REAL ESTATE LOANS
(Continued.)

OFFICE OF THE OMAHA AND NORTH Platte Railroad Company, Omaha, Neb., Nov. 9, 1907.—To the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha and North Platte Railroad company will be held at the office of the company in Omaha, Neb., at 4 o'clock p. m., on January 13, 1908, for the purpose of acting upon the question of selling the railroad, property and franchises of this company to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid being now under lease to the said company. By order of the board of directors, W. P. Durkee, Secretary. N10d90t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—THE ANnual meeting of the stockholders of The South Omaha and Western Railroad Company for the election of seven directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the office of A. L. Mohler, corner of Ninth and Farnam streets, Omaha, Nebraska, on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, A. D., 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m. T. M. ORR, Secretary. D28d12t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Bee Building company will be held at 4 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at the office of said company in The Bee building, Omaha, for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

C. C. ROSEWATER, Secretary.

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RAILROAD TIME CARD

UNION STATION—10TH & MARCY.

Union Pacific.

	Leave.	Arrive.
The Overland Limited	a 3:50 am	a 9:40 pm
The Colorado Express	a 3:50 pm	a 5:00 pm
Atlantic Express		a10:15 am
The Oregon Express	a4:10 pm	a 5:00 pm
The Los Angeles Lim	a12:35 pm	a 9:15 pm
The Fast Mail	a 9:30 am	a 5:45 pm
China & Japan Mail	a 4:00 pm	a 5:50 pm
Colo.-Chicago Special	a12:10 am	a 7:06 am
Beatrice & Stromsburg Local	b12:30 pm	b 1:40 pm
North Platte Local	a 7:42 am	a 4:15 pm

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific.

EAST.		
Chicago Limited	a 3:00 am	a11:05 pm
Iowa Local	a 6:30 am	a 4:30 pm
Des Moines Passenger	a 4:00 pm	a12:30 pm
Iowa Local	b11:40 am	b 9:55 pm
Chicago (Eastern Ex)	a 4:30 pm	a 1:35 pm
Chicago Flyer	a 6:00 pm	a 8:35 am
WEST.		
Rocky Mountain Lim	a11:15 pm	a 2:50 am
Colo. & Cal. Ex	a 1:35 pm	a 4:40 pm
Okl. & Texas Ex	a 4:40 pm	a 2:45 pm
Lincoln-Fairbury Pass	b 8:45 am	b10:35 am

Missouri Pacific.

K. C. & St. L. Exp	a 9:00 am	a 6:45 am
K. C. & St. L. Exp	a11:15 pm	a 5:50 pm

Chicago Great Western.

St. Paul-Minneapolis	8:30 pm	7:30 am
St. Paul-Minneapolis	7:30 am	11:35 pm
Chicago Limited	6:05 pm	8:27 am
Chicago Express	7:30 am	11:35 pm
Chicago Express	3:30 pm	3:30 pm

Chicago & Northwestern.

Chicago Daylight	a 7:35 am	a11:45 pm
St. Paul-Minn. Exp	a 7:50 am	a10:00 pm
Chicago Local	a11:30 am	a 3:28 pm
Sioux City Passenger	a 7:50 am	a 3:28 pm
Chicago Passenger	a 4:30 pm	a 9:45 am
Chicago Special	a 6:00 pm	a 8:23 am
St. Paul-Minn. Limited	a 8:28 pm	a 9:00 am
Los Angeles Limited	a 9:30 pm	a12:35 pm
Overland Limited	a10:00 pm	a 8:23 am
Fast Mail		a 9:04 am
Sioux City Local	a 3:50 pm	a 9:20 am
Fast Mail		a 3:35 pm
Twin City Limited	a 8:28 pm	a 9:00 am
Norfolk-Bonesteel	a 7:50 am	a 5:40 pm
Lincoln-Long Pine	b 7:50 am	a10:35 am
Deadwood-Lincoln	a 3:00 pm	a 5:40 pm
Casper-Shoshoni	a 3:00 pm	a 5:40 pm
Hastings-Superior	b 3:00 pm	b 5:40 pm
Fremont-Albion	b 5:35 pm	b 1:35 pm

Illinois Central.

Chicago Express	a 7:15 am	a 3:45 pm
Minn. & St. Paul Exp	b 7:30 am	a 8:55 pm
Chicago Limited	a 6:00 pm	a 8:30 am
Minn. & St. Paul Lim	a 3:30 pm	a 8:30 am

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.

Chi. & Colo. Special	a 7:25 am	a11:50 pm
Cal. & Ore. Express	a 6:00 pm	a 2:25 pm
Overland Limited	a 9:38 pm	a 8:30 am
Perry Local	a 5:15 pm	a11:00 am

Wabash.

St. Louis Express	a 6:30 pm	a 8:30 am
St. Louis Local (from Council Bluffs)	a 9:30 am	a11:15 pm
Stanberry Local (from Council Bluffs)	b 5:00 pm	b10:15 am

BURLINGTON STA.—10TH & MASON.

Burlington.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Denver & California	a 4:10 pm	a 3:45 pm
Northwest Special	a 4:10 pm	a 3:45 pm
Black Hills	a 4:10 pm	a 3:45 pm
Northwest Express	a11:50 pm	a10:15 pm
Nebraska points	a 8:45 am	a 6:10 pm
Nebraska Express	a 9:15 am	a 6:10 pm
Lincoln Fast Mail	b 1:45 pm	a12:11 pm
Lincoln Local		b 9:08 am
Lincoln Local		a10:15 pm
Lincoln Local		a 7:50 pm
Schuyler - Plattsmouth	b 3:10 pm	b10:20 am
Bellevue - Plattsmouth	a 8:00 pm	a 8:50 am
Plattsmouth-Iowa	b 9:18 am	
Bellevue-Plattsmouth		b 1:30 pm
Denver Limited	a 4:10 pm	a 7:25 am
Chicago Special	a 7:40 am	a11:45 pm
Chicago Express	a 4:20 pm	a 3:55 pm
Chicago Flyer	a 6:30 pm	a 8:30 am
Iowa Local	a 9:15 am	a11:20 am
St. Louis Express	a 4:45 pm	a11:30 am
Kansas City & St. Joe	a10:45 pm	a 6:30 am
Kansas City & St. Joe	a 9:15 am	a 6:10 pm
Kansas City & St. Joe	a 4:45 pm	

WEBSTER STA.—15TH & WEBSTER.

