this long time resident of the city there were a large cumber of the friends in attendance. The services, in accordance with

Snow in Wyoming-Storm is Raging in That State.

GRIP TODAY

(Omnha News Radio Service) that he would not preside over the trains, including the Los Angeles At the conclusion of the departed lady, danger to the one walking is not Fidd, 792. November term and this change will and Overland Limited are stalled in at the home the body was taken to and easily avoids, but from those

At an appropriate hour a dainty

luncheon was served that aided in

making the day one of the greatest

of pleasure to all of the ladies pres-

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been indefinitely annulled.

West of Kimball, Nebraska, on the Union Pacific, telegraph lines are

GOING TO KANSAS

street near the Burlington station na Breeze, and two layers were on hand to start the work while they had a number of local men assisting in the carrylaid each day. The start of the pav-

From Monday's Dafly.

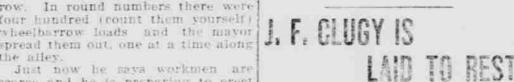
FOR SALE

START LAYING BRICK



For all kinds of plastering, brick

in his work in earnest. The excavat-penarge of intextation and received Minor, dem. _____1.848 ng was done with pick and shovel a fine of \$10 and rosis which was Hild, pro. 921 and the dirt hauled in a wheelbar- paid. and the dirt hauled in a wheelbar- baid



Just now he says workmen are scarce and he is preparing to erect the garage himself. It will admit

Services at Home Largely Attended -Odd Fellows Have Service at the Grave.

e num Monday's Frails

The funeral services of J. F. Cluzy has presided over this office since Edith Clizbe, Weeping Water, were held yesterday at the home on 1965, was given the race of his life North Ninth street and very largely with Edward W. Thimgan of Murattended, the members of the L O, dock, the progressive candidate, only 0. F. taing present in a body. The force vates behind the sheriff at

Rev. W. A. Taylor of Union held the boon with Weeping Water yet to preaching service and spoke briefly bear from, but it was expected that of the work of the departer as a in this precinct the sheriff would add

I the decensed that Mrs. Morgan as-ist in the service and a quarter large uniority yound up in the counomposed of Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. try districts by Miss Gering, the dem-

Georgia Nelson, Don C. York and E. ocratic candidate, who, at noon, was imparently safe with a lead of 51 H. Wessold sang h number. The pall bearers were selected votes, the only remaining precluct from among the old friends and life- not being large enough to endanger

long associates and these laid the her standing in the rate, body to its last long rest in Oak Hill In the buille for county attorney connetery. At the grave the Odd Fel- there was a very interesting battle Mrs. Elizabeth Mann were held on lows conducted their ritualistic ser- with County Attorney Cole and J. A. Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from vice, Joseph Warga officiating as Capwell running down the home the home of the son, George B. Mann | chaplain, T. B. Peterson as noble stretch while A. H. Duxbury, proon Vine street, and to pay tribute grand and Michael Hild as marshal, gressive candidate, polled a heavy vote and carried Plattsmouth by a

large majority which assisted In checking the democratic vote here

pressive. The Rev. Wilbur S. Leete driver, does not apply to the podes-With one precinct missing John H. of St. Luke's church held the ser- trian. People who have occusion to Moreehad is the winner in Cass counvice and during the service, Mrs. E. Walk along the country roads or on ty by 119 over Walter L. Anderson, H. Wescott sang "Asleep in Jesus," the streets, especially at night, should his opponent, the vote being, Moreone of the songs that had been so keep to the left, facing traffic. The head, 2,462; Anderson, 2,843, and

Senator Hitchcock fared badly in the returns as Howell had a lead in the snow and storm on the Wyoming Oak Hill cemetery where it was laid which come upon him from the rear. the county of 1,989 on the face if lines of the railroad and they have to rest. The pall bearers were Wil- Dimmer lights required by law and the unofficial returns. Errors in this Ham H. and George B. Mann, George by courtesy make it very difficult for Lincoln report their line as operat-ing without unusual delay. and Karl Thomas, Val Burkle and the driver to see a pelestrian at the Joseph Peoples. side of the road until he is almost may give the senator a slight gain. but which will not affect materially the great majority of Howell.

upon him. If the pedestrian is wear-In the race for state senator, W. ing dark colored garments, it is still E. Banning of Union was the winner: harder to distinguish him. An un-

by a majority of 314 in the county wise or unexpected turn by either and added to his votes in Otoc and party in that moment of surprise and Sarpy county will give him a great This afternoon the first of the new confusion may result in fatal acci- majority over his opponent, A. F. brick on Main street was laid, the dent. For his own safety the pedeswork starting at the lower end of the trian should keep to the left.-Gret- Sturm of Nehawka.