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Twin City Passenger	b 6:30 am	b 9:10 pm
Sioux City Passenger	a 3:05 pm	a10:50 am
Emerson Local	c 8:45 am	c 5:55 pm

Missouri Pacific.

Auburn Local	b 3:50 pm	b11:25 am

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Sheep and Lambs in Fair Receipt for a Holiday, With Trade Active and Prices Strong to Ten or Fifteen Higher.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 1, 1908.

Receipts were.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	2,418	3,664	3,275
Official Tuesday	2,656	12,418	2,114
Estimate Wednesday	1,175	7,300	2,450
Three days this week	6,249	23,382	8,839
Same days last week	2,580	10,236	1,919
Same days 2 weeks ago	11,794	15,616	12,696
Same days 3 weeks ago	15,464	21,073	22,171
Same days 4 weeks ago	14,723	13,784	17,645
Same days last year	10,145	10,830	12,524

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year, compared with last year:

	1908.	1907.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	1,175	2,289	.....	1,114
Hogs	7,300	2,589	4,711	.....
Sheep	2,450	4,709	.....	2,259

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date.	1908.	1907.	1906.	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.
Dec. 22	....	*	6 06	4 99	4 28	4 29	6 15
Dec. 23	....	4 44	*	4 96	4 29	4 46	6 15
Dec. 24	....	4 36	6 13	*	4 42	4 48	6 27
**Dec. 25	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec. 26	....	4 29	6 21	5 00	4 42	4 54	6 36
Dec. 27	....	4 29	6 15	5 06	4 22	*	6 45
Dec. 28	....	4 44	6 16	4 92	4 56	4 61	*
Dec. 29	....	*	6 22	5 09	4 57	4 49	6 51
Dec. 30	....	4 40	*	5 08	4 52	4 51	6 55
Dec. 31	....	4 32	6 24	*	4 47	4 64	6 15
Jan. 1	....	6 24	5 14	*	4 64	6 22	6 22

*Sunday. **Christmas.

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
C., M. & St. P.	1	3	..
Wabash	1	1	..
Missouri Pacific	1	1	..
Union Pacific system	10	24	4
C. & N. W., east	3	2	..
C. & N. W., west	11	25	1
C., St. P., M. & O.	1	4	7
C., B. & Q., east	2	6	1
C., B. & Q., west	10	22	1
C., R. I. & P., east	7	3	.
C., R. I. & P., west	..	1	..
Illinois Central	..	2	..
Chicago Great Western	..	4	..
Total receipts	50	101	14

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	192	811	714
Swift and Company	217	1,784	425
Cudahy Packing Co.	293	2,048	1,421
Armour & Co.	258	2,286	627
Armour, from Denver	84	....	....
Vansant & Co.	8	....	....
Lobman & Co.	1	....	....
Hill & Son	6	....	....
F. P. Lewis	6	....	....
Hamilton & Rothschild	5	....	....
L. Wolf	12	....	....
Mike Haggerty	2	....	....
J. B. Root & Co.	12	....	....
T. B. Inghram	1	....	....
Lehmer Bros.	29	....	....
Other buyers	19	....	....
Totals	1,206	6,969	3,191

CATTLE—Receipts this morning were very light, the estimated run being only 50 cars, with not all of them in sight when the market opened. It was very evident that packers wanted a few cattle, as they were out early in the morning. They were very free buyers and everything in sight that would do to kill changed hands very readily. The prices paid were safely strong to 10c higher than yesterday. This would apply to everything having any kill to it whether steers or cow stuff.

There were no stockers or feeders in sight but judging from the fact that there was considerable inquiry a few cattle of that description would undoubtedly have commanded strong prices at least.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice corn-fed steers, $5.00@5.30; fair to good corn-fed steers, $4.40@5.00; common to fair corn-fed steers, $2.50@4.40; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.30@4.15; fair to good cows and heifers, $2.75@3.30; common to fair cows and heifers, $1.50@2.75; good to choice stockers and feeders, $3.75@4.25; fair to good stockers and feeders, $3.25@3.75; common to fair stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.25.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
7	900	3 40	18	1275	4 75
7	908	3 85	30	1130	5 35
6	991	4 00	21	1006	4 35
2	930	4 10	49	958	4 35
1	1000	4 25	11	1043	4 45
22	1014	4 65	16	1204	5 00
17	1045	4 50	17	1409	5 10
20	1042	4 50	40	1404	5 15
21	1198	4 70	20	1280	5 25

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	1050	2 15	20	904	2 35
5	948	2 25	6	908	2 50
3	1060	2 25	7	947	2 50
4	945	2 50	3	846	2 50
3	754	2 50	8	823	2 75
9	861	2 60	6	1053	2 85
11	994	2 65	2	855	2 85
3	983	2 85	2	1065	2 90
4	895	3 00	5	1060	3 00
2	1190	3 10	3	1074	3 00
10	1026	3 25	2	1006	3 00
5	1066	3 25	1	1120	3 20
2	1045	3 25	9	1079	3 25
1	965	3 35	19	1000	3 30
12	981	3 40	5	1204	3 30
7	1028	3 45	10	1065	3 35
3	1066	3 45	11	1085	3 35
27	859	3 45	6	988	3 35
26	994	3 75	9	1235	3 50
16	1109	3 75	3	972	3 50
1	1419	4 05	11	1158	3 60
2	820	2 00	3	1118	3 60
4	900	2 15	16	1174	3 70

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
16	751	2 75	41	612	3 30
1	810	3 25	2	580	3 15
4	395	3 50	26	552	3 45
2	1085	3 75			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1145	2 00	1	580	2 00
1	1360	2 00	1	1250	2 95
2	1410	2 10	1	1140	3 15
1	1750	2 40	1	1500	3 25
2	1550	2 75	1	1750	3 25
1	1280	2 85	1	1170	3 35
1	980	2 90	1	1820	3 35

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	250	4 25	1	120	6 25
5	128	5 25	6	281	4 75
1	130	6 25			

HOGS—The market opened about steady this morning, but strengthened up until it was a shade higher. The trade was at no time very active, due in part to the fact that salesmen were very bullish in their ideas and were determined to secure every cent possible out of their holdings. Still the hogs kept changing hands, a good many of them selling inside the range of $4.32½@4.37½. In other words, a good many of the hogs sold at and right around $4.35. Taking the market as a whole it was steady to a little stronger than yesterday.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
73	180	250	4 17½	67	202	200	4 25
78	209	160	4 25	70	218	40	4 25
71	219	40	4 30	62	265	320	4 25
63	280	...	4 30	72	240	40	4 25
80	225	120	4 30	47	256	80	4 25
57	258	200	4 30	68	270	240	4 25
54	202	80	4 30	62	272	160	4 30
61	209	160	4 30	74	227	80	4 30
67	182	...	4 30	78	259	...	4 30
56	212	80	4 30	75	219	80	4 30
66	265	160	4 30	72	185	...	4 30
73	214	40	4 32½	61	278	...	4 30
47	250	40	4 32½	62	242	120	4 30
57	232	40	4 32½	58	196	...	4 30
72	209	...	4 30	73	234	80	4 30
63	225	120	4 30	74	226	160	4 30
85	179	160	4 30	80	203	...	4 30
87	203	...	4 30	62	271	160	4 30
88	196	...	4 30	54	263	280	4 30
106	187	80	4 30	78	240	80	4 30
171	181	80	4 30	73	242	200	4 30
81	202	...	4 30	62	258	40	4 35
84	182	120	4 30	77	250	200	4 35
75	221	...	4 32½	115	214	160	4 35
42	219	...	4 32½	118	235	80	4 35
81	227	80	4 32½	66	252	120	4 35
73	203	...	4 32½	87	179	...	4 35
64	242	160	4 32½	77	247	...	4 35
65	204	...	4 32½	60	224	...	4 35
78	219	140	4 32½	65	237	160	4 35
76	192	...	4 32½	62	256	280	4 35
74	237	230	4 32½	49	258	80	4 37½
77	238	80	4 32½	56	259	120	4 37½
68	221	...	4 32½	62	274	200	4 37½
79	231	200	4 32½	71	262	...	4 37½
73	244	80	4 32½	77	217	160	4 37½
64	269	160	4 32½	61	250	160	4 37½
59	234	...	4 32½	58	242	200	4 40
62	235	320	4 32½	59	257	40	4 40
67	229	120	4 32½	79	213	...	4 40
63	276	120	4 35	62	246	40	4 40
73	207	80	4 35	62	253	120	4 40
80	252	140	4 35	70	262	...	4 40
81	194	120	4 35				

SHEEP—Receipts of sheep were quite liberal this morning for a holiday, ten cars being in sight when the market opened, with five more reported back. The market opened early in the morning and active. The prices paid were anywhere from strong to a good 10c higher. In fact, some were quoting it as strong to 10@15c higher than yesterday. Pretty good kinds of ewes sold up to $4.50, with yearlings as high as $5.50 and a pretty good kind of lambs at $6.50.

Quotations on good to choice fed sheep and lambs: Lambs, $6.25@6.60; yearling wethers, $5.00@5.25; yearling wethers, handy

light weights, $5.25@5.50; wethers, $4.40@4.75; ewes, $4.00@4.50.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
461	western lambs	82	6 25
4	western cull ewes	97	3 00
17	western ewes	108	4 25
250	west. yearlings and wethers	90	4 75
52	western lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
31	west. yearlings, cull lambs	85	5 25
221	western ewes	104	4 [illegible]
2	western wethers	107	4 90
29	western cull ewes	91	2 50
206	western lambs	71	6 50
250	western yearlings	[illegible]	[illegible]
248	western lambs	69	6 15
28	western cull lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
229	western ewes	105	4 50
172	western yearlings	90	5 50
68	western yearlings	114	5 30
4	western cull yearlings	100	[illegible]
4	western ewes	56	4 50
122	west. wethers and yearlings	106	4 75
47	western lambs	40	[illegible]

Among those on the market this morning with hogs were: J. W. Howe, Bagley, Ia.; Herman Depheide, Templeton, Ia.; C. H. Kruse, Silver City, Ia.; Gramkow & Schley, Persia, Ia.; Tilden Elevator company, Tilden; J. M. Hellar, Sutton; Burgess & Neal, Kennard; Martin & O., Carson, Ia.; James Moore, Ulysses; F. Henline, Odessa; S. S. Griffin, Martel; Biles & Parks, Ashland; De Cou Bros., Woodbine, Ia.; A. P. Purbaugh, Eagle; E. W. Closson & Co., Sholes; J. Bittle, Lanesboro, Ia.; Benson & E., Central City; J. Ferguson, Dorchester; John Hermelbrecht, Bancroft; Ray Virgin, Utica; J. W. Berr, Waco; A. Barnett, Lushton; Greeley Live Stock company, Greeley; H. G. Bryan, North Loup; A. Schroeder, Morse Bluffs; Woodruff & F., Eddyville; Murty Bros., Verona; W. T. Meador, Herman; J. M. Cox, Hampton; F. R. Henderson, Hastings, Ia.; Dales & M., Harlan, Ia.; M. C. Inman, Shenandoah, Ia.; J. Martin, Ceresco; John Frederick, Callaway; J. Morseman, Wisner.

Cattle receipts included these shipments: H. Benson, Underwood, Ia.; R. C. Hopp, Glenwood, Ia.; G. Shur, Uhling; J. H. & F. W. Chase, Clearwater; P. Bostwick, Woodbine, Ia.; Henry Renner, Howells.

N. J. Ryan was on the market today with a nice load of beef steers from Underwood.

Among those here today with sheep were: C. M. Holiday, Tekamah; George W. Davis, Lyons; W. W. Phipps, Glenwood, Ia.; J. P. Cameron, Tekamah.