Charles W. Bryan, democrat for governor, was an easy winner in the ounty over Charles H. Randall, having a load of 314 in the county and one precinct to hear from.

The society department of the George Sayles, the republican can-Harrisburg (Pa.) Telegraph contains didate for county clerk, was one of the anti-picketing law, the registra-tion of voters in rural districts, the law limiting the sight and with the highthe following of much interest to the race horses in the contest at the Plattsmouth, Nebraska, are visiting sive candidate, was a poor third in

Mr. Dodge's sisters, Mrs. C. T. Fleck, the race 107 Calder street, and Mrs. Miles In the county Fred H. Gorder, the Choice pure bred Chester White Coyle, 2247 North Fourth street, Mr. efficient county commissioner from male hogs. March and April farrow, and Mrs. Dodge were formerly of the third district, had the record and concrete work, call telephone At farmers' prices .- K. E. Sedman, this city, locating in the west 39 breaker, as he defeated his opponent. H. R. Schmidt of Murdock, by a vote

Department SuperIntendents and peaceful at all times and one o Children - Mrs. Robert Alford, the last persons in the world to start trouble. He was a brother of Mrs. Young People-Mrs. A. G. Hollo- William Shen and Mrs. Ray Sawyer

Commissioner, 2nd District well, Piattsmouth. Inrris, rep. _____2.727 Adult-Luther L. Pickett, Platts-Stollman, dem. _____2.3.36 mouth. Barris majority ______ 291 Home-Miss Ella Atchison, Elm-

Commissioner, 3rd District Wood.

order, dem. _____3.825 Louisville. The election in Case county yes, ing Water, where one filled with surprises Missionary-Mrs. H. G. McClusky, Pastors-Rev. C. A. Rose, Weep-

nd showed a strong sentiment on Plattsmouth. the part of the voters to scratch their Temperance - Mrs. Charles E.

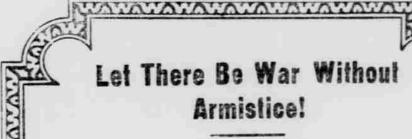
chets for the ones they desired, and Noyes, Louisville, is a result Shorid C. D. Quinton, who School Administration - Miss

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A PLEASANT OCCASION

ion prove done of the greatest. The Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilcox are re- time was spent in games and a genjoicing over the arrival af their home legal good time and followed by very of a fine little daughter, who made dainty refreshments in the serving her appearance on Friday and whose of which the hostess was assisted by

advent has brought the greatest of Mrs. Hillard Grassman, Those in atdelight to the fond parents as well tendance were: Martha Gorder, Marof the relatives gave words of com- a large vote for the progressive tick- as to Grandpa and Grandma Wilcox tha Smith, Antinsa McCrary, Thelma ort and cheer. During the services of and in this W. T. Adams, the re- and Grandpa R. L. Propst, who came Krochier, Violet Lamphere, Catherirs. Mae Morgan gave a solo num- publican candidate for county treas- from Florida in time to greet the lit- ine McCarty, Jacqueline Grassman. r, it being one of the last requests uper, was the beneficiary, as he won the lady on her arrival. The many George Rebal, Joe Buttery, William friends join in wishing the little lady Smith, Oren Rogers, John and Chara long and very happy life in the ley Lamphere, William Galloway and Frederick Gorder. years to come.

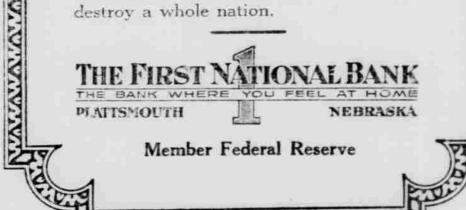


November 11th we again commemorate the signing of the Armistice which closed the World War.

To make peace in the interest of humanity, to lay aside hatred and malice, is the part of great nations, of great people.

There are greater dangers however than war or invasion. One is a mode of living which inevitably turns life's freedom into a harrassed existence.

Against EXXTRAVAGANCE, public and private, let there be war without armistice! Unchecked, it can from within destroy a whole nation.



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VISITING IN THE EAST

At the conclusion of the services from approaching cars, which he sees

DON'T WORK BOTH WAYS "Keep to the right," the first and for Capwell and will leave Cole with Mrs. Mann, were simple and very im- greatest commandment for the auto a majority of 252 on the face of the pressive. The Rev. Wilhur S. Leete driver, does not apply to the poles.

"bristian gentleman and to the sor- once to his uniority.

owing wife and daughter and other | The city of Plattsmouth rolled up