August Menn of Dodge had both cattle and hogs on today's market.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,800 head; market 10@15c higher; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.30@5.60; fair to good, $3.90@5.00; western steers, $3.60@4.60; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.25; southern steers, $2.50@4.50; southern cows, $2.00@2.10; native cows, $2.15@4.25; native heifers, $3.00@4.60; bulls, $2.50@4.00; calves, $4.00@6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,600 head; market strong to 5c higher; top $4.55; bulk of sales, $4.40@4.50; heavy, $4.45@4.55; packers, $4.40@4.52½; pigs and lights, $3.90@4.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,900 head; market strong; top lambs, $6.75; lambs, $5.75@6.75; ewes and yearlings, $4.00@4.75; western yearlings, $5.00@5.75; western sheep, $3.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.00.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 977 head; market active; natives, $4.00@6.75; cows and heifers, $2.75@4.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,256 head; market 5c higher; top, $4.47½; bulk, $4.35@4.45.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 954 head; market 5c higher; lambs, $5.50@6.75.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 400 head; market steady; beeves, $4.00@6.50; cows and heifers, $2.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@3.75; calves and yearlings, $2.25@3.40.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,800 head; market steady, selling at $4.10@4.40; bulk, $4.30@4.35.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Fresh selling eggs, candled, 24c.

BUTTER—Common, 16c; fancy tub and rolls, 17@18c; creamery, 31c.

CHEESE—New full cream, Wisconsin twins, 17½c; new full cream brick, 17c; domestic new Swiss, 18c; new limburger, 15@16c; young Americans, 17½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Springs, 7½c; hens, 7½c; roosters, 3c; ducks, 9c; geese, 9c; turkeys, 13c; pigeons, 60c per doz.

DRESSED POULTRY—Springs, fancy, 9c; hens, 8@8½c; roosters, 4c; ducks, 10c; geese, 10c; turkeys, 16@17c.

HAY—Choice No. 1 upland, $10.00; medium, $9.00; No. 1 bottom, $8.00; off grades, from $5.50@6.50. Rye straw, $7.00. No. 1 alfalfa, $11.00.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Florida, per box, $2.25; California-Washington navels, $2.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Florida, per box, $5.50@6.00.

GRAPES—Malaga, heavy weights, per keg, $4.50; Malagas, medium weights, per keg, $4.00.

BANANAS—Port Limons, per bunch, $2.00@2.00.

FIGS AND DATES—Smyrna figs, 7-crown, per lb., 14@15c; Smyrna figs, 6-crown, per lb., 12@13c; Smyrna figs, 4-crown, per lb, 10@11c; California figs, boxes, 10 cartons, 85c; California figs, boxes, 12 cartons, 85c; California figs, bulk, per lb., 5½c; Hallowi dates, per lb., 6½c; Khadrawi dates, per lb., 6c; Sair dates, per lb., 4½c; Fard dates, 12-lb. boxes, per lb, 8c.

LEMONS—Fancy, 300 and 360 size, per box $4.50; extra choice, 300 and 360 size, per box, $4.00.

COCOANUTS—Per sack, $4.50; per dozen, 60c.

FRUITS

APPLES—New York King's, per barrel $5.25; "None Such," per barrel, $4.75; Baldwins, per barrel, $4.75; Greenings, per barrel, $4.75; western box apples, Colorado Jonathans, per box, $2.00; Colorado Grimes Goldens, per box, $2.00; Idaho Jonathans, per box, $2.75; Idaho Winter Bananas, per box, $2.75; Washington Ben Davis, $1.75; Washington Northern Spy, per box, $1.75; Washington Greenings, per box, $2.00; Washington Baldwins per box, $1.75; Washington Rome Beauty, per box, $1.75; Washington fall apples, assorted, per box, $1.50@1.75.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Per bu., 65@75c.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, per lb., 1@1¼c.

ONIONS—Red Globe, per bu., 85@95c; Denia, per crate, $1.35.

SWEET POTATOES—Small bbl., $2.75.

CARROTS—Per bu., 75c.

TURNIPS—Per bu., 50c.

PARSNIPS—Per bu., 75c.

CELERY—Michigan, per bunch, 30@35c.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., No. 1, $2.90; Lima, 7c per lb.

BEEF CUTS.

No. 1 ribs, 14c; No. 2 ribs, 11c; No. 3 ribs, 7½c; No. 1 loin, 15c; No. 2 loin, 13c; No. 3 loin, 9c; No. 1 chuck, 6½c; No. 2 chuck, 5½c; No. 3 chuck, 5c; No. 1 round, 8½c; No. 2 round, 7c; No. 3 round, 6½c; No. 1 plate, 3½c; No. 2 plate, 3c; No. 3 plate, 4½c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are somewhat unsettled by freer offerings from second hands, who seem desirous of moving supplies of immediate grades. Quotations range from 6c to 9c for California fruit and from 5½c to 8c for Oregon. Peaches are very firm, with fancy yellows quoted at 13½c.

NUTS—California walnuts, per lb., 18c; imported walnuts, per lb., 13@15c; Tarragone almonds, per lb., 18c; filberts, per lb., 12c; Brazils, per lb., 13@14c; Pecans, per lb., 12@13c; peanuts, raw, per lb., 7c; peanuts, roasted, per lb., 8c; Italian chestnuts, per lb., 8@9c.

COFFEE—Roasted, No. 35, 26c; No. 30, 21c; No. 25, 19c; No. 20, 14½c.

SUGAR—Granulated, cane, per sack, $5.40; beet, $5.00; cut loaf, 6¾c; cubes, 6½c; powdered, 4.15c.

CANNED GOODS—Corn, standard western, 75c. Tomatoes, fancy, 3-pound cans, $1.45; standard, 3-pound cans, $1.20. Pineapples, grated, 2-pound, $2.20@2.30; sliced, $1.75@1.85. Gallon apples, $4.50. California apricots, $2.25@2.30. Pears, $2.10@2.15. Peaches, $1.90@2.15. L. C. peaches, $2.10@2.15. Alaska salmon, red, $1.40; fancy Chinook, flat, $2.15; fancy sockeye, flat, $2.15. Sardines, quarter oil, $3.00; three-quarters mustard, $2.35. Sweet potatoes, $1.20@1.25. Sauerkraut, 95c. Pumpkins, 85c@$1.00. Lima beans, 2-pound, 75c@$1.25. Soaked beans, 2-pound, 65c; fancy, $1.25@1.45.

FISH—Halibut, 11c; trout, 13c; pickerel, 10c; pike, 14c; pike, fresh, frozen, 11c; whitefish, 14@16c; buffalo, 14c; bullheads, skinned and dressed, 12c; catfish, dressed, 17c; white perch, 7c; white bass, 15c; black bass, 25c; sunfish, 6@9c; crappies, 6@9c; large crappies, 15c; herring, fresh frozen, 6c; whitefish, frozen, 13@15c; pickerel, fresh frozen, 13c; red snapper, 12c; flounders, mackerel, 18@25c per fish; codfish, fresh frozen, 12c; haddock, fresh frozen, 12c; smelts, 13c; shad roe, 65c per lb.; frog legs, 50c per doz.; green sea turtle meat, 25c per lb.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Green salted, No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 4c; bull hides, 3c; green unsalted, No. 1, 4c; green unsalted, No. 2, 3c; horse hides, $1.00@2.50; sheep pelts, 25c@$1.00. Tallow, No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 3½c. Wool, 10@20c.

BOMB FOR DANCING PARTY

No Trace Has Been Discovered of the Perpetrators of the Outrage.

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—A bomb composed of a piece of gaspipe filled with powder and plugged was exploded last night under a window of a hall in East Pierre, in which a private dancing party was being held.

No trace of the perpetrators of the outrage has yet been secured.

EVENTS ON RUNNING TRACKS

Burleigh Wins Green Brae Handicap at Oakland in Close Finish.

BONHEUR TAKES FIRST PLACE

Mare Quoted at 40 to 1 Spreadeagles Her Field and Wins Cleverly — Results on Other Courses.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 1.—In a sensational finish over a sloppy course at Oakland today Burleigh outlasted Cloudlight in the Green Brae handicap. Burning Bush set all the pace and looked a winner, but hung when the real racing began and finished third. Native Son got away nicely, but was shuffled back. Arklirta in his recent races was supported strongly by the talent, but seemed to be anchored by the weight. Entirely overlooked in the betting, Bonheur at 40 to 1, spreadeagled her field in the first race and won cleverly from Altair and Herives. Summary:

First race, five and a half furlongs, selling: Bonheur (98, Rice, 40 to 1) won, Altair (97, Gilbert, 25 to 1) second, Herives (98, Kelly, 2 to 1) third. Time: 1:09⅘. Emma G., Bravourse, Ban Lord, Wilmore, Amada, Alice F., Charety, Bannatyne finished as named.

Second race, six and a half furlongs, selling: Silver Wedding (106, Davis, 15 to 1) won, Herodotus (112, Post, 9 to 5) second, Sister Frances (112, Lentz, 7 to 1) third. Time: 1:22⅘. Meada, Boloman, Peggy O'Neill, Lustiga, Elevation and Hersain finished as named.

Third race, one mile and a sixteenth, selling: All Ablaze (103, Millers, 4 to 1) won, Lassen (104, McClain, 18 to 1) second, Jacomo (110, Lynch, 2 to 1) third. Time: 1:51⅘. Lazell, Lucian, Excitement and Treasure Seeker finished as named.

Fourth race, five and a half furlongs, Green Brae handicap: Burleigh (106, McLain, 3 to 1) won, Cloudlight (110, Davis, 12 to 1) second, Burning Bush (105, Gargan, 12 to 1) third. Time: 1:08. Native Son, Arklirta, Triumphant, Banposal, Collector, Jessup finished as named.

Fifth race, one mile and 70 yards, selling: Funnyside (104, Mentry, 8 to 1) won, Shady Lad (109, Handy, 8 to 1) second, Isabelita (104, Rice, 20 to 1) third. Time: 1:50⅘. Magrane, Huzzah, Santa Ray, Standover, Plaunt, Ethel Abbott and Beechwood finished as named.

Sixth race, six furlongs, purse: Rose Cherry (107, Borel, 4 to 1) won, Plausible (107, McClain, 7 to 5) second, Emily M. (107, Moreland, 20 to 1) third. Time: 1:17. Rosy Light, Wimplee, E. B. H., Furze, Pasadella, Palladini, Mrs. Matthews, Purse Rose and Ramichita finished as named.

Long Shot Wins at Santa Anita.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 1.—F. F. Shaw, held at 20 to 1 in the betting, won the high weigh handicap for all ages at Santa Anita park today by a head from Sir Edward, the 4 to 5 favorite. Shaw ran fifth to the stretch, when he came up and nosed out the favorite. Results:

First race, seven furlongs: Wise Child (111, W. Knapp, 9 to 2) won, Velma (107, Schilling, 2 to 1) second, Louis Cavanaugh (106, Harty, 6 to 1) third. Time: 1:27. Supine, Aromatize, Wolfville, Burnell, Crusoia, Waldorf, Vivian May finished as named.

Second race, five and a half furlongs: Escalante (107, Schilling, 7 to 2) won, Tea Cress (104, Dugan, 7 to 1) second, Talarand (104, Maddox, 40 to 1) third. Time: 1:07. Escamado, Sly Ben, Mansard, The Poet, Lacine, Silver Skin, The Arrowed, Luckett finished as named.

Third race, one mile: King Wilda (101, Milano, 9 to 2) won, Harry Scott (107, Lycurgus, 10 to 1) second, Phil Igoe (109, Martin, (4 to 1) third. Time: 1:39⅘. Line of Life, East End, Uncle Henry, Ed Shereidan, Matador, Lucky Lad and Anona finished as named.

Fourth race, six furlongs: F. E. Shaw (114, Martin, 20 to 1) won, Sir Edward (115, Preston, 4 to 5) second, General Haley (116, Musgrave, 15 to 1) third. Time: 1:13. Creston, Lord Nelson, Preen, Common Sue finished as named.

Fifth race, one mile and an eighth: Baron Esher (107, Ross, 3 to 5) won, Jocund (108, McBride, 4 to 1) second, Christine (102, Dugan, 12 to 1) third. Time: 1:52. Mamie Algol, Gorgalette, Big Bow finished as named.

Sixth race, five and a half furlongs: Old Settler (103, Ross 9 to 5) won, Ruscimo (108, Buxton, 8 to 1) second, Laudable (102, Goldstein, 10 to 1) third. Time: 1:07⅘. Ed B. Baboo, L. C. Widrig, Bal Reid, Catherina F., Hidden Hand, Altar Boy, Harvey Clark finished as named.

Disqualifications at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 1.—Jockey Notter was today suspended for two weeks for his ride on Lancastrian at City Park yesterday, when his mount was disqualified for fouling in the sixth race, after finishing second. Today's sixth race at City Park furnished another disqualification. Husted, at 15 to 1, with Ott up, finished first, but was disqualified for fouling and first place was given to Annaday, the favorite, which finished second. Results:

First race, six furlongs: J. J. Jr., 107 (V. Powers), 20 to 1, won; Prince Hohenlohe, 110 (Notter), 7 to 2, second; Royal Bend, 107 (Lee), 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:13⅗. Constantia, Fire Opal, Idalo, Durable, Tom McAtee, Desharmo, Jim Hill, Ben Logan, May Rowe and Lady Franklin ran.

Second race, steeplechase, short course; selling: Rip, 153 (Archibald), 8 to 5, won; Pete Vinegar, 146 (Welton), 9 to 5, second; Full of Fun, 146 (McCleur), 15 to 1, third. Time: 3:06⅘. Coal Black Lady, Onyx II, Ralph Reese and Merrymaker ran.

Third race, five and a half furlongs; selling: Alsatian, 114 (McDaniel), 4 to 1, won; Melange, 100 (S. Flynn), 40 to 1, second; Bitter Sir, 105 (V. Powers), 2 to 1, third. Time: 1:08⅘. Lorrimer, Dick Rose, Orlandot, Bayou Lark, Third Rail, Ethel Carrax, Bellasess, Esther Brown, Bulkhead and Plutant also ran.

Fourth race, mile and sixteenth; handicap: Pasadena, 114 (V. Powers), 15 to 5, won; Alma Dufour, 105 (Notter), 4 to 5, second; Old Honesty, 112 (J. Lee), 5 to 2, third. Time: 1:46⅘. Plantland ran.

Fifth race, six furlongs: Jacobite, 122 (Notter), 7 to 5, won; Colloquy, 106 (A. Minder), 18 to 5, second; First Premium, 114 (McDaniel), 10 to 1, third. Time: 1:13⅘. Lens, Prince Ahmed, Comedienne and Vehoome ran.

Sixth race, mile and a furlong; selling: Annaday, 102 (Notter), 13 to 10, won; Adesso, 108 (A. Pickens), 12 to 1, second; Louise E. McFarland, 96 (A. Minder), 9 to 5, third. Time: 1:44⅘. Jack Witt, Lady Oakland, Rebounder, Bell The Cat, Athena and Ternus ran.

FORMER OMAHA PITCHER DEAD

John A. Flynn Passes Away at His Massachusetts Home.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—John A. Flynn, formerly a noted pitcher with the Omaha team, and one of the "pony battery" of the Chicago White Sox in 1886, died at his home here today, aged 42, leaving a widow, one son and three daughters. As a pitcher he enjoyed a national reputation in his prime. His famous drop ball and rising inshoot was a puzzler to batsmen. He was with the Omaha team in 1888, going to Halifax, N. S., in 1889 to play independent ball.

WITH THE BOWLERS.

Games in the two-men tournament at the Association alleys:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Read-Reynolds	313	354	282	949
Fritscher-Cochran	380	353	386	1,118

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Read-Reynolds	383	328	320	1,031
Haitch-Conrad	362	318	312	992

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Haitch-Conrad	384	395	318	1,097
Fritscher-Cochran	436	413	302	1,151

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Blakeney-Huntington	422	406	366	1,194
Beselin-Berger	384	331	354	1,069

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Chandler-Gjerde	371	341	368	1,080
Beselin-Berger	371	316	366	1,053

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Hunter-Chatelain	400	325	395	1,120
Chandler-Gjerde	341	360	327	1,028

Last night, on the Metropolitan alleys, the Bicycles won three games from the Daily News. The Daily News team had the last game won up until the last frame, when Rice made an error and lost the game. Gilbreath had high single game with 225, also high total with 623. Score:

OMAHA BICYCLES.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Keyt	171	177	177	525
Hinrichs	157	158	156	471
Drinkwater	134	190	172	496
Gilbreath	225	206	192	623
Hull	192	218	209	594
Totals	850	949	928	2,717

DAILY NEWS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Slawson	156	154	138	
Rice	148	136	138	
Griffith	114	117	158	

CHAMPIONSHIPS IN SPORT, 1907

Amateur athletics	**Martin J. Sheridan**
Archery	**Harry B Richardson**
Automobiling	**Lewis Strang**
Base ball	**Chicago Cubs**
Billiards (amateur)	**Calvin Demarest**
Billiards (prof. 18-1)	**Jacob Schaefer**
Billiards (prof. 18-2)	**George Sutton**
Bowling	**James Levey**
Boxing (heavyweight)	**Thomas Burns**
Boxing (lightweight)	**Joseph Gans**
Boxing (featherweight)	**Abe Attell**
Chess	**Emanuel Lasker**
Fly Casting	**J. H. Bellows**
Golf (open)	**Alec Ross**
Golf (amateur)	**Jerome D. Travers**
Golf (women)	**Margaret Curtis**
Handball	**Oliver Drew**
Jockey	**Walter Miller**
Pool	**Thomas Hueston**
Racquets	**Jay Gould**
Roller Skating	**Harley Davidson**
Roque	**Harold Bosworth**
Rowing	**Frank Bennett**
Shooting (rifle)	**A. D. Berg**
Shooting (trap)	**J. J. Blank**
Shooting (revolver)	**W. G. Krieg**
Skat	**Charles Kuhnick**
Skating (professional)	**Norval Baptie**
Skating (amateur)	**Morris Wood**
Swimming	**C. M. Daniels**
Tennis	**W. A. Larned**
Tennis (western)	**Nat Emerson**
Tennis (women)	**Evelyn Sears**
Tennis (intercollegiate)	**J. F. Gardner**
Wrestling	**Frank Gotch**

Patterson	123	153	182	458
Martin	190	170	187	547
Totals	731	797	913	2,441

Thursday night, Byrne-Hammers and Walter G. Clarks.

NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY

Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.

Serving An Attachment—Polk county's bachelor sheriff, William Ehlers, who was called upon to serve an attachment on a handsome young widow, had the following experience: "Madam, I have an attachment for you." She blushed and said the attachment was reciprocated. "You misunderstand," he said, "you must proceed to court." She told him she knew it was leap year, but she had rather he would do the courting. "Madam," he continued, "this is no time for trifling. The justice is waiting." "Oh, I prefer a minister," she said. "A squire married me the first time, and I had bad luck."—Gresham Gazette.

Nature Fake—A hunting party, comprising Levi Bush and Ben Bronson from this city and Messrs. Hill and Mills from south of the river, went on a hunt for big game Tuesday. In the canyons south of the Republican, it has been known for some time that large animals belonging to the cat tribe existed. These hunters were looking for big game like this, and succeeded in killing two of them. They are called bob-cats by some, while others claim they are a species of lynx. The animals were chased into holes and shot. They were evidently young ones, as the larger of the two weighed but 18 pounds.—Oxford Standard.

About the Wild Thing—J. Bender of Yutan was in the city today and was a caller at the Tribune office. Concerning the recent stories of strange noises and strange happenings which have caused the belief some animal is at large in Saunders county, Mr. Bender says people of the vicinity seem to be greatly wrought up. He is inclined to think, however, that it is a vicious wolf or coyote that killed the stock and that a howling dog or somebody with a siren whistle is responsible for the night cries. Over a week ago Mr. Bender says there was a report current in Yutan that a panther had escaped from a show that was taken through Saunders county by the Union Pacific railroad company, but it could not be verified. He thinks the circulation of this caused undue alarm and that the imaginations of people coupled with pranks of coyotes has caused the reign of terror.—Fremont Tribune.

Country Honesty—E. Toyne butchered a couple of hogs and left them hanging out until after dark to cool. Mindful of past experiences in the chicken line, he set a lighted lantern out between the house and the barn, where the hogs were hung, and kept something of a watch besides. Finally, concluding that it was about time to carry in his meat, he went out and began untying the rope that held one of the animals suspended. He had noticed nothing unusual as he went out except that his barn door stood partly open, but just as he had the rope untied and was shouldering the porker he noticed someone crawling under his cow yard fence, and making swift tracks toward town, soon being swallowed up in the darkness. But for the necessity of dropping his meat on the ground, Mr. Toyne would have accommodated his visitor with a footrace. Carrying his meat to the house he went back and took a look in the barn, but saw nothing unusual, except one foottrack. On looking around in the morning he found where someone, presumably the second party in the proposed deal in pork, had crawled under his north fence, and in doing so had dropped a half dollar from his pocket. While Mr. Toyne did not authorize us to say so, we presume the fellow can have his money by calling and proving property.—Elgin Review.

HAYES AGAIN ARRESTED

Former Receiving Teller of Washington Bank Charged with Making False Entry.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Thomas G. Hayes, formerly receiving teller of the American National bank here, who was arrested December 21 on a warrant alleging embezzlement of $535.32 of the bank's funds, and who was subsequently released on $500 bail pending a hearing, was re-arrested today. The warrant was sworn out by the national bank examiner who has been investigating the books of the bank since Hayes' first arrest. He is now charged with violation of the national banking act, in that on November 14, 1907, he made a false entry showing a deposit by W. F.

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DUN'S REVIEW OF BUSINESS

Commercial Agency Blames Hoarders for Financial Panic.

NORMAL CONDITIONS SEEM NEAR

Complete Restoration Depends Upon Easier Money and Revival of Confidence—Good Prices for Crops.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The withdrawal of $125,000,000 from a few large trust companies, precipitating a season of hoarding and sending currency to a premium at a time when it was most needed throughout the country, is credited in R. G. Dun & Co.'s Annual Review of Trade, published tomorrow, with having been one of the great factors in turning the year 1907 from its promise of new records in prosperity to a closing period of financial disturbance that caused many plans for future extensions of business to be either abandoned or postponed. The restoration of normal conditions, the review declares, depends upon easier money and a revival of confidence, both of which seem nearer today than at any time since October, when the stringency began. While failures were frequent during the last quarter of the year, the review points out that if the comparison is carried back to previous periods of distress there is much cause for congratulation in the insolvency returns.

Text of the Review.

The review says, in part:

The year 1907 started under auspices that seemed bright beyond precedent and the movement of trade attained a velocity that constantly promised new records of prosperity. For almost ten months statistics of production, bank exchanges, railway earnings and other measures of commercial activity compared favorably with any previous year, and in many instances the total for the twelve months was never eclipsed. Products of the farm eclipsed all former records, higher prices more than compensating for smaller crops of some cereals and cotton than in banner years. Immigration and foreign commerce both exceeded any previous year, gold in the treasury rose to $960,000,000, and the amount of money in circulation per capita became greater than ever before, despite a correction in the gold estimate of $135,000 and an increase in population to over 86,600,000.

Conditions changed radically during the last ten weeks of 1907, the financial disturbance that started in October unsettling confidence so completely currency commanded a premium and plans for future extensions of business were abandoned or postponed. Failures were larger than at any time since the crisis of the previous decade, and a number of banks closed, some of them only temporarily. Orders were canceled and new contracts came to the mills so slowly that forces were reduced and production materially curtailed.

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Season of Hoarding.

Probably the year might have ended without any sensationally high quotations for money had it not been for the heavy withdrawals of deposits from a few large trust companies that precipitated a season of hoarding. No accurate figures are available regarding the extent of this movement, but it is estimated by well posted bankers that the cash withdrawn from New York banks alone amounted to $125,000,000 and perhaps four times as much throughout the country.

Insolvencies were not unusually numerous in 1907, despite some increase in the last quarter, but as the year advanced there were more defaults of exceptional size, and liabilities in the fourth quarter exceeded those of any three-month period since 1893. Considering the severity of the financial disturbance and the inability of the banks to provide mercantile accommodations, it is extremely gratifying that failures were not much more numerous, while the comparative tightness of the aggregate amount of defaulted indebtedness is the more striking when it is realized how vastly the nation's business has grown. Based on a ratio of liabilities to the amount of capital involved, the mercantile mortality in 1907 was comparatively light. Taking the last quarter, which supplied the largest amount of liabilities, the percentage of defaults was only $2.41 to each $1,000 of payments through the clearing houses, whereas in the corresponding three months of 1891 the ration was $7.63 and the average for the same quarter for ten years ending with 1896 was over $3.

Changes in the iron and steel industry during 1907 were more striking than elsewhere, particularly in respect to the volume of production. During the early part of the year there was a gradual increase in output, the weekly active capacity of blast furnaces constantly establishing new records until the high point was reached on July 1, with a total of 528,170 tons of pig iron per week. From this point a moderate decrease occurred until toward the end of the year it was estimated that not more than about 33 per cent of the entire iron and steel capacity was in operation. While this recognition of the reduction in orders for the time being was unmistakable it is significant that the leading interests in this industry had great confidence in the future, because at no time was work suspended on the plant at Gary. As to prices, moderate reductions occurred during the closing months, but no general change was made in list prices of standard shapes of steel.

God Prices for Crops.

Although in many cases the sizes of crops in 1907 fell below some preceding years, high prices made the return to the farmer much larger than ever before. To some extent short crops in other countries accounted for the high prices, notably in the case of wheat, which foreigners were willing to pay more than $1 per bushel during the closing months.

Not only did the high prices fail to check shipments abroad, but the returns for November showed more than 20,000,000 bushels sent abroad, the first time any monthly total was as large in over five years.

Adding the value of cotton, meats, dairy products, poultry, eggs and other items raised by the agriculturalist, the year's total attains the phenomenal value of $7,400,000,000.

Cotton has ruled at a high position throughout the year, while the latest statistics of the crop indicate a yield of 12,000,000 bales, or 10 per cent less than the high record established in the previous years. The old crop year ended on August 31, with the largest total ever harvested, and with exports exceeding all other years, except 1906, as to quantity, while the high average export price of 10.17 cents per pound this year raised the total value $70,000,000 above the previous high-water mark, established two years earlier, when the average price was about 2 cents per pound lower.

Big Business in Dry Goods.

Conflicting influences united to produce a year in the dry goods market which has been without precendent for the volume of business done, but which has also been honeycombed with disappointments that reduce the average of what might otherwise be regarded as a most successful twelve months. Above and beyond all is the increased trading which marked the first ten months of the year. In the export division the year was one of decided retrograde movement. The aggregate of exports falls far below that of 1906, which in turn was smaller than the record year of 1905.

Although hides broke to lower figures than had been reached before in about a decade, leather kept fairly steady throughout most of the year. The comparative steadiness of leather values has been due almost entirely to the curtailment of production.

The year has been characterized as a period of retrenchment in the shoe trade, and prices have undergone a readjustment from the top rates that prevailed late in 1906.

TRAIN KILLS MILLIONAIRE

C. C. Barker of Portland, Ore., Prominent in Lumber Trade, Meets Death in Wyoming.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., Jan. 1.—C. C. Barker, a millionaire lumberman of Portland, Ore., was killed by a train here today. He was interested in the lumber business at Wausau, Wis., Detroit, Mich., and Tower, Minn. W. C. Barker, a son, will accompany his father's body to Portland. Brenziger of $2,763.45 on that day when the money was actually deposited on November 9, 1907. It is also charged that on December 11, 1907, Hayes embezzled checks amounting to $4,730.62. The court placed Hayes under an additional bond of $2,500. Hayes continues to protest his innocence.

ST. LOUIS EDITOR SHOT

Al H. Spink of the World Probably Fatally Wounded by a Printer.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 1.—Alfred H. Spink, editor of the St. Louis World and president of the company publishing the same, author of "The Derby Winner" and several other plays, and formerly a sporting writer of national reputation, was shot and, perhaps, fatally injured tonight by Victor Groves, an employe, following an altercation with William Spink, the editor's son. Mr. Spink was rushing to the scene of the quarrel when Groves whipped out a revolver and fired two shots, one of them entering the editor's left shoulder and penetrating a lung.

Groves surrendered to the police immediately after the shooting. It is alleged that Groves was under the influence of liquor and William Spink requested him to leave the office. The altercation became violent and Mr. Spink, in an adjoining room, rushed out to stop the noise. Why Groves fired at the editor in particular has not been ascertained. Groves is a printer.

Mr. Spink, who is 53 years old, has been in the newspaper business many years and has acted as special correspondent for the largest newspapers in the country in covering sporting events of national interest. He acted as referee at many prize fights. His play, "The Derby Winner," is said to have required more people and scenery than any ever produced, and while it attained wide popularity, as compared with other plays of the period, the cost of carrying it was so great that crowded houses could not cover expenses, and Mr. Spink lost $250,000 on the production.

SCHLITZ HOTEL IS OPENED

Philbin & Murphy Add to the Capacity of Omaha's Modern Hotel.

Messrs. Philbin & Murphy opened the Schlitz hotel New Year's eve by inviting their friends to a dinner which has been seldom excelled in Omaha.

The hotel has been completely remodeled and appears in solid mahogany and bird's-eye maple for finishings. The dining rooms and cafe are surrounded by art glass. The hotel is modern.

More than 700 attended the opening New Year's eve. The hotel served dinners with a full menu for all who accepted the invitation.

APPOINTMENTS ON THE 'FRISCO

Officials Named to Represent the Company in Omaha and Vicinity.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The 'Frisco Railroad system announced the following appointments today, effective January 1: J. E. Utt, general agent; E. P. Hennessey, commercial agent; D. A. Cozzens, traveling freight agent, with headquarters at 1223 Farnam street, Omaha.

FIRST ARREST OF THE YEAR

South Omaha Man Taken in Charge for Kicking in Door of Woman's Room.

George Herald of South Omaha was the first victim of the Omaha police for the new year. He was arrested for kicking in the door of the room of Mable Burris, 1314 Capitol avenue.

Boy Dies of Lockjaw.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 1.—(Special.)—William McCormick, aged 17, a young Iowan who since last fall had made his home with his uncle, O. D. Saddler, in Charles Mix county, was a victim of lockjaw. The unfortunate lad about two weeks ago was scratched slightly by a nail. Little or no attention was paid to the apparently slight injury at the time, but his condition rapidly grew worse and finally culminated in lockjaw. He suffered intensely before death came to his relief. His mother is a resident of Carson, Ia., and she was summoned in time to be with him during his last hours.

Big Drainage Ditch Planned.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Jan. 1.—(Special.)—After having had the matter under consideration for some weeks, the county commissioners of this (Minnehaha) county have adopted a resolution declaring in favor of a proposed mammoth drainage ditch in the region immediately north of Sioux Falls. The proposed ditch will be one of the largest in the state or northwest, and will be designed to drain about 50,000 acres of very valuable farm land lying along the Big Sioux river. Tuesday, January 14, has been fixed as the date for a meeting to assess the damages and price of the land which will be needed for the ditch.

PILES

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